

# Safety Data Sheet

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### Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

Product Name Mercuric Oxide Red extrapure, 99%

Product Code B-01670
CAS No 21908-53-2

Use for Laboratory Chemicals.

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## Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

CAS # Chemical Name % EINECS

21908-53-2 Mercuric Oxide Red 99 216-491-1 No Components need to be disclosed according to the applicable regulations

#### Section 3 - Hazards Identification

#### Risk advice to man and the environment

Toxic if swallowed. Very toxic in contact with skin. Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

### **Section 4 - First Aid Measures**

Eyes: Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

**Skin:** Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician. **Ingestion:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a

ve anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Kinse mouth with water. Consult

physician.

**Inhalation:** If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration Consult a

physician.

**General advice:** Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Notes to Physician:

**Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures** 

#### **Extinguishing Media**

**Suitable:** Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

**Special Protective** 

**Equipment For Firefighters:** Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures



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**Personal precautions:** Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust.

Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

Environmental precautions: Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not

let product enter drains.

**Methods for cleaning up:** Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Keep in suitable, closed

containers for disposal.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Handling: Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate

exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for

preventive fire protection.

**Storage:** Room Temperature. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Section 8 - Exposure Control / Personal Protection

**Personal Protective Equipment** 

**Respiratory Protection:** Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a

full-face particle respirator type N99 (US) or type P2 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards

such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

**Hand Protection:** The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive

89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it. Handle with gloves.

**Eye Protection:** Safety glasses

**Skin and body protection:** Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the

dangerous substance at the work

place.

**Hygiene measures:** Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and

immediately after handling the product.

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

**Physical State:** Powder Molecular Formula: HgO

**Molecular Weight:** 216.59 **Melting point:** 500 °C / 932 °F

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

**Storage stability:** Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Materials to avoid:

Hazardous decomposition Products formed under fire

**conditions**. - Carbon oxides, Mercury/mercury.



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## **Section 11 - Toxicological Information**

Acute toxicity:

LD50 Oral - Rat - 18 mg/k

LD50 Dermal - Rat - 315 mg/kg

Irritation and corrosion:

No data available

Sensitisation:

No data available

Chronic exposure: IARC:

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1%

is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

Signs And Symptoms

Of Exposure:

No data available

Route Of Exposure

Inhalation:

No data available

Skin:

No data available

Eyes:

No data available

Ingestion:

No data available

# **Section 12 - Ecological Information**

No data available.

## **Section 13 - Disposal Considerations**

**Product:** Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional

waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator

equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

Contaminated packaging:

Dispose of as unused product.

# **Section 14 - Transport Information**

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**Shipping Name:** 

MERCURY OXIDE

Hazard Class:

6.1 6.1

UN Number: 10

1641 1641 1641

Packing Group: II II

## **Section 15 - Regulatory Information**

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.