

## Classified as hazardous in accordance with the criteria of EPA New Zealand

## **Section 1 - Identification**

**Product Identifier** 

Product Name Neutral Red (Ethanolic solution)

**CAS No** 553-24-2

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals. Uses advised against No Information available

Product Code MV0162

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## **Section 2 - Hazard(s) Identification**

Classification under Work Safe New Zealand

Classified as hazardous in accordance with the criteria of EPA New Zealand

HSNO Approval Number HSR002596

**GHS Classification** 

Physical hazards

Flammable liquids Category 3

**Health hazards** 

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2

**Environmental hazards** 

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

**Label Elements** 

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Signal Word Warning

### **Hazard Statements**

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

## **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention

P201 - Obtain special instructions before use

P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

#### Response

P308 + P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

## Storage

P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place

## Disposal

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

### Other hazards which do not result in classification

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

## **Section 3 - Composition and Information on Ingredients**

| Component                                 | Component CAS No |    |
|---|------------------|----|
| 2,8-Phenazinediamine, N8,N8,3-trimethyl-, | 553-24-2         | 82 |
| monohydrochloride                         |                  |    |
| Ethyl alcohol                             | 64-17-5          | 18 |

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

## **Description of first aid measures**

General Advice If symptoms persist, call a physician.

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**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

**Eye Contact** Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get

medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

Ingestion Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

Self-Protection of the First Aider Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to

protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

**First Aid Facilities** Eyewash, safety shower and washroom.

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Most important symptoms and

effects

None reasonably foreseeable.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

## **Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures**

## **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Water spray, carbon dioxide (CO2), dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam. Water mist may be used to cool closed containers.

## Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Flammable. Containers may explode when heated. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back.

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO2), Hydrogen chloride gas.

### 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.

## **Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures**

## Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

### **Emergency procedures**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

### **Environmental Precautions**

Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

## Methods for Containment and Clean Up

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment.

#### Precautions to prevent secondary hazards

Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations

### **Reference to Other Sections**

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## **Section 7 - Handling and Storage**

### **Precautions for Safe Handling**

## Advice on safe handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

## **Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

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### **Storage Conditions**

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame.

### **Incompatible Materials**

Strong acids. Strong bases.

AS/NZS 2243.10:2004, Safety in laboratories - Storage of chemicals AS 1940-2004 - The storage and handling of flammable and combustible liquids

## **Section 8 - Exposure Controls and Personal Protection**

### Control parameters

## **Exposure limits**

**NZ** - Workplace Exposure Standards and Biological Exposure Indices (6th edition). New Zealand Department of Labor **UK** - EH40/2005 Work Exposure Limits, Fourth edition. Published 2020.

**AUS** - Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment - Guidance Note on the Interpretation of Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment [NOHSC:3008(1995)]

Adopted National Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment [NOHSC:1003(1995)] updated in August, 2005. Safe Work Australia

**ACGIH** - Threshold Limit Values - Ceiling (TLV-C) guidelines by the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) for controlling worker exposure to airborne chemical concentrations in the workplace.

| Component     | New Zealand WEL             | Australia                   | ACGIH TLV      | The United Kingdom                |
|---------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| Ethyl alcohol | TWA: 1000 ppm               | TWA: 1000 ppm               | STEL: 1000 ppm | TWA: 1000 ppm TWA; 1920           |
|               | TWA: 1880 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 1880 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |                | mg/m³ TWA                         |
|               |                             |                             |                | WEL - STEL: 3000 ppm              |
|               |                             |                             |                | STEL; 5760 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL |

### **Biological limit values**

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

## Appropriate engineering controls

### **Engineering Measures**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment. Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

## Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye Protection Goggles (Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 - Eye protectors for Industrial

applications)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

| Glove material            | Breakthrough time | Glove thickness | AUS/NZ Standard | Glove comments        |
|---------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| Nitrile rubber, Neoprene, | See manufacturers | -               | AS/NZS 2161     | (minimum requirement) |
| Natural rubber, PVC.      | recommendations   |                 |                 |                       |

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Skin and body protection Long sleeved clothing

Repiratory Protection Use an AS/NZS 1716 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or

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other symptoms are experienced. To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment

must be the correct fit and be used and maintained in line with AS/NZS 1715 on the use

and maintenance of repiratory protective devices

Recommended Filter type: Particulates filter conforming to EN 143 (or AUS/NZ equivalent)

Recommended half mask:- Particle filtering: EN149:2001 (or AUS/NZ equivalent)

When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Environmental exposure controls** Prevent product from entering drains. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water

svstem.

