

# Safety Data Sheet Citric Acid 20%

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# Section I - Product and Company Identification

Product Name: CITRIC ACID 20%; CA20-4

Synonyms: Citric Acid, Anhydrous

Chemicals present: See components below

Recommended use: Professional use

**Company Identification:** 

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### Section II - Hazards Identification

## Hazard classification:

Eye Irritation (Category 2A)

Signal word:

Warning

Symbol:



#### **Hazard statement:**

H319 – Causes serious eye irritation.

### **Precautionary statement(s):**

P280 – Wear eye protection

P302 + 352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water

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.

Other hazards which do not result in classification: No additional information available.

Label elements: Safety data sheet available on request

# Section III - Composition/Information on Ingredients

| Ingredient Name | Chemical Formula | CAS No.   | % by weight |
|-----------------|------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Citric Acid     | $C_6H_8O_7$      | 77-92-9   | 20%         |
| Water           | H <sub>2</sub> O | 7732-18-5 | 80%         |



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## Section IV - First Aid Measures

## First-aid measures:

**Skin Contact:** In case of contact, flush skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical aid if irritation develops and persists. Wash clothing before reuse.

**Eye Contact:** In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical aid.

**Inhalation:** If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid.

**Ingestion:** If swallowed, do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical aid.

## Symptoms and effects:

**Inhalation:** May cause respiratory tract irritation.

**Skin contact:** May cause slight skin irritation. **Eye contact:** Causes serious eye irritation.

**Ingestion:** Causes gastrointestinal irritation with nausea.

## Immediate medical attention and special treatment:

Symptoms may not appear immediately. In case of accident or feeling of illness, seek medical advice immediately (show the label or SDS where possible).

# Section V – Fire Fighting Measures

### Suitable extinguishing media:

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

## Unsuitable extinguishing media:

Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

#### Specific hazards arising from the hazardous product:

Not known.

### **Hazardous combustion products:**

Not known.

### Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing for firefighting if necessary.



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## Section VI - Accidental Release Measures

# Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:

**General measures:** Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate

ventilation.

**Environmental Precautions:** Keep product out of drains, sewers, ditches, and waterways.

## Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

**Containment:** Provide ventilation for containers. Avoid storage near extreme heat, ignition sources or

open flames.

**Spills:** Vacuum or sweep up material and place into a suitable disposal container. Clean up

spills immediately. Avoid creating airborne particles. Provide ventilation.

# Section VII - Handling and Storage

**Precautions for safe handling:** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Always wash hands after handling the product.

Conditions for safe storage (including incompatible materials): Store in tightly closed original container in

a dry, cool and well ventilated place. Keep in original container.

# Section VIII – Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

## **Control parameters:**

| Potassium Chloride |             |            |  |  |
|--------------------|-------------|------------|--|--|
| ACGIH (TLV)        | NIOSH (REL) | OSHA (PEL) |  |  |
| N/A                | N/A         | N/A        |  |  |

## **Engineering Controls:**

Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

## <u>Individual protection measures (Personal Protection Equipment):</u>

**Eyewear:** Protective goggles **Gloves:** Protective gloves

**Clothing:** Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respiratory protection:** Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are

experienced.



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# Section IX – Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical state: Solid

**Appearance:** White Powder / Granule / Crystal

Odour: None

Odour threshold: No data available

pH: 1-2

Melting point/Freezing point:
Initial boiling point/boiling range:
No data available
Vapour pressure:
No data available
No data available
No data available
No data available

Relative density: 1.19

Solubility:

Partition coefficient:

Auto-ignition temperature:

Decomposition temperature:

No data available

## Section X - Stability and Reactivity

**Reactivity:** Nonreactive in normal condition. **Chemical stability:** Stable in normal condition.

Possibility of hazardous reactions: None in normal condition.

Conditions to avoid: Avoid high temperatures. Avoid incompatible materials.

**Incompatible materials:** Strong acid and bases.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.

**Hazardous polymerization:** No data available.

## Section XI - Toxicological Information

#### Route of exposure:

Absorbed through skin. Dermal contact. Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

## Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics:

**Skin:** Not expected to cause skin irritation.



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**Eyes:** Causes serious irritation to the eyes.

**Inhalation:** Causes irritation to the respiratory tract. **Ingestion:** May cause gastrointestinal discomfort.

# Effects of chronic exposure:

None expected under normal conditions of use.

## **Acute toxicity:**

## **ACUTE ANIMAL TOXICITY DATA:**

Chemical Substance Oral LD50 (mg/kg)

Potassium Chloride N/A

Carcinogenicity: Not available

Reproductive toxicity: Not available

**Teratogenicity:** Not available **Mutagenicity:** Not available

Toxicologically synergistic products: Not available

# **Section XII – Ecological Information**

**Ecotoxicity:** No additional information available.

**Persistence and degradability:** No additional information available. **Bioaccumulative potential:** No additional information available.

**Mobility in soil:** No additional information available.

Other adverse effects: No additional information available.

## Section XIII - Disposal Considerations

**Waste disposal:** This material must be disposed of in accordance with all local, state, provincial, and federal regulations. The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible.



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# Section XIV - Transport Information

UN number: No data available Packing group: No data available

**UN proper shipping name:** No data available **Environmental hazards:** No data available

Transport hazard class(es): No data available Special shipping information: No data available

# **Section XV – Regulatory Information**

## **Section XVI – Other Information**

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This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR and the SDS contains all of the information required by the CPR