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NAME: LACTIC ACID

SDS NO. 1500

1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Lactic Acid

Synonyms: Milk acid

Recommended Use: For manufacturing, reprocessing, or packaging.

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2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Pictogram:	No symbol required
Classification:	Dermal Category 5 Inhalation Category 5
Signal Word:	Warning
Hazard Statements:	May be harmful in contact with skin. May be harmful if inhaled.

3. COMPOSITION / INGREDIENTS

CHEMICAL NAME	CAS#
LACTIC ACID	50-21-5

The exact percentage has been withheld as a trade secret

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

ROUTE	COMMON SYMPTOMS	FIRST AID
Inhalation	May cause irritation with coughing.	Remove source of contamination or move victim to fresh air. If affected person is not breathing, apply artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.
Ingestion	Not determined	Do not induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water. Get medical attention or advice
Skin	Dermal irritation	If irritation occurs, wash with soap and water. If irritation persists, get medical attention.
Eyes	Irritation	Immediately flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes while holding eyelids open. If symptoms persist, get medical attention.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point:	Not determined
Auto Ignition:	Not determined
Extinguishing Media:	Water, water spray, dry powder, foam, carbon dioxide.
Products of Combustion:	Upon combustion this product may emit carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide and/or low molecular weight hydrocarbons.
Fire Fighting Equipment and Procedures:	Wear protective clothing and equipment suitable for the surrounding fire, including helmet, facemask, and self-contained breathing apparatus.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions:	Read entire label before using and follow all label directions.
Environmental Precautions:	Prevent discharge to open waters.
Method of Containment:	Cover spill with soda ash. Scoop neutralized waste into appropriate container.
Method for Clean-Up:	Ventilate area of spill. Sweep or scrap up and containerize in approved chemical waste container. Wash spill area with water.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling:	Do not consume food, drink or smoke while handling this product.
Storage:	Keep from extreme heat. Keep container tightly closed and in a cool, well ventilated place.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Controls:	Normal room ventilation is usually adequate under normal use.
Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)	
Eye/Face Protection:	None needed under normal use.
Skin Protection:	None needed under normal use.
Respiratory Protection	None needed under normal use.
General Hygiene Considerations:	Wash hands after use.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	Clear, colorless syrupy liquid.	Upper/Lower Flammability:	Not determined
Odor:	Odorless	Vapor Pressure	Not determined
Odor Threshold:	Not determined	Vapor Density:	Not determined
pH:	Not determined	Relative Density:	Not determined
Melting point /Freezing Point:	Not determined	Solubilities:	Not determined
Boiling point/range:	Not determined	Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	Not determined
Flash point	Not determined	Auto-ignition temperature	Not determined
Evaporation rate	Not determined	Decomposition Temperature:	Not determined
Flammability:	Not flammable	Viscosity	Not determined

10. STABILITY AND RACTIVITY

Reactivity:	Not reactive
Chemical Stability:	Stable under normal ambient temperatures (70°F)
Possibility of Hazardous reactions:	Not determined.
Conditions to Avoid:	Freezing and extreme heat
Incompatible materials:	Not determined
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Not determined

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity:	Not determined.
Skin irritation:	Not determined.
Eye contact damage:	Not determined.
Respiratory damage:	Not determined.
Ingestion overdose:	Not determined.

Delayed, immediate, or chronic effects from short- and long-term exposure	Not determined.
LD50	Not determined.
Symptoms associated with exposure:	May cause skin irritation
Carcinogenicity:	
OSHA:	Not listed
NTP:	Not listed
IARC:	Not listed

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute or chronic aquatic toxicity:	Not determined.
Chemical degradation:	Not determined.
Biodegradation:	Not determined.
Bioaccumulation potential	Not determined.
Adsorption studies or leaching studies:	Not determined.
Other adverse effects	Not determined.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose in accordance with federal, state and local laws and regulations. Avoid release into environment.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Hazard Classification:	Non-Hazardous
UN number:	Not applicable
UN proper shipping name:	Not applicable
Transport hazard class(es):	Not applicable
Packing group number:	Not applicable
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable
Special precautions:	Do not freeze, avoid extreme heat

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Not determined

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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