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#### **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : Citric Acid Anhydrous

Substance name : Citric Acid Anhydrous

Molecular formula : C6-H8-O7

Chemical identity : 2-hydroxypropane-1,2,3-tricarboxylic acid

CAS-No. : 77-92-9

Chemical nature : Solid

### Manufacturer or supplier's details

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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ble/issuing person

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: msds@jungbunzlauer.com

### **Emergency telephone number**

Emergency telephone num-

: National Chemical Emergency Centre

(NCEC)

+1 202 464 2554

#### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Food/ feedstuff additives

Cosmetic additive Medical aids Industrial use

Restrictions on use : None known.

### **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

### GHS classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200

Eye irritation : Category 2A

### **GHS** label elements

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Hazard pictograms



Signal word : Warning

Hazard statements : H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements : Prevention:

P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye pro-

tection/ face protection.

Response:

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water

for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present

and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/

attention.

#### **Hazards Not Otherwise Classified**

May form combustible dust concentrations in air (during processing).

### **SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Substance / Mixture : Pure substance

Chemical nature : Solid

Substance name : Citric Acid Anhydrous

CAS-No. : 77-92-9

### **Hazardous components**

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)
Citric acid anhydrous	77-92-9	100

### **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

General advice : Avoid inhalation, ingestion and contact with skin and eyes.

Consult a physician.

If inhaled : If breathed in, move person into fresh air.

If symptoms persist, call a physician. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

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If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

In case of skin contact : In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water.

Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

In case of eye contact : If easy to do, remove contact lens, if worn.

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids,

for at least 15 minutes.

If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

If swallowed : Drink plenty of water.

If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and

delayed

Eye irritation may cause mild and mechanical irritation and

thus symptoms which would be redness and pain.

Causes serious eye irritation.

Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically.

#### **SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray

Dry powder Foam

Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Unsuitable extinguishing me-

dia

High volume water jet

Specific hazards during fire-

fighting

Avoid generating dust; fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient

concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is a

potential dust explosion hazard.

Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread

me.

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire condi-

tions.

Hazardous combustion prod-

ucts

Carbon dioxide (CO2)
Carbon monoxide

Specific extinguishing meth-

ods.

Standard procedure for chemical fires.

Further information : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local cir-

cumstances and the surrounding environment.

In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

Special protective equipment:

for firefighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Wear fire resistant or flame retardant clothing.

## **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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Personal precautions, protec- : tive equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid dust formation.

Dust deposits should not be allowed to accumulate on surfaces, as these may form an explosive mixture if they are released into the atmosphere in sufficient concentration.

Avoid breathing dust.

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8.

Environmental precautions No special environmental precautions required.

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up Use mechanical handling equipment. Non-sparking tools should be used.

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

Sections 13 and 15 of this SDS provide information regarding

certain local or national requirements.

#### **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

fire and explosion

Advice on protection against : Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

Risk of dust explosion. Advice on safe handling

Do not breathe dust.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wear personal protective equipment. For personal protection see section 8.

Keep in an area equipped with acid resistant flooring. Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated

Minimize dust generation and accumulation.

Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

Materials to avoid Incompatible with strong bases and oxidizing agents.

Further information on stor-

age stability

No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

### SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

**Engineering measures** Provide adequate ventilation.

> Ensure that dust-handling systems (such as exhaust ducts, dust collectors, vessels, and processing equipment) are designed in a manner to prevent the escape of dust into the work area (i.e., there is no leakage from the equipment).

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Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : In the case of dust or aerosol formation use respirator with an

approved filter.

Use NIOSH approved respiratory protection.

Hand protection

Remarks : Choose gloves to protect hands against chemicals depending

on the concentration and quantity of the hazardous substance and specific to place of work. For special applications, we recommend clarifying the resistance to chemicals of the aforementioned protective gloves with the glove manufac-

turer.

Eye protection : Safety glasses

Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close

to the workstation location.

Skin and body protection : Choose body protection according to the amount and con-

centration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

Hygiene measures : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety

practice.

Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling

the product.

Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment be-

fore entering eating areas.

### **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance : crystalline

Colour : white

Odour : odourless

Odour Threshold : Not relevant

pH : 1.8 (77 °F / 25 °C)

Concentration: 5 %

Melting point/range : ca. 307 °F / 153 °C

Boiling point/boiling range : Not applicable

Flash point : Not applicable

Evaporation rate : Not applicable

Flammability (solid, gas) : does not ignite

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Upper explosion limit / Upper

flammability limit

No data available

Lower explosion limit / Lower :

flammability limit

No data available

Vapour pressure : Not applicable

Relative vapour density : Not applicable

Relative density :  $1.665 (68 \degree F / 20 \degree C)$ 

Density : Not applicable

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility : ca. 1,450 g/l (68 °F / 20 °C)

Partition coefficient: n-oc-

tanol/water

log Pow: -1.8 - -0.2

Calculation

Auto-ignition temperature : No data available

Decomposition temperature : No data available

Viscosity

Viscosity, dynamic : Not applicable

Viscosity, kinematic : Not applicable

Explosive properties : Not explosive

Oxidizing properties : No oxidising effect.

Molecular weight : 192.12 g/mol

Dust explosion class : St1

### **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reac-

tions

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid : Avoid dust formation.

Incompatible materials : Strong bases

Oxidizing agents

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Hazardous decomposition

products

: Build-up of dangerous/toxic fumes possible in cases of

fire/high temperature. Carbon dioxide (CO2) Carbon monoxide

#### **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### **Acute toxicity**

### **Components:**

Citric acid anhydrous:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 Oral (Mouse): 5.400 mg/kg body weight

Method: OECD Test Guideline 401

LD50 Oral (Rat): 11.700 mg/kg body weight

Method: OECD Test Guideline 401

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 Dermal (Rat): > 2.000 mg/kg body weight

Acute toxicity (other routes of : LD50 (Rat): 725 mg/kg

administration)

Application Route: i.p.

