

CITRIC ACID, ANHYDROUS SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Identification

Product form : Substance

Substance name : Citric Acid, Anhydrous

CAS No : 77-92-9 Product code : LC13140

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the substance/mixture : For laboratory and manufacturing use only.

Recommended use : Laboratory chemicals

Restrictions on use : Not for food, drug or household use

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Prairie Mud Service 738 6th Street, Estevan, SK S4A 1A4 (306) 634-3411 https://prairiemud.ca

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number 1-888-CANUTEC (226-8832), 613-996-6666 or *666 on a cellular phone

SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS-US classification

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A H319

Full text of H statements : see section 16

2.2. Label elements

GHS-US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US)



GH507

Signal word (GHS-US) : Warning

Hazard statements (GHS-US) : H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

Precautionary statements (GHS-US) : P264 - Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling

P280 - Wear 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

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

2.3. Other hazards

Other hazards not contributing to the

classification

: None.

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Substance type : Mono-constituent

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
Citric Acid, Anhydrous (Main constituent)	(CAS No) 77-92-9	100	Eye Irrit. 2A, H319



Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical

advice (show the label where possible).

First-aid measures after inhalation : Allow victim to breathe fresh air. Allow the victim to rest.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Remove affected clothing and wash all exposed skin area with mild soap and water, followed

by warm water rinse.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to

do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : May cause respiratory irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Slight irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Nausea.

Chronic symptoms : Affection/discolouration of the teeth.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

None.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard : Not flammable.
Explosion hazard : Not applicable.
Reactivity : None.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any

chemical fire. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment.

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers. Minimize generation of dust. Store away

from other materials.

6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.



SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or

smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation

of vapor.

Hygiene measures : Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from : incompatible

materials. Keep container closed when not in use.

Incompatible products : Strong bases. Strong oxidizers.
Incompatible materials : Sources of ignition. Direct sunlight.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Emergency eye wash fountains should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential

exposure.

Personal protective equipment : Gloves. Safety glasses.





Hand protection : Wear protective gloves.

Eye protection : Chemical goggles or safety glasses.

Respiratory protection : Respiratory protection not required in normal conditions.

Other information : Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Solid

Appearance : White powder or lumps.

Color : white
Odor : Odorless

Odor threshold : No data available pH : 1.7 10% solution

Melting point : 153 °C

Freezing point : No data available

Boiling point : 175 °C

Flash point : No data available Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : No data available Flammability (solid, gas) : Non flammable. Vapor pressure : No data available Relative vapor density at 20 °C : No data available Relative density : No data available Specific gravity / density : 1.665 g/cm³ Molecular mass : 192.12 g/mol

Solubility : Soluble in water. Soluble in ethanol. Soluble in ether.

Water: 59.2 %

Log Pow : No data available
Auto-ignition temperature : No data available



: 175 ℃ Decomposition temperature

Viscosity, kinematic : No data available Viscosity, dynamic : No data available **Explosion limits** : No data available Explosive properties : No data available.

Oxidizing properties : None.

Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

None.

10.2. **Chemical stability**

Not established.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not established.

Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Strong bases.

Hazardous decomposition products

fume. Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Likely routes of exposure : Inhalation; Skin and eye contact; Ingestion

Acute toxicity	Not classified	
Citric Acid, Anhydrous (77-92-9)		
LD50 oral rat	5400 mg/kg	
ATE US (oral)	5400.000 mg/kg body weight	
Skin corrosion/irritation	Not classified	
	pH: 1.7 10% solution	
Serious eye damage/irritation	Causes serious eye irritation.	
	pH: 1.7 10% solution	
Respiratory or skin sensitization	Not classified	
Germ cell mutagenicity	Not classified	
	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met	
Carcinogenicity	Not classified	
Reproductive toxicity	Not classified	
	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met	
Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure	Not classified	

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated

: Not classified

exposure

Aspiration hazard

Potential Adverse human health effects and

: Not classified

symptoms

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

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation

: May cause respiratory irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact

: Slight irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact

: Causes serious eye irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion

: Nausea.



Chronic symptoms : Affection/discolouration of the teeth.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Citric Acid, Anhydrous (77-92-9)	
LC50 fish 1	440 mg/l
EC50 Daphnia 1	1534 mg/l

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Citric Acid, Anhydrous (77-92-9)	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Citric Acid, Anhydrous (77-92-9)		
	Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.

12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

12.5. Other adverse effects

Other information : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.

Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Not regulated

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

Citric Acid, Anhydrous (77-92-9)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

All components of this product are listed, or excluded from listing, on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory

This product or mixture does not contain a toxic chemical or chemicals in excess of the applicable de minimis concentration as specified in 40 CFR §372.38(a) subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372.

15.2. International regulations

CANADA

Citric Acid, Anhydrous (77-92-9)	
WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects

EU-Regulations

No additional information available

National regulations

No additional information available

15.3. US State regulations

California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain any substances known to the state of California to cause cancer, developmental and/or reproductive harm



SECTION 16: Other information

Revision date : 04/28/2021 Other information : None.

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16:

	H319	Causes serious eye irritation
NFPA I	health hazard	: 1 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can cause significant irritation.
NFPA 1	fire hazard	: 0 - Materials that will not burn under typical dire conditions, including intrinsically noncombustible materials such as concrete, stone, and sand.
NFPA i	reactivity	: 0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even under fire conditions.

HMIS III Rating

Health : 1 Slight Hazard - Irritation or minor reversible injury possible

Flammability : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that will not burn

Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that are normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will NOT

react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-Explosives.

Personal protection : E

B - Safety glasses, Gloves

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