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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION V HEALTH HAZARD DATA

Threshold Limited Value

None established. (ACGIH 1992-93).

Effects of Overexposure

Ingestion may cause fall of blood pressure. May have laxative effect. May cause respiratory tract irritation resulting in coughing and sneezing. May cause eye irritation or pain. May cause skin irritation, rash. To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Exercise appropriate procedures to minimize potential hazards.

Emergency and First Aid Procedures

EYES: Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids occasionally. If irritation develops, get medical attention. **SKIN:** Flush thoroughly with water, then wash with mild soap and water. **INGESTION:** If swallowed, if conscious, give one or two glasses of water to drink, induce vomiting and call physician. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. **INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

SECTION VI REACTIVITY DATA

Stability	Unstable		Conditions to Avoid	Protect from light and moisture. Excessive temperature and heat.
	Stable	X		

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid)	Strong oxidizers.
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Hazardous Decomposition Products	Thermal decomposition or burning may produce carbon monoxide and/or carbon dioxide, oxides of sulfur (SO _x), sodium oxide (Na ₂ O).
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Hazardous Polymerization	Conditions to Avoid
May Occur	Will Not Occur
	X
	Not applicable.

SECTION VII SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

Steps to be taken in case material is released or spilled	Avoid creating dust. Sweep up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.
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Waste Disposal Method	Discharge, treatment, or disposal may be subject to Federal, State or Local laws. These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Dispose of in an approved incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber or contract with a licensed waste disposal service.
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SECTION VIII SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

Respiration Protection (Specify Type)	None should be needed in normal laboratory handling. If dusty conditions prevail, work in a ventilation hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved dust mask.
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Ventilation	Local Exhaust	Recommended.	Special	No.
	Mechanical (General)	Recommended.	Other	No.

Protective Gloves	Rubber.	Eye Protection	Chemical safety glasses.
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Other Protective Equipment	Goggles, smock, apron, eye wash station, proper gloves, ventilation hood.
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SECTION IX SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

Precautions to be Taken in Handling & Storing	Store in a cool, dry place away from oxidizing materials. Wash thoroughly after handling.
Keep container tightly closed when not in use.	

Other Precautions	Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals.
	Do not breathe dust. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid eye and skin contact. Remove and wash contaminated clothing.

For laboratory use only. Not for drug, food or household use. Keep out of reach of children.

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SECTION I NAME 24 HOUR EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

Product	PHENOL RED SODIUM SALT
Chemical Synonyms	Phenol Red, pH Indicator, Water Soluble
Formula	C ₁₉ H ₁₃ NaO ₅ S
Unit Size	up to 2.5 Kg.
C.A.S. No.	34487-61-1

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Health	1
Fire	0
Reactivity	0

NFPA HAZARD RATING

LEAST	SLIGHT	MODERATE	HIGH	EXTREME
0	1	2	3	4

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SECTION II INGREDIENTS OF MIXTURES

Principal Component(s)	%	TLV Units
Phenol Red Sodium Salt	100%	None established.

CAUTION! MAY BE HARMFUL BY INHALATION, INGESTION, OR

SKIN ABSORPTION. CAUSES EYE AND SKIN IRRITATION.

SECTION III PHYSICAL DATA

Melting Point (°F)	285°C (544°F) decomposes	Specific Gravity (H ₂ O = 1)	Data not listed.
Boiling Point (°F)	Not applicable.	Percent Volatile by Volume (%)	Not applicable.
Vapor Pressure (mm Hg)	Data not listed.	Evaporation Rate (=1)	Not applicable.
Vapor Density (Air=1)	Not applicable.		
Solubility in Water	Soluble.		
Appearance & Odor	Red-brown crystals or crystalline powder; no odor.		

SECTION IV FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

Flash Point (Method Used)	Non-flammable.	Flammable Limits in Air % by Volume	Lower	Upper
		Unknown	-----	-----
Extinguisher Media	Carbon dioxide (CO ₂); dry chemical (ABC); water spray or foam.			

SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES

In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS

Fine dust concentrations in presence of ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard. Fire or excessive heat may produce hazardous decomposition products; can react vigorously with oxidizing materials.

D.O.T. NON-REGULATED.

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