



# Nuline R-20

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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Identification

Product form : Mixture  
Product name : Nuline R-20  
CAS-No. : Mixture  
Product code : 2510 - Mix3312  
Other means of identification : Resin Bonded Magnesia-Carbon Brick

#### 1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture : Refractory Brick  
Recommended use : Industrial use

#### 1.3. Supplier

Resco Products, Inc.  
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Pittsburgh, PA 15205 - United States  
412-494-4491

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#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : EMERGENCY ONLY (CHEMTREC) USA & Canada 1-800-424-9300  
Outside USA & Canada +1 703-741-5970

### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

##### GHS US classification

Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2 H315 Causes skin irritation  
Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2B H320 Causes eye irritation  
Specific target organ toxicity — Single exposure, Category 3, Respiratory tract irritation H335 May cause respiratory irritation

Full text of H statements : see section 16

#### 2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

##### GHS US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS US) :



Signal word (GHS US) : Warning  
Hazard statements (GHS US) : H315 - Causes skin irritation  
H320 - Causes eye irritation  
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

Precautionary statements (GHS US) : P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

#### 2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

#### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

### SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
Magnesium Oxide	(CAS-No.) 1309-48-4	75 – 95	Not classified
graphite	(CAS-No.) 7782-42-5	10 – 20	Not classified
Phenolic Resin	(CAS-No.) 108-95-2	1 – 5	Not classified

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

### SECTION 4: First-aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.  
First-aid measures after inhalation : Dust when sawing or tear out. Remove the victim into fresh air.  
First-aid measures after skin contact : Gently wash with plenty of soap and water.  
First-aid measures after eye contact : IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

No additional information available

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### 4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

No additional information available

## SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

### 5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.  
Unsuitable extinguishing media : No unsuitable extinguishing media known.

### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

- Fire hazard : Non-flammable. Do not breathe fumes from fires or vapors from decomposition.

### 5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

- Firefighting instructions : Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.  
Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus.  
Other information : Product will not burn, but does contain small quantities of chemicals which can generate toxic and/or irritating vapors when initially heated. Under fire conditions hazardous combustion products such as carbon monoxide may be generated. The phenolic resin binder may undergo incomplete combustion when temperature is applied to this product. The intent of this note is as follows: (1) to apprise the customer/user of the potential for incomplete combustion, and (2) to advise that the chemical compounds produced by incomplete combustion by poor air handling practices may exceed TLV's for specific air contaminants. The specific chemical compounds which may be produced include but are not limited to: carbon monoxide, formaldehyde, phenol, alcohols, glycols, and other solvents.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Protective equipment : Safety glasses. Protective gloves. Safety shoes.  
Emergency procedures : Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.  
Emergency procedures : Collect spillage. On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

No additional information available

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

- For containment : Collect spillage.  
Methods for cleaning up : Mechanically recover the product.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

No additional information available

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Avoid contact with skin and eyes.  
Hygiene measures : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.

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

- Storage conditions : Store this product in a dry location where it can be protected from the elements.  
Incompatible products : Strong acids.  
Incompatible materials : Oxidizing agents and strong acids.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Nuline R-20 (Mixture)

No additional information available

#### Magnesium Oxide (1309-48-4)

##### USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits

ACGIH TWA (mg/m<sup>3</sup>) : 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> inhalable dust

##### USA - OSHA - Occupational Exposure Limits

OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m<sup>3</sup>) : 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> respirable dust

#### graphite (7782-42-5)

##### USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits

ACGIH TWA (mg/m<sup>3</sup>) : 2 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (Respirable fraction)

#### Phenolic Resin (108-95-2)

No additional information available

### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

- Appropriate engineering controls : Provide adequate ventilation to minimize dust concentrations. Dust when sawing or tear out.

