

# A-Gas R744

# A-Gas (A-Gas (Australia))

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Safety Data Sheet according to WHS and ADG requirements

#### Chemwatch Hazard Alert Code: 1

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

## **Product Identifier**

| Product name                  | A-Gas R744                          |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Synonyms                      | Not Available                       |
| Proper shipping name          | CARBON DIOXIDE, REFRIGERATED LIQUID |
| Other means of identification | Not Available                       |

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

| Relevant identified uses | Carbonating/ pressure dispensing Fire fighting Food packaging Freezing applications Welding |
|--------------------------|---|
|--------------------------|---|

## Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

| Registered company name | A-Gas (A-Gas (Australia))                          |  |  |
|-------------------------|--|--|--|
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| Telephone               | +61 3 9368 9222                                    |  |  |
| Fax                     | +61 3 9368 9233                                    |  |  |
| Website                 | www.agas.com                                       |  |  |
| Email                   | Not Available                                      |  |  |

# **Emergency telephone number**

| Association / Organisation        | A-Gas (A-Gas (Australia)) |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Emergency telephone numbers       | +61 1800 024 973 (TOLL)   |
| Other emergency telephone numbers | Not Available             |

## **SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

# Classification of the substance or mixture

# HAZARDOUS CHEMICAL. DANGEROUS GOODS. According to the WHS Regulations and the ADG Code.

# CHEMWATCH HAZARD RATINGS

|              | Min | Max                   |    |
|--------------|-----|-----------------------|----|
| Flammability | 0   |                       |    |
| Toxicity     | 1   | 0 = Minimu            | m  |
| Body Contact | 0   | 1 = Low<br>2 = Modera | +- |
| Reactivity   | 1   | 3 = High              | le |
| Chronic      | 0   | 4 = Extreme           | 5  |

| Poisons Schedule  | Not Applicable   |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|
| Classification [1]  | as under Pressure (Liquefied gas), Chronic Aquatic Hazard Category 4 |  |  |
| Legend: 1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI |  |  |  |

# Label elements

Hazard pictogram(s)



SIGNAL WORD WARNING

# Hazard statement(s)

| H280 | Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.     |
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| H413 | May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life. |

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Risk of explosion if heated under confinement.

## Supplementary statement(s)

Not Applicable

## Precautionary statement(s) General

| P101 | medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand. |  |  |
|------|--|--|--|
| P102 | Keep out of reach of children.                                     |  |  |
| P103 | Read label before use.   |  |  |

#### Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

#### Precautionary statement(s) Response

Not Applicable

#### Precautionary statement(s) Storage

P410+P403

Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place.

#### Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

P501 Dispose of contents/container to authorised hazardous or special waste collection point in accordance with any local regulation.

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

#### Substances

See section below for composition of Mixtures

#### Mixtures

| CAS No   | %[weight] | Name                                |
|----------|-----------|-------------------------------------|
| 124-38-9 | >60       | carbon dioxide, refrigerated liquid |

# **SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES**

## Description of first aid measures

- ▶ If product comes in contact with eyes remove the patient from gas source or contaminated area.
- ▶ Take the patient to the nearest eye wash, shower or other source of clean water.
- Open the evelid(s) wide to allow the material to evaporate.
- ▶ Gently rinse the affected eye(s) with clean, cool water for at least 15 minutes. Have the patient lie or sit down and tilt the head back. Hold the eyelid(s) open and pour water slowly over the eyeball(s) at the inner corners, letting the water run out of the outer corners. ► The patient may be in great pain and wish to keep the eyes closed. It is important that the material is rinsed from the eyes to prevent further damage.
- ▶ Ensure that the patient looks up, and side to side as the eye is rinsed in order to better reach all parts of the eye(s)
- **Eve Contact**

Skin Contact

- Transport to hospital or doctor Fernal Even when no pain persists and vision is good, a doctor should examine the eye as delayed damage may occur.
- ▶ If the patient cannot tolerate light, protect the eyes with a clean, loosely tied bandage
- Ensure verbal communication and physical contact with the patient.

