

Safety Data Sheet: Gardenia Red

1. Identification

Product	Gardenia Red; CAS Natural colour preparation; EC Not assigned (natural preparation)
Use	Professional colour and ingredient formulation development, with a suitably qualified grade for the intended application.
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Scope	Reference safety information for Gardenia Red. The reference composition, concentration and supply-grade differences are described in Section 3. This document does not certify the composition or transport status of a specific delivered batch or a different formulation.

2. Hazards Identification

Classification	No GHS hazard class assigned in the selected colour-preparation reference.
Signal word / symbols	No signal word assigned; No GHS pictogram in the selected reference
Hazard statements	No classified hazard statements assigned. Control powder dust and eye exposure.
Prevention	Use adequate ventilation; avoid inhaling dust. Prevent skin and eye contact. Wear suitable chemical-resistant gloves and eye protection. Wash after handling; keep food and drink out of the work area.
Response	After exposure, stop work and seek medical advice. For severe exposure obtain urgent medical care. Rinse contaminated skin or eyes with water; move an inhalation casualty to fresh air.
Environment	Prevent uncontrolled release to drains, soil or surface water. Collect spills for appropriate disposal.

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Reference ingredient	Gardenia-derived red colour preparation; reference lists genipin and maltodextrin without fractions. Supplied carrier composition is not established.
Supply grade	Water-soluble natural colour
Applicability	The cited concentration or purity describes the reference material. It is not a certificate of analysis for the delivered batch; different solvents or dilutions require the matching supplier safety document.

4. First-Aid Measures

General	Protect the rescuer from exposure and show the product information to medical personnel. Obtain medical advice if symptoms occur or exposure is significant.
Inhalation	Move to fresh air and keep the person comfortable. Seek medical care for breathing difficulty or persistent symptoms. Avoid exposing rescuers to dust.
Skin	Remove contaminated clothing and rinse skin thoroughly with water. Seek medical advice for persistent irritation.
Eyes	Rinse gently with clean water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses when easy and continue rinsing. Seek medical advice if irritation persists.
Ingestion	Rinse the mouth. Do not induce vomiting. Give nothing by mouth to an unconscious person. Obtain medical advice.
Effects / treatment	Control dust or mist exposure and obtain medical advice after significant exposure or persistent symptoms. Treatment is symptomatic and directed by a clinician.

5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Extinguishing media	Use water spray, foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide suited to the surrounding fire.
Hazards	Fire or severe heating can release irritating decomposition fumes; use appropriate respiratory protection.
Protection	Firefighters require suitable protective clothing and self-contained breathing equipment. Prevent contaminated firefighting water entering drains.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personnel	Isolate the spill and provide ventilation. Use chemical-resistant gloves and eye protection; avoid contact and dust exposure.
Environment	Contain the release and protect drains and waterways. Report significant environmental contamination to the responsible authority.
Cleanup	Collect spilled solid without raising dust into closed labelled containers.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling	Use enclosed powder feeding or local extraction. Wear suitable protective gloves, eye protection and work clothing; avoid dust inhalation and direct contact. Provide controls for fumes during hot processing.
Storage	Store unopened powder in a dark, dry place, preferably at 5–10°C. Protect from heat, moisture and microbiological contamination.
Incompatibilities	Strong oxidizing agents.

8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure limits	No product-specific occupational exposure limit is established here. Control airborne dust and apply current local workplace exposure requirements.
Engineering controls	Use local extraction where dust can be generated. Maintain accessible eyewash and emergency washing facilities.
Personal protection	Wear chemical-resistant gloves selected for the task, suitable protective clothing and splash goggles. Add face protection for splash-prone tasks.
Respiratory protection	Use a properly selected respirator under a respiratory-protection program where engineering controls do not adequately limit airborne exposure.
Hygiene	Wash after handling, remove contaminated clothing promptly and do not eat, drink or smoke in the work area.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance, supply	Purplish-red to dark-red powder
Solubility	Water soluble
pH, 10% solution, supply	5–7
Additional properties	No unstated delivered-grade physicochemical values are inferred.

10. Stability and Reactivity

Stability	Handle and store under the recommended conditions. Prevent contamination and unnecessary heating.
Incompatibilities	Strong oxidizing agents.
Decomposition	Fire or severe heating can release irritating decomposition fumes; use appropriate respiratory protection.

11. Toxicological Information

Exposure effects	Control dust or mist exposure and obtain medical advice after significant exposure or persistent symptoms.
Reference classification	No GHS hazard class assigned in the selected colour-preparation reference.
Toxicological data	The reference provides no complete quantitative toxicological dataset. Natural origin and absence of formal classification do not establish universal non-toxicity.

12. Ecological Information

Environmental effects	Prevent discharge to soil, drains and receiving water. Retain cleanup waste; the reference does not establish complete environmental fate data for the supplied grade.
Controls	Prevent uncontrolled release, collect spills and dispose of contaminated material through an authorized route.
Assessment	No product-specific PBT/vPvB assessment is claimed. Absence of data does not establish absence of environmental effects.

13. Disposal Considerations

Product	Collect surplus product and contaminated cleanup material for disposal by an authorized chemical-waste contractor in accordance with local requirements.
Packaging	Containers may retain product residues. Do not reuse contaminated packaging without an approved cleaning process; use an authorized disposal route.

14. Transport Information

Classification	Non-dangerous goods
UN number	Not assigned
Shipping name	Not regulated as dangerous goods
Class / packing group	Non-dangerous goods: the full preparation reference explicitly states not hazardous for transport; no UN number or packing group assigned.
Transport precautions	Protect packaging and closures from damage, secure loads and prevent releases. This reference is not a shipping declaration for a specific consignment.

15. Regulatory Information

Identity	Gardenia Red; CAS Natural colour preparation; EC Not assigned (natural preparation)
HS reference	320300; reference heading rather than a destination customs ruling.
Compliance	Apply applicable workplace, environmental and transport rules. A raw-material listing does not establish finished-product authorization.
Assessment	No ZXCHEM-specific chemical safety assessment or destination registration is asserted.

16. Other Information

Hazard meanings	No classified hazard statements assigned. Control powder dust and eye exposure.
Limitations	Prepared as reference safety information for the identified material. It is not a batch analytical certificate or safety assessment of a different solvent-containing formulation.
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Document scope	Reference safety information for the material and grade described in Sections 1 and 3. Different concentrations, solvents or formulations require the applicable safety information. This is not a batch analytical certificate.

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