

Safety Data Sheet Citric Acid Solution Revision 2, Date 15 Mar 2013

1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Name Citric Acid Solution

Other Names 1,2,3-Propanetricarboxylic acid, 2-hydroxy-; 2-Hydroxy-1,2,3-propanetricarboxylic acid; 2-hydroxypropane-1,2,3-

tricarboxylic acid; CITRIC ACID

Uses Preparation of citrates, soft drinks, effervescent salts; food acidulant and antioxidant; detergent builder. Food,

cosmetic and pharmaceutical applications.

Chemical FamilyNo Data AvailableChemical FormulaNo Data AvailableChemical NameCitric Acid SolutionProduct DescriptionNo Data Available

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Emergency Contact Details

For emergencies only; DO NOT contact these companies for general product advice.

Organisation	Location	Telephone
Poisons Information Centre	Westmead NSW	1800-251525 131126
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Chemcall	Malaysia	+64-4-9179888
Chemcall	New Zealand	0800-243622 +64-4-9179888
National Poisons Centre	New Zealand	0800-764766
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2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Poisons Schedule (Aust) Not scheduled

Globally Harmonised System

Hazard Classification Hazardous according to the criteria of the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of

Chemicals (GHS)

Sydney



Hazard Categories Serious Eye Damage/Irritation - Category 1

Skin Corrosion/Irritation - Category 3

Pictograms



Signal Word Danger

Hazard Statements H315 Causes skin irritation.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

Precautionary Statements Prevention P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection.

P264 Wash contacted areas thoroughly after handling.

Response P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
 P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

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.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Storage **P405** Store locked up.

Disposal P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local / regional / national /

international regulations.

National Transport Commission (Australia)

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

Dangerous Goods ClassificationNOT Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous

Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand)

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015

HSNO ClassificationsHealth
Hazards

6.1E
Substances that are acutely toxic –May be harmful, Aspiration hazard

6.3B Substances that are mildly irritating to the skin

8.3A Substances that are corrosive to ocular tissue

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients

Chemical Entity	Formula	CAS Number	Proportion
Water	No Data Available	7732-18-5	40.0 - 80.0 %
Citric Acid	No Data Available	77-92-9	20.0 - 60.0 %

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of necessary measures according to routes of exposure

Swallowed Rinse mouth with water. Give a glass of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Seek medical attention.

Eye Immediately wash in and around the eye area with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Eyelids to be held

apart. Remove clothing if contaminated and wash skin. Urgently seek medical assistance. Transport to hospital or medical centre. Continue to wash with large amounts of water until medical help is available. Can cause corneal

Skin Remove contaminated clothing. Flush affected area with plenty of running water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation

occurs, seek medical attention.

Inhaled Remove victim from area of exposure - avoid becoming a casualty. Remove contaminated clothing and loosen

remaining clothing. Allow patient to assume most comfortable position and keep warm. Keep at rest until fully

recovered. Seek medical advice if effects persist.

Advice to Doctor Treat symptomatically based on judgement of doctor and individual reactions of patient. Can cause corneal burns.

Medical Conditions Aggravated

by Exposure

No information available on medical conditions aggravated by exposure to this product.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

General Measures Clear fire area of all non-emergency personnel. Stay upwind. Keep out of low areas. Eliminate ignition sources. Move

fire exposed containers from fire area if it can be done without risk.

Flammability Conditions Product is a non-flammable liquid.

Extinguishing Media Not combustible, however, if material is involved in a fire use: Fine water spray, normal foam, dry agent (carbon

dioxide, dry chemical powder).

Fire and Explosion Hazard Non-combustible liquid.

Hazardous Products of

Combustion

Special Fire Fighting Instructions

Not combustible, however following evaporation of the water component of the material, the residual material can burn if ignited. On burning will emit toxic fumes, including those of oxides of carbon.

Clear fire area of all non-emergency personnel. Stay upwind. Keep out of low areas. Eliminate ignition sources. Move fire exposed containers from fire area if it can be done without risk. Do NOT allow fire fighting water to reach waterways, drains or sewers. All combustion residues and contaminated water from fire-fighting should be disposed

of according to regulations.

