

Safety Data Sheet

Citric Acid, 0.5% Aqueous

Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

SDS Name: Citric Acid, 0.5% Aqueous

Catalog Numbers: A-131-3

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Section 2 - Hazards Identification

GHS Classifications

Based on available data, the GHS classification criteria are not met.

Pictogram or Hazard Symbols and Hazard Statement(s):

No GHS Hazard Symbols.

Hazard Statements:

No GHS Hazard Statements.

Precautionary Statements:

No GHS Precautionary Statements.

Section 3 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

| CAS# | Chemical Name | Percent |
|-----------|-------------------------|---------|
| 5949-29-1 | Citric Acid Monohydrate | 0.5 w/v |
| 7732-18-5 | Water | Balance |

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Eye Exposure: In case of contact with eyes, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers. Get medical attention.

Dermal Exposure: In case of skin contact, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention.

Oral Exposure: If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth with water and drink small quantities of water (stop if the exposed person feels sick as vomiting may be dangerous). Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Inhalation Exposure: If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If breathing becomes difficult, call a physician.

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

General Information: As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

Extinguishing Media: Use dry chemical, carbon dioxide, dry sand, water spray or alcohol-resistant foam.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon oxides, irritating fumes and gases.

Flash Point: Not available

Autoignition Temperature: Not available

Explosion Limits, Lower: Not available

Upper: Not available

NFPA Rating: (estimated) Health: 1; Flammability: 0; Instability: 0

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

Procedure(s) of Personal Precaution(s): Wear personal protective equipment as necessary. Do not ingest or inhale. Do not get on skin or clothing. Do not get in eyes. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Methods for Cleaning up: Absorb with earth, sand, or vermiculite. Carefully sweep up and containerize for proper disposal. Do not release to the environment. Do not release to drains.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Use care when handling. Wear personal protective equipment as necessary. Wash thoroughly after handling. Use with adequate ventilation. Do not ingest or inhale. Do not get on skin or clothing. Do not get in eyes. Keep in a tightly closed container. **Store in the refrigerator (4 °C).** Keep away from incompatible materials.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

Engineering Controls: Use explosion-proof ventilation equipment. Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower. Use adequate general or local exhaust ventilation to keep airborne concentrations below the permissible exposure limits.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eyes: Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

Skin: Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.

Clothing: Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Respirators: A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA's 29 CFR 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements or European Standard EN 149 must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant a respirator's use.

Exposure Limits:

| Chemical Name | ACGIH - TLV | NIOSH - IDLH | OSHA - Final PELs |
|--|-------------|--------------|-------------------|
| Citric Acid Monohydrate CAS#5949-29-1 | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed |

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Liquid

Appearance: Clear, colorless

Odor: Odorless

Vapor Pressure: Not available

Odor Threshold: Not available

Vapor Density: Not available

pH: Approx. 2.2-2.5

Relative Density: Not available

Melting point/freezing point: Not available

Solubility: Soluble in water

Boiling Point: Not available

Flash Point: Not available

Evaporation Rate: Not available

Flammability (solid, gas): Not available

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: Not available

Autoignition Temperature: Not available

Decomposition Temperature: Not available

Viscosity: Not available

Specific Gravity/Density: Not available

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable in closed containers under normal storage and handling conditions. **Keep refrigerated (4° C).**

Conditions to Avoid: Incompatible materials and excess heat.

Incompatibilities with Other Materials: Strong oxidizing agents and strong bases.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon oxides, irritating fumes and gases.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

CAS#5949-29-1 Citric Acid Monohydrate: RTECS#: GE7810000

LD50 Oral: 5.79 g/kg (mouse)

LD50 Dermal: Not available

LC50 Inhalation: Not available

Carcinogenicity: Citric Acid Monohydrate CAS#5949-29-1 is not listed by IARC, NTP, ACGIH, OSHA, or California Prop. 65.

Information on the likely routes of exposure: Routes of entry anticipated: oral, dermal, inhalation, and eye.

Epidemiology: Not available.

Teratogenicity: Not available.

Reproductive Effects: Not available.

Developmental Effects: Not available.

Neurotoxicity: Not available.

Mutagenicity: Not available.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity, Single Exposure: Not available.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity, Repeated Exposure: Not available.

Symptoms associated with exposure: Ingestion overexposure may cause nausea, vomiting, diarrhea. Skin contact may cause redness, irritation, dermatitis. Eye contact may cause redness, irritation, itching, watering, pain.

The toxicological properties of this material have not been thoroughly investigated.

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: Do not release to the environment. Do not release to drains.

CAS#77-92-9 Citric Acid (anhydrous substance):

LC50, freshwater fish: 440-760 mg/L 96h (leuciscus idus)(golden orfe)

EC50, water flea: 120 mg/L 72h (daphnia magna)

Persistence and degradability: Not available.

Bio-accumulative potential: Not available.

Mobility: Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

DISPOSAL: Dispose of in accordance with all federal, state, and local regulations.

Section 14 - Transport Information

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Non-Regulated

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

Canada Regulatory Information

WHMIS Classification: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR, and the SDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

Section 16 - Additional Information

SDS Creation Date: 10-15-12

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Revision #2: 4-22-26

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