



Citric Acid

According to REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, as amended by UK REACH Regulations SI 2019/758 and SI 2020/1577

SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1 Product identifier

Product Name	Citric Acid
CAS No.	Not applicable.
EC No.	Not applicable.
Registration number(s)	Not known.

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

Identified Use(s)	Not known.
Uses Advised Against	Not known.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer

Company Identification	Trade Chemicals Ltd
Address of Manufacturer	Thomas Street Blackpool
Postal code	FY1 3HG
Telephone:	03338002345
Fax	Not known.
E-mail	sales@trade-chem.co.uk
Office hours	

Supplier

Company Identification	Trade Chemicals Ltd
Address of Supplier	Thomas Street Blackpool
Postal code	FY1 3HG
Telephone:	03338002345
Fax	Not known.
E-mail	stuart@trade-chem.co.uk
Office hours	08:00 - 17:00

1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone No.	03338002345
Contact	Support Team

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GB CLP Regulation, UK SI 2019/720 and Eye Irrit. 2 :Causes serious eye irritation.
UK SI 2020/1567

2.2 Label elements



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Product Name

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Hazard Pictogram(s)



GHS07

Signal Word(s)

Warning

Hazard Statement(s)

H319: Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary Statement(s)

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face 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

None known.

2.4 Additional Information

For full text of H/P Statements see section 16.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances

HAZARDOUS INGREDIENT(S)	CAS No.	EC No. / Registration number(s)	%W/W	Hazard Statement(s)	Hazard Pictogram(s)
citric acid	77-92-9	201-069-1	100.00	Eye Irrit. 2 H319	GHS07

3.2 Mixtures

Not applicable.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of first aid measures

Inhalation Treat symptomatically.
 Skin Contact Treat symptomatically.



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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.

Ingestion Treat symptomatically.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

May cause irritation.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable Extinguishing media As appropriate for surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing media None.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

May decompose in a fire, giving off toxic and irritant vapours.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

As appropriate for surrounding fire.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid dust generation. Do not breathe dust. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

6.2 Environmental precautions

This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Sweep spilled substances into containers if appropriate moisten first to prevent dusting.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See Also Section 8, 13.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Wash hands and exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage temperature Ambient.

Storage life Stable under normal conditions.



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Incompatible materials None known.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Not known.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

8.1.1 Occupational Exposure Limits No Occupational Exposure Limit assigned.

8.2 Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls Ensure adequate ventilation. A washing facility/water for eye and skin cleaning purposes should be present.

8.2.2. Personal protection equipment



Eye Protection Wear eye protection with side protection (EN166).



Skin protection Wear protective clothing and gloves: Impervious gloves (EN 374).



Respiratory protection Normally no personal respiratory protection is necessary.



Thermal hazards None known.

8.2.3. Environmental Exposure Controls Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Solid.
	Colour : Not known.
Odour	Not known.
Odour threshold	Not known.
pH	Not known.
Melting point/freezing point	Not known.
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not known.
Flash Point	Not applicable.
Evaporation rate	Not known.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not known.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Not known.



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Vapour pressure	Not known.
Vapour density	Not known.
Density (g/ml)	Not known.
Relative density	Not known.
Solubility(ies)	Solubility (Water) : Not known. Solubility (Other) : Not known.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not known.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not known.
Decomposition Temperature (°C)	Not known.
Viscosity	Not known.
Explosive properties	Not known.
Oxidising properties	Not known.
9.2 Other information	None.

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity

None anticipated.

10.2 Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No hazardous reactions known if used for its intended purpose.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

None anticipated.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Not known.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

No hazardous decomposition products known.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity - Ingestion	Not classified.
Acute toxicity - Skin Contact	Not classified.
Acute toxicity - Inhalation	Not classified.
Skin corrosion/irritation	Not classified.
Serious eye damage/irritation	Causes serious eye irritation.
Skin sensitization data	Not classified.
Respiratory sensitization data	Not classified.
Germ cell mutagenicity	Not classified.



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Carcinogenicity	Not classified.
Reproductive toxicity	Not classified.
Lactation	Not classified.
STOT - single exposure	Not classified.
STOT - repeated exposure	Not classified.
Aspiration hazard	Not classified.

11.2 Other information

Not known.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity - Aquatic invertebrates	Low toxicity to invertebrates.
Toxicity - Fish	Low toxicity to fish.
Toxicity - Algae	Low toxicity to algae.
Toxicity - Sediment Compartment	Not classified.
Toxicity - Terrestrial Compartment	Not classified.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Not known.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Not known.

12.4 Mobility in soil

Not known.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Not known.

12.6 Other adverse effects

Not known.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Send to a licensed recycler, reclaimer or incinerator. Dispose at suitable refuse site.

13.2 Additional Information

Disposal should be in accordance with local, state or national legislation.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not classified as hazardous for transport.



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14.1 UN number	Not applicable
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not applicable
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not applicable
14.4 Packing group	Not applicable
14.5 Environmental hazards	Not classified as a Marine Pollutant.
14.6 Special precautions for user	Not known
14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code	Not known

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

United Kingdom Regulations - Authorisations and/or Restrictions On Use

UK REACH Candidate List of Substances Not listed
of Very High Concern for Authorisation

UK REACH Authorisation List (Annex XIV) list of substances subject to
authorisation Not listed

UK REACH Restrictions List (Annex XIV) citric acid (77-92-9)

Restrictions on the manufacture, placing
on the market and use of certain
dangerous substances, mixtures and
articles

The Persistent Organic Pollutants
Regulations 2007 (SI 2007/3106) as
amended Not listed

The Ozone-Depleting Substances and
Fluorinated Greenhouse Gases
(Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations
2019 (SI 2019/583) Not listed

The Prior Informed Consent (PIC)
Regulations concerning the export and
import of hazardous chemicals
SI2008/2108 as amended Not listed

European Regulations - Authorisations and/or Restrictions On Use



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Community Rolling Action Plan (CoRAP) Not listed

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

United Kingdom

A REACH chemical safety assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

The following sections contain revisions or new statements:

LEGEND

Hazard Pictogram(s)



GHS07

Hazard classification

Eye Irrit. 2 : Serious eye damage/irritation, Category 2

Hazard Statement(s)

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Precautionary Statement(s)

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Acronyms

ATE : Acute Toxicity Estimate
 CAS : Chemical Abstracts Service
 DNEL : Derived No Effect Level
 EC : European Community
 EINECS : European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
 LTEL : Long term exposure limit
 PBT : Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
 PNEC : Predicted No Effect Concentration
 REACH : Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals
 STEL : Short term exposure limit
 STOT : Specific Target Organ Toxicity
 vPvB : very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

Key literature references and sources for GB CLP Regulation, UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567 data used to compile the SDS



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