# Robust Summaries for 2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

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The evaluation of the quality of the following data uses a systematic approach described by Klimisch [Klimisch *et al.*, 1996]. Based on criteria relating to international testing standards for categorizing data reliability, four reliability categories have been established. The following categories are:

Reliability code 1. Reliable without restrictions
Reliable with restrictions

Reliability code 3. Not reliableReliability code 4. Not assignable

# 1 CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

# 1.1 MELTING POINT

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt
CAS No.	25956-17-6
Method/guideline	Measured
GLP	No
Year	1970
Decomposition	300 °C
Remarks for Results	Decomposes without melting.
Data Qualities Reliabilities	Reliability code 4. Not assignable.
Remarks for Data Reliability	Code 4.Only secondary literature (review, tables, books, etc.).
References	Hazelton Laboratories (1970) Petition to FDA.

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt				
CAS No.	25956-17-6				
Method/guideline	Calculated				
Melting Point	350 °C				
Data Qualities Reliabilities	Reliability code 4. Not assignable.				
Remarks for Data Reliability	Code 4. Calculated.				
References	MPBPVPWIN EPI Suite (2000) US Environmental Protection Agency.				

# 1.2 BOILING POINT

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt				
CAS No.	25956-17-6				
Method/guideline	Calculated				
<b>Boiling Point</b>	872 °C				
Data Qualities Reliabilities	Reliability code 4. Not assignable.				
Remarks for Data Reliability	Code 4. Calculated.				
References	MPBPVPWIN EPI Suite (2000) US Environmental Protection Agency.				

# 1.3 VAPOR PRESSURE

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl				
	4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt				

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

Method/guideline Calculated/Mean of Antoine & Grain

**Vapor Pressure** 1.25 X 10<sup>-23</sup> mm Hg

Temperature 25 °C

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

References MPBPVPWIN EPI Suite (2000) US Environmental Protection

Agency.

# 1.4 N-OCTANOL/WATER PARTITION COEFFICIENTS

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Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-
CAS No.	4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt 25956-17-6
Method/guideline	Calculated
Log Pow	-0.55
Data Qualities Reliabilities	Reliability code 4. Not assignable.
Remarks for Data Reliability	Code 4. Calculated.
References	KOWWIN EPI Suite (2000) US Environmental Protection

# 1.5 WATER SOLUBILITY

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt				
CAS No.	25956-17-6				
Remarks for Substance	Purity not listed				
Method/Guideline	Experimental				
GLP	Ambiguous				
Year	1991				
Value (mg/L) at Temperature	180,000 mg/L at 20 °C; 220,000 mg/L at 25 °C; 260,000 mg/L at 60 °C				
Description of Solubility	Not given				
Data Qualities Reliabilities	Reliability code 4. Not assignable.				
Remarks for Data Reliability	Code 4.Only secondary literature (review, tables, books, etc.).				
References	Marmion D.M. (1991) Handbook of U.S. Colorants: Foods, Drugs, and Cosmetics and Medical Devices. 3rd Ed. New York, John Wiley & Sons, Inc.				

# 2 ENVIRONMENTAL FATE AND PATHWAYS

#### 2.1 PHOTODEGRADATION

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-
	4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

Remarks for Substance FD&C Red No. 40

Method/guideline Not given

Test Type Experimental

**GLP** Ambiguous

**Year** 1991

**Light Source** 15-watt General Electric germicidal lamps

Light Spectrum (nm) Ultraviolet

**Remarks for Test Conditions** The concentration of the dye solution was measured before

and after the photolysis using the Hewlett-Packard 8452A diode-array UV/Visible Spectrophotometer. FD & C Red No. 40 was prepared in an initial concentration of 5 mg/l. In the first part of the study, photolysis experiments were conducted using two 15-W (30 Watts total) General Electric germicidal lamps as the ultraviolet light source. The distance between the light source and the reaction vessels was approximately 2.5 cm. Both direct photolysis and indirect photolysis experiments were conducted. The indirect photolysis experiment used acetone as

the sensitizer for indirect photodegradation.

Concentration of Substance 5 mg/L

**Direct photolysis** 7% degradation after 50 minutes

Indirect photolysis 99% degradation after 20 minutes

Sensitizer Acetone

Concentration of sensitizer 5 mg/L

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 2. Reliable with restriction.

**Remarks for Data Reliability** Code 2. Basic data given: comparable to guidelines/standards.

References Pasin B. and Rickabaugh J. (1991) Destruction of Azo Dyes by

Sensitized Photolysis. Hazard. Ind. Wastes, 359-367.

Substance Name

2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

Method/guideline Calculation

Test Type AOPWIN

Halflife t1/2 18.2 hours

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

References AOPWIN EPI Suite (2000) US Environmental Protection

Agency.

#### 2.2 BIODEGRADATION

Substance Name	2-N	Naph	nthale	enes	ulfo	nic a	acid,	6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-
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4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

Remarks for Substance Data are for structurally related substance, C.I. Acid Red 14, 1-

Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 4-hydroxy-3-[(4-sulfo-1-

naphthalenyl)azo]-, disodium salt (CAS No. 3567-69-9)

Method Not given

**GLP** Ambiguous

**Year** 1993

Contact time (units) 24 hour

Innoculum Activated sludge

**Remarks for Test Conditions** Screened raw wastewater was used as the influent in three

pilot scale activated sludge biological treatment systems. Each water soluble dye was tested at doses of 1 mg/L for low spike systems and 5 mg/L for high spike systems of influent flow. Before the data collection, dye analytical recovery studies were conducted by dosing the purified dye compound into organic free water, influent wastewater, and mixed liquor. These studies were run in duplicate and each recovery study was repeated at least once to ensure that the dye compound could be extracted. Purified dye standards were analytically prepared from the commercial dye product by repeated recrystallization.

The INF, primary effluent (PE), and ASE were filtered and the filtrate was passed through a column packed with resin. The filter paper and resin were soaked in an ammonia acetonitrile solution and then Soxhlet extracted with ammonia-acetonitrile. The extract was concentrated and brought up to 50 mL volume with a methanol/dimethylformamide solution. The mixed liquor samples were separated into two components, the filtrate or soluble fraction (SOL) and the residue (RES) fraction. The SOL fraction was processed similar to these samples but he resin adsorption step was omitted. All extracted samples were analyzed by HPLC with and ultraviolet-visible detector. Total suspended solids analyses were also performed on the INF. PE, ML, and ASE samples.

