

Section 1. Product and Company Identification

Product Name	Kojic Acid
CAS Number	501-30-4

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Section 2. Hazards Identification

Classification of the substance or mixture Not classified as a hazardous substance or mixture

GHS Label Elements Pictograms: N/A Signal word: N/A

Hazard and precautionary statements None

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS: None

Section 3. Composition	on / Information on Ingredients	
Common Name Formula CAS Number	Kojic Acid C ₆ H ₆ O₄ 501-30-4	

Section 4. First Aid Measures

Description of first-aid measures

Inhalation: If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. **Skin contact:** Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

Eye contact: Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

Ingestion: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2) and/or in section 11. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: No data available



Section 5. Firefighting Measures

Extinguishing media

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, protective equipment, and emergency procedures: Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist, or gas. For personal protection see section 8. **Environmental precautions:** Do not let product enter drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up: Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

Reference to other sections: For disposal see section 13.

Section 7. Handling and Storage

Precautions for safe handling: Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. For precautions see section 2.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities: Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep in a dry place.

Section 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters: Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls: General industrial hygiene practice.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection: 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.

Body Protection: Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place. The type of protective equipment must be



selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection: Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Control of environmental exposure: Do not let product enter drains.

Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties
Appearance: Powder, crystalline
Color: Off-white
Odor: Odorless
Odor Threshold: No data available
pH: No data available
Melting point/freezing point: 152 - 155°C (306 - 311°F)
Initial boiling point and boiling range: No data available
Flash point: No data available
Evaporation rate: No data available
Flammability (Solid, gas): No data available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits: No data available
Vapor pressure: No data available
Vapor density: No data available
Relative density: No data available
Water solubility: Soluble
Partition coefficient (n-Octanol/Water): No data available
Auto-ignition temperature: No data available
Decomposition temperature: No data available
Viscosity: No data available
Explosive properties: No data available
Oxidizing properties: No data available

Other safety information: No data available

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: Strong acids, Strong bases



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 Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available LD50 Intraperitoneal - Mouse: 250 mg/kg Skin corrosion/irritation: No data available Serious eye damage/eye irritation: No data available Respiratory or skin sensitization: No data available Germ cell mutagenicity: Histidine reversion (Ames) Hamster ovary Sister chromatid exchange

Carcinogenicity

Carcinogenicity - Rat - Oral

Tumorigenic: Equivocal tumorigenic agent by RTECS criteria. Endocrine: Tumors.

IARC: 3 - Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans (5-Hydroxy-2-hydroxymethyl-4-pyrone)

ACGIH: 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 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: UQ0875000 To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Section 12. Ecological Information

Toxicity: No data available Persistence and degradability: No data available



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: No data available

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

Waste Treatment Methods: Dispose of product and contaminated packaging in accordance with all local, state, and federal environmental control regulations.

Section 14. Transport Information

DOT (US): Not dangerous goods **IMDG:** Not dangerous goods **IATA:** Not dangerous goods

Section 15. Regulatory Information

SARA 302 Components: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 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: No SARA Hazards

Massachusetts Right to Know Components No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act. Pennsylvania Right to Know Components 5-Hydroxy-2-hydroxymethyl-4-pyrone (CAS-No. 501-30-4) New Jersey Right to Know Components 5-Hydroxy-2-hydroxymethyl-4-pyrone (CAS-No. 501-30-4)

California Prop. 65 Components: This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

HMIS Rating Health: 0 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0



NFPA Rating Health: 0 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0

Section 16. Other Information

Disclaimer: The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product.

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