Safety Data Sheet

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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier

Product Name Steric Micro Zinc 7%

Other means of identification

SDS # FFN: 00491

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use Foliar or Soil Nutrient.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Address

Verdesian Life Sciences, U.S., LLC. 1001 Winstead Drive, Suite 480 Cary, NC 27513

Emergency Telephone Number

Company Phone Number Business Phone: (800) 868-6446

Fax Phone: (919) 535-3652

Emergency Telephone (24 hr) INFOTRAC 1-352-323-3500 (International)

1-800-535-5053 (North America)

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Appearance Very slight yellow liquid Physical State Liquid Odor None

Classification

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1

Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)

May be harmful if swallowed

Signal Word Danger

Hazard Statements

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage



Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Precautionary Statements - Response

Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

If irritation develops or persists seek medical attention

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store locked up

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Other Hazards

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%
Zinc sulfate	7446-19-7	Proprietary
Citric Acid	77-92-9	Proprietary

^{**}If Chemical Name/CAS No is "proprietary" and/or Weight-% is listed as a range, the specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.**

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

First Aid Measures

General Advice Provide this SDS to medical personnel for treatment.

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

Immediate medical attention is required.

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing. Wash

contaminated clothing before reuse. If irritation develops or persists seek medical attention.

Inhalation IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for

breathing. Seek immediate medical attention/advice.

Ingestion Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth. Call a physician immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects

Symptoms May cause eye, skin and respiratory tract irritation. May cause severe burns to skin, eyes

and other body tissue.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media Not determined.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Toxic fumes may be given off when material is exposed to fire.

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

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal PrecautionsUse personal protective equipment as required.

Environmental Precautions See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for Containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Soak up and contain spill with an inert

(i.e. vermiculite, dry sand or earth) absorbent material.

Methods for Clean-UpSweep up absorbed material and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Discard any

product, residue, disposable container or liner in full compliance with federal, state, and

local regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on Safe Handling Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or

clothing. Wash face, hands, and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when handling this product. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store locked up.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizing agents. Alkaline materials.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Citric Acid	-	15 mg / m3 (Total)	-
77-92-9			

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls Maintain eye wash fountain and quick-drench facilities in work area. Apply technical

measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/Face Protection Use chemical safety goggles / face shield.

Skin and Body Protection Chemical resistant protective gloves.

Respiratory Protection Follow OSHA respirator regulations (29 CFR 1910.134) and, if necessary, wear a

MSHA/NIOSH-approved respirator.

General Hygiene Considerations Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. After handling this product, wash hands before

eating, drinking, or smoking. If contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing. If needed, take first aid action shown on section 4 of this SDS. Launder contaminated clothing before

reuse.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State Liquid

Appearance Very slight yellow liquid Odor None

Color Very slight yellow Odor Threshold Not determined

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

pH 1.60 Melting Point/Freezing Point Not de

Melting Point/Freezing PointNot determinedBoiling Point/Boiling RangeNot determined

Flash Point None

Evaporation Rate
Flammability (Solid, Gas)
Upper Flammability Limits
Lower Flammability Limit
Vapor Pressure
Vapor Density

Not determined
Not determined
Not determined
Not determined
Not determined

Specific Gravity 1.22

Water Solubility Not determined Solubility in other solvents Not determined **Partition Coefficient** Not determined **Auto-ignition Temperature** Not determined **Decomposition Temperature** Not determined **Kinematic Viscosity** Not determined **Dynamic Viscosity** Not determined **Explosive Properties** Not determined **Oxidizing Properties** Not determined

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions.

Chemical Stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

Conditions to Avoid

Incompatible Materials.

Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizing agents. Alkaline materials.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides (NOx).

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product InformationTo the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical and toxicological properties of this

material have not been thoroughly investigated

Eye Contact Causes severe eye damage.

Skin Contact Causes severe skin burns.

Inhalation May cause irritation to the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

Ingestion Ingestion causes burns of the upper digestive and respiratory tracts.

Component Information

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Citric Acid	= 3000 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
77-92-9			

Information on physical, chemical and toxicological effects

Symptoms Please see section 4 of this SDS for symptoms.

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

Carcinogenicity Based on the information provided, this product does not contain any carcinogens or

potential carcinogens as listed by OSHA, IARC or NTP.

Numerical measures of toxicity

Not determined

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Component Information

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Citric Acid 77-92-9		1516: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static		120: 72 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50

Persistence/Degradability

Not determined.

Bioaccumulation

Not determined.

Mobility

Chemical Name	Partition Coefficient
Citric Acid	-1.72
77-92-9	

Other Adverse Effects

Not determined

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Treatment Methods

Disposal of WastesDisposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Zinc sulfate 7446-19-7	Toxic
7440-19-7	

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Note Please see current shipping paper for most up to date shipping information, including

exemptions and special circumstances.

DOT Not regulated

<u>IATA</u> Not regulated

IMDG

UN/ID No UN3082

Proper Shipping Name Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (Zinc sulfate)

Hazard Class 9
Packing Group III

Marine Pollutant Marine Pollutant

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

Chemical Name	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
Zinc sulfate		Χ					Χ		Χ	Χ
Citric Acid	Present	Х		Present		Present	Χ	Present	Х	Χ

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 Chemical Substances/European 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

US Federal Regulations

CERCLA

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).

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Zinc sulfate - 7446-19-7	7446-19-7	Proprietary	1.0

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Zinc sulfate		X		_

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Zinc sulfate	X		X
7446-19-7			

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA	Health Hazards	Flammability	Instability	Special Hazards
	1	1	0	Not determined
HMIS_	Health Hazards	Flammability	Physical Hazards	Personal Protection
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