DO NOT allow the patient to rub the eves

DO NOT allow the patient to tightly shut the eyes

DO NOT introduce oil or ointment into the eye(s) without medical advice

DO NOT use hot or tepid water.

- If skin or hair contact occurs:
- Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).
- Seek medical attention in event of irritation.

In case of cold burns (frost-bite):

- ▶ Move casualty into warmth before thawing the affected part; if feet are affected carry if possible
- ▶ Bathe the affected area immediately in luke-warm water (not more than 35 deg C) for 10 to 15 minutes, immersing if possible and without rubbing
- ▶ DO NOT apply hot water or radiant heat
- ▶ Apply a clean, dry, light dressing of "fluffed-up" dry gauze bandage ▶ If a limb is involved, raise and support this to reduce swelling

  - ▶ If an adult is involved and where intense pain occurs provide pain killers such as paracetomol ▶ Transport to hospital, or doctor

  - ▶ Subsequent blackening of the exposed tissue indicates potential of necrosis, which may require amputation.

# For hypothermia:

- ▶ Move person to a warm place
- Wrap in blankets
- ▶ Shock may occur during the correction of hypothermia; cardiac dysrhythmias may be associated with severe hypothermia.
- Seek medical attention.
- Avoid direct heat.
- ▶ Arrange for admission to hospital for observation

#### ▶ Following exposure to gas, remove the patient from the gas source or contaminated area. NOTE: Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), including positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus may be required to assure the safety of the

- Prostheses such as false teeth, which may block the airway, should be removed, where possible, prior to initiating first aid procedures.
- Inhalation ▶ If the patient is not breathing spontaneously, administer rescue breathing.
  - If the patient does not have a pulse, administer CPR
  - If medical oxygen and appropriately trained personnel are available, administer 100% oxygen.
  - ▶ Summon an emergency ambulance. If an ambulance is not available, contact a physician, hospital, or Poison Control Centre for further instruction

Keep the patient warm, comfortable and at rest while awaiting medical care.
 MONITOR THE BREATHING AND PULSE, CONTINUOUSLY.

Administer rescue breathing (preferably with a demand-valve resuscitator, bag-valve mask-device, or pocket mask as trained) or CPR if necessary

Ingestion ► Not considered a normal route of entry

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

For frost-bite caused by liquefied petroleum gas:

- ▶ If part has not thawed, place in warm water bath (41-46 C) for 15-20 minutes, until the skin turns pink or red.
- ▶ Analgesia may be necessary while thawing.
- If there has been a massive exposure, the general body temperature must be depressed, and the patient must be immediately rewarmed by whole-body immersion, in a bath at the above temperature.
- ▶ Shock may occur during rewarming.
- ▶ Administer tetanus toxoid booster after hospitalization.
- ▶ Prophylactic antibiotics may be useful.
- ▶ The patient may require anticoagulants and oxygen.

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For gas exposures:

# BASIC TREATMENT

- ► Establish a patent airway with suction where necessary.
- ▶ Watch for signs of respiratory insufficiency and assist ventilation as necessary.
- ▶ Administer oxygen by non-rebreather mask at 10 to 15 l/min.
- ▶ Monitor and treat, where necessary, for pulmonary oedema .
- Monitor and treat, where necessary, for shock.
- Anticipate seizures.

ADVANCED TREATMENT

- ▶ Consider orotracheal or nasotracheal intubation for airway control in unconscious patient or where respiratory arrest has occurred.
- ▶ Positive-pressure ventilation using a bag-valve mask might be of use.
- ▶ Monitor and treat, where necessary, for arrhythmias.
- ▶ Start an IV D5W TKO. If signs of hypovolaemia are present use lactated Ringers solution. Fluid overload might create complications.
- ▶ Drug therapy should be considered for pulmonary oedema
- ▶ Hypotension with signs of hypovolaemia requires the cautious administration of fluids. Fluid overload might create complications.
- Treat seizures with diazepam.
- ▶ Proparacaine hydrochloride should be used to assist eye irrigation.

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# **SECTION 5 FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

## **Extinguishing media**

Self-extinguishing

**SMALL FIRE:** Use extinguishing agent suitable for type of surrounding fire.

LARGE FIRE: Cool cylinder.