## **Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties**

## Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State Liquid

Appearance Dark green Odor Odorless

Odor Threshold
pH
Not applicable <7
Melting Point/Range
Softening Point
Boiling Point/Range
No data available
No information available

Flammability (liquid) No data available On basis of test data

Flammability (solid,gas) Not applicable Liquid

Explosion Limits No data available

Flash Point No information available 43 °C / Method - No information available

109.4 °F

Autoignition Temperature

Decomposition Temperature

No data available
No data available
Not applicable

Viscosity Not applicable Solid

Water Solubility 50 g/l

Solubility in other solvents No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Componentlog PowEthyl alcohol-0.32

Vapor Pressure

Density / Specific Gravity

No data available
No data available

Bulk DensityNot applicableLiquidVapor DensityNot applicableSolid

Particle characteristics Not applicable (liquid)

Other information

**Explosive Properties** explosive air/vapour mixtures possible

Evaporation Rate Not applicable - Solid

## **Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity**

Reactivity None known, based on information available

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available

Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

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Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Hazardous Reactions**None under normal processing.

Conditions to Avoid Excess heat, Incompatible products, Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and

sources of ignition.

Incompatible Materials Strong acids, Strong bases.

Hazardous Decomposition Products Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2). Hydrogen chloride

gas.

## **Section 11 - Toxicological Information**

## **Acute Effects**

## Information on likely routes of exposure

**Product Information**No acute toxicity information is available for this product

InhalationNot an expected route of exposure.EyesNot an expected route of exposure.

**Skin** No known effect based on information supplied.

**Ingestion** Not an expected route of exposure.

### Numerical measures of toxicity

(a) acute toxicity;

Oral Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

DermalNo data availableInhalationNo data available

| Co  | mponent     | LD50 Oral               | LD50 Dermal | LC50 Inhalation       |
|-----|-------------|-------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| Eth | nyl alcohol | LD50 = 7060 mg/kg (Rat) |             | 20000 ppm/10H ( Rat ) |
|     |             |                         |             |                       |

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; No data available

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; No data available

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

Respiratory No data available Skin No data available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; No data available

Possible risk of irreversible effects; Substances which cause concern for man owing to possible mutagenic effects but for which the available information is not adequate for

making a satisfactory assessment; Ames test:; positive

(f) carcinogenicity; No data available

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen

(g) reproductive toxicity; No data available

(h) STOT-single exposure; No data available

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(i) STOT-repeated exposure; No data available

Target Organs No information available.

(j) aspiration hazard; Not applicable

Solid

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

## Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed

No information available.

## **Section 12 - Ecological Information**

## **Ecotoxicity**

Aquatic ecotoxicity Contains a substance which is:. Toxic to aquatic organisms. The product contains following

substances which are hazardous for the environment.

| Component     | Freshwater Fish        | Water Flea            | Freshwater Algae      | Microtox           |
|---------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Ethyl alcohol | Fathead minnow         | EC50 = 9268 mg/L/48h  | EC50 (72h) = 275 mg/l | Photobacterium     |
|               | (Pimephales promelas)  | EC50 = 10800 mg/L/24h | (Chlorella vulgaris)  | phosphoreum:EC50 = |
|               | LC50 = 14200  mg/l/96h | _                     |                       | 34634 mg/L/30 min  |
|               |                        |                       |                       | Photobacterium     |
|               |                        |                       |                       | phosphoreum:EC50 = |
|               |                        |                       |                       | 35470 mg/L/5 min   |

### **Terrestrial ecotoxicity**

| Component     | Earthworm                      | Avian | Honeybees |
|---------------|--------------------------------|-------|-----------|
| Ethyl alcohol | Acute toxicity: LC50 0.1 - 1   |       |           |
|               | mg/cm2 (Eisenia foetida, 48 h, |       |           |
|               | filter paper)                  |       |           |

## Persistence and Degradability

**Persistence** Soluble in water, Persistence is unlikely, based on information available.

Degradation in sewage treatment

plant

Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste

water treatment plants.

Bioaccumulative Potential Bioaccumulation is unlikely

| Component     | log Pow | Bioconcentration factor (BCF) |
|---------------|---------|-------------------------------|
| Ethyl alcohol | -0.32   | No data available             |

Mobility The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems. Will likely be mobile in the

environment due to its water solubility. Highly mobile in soils

Other adverse effects

Endocrine Disruptor Information
Persistent Organic Pollutant
Ozone Depletion Potential

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors
This product does not contain any known or suspected substance
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## **Section 13 - Disposal Considerations**

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Waste treatment methods

Waste from Residues/Unused Do not allow into drains or watercourses or dispose of where ground or surface waters may

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be affected. Wastes, including emptied containers, are controlled wastes and should be disposed of in accordance with all federal, E.P.A., state and local regulations. Assure

conformity with all applicable regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point. Empty containers

retain product residue, (liquid and/or vapor), and can be dangerous. Keep product and

empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

Other Information Disposal agencies or waste contractors must comply with the New Zealand Hazardous

Substances (Disposal) Regulations. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Do not flush to sewer. Can be landfilled

or incinerated, when in compliance with local regulations.

