# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

**Product identifier** 

Product Name Trio Tebuf 700 Surfactant

Product Code(s) APVMA Approval# 62476

Other means of identification

Proper shipping name PROPIONIC ACID

UN number UN1848

Pure substance/mixture Mixture

## Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Penetrating surfactant, acidifer, reduce alkaline hydrolysis in Herbicides and Pesticides

For professional use only

Consumer use

Uses advised against No information available

Details of manufacturer or importer

Supplier

CTS Chemicals Pty Ltd. Manning Buildings 135 High Street Mall Fremantle WA 6160 Australia 1800 749 140

For further information, please contact

Contact Point Product Safety Department

Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number CHEMTREC (Australia): +61-290372994

# **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### GHS Classification

Flammable liquids	Category 4 - (H227)
Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4 - (H302)
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category B - (H314)
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1 - (H318)
Specific target organ toxicity — single exposure	Category 3 - (H335)

#### Label elements

Exclamation mark





# Signal word

Danger

#### **Hazard statements**

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

H227 - Combustible liquid

## **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking

Keep cool

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth

Do NOT induce vomiting

In case of fire: Use dry chemical, CO2, water spray or regular foam for extinction

## **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

## **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

## Other hazards which do not result in classification

May be harmful in contact with skin. May be harmful if inhaled. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Toxic to aquatic life.

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### Substance

Not applicable

#### Mixture

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%
Propionic acid	79-09-4	30 - 40
Non-hazardous ingredients	Proprietary	Balance

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

**Description of first aid measures** 

**General advice** Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is

required.

Emergency telephone number Poisons Information Centre, Australia: 13 11 26

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Get medical

attention immediately. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. If breathing is difficult, (trained personnel should) give oxygen. Delayed pulmonary edema may occur. Get immediate medical

advice/attention.

**Eye contact** Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep

eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Remove contact lenses, if present

and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

**Skin contact** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

**Ingestion** Do NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious

person. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

Self-protection of the first aider Remove all sources of ignition. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s)

involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8). Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

Avoid direct contact with skin. Use barrier to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** Burning sensation.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Note to doctors** Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contra-indicated.

Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Do not give chemical antidotes. Asphyxia from glottal edema may occur. Marked decrease in blood pressure may

occur with moist rales, frothy sputum, and high pulse pressure.

**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures** 

Suitable Extinguishing Media

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Dry chemical, CO2, water spray or regular foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media None known based on information supplied.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

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chemical

Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition. In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray. The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapours.

**Hazardous combustion products** Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and unburned hydrocarbons (smoke).

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

Hazchem code •2W

# **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

## Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal precautions** Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use personal protective equipment as required. See

section 8 for more information. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Attention! Corrosive material. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of

spill/leak.

**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

**Environmental precautions** 

**Environmental precautions**Should not be released into the environment. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to

do so. Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil. Prevent product from entering drains.

#### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Dyke

far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal.

Methods for cleaning up Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Dam up. Soak up with inert

absorbent material. Pick up and transfer to properly labelled containers.

#### Precautions to prevent secondary hazards

Prevention of secondary hazards Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

## Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Use personal protection equipment. Do not breathe vapour or mist. Keep away from heat,

hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Handle product only in closed system or provide appropriate exhaust ventilation. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using

this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

General hygiene considerations Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Contaminated work clothing should not

be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from

heat, sparks, flame and other sources of ignition (i.e., pilot lights, electric motors and static electricity). Keep in properly labelled containers. Store in accordance with the particular national regulations. Store in accordance with local regulations. Keep out of the reach of children. Protect from moisture. Store locked up. Store away from other materials.

Incompatible materials Strong alkalis.

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### **Control parameters**

#### **Exposure Limits**

Chemical name	Australia	ACGIH TLV
Propionic acid	10 ppm TWA	TWA: 10 ppm
79-09-4	30 mg/m³ TWA	

## Biological occupational exposure limits

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

# **Appropriate engineering controls**

Engineering controls Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Tight sealing safety goggles. Face protection shield.

**Skin and body protection** Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing. Chemical resistant apron.

**Hand protection** Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.

Respiratory protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are

exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

Environmental exposure controls Should not be released into the environment. Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or

into any body of water. Prevent product from entering drains.

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

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Physical state Liquid Colour Yellow

Odour No information available Odour threshold No information available

<u>Values</u> PH 2 - 4 Remarks • Method

Melting point / freezing point No data available

Initial boiling point and boiling > 100 °C

range Flash point

> 90 °C

Evaporation rate

No data available
Flammability

No data available

Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Lower flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Vapour pressure No data available

Vapour density No data available

Relative density 1.03

Water solubility
Solubility(ies)
No data available
Partition coefficient
No data available
Autoignition temperature
No data available
Decomposition temperature
No data available
Kinematic viscosity
No data available
Dynamic viscosity
No data available
No data available

Explosive properties No information available.