All systems were operated for at least three times the solids retention time to ensure acclimation prior to initiation of data collection. All samples were 24 hr. composites made up of 6 grab samples collected every 4 hr. and stored at 4 deg Celsius. Percent recovery as measured: Organic Free Water: 101% at 1 mg/L and 90% at 5 mg/L; Wastewater: 98% at 1mg/L and 97% at 5 mg/L; Mixed Liquor: 88% at 1mg/L and 92% at 5 mg/L Mass Balance Data Summary: Low spike: 116% recovered, 1% adsorbed; High spike: 148% recovered, less than 1%

adsorbed.

Remarks fields for results Since the majority of the test substance was recovered, the

authors assumed that this compound was not biodegraded. The authors based this assumption on preliminary data indicating little or no problems in recovering the compounds from the sample matrix. Additionally the results also indicate that the material was not adsorbed. The authors attributed the high sulfonic acid substitution on the test substance as the reason why the material was not removed by the microbial cells

or cell byproducts and subject to aerobic biodegradation.

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 1. Reliable without restriction.

**Remarks for Data Reliability** Code 1. Comparable to guideline study.

Shaul G.M., Holdsworth T.J., Dempsey C.R., and Dostal K.A. Reference

(1990) Fate of water soluble azo dyes in the activated sludge

process. Chemosphere 22, p107-119.

2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-Substance Name

4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

CAS No. 25956-17-6

Results

Method Calculated

Classification Not readily biodegradable

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

Reference BIOWIN EPI Suite (2000) US Environmental Protection

Agency.

#### 2.3 FUGACITY

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-

methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

**Model Conditions** 25 °C, 100,000 pounds

**Test Type** Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model

Method Mackay

Model Used EQC V 2.70 Level III

**Input Parameters** MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP

Media Air-Water Partition Coefficient

Absorption coefficient 1.13E-18

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

**References** Trent University (2002) Level III Fugacity-based Environmental

Equilibrium Partitioning Model Version 2.70. Mackay, Donald (1991) Multimedia environmental models: The fugacity approach. Lewis Publications, CRC Press, Boca Raton, FL.

Substance Name 2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-

methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

**Model Conditions** 25 °C, 100,000 pounds

**Test Type** Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model

Method Mackay

Model Used EQC V 2.70 Level III

**Input Parameters** MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP

Media Fish-Water Partition Coefficient

Absorption coefficient 0.0491

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

References Trent University (2002) Level III Fugacity-based Environmental

Equilibrium Partitioning Model Version 2.70. Mackay, Donald (1991) Multimedia environmental models: The fugacity approach. Lewis Publications, CRC Press, Boca Raton, FL.

**Substance Name** 2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-

methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

**Model Conditions** 25 °C, 100,000 pounds

Test Type Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model

Method Mackay

Model Used EQC V 2.70 Level III

**Input Parameters** MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP

Media Aerosol-Air Partition Coefficient

**Absorption coefficient** 2.87E+15

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

References Trent University (2002) Level III Fugacity-based Environmental

Equilibrium Partitioning Model Version 2.70. Mackay, Donald (1991) Multimedia environmental models: The fugacity approach. Lewis Publications, CRC Press, Boca Raton, FL.

Substance Name 2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-

methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

Model Conditions 25 °C, 100,000 pounds

**Test Type** Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model

Method Mackay

Model Used EQC V 2.70 Level III

**Input Parameters** MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP

**Media** Air

Estimated Distribution and Media Concentration

3.68E-24%

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

**References** Trent University (2002) Level III Fugacity-based Environmental

Equilibrium Partitioning Model Version 2.70. Mackay, Donald

(1991) Multimedia environmental models: The fugacity approach. Lewis Publications, CRC Press, Boca Raton, FL.

Substance Name 2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-

methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

**Model Conditions** 25 °C, 100,000 pounds

Test Type Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model

Method Mackay

Model Used EQC V 2.70 Level III

**Input Parameters** MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP

Media Soil-Water Partition Coefficient

Absorption coefficient 0.0201

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

**References** Trent University (2002) Level III Fugacity-based Environmental

Equilibrium Partitioning Model Version 2.70. Mackay, Donald (1991) Multimedia environmental models: The fugacity approach. Lewis Publications, CRC Press, Boca Raton, FL.

Substance Name

2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

CAS No. 25956-17-6

Model Conditions 25 °C, 100,000 pounds

**Test Type** Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model

Method Mackay

Model Used EQC V 2.70 Level III

**Input Parameters** MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP

Media Sediment-Water Partition Coefficient

Absorption coefficient 0.0403

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

**References** Trent University (2002) Level III Fugacity-based Environmental

Equilibrium Partitioning Model Version 2.70. Mackay, Donald (1991) Multimedia environmental models: The fugacity approach. Lewis Publications, CRC Press, Boca Raton, FL.

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-
	methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

**Model Conditions** 25 °C, 100,000 pounds

**Test Type** Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model

Method Mackay

Model Used EQC V 2.70 Level III

**Input Parameters** MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP

Media Suspended Sediment-Water Partition Coefficient

Absorption coefficient 0.201

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

**References** Trent University (2002) Level III Fugacity-based Environmental

Equilibrium Partitioning Model Version 2.70. Mackay, Donald (1991) Multimedia environmental models: The fugacity approach. Lewis Publications, CRC Press, Boca Raton, FL.

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-
	methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

CAS No. 25956-17-6

**Model Conditions** 25 °C, 100,000 pounds

**Test Type** Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model

Method Mackay

Model Used EQC V 2.70 Level III

**Input Parameters** MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP

Media Water

Estimated Distribution and

Media Concentration

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** 

100%

Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

References Trent University (2002) Level III Fugacity-based Environmental

Equilibrium Partitioning Model Version 2.70. Mackay, Donald (1991) Multimedia environmental models: The fugacity approach. Lewis Publications, CRC Press, Boca Raton, FL.

