# Tintometer<sup>®</sup> Group Water Testing



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# Safety data sheet according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31

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## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- · 1.1 Product identifier
- · Product name: PHMB-Photometer
- · Catalog number: 00516101, 4516100BT, 4516101BT, 00516109BT, 516100BT, 516101BT
- 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against
- · Application of the substance / the preparation: Reagent for water analysis
- · 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet
- · Supplier:

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· 1.4 Emergency telephone number:

+44 1235 239670 Languages: English

# **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

- · 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture
- · Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

The product is not classified as hazardous according to the GB CLP regulation.

- · 2.2 Label elements
- Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 Void
- · Hazard pictograms Void
- · Signal word Void
- · Hazard statements Void
- · Additional information:

EUH210 Safety data sheet available on request.

- · 2.3 Other hazards No further relevant information available.
- · Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This mixture does not contain any substances that are assessed to be persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB), according to the criteria given in Annex XIII of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

Determination of endocrine-disrupting properties

The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.

#### **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

- · 3.2 Mixtures
- · Description: Mixture contains organic compounds.

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Dangerous components:

CAS: 77-92-9 EINECS: 201-069-1 Index No: 607-750-00-3

Index No: 607-750-00-3 Reg.nr.: 01-2119457026-42-XXXX citric acid

Eye Irrit. 2, H319; STOT SE 3, H335

2.5–5%

· Additional information For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

- · 4.1 Description of first aid measures
- · General information Instantly remove any clothing soiled by the product.
- · After inhalation Supply fresh air.
- · After skin contact Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- · After eye contact

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water (at least 15 min). If symptoms persist, consult doctor.

After swallowing

Rinse out mouth and then drink 1-2 glasses of water.

In case of persistent symptoms consult doctor.

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

after swallowing of large amounts:

thirst

general feeling of sickness

• 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: No further relevant information available.

# **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

- · 5.1 Extinguishing media
- Suitable extinguishing agents Water, Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Foam, Fire-extinguishing powder
- For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents

For this substance / mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

The product is in tablet form not flammable.

Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.

Can be released in case of fire:

nitrous gases

Sulphur oxides (SOx)

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Carbon monoxide (CO) and carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)

- 5.3 Advice for firefighters
- · Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Wear full protective suit.

Additional information

Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter drains.

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

# **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

- · 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
- · Advice for non-emergency personnel:

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

Avoid breathing dust.

- · Advice for emergency responders: Protective equipment: see section 8
- 6.2 Environmental precautions: Do not allow product to reach sewage system or water bodies.
- 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Collect mechanically.

Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

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#### · 6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for information on disposal.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

- · 7.1 Precautions for safe handling
- · Advice on safe handling: No special precautions necessary if used correctly.
- · Hygiene measures:

The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to general rules for handling chemicals.

Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

- · 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
- · Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers: Store in cool location.
- · Information about storage in one common storage facility: Not required.
- · Further information about storage conditions:

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

Protect from heat and direct sunlight.

Protect from the effects of light.

Protect from humidity and keep away from water.

This product is hygroscopic.

- · Recommended storage temperature: 20°C +/- 5°C
- · 7.3 Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- · 8.1 Control parameters
- Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

- $\cdot$  Additional information: The lists that were valid during the compilation were used as basis.
- · 8.2 Exposure controls
- · Engineering measures:

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment. See item 7.

· Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled.

· Eye/face protection

Safety glasses

use against the effects of fumes / dust

Use safety glasses that have been tested and approved in accordance with government standards such as EN 166.

· Hand protection

Preventive skin protection by use of skin-protecting agents is recommended.

After use of gloves apply skin-cleaning agents and skin cosmetics.

· Material of gloves

nitrile rubber, NBR

Recommended thickness of the material: ≥ 0.11 mm

Penetration time of glove material

Value for the permeation: Level = 1 ( < 10 min )

The exact break trough time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

- · Other skin protection (body protection): Protective work clothing.
- Breathing equipment: Use breathing protection against the effects of fumes/dust/aerosol.
- Recommended filter device for short term use: Filter P1
- · Environmental exposure controls Do not allow product to reach sewage system or water bodies.

