



Transport Symbol	WHMIS	NFPA	Personal Protective Equipment
Not controlled	Not controlled		

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

**Product Name:**

Potassium Citrate Granular

**Product Code:**

092310

**Synonyms:**

1,2,3-Propanetricarboxylic acid, 2-hydroxy-, potassium salt, hydrate (1:3:1).

**Use of the Substance / Preparation:**

Food additive

CAS 6100-05-6 / 866-84-2. EINECS 212-755-5.

**Contact Manufacturer:**

Archer Daniels Midland Company

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Decatur, IL 62526, USA

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Emergency Overview

Warning. May form combustible dust concentrations in air. Product dust may cause mild, mechanical irritation. Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

**Appearance**

Colorless to White

**Physical State**

Powder / Crystalline Granules

**Odor**

Odorless

### Classification according to 29 CFR 1910, ammended to conform to the United Nations' Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS):

Hazards Not Otherwise Classified	Combustible Dust
Signal Word:	Warning
Hazard Statement(s):	May form combustible dust concentrations in air.

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**Chemical nature of the preparation** Substance

**Chemical Family** Esters

**Molecular Formula**  $K_3C_6H_5O_7 \cdot H_2O$

### Non-hazardous Components

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Weight %	North American Hazard Indicator
Tripotassium citrate monohydrate	6100-05-6	100	None known

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

##### Description of first aid measures

**General Advice** When symptoms persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.

**Eye Contact** Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids.

**Skin Contact** Wash off with warm water and soap.

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air.

**Ingestion** Clean mouth with water and afterwards drink plenty of water.

##### Most important symptoms and affects, both acute and delayed

**Eyes** Contact with eyes may cause mechanical irritation.

**Skin** Product dust may cause mild, mechanical irritation.

**Inhalation** Dust may cause irritation of respiratory tract. See section 8 of this sheet for exposure limits pertaining to nuisance dust or "particulates not otherwise regulated".

**Ingestion** Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

##### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically.

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

##### Flammable Properties

As with most organic solids, combustion is possible at elevated temperatures or by contact with an ignition source. Fine dust dispersed in air may ignite. Risk of ignition followed by flame propagation or secondary explosions should be prevented by avoiding accumulation of dust, e.g. on floors and ledges.

##### Extinguishing media

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Water. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) Foam. Dry chemical. Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Dry powder.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** No information available.

##### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

**Hazardous Combustion Products** Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical** None known.

**Sensitivity to mechanical impact** No information available.

**Sensitivity to static discharge** Yes. (as dust).

##### Advice for fire-fighters

**Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters** As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

##### NFPA

Health 0

Flammability 1

Stability and Reactivity 0

Physical hazard -



#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

##### Personal Precautions

Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid sparks, flames, static electricity discharges, etc. in the presence of dust.

##### Environmental Precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

##### Methods for Containment

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

##### Methods for Clean-up

Shovel or sweep up. Avoid dust formation. After cleaning, flush away traces with water.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Handling

Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation in confined areas. Fine dust dispersed in air may ignite. Refer to NFPA 61, "Standard for the Prevention of Fires and Dust Explosions in Agricultural and Food Processing Facilities".

### Storage

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Exposure Limits

Where there is airborne dust, exposure limits pertaining to 'particulates not otherwise regulated' have been given

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	MEXICO	NIOSH
Particulates not otherwise regulated	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> inhalable particles, recommended TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable particles, recommended	TWA: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction	not listed	not listed

### Engineering Measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

### General Hygiene Considerations

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

### Personal Protective Equipment

#### Eye/face Protection.

Safety glasses with side-shields. If airborne dust concentrations are excessive, wear goggles.

#### Skin and Body Protection

Protective clothing and gloves may be worn to reduce the potential of mechanical irritation. Appropriate body protection should be selected based on activity and possible exposure.

#### Respiratory Protection

Respirator with a dust filter. In case of insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory equipment.



## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Appearance

Colorless to White

### Physical State

Powder / Crystalline Granules

### Odor

Odorless

### Odor Threshold

No information available

### pH

approx 8.0

### Flash Point

Not applicable

### Autoignition Temperature

No information available

### Boiling point

Not applicable

### Melting/Freezing Point

Decomposes before melting

### Decomposition temperature

No information available

### Oxidizing Properties

No information available

### Solubility(ies)

Insoluble Alcohol.

### Water Solubility

(> 50%)

### Evaporation Rate

Not applicable

### Vapor Pressure

Not applicable

### Vapor Density

Not applicable

### Relative Density

No information available

### Partition Coefficient

No information available

### (n-octanol/water)

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing.

