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Safety Data Sheet Citriterge

1. IDENTIFICATION

Synonyms none
 CAS# see Part 3, below
 Material Use General cleaner

IN AN EMERGENCY CALL: INFOTRAC 1-800-535-5053

2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

GHS Class (Category)	skin irritant (2)	eye corrosive (1)	chronic aquatic (3)
Signal Words	WARNING	DANGER	no Signal Word no Pictogram
Hazard Statements	causes skin irritation (H315)	causes serious eye damage (H318)	harmful to aquatic life with long-lasting effects (H412)



GHS Precautionary Statements for Labeling

P262 Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing.
 P264 Wash thoroughly after handling.
 P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
 P280 Wear protective gloves and clothing of neoprene.
 P273 Avoid release to the environment.

3. COMPOSITION

	CAS NUMBER	%	TLV ppm / mg/m ³	LD ₅₀ (mg/kg) ORAL	LD ₅₀ (mg/kg) SKIN	LC ₅₀ ppm INHALATION
Nonionic Surfactant	on request	3.25%	not listed	>2000	not known	not known
Alcohol Ethoxylate, Phosphoric Acid Ester	68921-24-4	2.25%	not listed	3950	not known	not known
d-Limonene	138-86-3	1.5%	not listed	>4400	>5000	not known
Potassium Hydroxide	1310-58-3	1.5%	2mg/m ³	>205	>1260	not known
Glycol Ether DPM	34590-94-8	1.5%	100/605 (skin)	5130	>13,000	above 500
Tetrasodium Ethylenediaminetetraacetic Acid	64-02-8	0.4%	not listed	>1780	>5000	not known
Water	7732-18-5	balance	not toxic	90,000	not toxic	not toxic

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4. FIRST AID

- SKIN:** Wash with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and do not reuse until laundered. Seek medical help promptly if there is persistent itching or redness in the affected area.
- EYES:** Wash eyes with plenty of water, holding eyelids open. Seek medical assistance promptly if irritation is present.
- INHALATION:** Remove from contaminated area promptly. **CAUTION: Rescuer must not endanger himself!** If victim's breathing stops, administer artificial respiration and seek medical aid promptly.
- INGESTION:** Give plenty of water to dilute product. Do not induce vomiting (NOTE below). Keep victim quiet. If vomiting occurs, lower victim's head below hips to prevent inhalation of vomited material. Seek medical help promptly.

NOTE: Inadvertent inhalation of vomited material may seriously damage the lungs. The danger of this is greater than the risk of poisoning through absorption of this relatively low-toxicity product. The stomach should only be emptied under medical supervision, after the installation of an airway to protect the lungs.

5. FLAMMABILITY & FIRE-FIGHTING

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| Flash Point | cannot burn |
| Autoignition Temperature | cannot burn |
| Flammable Limits | cannot burn |
| Combustion Products | carbon monoxide, nitrogen oxides, phosphorous oxides |
| Firefighting Precautions | as for materials sustaining fire; firefighters must wear SCBA |
| Static Discharge | cannot accumulate a static charge |

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Leak Precaution** dike to control spillage and prevent environmental contamination
- Handling Spill** recover free liquid with suitable pumps; neutralize residue carefully with solid sodium bicarbonate; absorb residue on an inert sorbent, sweep, shovel & store in closed containers for disposal

7. HANDLING & STORAGE

No special storage requirements. Strongly alkaline & corrosive to skin. Avoid all skin contact & wash work clothes frequently. An eye bath & safety shower should be available near the workplace.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROL & PERSONAL PROTECTION

Dipropylene Glycol Methyl Ether:

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| ACGIH TLV | 100ppm / 606mg/m ³ | ACGIH STEL | 150ppm / 909mg/m ³ |
| OSHA PEL | 100ppm / 600mg/m ³ | OSHA STEL | 150ppm / 900mg/m ³ |

Potassium Hydroxide:

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| ACGIH TLV | 2mg/m ³ | ACGIH STEL | not listed |
| OSHA PEL | not listed | OSHA STEL | not listed |

- Ventilation** no special mechanical ventilation required
- Hands** wear gauntlet-style neoprene gloves – *other types also protect; always confirm suitability with supplier*
- Eyes** safety glasses with side shields or chemical goggles – *always protect eyes!*
- Clothing** if splashing is possible, wear a neoprene apron & neoprene boots

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9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Odor & Appearance	slightly hazy, orange liquid with a citrus odor
Odor Threshold	1000ppm (<i>d-Limonene</i>)
Vapor Pressure	as for water
Evaporation Rate (<i>Butyl Acetate = 1</i>)	not known – <i>as for water</i>
Vapor Density (air = 1)	heavier than air
Boiling Point	100°C / 212°F
Freezing Point	below 0°C / 32°F
Specific Gravity	1.005-1.02 (20/20°C)
Water Solubility	complete
Viscosity	not known – <i>mobile liquid</i>
pH	12-13.8 – <i>strongly alkaline</i>