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# **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties
Physical state
Form:
Colour:
Odourless
Odour threshold:
Odour threshold:

• Melting point/Freezing point:
• Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range Not determined.

• Flammability The product is not combustible.

• Explosive properties: The product is not capable of dust explosion in the form supplied;

enrichment with fine dust causes risk of dust explosion

· Lower and upper explosion limit

Lower: Not determined.
 Upper: Not determined.
 Flash point: Not applicable (solid).
 Ignition temperature: Not applicable (solid).

Decomposition temperature: >175°C (CAS 77-92-9)

· pH (10.4 g/l) at 20°C 2.9

· Kinematic viscosity Not applicable (solid).

· Solubility

Water: Soluble
 Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)
 Vapour pressure: Soluble
 Not applicable.

· Density and/or relative density

Density: Not determined.
 Relative density: Not determined.
 Relative gas density Not applicable (solid).
 Particle characteristics Not determined.

· 9.2 Other information

Information with regard to physical hazard classes

· Corrosive to metals Void

· Other safety characteristics

· Oxidising properties: none

Additional information

· Solids content: 100 %

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

· 10.1 Reactivity Dust can combine with air to form an explosive mixture.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable at ambient temperature (room temperature).

sensitivity to light sensitive to air

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Aqueous solution reacts acidic.

Aqueous solution reacts with metals.

Citric acid: incompatible with bases, strong oxidizers, amines. Contact with metal nitrates may be explosive. Attacks aluminum, copper, zinc und their alloys, when wet.

· 10.4 Conditions to avoid Strong heating (decomposition)

· 10.5 Incompatible materials:

metals

aluminium, copper, zinc, metal ions

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products: see section 5

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# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

- · 11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
- · Acute toxicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- · LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:

#### CAS: 77-92-9 citric acid

Oral LD50 | 3000 mg/kg (rat) (IUCLID) Dermal LD50 >2000 mg/kg (rat)

(limit test: there were no deaths)

· Skin corrosion/irritation Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

- · Serious eye damage/irritation Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- Information on components:

Citric acid: A single drop of a 2% or 5% solution in water causes little or no irritation.

A 0.5% solution held in contact with the eye causes irreversible tissue damage to the cornea.

Citric Acid caused mild irritation when 500 mg was tested on rabbit skin in a 24-hour test.

(CHEMINFO, Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety)

#### CAS: 77-92-9 citric acid

Irritation of skin OECD 404 (rabbit: no irritation) Irritation of eves OECD 405 (rabbit: severe irritations)

- · Respiratory or skin sensitisation Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- Information on components:

CAS: 77-92-9 citric acid

Sensitisation | OECD 406 | (guinea pig: negative) (EPA OPP 81-6: Guinea pig maximisation test)

- · Germ cell mutagenicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- · Carcinogenicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- · Reproductive toxicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- · Information on components:

OECD 414: Teratogenicity testing

OECD 473: Mutagenicity testing

OECD 471, 474, 476, 487: Germ cell mutagenicity testing

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OECD 471 (negative) (Bacterial Reverse Mutation Test - Ames test)

- · STOT (specific target organ toxicity) -single exposure Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- · STOT (specific target organ toxicity) -repeated exposure Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- · Aspiration hazard Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### · Information on likely routes of exposure

Under workplace conditions, inhalative exposure is the main route of exposure of citric acid. Inhalative exposure is possible in the form of dust or aerosols of aqueous solutions, although the warning irritant effect means that inhalation of very high concentrations is only to be expected accidentally.

Irrespective of this, citric acid is mainly ingested orally with food. [GESTIS]

#### · Additional toxicological information:

### CAS: 77-92-9 citric acid

(source: GESTIS)

Main toxic effects:

Acute: Irritant effect on the eyes and upper respiratory tract; no evidence of systemic toxic effects under occupationally relevant exposure conditions

chronic: irritative effects on mucous membranes and skin.