**DO NOT** direct water at source of leak or venting safety devices as icing may occur.

# Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

Fire Incompatibility ▶ Avoid contamination with oxidising agents i.e. nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result Advice for firefighters GENERAL ▶ Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard ▶ Wear breathing apparatus and protective gloves Fire Fighting ▶ Fight fire from a safe distance, with adequate cover. Use water delivered as a fine spray to control fire and cool adjacent area. ▶ Cryogens can be particularly dangerous during fires. ► Cryogenic liquids can freeze water very rapidly. Careless use of water can lead to heavy icing, possibly blocking pressure relief valves. ▶ The relatively warm water can also cause a cryogenic liquid to vapourise more rapidly. ▶ Containers may explode when heated - Ruptured cylinders may rocket Fire exposed containers may vent contents through pressure relief devices. High concentrations of gas may cause asphyxiation without warning. May decompose explosively when heated or involved in fire. Contact with gas may cause burns, severe injury and/ or frostbite. Fire/Explosion Hazard Decomposition may produce toxic fumes of: carbon monoxide (CO) carbon dioxide (CO2) other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material. Contains low boiling substance: Closed containers may rupture due to pressure buildup under fire conditions. ▶ Vented gas is more dense than air and may collect in pits, basements HAZCHEM 2T

# **SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

## Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

See section 8

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## **Environmental precautions**

See section 12

## Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

| Minor Spills | <ul> <li>Avoid breathing vapour and any contact with liquid or gas. Protective equipment including respirator should be used.</li> <li>DO NOT enter confined spaces where gas may have accumulated.</li> <li>Increase ventilation.</li> </ul>  |
|--------------|--|
| Major Spills | <ul> <li>Clear area of all unprotected personnel and move upwind.</li> <li>Alert Emergency Authority and advise them of the location and nature of hazard.</li> <li>Wear breathing apparatus and protective gloves.</li> <li>Prevent by any means available, spillage from entering drains and water-courses.</li> <li>Remove leaking cylinders to a safe place.</li> <li>Fit vent pipes. Release pressure under safe, controlled conditions</li> <li>Burn issuing gas at vent pipes.</li> <li>DO NOT exert excessive pressure on valve; DO NOT attempt to operate damaged valve.</li> </ul> |

Personal Protective Equipment advice is contained in Section 8 of the SDS.

# **SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE**

# Precautions for safe handling

### ·Consider use in closed pressurised systems, fitted with temperature, pressure and safety relief valves which are vented for safe dispersal. Use only $properly\ specified\ equipment\ which\ is\ suitable\ for\ this\ product,\ its\ supply\ pressure\ and\ temperature$ . The tubing network design connecting gas cylinders to the delivery system should include appropriate pressure indicators and vacuum or suction and the contraction of the contractioSafe handling lines. ·Fully-welded types of pressure gauges, where the bourdon tube sensing element is welded to the gauge body, are recommended. $\cdot \text{Before connecting gas cylinders, ensure manifold is mechanically secure and does not containing another gas.}\\$ ▶ **DO NOT** transfer gas from one cylinder to another ► Store in an upright position. ▶ Cylinders should be stored in a purpose-built compound with good ventilation, preferably in the open. Other information ► Such compounds should be sited and built in accordance with statutory requirements. The storage compound should be kept clear and access restricted to authorised personnel only. ▶ Cylinders stored in the open should be protected against rust and extremes of weather.