10. REACTIVITY

Dangerously Reactive With	strong acids
Also Reactive With	none known
Chemical Stability	stable; will not polymerize
Decomposes in Presence of	not known
Decomposition Products	none apart from Hazardous Combustion Products
Mechanical Impact	not sensitive

11. TOXICITY INFORMATION

i. ACUTE EXPOSURE

Skin Contact	irritating; corrosive if contact is prolonged
Skin Absorption	yes, slowly; toxic effects unlikely by this route
Eye Contact	severely irritating; probably corrosive if not removed promptly
Inhalation	mist inhalation may irritate the respiratory system – <i>highly unlikely to occur in normal use</i>
Ingestion	highly irritating, possibly corrosive, to mouth, throat & stomach – <i>not a route of industrial exposure</i>

ii. CHRONIC EXPOSURE

General	prolonged or repeated exposure may cause dermatitis <i>through removal of protective skin oils</i>
Sensitizing	not a sensitizer
Carcinogen/Tumorigen	not known to be a tumorigen or a carcinogen in humans or animals (<i>please see NOTE, Part 15</i>)
Reproductive Effect	no known effect on humans or animals
Mutagen	not known to be a mutagen or teratogen in humans or animals
Synergistic With	not known
Calculated LD ₅₀ (oral)	7800mg/kg (rat)
Calculated LD ₅₀ (skin)	81,860mg/kg (rabbit)
LC ₅₀ (inhalation)	not known – <i>insufficient data to calculate</i>

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Nonionic Surfactant:

Bioaccumulation	the surfactant does not bioaccumulate; <i>however, breakdown product, unethoxylated nonylphenol, is poorly water soluble & may accumulate</i>
Biodegradation	34% in 20 days to di- & mono-ethoxylate; <i>these latter compounds resist further biodegradation (below)</i>
Abiotic Degradation	may react with atmospheric hydroxyl (OH) radicals; low volatility – a minor degradation route
Mobility in soil, water	sufficiently water soluble to move readily through soil and the water column

Aquatic Toxicity

LC ₅₀ (Fish, 96 hr)	2.1-2.6mg/litre (<i>Pimephelas promelas</i>), 13.9-19.5mg/litre (<i>Poecilia reticulata</i> – 48hr)
LC ₅₀ (Crustacea, 48hr)	3.8-6.2 & 18.2mg/litre (<i>Daphnia magna</i>), 20.9mg/litre (<i>Gammarus pulex</i>)
EC ₅₀ (Algae, 96hr)	15mg/litre (<i>Lemna minor</i>), 7mg/litre (<i>Scenedesmus quadricauda</i>)

NOTE: The Nonylphenol Ethoxylate class of compounds biodegrade to estrogenic hormone mimics in the environment & may lead to instances of reproductive failure in shore birds, amphibia & fish. (For further information, see Notes in Part XV, Regulations)

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12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION, cont'd

d-Limonene:

Bioaccumulation	probably not a bioaccumulator because it is metabolised by animal tissue
Biodegradation	biodegrades in the presence of oxygen; 48-100% in 2-3 weeks (various studies)
Abiotic Degradation	reacts with atmospheric hydroxyl radicals; estimated ½-life in air is 40 minutes
Mobility in soil, water	water insoluble; moves slowly in soil and water
Aquatic Toxicity	<i>d-Limonene is classified as a Marine Pollutant</i>
LC ₅₀ (Fish, 96hr)	34mg/litre (Leuciscus idus), 80mg/litre (Oncorhynchus mykiss), 0.7mg/litre (Pimephales promelas)
EC ₅₀ (Crustacea, 48hr)	0.031 & 0.75mg/litre (Daphnia magna)
NOEC – 96hr (Algæ)	4.1mg/litre (“green algæ”) – the algæ are not specifically identified

Potassium Hydroxide:

Bioaccumulation	not a bioaccumulator
Biodegradation	cannot biodegrade
Abiotic Degradation	dilutes readily in water & neutralises with dissolved CO ₂ & atmospheric CO ₂ to potassium carbonate;
Mobility in soil, water	product is water soluble & moves readily in soil and water
Aquatic Toxicity	
LC ₅₀ (Fish, 96hr)	178mg/litre – for 45% product (Gambusia affinis) – the pH of the test medium is not reported . . .
EC ₅₀ (Crustacea, 48hr)	. . . no other ecotoxicity data available . . .

