Camlab Limited – Material Safety Data Sheet

1. Identification	
Product Code	сс/1443-со
Product Name	TARTARIC ACID pure
Molecular Formula	(CHOHCOOH) ₂ =150.09
CAS Number	87-69-4
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2. Composition

No hazardous components

3. Hazards Identification

Not considered harmful

4. First Aid Measures		
Eyes	Irrigate thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes, holding the eye open. If discomfort persists OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.	
Skin	Wash off skin thoroughly with water.	
Inhalation	Remove from exposure.	
Ingestion	Wash out the patients mouth thoroughly with water. In severe cases or if exposure has been great, OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.	

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Hazards	Evacuate area immediately. Keep up wind. Avoid exposure to toxic vapours and fumes.
Extinguishing Media	Water spray, foam, dry powder or carbon dioxide.
Unsuitable Media	Nothing specified.

6. Accidental Release Measures		
Personal Protection	Avoid breathing dust-wear respiratory protective equipment.	
Enviromental	Presents no major environmental hazard.	
Major Spillage	Shovel/sweep up into container for removal Wash area down with detergent and copious amounts of water.	

6. Accidental Release Measures (continued)

Minor Spillage

Wash area down with copious amounts of water.

7. Storage & Handling		
Handling Precautions	Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breath dust. Do not allow to contaminate clothing.	
	Ensure Local Exhaust Ventilation maintains dust concentrations to a minimum.	
Storage Conditions	Well ventilated, cool, dry storage .	

8.1 Workplace Exposure Limits

No prescribed exposure limits available

8.2 Personal Protection

Respiratory	If process creates significant amounts of dust use L.E.V. or wear suitable dust mask.
Hands	Wear gloves.
Eyes	Use chemical splash proof glasses or goggles.
Skin	Avoid contact with skin. If skin contact or contamination of clothing is likely, protective clothing must be worn.

9. Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance	White crystalline powder or granules.
Odour	No specific odour.
рH	Not available
Boiling point	Not available
Melting point	169.0 °C
Flash point	Not available
Upper Flammable Limit	Not available
Lower Flammable Limit	Not available
Auto Ignition	Not available
Explosive properties	No.
Oxidising Properties	No.
Vapour Presure	Not available
Relative Density	1.7600 °C
Water Solubility	14.7%

10. Stability & Reactivity

Chemical Stability	Stable under normal conditions
Conditions to Avoid	No specific conditions.
Materials to Avoid	Strong oxidising agents.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	May produce hazardous fumes if involved in a fire.

11. Toxicological Information

Eyes	Contact with the solid or dust may cause severe irritation.
Skin	Contact with the solid or dust may be irritating to the skin.
LD50 Skin	Not available
Ingest	Presents no significant hazard by ingestion.
LD50 Ingest	Oral rat >5000mg/Kg
Inhalation	Inhalation of dust may produce irritation of the eyes, nose, throat and respiratory tract.
Carcinogenicity	Not considered to be a carcinogen.

11. Toxicological Information (continued)

Mutagenicity

Not considered to be a mutagen.

Reproductive Effects None identified.

12. Ecological

Small amounts present no specific environmental hazard.

13. Disposal Considerations

Disposal Methods Do not dispose of as domestic waste. Dispose of to a licensed land fill site.

Contaminated Packaging Wash out containers with water. Use a licensed waste disposer.

14. Transport Information

Proper Shipping Name	Non-restricted
UN Number	Non-restricted
UN Classification	None
Subsidiary Risk	None
Flash Point	Not available
Packing Group	None
Transport Category	None
Marine pollutant	No
ADR Hazard ID	Non-restricted

15. Regulatory Information

Labelling	None	
Classification		
Label Symbols	None	
Risk & safety Phrases	None	
EEC Number	201-766-0	

16. Other Information

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