|  | ,  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities |  |  |  |  |
| Suitable container   | <ul> <li>Equipment must be able to withstand process pressure and especially cryogenic temperature.</li> <li>Commonly used materials are copper or stainless steel.</li> <li>Mild steel must NOT be used.</li> <li>Most plastics and rubbers are not suitable as they become brittle.</li> <li>Cylinder:</li> <li>Ensure the use of equipment rated for cylinder pressure.</li> <li>Ensure the use of compatible materials of construction.</li> <li>Valve protection cap to be in place until cylinder is secured, connected.</li> <li>Cylinder must be properly secured either in use or in storage.</li> </ul>  |  |  |  |
| Storage incompatibility                                      | Carbon dioxide:  reacts violently with strong bases and alkali metals (especially their dusts)  may ignite or explode when heated or in suspended chemically active metals (and their hydrides) such as aluminium, chromium, manganese, magnesium (above 755 C), titanium (above 550 C), uranium (above 750 C) or zirconium, diethylmagnesium  is incompatible with water, acrolein, acrylaldehyde, amines, anhydrous ammonia, aziridine, metal acetylides (such as lithium acetylide), caesium monoxide (moist), lithium, potassium, sodium carbide, sodium-potassium alloy, sodium peroxide, titanium  may build up static electricity when discharged at high flow rates from storage cylinders or fire extinguishers - this may produce sparks resulting in ignition of flammables or explosives.  may decompose to toxic carbon monoxide and flammable oxygen when exposed to electrical discharges or very high temperatures  Compressed gases may contain a large amount of kinetic energy over and above that potentially available from the energy of reaction produced by the gas in chemical reaction with other substances |  |  |  |















- Must not be stored together
- May be stored together with specific preventions  $\,$
- May be stored together

# SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

# **Control parameters**

# OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS (OEL)

# INGREDIENT DATA

| Source                       | Ingredient                          | Material name                | TWA                        | STEL                       | Peak             | Notes            |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Australia Exposure Standards | carbon dioxide, refrigerated liquid | Carbon dioxide in coal mines | 12500 ppm / 22500<br>mg/m3 | 54000 mg/m3 / 30000<br>ppm | Not<br>Available | Not<br>Available |
| Australia Exposure Standards | carbon dioxide, refrigerated liquid | Carbon dioxide               | 5000 ppm / 9000 mg/m3      | 54000 mg/m3 / 30000<br>ppm | Not<br>Available | Not<br>Available |

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| Ingredient                          | Material name | TEEL-1        | TEEL-2        | TEEL-3        |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| A-Gas R744                          | Not Available | Not Available | Not Available | Not Available |
| Ingredient                          | Original IDLH |               | Revised IDLH  |               |
| carbon dioxide, refrigerated liquid | 40,000 ppm    |               | Not Available |               |

# MATERIAL DATA

# Exposure controls

| Exposure controls                |   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Appropriate engineering controls | Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection.  The basic types of engineering controls are:  Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.  Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard "physically" away from the worker and ventilation that strategically "adds" and "removes" air in the work environment. |
| Personal protection              |   |
| Eye and face protection          | <ul> <li>Chemical goggles.</li> <li>Full face shield may be required for supplementary but never for primary protection of eyes.</li> <li>Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lenses or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task.</li> </ul>  |
| Skin protection                  | See Hand protection below   |
| Hands/feet protection            | <ul> <li>When handling sealed and suitably insulated cylinders wear cloth or leather gloves.</li> <li>Insulated gloves:</li> <li>NOTE: Insulated gloves should be loose fitting so that may be removed quickly if liquid is spilled upon them. Insulated gloves are not made to permit hands to be placed in the liquid; they provide only short-term protection from accidental contact with the liquid.</li> </ul>  |
| Body protection                  | See Other protection below  |
|                                  | ► Protective overalls, closely fitted at neck and wrist.  |

## **Respiratory protection**

Full face respirator with supplied air.

F Cartridge respirators should never be used for emergency ingress or in areas of unknown vapour concentrations or oxygen content.

Ensure availability of lifeline in confined spaces.
 Staff should be trained in all aspects of rescue work.

► Eye-wash unit.

- The wearer must be warned to leave the contaminated area immediately on detecting any odours through the respirator. The odour may indicate that the mask is not functioning properly, that the vapour concentration is too high, or that the mask is not properly fitted. Because of these limitations, only restricted use of cartridge respirators is considered appropriate.
- Cartridge performance is affected by humidity. Cartridges should be changed after 2 hr of continuous use unless it is determined that the humidity is less than 75%, in which case, cartridges can be used for 4 hr. Used cartridges should be discarded daily, regardless of the length of time used
- Positive pressure, full face, air-supplied breathing apparatus should be used for work in enclosed spaces if a leak is suspected or the primary containment is to be opened (e.g. for a cylinder change)
- ▶ Air-supplied breathing apparatus is required where release of gas from primary containment is either suspected or demonstrated.

