Safety Data Sheet METHYL RED Sodium Salt

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SECTION 1: Identification

GHS Product identifier

Product name	METHYL RED Sodium Salt

Other means of identification

Product	Product Code
Methyl Red Sodium Salt AR (C.I. 13020)	MA053
Methyl Red Sodium Salt LR (C.I. 13020)	ML053

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

pH indicator: pH 4.3 (Pink) to pH 6.2 (Yellow). Employed for titrating NH3 and weak organic bases, but not organic acids, except oxalic and picric acids. Methyl red is easily reduced, thereby losing its colour, and readings should be made promptly.

Additional information: To prepare a solution for use as pH indicator:
-dissolve 0.10 g in 100 ml water.

Supplier's details

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Emergency phone number

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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.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Molecular weight	291.29

Component	Identification	Weight %	Classifications
Methyl red sodium salt	CAS no.: 845-10-3 EC no.: 212-682-9	<= 100 %	CLASSIFICATIONS: No data available. HAZARDS: No data available.

SECTION 4: First-aid measures

Description of necessary first-aid measures

General advice	First Aid Facilities: Maintain eyewash fountain in work area.
If inhaled	If inhaled, remove from contaminated area to fresh air immediately. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid if cough or other symptoms appear.
In case of skin contact	Rinse with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
In case of eye contact	If contact with the eye(s) occurs, wash with copious amounts of water for approximately 15 minutes holding eyelid(s) open. Take care not to rinse contaminated water into the non-affected eye. If persistent irritation occurs, 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
For advice, contact the National Poisons Information Centre (Phone Australia 13 11 26; New Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor.

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media
Use dry chemical, CO2, water spray or foam.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical
Hazards from Combustion Products: May liberate toxic fumes in fire such as oxides of nitrogen, carbon and sodium.

Special protective actions for fire-fighters
Wear SCBA and structural firefighter's uniform.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. For personal protection see section 8.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up
Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Avoid dust formation. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling
Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. For precautions see section 2.2.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area, out of direct sunlight. Store in suitable, labelled containers. Keep containers tightly closed. Store away from incompatible materials. Ensure that storage conditions comply with applicable local and national regulations.

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
Clean impervious clothing should be worn. Clothing for protection against chemicals should comply with AS 3765 Clothing for Protection Against Hazardous Chemicals.

Body protection
Footwear: Safety boots in industrial situations is advisory, foot protection should comply with AS 2210, Occupational protective footwear - Guide to selection, care and use.

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

Respiratory protection
If engineering controls are not effective in controlling airborne exposure then an approved respirator with a replaceable vapor/ mist filter should be used. Refer to relevant regulations for further information concerning respiratory protective requirements. Reference should be made to Australian Standards AS/ NZS 1715, Selection, Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices; and AS/ NZS 1716, Respiratory Protective Devices, in order to make any necessary changes for individual circumstances.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

Basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Solid
Appearance	Dark red powder or violet crystals. Colour fades quickly due to reduction.
Color	No data available.
Odor	Weak odour or odourless.

Odor threshold	No data available.
Melting point/freezing point	178 - 182 °C (Methyl Red; 493-52-7)
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: Not available. Solubility in Organic Solvents: Solubility in ethanol (25 °C): sparingly 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)
No data available.

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
Avoid storing in direct sunlight and avoid extremes of temperature.

Incompatible materials
Strong oxidising agents.

Hazardous decomposition products
May liberate toxic fumes in fire such as nitrogen oxides.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity
Inhalation: May cause irritation to the respiratory tract. Symptoms may include of coughing, sore throat, breathing difficulty and chest pain.

Skin corrosion/irritation
Based on available data, classification data are not met

Serious eye damage/irritation
Based on available data, classification data are not met

Respiratory or skin sensitization
Based on available data, classification data are not met

Germ cell mutagenicity
Based on available data, classification data are not met

Carcinogenicity
Azo dyes containing an aryl amine component are suspected of possessing a carcinogenic potential. It is therefore recommended that the substance be handled as if it possessed the properties of the basic amine.
Methyl red [493-52-7] is evaluated in the IARC Monographs (Vol. 8, Suppl. 7; 1987) as Group 3: Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

Not classified based on available information.

Reproductive toxicity
Not classified based on available information.

Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - single exposure
Not classified based on available information.

Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure
Not classified based on available information.

Aspiration hazard
Not classified based on available information.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

Bioaccumulative potential
An appreciable bioaccumulation potential is to be expected of Log P(o/w)>3.

Other adverse effects
Environmental Fate: Distribution: log P(o/w): 3.83

Other Information: Do not allow to enter waters, waste water or soil.

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.

Sewage disposal
An appreciable bioaccumulation potential is to be expected of Log P(o/w)>3.

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

SECTION 14: Transport information

ADG (Road and Rail)
Not dangerous goods

IMDG
Not dangerous goods

IATA
Not dangerous goods

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

Australia SUSMP
Poison Schedule: NS

SECTION 16: Other information

Further information/disclaimer
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IMO, International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)