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt
CAS No.	25956-17-6
<b>Model Conditions</b>	25 °C, 100,000 pounds
Test Type	Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model
Method	Mackay
Model Used	EQC V 2.70 Level III
Input Parameters	MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP
Media	Soil
Estimated Distribution and	1.64E-14%
Media Concentration Data Qualities Reliabilities	Reliability code 4. Not assignable.
Remarks for Data Reliability	Code 4. Calculated.
References	Trent University (2002) Level III Fugacity-based Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model Version 2.70. Mackay, Donald (1991) Multimedia environmental models: The fugacity approach. Lewis Publications, CRC Press, Boca Raton, FL.
Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt
CAS No.	25956-17-6
Model Conditions	05.00 400.000
	25 °C, 100,000 pounds
Test Type	Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model
Test Type Method	•
•	Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model
Method	Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model  Mackay
Method Model Used	Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model  Mackay  EQC V 2.70 Level III
Method  Model Used Input Parameters	Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model  Mackay  EQC V 2.70 Level III  MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP
Method  Model Used Input Parameters Media	Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model  Mackay  EQC V 2.70 Level III  MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP  Sediment
Method  Model Used Input Parameters Media Absorption coefficient	Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model  Mackay  EQC V 2.70 Level III  MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP  Sediment  0.0403%

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-
	methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

**Model Conditions** 25 °C, 100,000 pounds

Test Type Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model

Method Mackay

Model Used EQC V 2.70 Level III

Input Parameters MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP

Media Suspended Sediment

Estimated Distribution and Media Concentration

Media Concentration

Data Qualities Reliabilities

1.01E-4%

Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

**References** Trent University (2002) Level III Fugacity-based Environmental

Equilibrium Partitioning Model Version 2.70. Mackay, Donald (1991) Multimedia environmental models: The fugacity approach. Lewis Publications, CRC Press, Boca Raton, FL.

Substance Name 2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-

methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

**Model Conditions** 25 °C, 100,000 pounds

**Test Type** Environmental Equilibrium Partitioning Model

Method Mackay

Model Used EQC V 2.70 Level III

Input Parameters MW, log Kow, water solubility, MP & VP

**Media** Fish

**Estimated Distribution and Media Concentration** 

4.91E-6%

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

References Trent University (2002) Level III Fugacity-based Environmental

Equilibrium Partitioning Model Version 2.70. Mackay, Donald (1991) Multimedia environmental models: The fugacity approach. Lewis Publications, CRC Press, Boca Raton, FL.

# **3 ECOTOXICITY**

# 3.1 Acute Toxicity to Fish

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt
CAS No.	25956-17-6
Remarks for Substance	Data are for structurally related substance, 2,2'-(1,2-ethene-diyl)bis(5-amino)-benzenesulfonic acid (CAS No. 81-11-8)
Test Type	Experimental
GLP	Ambiguous
Year	Not given
Species/Strain/Supplier	Fish
Exposure Period	48 hour
Endpoint value	LC50 = 200 mg/L
Data Qualities Reliabilities	Reliability code 4. Not assignable.
Remarks for Data Reliability	Code 4.Only secondary literature (review, tables, books, etc.).
Reference	Greim H., Ahlers J., Bias R., Broecker B., Hollander H., Gelbke H.P., Klimisch H., Mangelsdorf I., Paetz A., Schone N., Stropp G., Vogel R., Weber C., Ziegler-Skylakakis K., and Bayer E. (1994) Toxicity and ecotoxicity of sulfonic acids: structure-activity relationship. Chemosphere, 28, 2203-2236.
Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt
CAS No.	25956-17-6
Remarks for Substance	Data are for structurally related substance, 2,2'-(1,2-ethene-

diyl)bis(5-amino)-benzenesulfonic acid, disodium salt (CAS No. 7336-20-1)

Test Type Experimental

GLP Ambiguous

Year Not given

Species/Strain/Supplier Fish

Exposure Period 72 hour

**Endpoint value** LC50 greater than 1000 mg/L

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4.Only secondary literature (review, tables, books, etc.).

Reference Greim H., Ahlers J., Bias R., Broecker B., Hollander H., Gelbke

H.P., Klimisch H., Mangelsdorf I., Paetz A., Schone N., Stropp G., Vogel R., Weber C., Ziegler-Skylakakis K., and Bayer E. (1994) Toxicity and ecotoxicity of sulfonic acids: structure-

activity relationship. Chemosphere, 28, 2203-2236.

Substance Name

2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

Remarks for Substance Data are for structurally related substance, 2,2'-(1,2-ethene-

diyl)bis(5-amino)-benzenesulfonic acid, dipotassium salt (CAS

No. 78447-91-3)

Test Type Experimental

**GLP** Ambiguous

Year Not given

Species/Strain/Supplier Fish

**Exposure Period** 96 hour

Endpoint value LC50 greater than 10000 mg/L

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

**Remarks for Data Reliability** Code 4.Only secondary literature (review, tables, books, etc.).

**Reference** Greim H., Ahlers J., Bias R., Broecker B., Hollander H., Gelbke

H.P., Klimisch H., Mangelsdorf I., Paetz A., Schone N., Stropp G., Vogel R., Weber C., Ziegler-Skylakakis K., and Bayer E. (1994) Toxicity and ecotoxicity of sulfonic acids: structure-

activity relationship. Chemosphere, 28, 2203-2236.

Substance Name 2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-

4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

Method/guideline ECOSAR

Test Type Calculated

Species/Strain/Supplier Fish

**Exposure Period** 96 hour

Remarks for Test Conditions Input parameters: Melting point, 350 °C, Water solubility,

220,000 mg/L at 25 deg C

**Endpoint value** LC50 = 2714 mg/L

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

**Reference** ECOSAR EPI Suite (2000) U.S. Environmental Protection

Agency (Nabholz V. and G. Cash, 1998).