Enamel damage, dermatitis (Merck)

Further information:

Depending on the pH value, dust or concentrated aqueous solutions are highly irritating to corrosive to the eye.

## · 11.2 Information on other hazards

# · Endocrine disrupting properties

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#### Other information

According to the information available to us, the chemical, physical and toxicological properties of the substances mentioned in Chapter 3 have not been thoroughly investigated.

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### · 12.1 Toxicity

· Aquatic toxicity:			
CAS:	CAS: 77-92-9 citric acid		
	~120 mg/l (Daphnia magna) (72 h) (IUCLID)		
	485 mg/l (Entosiphon sulcatum) (72h) (MERCK)		
	440–760 mg/l/96h (gold orfe) (IUCLID)		

#### Bacterial toxicity:

CAS: 77-92-9 citric acid

EC5 >10000 mg/l (Pseudomonas putida) (16h (Lit.))

#### · 12.2 Persistence and degradability

CAS: 77-92-9 citric acid

OECD 301 B 97 % / 28 d (readily biodegradable) (CO2 Evolution Test)

OECD 302 B 98 % / 2 d (readily eliminated from water) (Zahn-Wellens / EMPA Test)

### · 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

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log Pow -1.72 (.) (OECD 117, 20°C)

- · 12.4 Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.
- · 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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- · 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.
- · 12.7 Other adverse effects Avoid transfer into the environment.
- Water hazard:

Do not allow product to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system.

Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into soil.

### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

- · 13.1 Waste treatment methods
- · Recommendation

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system. Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

# European waste catalogue

16 05 09 discarded chemicals other than those mentioned in 16 05 06, 16 05 07 or 16 05 08

- · Uncleaned packagings:
- · Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- · Recommended cleaning agent: Water, if necessary with cleaning agent.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

· 14.1 UN number or ID number · ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void	
· 14.2 UN proper shipping name · ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void	

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· 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)		
· ADR, IMDG, IATA · Class	Void	
· 14.4 Packing group · ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void	
· 14.5 Environmental hazards:	Not applicable.	
· 14.6 Special precautions for user	Not applicable.	
· 14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according instruments	to IMO Not applicable.	
· Transport/Additional information:	Not dangerous according to the above specifications.	

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

- 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
- · Regulation (EU) 2019/1148 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors not regulated
- Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals (PIC)

None of the ingredients is listed.

Regulation (EC) No 273/2004 on drug precursors

None of the ingredients is listed.

· Regulation (EC) No 111/2005 laying down rules for the monitoring of trade between the Community and third countries in drug precursors

None of the ingredients is listed.

· Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer:

None of the ingredients is listed.

REGULATION (EU) 2019/1021 on persistent organic pollutants (POP)

None of the ingredients is listed.

LIST OF SUBSTANCES SUBJECT TO AUTHORISATION (ANNEX XIV)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· Substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to REACH, Article 57

This product does not contain any substances of very high concern above the legal concentration limit of ≥ 0.1% (w / w).

- · Directive 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III):
- · Named dangerous substances ANNEX I None of the ingredients is listed.
- · Information about limitation of use: Not required.
- 15.2 Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

These data are based on our present knowledge. However, they shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- · Training hints Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.
- · Relevant phrases

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

Abbreviations and acronyms:

OECD: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

STOT: specific target organ toxicity

SE: single exposure

RE: repeated exposure

EC50: half maximal effective concentration

IC50: hallf maximal inhibitory concentration

NOEL or NOEC: No Observed Effect Level or Concentration

ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous

Goods by Road)

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RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of

Dangerous Goods by Rail)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2

STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) - Category 3

Data arise from safety data sheets, reference works and literature. ECHA: European CHemicals Agency http://echa.europa.eu GESTIS- Stoffdatenbank (Substance Database, Germany)

·\* Data compared to the previous version altered.

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