

# Safety Data Sheet Version 3.10 Revised: 2016-05-02

# **1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

| <u>Product Identifier</u><br>Product Name   | Citric Acid                       |
|---|-----------------------------------|
| <u>Other means of identification</u><br>Product Code(s)<br>Synonyms   | A2327<br>No information available |
| Product Use   | For Laboratory Research Use Only. |
| Supplier/Manufacturer<br>Biomatik Corporation<br>9-140 McGovern Dr.<br>Cambridge, Ontario N3H 4R7<br>Canada |                                   |
| Telephone Number  | 1-519-489-7195                    |
| E-mail Address  | info@biomatik.com                 |
| Emergency Telephone Number  | Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300           |
|   | 2. HAZARDSIDENTIFICATION          |
| Classification  |                                   |

#### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

| Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation | Category 2 |  |
|-----------------------------------|------------|--|
|                                   |            |  |

## Label elements

| Emergency Overview  |                                   |                               |  |  |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|
| Warning   |                                   |                               |  |  |
| Hazard statements<br>H319 - Causes serious eye irritation |                                   |                               |  |  |
|   |                                   |                               |  |  |
| Appearance White  | Physical State Crystalline Powder | Odor No information available |  |  |

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling Wear eye protection/ face protection

#### Precautionary Statements - Response

IF IN EYES: 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

#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not regulated

#### Other Information

May be harmful if swallowed

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

| Chemical Name | CAS-No  | EC No.    | Weight % | Trade Secret   |
|---------------|---------|-----------|----------|----------------|
| Citric acid   | 77-92-9 | 201-069-1 | 95-100   | Not applicable |

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

- First Aid Measures
- Eye ContactRinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids.<br/>Consult a physician.
- Skin ContactWash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothes and<br/>shoes.
- Inhalation Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.
- Ingestion Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth.

#### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Most Important Symptoms/Effects No information available.

#### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician

Treat symptomatically.

#### **5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### Suitable Extinguishing Media

Dry chemical, CO<sub>2</sub>, water spray or alcohol-resistant foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available.

#### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Dusts or fumes may form explosive mixtures in air.

| Explosion Data                   |       |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact | None. |
| Sensitivity to Static Discharge  | None. |

#### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

| ersonal protection  | Ensure adequate ventilatio   | n especially in confined areas  |   |  |
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| -   | Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.   |   |   |  |
| Environmental Precautions   |  |   |   |  |
| Environmental Precautions   | See Section 12 for addition  | al Ecological information.  |   |  |
| Methods and material for contain  | iment and cleaning up  |   |   |  |
| Methods for Containment   | Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.  |   |   |  |
| Methods for Cleaning Up   | Avoid dust formation. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.   |   |   |  |
|   | 7. HANDLING A  | ND STORAGE  |   |  |
| Precautions for Safe Handling   |  |   |   |  |
| Handling  | Handle in accordance with  | good industrial hygiene and sat   | ety practice.   |  |
| Conditions for safe storage, inclu  | uding any incompatibilities  |   |   |  |
| Storage   | Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.   |   |   |  |
| Incompatible Products   | Bases. Reducing agents. Oxidizing agents. Nitrates.  |   |   |  |
| 8. E  | EXPOSURE CONTROLS/   | PERSONAL PROTECTIO  | N   |  |
| Control parameters  |  |   |   |  |
|   | This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.  |   |   |  |
| Exposure Guidelines   |  |   | h occupational exposure limits  |  |
| Chemical Name   |  |   | h occupational exposure limits NIOSH IDLH   |  |
| Chemical Name<br>Citric acid  | established by the region s ACGIH TLV  | pecific regulatory bodies.  | · · ·   |  |
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#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

| Physical State | Crystalline Powder       |
|----------------|--------------------------|
| Appearance     | White                    |
| Color          | No information available |

Odor Odor Threshold No information available No information available

| <u>Property</u>              | <u>Values</u>            | Remarks • Method |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| рН                           | No information available |                  |
| Melting point/freezing point |                          |                  |
| Boiling Point/Range          | No information available |                  |
| Flash Point (High in °C)     | No information available |                  |
| Evaporation Rate             | No information available |                  |
| Flammability (solid, gas)    | No information available |                  |
| Flammability Limit in Air    |                          |                  |
| Upper flammability limit:    | No information available |                  |
| Lower flammability limit:    | No information available |                  |
| Vapor pressure               | No information available |                  |
| Vapor Density                | No information available |                  |
| Specific Gravity             | No information available |                  |
| Water Solubility             | No information available |                  |
| Solubility in other solvents | No information available |                  |
| Partition coefficient        | No information available |                  |
| Autoignition Temperature     | No information available |                  |
| Decomposition Temperature    | No information available |                  |
| Kinematic viscosity          | No information available |                  |
| Dynamic viscosity            | No information available |                  |
| Explosive Properties         | No information available |                  |
| Oxidizing Properties         | No information available |                  |
|                              |                          |                  |
| Other Information            |                          |                  |
| Softening Point              | No information available |                  |
| Molecular Weight             | No information available |                  |
| VOC Content                  | No information available |                  |
|                              |                          |                  |

No information available

No information available

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

#### Reactivity No data available

Density

Bulk Density

<u>Chemical Stability</u> Stable under recommended storage conditions. <u>Possibility of Hazardous Reactions</u> None under normal processing. <u>Conditions to Avoid</u> Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight. <u>Incompatible Materials</u> Bases. Reducing agents. Oxidizing agents. Nitrates. <u>Hazardous Decomposition Products</u> Carbon oxides.

