

## Safety Data Sheet CRESOL RED

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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### GHS Product identifier

Product name CRESOL RED

#### Other means of identification

o-Cresolsulfonphthalein

o-CRESOL RED LR CL207

#### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Acid-base indicator.

pH indicator:

pH 0.5 (Brown-orange) to pH 2.5 (Yellow)

pH 6.5 (Brown-yellow) to pH 8.5 (Red-violet)

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### SECTION 2: Hazard identification

#### General hazard statement

Not classified as dangerous goods according to the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG).

Classified as non-Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of classification and labelling of Chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia.

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

#### GHS classification in accordance with: UN GHS revision 7

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

**GHS label elements, including precautionary statements**

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

**Other hazards which do not result in classification**

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

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**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

**Mixtures**

Molecular weight: 382.44

**Components**

Component	CAS no.	Concentration
Cresol Red (EC no.: 217-064-2)	1733-12-6	<= 100 % (weight)
CLASSIFICATIONS: No data available. HAZARDS: No data available.		

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**SECTION 4: First-aid measures**

**Description of necessary first-aid measures**

If inhaled	If inhaled, remove from contaminated area to fresh air immediately. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Immediately obtain medical aid if cough or other symptoms appear.
In case of skin contact	Wash with plenty of soap and water. If irritation occurs seek medical advice.
In case of eye contact	Immediately irrigate with copious quantity of water for at least 15 minutes. Eyelids to be held open. If rapid recovery does not occur, obtain medical attention
If swallowed	Rinse mouth thoroughly with water immediately, repeat until all traces of product have been removed. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Seek medical advice if effects persist.

**Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed**

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

**Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary**

Treat symptomatically based on judgement of doctor and individual reactions of the patient.

For advice in an emergency, contact a Poisons Information Centre (Phone Australia 131 126) or a doctor.

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**SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures**

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Small fire: Use dry chemical, CO<sub>2</sub>, water spray or foam.

Large fire: Use water spray, fog or foam.

If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from the fire area. Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after the fire is out.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

Toxic fumes including oxides of carbon and sulfur.

May burn but do not ignite readily. Fire may produce irritating, poisonous and/or corrosive gases.

**Special protective actions for fire-fighters**

Wear SCBA and structural firefighter's uniform.

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**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Avoid substance contact. Avoid generation of dusts: do not inhale dusts. Ensure supply of fresh air in enclosed rooms.

Use personal protective equipment listed in Section 8.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Sweep up (avoid generating dust) and using clean non-sparking tools transfer to a clean, suitable, clearly labelled container for disposal in accordance with local regulations.

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**SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

**Precautions for safe handling**

Avoid generation or accumulation of dusts. Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands and face thoroughly after working with material. Use with adequate ventilation. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Use fume cupboard when making up indicator solution.

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

Store in a cool, dry place. Keep containers securely sealed and protected against physical damage. Keep in a well-ventilated place

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**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

**Appropriate engineering controls**

Use ventilation adequate to keep exposures (airborne levels of dust, fume, vapor, gas, etc.) below recommended exposure limits.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)**

**Eye/face protection**

The use of a face shield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection as appropriate. Must comply with Australian Standards AS 1337 and be selected and used in accordance with AS 1336.

**Skin protection**

Hand protection should comply with AS 2161, Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and maintenance.

Recommendation: Nitrile, Neoprene gloves.

**Body protection**

Clean clothing or protective clothing should be worn, preferably with an apron. Clothing for protection against chemicals should comply with AS 3765 Clothing for Protection Against Hazardous Chemicals.

**Respiratory protection**

Where ventilation is not adequate, respiratory protection may be required. Avoid breathing dust, vapours or mists. Respiratory protection should comply with AS 1716 - Respiratory Protective Devices and be selected in accordance with AS 1715 - Selection, Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices. Filter capacity and respirator type depends on exposure levels. In event of emergency or

planned entry into unknown concentrations a positive pressure, full-facepiece SCBA should be used. If respiratory protection is required, institute a complete respiratory protection program including selection, fit testing, training, maintenance and inspection.

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### Basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Solid
Appearance	Reddish-brown powder.
Color	No data available.
Odor	No data available.
Odor threshold	No data available.
Melting point/freezing point	290 - 300 °C
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available.
Flammability	No data available.
Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit	No data available.
Flash point	No data available.
Explosive properties	No data available.
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available.
Decomposition temperature	No data available.
Oxidizing properties	No data available.
pH	No data available.
Kinematic viscosity	No data available.
Solubility	Solubility in Water: Slightly soluble.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)	No data available.
Vapor pressure	No data available.
Evaporation rate	No data available.
Density and/or relative density	No data available.
Relative vapor density	No data available.
Particle characteristics	No data available.

### Supplemental information regarding physical hazard classes

No data available.

### Further safety characteristics (supplemental)

Other Information: Bulk density: 600-620 kg/m<sup>3</sup>.

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### Reactivity

Stable under normal conditions of storage and handling.

### Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

### Conditions to avoid

Exposure to moisture.

Avoid storing in direct sunlight and avoid extremes of temperature.

**Incompatible materials**

Strong oxidising agents, strong mineral acids.

**Hazardous decomposition products**

Toxic fumes including carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and sulfur oxides.

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**SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

**Information on toxicological effects**

**Acute toxicity**

Ingestion: May be harmful if ingested causing irritation to gastrointestinal tract.

Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled causing irritation to respiratory system.

**Skin corrosion/irritation**

May be harmful if absorbed through the skin. Causes irritation to skin.

**Serious eye damage/irritation**

Irritating to eyes.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization**

No data available.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

No data available.

**Carcinogenicity**

No data available.

**Reproductive toxicity**

No data available.

**Summary of evaluation of the CMR properties**

No data available.

**Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - single exposure**

No data available.

**Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure**

No data available.

**Aspiration hazard**

No data available.

**Additional information**

No data available.

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**SECTION 12: Ecological information**

**Toxicity**

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No data available.

### Persistence and degradability

No data available.

### Bioaccumulative potential

No data available.

### Mobility in soil

No data available.

### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available.

### Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available.

### Other adverse effects

No data available.

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### Disposal methods

#### Product disposal

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers.

#### Other disposal recommendations

Do not discharge this material into waterways, drains and sewers.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### ADG (Road and Rail)

Not dangerous goods

### IMDG

Not dangerous goods

### IATA

Not dangerous goods

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

#### Australia SUSMP

Poison Schedule: NS

#### Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL)

Chemical name: Phenol, 4,4'-(3H-2,1-benzoxathiol-3-ylidene)bis[2-methyl-, S,S-dioxide

CAS: 1733-12-6

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## **SECTION 16: Other information**

### **Further information/disclaimer**

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Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons, Commonwealth of Australia

National Road Transport Commission, 'Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail 7th. Ed.'

Safe Work Australia, 'National Code of Practice for the Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals', July 2020.

Safe Work Australia, 'National Guide for Classifying Hazardous Chemicals', July 2020.

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Safe Work Australia, Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS), [hcis.safeworkaustralia.gov.au](http://hcis.safeworkaustralia.gov.au)

IATA, Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR)

IMO, International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)