## **Section 14 - Transport Information**

| Component      | Hazchem Code |
|----------------|--------------|
| Ethyl alcohol  | 2YE          |
| 64-17-5 ( 18 ) | 2Y           |

#### NZS 5433:2020

**UN-No** UN1993

Proper Shipping Name Flammable liquid, n.o.s.

Technical Shipping Name Neutral Red (Ethanolic solution)

Hazard Class 3
Packing Group III

IATA

**UN-No** UN1993

Proper Shipping Name Flammable liquid, n.o.s.

Technical Shipping Name Neutral Red (Ethanolic solution)

Hazard Class 3
Packing Group |||

IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN1993

Proper Shipping Name Flammable liquid, n.o.s.

**Technical Shipping Name**Hazard Class
Neutral Red (Ethanolic solution)

Packing Group

Environmental hazards No hazards identified

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the

**IBC Code** 

Not applicable, packaged goods

Special Precautions No special precautions required. Please refer to the applicable dangerous goods

regulations for additional information.

Additional information None known

## **Section 15 - Regulatory Information**

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

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| HSNO Approval Number | HSR002596 |
|----------------------|-----------|

### **National Regulations**

There are no applicable tolerable exposure limits or environmental exposure limits according to the EPA Controls for Hazardous Substances

#### Certified handlers, tracking and controlled substance license requirements

Certified handlers are required for some substances. This includes substances requiring a controlled substance license, and most explosives, vertebrates toxic agents, and certain fumigants. Acutely toxic substances which are a Category 1 or 2, such as pesticides also require Certified handlers. Please check the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 for further information. Tracking is required for some highly hazardous substances. These substances need to be under the control of an appropriately trained person or appropriately secured. Please check the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 for further information.

### Prohibition or notification/licensing requirements

Shown below are details of specific prohibition/notifications or licencing requirements when they apply.

### International Regulations

Ozone Depletion Potential This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Persistent Organic Pollutant This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Rotterdam Convention (PIC) Not applicable

Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

Not applicable

## **International Inventories**

New Zealand (NZIoC), Australia (AICS), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Korea (KECL), China (IECSC), Taiwan (TCSI), Japan (ISHL), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Philippines (PICCS). US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

| Component                                    | CAS No   | NZIoC | AICS | EINECS    | ELINCS | NLP | KECL     | IECSC | TCSI |
|--|----------|-------|------|-----------|--------|-----|----------|-------|------|
| 2,8-Phenazinediamine,<br>N8,N8,3-trimethyl-, | 553-24-2 | Х     | Х    | 209-035-8 | -      | -   | -        | Х     | Х    |
| monohydrochloride                            |          |       |      |           |        |     |          |       |      |
| Ethyl alcohol                                | 64-17-5  | X     | X    | 200-578-6 | -      | -   | KE-13217 | X     | X    |

| Component   | CAS No   | TSCA | TSCA Inventory<br>notification -<br>Active-Inactive | DSL | NDSL | PICCS | ISHL | ENCS |
|---|----------|------|---|-----|------|-------|------|------|
| 2,8-Phenazinediamine,<br>N8,N8,3-trimethyl-,<br>monohydrochloride | 553-24-2 | X    | ACTIVE  | Х   | -    | Х     | -    | -    |
| Ethyl alcohol   | 64-17-5  | Х    | ACTIVE  | Х   | -    | Х     | Х    | Х    |

Legend: X - Listed '-' - Not Listed KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

## **Section 16 - Other Information**

# This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of the EPA Hazardous Substances (Hazard Classification) Notice 2020 and WorkSafe New Zealand Regulations

#### Legend

**NZIOC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals **TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances
EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical
Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

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DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

IECSC - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer NZS 5433:2020 - Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from **Ships** 

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50% WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit **DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

VOC - (Volatile Organic Compound)

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

PNEC - Predicted No Effect Concentration

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development IMO/IMDG - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

ADG - Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail

LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50% ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

#### Key literature references and sources for data

HSNO classifications provided in the New Zealand Chemical Classification Information Database (CCID).

https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

EPA Guide to classifying hazardous substances in New Zealand

EPA - Assigning a product to an existing HSNO approval guide

## **Training Advice**

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hvaiene.

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

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