

### **NITROGEN**

A-Gas (UK) Ltd

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Safety Data Sheet (Conforms to Regulation (EU) No 2015/830)

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

#### 1.1. Product Identifier

| Product name                  | NITROGEN  |  |
|-------------------------------|---|--|
| Chemical Name                 | nitrogen  |  |
| Synonyms                      | N2; nitrogen gas Tyrgas; Nitrogen, Industrial Grade; Nitrogen, Food Grade; Nitrogen, EHP Industrial Grade; Nitrogen Accumulator Grade; Nitrogen, High Purity O.F.N.; Nitrogen, E.H.P., High Purity; Nitrogen, Ultra High Purity; Gas code 030, 032, 033, 034, 035, 036, 038, 234; Praxair; Soxal; Air Liquide; Aligal; Lasal; Nitrogen, Compressed; Aligal (refrigerated) 1 |  |
| Proper shipping name          | NITROGEN, COMPRESSED  |  |
| Chemical formula              | N2  |  |
| Other means of identification | Not Available   |  |
| CAS number                    | 7727-37-9.  |  |
| EC number                     | 231-783-9   |  |

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

| Relevant identified uses | The use of a quantity of material in an unventilated or confined space may result in increased exposure and an irritating atmosphere developing. Before starting consider control of exposure by mechanical ventilation.  A wide variety of applications including the manufacture of ammonia, nitric acid, nitrates, cyanides, etc.; in manufacture of explosives.  Blanket gas to form an oxygen free, inert atmosphere for the preservation of materials, including food; metallurgy. Filling of incandescent bulbs. |
|--------------------------|---|
| Uses advised against     | Not Applicable  |

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

| Registered company name | A-Gas (UK) Ltd   |  |
|-------------------------|--|--|
| Address                 | anyard Road, Portbury West Bristol BS20 7XH United Kingdom |  |
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| Website                 | www.agas.com   |  |
| Email                   | info.uk@agas.com   |  |

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

| Association / Organisation        | Not Available       |  |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| Emergency telephone numbers       | +44 (0) 1275 376600 |  |
| Other emergency telephone numbers | Not Available       |  |

### **SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

| Classification according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP] [1] | H280 - Gas under Pressure (Compressed gas)   |  |
|--|--|--|
| Legend:  | 1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI |  |

### 2.2. Label elements



SIGNAL WORD

#### Hazard statement(s)

H280

Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

### Supplementary statement(s)

EUH044

Risk of explosion if heated under confinement.

### Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

Not Applicable

### 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

Not Applicable

#### 2.3. Other hazards

Inhalation may produce health damage\*.

May produce discomfort of the respiratory system\*.

Vapours potentially cause drowsiness and dizziness\*.

Methane, 99.999%

Listed in the Europe Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 - Annex XVII (Label should state: "Restricted to professional users.")

### SECTION 3 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1.Substances

| 1.CAS NO 2.EC NO 3.Index NO 4.REACH NO                                | %[weight] | Name              | Classification according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]                        |
|---|-----------|-------------------|---|
| 1.7727-37-9.<br>2.231-783-9<br>3.Not Available<br>4.Not Available     | >=99.5    | nitrogen          | Gas under Pressure (Compressed gas); H280, EUH044 <sup>[1]</sup>                      |
| 1.7782-44-7.<br>2.231-956-9<br>3.008-001-00-8<br>4.Not Available      | <10ppm^   | OXYGEN COMPRESSED | Oxidizing Gas Category 1, Gas under Pressure (Compressed gas); H270, H280, EUH044 [1] |
| 1.74-82-8<br>2.200-812-7<br>3.601-001-00-4<br>4.01-2119474442-39-XXXX | <5ppm^    | Methane, 99.999%  | Gas under Pressure, Flammable Gas Category 1; H280, H220 <sup>[2]</sup>               |

1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI; 3. Classification drawn from C&L; \* EU IOELVs available Leaend:

### 3.2.Mixtures

See 'Information on ingredients' in section 3.1

### **SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### 4.1. 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 eyelid(s) wide to allow the material to evaporate.
- Eye Contact
- ▶ 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)

|              | <ul> <li>Transport to hospital or doctor.</li> <li>Even when no pain persists and vision is good, a doctor should examine the eye as delayed damage may occur.</li> <li>If the patient cannot tolerate light, protect the eyes with a clean, loosely tied bandage.</li> <li>Ensure verbal communication and physical contact with the patient.</li> <li>DO NOT allow the patient to rub the eyes</li> <li>DO NOT allow the patient to tightly shut the eyes</li> <li>DO NOT introduce oil or ointment into the eye(s) without medical advice</li> <li>DO NOT use hot or tepid water.</li> </ul>   |
|--------------|---|
| Skin Contact | If skin or hair contact occurs:  ► Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).  ► Seek medical attention in event of irritation.  |
| Inhalation   | <ul> <li>Following exposure to gas, remove the patient from the gas source or contaminated area.</li> <li>NOTE: Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), including positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus may be required to assure the safety of the rescuer.</li> <li>Prostheses such as false teeth, which may block the airway, should be removed, where possible, prior to initiating first aid procedures.</li> <li>If the patient is not breathing spontaneously, administer rescue breathing.</li> <li>If the patient does not have a pulse, administer CPR.</li> <li>If medical oxygen and appropriately trained personnel are available, administer 100% oxygen.</li> <li>Summon an emergency ambulance. If an ambulance is not available, contact a physician, hospital, or Poison Control Centre for further instruction.</li> <li>Keep the patient warm, comfortable and at rest while awaiting medical care.</li> <li>MONITOR THE BREATHING AND PULSE, CONTINUOUSLY.</li> <li>Administer rescue breathing (preferably with a demand-valve resuscitator, bag-valve mask-device, or pocket mask as trained) or CPR if necessary.</li> </ul> |
| Ingestion    | Not considered a normal route of entry.   |

