

### **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

### **SECTION 1 Product and Company Identification**

**Product** 

Product Name: Retarder

Product Description: Cementitious retarder

Intended Use: Slowing the set of cement-based products

Company

Manufacturer: SureCrete Design Products, Inc.

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### **SECTION 2 Hazards Identification**

Classification of substance or mixture:

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Eye irritation Category 2A H319

### **GHS Label Elements:**

### **Hazard symbol:**



Signal word: Warning

# **Label Hazard Statements:**

H319: Causes serious eye irritation

# **Label Precautionary Statements:**

P264: Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling

P280: Wear eye 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

# **SECTION 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients**

This material is regulated as a mixture



Ingredient	CAS#	EC#	% (by weight)	
Hazardous				
Citric Acid, Anhydrous	77-92-9	ND	<14%	
Non hazardous				
	Trade secret		<93%	

The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

### **SECTION 4 First Aid Measures**

**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.

**Skin Contact:** Remove affected clothing and wash all exposed skin area with mild soap and water, followed by warm water rinse.

**Inhalation:** Assure fresh air breathing. Allow the victim to rest.

**Ingestion:** Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention.

# Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

Eye contact: Causes serious eye irritation. Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation. Skin contact: May cause respiratory irritation.

Ingestion: Nausea.

### **SECTION 5 Fire Fighting Measures**

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: Do not use a heavy water stream.

**Special Hazards:** Not flammable.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazard: Not applicable.

Advice for firefighters: Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

**Further information:** Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Avoid (reject) fire-fighting water to enter environment.

#### **SECTION 6 Accidental Release Measures**

**Personal precautions:** Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

**Environmental precautions:** Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.



**Methods for clean-up:** Wet product may be scraped up and placed in appropriate disposal containers. Allow wet product to dry before disposal. Do not flush down drains. Store separated from other materials.

### **SECTION 7 Handling and Storage**

**Handling:** Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of vapor. Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

Conditions of safe storage, including any incompatibilities: Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from: incompatible materials strong bases and strong oxidizers. Keep container closed when not in use. Keep out of direct sunlight.

# **SECTION 8 Exposure Control / Personal Protection Exposure Controls**

Appropriate engineering controls: Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure.

### **Personal Protective Equipment**

Eye/face protection: Chemical goggles or safety glasses.

Hand protection: Wear impervious gloves to eliminate skin contact.

Respiratory protection: Wear appropriate mask.

Hygiene Measures: Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

**Control of environmental exposure**: Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains or waterways. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

# SECTION 9 Physical and Chemical Properties General

Physical state: liquid

Color: clear

Odor: no distinct odor

Odor Threshold: Not available

**Safety Data** 

pH in water: >7

Melting point: Not available Boiling point: 212°F (100°C) Flash point: Not available Freeze Point: 32°F (0°C)

Evaporation rate: Not applicable

Vapor pressure (mm Hg.): Not applicable

Water solubility: Soluble

Vapor density (air = 1): Not applicable Relative density: No data available



**SECTION 10 Stability and Reactivity** 

Reactivity: None

**Chemical stability:** Not established.

Possibility of Hazardous reactions: Not established.

**Conditions to avoid:** Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures.

**Incompatible materials:** Strong acids. Strong bases.

Hazardous decomposition products: Fume. Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide.

# **SECTION 11 Toxicological Information**

# **Component Information**

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Inhalation LC50	
Citric Acid, Anhydrous	5400 mg/kg	No data available	
77-92-9			

Acute Toxicity: Not classified.

Skin corrosion/irritation: Not classified

Serious eye damage/irritation: Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Not classified

Germ cell mutagenicity: Not classified. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Carcinogenicity: Not classified

Reproductive toxicity: Not classified. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Specific target organ toxicity (single

exposure):

Not classified

exposure):

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated Not classified. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Aspiration hazard: Not classified. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Potential Adverse human health ef-

fects and symptoms:

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact: Slight irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact: Causes serious eye irritation.

#### **SECTION 12 Ecological Information**



		LC50		
Citric Acid, Anhydrous	77-92-9	440 mg/L	No data available	Daphnia
				1534 mg/L

Persistence and degradability: No data available.

Bio accumulative potential: No data available.

Mobility in soil: No data available.

Other adverse effects: Avoid release to the environment.

### **SECTION 13 Disposal Considerations**

**Methods of disposal:** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

# Section 14 Transport Information International transport regulations

This product is not regulated for transport.

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Regulatory	UN num-	Proper shipping	Class	Packing group	Additional infor-	Marine pollutant
Information	ber	name			mation	
DOT		Not regulated			none	
ADR/RID class		Not regulated			none	
IMDG class		Not regulated			none	
IATA class		Not regulated			none	

# **SECTION 15 Regulatory Information**

US federal regulations: This product is hazardous according to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200.

Listed on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List.

**US state regulations:** No data available.

**International lists:** 

Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL): Listed on the DSL.

### **SECTION 16 Other Information**

Recommended restriction: for use by trained professionals, having read the complete SDS

# **Hazard Ratings**

	health	flammability	physical
HMIS	1	0	0
NFPA	1	0	0



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