

Methyl Red Sodium Salt

SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier	Methyl Red Sodium Salt
Other Means of Identification	Dimethylaminephenylazobenzoic Acid
Product Code(s)	ME8520
Product Family	Organic - Inorganic Indicator
Recommended Use	Laboratory and industrial use.
Restrictions on Use	None known.
Supplier Identifier	Alphachem Limited, 2485 Milltower Court, Mississauga, Ontario, L5N 5Z6, (905) 821-2995
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SDS No.	1148

SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Classification

Not classified under any hazard class.

Label Elements

Not applicable

Other Hazards

None known.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance:

Chemical Name	CAS No.	%	Other Identifiers	Other Names
Benzoic acid, 2-[[4-(dimethylamino)phenyl]azo]-, sodium salt	845-10-3	> 99	Dimethylaminephenylazobenzoic Acid	

SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

First-aid Measures**Inhalation**

Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, trained personnel should administer emergency oxygen if advised to do so by Poison Centre or doctor. Seek immediate medical attention.

Skin Contact

Wash gently and thoroughly with lukewarm, gently flowing water and mild soap for 5 minutes. If skin irritation or a rash occurs, get medical advice or attention.

Eye Contact

Immediately rinse the contaminated eye(s) with lukewarm, gently flowing water for 15-20 minutes, while holding the eyelid(s) open. Immediately call a Poison Centre or doctor. Specific treatment is required.

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Ingestion

Rinse mouth with water. Immediately call a Poison Centre or doctor.

First-aid Comments

Some of the first-aid procedures recommended here require advanced first-aid training. If exposed or concerned, get medical advice or attention.

Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

None known.

Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment

Special Instructions

General advice, consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, appropriate foam, water spray or fog.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

None known.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Product

Heating increases the release of toxic vapour.

In a fire, the following hazardous materials may be generated: very toxic carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide; corrosive, oxidizing nitrogen oxides.

Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-fighters

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

protective gear. Move containers from fire area if it can be done without risk. Otherwise, use water in flooding quantities as a spray or fog to keep fire-exposed containers cool and absorb heat. For a massive fire, immediately evacuate the area and use unmanned hose holder or monitor nozzles. Dike and recover contaminated water for appropriate disposal.

Chemical protective clothing (e.g. chemical splash suit) and positive pressure SCBA may be necessary.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment, and Emergency Procedures

Use the personal protective equipment recommended in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Increase ventilation to area or move leaking container to a well-ventilated and secure area. Remove or isolate incompatible materials as well as other hazardous materials.

Environmental Precautions

No special precautions are necessary. It is good practice to prevent releases into the environment.

Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

Collect using shovel/scoop or approved HEPA vacuum and place in a suitable container for disposal.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

Wear personal protective equipment to avoid direct contact with this chemical. Avoid generating dusts. Avoid breathing in this product. Only use where there is adequate ventilation. Prevent accidental contact with incompatible chemicals.

Conditions for Safe Storage

Store in an area that is: cool, dry, well-ventilated. Store in a closed container.

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SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control Parameters

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV®		OSHA PEL		AIHA WEEL	
	TWA	STEL	TWA	Ceiling	8-hr TWA	TWA
Benzoic acid, 2-[[4-(dimethylamino)phenyl]azo]-, sodium salt	Not established		Not established			

Appropriate Engineering Controls

The hazard potential of this product is relatively low. General ventilation is usually adequate. Use local exhaust ventilation, if general ventilation is not adequate to control amount in the air.

Individual Protection Measures

Eye/Face Protection

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

Skin Protection

Wear chemical protective clothing e.g. gloves, aprons, boots.

Respiratory Protection

Not normally required if product is used as directed.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance	Red - brown powder.
Odour	Odourless
Odour Threshold	Not available
pH	Not available
Melting Point/Freezing Point	Not available (melting); Not available (freezing)
Initial Boiling Point/Range	180 °C (356 °F)
Flash Point	Not available
Evaporation Rate	Not available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not available
Upper/Lower Flammability or Explosive Limit	Not available (upper); Not available (lower)
Vapour Pressure	Not available
Vapour Density (air = 1)	Not available
Relative Density (water = 1)	Not available
Solubility	Soluble in water; Not available (in other liquids)
Partition Coefficient, n-Octanol/Water (Log Kow)	Not available
Auto-ignition Temperature	450 °C (842 °F)
Decomposition Temperature	Not available
Viscosity	Not available (kinematic); Not available (dynamic)
Other Information	
Physical State	Solid
Molecular Weight	291.28

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SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

None known.

Chemical Stability

Normally stable.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Not established.

Conditions to Avoid

Sunlight. Extremely low temperatures. Extremely high temperatures. Generation of dust.

Incompatible Materials

Strong acids (e.g. hydrochloric acid), strong bases (e.g. sodium hydroxide), strong oxidizing agents (e.g. perchloric acid).

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Corrosive, oxidizing nitrogen oxides; very toxic carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely Routes of Exposure

Inhalation; skin contact; eye contact.

Acute Toxicity

Chemical Name	LC50	LD50 (oral)	LD50 (dermal)
Benzoic acid, 2-[[4-(dimethylamino)phenyl]azo]-, sodium salt	Not available	Not available	Not available

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

No information was located.

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

No information was located.

STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Single Exposure

Inhalation

No information was located.

Ingestion

No information was located.

Aspiration Hazard

No information was located.

STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Repeated Exposure

No information was located.

Respiratory and/or Skin Sensitization

No information was located.

Carcinogenicity

Chemical Name	IARC	ACGIH®	NTP	OSHA
Benzoic acid, 2-[[4-(dimethylamino)phenyl]azo]-, sodium salt	Not Listed	Not designated	Not Listed	Not Listed

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Reproductive Toxicity

Development of Offspring

No information was located.

Sexual Function and Fertility

No information was located.

Effects on or via Lactation

No information was located.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity

No information was located.

Interactive Effects

No information was located.

Other Information

The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This section is not required by WHMIS. This section is not required by OSHA HCS 2012.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Methods

Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local, regional, national and international regulations.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not regulated under Canadian TDG regulations. Not regulated under US DOT Regulations.

Special Precautions Not applicable

Transport in Bulk According to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations

Canada

Domestic Substances List (DSL) / Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)

Listed on the DSL.

USA

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 8(b)

Listed on the TSCA Inventory.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA Rating	Health - 0	Flammability - 1	Instability - 0
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References	CHEMINFO database. Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety (CCOHS).		
Disclaimer	This document is offered only as a guide in the safe handling of the above product, and has been prepared from the best information currently available. It is not intended to be		

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