Safety data sheet according to EEC directives (91/155/EEC and updates)

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1.Identification of the substance or preparation:

Trade Name : CROMALENT RED S8

2.Composition and information on ingredients:

Chemical constitution : Monoazo Chromium complex

3. Possible Hazards:

The product does not have particular dangers. Pay attention to good rules of industrial hygiene.

4. Fist Aid measures:

General information: Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

<u>After inhalation:</u> Supply fresh air and call for doctor for safety reasons. In case of unconsciousness bring patient into stable side position for transport.

After skin contact: Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly. If irritation develops, consult a physician.

After eye contact: Rinse opened eye for almost 15 minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a physician.

After ingestion: If swallowed, dilute with water. Induce vomiting. Get immediate medical attention.

5. Fire fighting measures:

Estinguishing media: Use water fog, foam or dry chemical extinguishing media. Do not use CO2.

<u>Special firefighting procedure:</u> Firefighting should be equipped with selfcontained breathing apparatus and turnout gear.

<u>Usual fire and explosion hazard:</u> Adequate ventilation and cleanup must be maintained to minimize dust accumulation. May form explosive dust-air mixture.

6. Accidental release measures:

<u>Personal precautions</u>: Avoid contact with skin and eyes wearing protective clothing. Avoid inhalation of vapours or powders wearing protective masks

Environmental precautions: Limit leakages with earth or sand. If the product has escaped into the drainage system or it has contaminated the ground or vegetation, notify the competent authorities.

<u>Methods for cleaning up:</u> Recover the product for re-use if possible, or for elimination. The product might, where appropriate, be absorbed by inert material. After the product has been recovered, rinse the area and materials involved with water.

7. Handling and storage:

<u>Handling :</u> Use protective clothing as gloves, coveralls apron, boots; necessary to prevent skin contact. Do not drink or eat or smoke while working. <u>Incompatible material</u>: None in particular <u>Storage :</u> Use local exhaust to control dusting.

8. Exposure controls and personal protection:

Respiratory protection: Approved dust respirator. Hands protection: Gloves Eye protection: Chemical goggles. Body protection: Protective clothing.

9. Physical and chemical properties:

 Form:
 powder

 Colour: red
 Odour: none

 Change in physical estate
 Melting point: about 120°C

 Boiling point: n.a.
 Flash point: n.a.

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 Combustibility:

 Explosion limits:
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 Ignition temp: n.a.
 Solubility in water: insoluble

 PH value at 5 g/100ml of water: 7.8
 Specific gravity: 1.27 + o - 0.02

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Density at 20°C: Decomposition point: 165°C

10. Stability and reactivity:

<u>Conditions to avoid</u>: stable under normal conditions <u>Substances to avoid</u>: None in particular <u>Hazardous reactions</u>: powder may form dusty clouds flammable in the air. <u>Hazardous decomposition products</u>; None

11. Toxicological information:

 Acute toxicity
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 LD50 / oral / rat: > 4500 mg/kg
 Not irritant
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 Rabbit, primary eves irritation:
 Not irritant
 OECD405

 Inhalation :
 powder may give slight irritation
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 Ingestion:
 get doctor consultation
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12. Ecological information:

Eish toxicity: LC50 (24hours/trout) : about 540 mg/l Toxicity on organism in discharge water : > 950 mg/l Elimination information Test method: Method of analysis: TOC/DOC Degree of elimination: 25 / 50% Evaluation:

13. Disposal considerations:

Dispose of in licensed facility. Recommend crushing or other means to prevent unauthorized reuse.

14. Transport information:

Not dangerous for transportation.

15. Labelling according to EEC Directives (Classification and labelling): Hazard designation: none

Hazard phrases : none S phrases: none

The product should not be considered as dangerous according to dir. 67/548/EEC Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment:

16. Other information:

The herein contained information is based on the present state of our knowledge and does not therefore guarantee certain properties. Addresses of our products must take responsability for observing existing laws and regulations.