

MSDS for Nuclear Fast Red Stain Solution Catalog # 680A

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Section I - Product Identification

An solution of nuclear fast red and aluminum sulfate in water.

Section II - Hazards Identification

Overview: May be harmful if swallowed. May be irritating to skin eyes and respiratory tract.

Safety Ratings

Health: Slight Flammability: None Reactivity: None Contact: Slight Recommended safety equipment: safety goggles, lab coat and proper gloves

Storage: General storage

NFPA Ratings

Health = 1 Flammability = 0 Reactivity = 0

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Potential Health Effects

The toxicology of this compound have not been completely examined. It is presumed that the toxicity of this item is similar to other aluminum compounds.

Inhalation: May be irritating

Ingestion: While the toxicity of this compound is low, large doses may cause nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, etc. Death has

resulted from ingesting large amounts of alum.

Skin contact: Not normally a problem.

Eye contact: May be irritating. Chronic Exposure: Unknown.

Aggravation of preexisting conditions: Unknown

Section III - Composition/Information on Components

Ingredients	CAS#	OSHA Pel ACGIH TLV		Other Limits	%
Nuclear fast red	6409-77-4				0.1% w/v
Aluminum sulfate	7784-31-8	2 mg/m³ (AI) TWA	2 mg/m³ (AI) TWA		5% w/v

Section IV - First Aid Measures

Inhalation: Remove from source of exposure and get medical attention for any breathing difficulty.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get immediate medical attention.

Skin Contact: Wash affected area with soap and water. Get medical advice if irritation develops.

Eye Contact: Rinse thoroughly with running water. Get medical advice if irritation develops.



Section V - Fire Fighting Measures

Flash point: Not applicable.

Fire: Not normally a fire Hazard.

Explosion: Not Normally an explosion hazards.

Fire Extinguishing Media: Any means suitable for surrounding fire.

Special information: Pyrolysis will release corrosive oxides.

Section VI - Accidental Release Measures

Absorb with a suitable absorbent (such as paper towels) and store in a suitable container for disposal.

Section VII - Handling and Storage

Store in a closed container, protected from freezing.

Section VIII - Exposure Control/Personal Protection

Airborne Exposure Limits: See section III.

Ventilation System: Usually not required. When required, Refer to the ACGIH document, "Industrial Ventilation, a Manual of Recommended Practices" for details about ventilation.

Personal Respirator: Usually not required.

Skin protection: Protective gloves are not required but recommended as part of good laboratory practice.

Eye Protection: Laboratory safety goggles or similar products are not required but recommended as part of good laboratory practice.

Section IX - Physical and Chemical Properties

Boiling Point: 100°C

Vapor pressure (mm Hg): 18 @ 20°C

Vapor Density (air = 1): 0.6

Appearance and Odor: A clear, dark red or purple liquid.

Density: About 1.02 g/ml Evaporation Rate (water = 1): 1

Solubility: Infinitely miscible with water

Section X - Stability and Reactivity

Stability: Freezes at low temperature.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Nothing unusual.

Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.

Incompatibilities: Nothing unusual.

Conditions to avoid: Excessive cold/heat and light.

Section XI - Toxicological Information

None relating to normal exposure.

Cancer lists

<u>Ingredient Known Carcinogenicity? Anticipated? IARC Category</u>

Nuclear fast red no no none Aluminum sulfate no no none

Section XII - Ecological Information

Environmental Fate: Biodegradable Environmental Toxicity: None

Section XIII - Disposal Considerations

Usually not restricted but local governments can restrict the amounts of dyes and salts that may be flushed down the drain. Insure compliance with all government regulation

Section XIV - Transportation information

Not regulated.

Section XV - Regulatory Information

Chemical Inventory Status

<u>Ingredient</u>	<u>TSCA</u>	<u>EC</u>
Nuclear fast red	Yes	<u>Yes</u>
Aluminum sulfate	Yes	<u>Yes</u>

Federal, State and International Regulations

	SARA 302		SARA	<u>SARA 313</u>		<u>TSCA</u>
<u>Ingredient</u>	<u>RQ</u>	<u>TPQ</u>	<u>List</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>261.33</u>	<u>8(D)</u>
Nuclear fast red	No	No	No	No	No	No
Aluminum sulfate	No	No	No	No	No	No

Chemical Weapons Convention: No TSCA 12(b): No CDTA: No

SARA 311/312: Acute: Yes, Chronic: No

Section XVI - Other Information

This information is believed to be correct but is not waranteed as such, nor does it purport to be all inclusive.

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