# **SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Other protection

# Information on basic physical and chemical properties

| Appearance                                   | Colourless liquefied gas with no odour; partially mixes with water |   |                |
|--|--|---|----------------|
|  |  |   |                |
| Physical state                               | Liquified Gas  | Relative density (Water = 1)            | Not Available  |
| Odour  | Not Available  | Partition coefficient n-octanol / water | Not Available  |
| Odour threshold                              | Not Available  | Auto-ignition temperature (°C)          | Not Applicable |
| pH (as supplied)                             | Not Available  | Decomposition temperature               | Not Available  |
| Melting point / freezing point (°C)          | Not Available  | Viscosity (cSt)                         | Not Applicable |
| Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C) | Not Available  | Molecular weight (g/mol)                | Not Applicable |
| Flash point (°C)                             | Not Applicable   | Taste                                   | Not Available  |
| Evaporation rate                             | Fast   | Explosive properties                    | Not Available  |
| Flammability                                 | Not Applicable   | Oxidising properties                    | Not Available  |
| Upper Explosive Limit (%)                    | Not Applicable   | Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)        | Not Available  |
| Lower Explosive Limit (%)                    | Not Applicable   | Volatile Component (%vol)               | 100            |
| Vapour pressure (kPa)                        | 6300 @ 25C   | Gas group                               | Not Available  |
| Solubility in water                          | Partly miscible  | pH as a solution (1%)                   | Not Available  |
| Vapour density (Air = 1)                     | 1.53   | VOC g/L                                 | Not Available  |

# **SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity See section 7

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| Chemical stability                 | <ul> <li>Unstable in the presence of incompatible materials.</li> <li>Product is considered stable.</li> <li>Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.</li> </ul> |
|------------------------------------|--|
| Possibility of hazardous reactions | See section 7  |
| Conditions to avoid                | See section 7  |
| Incompatible materials             | See section 7  |
| Hazardous decomposition products   | See section 5  |

#### SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on toxicological effects

The material is not thought to produce respiratory irritation (as classified by EC Directives using animal models). Nevertheless inhalation, of the material, especially for prolonged periods, may produce respiratory discomfort and occasionally, distress.

Inhalation of vapours or aerosols (mists, fumes), generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may be damaging to the health of the individual.

Carbon dioxide is an odourless gas which gives very poor warning of exposure. The gas can produce rapid unconsciousness and death from oxygen deficiency at concentrations of 10% in air. Even concentrations of 3% may produce shortness of breath and headache.

Carbon dioxide is the most powerful cerebral vasodilator known.

#### Inhaled

Material is highly volatile and may quickly form a concentrated atmosphere in confined or unventilated areas. The vapour may displace and replace air in breathing zone, acting as a simple asphyxiant. This may happen with little warning of overexposure.

Symptoms of asphyxia (suffocation) may include headache, dizziness, shortness of breath, muscular weakness, drowsiness and ringing in the ears. If the asphyxia is allowed to progress, there may be nausea and vomiting, further physical weakness and unconsciousness and, finally, convulsions, coma and death. Significant concentrations of the non-toxic gas reduce the oxygen level in the air. As the amount of oxygen is reduced from 21 to 14 volume %, the pulse rate accelerates and the rate and volume of breathing increase.

Common, generalised symptoms associated with non-toxic gas inhalation include :

- ▶ central nervous system effects such as headache, confusion, dizziness, progressive stupor, coma and seizures;
- ▶ respiratory system complications may include tachypnoea and dyspnoea;
- cardiovascular effects may include circulatory collapse and arrhythmias;
- ▶ gastrointestinal effects may also be present and may include mucous membrane irritation and nausea and vomiting.

#### Ingestion

Overexposure is unlikely in this form.

Not normally a hazard due to physical form of product.

Considered an unlikely route of entry in commercial/industrial environments

# Skin Contact

The material is not thought to produce adverse health effects or skin irritation following contact (as classified by EC Directives using animal models). Nevertheless, good hygiene practice requires that exposure be kept to a minimum and that suitable gloves be used in an occupational setting. Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material

Entry into the blood-stream through, for example, cuts, abrasions, puncture wounds or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects. Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected.