LD50 (Mouse): 940 mg/kg Application Route: i.p.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

### **Components:**

### Citric acid anhydrous:

Species : Rabbit

Method : OECD Test Guideline 404

Result : No skin irritation

Remarks : May cause skin irritation in susceptible persons.

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

### **Components:**

### Citric acid anhydrous:

Species : Rabbit

Result : Irritating to eyes.

Method : OECD Test Guideline 405

### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

### **Components:**

## Citric acid anhydrous:

Remarks : No known sensitising effect.

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Germ cell mutagenicity

**Components:** 

Citric acid anhydrous:

Genotoxicity in vitro : Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Salmonella typhimurium

Concentration: 0 - 5 mg/plate

Method: Mutagenicity (Salmonella typhimurium - reverse mu-

tation assay) Result: negative

Genotoxicity in vivo : Test Type: in vivo assay

Species: Rat

Application Route: Oral

Method: OECD Test Guideline 475

Result: negative

Germ cell mutagenicity - As-

sessment

: In vitro tests did not show mutagenic effects

Carcinogenicity

**Components:** 

Citric acid anhydrous:

Carcinogenicity - Assess-

ment

: Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.

Reproductive toxicity

**Components:** 

Citric acid anhydrous:

Reproductive toxicity - As-

sessment

: No toxicity to reproduction

STOT - single exposure

**Components:** 

Citric acid anhydrous:

Remarks : No data available

STOT - repeated exposure

**Components:** 

Citric acid anhydrous:

Remarks : No data available

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### Repeated dose toxicity

### **Components:**

## Citric acid anhydrous:

Species : Rat

NOAEL : 4,000 mg/kg LOAEL : 8,000 mg/kg

Application Route : Oral Exposure time : 10 d

Dose : 2, 4, 8, 16 g/kg bw/day

### **Aspiration toxicity**

## **Components:**

### Citric acid anhydrous:

No aspiration toxicity classification

## Experience with human exposure

**Product:** 

Inhalation : Target Organs: Respiratory system

Symptoms: No information available.

Skin contact : Target Organs: Skin

Symptoms: May cause skin irritation in susceptible persons.

Eye contact : Target Organs: Eyes

Symptoms: Redness, Itching

Ingestion : Target Organs: Digestive organs

Symptoms: No information available.

### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### **Ecotoxicity**

### **Components:**

#### Citric acid anhydrous:

Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Leuciscus idus (Golden orfe)): 440 mg/l

Exposure time: 48 h Test Type: static test

Method: OECD Test Guideline 203

Toxicity to daphnia and other :

aquatic invertebrates

LC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 1,535 mg/l

Exposure time: 24 h Test Type: static test

Method: OECD Test Guideline 202

Toxicity to algae : NOEC (Scenedesmus quadricauda (Green algae)): 425 mg/l

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Exposure time: 8 d Test Type: static test

Toxicity to microorganisms

TT (Pseudomonas putida): > 10,000 mg/l

Exposure time: 16 h

### Persistence and degradability

### **Components:**

Citric acid anhydrous:

Biodegradability

Biodegradation: 97 % Testing period: 28 d

Method: OECD Test Guideline 301B Remarks: Readily biodegradable.

Biodegradation: 100 % Testing period: 19 d

Method: OECD Test Guideline 301E Remarks: Readily biodegradable.

Biochemical Oxygen De-

mand (BOD)

526 mg/g

Chemical Oxygen Demand

(COD)

728 mg/g

Physico-chemical removabil- :

ity

Remarks: Readily biodegradable.

### **Bioaccumulative potential**

### **Components:**

Citric acid anhydrous:

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: The product is miscible in water and readily biode-

gradable in both water and soil. Accumulation is not expected.

Partition coefficient: n-oc-

tanol/water

log Pow: -1.8 - -0.2

Mobility in soil
No data available

#### Other adverse effects

### **Components:**

Citric acid anhydrous:

Results of PBT and vPvB as- :

sessment

This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumu-

lating and toxic (PBT).

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This substance is not considered to be very persistent and

very bioaccumulating (vPvB).

Additional ecological infor-

mation

This product has no known ecotoxicological effects.

### **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Disposal methods** 

Waste from residues : Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incinera-

tion.

Can be landfilled or incinerated, when in compliance with local

regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste han-

dling site for recycling or disposal. Dispose of as unused product.

#### **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

### International Regulations

**IATA-DGR** 

Not regulated as a dangerous good

IMDG-Code

Not regulated as a dangerous good

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

**National Regulations** 

DOT

Not regulated as a hazardous material

### **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

## **EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act**

### SARA 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Threshold Planning Quantity

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 311/312 Hazards : Acute Health Hazard

Fire Hazard

SARA 313 : This material does not contain any chemical components with

known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

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#### **Clean Water Act**

This product does not contain any toxic pollutants listed under the U.S. Clean Water Act Section 307

### California Prop. 65

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

### The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:

EINECS : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

TSCA : All substances listed as active on the TSCA inventory

TSCA\_12b : Not applicable

DSL : All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL

REACH : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

#### **TSCA list**

No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.

### **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

### Full text of other abbreviations

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials: bw - Body weight: CERCLA - Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation. and Liability Act; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DOT - Department of Transportation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; EHS - Extremely Hazardous Substance; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; HMIS - Hazardous Materials Identification System; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; MSHA - Mine Safety and Health Administration; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NFPA - National Fire Protection Association; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety

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and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; RCRA - Resource Conservation and Recovery Act; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RQ - Reportable Quantity; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

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