Personal Protective Equipment Fire fighters should wear a positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and protective fire fighting

clothing (includes fire fighting helmet, coat, trousers, boots and gloves) or chemical splash suit.

Flash Point No Data Available **Lower Explosion Limit** No Data Available **Upper Explosion Limit** No Data Available **Auto Ignition Temperature** No Data Available **Hazchem Code** No Data Available

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

General Response Procedure Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. Increase ventilation. Avoid walking through spilled product as it is slippery

when spilt. Use clean, non-sparking tools and equipment. Shut off all possible sources of ignition.

Clean Up Procedures Use absorbent (soil, sand or other inert material). Neutralise with lime or soda ash. Collect and seal in properly

labelled containers or drums for disposal.

Containment Stop leak if safe to do so. Isolate the danger area. Contain - prevent run off into drains and waterways.

Decontamination Wash area down with excess water.

Environmental Precautionary

Measures

Do not allow product to reach drains, sewers or waterways. If product does enter a waterway, advise the

Environmental Protection Authority or your local Waste Authority.

Evacuation Criteria Evacuate all unnecessary personnel.

Personal Precautionary

Measures

Personnel involved in the clean up should wear full protective clothing as listed in section 8.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Ensure an eye bath and safety shower are available and ready for use. Observe good personal hygiene practices and

recommended procedures. Wash thoroughly after handling. Take precautionary measures against static discharges by bonding and grounding equipment. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale product fumes,

vapours, mists or aerosols.

Storage Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area. Keep containers tightly closed when not in use. Inspect regularly for

deficiencies such as damage or leaks. Protect against physical damage. Store away from incompatible materials as listed in section 10. Keep out of direct sunlight. Store away from sources of heat or ignition. This product is not classified dangerous for transport according to The Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods By Road

and Rail.

Container Store in original packaging as approved by manufacturer.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

General No exposure standard has been established for this product by the Australian Safety and Compensation Council

(ASCC).

Exposure Limits No Data Available

Biological LimitsNo information available on biological limit values for this product.

Engineering Measures Use in well ventilated areas. If inhalation risk exists: Use with local exhaust ventilation or while wearing suitable mist

respirator. Keep containers closed when not in use. A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep employee exposures as low as possible. Local exhaust ventilation is generally preferred because it can control

the emissions of the contaminant at its source, preventing dispersion of it into the general work area.

Personal Protection Equipment RESPIRATOR: If risk of inhalation exists, wear suitable mist respirator (AS1715/1716).

EYES: Chemical goggles (AS1336/1337). HANDS: Wear impervious gloves (AS2161).

CLOTHING: Wear overalls and safety footwear (AS3765/2210).

Work Hygienic Practices Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other

protective equipment before storage or re-use.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical StateLiquidAppearanceLiquid

OdourCharacteristicColourClear, Slightly Turbid

pH 1.8 1% w/v
Vapour Pressure No Data Available
Relative Vapour Density No Data Available
Boiling Point No Data Available
Melting Point No Data Available
Freezing Point No Data Available
Solubility Miscible with water

Specific Gravity 1.25

Flash Point

Auto Ignition Temp

No Data Available

Evaporation Rate

Bulk Density

Corrosion Rate

Decomposition Temperature

No Data Available

No Data Available

No Data Available

No Data Available

Specific Heat No Data Available **Molecular Weight** No Data Available **Net Propellant Weight** No Data Available **Octanol Water Coefficient** No Data Available Particle Size No Data Available **Partition Coefficient** No Data Available Saturated Vapour Concentration No Data Available Vapour Temperature No Data Available No Data Available Viscosity Volatile Percent No Data Available **VOC Volume** No Data Available **Additional Characteristics** No Data Available **Potential for Dust Explosion** Product is a liquid. **Fast or Intensely Burning** No Data Available Characteristics Flame Propagation or Burning No Data Available **Rate of Solid Materials** No Data Available

Non-Flammables That Could Contribute Unusual Hazards to a

Fire

Properties That May Initiate or

Contribute to Fire Intensity

Reactions That Release Gases

or Vapours

Release of Invisible Flammable

Vapours and Gases

No Data Available

No Data Available

No Data Available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

General Information Reactivity: Will slowly corrode mild steel.