Tetrasodium Ethylenediaminetetraacetic Acid:

Bioaccumulation	not a bioaccumulator
Biodegradation	various values reported from 1% in 72dy to 63% in 5dy (major component CAS# 64-02-8, only)
Abiotic Degradation	not known
Mobility in soil, water	highly water soluble; expected to bind to soil particles; may move slowly or not at all in soil & water (for major component, CAS# 64-02-8, only)
Aquatic Toxicity	
LC ₅₀ (Fish, 96hr)	41, 159, 486, 532, 1030 & 2070mg/litre (Lepomis macrochirus), 60mg/litre (Pimephelas promelas) & others tested at 24 and 48 hours
EC ₅₀ (Crustacea, 24hr)	610, 625 & 1030mg/litre (Daphnia magna), 4834mg/litre (Crangon crangon, 96hr) & others
EC ₅₀ (Algae)	>100mg/litre (Scenedesmus subspicatus)
EC ₁₀ (Bacteria)	55mg/litre (Pseudomonas putida), >1000mg/litre (other bacteria)
EC ₅ (Microbes)	663mg/litre (Chilomonas paramecium)

Alcohol Ethoxylate, Phosphoric Acid Ester:

Canadian Categorization states: not bioaccumulative, not toxic to aquatic life & not persistent.

<http://webnet.oecd.org/CCRWEB/ChemicalDetails.aspx?ChemicalID=33cc58b5-329b-4466-814b-5c0ff84043be>

EC ₅₀ (Crustacea, 48hr)	>53mg/litre (Ceriodaphnia dubia)
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13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal	do not flush to sewer; due to the presence of nonylphenol ethoxylate, waste material should be handled by a hazardous waste specialist
Containers	Drums should be reused. Recondition and pressure test by a licensed reconditioner prior to re-use. Pails must be vented and thoroughly dried prior to crushing and recycling. IBCs (intermediate bulk containers): polyethylene bottle must be pressure tested & recertified at 30 months. Replace at 60 months (5 years). Steel containers must be inspected, pressure tested & recertified every 5 years. Warning: never cut, drill, weld or grind on or near this container, even if empty.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

USA 49 CFR & Canada/International TDG

Product Identification Number	UN – not regulated for transport
Shipping Name	not regulated for transport
Classification	not regulated for transport
Marine Pollution	not a marine pollutant
ERAP Required	No

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15. REGULATIONS

Canada DSL on inventory
U.S.A. TSCA on inventory

U.S.A. Regulations:

In the USA, the EPA mounted (August 18, 2010) an "action plan" for nonylphenol ethoxylates: See the *Nonylphenol & Nonylphenol Ethoxylates Action Plan Summary*, <http://www.epa.gov/oppt/existingchemicals/pubs/actionplans/np-npe.html> AND http://www.epa.gov/oppt/existingchemicals/pubs/actionplans/RIN2070-ZA09_NP-NPEs%20Action%20Plan_Final_2010-08-09.pdf

15. REGULATIONS, cont'd

Europe EINECS all components on inventory – but see notes, below:

It is prohibited to place on the market or use plant protection products containing nonylphenol ethoxylates (C₂H₄O)_nC₁₅H₂₄O compounds because these active substances have not been included in Annex I to Council Directive 91/414/EEC of 15 July 1991 concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market (OJ L 230, 19.8.1991, p 1-32) pursuant to Commission Regulation (EC) No 2076/2002 of 20 November 2002 extending the time period referenced in Article 8(2) of Council Directive 91/414/EEC concerning the non-inclusion of certain active substances in Annex I to that Directive and the withdrawal of authorisations for plant protection products containing these substances (OJ L 319, 23.11.2002, p. 3-11).

Furthermore, in accordance with point 46 of Annex XVII to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105/EC and 2000/21/EC, it is prohibited to place on the market or use nonylphenol ethoxylates (C₂H₄O)_nC₁₅H₂₄O compounds, as substances or in mixtures in concentrations equal to or greater than 0,1 % by weight for several purposes (OJ L 396, 30.12.2006, p. 1-849) pursuant to Commission Regulation (EC) No 552/2009 of 22 June 2009 amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) as regards Annex XVII (OJ L 164, 26.6.2009, p. 7-31).

Nonylphenol ethoxylates (C₂H₄O)_nC₁₅H₂₄O compounds have therefore been added to Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 689/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals (OJ L 204, 31.7.2008, p. 1-35).

European Regulations forbid the use of Nonylphenol Ethoxylates for dispersive uses, but allow their use in applications where there is little or no release to the environment. Read this brief summary from July 1997 (when Europe began to reduce nonylphenol ethoxylate use):

<http://mdl.csa.com/partners/viewrecord.php?requester=gs&collection=ENV&recid=4243335&q=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.csa.com%2Fpartners%2Fviewrecord.php%3Frequester%3Dgs%26collection%3DENV%26recid%3D4243335&uid=791557892&setcookie=yes>

NOTE: EDTA (Tetrasodium Ethylenediaminetetraacetic Acid) is an animal carcinogen, but only on prolonged ingestion. Since ingestion is not a route of industrial exposure, this product cannot be classified as a carcinogen.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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Date of Revision -

Prepared for Tomco-Harwel, by Peter Bursztyn

With data from the Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS), Hazardous Substance Data Base (HSDB), Cheminfo (CCOHS), OSHA, IUCLID Datasheets (European Chemical Substance Information System - ESIS), & others sources (below if used), as required/available

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