

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:** Vario Manganese Citrate (Buffer) F10 ml

· **Catalog number:** 00530659, 530650, 4530650

· **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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· **Informing department:**

e-mail: sds@lovibond.com
Product Safety Department

· **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**



GHS07

Eye Irrit. 2 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

· **2.2 Label elements**

· **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

The product is classified and labelled according to the GB CLP regulation.

· **Hazard pictograms**



GHS07

· **Signal word** Warning

· **Hazard statements**

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

· **Precautionary statements**

P280 Wear protective gloves / 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.

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P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

- **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 of organic and inorganic compounds

- **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 77-92-9	citric acid	⚠ Eye Irrit. 2, H319; STOT SE 3, H335	10-<20%
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Index No: 607-750-00-3			
Reg.nr.: 01-2119457026-42-XXXX			

- **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**

- **After inhalation** Supply fresh air.

- **After skin contact**

Instantly rinse with water.

If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.

- **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:**

irritations

after inhalation:

mucosal irritations, cough, shortness of breath

after swallowing of large amounts:

mucous membrane irritation

sickness

vomiting

gastric or intestinal trouble

cardiovascular disorders

- **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** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.

- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

The product is not combustible.

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

Can be released in case of fire:

Sulphur oxides (SO_x)

Phosphorus oxides (P_xO_x)

Sodium oxide

- **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.

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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
- **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.
- **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:** Prevent formation of dust.
- **Hygiene measures:**
Avoid contact with the eyes.
Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.
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:**
Protect from heat and direct sunlight.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.
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.
- **Recommended monitoring procedures:**
Methods for measurement of the workplace atmosphere have to correspond to the requirements of norms DIN EN 482 and DIN EN 689.
- **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

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

- **Hand protection**

- Protective gloves.

- 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.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

- **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

- **Physical state**

- Solid.

- **Form:**

- Powder

- **Colour:**

- White

- **Odour:**

- Odourless

- **Odour threshold:**

- Not applicable.

- **Melting point/Freezing point:**

- 153°C (CAS 77-92-9)

- **Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range**

- Not determined.

- **Flammability**

- The product is not combustible.

- **Explosive properties:**

- Product is not explosive.

- **Lower and upper explosion limit**

- Lower:

- Not applicable.

- Upper:

- Not applicable.

- **Flash point:**

- Not applicable.

- **Auto-ignition temperature:**

- Not applicable (solid).

- **Decomposition temperature:**

- > 175°C (CAS 77-92-9)

- **pH (19 g/l) at 20°C**

- 6.3

- **Kinematic viscosity**

- Not applicable (solid).

- **Solubility**

- **Water:**

- Soluble

- **Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)**

- Not applicable (mixture).

- **Vapour pressure:**

- Not applicable.

- **Density and/or relative density**

- **Density at 20°C:**

- 1.6 g/cm³

- **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** see section 10.3

- **10.2 Chemical stability** Stable at ambient temperature (room temperature).

- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**

- Aqueous solution reacts with metals.

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Reacts with certain metals

Citric acid: Incompatible with bases, strong oxidising agents, amines. Contact with metal nitrates causes explosion hazard.

Attacks aluminium, copper, zinc and their alloys - in case of moisture.

- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** Strong heating (decomposition)

- **10.5 Incompatible materials:**

metals

aluminium, copper, zinc, metal ions

- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:**

sodium monoxide

In case of fire: see section 5.

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** Causes serious eye irritation.

- **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 eyes	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)
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- **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)
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- **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]

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Additional toxicological information:
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(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 The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.

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: 77-92-9 citric acid

EC50	~120 mg/l (Daphnia magna) (72 h) (IUCLID)
EC5	485 mg/l (Entosiphon sulcatum) (72h) (MERCK)
LC50	440–760 mg/l/96h (gold orfe) (IUCLID)

Bacterial toxicity:

sulphates toxic > 2.5 g/l

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

Toxic for fish:
 Sulphates > 7 g/l

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

Pow = n-octanol/wasser partition coefficient
 log Pow < 1 = Does not accumulate in organisms.

CAS: 77-92-9 citric acid

log Pow	-1.72 (.) (OECD 117, 20°C)
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12.4 Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.

12.5 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.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.

12.7 Other adverse effects

Depending on the concentration, phosphorus and/or nitrogen compounds may contribute to the eutrophication of water supplies. Avoid transfer into the environment.

Water hazard:

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system. Must not reach sewage water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralised.

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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.
Hand over to disposers of hazardous waste.

- **European waste catalogue**

16 05 06*	laboratory chemicals, consisting of or containing hazardous substances, including mixtures of laboratory chemicals
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- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleaning agent:** Water, if necessary with cleaning agent.

SECTION 14: Transport information

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.1 UN number or ID number · ADR, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.2 UN proper shipping name · ADR, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) · ADR, IMDG, IATA · Class | Void |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.4 Packing group · ADR, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.5 Environmental hazards: · Marine pollutant: | No |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.6 Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments | Not applicable. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 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**

- **Poisons Act UK**

- **Regulated explosives precursors**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Regulated poisons**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Reportable explosives precursors**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Reportable poisons**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **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 1334/2000 setting up a Community regime for the control of exports of dual-use items and technology:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Regulation (EC) No 273/2004 on drug precursors**

None of the ingredients is listed.

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· 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 $\geq 0.1\%$ (w / w).

· **Substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to UK REACH**

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

· **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.

This Safety Data Sheet is in compliance with Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Article 31 as amended by Regulation (EU) 2020/878.

· **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:**

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation

EC50: effective concentration, 50 percent (in vivo)

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: half 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)

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

· **Sources**

Data arise from safety data sheets, reference works and literature.

IUCLID (International Uniform Chemical Information Database)

GESTIS- Stoffdatenbank (Substance Database, Germany)

ECHA: European Chemicals Agency <http://echa.europa.eu>

· * **Data compared to the previous version altered.**