

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

# Classified as hazardous in accordance with the criteria of EPA New Zealand

# **Section 1 - Identification**

Product Identifier

Product Name <u>L(+)-Tartaric acid</u>

**CAS No** 87-69-4

**Synonyms** Natural tartaric acid; L(+)-Dihydroxysuccinic acid

Molecular FormulaC4 H6 O6Molecular Weight150.09

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against No Information available

Product Code 388280000; 388280010

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# **Section 2 - Hazard(s) Identification**

Classification under Work Safe New Zealand

Classified as hazardous in accordance with the criteria of EPA New Zealand

HSNO Approval Number HSR002503

**GHS Classification** 

Physical hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Health hazards

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 1

**Environmental hazards** 

Chronic aquatic toxicity Category 3

**Label Elements** 

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Signal Word Danger

#### **Hazard Statements**

H318 - Causes serious eye damage

H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

#### **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention

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

#### Response

P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

#### Storage

P403 + P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

### Disposal

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Other hazards which do not result in classification

May form explosible dust-air mixture if dispersed May form combustible dust concentrations in air

# **Section 3 - Composition and Information on Ingredients**

Component	CAS No	Weight %		
Tartaric acid (d, I)	87-69-4	>95		

# **Section 4 - First Aid Measures**

# **Description of first aid measures**

**General Advice** If symptoms persist, call a physician.

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**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get

medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

**Ingestion** Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

Self-Protection of the First Aider Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to

protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

First Aid Facilities Eyewash, safety shower and washroom.

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Most important symptoms and

Causes eye burns. Causes severe eye damage.

effects

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

# **Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures**

### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Water spray, carbon dioxide (CO2), dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam.

#### Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

# **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Dust can form an explosive mixture with air. Fine dust dispersed in air may ignite. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO2), Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

### **Decomposition Temperature**

> 170°C

### Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters

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

# **Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures**

### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

### **Emergency procedures**

Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation.

### **Environmental Precautions**

Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

# Methods for Containment and Clean Up

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

## Precautions to prevent secondary hazards

Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations

# **Reference to Other Sections**

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

# **Section 7 - Handling and Storage**

# **Precautions for Safe Handling**

# Advice on safe handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

### **Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

### **Storage Conditions**

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Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

### **Incompatible Materials**

Bases. Fluorine. Metals. Reducing Agent.

AS/NZS 2243.10:2004, Safety in laboratories - Storage of chemicals

# **Section 8 - Exposure Controls and Personal Protection**

#### **Control parameters**

#### **Exposure limits**

The product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established.

#### **Biological limit values**

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

### Appropriate engineering controls

# **Engineering Measures**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

<b>Eye Protection</b> Gog	igles (Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 133	/ - Eye protectors for Industrial
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applications)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	AUS/NZ Standard	Glove comments
Natural rubber, Butyl rubber, Nitrile rubber,	See manufacturers recommendations	-	AS/NZS 2161	(minimum requirement)
Neoprene, PVC.				

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Skin and body protection Long sleeved clothing

Repiratory Protection Use an AS/NZS 1716 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or

other symptoms are experienced. To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained in line with AS/NZS 1715 on the use

and maintenance of repiratory protective devices

Recommended Filter type: Particulates filter conforming to EN 143 (or AUS/NZ equivalent)

Recommended half mask:- Valve filtering: EN405 or Half mask: EN140 plus filter, EN 141 Particle filtering: EN149:2001

(or AUS/NZ equivalent)

When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

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# **Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties**

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State Solid

AppearanceWhiteOdorOdorless

Odor Threshold No data available

**pH** 1.6 1% aq. solution

Melting Point/Range 168 - 172 °C / 334.4 - 341.6 °F

Softening Point No data available
Boiling Point/Range No information available

Flammability (liquid) Not applicable Solid

Flammability (solid,gas) No information available

**Explosion Limits** No data available

Flash Point 210 °C / 410 °F Method - No information available

Solid

**Autoignition Temperature** 425 °C / 797 °F

**Decomposition Temperature** > 170°C

Viscosity Not applicable Solid

Water Solubility 1390 g/L (20°C)
Solubility in other solvents No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Component log Pow Tartaric acid (d, I) -1.7

Vapor Pressure <0.1 mbar @ 20 °C

Density / Specific Gravity 1.76 @ 20 °C

Bulk Density No data available

Vapor Density

Not applicable

Particle characteristics No data available

Other information

Molecular FormulaC4 H6 O6Molecular Weight150.09

Evaporation Rate Not applicable - Solid

# **Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity**

Reactivity None known, based on information available

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available

Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Hazardous Reactions None under normal processing.

Conditions to Avoid Avoid dust formation, Incompatible products, Excess heat.

**Incompatible Materials**Bases, Fluorine, Metals, Reducing Agent.

Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2). Thermal decomposition can lead to release

of irritating gases and vapors.