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

See Section 11

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

| 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.
- $\mbox{\Large \begin{tabular}{ll} \end{tabular}}$  Monitor and treat, where necessary, for pulmonary oedema .
- ▶ Monitor and treat, where necessary, for shock.
- Anticipate seizures.

ADVANCED TREATMENT

#### 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.
- For Start an IV D5W TKO. If signs of hypovolaemia are present use lactated Ringers solution. Fluid overload might create complications.
- lacktriangledown 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**

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

 $\textbf{SMALL FIRE:} \ \textbf{Use extinguishing agent suitable for type of surrounding fire.}$ 

LARGE FIRE: Cool cylinder.

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

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

| Fire Incompatibility         | None known.   |  |
|------------------------------|---|--|
| 5.3. Advice for firefighters |   |  |
|                              |   |  |
| Fire Fighting                | <ul> <li>Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.</li> <li>Wear breathing apparatus and protective gloves.</li> <li>Fight fire from a safe distance, with adequate cover.</li> <li>Itse water delivered as a fine spray to control fire and cool adjacent area.</li> </ul> |  |

### ▶ 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.

Decomposition may produce toxic fumes of:

nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Contains low boiling substance: Closed containers may rupture due to pressure buildup under fire conditions.

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

Fire/Explosion Hazard

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

See section 8

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

See section 12

### 6.3. 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> |

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

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

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

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

| Safe handling                 | <ul> <li>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</li> <li>The tubing network design connecting gas cylinders to the delivery system should include appropriate pressure indicators and vacuum or suction lines.</li> <li>Fully-welded types of pressure gauges, where the bourdon tube sensing element is welded to the gauge body, are recommended.</li> <li>Before connecting gas cylinders, ensure manifold is mechanically secure and does not containing another gas.</li> <li>DO NOT transfer gas from one cylinder to another.</li> </ul> |  |  |
|-------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Fire and explosion protection | See section 5  |  |  |
| Other information             | <ul> <li>Cylinders should be stored in a purpose-built compound with good ventilation, preferably in the open.</li> <li>Such compounds should be sited and built in accordance with statutory requirements.</li> <li>The storage compound should be kept clear and access restricted to authorised personnel only.</li> <li>Cylinders stored in the open should be protected against rust and extremes of weather.</li> </ul>  |  |  |

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

|                         | ▶ Cylinder:   |
|-------------------------|---|
|                         | ► Ensure the use of equipment rated for cylinder pressure.  |
| Suitable container      | ▶ Ensure the use of compatible materials of construction.   |
|                         | <ul> <li>Valve protection cap to be in place until cylinder is secured, connected.</li> </ul>   |
|                         | ► Cylinder must be properly secured either in use or in storage.  |
|                         | For nitrogen:   |
|                         | <ul> <li>Avoid reaction with alkalis, barium oxide, lithium, silicon, calcium, strontium, barium, ozone, titanium and beryllium.</li> </ul> |
|                         | ▶ Stable when temperature protected and kept isolated as a compressed gas in cylinders equipped with pressure relief safety devices.        |
| Storage incompatibility | Forms cyanides when heated with carbon in the presence of alkalis or barium oxide. It can form nitrides with lithium, silicon, calcium,     |
|                         | strontium, and barium when at red heat.   |
|                         | ▶ 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  |

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

See section 1.2

#### 8.1. Control parameters

### DERIVED NO EFFECT LEVEL (DNEL)

Not Available

#### PREDICTED NO EFFECT LEVEL (PNEC)

Not Available

#### OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS (OEL)

#### INGREDIENT DATA

| Source        | Ingredient    | Material name | TWA           | STEL          | Peak          | Notes         |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Not Available |

#### EMERGENCY LIMITS

| Ingredient       | Material name | TEEL-1       | TEEL-2       | TEEL-3       |
|------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| nitrogen         | Nitrogen      | 7.96E+05 ppm | 8.32E+05 ppm | 8.69E+05 ppm |
| Methane, 99.999% | Methane       | 65000 ppm    | 230000 ppm   | 400000 ppm   |

| Ingredient        | Original IDLH | Revised IDLH  |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------|
| nitrogen          | Not Available | Not Available |
| OXYGEN COMPRESSED | Not Available | Not Available |
| Methane, 99.999%  | Not Available | Not Available |

### 8.2. Exposure controls

# 8.2.1. 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.

#### 8.2.2. Personal protection









### Eye and face protection

- ► Safety glasses with side shields.
- Chemical goggles.
  - 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.