### 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

**Hand protection:**

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protective gloves

### Eye protection:

Safety glasses

### Respiratory protection:

Use care during processing (cutting, sawing, etc.) to minimize generation of dust. Wear appropriate mask

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

Physical state	: Solid
Appearance	: Solid in various shapes.
Color	: Black
Odor	: Resin Odor
Odor threshold	: No data available
pH	: No data available
Melting point	: > 2800 °F
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Non flammable.
Vapor pressure	: No data available
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: ≈ 2.9
Solubility	: Insoluble in water.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosion limits	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available

### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No additional information available

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

No additional information available

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

The phenolic resin binder may undergo incomplete combustion when temperature is applied to this product. The intent of this note is as follows: (1) to apprise the customer/user of the potential for incomplete combustion, and (2) to advise that the chemical compounds produced by incomplete combustion by poor air handling practices may exceed TLV's for specific air contaminates. The specific chemical compounds which may be produced include but are not limited to: carbon monoxide, formaldehyde, phenol, alcohols, glycols, and other solvents.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	: Not classified

Magnesium Oxide (1309-48-4)	
LD50 oral rat	> 5000 mg/kg (Rat, Literature study, Oral)
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 2000 mg/kg body weight (Rabbit, Literature study, Dermal)

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<b>graphite (7782-42-5)</b>	
LD50 oral rat	> 2000 mg/kg (OECD 423: Acute Oral Toxicity – Acute Toxic Class Method, Rat, Female, Experimental value, Oral)
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	> 2000 mg/m <sup>3</sup> air (OECD 403: Acute Inhalation Toxicity, 4 h, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Inhalation (dust))

Skin corrosion/irritation	: Causes skin irritation.
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes eye irritation.
Respiratory or skin sensitization	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified

<b>Phenolic Resin (108-95-2)</b>	
IARC group	3 - Not classifiable
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
STOT-single exposure	: May cause respiratory irritation.
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

<b>graphite (7782-42-5)</b>	
LC50 fish 1	> 100 mg/l (OECD 203: Fish, Acute Toxicity Test, 96 h, Danio rerio, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Lethal)
EC50 Daphnia 1	> 100 mg/l (OECD 202: Daphnia sp. Acute Immobilisation Test, 48 h, Daphnia magna, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Behaviour)

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

<b>Magnesium Oxide (1309-48-4)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Not applicable.
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable
ThOD	Not applicable

<b>graphite (7782-42-5)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradability: not applicable.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	Not applicable
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable
ThOD	Not applicable
BOD (% of ThOD)	Not applicable

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

<b>Magnesium Oxide (1309-48-4)</b>	
Bioaccumulative potential	No bioaccumulation data available.

<b>graphite (7782-42-5)</b>	
Bioaccumulative potential	No bioaccumulation data available.

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

<b>Magnesium Oxide (1309-48-4)</b>	
Ecology - soil	No data available.

#### 12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Disposal methods

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Not regulated

#### Transportation of Dangerous Goods

Not regulated

#### Transport by sea

Not regulated

#### Air transport

Not regulated

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### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1. US Federal regulations

##### Nuline R-20 (Mixture)

Note This information must be included in all SDS's that are copied and distributed for this material.

All components of this product are listed, or excluded from listing, on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory

##### Phenolic Resin (108-95-2)

Subject to reporting requirements of United States SARA Section 313  
Listed on EPA Hazardous Air Pollutant (HAPS)

CERCLA RQ	1000 lb
RQ (Reportable quantity, section 304 of EPA's List of Lists)	1000 lb
SARA Section 302 Threshold Planning Quantity (TPQ)	10000 lb 500lb if the substance is solid in powder form with particle size less than 100 microns, or is in solution or molten form

#### 15.2. International regulations

##### CANADA

##### Magnesium Oxide (1309-48-4)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

##### graphite (7782-42-5)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

##### Phenolic Resin (108-95-2)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

#### EU-Regulations

No additional information available

#### National regulations

No additional information available

#### 15.3. US State regulations

Component	State or local regulations
Magnesium Oxide (1309-48-4)	U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List; U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List; U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List
Graphite (7782-42-5)	U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List; U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List; U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List
Phenolic Resin (108-95-2)	U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List; U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List; U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List

### SECTION 16: Other information

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Other information : Report language name. English. In the event of any conflict between English and other language versions, the English version shall prevail.

Full text of H-phrases:

H315	Causes skin irritation
H320	Causes eye irritation
H335	May cause respiratory irritation

SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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