# FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC. Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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# SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

# **Methyl Orange**

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CHEMTREC Emergency Phone Number: (800) 424-9300

Signal Word

**DANGER** 

Pictograms

## **SECTION 2 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Hazard class: Acute toxicity, oral (Category 3). Toxic if swallowed (H301). Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product (P270).

SECTION 3 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component Name	CAS Number	Formula	Formula Weight	Concentration
Methyl orange	547-58-0	$C_{14}H_{15}N_3O_3SNa$	327.334	
Synonyms: Sodium p-dimethylaminoazobenzenesulfonate; C.I. 13025				
C.1. 13023				

#### **SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES**

Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell.

If inhaled: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing.

If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.

If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician (P301+P310+P330).

#### **SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Noncombustible solid.

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When heated to decomposition, may emit toxic fumes.

None established

In case of fire: Use a tri-class dry chemical fire extinguisher.

#### **SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Sweep up the spill, place in a sealed bag or container, and dispose. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

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## **SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Organic #9. Store with dyes, indicators and stains. Keep container tightly closed. Store in a cool, dry place.

#### SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection. Wash hands thoroughly after handling (P264). Will stain skin, clothing, and surfaces.

#### **SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Orange powder. Odor like burnt rubber.

Soluble: Hot water. Partially in alcohol.

pH indicator: 3.0 red to 4.4 yellow.

#### **SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Avoid contact with strong oxidizers. Shelf life: Indefinite, if stored properly.

#### **SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute effects: Harmful if swallowed. ORL-RAT  $LD_{50}$ : 60 mg/kg Chronic effects: N.A. IHL-RAT  $LC_{50}$ : N.A. SKN-RBT  $LD_{50}$ : N.A.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

# **SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Data not yet available.

#### **SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply before proceeding.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #26a is one option.

#### **SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Shipping name: Toxic solids, organic, N.O.S.; Hazard class: 6.1, Keep away from food; UN number: UN2811

N/A = Not applicable

#### **SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION**

TSCA-listed, EINECS-listed (208-925-3).

#### **SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION**

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Consult your copy of the Flinn Science Catalog/Reference Manual for additional information about laboratory chemicals.

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