

## SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier: <b>TRC1299 and TRC1299CNO – Lauric Acid</b>		
Product Use: This product is commonly used in the production of cutting oils, specialty soaps, and chain terminators.		
Manufacturer/Supplier's Name: <b>TWIN RIVER TECHNOLOGIES</b>	Customer Contact Phone: <b>888-929-8780</b>	Email: <a href="mailto:Orders@trtlp.com">Orders@trtlp.com</a>
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Emergency Telephone Number: <b>Please call TRT's Emergency Response Service Company, VelocityEHS: Reference TRT's Contract # MIS9075839</b> US, Canada, Puerto Rico, & the U.S. Virgin Islands Emergency #: <b>1-800-255-3924</b> General International Emergency #s: <b>1-800-255-3924 or 1-813-248-0585</b> Australia: 1-300-954-583    Brazil: 0-800-591-6042    Mexico: 800-099-0731 India: 000-800-100-4086    China: 400-120-0751		

## SECTION 2: GHS HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION



**H319 - Causes skin irritation.**



**H318 - Causes serious eye damage.**

**European Hazard Classification:** Xi – Irritant; R36 – Irritating to eyes and R41- Risk of serious eye damage

### Emergency Overview:



**DANGER : GHS05 - CORROSIVE**

**CAUTION: Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling.**

### Potential Health Effects:

- Eye: May cause severe or permanent damage
  - Skin: causes burns
  - Inhalation: May elicit pulmonary irritation if mist or vapors are formed.  
May cause coughing or difficult breathing.
  - Ingestion: Causes burns to mucous membranes
- If product is heated, vaporization can occur. Eye, skin, and upper respiratory irritation may occur.**

### Physical/Chemical Hazards:

None identified

### Environmental Hazards:

None identified.

## SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance/Preparation (mixture): Substance

<u>Name</u>	<u>CAS No.</u>	<u>Wt/Wt %</u>	<u>EC No.</u>	<u>EC Symbols</u>	<u>EC R-phrases</u>
Dodecanoic acid	143-07-7	98 - 100	2055821	Xi	R36, R41

Occupational exposure limits, if applicable, are listed in Section 8. LC/LD50 information is listed in Section 11.

## SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES

Skin Contact:	Wash skin with soap and water upon contact. Remove contaminated clothing. If irritation develops, get medical attention. Wash clothing before reuse.
Eye Contact:	In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
Inhalation	Avoid breathing dust. If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention immediately.
Ingestion	If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention.

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## SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

- Extinguishing media: SMALL FIRES: Use CO<sub>2</sub> or dry chemical.  
LARGE FIRES: Use foam.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media: Do not use water as an extinguishing media.
- Flash Point and method: 335° F (168° C) PMCC
- Explosive limits in air: Upper and Lower: Not available
- Auto-ignition temperature: Not available
- Sensitivity to mechanical impact/static discharge: Not available
- Special Protective Equipment: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.
- Other Fire Fighting Considerations: Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after fire is out. Potential combustible dust if flaked or powdered. Dust generated from flaked product will be combustible at sufficient concentration.
- Exposure hazards: Does not decompose up to 400° F (204° C). Thermal decomposition or burning may produce carbon monoxide and/or carbon dioxide

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## SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Personal Precautions:** An appropriate NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator should be used if a mist, vapor or dust is generated. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.  
Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing.
- Environmental Precautions:** Minimize contamination of drains, surface and ground waters.  
Dike flow of spilled material using soil or sandbags to minimize contamination of drains, surface and ground waters
- Procedures for Spill/Leak Clean-up:** Sweep or shovel solids. For liquid spills, neutralization is not required. Contain spill. Absorb or cover with dry earth, sand or other noncombustible material and transfer to containers for disposal. Dispose as any grease or oily material in compliance with Federal, State, and/or Local requirements.

*Refer to Section 8 for additional personal protection information. Refer to Section 13 for disposal considerations.*

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## SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

- Handling:** Handle in accordance with good hygiene and safety procedures. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling.  
Since empty containers contain product residue, follow all hazard warnings and precautions even after container is emptied. Keep away from sources of ignition.
- Storage:** Keep away from possible contact with incompatible substances.  
Store in acid resistant vessels such as stainless steel, aluminum, or steel coated with resin lining such as Lithcote LC-19 or Kanigen.  
Do not store near sources of ignition.
- Specific use(s):** Follow bulk handling and storage procedures as noted above.  
*Refer to Section 6 for clean-up of spillages. Refer to Section 13 for disposal considerations.*

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## SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

- General Precautions:** Good industrial hygiene should be followed.  
Avoid breathing (heated) vapors. Avoid eye and skin contact.
- Exposure Limit Values:** Not established.
- Engineering Controls:** Ventilation: Local exhaust is preferred. Mechanical may be necessary if working at elevated temperatures or in enclosed areas.

**Section 8 Continued – Exposure Control/PPE**

Personal Protective Equipment:

Eye - Goggles or face shield with goggles, dependent upon potential exposure

Skin - Protective gloves: Rubber or plastic; Ensure there is an eye wash fountain and safety shower nearby.