# 3.2 Acute Toxicity to Aquatic Invertebrates

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt
CAS No.	25956-17-6
Remarks for Substance	Data are for structurally related substance 2,2'-(1,2-ethenediyl)bis(5-amino)-benzenesulfonic acid, disodium salt (CAS No. 7336-20-1)
Test Type	Experimental
Species/Strain/Supplier	Daphnia magna
Test Details	24 hour
EC50, EL50, LC0, at 24,48 hours	EC50 = 100 mg/L
Data Qualities Reliabilities	Reliability code 4. Not assignable.
Data Reliability Remarks	Code 4.Only secondary literature (review, tables, books, etc.).
Reference	Griem H., Ahlers J., Bias R., Broecker B., Hollander H., Gelbke H.P., Klimisch H., Mangelsdorf I., Paetz A., Schone N., Stropp G., Vogel R., Weber C., Ziegler-Skylakakis K., and Bayer E. (1994) Toxicity and ecotoxicity of sulfonic acids: structure-activity relationship. Chemosphere, 28, 2203-2236.
Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt
CAS No.	25956-17-6

Method/guideline ECOSAR

Test Type Calculated

Species/Strain/Supplier Daphnia magna

Test Details 48 hours

Remarks for Test Conditions Input parameters: Melting point, 350 °C, Water solubility,

220,000 mg/L at 25 deg C

EC50, EL50, LC0, at 24,48

hours

LC50 = 295 mg/L

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Data Reliability Remarks Code 4. Calculated.

Reference ECOSAR EPI Suite (2000) U.S. Environmental Protection

Agency (Nabholz V. and G. Cash, 1998).

# 3.3 ACUTE TOXICITY TO AQUATIC PLANTS

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-
	4 cultophonyl)azal disadium salt

4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

substituted azo dye.

Test Type Experimental

GLP Ambiguous

**Year** 1996

Species/Strain/Supplier Green algae, Selenastrum capricornutum

**Exposure Period** 96 hour

Remarks for Test Conditions Algal chronic toxicity test were performed according the method

of EPA, 1988. Three replicates were performed for each dye at a nominal concentration of 1 mg/l for the active colorant. One ml of dye stock solution was added to 50 mg/l of algal assay medium in 125 ml Erlenmeyer flasks. S. capricornutum in continuous culture provided the initial innoculum (10,000 algal cells/ml). The cells were incubated in the solution for 96 hours. The diluent and negative control were algal assay medium. AAM was prepared by adding 1 ml from each of five stock

solutions to 900 ml of deionized water. After spiking, the total volume was brought to 1 liter with deionized water. Population growth was used to establish potential toxicity. If the dye inhibited algal growth by more than 50% of that of the negative controls, a definitive test using several dilutions of the dye was performed to allow for determination of an EC50 concentration.

**Endpoint value** Average yield: 36.6% with 95% C.I. (34.9-38.4).

**Biological observations** 26.4% stimulation of population growth compared to control.

Control response satisfactory?

Yes

Appropriate statistical

evaluations?

Yes, Dunnett's test

Remarks fields for results 
Not statistically significant.

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 2. Reliable with restriction.

**Remarks for Data Reliability** Code 1. Comparable to guideline study.

**Reference** Greene J. C. and Baughman G.L. (1996) Effects of 46 dyes on

population-growth of fresh-water green-alga *selenastrum-capricornutum*. Textile Chemist And Colorist, 28, 23-30. Green J.D. et al. (1988) Protocols for short term toxicity screening of hazardous waste sites. Report to EPA 600/3-88-029. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Corvallis, Oregon.

Substance Name

2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

Method/guideline ECOSAR

Test Type Calculated

Species/Strain/Supplier Green algae

**Exposure Period** 96 hour

Remarks for Test Conditions Input parameters: Melting point, 350 °C, Water solubility -

220,000 mg/L at 25 deg C

Endpoint value EC50 = 44,524 mg/L

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 4. Not assignable.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 4. Calculated.

Reference ECOSAR EPI Suite (2000) US Environmental Protection

Agency (Nabholz V. and G. Cash, 1998).

#### **4 HUMAN HEALTH TOXICITY**

#### 4.1 ACUTE TOXICITY

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-
	4-sulfonhenyl)azol- disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

**Remarks for Substance** FD&C Red No. 40; purity not given; dark red in color

Method/guideline Not given

Test Type Acute Oral LD50

**GLP** No

**Year** 1965

**Species/strain** Rat/Sprague-Dawley albino

**Sex** Male and Female

# of animals per sex per

dose

5 male and 5 female

**Vehicle** Water

Route of Administration Oral-Gavage

**Remarks for Test Condition** Six groups of five male and five female Sprague-Dawley rats

each were administered the test substance in a 10% weight/volume solution. The dosage levels tested were 215, 464, 1000, 2150, 4640, and 10,000 mg/kg bw. The animals were fasted for 3-4 hours prior to dosing. Following dosing, the animals were housed in metal cages suspended above the droppings. Food and water were available *ad libitum*.

Observations were made immediately following dosing, at 1, 4, 24, 48 hours and once daily thereafter up to 14 days. Following the observation period, the animals were weighed, sacrificed by

cerebral concussion and necropsied.

Greater than 10,000 mg/kg bw

Value LD50 or LC50 with

confidence limits

Number of deaths at each

dose level

There were no deaths at any dose level tested.

Remarks for results

Clinical observations were normal with the exception of redcolored feces in both sexes at all dose levels and red-colored urine at the three highest dose levels in the female animals.

Conclusion remarks

The acute LD50 was determined to be greater than 10,000

mg/kg bw/d for adult male and female Sprague-Dawley albino

rats.

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 2. Reliable with restriction.

**Remarks for Data Reliability** 

Code 2. Basic data given: comparable to guidelines/standards.

References

Hazelton Laboratories, Inc. (1965a) Acute oral administrationrats. Five experimental non-toxic red colors. Unpublished

Report No. 165-114.

Substance Name 2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-

4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

**Remarks for Substance** FD&C Red No. 40; purity not given; dark red in color

Method/guideline Not given

Test Type Acute Oral LD50

**GLP** No

**Year** 1965

Species/strain Dog/Mongrel

**Sex** Male

# of animals per sex per

dose

2 males

Vehicle Water

Route of Administration Oral-Gavage

Remarks for Test Conditions One groups of two male Mongrel dogs was administered the

test substance in an aqueous solution at a dose level of 5 g/kg bw. Two concurrent control animals receiving 300 ml of water each were also maintained. Each test animal was individually

housed. Food and water were available ad libitum.