# **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### **Product Information**

| Inhalation   | There is no data available for this product. |
|--------------|--|
| Eye Contact  | Severely irritating to eyes.                 |
| Skin Contact | There is no data available for this product. |
| Ingestion    | There is no data available for this product. |

| Chemical Name | LD50 Oral                        | LD50 Dermal | LC50 Inhalation |
|---------------|----------------------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| Citric acid   | = 3 g/kg (Rat) = 3000 mg/kg (Rat | -           | -               |

#### Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms

No information available.

#### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

| Sensitization<br>Mutagenic Effects<br>Carcinogenicity | No information available.<br>No information available.<br>No information available. |               |   |      |
|---|---|---------------|---|------|
| Chemical Name   | ACGIH IARC NTP OSHA   |               |   | OSHA |
| Citric acid   | -   | -             | - | -    |
| Reproductive Toxicity                                 | No information  | on available. |   | ·    |
| STOT - single exposure                                | No information available.   |               |   |      |
| STOT - repeated exposure<br>Aspiration hazard         | No information<br>No information  |               |   |      |

#### Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity**

0% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

| Chemical Name | Algae/aquatic plants | Toxicity to Fish               | Crustacea                    |
|---------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Citric acid   | -                    | 1516: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus | 120: 72 h Daphnia magna mg/L |
|               |                      | mg/L LC50 static               | EC50                         |

#### Persistence and Degradability

No information available.

#### **Bioaccumulation/Accumulation**

No information available.

| Chemical Name | Partition coefficient |
|---------------|-----------------------|
| Citric acid   | -1.72                 |

**Other Adverse Effects** 

No information available

#### **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### Waste treatment methods

**Waste Disposal Method** Dispose of material in accordance with all federal, state, and local regulations.

Contaminated Packaging

Do not re-use empty containers.

| Chemical Name | RCRA | RCRA - Basis for Listing | <b>RCRA - D Series Wastes</b> | <b>RCRA - U Series Wastes</b> |
|---------------|------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Citric acid   | -    | -                        | -                             | -                             |
|               |      |                          |                               |                               |

| Chemical Name | RCRA - Halogenated<br>Organic Compounds | RCRA - P Series Wastes | RCRA - F Series Wastes | RCRA - K Series Wastes |
|---------------|---|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Citric acid   | -                                       | -                      | -                      | -                      |

| Chemical Name | California Hazardous Waste Status |
|---------------|-----------------------------------|
| Citric acid   | -                                 |

Citric acid

# **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

| DOT |  |
|-----|--|
| DOT |  |

Not regulated

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Not regulated

# **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

| International Inventories |          |
|---------------------------|----------|
| TSCA                      | Complies |
| DSL/NDSL                  | Complies |
| EINECS/ELINCS             | Complies |
| ENCS                      | Complies |
| IECSC                     | Complies |
| KECL                      | Complies |
| PICCS                     | Complies |
| AICS                      | Complies |
|                           |          |

**Legend** 

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

### U.S. Federal Regulations

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

| Component   | SARA 313 - Threshold Values % |
|-------------|-------------------------------|
| Citric acid | -                             |
|             |                               |

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

| Acute Health Hazard               | No |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Chronic Health Hazard             | No |
| Fire Hazard                       | No |
| Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard | No |
| Reactive Hazard                   | No |

#### **Clean Water Act**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

| Chemical Name | CWA - Reportable<br>Quantities | CWA - Toxic Pollutants | CWA - Priority Pollutants | CWA - Hazardous<br>Substances |
|---------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Citric acid   | -                              | -                      | -                         | -                             |
|               |                                |                        |                           |                               |

**<u>CERCLA</u>** This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and

Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

| Chemical Name | Hazardous Substances RQs | Extremely Hazardous Substances<br>RQs | RQ |
|---------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|----|
| Citric acid   | -                        | -                                     | -  |

#### U.S. State Regulations

#### California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

| Chemical Name | California Prop. 65 |
|---------------|---------------------|
| Citric acid   | -                   |

### U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

| Chemical Name | New Jersey | Massachusetts | Pennsylvania |
|---------------|------------|---------------|--------------|
| Citric acid   | -          | -             | -            |
|               |            |               |              |

#### U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not regulated

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Disclaimer

The information provided on this MSDS is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guide for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and is not to be considered as a warranty or quality specification. The information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other material or in any process, unless specified in the text.

#### End of Safety Data Sheet