# SAFETY DATA SHEET Post Office Red/Black Gloss

#### SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name Post Office Red/Black Gloss

#### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses Paint.

#### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier** Aztec Chemicals

Unit 16, University Way

Orion Park Crewe Cheshire CW1 6NG

+ 44 (0) 1270 655500 (T) + 44 (0) 1270 655501 (F) info@aztecchemicals.com

## 1.4. Emergency telephone number

+44 (0)7831 300868

# **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

# 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

**Classification (1999/45/EEC)** Xn;R20/21. Xi;R38. R10.

**Environment** 

The product contains a substance which is harmful to aquatic organisms and which may cause long term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

# 2.2. Label elements

Contains XYLENE

Labelling



Harmful

Risk Phrases

R10 Flammable.

R20/21 Harmful by inhalation and in contact with skin.

R38 Irritating to skin.

Safety Phrases

S2 Keep out of the reach of children.

S24 Avoid contact with skin.

S36/37 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.

S46 If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or

label.

Use only in well-ventilated areas.

S56 Dispose of this material and its container to hazardous or special waste

collection point.

S64 If swallowed, rinse mouth with water (only if the person is conscious).
P14 Contains Cobalt Carboxylate. May produce an allergic reaction.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

# **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

#### 3.2. Mixtures

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Cobalt Carboxylate			<1
CAS-No.: 13586-82-8	EC No.: 237-015-9		Registration Number: N/A
Classification (EC 1272/2008)		Classification (67/548/EEC)	
Acute Tox. 4 - H302		Xn;R22.	
Skin Irrit. 2 - H315		Xi;R38.	
Skin Sens. 1 - H317		N;R51/53.	
Aquatic Chronic 2 - H411		R43.	

De-Aromatised White Spirit		5-10%
CAS-No.:	EC No.:	
Classification (EC 1272/2008) Not classified.		Classification (67/548/EEC) Xn;R65. R10,R66.

XYLENE			30-60%
CAS-No.: 1330-20-7	EC No.: 215-535-7		Registration Number: 01-2119488216-32
Classification (EC 1272/2008)		Classification (67/548/EEC)	
Flam. Liq. 3 - H226		R10	
Acute Tox. 4 - H312		Xn;R20/21	
Acute Tox. 4 - H332		Xi;R38	
Skin Irrit. 2 - H315			

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

# **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

# 4.1. Description of first aid measures

# General information

Get medical attention if any discomfort continues. Do not give victim anything to drink if they are unconscious.

# Inhalation

Provide rest, warmth and fresh air. Perform artificial respiration if breathing has stopped. Place unconscious person on the side in the recovery position and ensure breathing can take place.

#### Ingestion

DO NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately. NEVER MAKE AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON VOMIT OR DRINK FLUIDS! Do not induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs, the head should be kept low so that stomach vomit doesn't enter the lungs. Drink plenty of water. Provide rest, warmth and fresh air.

#### Skin contact

Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. DO NOT use solvents or thinners as skin cleaning agents Get medical attention promptly if symptoms occur after washing.

# Eye contact

Immediately flush with plenty of water for up to 15 minutes. Remove any contact lenses and open eyes wide apart. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention.

# 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

# 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

#### **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

# 5.1. Extinguishing media

# Extinguishing media

Extinguish with alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder or water fog. Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire. Use water spray to cool containers.

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## 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

#### Specific hazards

In case of fire, toxic gases may be formed (COx, NOx).

# 5.3. Advice for firefighters

#### **Special Fire Fighting Procedures**

Keep run-off water out of sewers and water sources. Dike for water control.

#### Protective equipment for fire-fighters

Self contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

#### **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

## 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Do not smoke, use open fire or other sources of ignition. Provide adequate ventilation. Do not breathe vapour.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground. Spillages or uncontrolled discharges into watercourses must be IMMEDIATELY alerted to the Environmental Agency or other appropriate regulatory body.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Collect with absorbent, non-combustible material into suitable containers. Collect spillage in containers, seal securely and deliver for disposal according to local regulations.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

### **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Eliminate all sources of ignition. Avoid inhalation of vapours/spray and contact with skin and eyes. Static electricity and formation of sparks must be prevented.

## 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Flammable/combustible - Keep away from oxidisers, heat and flames. Store in tightly closed original container in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep in original container.

## Storage Class

Flammable liquid storage.

