

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

#### 1. CHEMICAL IDENTIFICATION AND COMPANY INFORMATION

PRODUCT NAME: Citric Acid, Anhydrous

PRODUCT NUMBER: C277

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RESTRICTIONS ON USE: only. Products are not to be used as human or animal therapeutics, cosmetics, agricultural or

pesticidal products, food additives, or as household chemicals.

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture

**GHS** Classification:

H319 - Eye irritation (Category 2A)

GHS Label elements, including hazard and precautionary statements:

Pictogram:



Signal Word: Warning

Hazard Statements: H319 – Causes serious eye irritation.

**Precautionary Statements:** 

P280 – Wear protective clothing/protective gloves/eye protection.

P305 + P351 + P338 – IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Synonyms: 2-Hydroxy-1,2,3-propanetricarboxylic Acid

CAS No.: 77-92-9 Formula:  $C_6H_8O_7$ 

Molecular Weight: 192.14 g/mol EC No.: 201-069-1

Ingredient	CAS Number	Percent	Hazardous	
Citric Acid, Anhydrous	77-92-9	>99 %	No exposure limits established by OSHA or ACGIH	

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General Advice: Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous

area.

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**Route of Entry Symptoms First Aid Procedures** Ingestion May cause irritation if swallowed If swallowed, wash out mouth with water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention. Inhalation Safely remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, institute May cause irritation to respiratory tract cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). If breathing is difficult, ensure clear airway and give oxygen. Get medical attention. **Eye Contact** Direct contact may cause irritation. Flush immediately with large amounts of water for at least 15 May cause redness, tearing, or minutes. Eyelids should be held away from the eyeball to ensure thorough rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation blurred vision. persists. Skin Contact Irritating. May cause reddening, Wash area thoroughly with soap and water. Remove and wash itching or inflammation. contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

Most Important Symptoms or Effects, Both Acute and Delayed:

See section 2 and/or section 11

Recommendation for Immediate Medical Care and Special Treatment Needed:

No data available

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Water spray, carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, or appropriate foam. Use

extinguishing media suitable for surrounding fire.

Special Protective Equipment and

Precaution for Firefighters:

In the event of a fire, wear full protective clothing and NIOSH approved selfcontained breathing apparatus. Evacuate the area and fight fire from a safe distance.

Hazardous Combustion Products: May emit toxic fumes under fire conditions.

Toxic Gases Produced: Carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:

Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust, vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

Environmental Precautions: Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

Method of Containment and Cleanup: Wear suitable protective clothing. Avoid dust formation. Carefully sweep up and

remove. Place material in a dry container and cover. Remove from the area. Flush

spill area with water. Do not let product enter drains.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precaution for Safe Handling: Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid dust formation and aerosols. Avoid

incompatible substances. Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs. Wash thoroughly after

use.

Conditions for Safe Storage: Keep in a tightly closed container and store in a cool, dry, and well-ventilated area.

Incompatibilities: Strong oxidizing agents, metal nitrates, strong bases, metals

Recommended Storage Temperature: Room Temperature

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

OSHA's Permissible Exposure Limits (PELs): No data available

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Threshold Limit Values (TLVs):

No data available

Engineering Controls: Handle in accordance to general industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

Eye/Face Protection: Chemical safety glasses or goggles. Have eye-washing facilities readily available where

eye contact can occur.

Skin Protection: Protective gloves

Body Protection: Lab coat

Respiratory Protection: Appropriate respirator

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: White to Off-White Powder

pH (0.10 g/L): Under Development (2.75 - 3.75 suspected range)

Solubility: Soluble in Water

Melting Range: 153 °C; Decomposes around 175 °C

Vapor Density: No data available
Vapor Pressure: No data available
Specific Gravity: 1.665 g/cm³
Odor: Mostly odorless
Odor Threshold: No data available
Viscosity: No data available
Relative Density: No data available

Evaporation Rate: No data available

Initial Boiling Point and

Boiling Range:

No data available

Flammability (solid, gas): No data available

Partition coefficient:

n-octanol/water): Log Pow: -1.64 at 20 °C (68 °F)

Auto-ignition Temperature: No data available
Decomposition Temperature: No data available
Flash Point (Closed Cup): No data available

Flammable Limits: Upper (%) – No data available Lower (%) – 8%

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: No data available

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions of use – combustible at high temperatures

Possibility of Hazard Reactions: Will not occur

Conditions to Avoid: Dust generation, excessive heat

Incompatibles Materials: Strong oxidizing agents, metal nitrates, strong bases, metals

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity:  $LD_{50}$  (Oral-Rat)(mg/Kg): 5400

 $LD_{50}$  (IP-Rat)(mg/Kg): 290

 $LD_{50}$  (Dermal-Rat)(mg/Kg): >2000

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Carcinogenicity: NTP: No

> IARC: No Z List: No OSHA Reg: No

Reproductive Toxicity: No data available

Symptoms Associated with

Overexposure:

Irritation, itching, gastrointestinal upset, allergic reaction, redness, blurred vision, salivation, breathing difficulties, cyanosis, muscle weakness or spasms, tooth erosion, severe eye damage,

blindness

Specific Target Organ

Toxicity:

Single Exposure: No data available

Repeated Exposure: No data available

Target Organs: Eyes, skin, respiratory system

Medical Conditions Aggravated By Exposure: Pre-existing eye conditions

Routes of Entry: Ingestion, inhalation, skin and eye contact

NIOSH/RTECS NO: GE7350000

# The toxicological properties of this product have not been thoroughly investigated

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity: LC50 – Leuciscus idus melanotus – 440 mg/L – 48 hrs

Persistence and Degradability: No data available Bioaccumulative Potential: No data available Mobility in Soil: No data available Other Adverse Effects: No data available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION

Disposal Procedure: Dispose in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local environmental

regulations.

EPA Hazardous Waste Number: No data available

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Domestic (D.O.T.): Proper Shipping Name: CHEMICALS, N.O.S. (NON-REGULATED)

> Hazard Class: N/A UN/NA: N/A N/A Labels:

International:

IMDG: Proper Shipping Name: CHEMICALS, N.O.S. (NON-REGULATED)

> Hazard Class: N/A UN/NA: N/A Labels: N/A

IATA: Proper Shipping Name: CHEMICALS, N.O.S. (NON-REGULATED)

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#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA: Yes

SARA TITLE III:

Section 302 (EHS) Ingredients: No
Section 313 Ingredients: No
Section 304 (EHS/CERCLA) Ingredients: No

Section 311/312 Hazard: Acute Health Hazard

Massachusetts Right to Know Components: No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act

Pennsylvania Right to Know Components: CAS NO.: 77-92-9 Citric acid

New Jersey Right to Know Components: CAS NO.: 77-92-9 Citric acid

California Prop. 65 Components: This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to

cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

**HMIS Rating:** 

Health Hazard	Chronic Health Hazard	Flammability	Physical Hazard
2		0	0
Health Hazard	Fire Hazard	Reactivity Hazard	Special Hazard
2	0	0	

**NFPA Rating:** 

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