Observations were made immediately following dosing and daily thereafter for 7 days. Following the observation period, the animals were weighed, sacrificed and necropsied. Necropsies

were not performed on control animals. Greater than 5,000 mg/kg bw

Value LD50 or LC50 with confidence limits

Number of deaths at each

number of deaths at each

dose level

Remarks for results

There were no deaths at the dose level tested (5000 mg/kg

bw).
Red diarrhea was observed 30 minutes following dosing in one

animal, which was followed by emesis. Red urine was reported for the other animal. Red stools were reported for both dogs one day following dosing. From the third day until the seventh day, both animals appeared normal with respect to appearance, behavior, appetite and elimination. Gross necropsy revealed fibrotic changes and decreased weight in a kidney of one test animal. This finding was not considered treatment-related but was rather considered to be a chronic lesion. The spleen also appeared enlarged in this test animal. In the other test animal, hookworms were observed in the

gastrointestinal tract.

Conclusion remarks The acute LD50 was determined to be greater than 5,000

mg/kg bw/d for male Mongrel dogs.

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 2. Reliable with restriction.

**Remarks for Data Reliability** Code 2. Basic data given: comparable to guidelines/standards.

References Hazelton Laboratories, Inc. (1965b) Acute oral administration-

dogs. Five experimental non-toxic red colors. Unpublished

Report.

# 4.2 GENETIC TOXICITY

# 4.2.1 In vitro Genotoxicity

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-
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4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

**Remarks for Substance** Purity not given; red powder.

Method/guideline Ames, McCann and Yamasaki (1975) Plate Test (Overlay

method)

Test Type Reverse mutation

System of Testing Bacterial

GLP Ambiguous

**Year** 1983

**Species/Strain** Salmonella typhimurium TA98, TA1535, TA1537;

Saccharomyces cerevisiae strain D4

Metabolic Activation Rat liver microsome fraction S9 from Aroclor induced rats

**Doses/Concentration** 0.625, 1.25, 2.5, 5.0% or 10, 100, 1000, or 5000 micrograms

per plate

Statistical Methods Not given

Remarks for Test Conditions Toxicity tests were conducted to identify the 12.5%, 25% and

50% killing doses. If no toxicity was found, a maximum dose of 5% was used as the highest dose concentration. The same doses were used for both activation and non-activation assays. Approximately 10^9 cells from a log phase culture of each indicator strain were added to test tubes containing 2.0 ml of molter agar supplemented with biotin and a trace of histidine.

For tests with activation, the rat liver 9000 x g tissue

supernatant and required cofactors were added to the overlay tubes. The four dose levels of the test substance were added to the overlay tubes, followed by mixing and pouring over minimal agar plates. The plates were then incubated for 48-72 hours at 37 deg Celsius and scored for colonies. Positive and negative (solvent only) controls were run with each assay. Positive

controls for the non-activation assays were

ethylmethanesulfonate (EMS); methylnitrosoguanidine (MNNG); 2-nitrofluorene (NF); quinacrine mustard (QM). Postive controls with activation included 2-anthramine (ANTH);

2-acetylaminofluorene (AAF); 8-aminoquinoline (AMQ);

dimethylnitrosamine (DMNA).

Results The maximum dose of 5% was used, since 50% survival was

not determined. Slight toxic effects noted at 5%.

**Cytotoxic concentration** Slight toxic effects at 5%.

**Genotoxic Effects** Negative at all concentration levels.

Appropriate statistical

evaluations?

None given

Remarks for results The substance was determined to be soluble.

Conclusion Remarks The test substance did not exhibit genotoxic activity with or

without metabolic activation in the AMES assay using SAL

TA98, TA1535 or TA1537 plate overlay method.

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 2. Reliable with restriction.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 2. Acceptable, well-documented publication/study report,

which meets basic scientific principles.

**References** Brusick D. (1976) Mutagenicity evaluation of NTR-Z-4576.

Unpublished report.

Substance Name 2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-

4-sulfophenyl)azol-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

Remarks for Substance Purity not given

Method/guideline Ames test

**Test Type** Reverse mutation

System of Testing Bacterial

**GLP** No

**Year** 1979

Species/Strain Salmonella typhimurium TA1535, TA 1537, TA98, TA100

Metabolic Activation Rat liver microsome fraction S9 from Aroclor induced rats

**Doses/Concentration** 10-250 mg/plate

Statistical Methods Not given

considered positive if 2 fold increase in revertants was observed. Positive controls included 9-aminoacridine; 2-

aminoflourine; N-methyl-N-nitrosoguanidine.

**Results** Negative

Cytotoxic concentration Not given

Genotoxic Effects Negative

Appropriate statistical

evaluations?

None given

Remarks for Results Negative

**Conclusion Remarks** No evidence of genotoxicity was reported.

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 2. Reliable with restriction.

**Remarks for Data Reliability** Code 2. Basic data given: comparable to guidelines/standards.

**References** Muzzall J.M. and Cook W.I. (1979) Mutagenicity test of dyes

used in cosmetics with the Salmonella/mammalian microsome

test. Mutations Research 67, 1-8.a

# 4.2.2 In vivo Genotoxicity

	4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt
Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

Yellow 6, 6-hydroxy-5-[(4-sulfophenyl)azo]-2-

napthalenesulfonic

acid, disodium salt (CAS No. 2783-94-0).

**Method/guideline** Rodent Micronucleus Test

GLP Ambiguous

**Year** 1991

Species/Strain Rat/PVG

Sex Male

Route of Administration Oral-Gavage

**Doses/Concentration** 10 ml/kg bw

**Exposure Period** Single dose

Remarks for Test Conditions Male PVG rats received a single oral dose of 500, or 1000

mg/kg of sunset yellow 6. Bone marrow samples were taken at

24 and 48 hours later.

Genotoxic effects No significant increase in the frequency of micronucleated

polychromatic erythrocytes at either time point in either species

and there was no effect on the % PE (polychromatic

erthyrocytes).

Appropriate statistical

evaluations?

Remarks for results No

No effects.

Yes

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 2. Reliable with restriction.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 2. Acceptable, well-documented publication/study report,

which meets basic scientific principles.

**References** Westmoreland C. and Gatehouse D.G. (1991) The differential

clastogenicity of Solvent Yellow 14 and FD & C Yellow No. 6 in vivo in the rodent micronucleus test (observations on species

and tissue specificity). Carcinogenesis 12 (8), 1403-8.