**Conditions to Avoid** Avoid dust formation.

**Incompatible Materials** No materials to be especially mentioned.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products** No information available.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on toxicological effects

<b>Acute toxicity</b>	Based on available data, no evidence of acute toxicity.
<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Based on available data, not, or only slightly irritating.
<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	Based on available data, no evidence of serious eye damage / irritation.
<b>Respiratory or skin sensitisation</b>	Based on available data, not expected to be a skin or respiratory sensitiser.
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	Based on available data, no evidence of carcinogenicity. There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	Based on available data, no evidence of reproductive toxicity.
<b>STOT - single exposure</b>	No evidence of toxicity.
<b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>	No evidence of toxicity.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	Based on available data, no known aspiration hazard.

### Potential health effects

<b>Eyes</b>	Contact with eyes may cause mechanical irritation.
<b>Skin</b>	Product dust may cause mild, mechanical irritation.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Dust may cause irritation of respiratory tract. See section 8 of this sheet for exposure limits pertaining to nuisance dust or "particulates not otherwise regulated".
<b>Ingestion</b>	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

Contains no substances known to be hazardous to the environment. Contains no substances known to be not degradable in waste water treatment plants.

<b>Persistence/Degradability</b>	Readily biodegradable.
<b>Mobility</b>	Partly soluble in water.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Whenever possible, as rules and regulations allow, please recycle or manage materials to minimize waste.

<b>Waste Disposal Methods</b>	Dispose of in compliance with the laws and regulations pertaining to this product in your jurisdiction. Can be landfilled or incinerated, when in compliance with local regulations.
<b>Contaminated Packaging</b>	Empty containers should be decontaminated and taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal.

<b>14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION</b>
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**Domestic transport regulations (USA)**

DOT Not regulated

**Domestic transport regulations (Canada)**

TDG Not regulated

**Domestic transport regulations (Mexico)**

MEX Not regulated

**International transport regulations**

ICAO Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

IMDG/IMO Not regulated

<b>15. REGULATORY INFORMATION</b>
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**International Inventories**

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

Chemical Name	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	AICS	ENCS ISHL	CHINA	PICCS	KECL	NZLoC
Tripotassium citrate monohydrate	Yes 866-84-2	Yes 866-84-2	No	Yes 212-755-5	No	Yes	Yes 212-755-5	Yes	Yes 866-84-2	Yes KE-20842	Yes

**USA****Federal Regulations****Ozone Depleting Substances:**

No Class I or Class II material is known to be used in the manufacture of, or contained in, this product.

**SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product is not known to contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act or regulations contained in 40 CFR 372.

**SARA 302**

Section 302 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product is not known to contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act or regulations contained in 40 CFR 302.

**SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization**

Acute Health Hazard	No
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire Hazard	No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

**Clean Air Act, Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) (see 40 CFR 61)**

This product is not known to contain any HAPS.

**State Regulations****California Proposition 65**

Proposition 65 chemicals are not expected to be found in this product above those naturally present in their agricultural source. Proposition 65 exempts naturally occurring listed chemicals from an obligation to label.

**State Right-to-Know**

No known components subject to "Right-To-Know" legislation

**Canada****WHMIS Product Classification**

Not a WHMIS controlled product. Exempt: Food Product per Hazardous Products Act Part II Controlled Products Section 12.

**WHMIS Ingredient Disclosure List IDL**

No known component is listed on the WHMIS ingredients disclosure list.

**(NPRI) Canadian National Pollutant Release Inventory**

No known component is listed on NPRI.

**This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the SDS contains all the information required by the CPR.**

**Mexico**

**Mexico - Grade**

Slight risk, Grade 1

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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**Abbreviations and acronyms**

- ACGIH TLV - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists Threshold Limit Values
- AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (Australia)
- CAS - Chemical Abstract Service
- CHINA - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances (China)
- DOT - U.S. Department of Transportation
- DSL - Domestic Substance List (Canada)
- EINECS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EU)
- ELINCS - European List of Notified Chemical Substances (EU)
- ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan) / ISHL - Industrial Health and Safety Law (Japan)
- GHS - Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
- IATA - International Air Transport Association Dangerous Goods Regulations
- ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organisation
- IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
- IMO - International Maritime Organization
- KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances (Korea)
- MEX - NOM-002-SCT/2003 List of Hazardous Substances and Materials Most Commonly Transported
- MEXICO - Mexico Occupational Exposure Limits
- NFPA - National Fire Protection Association
- NDSL - Non Domestic Substances List (Canada)
- NIOSH - National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health
- NZLoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals (New Zealand)
- OSHA - Occupational Safety & Health Administration
- OSHA PEL - Occupational Safety and Health Administration Permissible Exposure Limits
- PICCS - Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (Philippines)
- STOT - Specific Target Organ Toxicity
- TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods (Transport Canada)
- TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act, Section 8(b) Inventory (USA)
- TWA - Time Weighted Average: Average concentration that should not be exceeded during a work day (usually 8-hours)
- WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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