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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## SECTION 1. CHEMICAL IDENTIFICATION

NAME: Caprylic acid

SYNONYMS: Octanoic acid

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#### SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE

GHS CLASSIFICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS) SKIN CORROSION (CATEGORY 1B), H314 SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE (CATEGORY 1), H318 ACUTE AQUATIC TOXICITY (CATEGORY 3), H402

FOR THE FULL TEXT OF THE H-STATEMENTS MENTIONED IN THIS SECTION, SEE SECTION 16.

GHS LABEL ELEMENTS, INCLUDING PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS PICTOGRAM



SIGNAL WORD

CAUSES SEVERE SKIN BURNS AND EYE DAMAGE.
CAUSES SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE.
HARMFUL TO AQUATIC LIFE.
WASH SKIN THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING
AVOID RELEASE TO THE ENVIRONMENT.
WEAR PROTECTIVE GLOVES/ PROTECTIVE
CLOTHING/ EYE PROTECTION/ FACE PROTECTION.
IF SWALLOWED: RINSE MOUTH. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING.
IF ON SKIN (OR HAIR): TAKE OFF IMMEDIATELY ALL
CONTAMINATED CLOTHING. RINSE SKIN WITH
WATER/SHOWER.
IF INHALED: REMOVE PERSON TO FRESH AIR AND
KEEP COMFORTABLE FOR BREATHING.
IMMEDIATELY CALL A POISON CENTER OR DOCTOR/
PHYSICIAN.
WASH CONTAMINATED CLOTHING BEFORE REUSE.
STORE LOCKED UP.
DISPOSE OF CONTENTS/ CONTAINER TO AN
APPROVED WASTE DISPOSAL PLANT.
NONE

## SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

MF:	$\mathrm{C_8H_{16}O_2}$
MW:	144.21
CAS-NO.	124-07-2
PURITY:	$\geq$ 99% (GC)

## HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS

COMPONENT	CLASSIFICATION	CONCENTRATION
Caprylic acid		
	SKIN CORR. 1B; EYE DAM. 1; AQUATIC ACUTE 3; H314, H318, H402	<= 100 %

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# SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

DESCRIPTION OF FIRST AID MEASURES		
GENERAL ADVICE	MOVE OUT OF DANGEROUS AREA.CONSULT A PHYSICIAN. SHOW THIS SAFETY DATA SHEET TO THE DOCTOR IN ATTENDANCE.	
IF INHALED	IF BREATHED IN, MOVE PERSON INTO FRESH AIR. IF NOT BREATHING, GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.	
IN CASE OF SKIN CONTACT	TAKE OFF CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES IMMEDIATELY. WASH OFF WITH SOAP AND PLENTY OF WATER. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.	
IN CASE OF EYE CONTACT	RINSE THOROUGHLY WITH PLENTY OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES AND CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.CONTINUE RINSING EYES DURING TRANSPORT TO HOSPITAL.	
IF SWALLOWED	DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. NEVER GIVE ANYTHING BY MOUTH TO AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON. RINSE MOUTH WITH WATER. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.	
MOST IMPORTANT SYMPTOMS AND EFFECTS, BOTH ACUTE AND DELAYED	THE MOST IMPORTANT KNOWN SYMPTOMS AND EFFECTS ARE DESCRIBED IN THE LABELLING (SEE SECTION 2.2) AND/OR IN SECTION 11	
INDICATION OF ANY IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION AND SPECIAL TREATMENT NEEDED	NO DATA AVAILABLE	

## SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

<b>EXTINGUISHING MEDIA</b> SUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA	USE WATER SPRAY, ALCOHOL-RESISTANT FOAM, DRY CHEMICAL OR CARBON DIOXIDE
SPECIAL HAZARDS ARISING FROM THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE	CARBON OXIDES
ADVICE FOR FIREFIGHTERS	WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS FOR FIREFIGHTING IF NECESSARY
FURTHER INFORMATION	NO DATA AVAILABLE

#### SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS,	USE PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT. AVOID
PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT	BREATHING VAPOURS, MIST OR GAS. ENSURE ADEQUATE
AND EMERGENCY	VENTILATION. EVACUATE PERSONNEL TO SAFE AREAS.
PROCEDURES	FOR PERSONAL PROTECTION SEE SECTION 8.
ENVIRONMENTAL	PREVENT FURTHER LEAKAGE OR SPILLAGE IF SAFE TO DO
PRECAUTIONS	SO. DO NOT LET PRODUCT ENTER DRAINS. DISCHARGE
	INTO THE ENVIRONMENT MUST BE AVOIDED.
METHODS AND	SOAK UP WITH INERT ABSORBENT MATERIAL AND
MATERIALS FOR	
	DISPOSE OF AS HAZARDOUS WASTE. KEEP IN SUITABLE,
CONTAINMENT AND	CLOSED CONTAINERS FOR DISPOSAL.
CLEANING UP	
REFERENCE TO OTHER	FOR DISPOSAL SEE SECTION 13
	FOR DISPOSAL SEE SECTION 13.
SECTIONS	

## SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE	AVOID INHALATION OF VAPOUR OR MIST.
HANDLING	FOR PRECAUTIONS SEE SECTION 2.2.
CONDITIONS FOR SAFE	KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED IN A DRY AND WELL-
STORAGE, INCLUDING	VENTILATED PLACE. CONTAINERS WHICH ARE OPENED
ANY INCOMPATIBILITIES	MUST BE CAREFULLY RESEALED AND KEPT UPRIGHT TO
	PREVENT LEAKAGE.
	STORAGE CLASS (TRGS 510): NON-COMBUSTIBLE,
	CORROSIVE HAZARDOUS MATERIALS
SPECIFIC END USE(S)	APART FROM THE USES MENTIONED IN SECTION 1.2 NO OTHER SPECIFIC USES ARE STIPULATED

#### SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## CONTROL PARAMETERS

COMPONENTS WITH WORKPLACE CONTROL PARAMETERS CONTAINS NO SUBSTANCES WITH OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMIT VALUES.

**EXPOSURE CONTROLS** 

APPROPRIATE	HANDLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOOD INDUSTRIAL
ENGINEERING CONTROLS	HYGIENE AND SAFETY PRACTICE. WASH HANDS BEFORE
	BREAKS AND AT THE END OF WORKDAY.

#### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

EYE/FACE PROTECTION TIGHTLY FITTING SAFETY GOGGLES. FACESHIELD (8-INCH MINIMUM). USE EQUIPMENT FOR EYE PROTECTION TESTED AND APPROVED UNDER APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT STANDARDS SUCH AS NIOSH (US) OR EN 166(EU).

SKIN PROTECTION HANDLE WITH GLOVES. GLOVES MUST BE INSPECTED PRIOR TO USE. USE PROPER GLOVE REMOVAL TECHNIQUE (WITHOUT TOUCHING GLOVE'S OUTER SURFACE) TO AVOID SKIN CONTACT WITH THIS PRODUCT. DISPOSE OF CONTAMINATED GLOVES AFTER USE IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAWS AND GOOD LABORATORY PRACTICES. WASH AND DRY HANDS.

> FULL CONTACT MATERIAL: NITRILE RUBBER MINIMUM LAYER THICKNESS: 0.4 MM BREAK THROUGH TIME: 480 MIN MATERIAL TESTED:CAMATRIL (KCL 730, SIZE M)

SPLASH CONTACT MATERIAL: NITRILE RUBBER MINIMUM LAYER THICKNESS: 0.2 MM BREAK THROUGH TIME: 30 MIN MATERIAL TESTED:DERMATRIL P (KCL 743 , SIZE M)

IF USED IN SOLUTION, OR MIXED WITH OTHER SUBSTANCES, AND UNDER CONDITIONS WHICH DIFFER FROM EN 374, CONTACT THE SUPPLIER OF THE CE APPROVED GLOVES. THIS RECOMMENDATION IS ADVISORY ONLY AND MUST BE EVALUATED BY AN INDUSTRIAL HYGIENIST AND SAFETY OFFICER FAMILIAR WITH THE SPECIFIC SITUATION OF ANTICIPATED USE BY OUR CUSTOMERS. IT SHOULD NOT BE CONSTRUED AS OFFERING AN APPROVAL FOR ANY SPECIFIC USE SCENARIO.

BODY PROTECTION COMPLETE SUIT PROTECTING AGAINST CHEMICALS, THE TYPE OF PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT MUST BE SELECTED ACCORDING TO THE CONCENTRATION AND AMOUNT OF THE DANGEROUS SUBSTANCE AT THE SPECIFIC WORKPLACE.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION	WHERE RISK ASSESSMENT SHOWS AIR-PURIFYING RESPIRATORS ARE APPROPRIATE USE A FULL-FACE RESPIRATOR WITH MULTIPURPOSE COMBINATION (US) OR TYPE ABEK (EN 14387) RESPIRATOR CARTRIDGES AS A BACKUP TO ENGINEERING CONTROLS. IF THE RESPIRATOR IS THE SOLE MEANS OF PROTECTION, USE A FULL-FACE SUPPLIED AIR RESPIRATOR. USE RESPIRATORS AND COMPONENTS TESTED AND APPROVED UNDER APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT STANDARDS SUCH AS NIOSH (US) OR CEN (EU).
CONTROL OF	PREVENT FURTHER LEAKAGE OR SPILLAGE IF SAFE TO DO
ENVIRONMENTAL	SO. DO NOT LET PRODUCT ENTER DRAINS. DISCHARGE
EXPOSURE	INTO THE ENVIRONMENT MUST BE AVOIDED.

## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

RELATIVE VAPOUR

DENSITY

<b>INFORMATION ON BASIC P</b>	HYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES
APPEARANCE	Colorless liquid
ODOUR	NO DATA AVAILABLE
ODOUR THRESHOLD	NO DATA AVAILABLE
PH	3.5 AT 0.5 G/L
MELTING	
POINT/FREEZING POINT	
INITIAL BOILING POINT	
AND BOILING RANGE	
FLASH POINT	
EVAPOURATION RATE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
FLAMMABILITY (SOLID,	NO DATA AVAILABLE
GAS)	
UPPER/LOWER	NO DATA AVAILABLE
FLAMMABILITY OR	
EXPLOSIVE LIMITS	
VAPOUR PRESSURE	13 HPA (10 MMHG) AT 124 C 1 HPA (1 MMHG) AT 78 C
VAPOUR DENSITY	4.98 - (AIR = 1.0)
RELATIVE DENSITY	0.91 g/mL at 25 °C
WATER SOLUBILITY	0.68 G/L AT 20 C
PARTITION COEFFICIENT:	LOG POW: 3.05
N- OCTANOL/WATER	
AUTO-IGNITION	> 300 C
TEMPERATURE	
DECOMPOSITION	NO DATA AVAILABLE
TEMPERATURE	
VISCOSITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
EXPLOSIVE PROPERTIES	NO DATA AVAILABLE
OXIDIZING PROPERTIES	NO DATA AVAILABLE
OTHER SAFETY INFORMAT	ΓΙΟΝ
SURFACE TENSION	28.6 - 28.7 MN/M AT 20 C

4.98 - (AIR = 1.0)

## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
CHEMICAL STABILITY	STABLE UNDER RECOMMENDED STORAGE CONDITIONS.
POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS	NO DATA AVAILABLE
CONDITIONS TO AVOID	NO DATA AVAILABLE
INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS	BASES, OXIDIZING AGENTS, REDUCING AGENTS
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS	OTHER DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS - NO DATA AVAILABLE IN THE EVENT OF FIRE: SEE SECTION 5

## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

INFORMATION ON TOXICOLOGICAL EFFECTS		
ACUTE TOXICITY	LD50 ORAL - RAT - MALE AND FEMALE - > 2,000 MG/KG	
	(OECD TEST GUIDELINE 401)	
	LC50 INHALATION - RAT - MALE AND FEMALE - 4 H - >	
	0.1621 MG/L	
	LD50 DERMAL - RABBIT - > 5,000 MG/KG	
	NO DATA AVAILABLE	
SKIN	SKIN - RABBIT	
CORROSION/IRRITATION	RESULT: CAUSES BURNS 4 H	
	(OECD TEST GUIDELINE 404)	
SERIOUS EYE	EYES - RABBIT	
DAMAGE/EYE IRRITATION	RESULT: IRRITATING	
RESPIRATORY OR SKIN SENSITISATION	NO DATA AVAILABLE	
0210110/1101		
GERM CELL	NO DATA AVAILABLE	
MUTAGENICITY		

CARCINOGENICITY

IARC:	NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS IDENTIFIED AS PROBABLE, POSSIBLE OR CONFIRMED HUMAN
ACGIH:	CARCINOGEN BY IARC. NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS IDENTIFIED AS A CARCINOGEN OR POTENTIAL CARCINOGEN BY ACGIH.
NTP:	NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS IDENTIFIED AS A KNOWN OR ANTICIPATED CARCINOGEN BY NTP.
OSHA:	NO WN OK ANTICIPATED CARCINOGEN BY NTF. NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS IDENTIFIED AS A CARCINOGEN OR POTENTIAL CARCINOGEN BY OSHA.
REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY - SINGLE EXPOSURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY - REPEATED EXPOSURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
ASPIRATION HAZARD	NO DATA AVAILABLE
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	RTECS: RH0175000
	MATERIAL IS EXTREMELY DESTRUCTIVE TO TISSUE OF THE MUCOUS MEMBRANES AND UPPER RESPIRATORY TRACT, EYES, AND SKIN., COUGH, SHORTNESS OF BREATH, HEADACHE, NAUSEA

## SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

TOXICITY	
TOXICITY TO FISH	STATIC TEST LC50 - LEPOMIS MACROCHIRUS (BLUEGILL
	SUNFISH) - 22 MG/L - 96 H
TOXICITY TO DAPHNIA AND	IMMOBILIZATION EC50 - DAPHNIA MAGNA (WATER FLEA)
OTHER AQUATIC	- 550 MG/L - 48 H
INVERTEBRATES	(OECD TEST GUIDELINE 202)
TOXICITY TO ALGAE	GROWTH INHIBITION EC50 - PSEUDOKIRCHNERIELLA
	SUBCAPITATA (GREEN ALGAE) - 31 MG/L - 72 H
	(OECD TEST GUIDELINE 201)

## PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY

BIODEGRADABILITY	AEROBIC - EXPOSURE TIME 28 D RESULT: 51.6 % - NOT READILY BIODEGRADABLE. (OECD TEST GUIDELINE 301B)
BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL	NO DATA AVAILABLE
MOBILITY IN SOIL	NO DATA AVAILABLE
RESULTS OF PBT AND VPVB ASSESSMENT	PBT/VPVB ASSESSMENT NOT AVAILABLE AS CHEMICAL SAFETY ASSESSMENT NOT REQUIRED/NOT CONDUCTED
OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS	AN ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD CANNOT BE EXCLUDED IN THE EVENT OF UNPROFESSIONAL HANDLING OR DISPOSAL. HARMFUL TO AQUATIC LIFE.

## SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

OFFER SURPLUS AND NON-RECYCLABLE SOLUTIONS TO
A LICENSED DISPOSAL COMPANY. CONTACT A LICENSED
PROFESSIONAL WASTE DISPOSAL SERVICE TO DISPOSE
OF THIS MATERIAL. DISSOLVE OR MIX THE MATERIAL
WITH A COMBUSTIBLE SOLVENT AND BURN IN A
CHEMICAL INCINERATOR EQUIPPED WITH AN
AFTERBURNER AND SCRUBBER.
DISPOSE OF AS UNUSED PRODUCT.

# SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)	
PROPER SHIPPING NAME:	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (Caprylic
	acid )
UN NUMBER:	3265
CLASS:	8
PACKING GROUP:	III
REPORTABLE QUANTITY	
(RQ):	
POISON INHALATION	NO
HAZARD:	
IMDG	
PROPER SHIPPING NAME:	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (Caprylic
	acid )
UN NUMBER:	3265

CLASS: PACKING GROUP: EMS-NO:	8 III F-A, S-B
IATA	
PROPER SHIPPING NAME:	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (Caprylic acid)
UN NUMBER:	3265
CLASS:	8
PACKING GROUP:	III

#### SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA 302 COMPONENTSNO CHEMICALS IN THIS MATERIAL ARE SUBJECT TO THE<br/>REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF SARA TITLE III, SECTION<br/>302.

**SARA 313 COMPONENTS** THIS MATERIAL DOES NOT CONTAIN ANY CHEMICAL COMPONENTS WITH KNOWN CAS NUMBERS THAT EXCEED THE THRESHOLD (DE MINIMIS) REPORTING LEVELS ESTABLISHED BY SARA TITLE III, SECTION 313.

#### SARA 311/312 HAZARDS ACUTE HEALTH HAZARD

#### **MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS** NO COMPONENTS ARE SUBJECT TO THE MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW ACT

#### PENNSYLVANIA RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS

	CAS #	<b>REVISION DATE</b>
Caprylic acid	124-07-2	

#### NEW JERSEY RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS

	CAS #	<b>REVISION DATE</b>
Caprylic acid	124-07-2	

CALIFORNIA PROP. 65	THIS PRODUCT DOES NOT CONTAIN ANY CHEMICALS
COMPONENTS	KNOWN TO STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE CANCER,
	BIRTH DEFECTS, OR ANY OTHER REPRODUCTIVE HARM.

#### SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

FULL TEXT OF H-STATEM	ENTS REFERRED TO UNDER SECTIONS 2 AND 3.
AQUATIC ACUTE	ACUTE AQUATIC TOXICITY
EYE DAM.	SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE
H314	CAUSES SEVERE SKIN BURNS AND EYE DAMAGE.
H318	CAUSES SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE.
H402	HARMFUL TO AQUATIC LIFE.
SKIN CORR	SKIN CORROSION

#### HMIS RATING

HEALTH HAZARD:	3
CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARD:	
FLAMMABILITY:	0
PHYSICAL HAZARD	0

#### NFPA RATING

HEALTH HAZARD:	3
FIRE HAZARD:	0
REACTIVITY HAZARD:	0

MSDS LEGEND	
MW:	MOLECULAR WEIGHT
MF:	MOLECULAR FORMULA
VOC:	VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS
ACGIH:	AMERICAN CONFERENCE OF GOVERNMENENTAL INDUSTRIAL
	HYGINISTS
CAS:	CHEMICAL ABSTRACTS SERIVE REGISTRY NUMBER
OSHA:	OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION
PEL:	PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMIT (OSHA)
TLV:	THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE (ACGIH)

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