# 4.3 REPEATED DOSE TOXICITY

**Substance Name**2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

CAS No. 25956-17-6

Remarks for Substance FD&C Red No. 40; 88% purity

Method/guideline Lifetime Toxicity/Carcinogenicity Study

**GLP** Ambiguous

**Year** 1991

Species/strain Rat/Sprague-Dawley

Sex Male and Female

Route of Administration Oral-Diet

**Doses/concentration Levels** 0.37, 1.39 or 5.19%

**Exposure Period** 118 (males) or 121 weeks (females)

Frequency of Treatment

Daily

**Control Group** 

Yes

**Remarks for Test Conditions** 

In a Lifetime Toxicity/Carcinogenicity Study, FD & C Red 40 was provided in the diet as an admixture to Sprague-Dawley rats. In the in utero phase, 240 male and female rats were randomly assigned (30/group) to the control, low dose (0.37%). mid-dose (1.39%) or high dose (5.19%) groups, providing daily intake levels of 180, 701 or 2829 mg/kg bw/d for males and 228, 901 or 3604 mg/kg bw/d for females. These parental (P1) rats received the test material one week prior to mating, during the three-week mating period and during the gestation and lactation periods. The offspring of these animals were randomly selected and put into groups of fifty male and female weanling rats each. These groups were administered the test substance in the diet of the male animals for 118 weeks and the diet of female animals for 121 weeks at levels of 0, 0.37, 1.39 to 5.19 % corresponding to the dietary levels used in the in utero phase. Parameters included survival, clinical signs, body weight and food consumption, gross and microscopic pathology. Gross necropsies were performed on all animals dying during the study, all animals found in a moribund condition, and all animals killed at study termination. Complete histological examinations were performed on all animals in both the control and high-dose groups. The tissues examined histologically included: brain, pituitary, thoracic spinal cord, eyes, esophagus, thyroid, thymus, heart, lungs, liver, spleen, pancreas, stomach, small and large intestine, mesenteric lymph node, kidneys, adrenal, urinary bladder, uterus, prostate, ovaries, testes with epididymides, seminal vesicles, skin, rib junction, bone marrow, nerve with muscle, and any tissue masses or lesions. Histological examination was also performed on animals from any group with observable masses or lesions. If a potential effect was seen recurrently in a tissue, than that tissue was examined in all animals.

NOAEL(NOEL)

LOAEL(LOEL)

Actual dose received by dose level and sex Toxic Response/effects by Dose Level 5.19% or 2829 mg/kg bw/d (males); 1.39% or 901 mg/kg bw/d (females)

Greater than 5.19% or 2829 mg/kg bw/d (males); 5.19% or 3604 mg/kg bw/d (females)

180, 701 or 2829 mg/kg bw/d (males); 228, 901 or 3604 mg/kg bw/d (females)

Food consumption was elevated among high dose males and females, but was not statistically significant. Red-tinted fur was reported among all treated animals, and red-tinted feces was reported among mid- and high-dose male and females. Group mean body weights of treated males and females were decreased compared to control animals at study termination, with the exception of mid-dose treated male rats, which experienced an increase in mean body weight. However, the decrease in mean body weight was only statistically significant in female rats at the high dose level (3604 mg/kg bw/d). Clinical chemistry and urinalysis parameters revealed no treatment related effects. Histopathological examination revealed lesions in both control and treated animals at similar prevalence, and thus not attributed to test substance administration.

Appropriate statistical

evaluations?

Yes

Conclusion Remarks

No biologically significant adverse effects were reported following administration of FD&C Red 40, with the exception of

decrease mean body weights for high-dose female rats at study termination. The authors attributed this effect to the large amount of non-nutritive material in the diet at the intake level.

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 1. Reliable without restriction.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 1. Comparable to guideline study.

**References** Borzelleca J.F., Olson J.W. and Reno F.E. (1991a) Lifetime

toxicity/ carcinogenicity studies of FD&C Red No. 40 (Allura Red) in Sprague Dawley Rats. Food and Chemical Toxicology,

27, 701-705.

Substance Name 2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-

4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

Remarks for Test Substance FD&C Red No. 40; 88% purity

Method/guideline Lifetime Toxicity/Carcinogenicity Study

**GLP** Ambiguous

**Year** 1991

Species/strain Mice\Charles River CD1 (study A) and outbred CD-1 (study B)

**Sex** Male and Female

Route of Administration Oral-Diet

**Doses/concentration Levels** 0.37, 1.39 or 5.19%

**Exposure Period** 104 weeks (Study A) or 109 weeks (Study B)

Frequency of Treatment Daily

Control Group Yes

Remarks for Test Conditions In the in utero phase, 50 male and female mice each (study A)

or 70 male and female mice each (study B) were randomly assigned to the control, low dose (0.37%), mid-dose (1.39%) or high dose (5.19%) groups, providing daily intake levels of 507, 1877 or 7422 mg/kg bw/d for males and 577, 2043 or 8304 mg/kg bw/d for females (study A) and 492, 1821, or 7318 mg/kg bw/d (males) and 526, 2057 or 8356 mg/kg bw/d (females) (study B). These Fo mice received the test material one week prior to mating, during the three week mating period and during gestation and lactation periods. Groups of fifty male

and female weanling Charles River mice each were

administered the test substance in the diet of study A animals for 104 weeks and the diet of study B animals for 109 weeks at levels of 0, 0.37, 1.39 or 5.19 %. These animals were the Fo

offspring of parental mice (P1), which were treated at the corresponding levels. Study A had one control group while study B had two control groups. Parameters included survival, clinical signs, body weight and food consumption, gross and microscopic pathology. Gross necropsies were performed on all animals dying during the study, all animals found in a moribund condition, and all animals killed at study termination. Complete histology was conducted on all mice from all groups in study A and on 10/sex/group for the two control groups and the highest-dose group from study B. The tissues examined histologically included: brain, pituitary, thoracic spinal cord, eyes, esophagus, thyroid, thymus, heart, lungs, liver, spleen, pancreas, stomach, small and large intestine, mammary glands (study B only), mesenteric lymph node, kidneys, adrenal. urinary bladder, uterus, prostate, ovaries, testes with epididymides, seminal vesicles, skin, rib junction, bone marrow. nerve with muscle, and any tissue masses or lesions. Greater than 5.19%

NOAEL(NOEL)

LOAEL(LOEL)

Actual dose received by dose level and sex

Toxic Response/effects by Dose Level
Appropriate statistical evaluations?
Remarks for Results

#### Not determined

507, 1877 or 7422 mg/kg bw/d for males and 577, 2043 or 8304 mg/kg bw/d for females (study A) and 492, 1821, or 7318 mg/kg bw/d (males) and 526, 2057 or 8356 mg/kg bw/d (females) (study B).