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# Eye

Although the material is not thought to be an irritant (as classified by EC Directives), direct contact with the eye may produce transient discomfort characterised by tearing or conjunctival redness (as with windburn).

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# Chronic

Limited evidence suggests that repeated or long-term occupational exposure may produce cumulative health effects involving organs or biochemical systems. Principal route of occupational exposure to the gas is by inhalation.

Although prolonged exposure to carbon dioxide, at levels up to 1.5% in inhaled air, are well tolerated, calcium/ phosphorus metabolism may be affected. Serum levels of calcium and urinary phosphorus progressively fall. Prolonged exposure at 2% concentration, may produce deepened respiration. At 3%, impaired performance is evident.

| A-Gas R744 carbon dioxide, refrigerated liquid | TOXICITY  | IRRITATION    |
|--|---|---------------|
|  | Not Available   | Not Available |
|  | тохісіту  | IRRITATION    |
|  | Inhalation (mouse) LC50: 180.5 mg/l/2H <sup>[2]</sup>   | Not Available |
| Leaend:  | 1. Value obtained from Europe ECHA Reaistered Substances - Acute toxicity 2.* Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS. Unless otherwise specified data |               |

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| Acute Toxicity                    | × | Carcinogenicity          | × |
|-----------------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|
| Skin Irritation/Corrosion         | × | Reproductivity           | × |
| Serious Eye Damage/Irritation     | × | STOT - Single Exposure   | × |
| Respiratory or Skin sensitisation | × | STOT - Repeated Exposure | × |
| Mutagenicity                      | × | Aspiration Hazard        | × |

Legend:

X − Data either not available or does not fill the criteria for classification
 v − Data available to make classification

SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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|                                     | ENDPOINT         | TEST DURATION (HR)  | SPECIES  | VALUE            | SOURCE           |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|---|--|------------------|------------------|
| A-Gas R744                          | Not<br>Available | Not Available   | Not Available  | Not<br>Available | Not<br>Available |
|                                     | ENDPOINT         | TEST DURATION (HR)  | SPECIES  | VALUE            | SOURCE           |
| carbon dioxide, refrigerated liquid | LC50             | 96  | Fish   | 53.413mg/L       | 3                |
|                                     | EC50             | 96  | Algae or other aquatic plants                        | 237.138mg/L      | 3                |
| Legend:                             | Aquatic Toxicity | 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substa<br>Data (Estimated) 4. US EPA, Ecotox database - Aquatic Ti<br>n Data 7. METI (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 8. Vendo | oxicity Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessment Dat |                  | ,                |

May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

For carbon dioxide:

# **Environmental fate:**

Carbon dioxide in earth's atmosphere is considered a trace gas currently occurring at an average concentration of about 385 parts per million by volume or 582 parts per million by mass. The mass of the Earth atmosphere is 5.14×10+18 kg , so the total mass of atmospheric carbon dioxide is 3.0×10+15 kg (3,000 gigatonnes). Atmospheric concentrations of carbon dioxide fluctuate slightly with the change of the seasons, driven primarily by seasonal plant growth .

Due to human activities such as the combustion of fossil fuels and deforestation, the concentration of atmospheric carbon dioxide has increased by about 35% since preindustrial times.

# Persistence and degradability

| Ingredient                          | Persistence: Water/Soil | Persistence: Air |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| carbon dioxide, refrigerated liquid | LOW                     | LOW              |

#### Bioaccumulative potential

| Ingredient                          | Bioaccumulation     |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| carbon dioxide, refrigerated liquid | LOW (LogKOW = 0.83) |

## Mobility in soil

| Ingredient                          | Mobility           |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| carbon dioxide, refrigerated liquid | HIGH (KOC = 1.498) |

# **SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

## Waste treatment methods

Product / Packaging disposal

- ▶ Evaporate residue at an approved site.
- Return empty containers to supplier. If containers are marked non-returnable establish means of disposal with manufacturer prior to purchase.
- ► Ensure damaged or non-returnable cylinders are gas-free before disposal.