# 7.3. Specific end use(s)

# SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### 8.1. Control parameters

Name	STD	TWA	- 8 Hrs	STEL	- 15 Min	Notes
XYLENE	WEL	50 ppm(Sk)	220 mg/m3(Sk)	100 ppm(Sk)	441 mg/m3(Sk)	

WEL = Workplace Exposure Limit.

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

# Protective equipment





#### **Process conditions**

Provide eyewash station.

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#### **Engineering measures**

Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation.

#### Respiratory equipment

In case of inadequate ventilation use suitable respirator. Wear full face mask supplied with: Gas cartridge suitable for organic substances.

#### Hand protection

The most suitable glove must be chosen in consultation with the gloves supplier, who can inform about the breakthrough time of the glove material.

#### Eye protection

Use eye protection. Wear approved chemical safety goggles where eye exposure is reasonably probable.

#### Hygiene measures

Wash hands after handling. Wash hands at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Use appropriate hand lotion to prevent defatting and cracking of skin.

# Personal protection

When using do not smoke.

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

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Liquid

Colour Various

Odour Aromatic.

Solubility Insoluble in water

Initial boiling point and boiling range 137-143 760 mm Hg

(°C)

Relative density 0.9-1.25 20

Vapour density (air=1) >1

Viscosity 200-250 mPas 25 Flash point (°C) 25 CC (Closed cup).

Flammability Limit - Lower(%) 0.8

9.2. Other information

Volatile By Vol. (%) 64

Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) <550 g/litre

# **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

#### 10.1. Reactivity

## 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal temperature conditions and recommended use.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

## 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Avoid exposing to heat and contact with strong oxidising substances.

# 10.5. Incompatible materials

#### **Materials To Avoid**

Strong acids. Strong alkalis. Strong oxidising substances.

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

In case of fire, toxic gases (CO, CO2, NOx) may be formed.

#### **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

### Inhalation

Gas or vapour is harmful on prolonged exposure or in high concentrations.

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#### Ingestion

Liquid irritates mucous membranes and may cause abdominal pain if swallowed.

#### Skin contact

Harmful in contact with skin. Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause severe irritation.

#### Eye contact

May cause severe irritation to eyes.

#### **Health Warnings**

In high concentrations, vapours and aerosol mists have a narcotic effect and may cause headache, fatigue, dizziness and nausea.

# **Target Organs**

Skin Eyes Respiratory system, lungs

#### **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **Ecotoxicity**

The product contains a substance which is harmful to aquatic organisms and which may cause long term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

#### 12.1. Toxicity

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

# 12.4. Mobility in soil

# 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

## 12.6. Other adverse effects

## **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

# 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

#### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

General Packs of 5L and under are not regulated under the Limited Quantities Provisions.

#### 14.1. UN number

UN No. (ADR/RID/ADN) 1263 UN No. (IMDG) 1263 UN No. (ICAO) 1263

# 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name Paint

#### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID/ADN Class 3

ADR/RID/ADN Class Class 3: Flammable liquids.

ADR Label No. 3
IMDG Class 3
ICAO Class/Division 3

**Transport Labels** 

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## 14.4. Packing group

ADR/RID/ADN Packing group III

ICAO Packing group III

#### 14.5. Environmental hazards

#### **Environmentally Hazardous Substance/Marine Pollutant**

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## 14.6. Special precautions for user

**EMS** 3-05

# 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

#### **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

#### **Uk Regulatory References**

The Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (S.I 2002 No. 2677) with amendments. Chemicals (Hazard Information & Packaging) Regulations.

#### Statutory Instruments

The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2009 (S.I 2009 No. 716). Control of Substances Hazardous to Health.

## Approved Code Of Practice

Safety Data Sheets for Substances and Preparations. Classification and Labelling of Substances and Preparations Dangerous for Supply.

#### **Guidance Notes**

Workplace Exposure Limits EH40. CHIP for everyone HSG(108).

#### **EU Legislation**

Dangerous Substance Directive 67/548/EEC. Dangerous Preparations Directive 1999/45/EC. System of specific information relating to Dangerous Preparations. 2001/58/EC.

## National Regulations

The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2002. No. 1689.

# 15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

## **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

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#### Risk Phrases In Full

R10 Flammable.

R20/21 Harmful by inhalation and in contact with skin.

R22 Harmful if swallowed.
R38 Irritating to skin.

R43 May cause sensitisation by skin contact.

R51/53 Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

R65 Harmful: may cause lung damage if swallowed.

R66 Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

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#### Hazard Statements In Full

H315	Causes skin irritation.
H226	Flammable liquid and vapour.
H332	Harmful if inhaled.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H312	Harmful in contact with skin.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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