No treatment -related effects were observed for any parameter evaluated at any dose level.

Yes.

No treatment-related effects were reported on survival. The authors reported decreased food consumption among the midand high-dose females for wk 62-106 in study B. However, no consistent statistically significant effects on food consumption were reported in either study. Localized alopecia, labored respiration, colored hair coat, lacrimation and thinness were reported in similar incidences in both control and treated mice at all dose levels. Distended abdomens were noted in both midand high-dose females, while palpable masses were reported in control and treated groups at a similar incidence. Hematological and clinical chemistry parameters revealed few differences among treated and control groups. No significant gross pathological changes were reported among treated groups compared to control groups. An increase in absolute and relative thyroid weights in study B in the high-dose males and females was reported but the significance was questioned because there was no accompanying histopathology, and were not dose-dependent and were species-specific.

The authors also reported an earlier appearance of lymphatic lymphomas among treated groups in study A compared to control groups. No increases in incidence or appearance of lymphocytic lymphomas was reported in study B. However, statistical analyses of the data revealed no statistical significance in the finding of an apparent acceleration of lymphocytic lymphomas development.

**Conclusion Remarks** No treatment-related adverse effects were reported at any dose

level following lifetime administration of FD & C Red 40 to male

and female mice.

The second study, study B, conducted using a different strain of mouse to further investigate if FD&C Red 40 had an effect on the appearance of lymphocytic lymphomas, revealed no relationship between the incidence of lymphocytic lymphomas

and FD&C Red 40.

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 1. Reliable without restriction.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 1. Comparable to guideline study.

References Borzelleca J.F., Olson J.W. and Reno F.E. (1991b) Lifetime

toxicity/ carcinogenicity studies of FD&C Red No. 40 (Allura Red) in mice. Food and Chemical Toxicology, 29, 313-319.

# 4.4 DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-
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4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

Method/guideline FDA Teratology Study

**GLP** Yes

**Year** 1989

Species/strain Rat/Osborne-Mendel (FDA strain)

Sex Female

Route of Administration Oral-drinking water

**Duration of Test** 20 days

**Doses/concentration Levels** 0, 0.2, 0.4 or 0.7%

**Exposure Period** 20 days

Frequency of Treatment ad libitum

**Control Group and** 

**Treatment** 

Yes

#### **Remarks for Test Conditions**

Four groups of female Osborne-Mendel (FDA strain) rats (40-41 per group) were administered FD & C Red 40 in the drinking water at intake levels of 0, 0.2, 0.4 or 0.7% for the first 20 days of gestation. On day 20, the animals were examined for gross abnormalities followed by euthanization. Caesarean sections were performed. The uterus was examined for presence and position of resorption sites and fetuses, number of corpora lutea and implantation sites. All live fetuses were promptly weighed, sexed, and examined. Crown-rump lengths were measured. Fetuses were divided and assigned to skeletal or soft tissue examination.

NOAEL(NOEL) maternal

toxicity

LOAEL(LOEL) maternal

toxicity

NOAEL (NOEL)

developmental toxicity

LOAEL (LOEL)

developmental toxicity Actual dose received by dose level and sex

Maternal data with dose level

Fetal Data with Dose Level

Appropriate statistical evaluations? Remarks for results

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** 

**Remarks for Data Reliability** 

Not determined

.7% or 939.29 mg/kg bw/d

273.58 mg/kg bw/d

545.68 mg/kg bw/d

0, 273.58, 545.68 or 939.29 mg/kg bw/d

No clinical findings were reported and no deaths occurred during treatment. Mean fluid consumption was significantly increased in animals at the 0.2 and 0.4% intake levels but only on days 14-20. Because fluid consumption was not increased at the 0.7% level, the findings were not considered biologically

significant. No other effects were reported.

A significant increase in the incidence of litters containing fetuses with missing sternebrae occurred in the 0.4% group, but not in the group receiving 0.7%. No dose related increases were reported for any sternebral variations. The number of fetuses with at least one type of sternebral variations was greater in all treated groups, but only significantly greater in the 0.4 and 0.7% groups. The percentage of total fetuses with at least one sternebral variation was greater in all of the treated groups compared to the control group, but the differences were not significant. The number of fetuses with more than one skeletal variation were similar among treated and control groups. The incidence of reduced ossification of the hyoid bone was significantly increased at the 0.7% intake level. Significant dose related increases were reported at the highest intake level for the average number of fetuses per litter with at least two skeletal variations and the number of litters containing them. Yes, ANOVA, Fisher's Exact Test, t-test.

The authors questioned the biological significance of the reduced ossification of the hyoid bone, given the lack of effect seen in a gavage study using higher dose levels. The increased incidence was also just outside that found in the historical controls, and the control group was noted as having a lower incidence compared to the historical controls.

Reliability code 1. Reliable without restriction.

Code 1. Guideline study.

References Collins T., Black T.N., Welsch J.J., and Brown L.H. (1989a)

Study of the teratogenic potential of FD & C Red No. 40 when given in drinking water. Toxicology and Industrial Health 5,

937-948.

Substance Name 2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-

4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

Method/guideline FDA Teratology Study

**GLP** Yes

**Year** 1989

Species/strain Rat/Osborne-Mendel (FDA strain)

Sex Female

Route of Administration Oral-Gavage

**Duration of Test** 19 days

**Doses/concentration Levels** 0, 30, 75, 150, 300, 600 or 1000 mg/kg bw/d

Exposure Period 19 days

Frequency of Treatment Daily

**Control Group and** 

Treatment

**Remarks for Test Conditions** 

Yes

Four groups of female Osborne-Mendel (FDA strain) rats (42-43 per group) were administered FD & C Red 40 via gavage at dose levels of 0, 30, 75, 150, 300, 600 or 1000 mg/kg bw/d for the first 19 days of gestation. On day 19, the animals were examined for gross abnormalities followed by euthanization. Caesarean sections were performed. The uterus was examined for presence and position of resorption sites and fetuses, number of corpora lutea and implantation sites. All live fetuses were promptly weighed, sexed, and examined. Crown-rump lengths were measured. Fetuses were divided and assigned to

skeletal or soft tissue examination.

