

## SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### 1.1. Product identifier

Product Description: Cerium(III) acetate sesquihydrate  
 Cat No. : 15294  
 CAS No 17829-82-2  
 EC No 690-854-6  
 Molecular Formula Ce(C<sub>2</sub> H<sub>3</sub> O<sub>2</sub>)<sub>3</sub>.1.5H<sub>2</sub> O

### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.  
 Uses advised against No Information available

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Avocado Research Chemicals Ltd.  
 (Part of Thermo Fisher Scientific)  
 Shore Road, Heysham  
 Lancashire, LA3 2XY,  
 United Kingdom  
 Office Tel: +44 (0) 1524 850506  
 Office Fax: +44 (0) 1524 850608

E-mail address begel.sdsdesk@thermofisher.com

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

For information **US** call: 001-800-227-6701 / **Europe** call: +32 14 57 52 11  
 Emergency Number **US**:001-201-796-7100 / **Europe**: +32 14 57 52 99  
**CHEMTREC** Tel. No. **US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

## SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### GHS Classification - According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567

#### Physical hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### Health hazards

Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2 (H315)  
 Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 1 (H318)

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Specific target organ toxicity - (single exposure)

Category 3 (H335)

## Environmental hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

## 2.2. Label elements



Signal Word

Danger

## Hazard Statements

- H315 - Causes skin irritation
- H318 - Causes serious eye damage
- H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

## Precautionary Statements

- P302 + P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
- P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
- P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
- P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing
- P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

## 2.3. Other hazards

- No information available
- This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1. Substances

| Component                                   | CAS No     | EC No             | Weight % | GHS Classification - According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567 |
|---|------------|-------------------|----------|---|
| Acetic acid, cerium(3+) salt, hydrate (2:3) | 17829-82-2 | 690-854-6         | <=100    | Skin Irrit. 2 (H315)<br>Eye Dam. 1 (H318)<br>STOT SE 3 (H335)                           |
| Acetic acid, cerium(3+) salt                | 537-00-8   | EEC No. 208-654-0 | 0        | Skin Irrit. 2 (H315)<br>Eye Dam. 1 (H318)<br>STOT SE 3 (H335)                           |

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

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## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

|   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>General Advice</b>                     | If symptoms persist, call a physician.   |
| <b>Eye Contact</b>                        | Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.                                  |
| <b>Skin Contact</b>                       | Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.                                |
| <b>Ingestion</b>                          | Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.  |
| <b>Inhalation</b>                         | Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.                                     |
| <b>Self-Protection of the First Aider</b> | Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. |

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None reasonably foreseeable. Causes severe eye damage.

### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Powder. Water spray. In case of major fire and large quantities: Evacuate area. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion.

#### **Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

No information available.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Metal oxides.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust formation.

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## 6.2. Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

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

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

## 6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation.

#### **Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Wash hands before breaks and after work.

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

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

**Technical Rules for Hazardous Substances (TRGS) 510**      Class 11  
**Storage Class (LGK) (Germany)**

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use in laboratories

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### **Exposure limits**

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

#### **Biological limit values**

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

#### **Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) / Derived Minimum Effect Level (DMEL)**

No information available

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## Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

No information available.

## 8.2. Exposure controls

### Engineering Measures

Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

### Personal protective equipment

**Eye Protection** Goggles (European standard - EN 166)

**Hand Protection** Protective gloves

| Glove material | Breakthrough time | Glove thickness | EU standard | Glove comments        |
|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| Nitrile rubber | See manufacturers | -               | EN 374      | (minimum requirement) |
| Neoprene       | recommendations   |                 |             |                       |
| Natural rubber |                   |                 |             |                       |
| PVC            |                   |                 |             |                       |

**Skin and body protection** Long sleeved clothing.

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatibility, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

**Respiratory Protection** When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.  
To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained properly

**Large scale/emergency use** Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced  
**Recommended Filter type:** Particulates filter conforming to EN 143

**Small scale/Laboratory use** Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149:2001 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.  
**Recommended half mask:-** Particle filtering: EN149:2001  
When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Physical State** Solid

**Appearance** White

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|   |                          |  |
|---|--------------------------|--|
| Odor                                    | No information available |  |
| Odor Threshold                          | No data available        |  |
| Melting Point/Range                     | 308 °C / 586.4 °F        | (with decomposition)                     |
| Softening Point                         | No data available        |  |
| Boiling Point/Range                     | No information available |  |
| Flammability (liquid)                   | Not applicable           | Solid                                    |
| Flammability (solid,gas)                | No information available |  |
| Explosion Limits                        | No data available        |  |
| Flash Point                             | No information available | <b>Method -</b> No information available |
| Autoignition Temperature                | No data available        |  |
| Decomposition Temperature               | No data available        |  |
| pH                                      | Not applicable           |  |
| Viscosity                               | Not applicable           | Solid                                    |
| Water Solubility                        | No information available |  |
| Solubility in other solvents            | No information available |  |
| Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water) |                          |  |
| Vapor Pressure                          | No data available        |  |
| Density / Specific Gravity              | No data available        |  |
| Bulk Density                            | No data available        |  |
| Vapor Density                           | Not applicable           | Solid                                    |
| Particle characteristics                | No data available        |  |

## 9.2. Other information

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| Molecular Formula | Ce(C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>3</sub> O <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> ·1.5H <sub>2</sub> O |
| Molecular Weight  | 344.28 (317.26anhy)   |
| Evaporation Rate  | Not applicable - Solid  |

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1. Reactivity

None known, based on information available

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

|                          |                               |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Hazardous Polymerization | No information available.     |
| Hazardous Reactions      | None under normal processing. |

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Incompatible products. Excess heat.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agent.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Metal oxides.