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# **Section 11 - Toxicological Information**

### **Acute Effects**

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information No acute toxicity information is available for this product

**Inhalation** Harmful by inhalation.

Eyes Causes burns. Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage including blindness.

Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Skin Causes burns.

**Ingestion** Ingestion causes burns of the upper digestive and respiratory tracts. Can burn mouth,

throat, and stomach. Harmful if swallowed.

#### Numerical measures of toxicity

(a) acute toxicity;

Oral Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met Dermal Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met Inhalation Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Tartaric acid (d, I)		LD50 > 2000 mg/kg (Rat)	

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; Category 1

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

**Respiratory**Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Skin
Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

(f) carcinogenicity; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

(g) reproductive toxicity; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

(h) STOT-single exposure; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

(i) STOT-repeated exposure; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Target Organs None known.

(j) aspiration hazard; Not applicable

Solid

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

Symptoms / effects,both acute and delayed

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No information available.

# **Section 12 - Ecological Information**

## **Ecotoxicity**

Aquatic ecotoxicity

Component	Freshwater Fish	Water Flea	Freshwater Algae	Microtox
Tartaric acid (d, I)	-	EC50=230 mg/L 48h	-	-

Terrestrial ecotoxicity There is no data for this product

Persistence and Degradability Readily biodegradable

**Persistence** Persistence is unlikely.

Bioaccumulative Potential Bioaccumulation is unlikely

Component	log Pow	Bioconcentration factor (BCF)
Tartaric acid (d. I)	-1.7	No data available

**Mobility** The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems. . Will likely be mobile in

the environment due to its water solubility. Highly mobile in soils

Other adverse effects

Endocrine Disruptor Information Persistent Organic Pollutant Ozone Depletion Potential This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

# **Section 13 - Disposal Considerations**

Waste treatment methods

Waste from Residues/Unused

**Products** 

Do not allow into drains or watercourses or dispose of where ground or surface waters may be affected. Wastes, including emptied containers, are controlled wastes and should be disposed of in accordance with all federal, E.P.A., state and local regulations. Assure

conformity with all applicable regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging** Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

**Other Information** Disposal agencies or waste contractors must comply with the New Zealand Hazardous

Substances (Disposal) Regulations . Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Do not empty into drains. Do not flush to

sewer. Solutions with low pH-value must be neutralized before discharge.

# **Section 14 - Transport Information**

Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

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IMDG/IMO Not regulated

Environmental hazards No hazards identified

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the

Not applicable, packaged goods

**IBC Code** 

Special Precautions No special precautions required. Please refer to the applicable dangerous goods

regulations for additional information.

Additional information None known

# **Section 15 - Regulatory Information**

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

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### **National Regulations**

There are no applicable tolerable exposure limits or environmental exposure limits according to the EPA Controls for Hazardous Substances

#### Certified handlers, tracking and controlled substance license requirements

Certified handlers are required for some substances. This includes substances requiring a controlled substance license, and most explosives, vertebrates toxic agents, and certain fumigants. Acutely toxic substances which are a Category 1 or 2, such as pesticides also require Certified handlers. Please check the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 for further information. Tracking is required for some highly hazardous substances. These substances need to be under the control of an appropriately trained person or appropriately secured. Please check the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 for further information.

# Prohibition or notification/licensing requirements

Shown below are details of specific prohibition/notifications or licencing requirements when they apply.

#### **International Regulations**

Ozone Depletion Potential This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Persistent Organic Pollutant This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Rotterdam Convention (PIC) Not applicable

Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

Not applicable

# **International Inventories**

New Zealand (NZIoC), Australia (AICS), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Korea (KECL), China (IECSC), Taiwan (TCSI), Japan (ISHL), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Philippines (PICCS). US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

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١	Component	CAS No	NZIoC	AICS	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	KECL	IECSC	TCSI

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	ISHL	ENCS
Tartaric acid (d, I)	87-69-4	X	ACTIVE	X	ı	X	X	Х

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Legend: X - Listed '-' - Not Listed

KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

# **Section 16 - Other Information**

# This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of the EPA Hazardous Substances (Hazard Classification) Notice 2020 and WorkSafe New Zealand Regulations

# Legend

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

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

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

**IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer NZS 5433:2020 - Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

 $\mbox{\bf MARPOL}$  - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

**EC50** - Effective Concentration 50% **WEL** - Workplace Exposure Limit

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water **vPvB** - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

**VOC** - (Volatile Organic Compound)

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

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

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

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

PNEC - Predicted No Effect Concentration

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development **IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

**ADG** - Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail

LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50%

ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

**RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment **NOEC** - No Observed Effect Concentration

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

### Key literature references and sources for data

HSNO classifications provided in the New Zealand Chemical Classification Information Database (CCID).

https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

EPA Guide to classifying hazardous substances in New Zealand

EPA - Assigning a product to an existing HSNO approval guide

# **Training Advice**

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

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