Oxidising properties No information available.

Other information

Softening point
Molecular weight
VOC Content (%)
Liquid Density
Bulk density
Particle characteristics
No information available
No information available
No information available
No information available

# SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

**Reactivity** None under normal use conditions.

**Chemical stability** 

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None.

Sensitivity to static discharge Yes.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

**Conditions to avoid** Heat, flames and sparks. Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods.

**Incompatible materials** 

Incompatible materials Strong alkalis.

**Hazardous decomposition products** 

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

# SECTION 11: Toxicological information

**Acute toxicity** 

Information on likely routes of exposure

**Product Information** 

**Inhalation** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Corrosive by inhalation.

(based on components). Inhalation of corrosive fumes/gases may cause coughing, choking, headache, dizziness, and weakness for several hours. Pulmonary edema may occur with tightness in the chest, shortness of breath, bluish skin, decreased blood pressure, and increased heart rate. Inhaled corrosive substances can lead to a toxic edema of the lungs. Pulmonary edema can be fatal. May cause irritation of respiratory tract. May be harmful if

inhaled.

**Eye contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes serious eye

damage. (based on components). Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage

including blindness. May cause irreversible damage to eyes.

**Skin contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Corrosive. (based on

components). Causes burns. May be harmful in contact with skin.

Ingestion Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes burns. (based on

components). Ingestion causes burns of the upper digestive and respiratory tracts. May cause severe burning pain in the mouth and stomach with vomiting and diarrhea of dark blood. Blood pressure may decrease. Brownish or yellowish stains may be seen around the mouth. Swelling of the throat may cause shortness of breath and choking. May cause lung

damage if swallowed. May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

Symptoms Redness. Burning. May cause blindness. Coughing and/ or wheezing.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

**Numerical measures of toxicity** 

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document:

ATEmix (oral) 605.20 mg/kg

Unknown acute toxicity

35 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute oral toxicity

**Component Information** 

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Propionic acid	= 351 mg/kg (Rat)	= 3235 mg/kg (Rat)	> 19.7 mg/L (Rat)1 h

## Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes burns.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Classification based on data available for ingredients. Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Causes burns.

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation** No information available.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** No information available.

**Carcinogenicity** No information available.

**Reproductive toxicity**No information available.

**STOT - single exposure** May cause respiratory irritation.

**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available.

Aspiration hazard No information available.

# SECTION 12: Ecological information

## **Ecotoxicity**

**Ecotoxicity** 

Toxic to aquatic life. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to	Crustacea
			microorganisms	
Propionic acid	EC50: =43mg/L (96h,	LC50: 73 - 99.7mg/L	-	-
·	Desmodesmus	(96h, Lepomis		
	subspicatus)	macrochirus)		
	EC50: =45.8mg/L	LC50: =51mg/L (96h,		
	(72h, Desmodesmus	Oncorhynchus mykiss)		
	subspicatus)	LC50: >1mg/L (96h,		
	, ,	Pimephales promelas)		

Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability No information available.

Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** 

**Component Information** 

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
Propionic acid	0.33

**Mobility** 

Mobility in soilNo information available.MobilityNo information available.

Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects No information available.

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

Should not be released into the environment. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse empty containers.

**SECTION 14: Transport information** 

ADG

products

UN number UN1848

Proper shipping name PROPIONIC ACID

Transport hazard class(es) 8
Packing group | |

**Description** UN1848, PROPIONIC ACID, 8, III

Limited quantity (LQ) 5 L Hazchem code •2W

**IATA** 

UN number or ID number UN1848 UN proper shipping name Propionic acid

Transport hazard class(es) 8
Packing group III
ERG Code 8L
Special Provisions A803

**Description** UN1848, Propionic acid, 8, III

**IMDG** 

UN number or ID number UN1848

UN proper shipping name PROPIONIC ACID

Transport hazard class(es) 8
Packing group III
EmS-No F-A, S-B
Marine pollutant P

**Description** UN1848, PROPIONIC ACID, 8, III, Marine pollutant

## Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

No information available

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

#### Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

## **National regulations**

#### Australia

See section 8 for national exposure control parameters

## Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)

Classified as a scheduled poison according to the Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)

Poison Schedule Number

## **National pollutant inventory**

Subject to reporting requirement

Chemical name	National pollutant inventory
Propionic acid - 79-09-4	20 MW Threshold category 2b total
	60000 MWH Threshold category 2b total
	1 tonne/h Threshold category 2a total
	25 tonne/yr Threshold category 1a total
	400 tonne/yr Threshold category 2a total
	2000 tonne/yr Threshold category 2b total

## **International Inventories**

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status

## **International Regulations**

The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Not applicable

The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants Not applicable

The Rotterdam Convention Not applicable

# **SECTION 16: Other information**

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#### Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value \* Skin designation

C Carcinogen

## Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australian National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Programme

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

World Health Organization

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