Chemical Stability Product is stable under normal conditions of use, storage and temperature.

Conditions to Avoid Avoid exposure to heat, sources of ignition, open flames. **Materials to Avoid** Incompatible with alkalis, strong oxidising agents, mild steel.

Hazardous Decomposition

Products

On burning will emit toxic fumes, including those of oxides of carbon.

Hazardous Polymerisation Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

General Information No LD50 data available for the product.

For the constituent Citric Acid: Oral LD50 Rat: 3000 mg/kg

Skin corrosion / irritation: Mild irritant (rabbit) Serious eye damage / irritation: Severe irritant (rabbit) Respiratory or skin sensitisation: Not classified

Chronic effects: No information available for the product.

Eyelmitant Risk of serious eye damage. A severe eye irritant. Contamination of eyes may result in permanent injury.

Ingestion Swallowing may result in irritation of the gastrointestinal tract. Frequent or large oral doses can cause tooth erosion.

Inhalation Breathing mists or aerosols may produce respiratory irritation.

SkinIrritant Contact with skin may result in mild irritation.

Carcinogen Category No Data Available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity Aquatic toxicity: Not expected to be harmful to aquatic life.

Persistence/Degradability The material is biodegradable.

Mobility No Data Available

Environmental Fate Avoid contaminating waterways, drains and sewers.

Bioaccumulation Potential Not expected to bioconcentrate or bioaccumulate.

Environmental Impact No Data Available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

General Information If utilisation or recycling of the product is not possible, it should be disposed of in accordance with all local, state and

federal regulations. All empty packaging should be disposed of in accordance with Local, State, and Federal

Regulations or recycled/reconditioned at an approved facility.

Special Precautions for Land Fill Contact a specialist disposal company or the local waste regulator for advice.

Citric Acid Solution

No Data Available

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Land Transport (Australia)

Proper Shipping Name

ADG Code

Class
No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s)
No Data Available
No Data Available
UN Number
No Data Available
Hazchem
No Data Available
Pack Group
No Data Available

Land Transport (Malaysia)

Special Provision

ADR Code

Proper Shipping Name
Class
No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s)
No Data Available
No Data Available
No Data Available
No Data Available
Hazchem
No Data Available
Pack Group
No Data Available

Land Transport (New Zealand)

NZS5433

Proper Shipping Name Citric Acid Solution Class No Data Available Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available No Data Available **UN Number** No Data Available Hazchem No Data Available

No Data Available

No Data Available

Land Transport (United States of America)

US DOT

Pack Group

Special Provision

Proper Shipping Name Citric Acid Solution Class No Data Available Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available No Data Available **UN Number** No Data Available Hazchem No Data Available No Data Available **Pack Group Special Provision** No Data Available

Sea Transport

IMDG Code

Proper Shipping Name Citric Acid Solution Class No Data Available Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available **UN Number** No Data Available Hazchem No Data Available **Pack Group** No Data Available **Special Provision** No Data Available No Data Available

Marine Pollutant No

Air Transport

IATA

Proper Shipping Name Citric Acid Solution Class No Data Available Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available **UN Number** No Data Available Hazchem No Data Available **Pack Group** No Data Available **Special Provision** No Data Available

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

General InformationNo Data AvailablePoisons Schedule (Aust)Not scheduled

Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand)

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015

Approval Code HSR006517

National/Regional Inventories

Australia (AICS) Listed

Canada (DSL) Not Determined

Canada (NDSL) Not Determined

China (IECSC) Not Determined

Europe (EINECS) Not Determined

Europe (REACh) Not Determined

Japan (ENCS/METI) Not Determined

Korea (KECI) Not Determined

Malaysia (EHS Register) Not Determined

New Zealand (NZIoC) Listed

Philippines (PICCS) Not Determined

Switzerland (Giftliste 1) Not Determined

Switzerland (Inventory of Notified

Substances)

