

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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NAME: KOJIC ACID

SDS NO.8086

## 1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name:** Kojic Acid

**Synonyms:** 5-hydroxy-2-hydroxymethyl-4-pyrone

**Recommended Use:** Additive for cosmetic of pharmaceutic preparations.

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## 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

<b>Pictogram:</b>	  GHS07                      GHS05 Corrosion
<b>Classification:</b>	Eye Dam. 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage. Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes Skin irritation. STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.
<b>Signal Word:</b>	Danger
<b>Hazard Statements:</b>	H315 Causes skin irritation. H318 Causes serious eye damage. H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

### 3. COMPOSITION / INGREDIENTS

CHEMICAL NAME	CAS#
KOJIC ACID 5-HYDROXY-2-HYDROXYMETHYL-4-PYRONE	501-30-4

The exact percentage has been withheld as a trade secret

### 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

ROUTE	COMMON SYMPTOMS	FIRST AID
Inhalation	Not determined	In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.
Ingestion	Not determined	Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water.
Skin	Not determined	Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
Eyes	Not determined	Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point:	Not applicable
Auto Ignition:	Not determined
Extinguishing Media:	CO <sub>2</sub> , extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam
Products of Combustion:	No further relevant information available.
Fire Fighting Equipment and Procedures:	No special measures required.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

<b>Personal Precautions:</b>	Not required
<b>Environmental Precautions:</b>	Do not allow to enter sewers/surface or ground water.
<b>Method of Containment:</b>	Ensure adequate ventilation
<b>Method for Clean-Up:</b>	Not determined

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

<b>Handling:</b>	No special precautions are necessary if used correctly
<b>Storage:</b>	Store in cool, dry conditions in well-sealed receptacles.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

<b>Engineering Controls:</b>	Normal room ventilation is usually adequate under normal use.
<b>Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)</b>	Protective work clothes
<b>Eye/Face Protection:</b>	Goggles
<b>Skin Protection:</b>	Protective gloves
<b>Respiratory Protection</b>	In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory-filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.
<b>General Hygiene Considerations:</b>	Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed. Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing. Avoid contact with the skin. Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Appearance:</b>	White	<b>Upper/Lower Flammability:</b>	Not Applicable
<b>Odor:</b>	Characteristic	<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	Not Applicable
<b>Odor Threshold:</b>	Not Determined	<b>Vapor Density:</b>	Not Applicable
<b>pH:</b>	Not Applicable	<b>Relative Density:</b>	Not Determined
<b>Melting point /Freezing Point:</b>	154-156°C (309-313°F) / Not Determined	<b>Solubilities:</b>	Not Determined
<b>Boiling point/range:</b>	Not Determined	<b>Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:</b>	Not Determined
<b>Flash point</b>	Not Applicable	<b>Auto-ignition temperature</b>	Not Determined
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not Applicable	<b>Decomposition Temperature:</b>	Not Determined
<b>Flammability:</b>	Not Applicable	<b>Viscosity</b>	Not Applicable

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>Reactivity:</b>	Not Determined
<b>Chemical Stability:</b>	Not Determined
<b>Possibility of Hazardous reactions:</b>	No dangerous reactions known.
<b>Conditions to Avoid:</b>	No further relevant information available.
<b>Incompatible materials:</b>	No further relevant information available.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products:</b>	No dangerous decomposition products known.

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

<b>Acute toxicity:</b>	Not Determined
<b>Skin irritation:</b>	Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
<b>Eye contact damage:</b>	Strong irritant with the danger of severe eye injury.
<b>Respiratory damage:</b>	Not Determined
<b>Ingestion overdose:</b>	Not Determined
<b>Delayed, immediate, or chronic effects from short- and long-term exposure</b>	Not Determined
<b>LD50</b>	Not Determined
<b>Symptoms associated with exposure:</b>	Not Determined
<b>Carcinogenicity:</b>	Not Determined
<b>OSHA:</b>	Substance is not listed.
<b>NTP:</b>	Substance is not listed.
<b>IARC:</b>	Not Determined

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

<b>Acute or chronic aquatic toxicity:</b>	No further relevant information available.
<b>Chemical degradation:</b>	No further relevant information available.
<b>Biodegradation:</b>	No further relevant information available.
<b>Bioaccumulation potential</b>	No further relevant information available.
<b>Adsorption studies or leaching studies:</b>	Not Determined
<b>Other adverse effects</b>	No further relevant information available.

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Dispose in accordance with federal, state and local laws and regulations. Avoid release into environment. Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

<b>DOT Hazard Classification:</b>	Non-Hazardous
<b>UN number:</b>	Void
<b>UN proper shipping name:</b>	Void
<b>Transport hazard class(es):</b>	Void
<b>Packing group number:</b>	Void
<b>Environmental hazards:</b>	No
<b>Special precautions:</b>	Not applicable

## **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**No further relevant information available.**

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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