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# Section 1 - Product and Company Identification

Product name: Citric Acid, Anhydrous

Other names: --

Product use: Use as sour agent and preservatives in the foods and drinks. In the field of the chemical industry, cosmetics and laundry, it is used as antioxidant, Plasticizers, detergent.

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#### Section 2 - Hazards Identification

### Classification:

- 1. Acute Toxicity Category 5
- 2. Corrosion/Irritation Category 2
- 3. Serious Eye Damage/Irritation Category 2A

The Most Important Hazards and effect

## Label element:

■ Hazard symbol: Exclamation Mark



■ Signal word: Warning

## Hazard statement:

- 1. Harmful with ingestion (oral)
- 2. Harmful with skin contact (skin)
- 3. Cause skin tissue irritation
- 4. Cause severe eye irritation

## Precautionary statement:

- 1. Wear mouth protective equipments
- 2. Avoid contact with eyes and skin.
- 3. If contacted, wash with large amount of water then seek the medical attention immediately.
- 4. If swallowed, seek medical attention immediately

Others Hazard: --

## Section 3 - Composition/Information On Ingredients

# Pure Substance:

Chemical name: Citric Acid, Anhydrous

Synonyms: Citric acid \ 2-Hydroxy-1,2,3-propanetricarboxylic acid \ Aciletten \ Anhydrous citric acid \ beta-Hydroxytricarballylic acid \ Citretten \ Citro

CAS No.: 77-92-9

Ingredient contributing to the hazard(%): 99~100%



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#### Section 4 - First Aid Measures

### The First-aid Information:

- Inhalation: Move to the air fresh place, and beware of patient's breathing. If the discomfort occurs, seek the medical attention.
- Skin Contact:
  - 1. Wash with large amount of water for at least 20 minutes.
  - 2. If the irritation occurs, seek the medical attention.
- Eye Contact:
  - 1. Wash the eyes with large amount of water for at least 20 minutes.
  - 2. If the discomfort occurs, seek the medical attention.
- Ingestion:
  - 1. If swallowed with large amount of this substance, seek the medical attention immediately. If patient is conscious, give large amount of water to drink.
  - 2. Seek the medical attention immediately.

The Most Important Symptoms and Hazardous Effects: --

Protection of First-aiders: No specific regulation.

Notes to a Physician: --

## Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

Extinguishing Media: Water, powder, chemical foam, CO<sub>2</sub>

Specific Hazards when Fire-fight: --

Specific Fire-fighting Procedure: None

Specific Protection of Firefighters: Wear full piece protective goggles with positive pressure mode, dust proof chemical safety goggles, protective gloves.

#### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Avoid contact. Avoid generating into dust.

Environmental Precautions: Avoid generating the dust, keeps well ventilation.

Methods for Cleaning up: Sweep into the proper container for recycling or managing.

# Section 7 - Handling and Storage

## Handling:

- 1. Maintain proper ventilation in the area.
- 2. Avoid generating and accumulating the dust.

# Storage:

- 1. Keep in the container closed and tightly.
- 2. Store in the cool, dry and well ventilation place.
- 3. Away from the incompatibles.

## Section 8 - Exposure Controls & Personal Protection

Engineering measures: Use the proper ventilation equipments and maintain the low concentration in the airborne.



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Control parameters				
TWA	STEL	Ceiling	Biological standards	

# Personal protective equipment:

- Respiratory Protection :
  - 1. Wear mask with filter function.
  - 2. In case of emergency, use the positive pressure mode air breathing apparatus.
- Hand Protection: Wear protective gloves.
- Eye Protection: Wear safety goggles.
- Skin and Body Protection: Wear protective clothing include boots, gloves, lab coat, apron or overalls to prevent skin contact.

## Hygiene measures:

- 1. Remove contaminated clothes, clean thoroughly before reuse or disposal. Must advise the danger to the laundry worker.
- 2. Wash hands thoroughly after handing this substance.
- 3. Maintain a clean work environment.

## Section 9 - Physical & Chemical Properties

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Appearance: white or colorless crystal, white crystal like powder	Odor: odorless
Color: Transparent	Melting Point: 153 °C
pH value ∶ 1.85(25°C)	Boiling point/boiling range: 175°C
Flammability:	Flash point:
Decomposition temp:	Test method:
Auto ignition temp: 1010°C (powder)	Explosion properties:
Vapor pressure:	Vapor density:
Density: 1.665 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	Solubility: 133 g/100 ml (20°C)
log Kow : -1.72	Evaporation Rate:

### Section 10 - Stability & Reactivity Data

Stability: stable		
Possible hazardous reactions under specific conditions: No reaction		
Conditions to avoid: Heat, fire, source of ignition, dust and incompatible		
Materials to avoid: Metal, oxidizer, base, reductant		
Hazardous decomposition products: May generate CO and CO <sub>2</sub> with thermal decomposition.		

## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

Route of exposure: Inhalation, skin contact, ingestion, eyes.				
Symptoms: Inflammations, itchy, cough, nausea, vomit, diarrhea.				
Immediate Toxicity:				



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- 1. Skin: Mild skin irritation with the symptoms of inflammations, itchy, pain.
- 2. Inhalation: Cause irritation of the respiratory tract with the symptoms of coughing, asthma.
- 3. Eye: irritation may cause eye damage.
- 4. Ingestion:
  - 4.1 Cause nausea, vomit diarrhea, Hematemesis.
  - 4.2 Swallow in large amount may cause
  - LD<sub>50</sub>: 3000gm/kg (Rat, Oral)
  - LC<sub>50</sub>: --

Specific effects: --

## Section 12 - Ecological Information

## Ecotoxicology:

- $L_{C50}(fish)$ : 440-760 mg/l/96 h(IUCLID)
- $E_{C50}$ (Aquatic Invertebrates) : ~120 mg/l/72 h(IUCLID)
- Bioconcentration factor (BCF): --

# Persistence and degradability: --

- Half-Life (Air): --
- Half-Life (Water surface): --
- Half-Life (Groundwater): --
- Half-Life (Soil): --

## Bioaccumulative potential: --

Mobility in soil: --

Other adverse effects: --

### Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Methods of disposal: Follow the local government laws and regulation

### Section 14 - MSDS Transport Information

UN classification number : --

Proper D.O.T Shipping Name: --

Hazard Class: --

Packing Group: --

Marine pollution: --

Specific precautionary transport measures and conditions: --

## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

## Regulations:

- 1. Enforcement Rules of the Labor Safety and Health Act
- 2. Regulation of Labelling and Hazard Communication of Dangerous and Harmful Materials
- 3. Toxic Chemical Substances Hazard Prevention and Response Plan Regulations



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- 4. Standards of Permissible Exposure Limits of Airborne Hazardous Substances in Workplace
- 5. Road Traffic Safety Regulations
- 6. Industrial Waste Storage and Disposal Regulations and Facility Standards

## Section 16 - Other Information

Literature	1. MSDS database from Merck Index				
references	2. Chemical Hazards Chinese Database, Ministry of Labor				
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	"/" Not applicable to this substance.				

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