# **SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# **Labels Required**



Marine Pollutant NO HAZCHEM 2T

# Land transport (ADG)

| UN number                    | 2187   |
|------------------------------|--|
| UN proper shipping name      | CARBON DIOXIDE, REFRIGERATED LIQUID                        |
| Transport hazard class(es)   | Class 2.2 Subrisk Not Applicable                           |
| Packing group                | Not Applicable   |
| Environmental hazard         | Not Applicable   |
| Special precautions for user | Special provisions Not Applicable  Limited quantity 120 ml |

# Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR)

| UN number               | 2187                                |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| UN proper shipping name | Carbon dioxide, refrigerated liquid |

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| Transport hazard class(es)   | ICAO/IATA Class   | 2.2            |                |  |
|------------------------------|---|----------------|----------------|--|
|                              | ICAO / IATA Subrisk                                       | Not Applicable |                |  |
|                              | ERG Code  | 2L             |                |  |
| Packing group                | Not Applicable  |                |                |  |
| Environmental hazard         | Not Applicable  |                |                |  |
| Special precautions for user | Special provisions  |                | Not Applicable |  |
|                              | Cargo Only Packing Instructions                           |                | 202            |  |
|                              | Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack                             |                | 500 kg         |  |
|                              | Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions                  |                | 202            |  |
|                              | Passenger and Cargo Maximum Qty / Pack                    |                | 50 kg          |  |
|                              | Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions |                | Forbidden      |  |
|                              | Passenger and Cargo Limited Maximum Qty / Pack            |                | Forbidden      |  |

# Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee)

| UN number                    | 2187   |  |  |  |  |
|------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| UN proper shipping name      | CARBON DIOXIDE, REFRIGERATED LIQUID  |  |  |  |  |
| Transport hazard class(es)   | IMDG Class 2.2  IMDG Subrisk Not Applicable  |  |  |  |  |
| Packing group                | Not Applicable   |  |  |  |  |
| Environmental hazard         | Not Applicable   |  |  |  |  |
| Special precautions for user | EMS Number F-C , S-V  Special provisions Not Applicable  Limited Quantities 120 mL |  |  |  |  |

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC code

Not Applicable

# SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

 ${\bf Safety, health\ and\ environmental\ regulations\ /\ legislation\ specific\ for\ the\ substance\ or\ mixture}$ 

CARBON DIOXIDE, REFRIGERATED LIQUID IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

Not Applicable

# **National Inventory Status**

| National Inventory            | Status   |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Australia - AICS              | Yes  |  |  |  |
| Canada - DSL                  | Yes  |  |  |  |
| Canada - NDSL                 | No (carbon dioxide, refrigerated liquid)   |  |  |  |
| China - IECSC                 | Yes  |  |  |  |
| Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP | Yes  |  |  |  |
| Japan - ENCS                  | Yes  |  |  |  |
| Korea - KECI                  | Yes  |  |  |  |
| New Zealand - NZIoC           | Yes  |  |  |  |
| Philippines - PICCS           | Yes  |  |  |  |
| USA - TSCA                    | Yes  |  |  |  |
| Taiwan - TCSI                 | Yes  |  |  |  |
| Mexico - INSQ                 | Yes  |  |  |  |
| Vietnam - NCI                 | Yes  |  |  |  |
| Russia - ARIPS                | Yes  |  |  |  |
| Legend:                       | Yes = All CAS declared ingredients are on the inventory  No = One or more of the CAS listed ingredients are not on the inventory and are not exempt from listing(see specific ingredients in brackets) |  |  |  |

# **SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION**

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Classification of the preparation and its individual components has drawn on official and authoritative sources as well as independent review by the Chemwatch Classification committee using available literature references.

The SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.

#### Definitions and abbreviations

PC—TWA: Permissible Concentration-Time Weighted Average

PC—STEL: Permissible Concentration-Short Term Exposure Limit

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit。

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations

OSF: Odour Safety Factor

NOAEL :No Observed Adverse Effect Level LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

LOD: Limit Of Detection

OTV: Odour Threshold Value

BCF: BioConcentration Factors

BEI: Biological Exposure Index

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