Dependent upon degree of potential exposure, additional personal protective equipment may be required, such as chemical boots and full protective clothing.

Inhalation - None required for ambient temperature, although an appropriate NIOSH/MSHA approved air-purifying respirator should be used if a mist, vapor or dust is generated. A NIOSH/MSHA approved self-contained breathing apparatus or air-supplied respirator is recommended if the concentration exceeds the capacity of cartridge respirator. WARNING: Air purifying respirators do not protect workers in oxygen-deficient atmospheres.

Other PPE: Boots, apron, protective clothing.

Environmental Exposure Controls: Contact Twin Rivers Technologies Community information.

**SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

General Information:

Physical State @ 72° F (22° C):	Solid
Appearance:	white to light yellow
Odor:	Musty, fatty
Odor Threshold:	Not available

**Important health, safety and environmental information:**

pH:	3-4
Boiling point/Boiling range:	570° F (299° C) @ 760 mm Hg (101.3kPa)
Flash Point & Method:	335° F (168° C) PMCC
Flammability (solid, gas):	Not available
Explosive properties:	Not available
Oxidizing properties:	Not available
Vapor pressure: @ 72° F (22° C)	< 1 mm Hg
Relative density:	0.87 @ 20/20° C
Freezing point:	111° F (44° C)
Solubility:	
Water solubility:	Negligible @ 72° F (22° C)
Fat solubility (solvent-oil to be specified):	Not available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	Not available
Viscosity:	Not available
Vapor density:	Not available
Evaporation Rate (nBuOAc=1):	Not available
Explosive Limits:	
Lower:	Not available
Upper:	Not available
Auto ignition temperature:	Not available
Coefficient of water/oil distribution:	Not available

**SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

- Stability: Stable under normal operational procedures.
- Conditions to Avoid: None identified.
- Materials to Avoid: Avoid strong oxidizing agents.
- Hazardous Decomposition Products: Does not decompose up to 400° F (204° C). The thermal decomposition or burning may produce carbon monoxide and/or carbon dioxide.
- Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

**SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

<b><u>Dodecanoic acid:</u></b> Irritation Data:	Eye, rabbit	Corneal opacity, mild conjunctivitis, iritis – 72 h observation
	Skin, rabbit	500 mg. Mild irritation effects
<b>Acute Toxicity:</b> Oral, rat LD50	12 gm/kg	

**SECTION 11 continued:**

	<b><u>Decanoic acid</u></b>	<b><u>Tetradecanoic acid</u></b>
LD50 skin, rabbit	> 5 gm/kg	No available data
LD50 oral, rat	> 10 gm/kg	> 10 gm/kg



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**SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION (Based on coconut fatty acid mixture)**

Bluegill sunfish	96h LC50	63.3 mg/l
NOEC		32 mg/l
Oryzias latipes	96h LC50	8.6 mg/l
Gammarus sp.	48h EC50	8.6 mg/l
Nitzschia sp. 7	2h EC50	30000 mol/l
Microbial inhibition		None at 10,000 mg/l

**SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

DISPOSAL IS TO BE PERFORMED IN COMPLIANCE WITH ALL FEDERAL, STATE/PROVINCIAL AND LOCAL REGULATIONS. Do not dispose of via sinks, drains or into the immediate environment.

Contaminated packaging: Observe local regulations.

**SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

U.S. DOT: Not regulated for transport. Not classified in RID/ADR - ADNR - IMDG - ICAO/IATA – DGR

**SECTION 15 - ADDITIONAL REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**INVENTORY STATUS:** TSCA (US), AICS (Australia), IECSC (China), EINECS (EU), KECI (Korea), New Zealand (Composite List of Single Component Substances to be considered for Transfer (April 2003)), Philippines

**EC LABELING AND CLASSIFICATION:** According to Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC

**Contains hexanoic and octanoic acids**

Symbol:	Xi	Irritant
Risk phrase(s):	R41	Risk of serious eye damage
	R36	Irritating to eyes.
Safety phrase(s):	S36/37/39	Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves, eye/face protection
	S25	Avoid contact with eyes
	S26	In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

**SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION**

**EUROPE:** This product safety data sheet was prepared in compliance with 2001/58/EC.

R-phrase(s): R41 Risk of serious eye damage, R36 Irritating to eyes.

**USA LABELING:** **CAUTION: MAY CAUSE EYE IRRITATION**

**Avoid contact with eyes. Wash thoroughly after handling.**

**FIRST AID:** **In case of contact,** immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

**References:** **RTECS ACCESSION NUMBER OE980000 Lauric acid**

Patty's Industrial Hygiene and Toxicology, 4<sup>th</sup> ed. Edited by George D. Clayton & Florence E. Clayton  
**BIBRA toxicity profile (1996) n-Decanoic acid.**

**RTECS ACCESSION NUMBER QH4375000 Myristic acid**

Onitsuka et al. 1989. Chemosphere. 18:1621-1631. Mann & Florence. 1987. Fuel. 66:404-407.

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