NOAEL(NOEL) maternal

toxicity

LOAEL(LOEL) maternal

toxicity

NOAEL (NOEL)

developmental toxicity

LOAEL (LOEL)

developmental taxiait

developmental toxicity Appropriate statistical

evaluations?

Actual dose received by dose level and sex

Maternal data with dose

level

1000 mg/kg bw/d

Not determined

1000 mg/kg bw/d

Not determined

Yes, ANOVA, Fisher's Exact Test, t-test.

0, 30, 75, 150, 300, 600 or 1000 mg/kg bw/d

No clinical findings were reported and no deaths occurred

during treatment. No other dose related findings were reported.

Fetal Data with Dose Level The only significant skeletal anomaly found was an increase in

14th rib buds at the 300 mg/kg bw/d dose level but was not seen at the higher dose levels. No other soft-tissue or

sternebral variations were reported.

Conclusion remarks The NOAEL's for maternal and fetal toxicity were 1000 mg/kg

bw/d.

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** Reliability code 1. Reliable without restriction.

Remarks for Data Reliability Code 1. Guideline study.

References Collins T., Black T.N., Welsch J.J., and Brown L.H. (1989b)

Study of the teratogenic potential of FD & C Red No. 40 when given by gavage to rats. Fd. Chem. Toxic. Vol 27, pp 707-713.

# 4.5 REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY

Substance Name	2-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 6-hydroxy-5-[(2-methoxy-5-methyl-
	4-sulfophenyl)azo]-, disodium salt

**CAS No.** 25956-17-6

**Remarks for Substance** FD&C Red No. 40; fine dark red powders without noticeable

odor

Method/guideline Not given

**Test Type** Two generation reproductive study

**GLP** Ambiguous

**Year** 1969

Species/strain Rat/Charles River Caesarean albino

**Sex** Male and Female

Route of Administration Oral-Diet

**Duration of Test**Two parental generations and two two-litter filial generations

**Doses/concentration Levels** 3700, 13,900 and 51,900 ppm

**Premating Exposure period** 

for males

27 weeks

**Premating Exposure period** 

for females

27 weeks

**Frequency of Treatment** 

Daily

#### Control Group and Treatment Remarks for Test Conditions

Yes, basal diet

Groups of male (10) and female (20) Charles River rats were administered FD&C Red No. 40 in the diet at 0, 3700, 13,900, or 51,900 ppm for 27 weeks prior to initiation of the first breeding phase. These P1 parental generations were individually housed. Clinical observations included food consumption, appearance, individual body weights and behavior and were made weekly. The F1A weanling rats designated P2 generation were kept 4-5 to a cage according to sex and maintained on the same concentration level as their parents until reaching maturity.

During the breeding phase of the P1 generation, two females and one male were placed in a breeding cage. At weekly intervals during the mating period, the males were rotated among the females in each group. Following mating, the females were placed in individual cages to produce the first (FIA) litters. Twenty-four hours following the birth of the pups the first litters (FIA) were arbitrarily reduced to 8 maximum per mother. The number of conceptions, number of litters, live births, stillbirths, size of natural and nursing litters, deaths during the period of lactation, and number of pups weaned were recorded. The body weights of each pup were recorded at 24 hours and at weaning. Gross signs of toxicity were monitored. After 21-days of nursing, random pups were sacrificed and gross necropsies performed. Twenty-four females and twelve males remaining from each test group and control group were selected at random and designated the P2 generation. Following the weaning of the F1A animals, the P1 generation was remated to produce their second litters referred to as F1B, according to the procedures described above.

The P2 generation was housed 4-5 per cage and was maintained on the same dietary levels as their parents. The procedures outlined above for the P1 generation were maintained for the P2 generation. The litters of the P2 animals were referred to as the F2A litters. Body weights of the F2A pups were monitored 24 hours following the birth and at weaning. Gross signs of toxicity were recorded. Following a 21-day nursing period, all pups were weaned and sacrificed. One week following the weaning period of the F2A litter, the P2 generation was remated to produce their second litters (F2B). Two females were placed in a cage with a male from the corresponding dose group. Males were rotated weekly, and females were examined daily for presence of spermatozoa for a maximum of 21 consecutive days. The first day that sperm were observed was designated as day 0 of gestation. The females were then placed in individual cages. Half of the females (12) were sacrificed on day 19 or 20 of gestation and Caesarean sections were performed. Observations included number and placement of implantation sites, resorption sites, and live and dead fetuses; individual fetal weight and length (crown to rump), and external fetal anatomical structure. Gross necropsies were performed on each female including examination of uterus and visceral structures. The remaining 12 females were allowed to litter normally. The fetuses of both females delivering normally and via Caesarean section were

necropsied.

NOAEL(NOEL) 13,900 ppm

LOAEL(LOEL) 51,900 ppm

Actual dose received by dose level and sex Parental data and F1 as

Not given

appropriate

Fertility indices for the control and test animals of both F1A and F1B were considered low. The authors attributed this to the advanced age of the animals upon mating. The fertility index of the 3700 ppm test group in the F2A breeding cycle as well as the 3700 and 51900 ppm test groups in the F2B breeding cycle were reported to be low in comparison to control animals and historical control data.

Offspring toxicity F1 and F2

Growth suppression characterized as slight was also reported for the low-level F1B pups, and the high-level F1A and F1B pups and the F2A and F2B breeding cycles when compared with controls. All other measured parameters were comparable to controls in each generation and among the two filial generations. The authors concluded that FD&C Red 40 caused meaningful growth suppression in the pups whose parents received the high level diets.

Appropriate statistical evaluations?

Not given

Conclusion remarks

The authors reported a NOAEL for reproductive toxicity following administration of FD&C Red 40 as 13,900 ppm.

**Data Qualities Reliabilities** 

Reliability code 1. Reliable without restriction.

Remarks for Data Reliability

Code 1. Comparable to guideline study.

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