Not Determined

Taiwan (NCSR) Not Determined

USA (TSCA) Not Determined

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Related Product Codes CIACIL4901, CIACIL0600, CIACIL0700, CIACIL1000, CIACIL1100, CIACIL1200, CIACIL1300, CIACIL1400,

CIACIL1500, CIACIL2999, CIACIL2500, CIACIL2700, CIACIL3600, CIACIL4500, CIACIL4600, CIACIL4601, CIACIL4700, CIACIL4701, CIACIL4800, CIACIL4900, CIACIL5000, CIACIL5100, CIACIL5600, CIACIL5700, CIACIL5800, CIACIL5900, CIACIL5600, CIACIL6800, CIACIL6800, CIACIL6800, CIACIL6800, CIACIL6800, CIACIL6800, CIACIL6800, CIACIL6800, CIACIL7000, CIACIL7001, CIACIL7100, CIACIL7500, CIACIL7600, CIACIL7700, CIACIL7800, CIACIL9800, CIACIL9900, CIACIL1401, CIACIL1823, CIACIL1824, CIACIL1832, CIACIL1833, CIACIL1834, CIACIL1835, CIACIL1836, CIACIL1837, CIACIL1838, CIACIL1839, CIACIL1865, CIACIL1866, CIACIL1868, CIACIL1402, CIACIL1450, CIACIL1403, CIACIL6802, CIACIL8000, CIACIL1405, CIACIL1869, CIACIL2001, CIACIL2002, CIACIL2003, CIACIL2004, CIACIL2005, CIACIL2006, CIACIL2007, CIACIL3001, CIACIL3002, CIACIL3003, CIACIL3004, CIACIL3005, CIACIL3006, CIACIL3007, CIACIL2000, CIACIL3000, CIACIL1870,

CIACIL1871, CIACIL6200, CIACIL6805, CIACIL2010, CIACIL2014

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Reason for Issue

SDS updated

Key/Legend

< Less Than
> Greater Than

AICS Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

atm Atmosphere

CAS Chemical Abstracts Service (Registry Number)

cm² Square CentimetresCO2 Carbon Dioxide

COD Chemical Oxygen Demand **deg C (°C)** Degrees Celcius

EPA (New Zealand) Environmental Protection Authority of New Zealand

deg F (°F) Degrees Farenheit

g Grams

g/cm³ Grams per Cubic Centimetre

g/I Grams per Litre

HSNO Hazardous Substance and New Organism **IDLH** Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health **immiscible** Liquids are insoluable in each other.

inHg Inch of Mercury inH2O Inch of Water

K Kelvin

kg Kilogram

kg/m³ Kilograms per Cubic Metre

lb Pound

LC50 LC stands for lethal concentration. LC50 is the concentration of a material in air which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals. The material is inhaled over a set period of time, usually 1 or 4 hours.

LD50 LD stands for Lethal Dose. LD50 is the amount of a material, given all at once, which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals.

Itr or L Litre

m³ Cubic Metre

mbar Millibar

mg Milligram

mg/24H Milligrams per 24 Hours

mg/kg Milligrams per Kilogram

mg/m³ Milligrams per Cubic Metre

Misc or **Miscible** Liquids form one homogeneous liquid phase regardless of the amount of either component present.

mm Millimetre

mmH2O Millimetres of Water

mPa.s Millipascals per Second

N/A Not Applicable

NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NOHSC National Occupational Heath and Safety Commission

OECD Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

Oz Ounce

PEL Permissible Exposure Limit

Pa Pascal

ppb Parts per Billion

ppm Parts per Million

ppm/2h Parts per Million per 2 Hours

ppm/6h Parts per Million per 6 Hours

psi Pounds per Square Inch

R Rankine

RCP Reciprocal Calculation Procedure

STEL Short Term Exposure Limit

TLV Threshold Limit Value

tne Tonne

TWA Time Weighted Average

ug/24H Micrograms per 24 Hours

UN United Nations

wt Weight