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

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**(a) acute toxicity;**

Oral

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Dermal

No data available

Inhalation

No data available

| Component                                   | LD50 Oral             | LD50 Dermal | LC50 Inhalation |
|---|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| Acetic acid, cerium(3+) salt, hydrate (2:3) | LD50 > 5 g/kg ( Rat ) | -           | -               |

**(b) skin corrosion/irritation;** Category 2

**(c) serious eye damage/irritation;** Category 1

**(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;**

Respiratory

No data available

Skin

No data available

**(e) germ cell mutagenicity;** No data available

**(f) carcinogenicity;** No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

**(g) reproductive toxicity;** No data available

**(h) STOT-single exposure;** Category 3

Results / Target organs

Respiratory system.

**(i) STOT-repeated exposure;** No data available

Target Organs

None known.

**(j) aspiration hazard;** Not applicable  
Solid

**Symptoms / effects,both acute and delayed** No information available.

## 11.2. Information on other hazards

**Endocrine Disrupting Properties**

Assess endocrine disrupting properties for human health. This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1. Toxicity

**Ecotoxicity effects**

May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

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|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>12.2. Persistence and degradability</b>      | Product contains heavy metals. Discharge into the environment must be avoided. Special pre-treatment is necessary |
| <b>Persistence</b>                              | May persist.  |
| <b>Degradation in sewage treatment plant</b>    | Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants.   |
| <b>12.3. Bioaccumulative potential</b>          | Product has a high potential to bioconcentrate  |
| <b>12.4. Mobility in soil</b>                   | No information available  |
| <b>12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment</b> | No data available for assessment.   |
| <b>12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties</b>    |   |
| <b>Endocrine Disruptor Information</b>          | This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors   |
| <b>12.7. Other adverse effects</b>              |   |
| <b>Persistent Organic Pollutant</b>             | This product does not contain any known or suspected substance  |
| <b>Ozone Depletion Potential</b>                | This product does not contain any known or suspected substance  |

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

|  |  |
|--|--|
| <b>Waste from Residues/Unused Products</b> | Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. |
| <b>Contaminated Packaging</b>              | Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.  |
| <b>European Waste Catalogue (EWC)</b>      | According to the European Waste Catalog, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific.   |
| <b>Other Information</b>                   | Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Do not empty into drains. Do not flush to sewer.                   |

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**IMDG/IMO** Not regulated

**14.1. UN number**

**14.2. UN proper shipping name**

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

**14.4. Packing group**

**ADR** Not regulated

**14.1. UN number**

**14.2. UN proper shipping name**

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**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

**14.4. Packing group**

**IATA** Not regulated

**14.1. UN number**

**14.2. UN proper shipping name**

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

**14.4. Packing group**

**14.5. Environmental hazards** No hazards identified

**14.6. Special precautions for user** No special precautions required.

**14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments** Not applicable, packaged goods

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

**15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

**International Inventories**

X = listed, Australia, U.S.A. (TSCA), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Australia (AICS), Korea (KECL), China (IECSC), Japan (ENCS), Philippines (PICCS). US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

| Component                                   | CAS No     | EINECS    | ELINCS | NLP | IECSC | TCSI | KECL     | ENCS | ISHL |
|---|------------|-----------|--------|-----|-------|------|----------|------|------|
| Acetic acid, cerium(3+) salt, hydrate (2:3) | 17829-82-2 | -         | -      | -   | -     | X    | -        | -    | -    |
| Acetic acid, cerium(3+) salt                | 537-00-8   | 208-654-0 | -      | -   | -     | X    | KE-05380 | X    | X    |

| Component                                   | CAS No     | TSCA | TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive | DSL | NDSL | AICS | NZIoC | PICCS |
|---|------------|------|---|-----|------|------|-------|-------|
| Acetic acid, cerium(3+) salt, hydrate (2:3) | 17829-82-2 | -    | -   | -   | -    | X    | -     | -     |
| Acetic acid, cerium(3+) salt                | 537-00-8   | X    | ACTIVE  | X   | -    | X    | -     | -     |

**Legend:** X - Listed '-' - Not Listed

**KECL** - NIER number or KE number (<http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do>)

**Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH** Not applicable

| Component                                   | CAS No     | REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization | REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances | REACH Regulation (EC 1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) |
|---|------------|---|---|---|
| Acetic acid, cerium(3+) salt, hydrate (2:3) | 17829-82-2 | -   | -   | -   |
| Acetic acid, cerium(3+) salt                | 537-00-8   | -   | -   | -   |

**Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC)**

| Component                                   | CAS No     | Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification | Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements |
|---|------------|---|--|
| Acetic acid, cerium(3+) salt, hydrate (2:3) | 17829-82-2 | Not applicable  | Not applicable   |
| Acetic acid, cerium(3+) salt                | 537-00-8   | Not applicable  | Not applicable   |

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Regulation (EC) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals

Not applicable

Contains component(s) that meet a 'definition' of per & poly fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS)?

Not applicable

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work .

## National Regulations

UK - Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment

WGK Classification Water endangering class = 2 (self classification)

## 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has not been conducted

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H318 - Causes serious eye damage

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

### Legend

CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

IECSC - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

ENCS - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

DNEL - Derived No Effect Level

RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment

LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50%

NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50%

POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

ADR - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

IMO/IMDG - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

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**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

**VOC** - (Volatile Organic Compound)

**Key literature references and sources for data**

<https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals>

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

**Training Advice**

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

**Prepared By**

Health, Safety and Environmental Department

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**Revision Summary**

SDS sections updated.

**This safety data sheet complies with Regulation UK SI 2019/758 and UK SI 2020/1577 as amended.**

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