### Skin protection

See Hand protection below

- Hands/feet protection
- ▶ When handling sealed and suitably insulated cylinders wear cloth or leather gloves.

### Body protection

See Other protection below

### Other protection

- ▶ Protective overalls, closely fitted at neck and wrist.
- ► Eye-wash unit.
- ► Ensure availability of lifeline in confined spaces.
- ▶ Staff should be trained in all aspects of rescue work.

### **Respiratory protection**

Type AG Filter of sufficient capacity. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 & 149:2001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

Selection of the Class and Type of respirator will depend upon the level of breathing zone contaminant and the chemical nature of the contaminant. Protection Factors (defined as the ratio of contaminant outside and inside the mask) may also be important.

| Required minimum protection factor | Maximum gas/vapour concentration present in air p.p.m. (by volume) | Half-face Respirator | Full-Face Respirator |
|------------------------------------|--|----------------------|----------------------|
| up to 10                           | 1000   | AG-AUS / Class1      | -                    |
| up to 50                           | 1000   | -                    | AG-AUS / Class 1     |
| up to 50                           | 5000   | Airline *            | -                    |
| up to 100                          | 5000   | -                    | AG-2                 |
| up to 100                          | 10000  | -                    | AG-3                 |
| 100+                               |  |                      | Airline**            |

<sup>\* -</sup> Continuous Flow \*\* - Continuous-flow or positive pressure demand

A(All classes) = Organic vapours, B AUS or B1 = Acid gasses, B2 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), B3 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), E = Sulfur dioxide(SO2), G = Agricultural chemicals, K = Ammonia(NH3), Hg = Mercury, NO = Oxides of nitrogen, MB = Methyl bromide, AX = Low boiling point organic compounds(below 65 degC)

- 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.

#### 8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

See section 12

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

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

| Appearance | е |
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Colourless, odourless compressed gas; sparingly soluble in water. Soluble in liquid ammonia, alcohol. Packed under pressure in pewter-coloured cylinders fitted with AS2473 Type 10 valve outlet. Sudden release of pressure or leakage may result in rapid generation of large volume of asphyxiant gas.

| Physical state                               | Compressed 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 Applicable | Decomposition temperature               | Not Applicable |
| Melting point / freezing point (°C)          | -209.9         | Viscosity (cSt)                         | Not Applicable |
| Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C) | -195.8         | Molecular weight (g/mol)                | 28.02          |
| Flash point (°C)                             | Not Applicable | Taste                                   | Not Available  |
| Evaporation rate                             | Not Available  | 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)                        | Not Available  | Gas group                               | Not Available  |
| Solubility in water (g/L)                    | Immiscible     | pH as a solution (1%)                   | Not Applicable |
| Vapour density (Air = 1)                     | 0.967          | VOC g/L                                 | Not Available  |

#### 9.2. Other information

Not Available

### **SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

| 10.1.Reactivity                          | See section 7.2  |
|--|--|
| 10.2. 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> |
| 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions | See section 7.2  |
| 10.4. Conditions to avoid                | See section 7.2  |
| 10.5. Incompatible materials             | See section 7.2  |
| 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products   | See section 5.3  |

### **SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Inhalation of vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness. This may be accompanied by sleepiness, reduced alertness, loss of reflexes, lack of co-ordination, and vertigo.

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.

There is some evidence to suggest that the material can cause respiratory irritation in some persons. The body's response to such irritation can cause further lung damage.

### Inhaled

Inhalation of non-toxic gases may cause:

- CNS effects: headache, confusion, dizziness, stupor, seizures and coma;
- respiratory: shortness of breath and rapid breathing;
- ► cardiovascular: collapse and irregular heart beats;
- gastrointestinal: mucous membrane irritation, nausea and vomiting.

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 asph<br>The use of a quantity of material in an unventilated<br>developing. Before starting consider control of expo<br>Nitrogen is non-toxic, but may replace oxygen in inh<br>As the concentration of inhaled oxygen is reduced for   | or confined space may result in incressure by mechanical ventilation. aled air, hence causing suffocation. | eased exposure and an irritating atmosphere        |  |  |
|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| 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 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. |  |  |  |  |
| Еуе   | 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).  Not considered to be a risk because of the extreme volatility of the gas.   Contact with cold gas may cause cryogenic (extreme low temperature) burns.  |  |  |  |  |
| Chronic   | Long-term exposure to the product is not thought to produce chronic effects adverse to the health (as classified by EC Directives using animal models); nevertheless exposure by all routes should be minimised as a matter of course.  Main route of exposure to the gas in the workplace is by inhalation.  |  |  |  |  |
|   |   |  |  |  |  |
| nitrogen  | TOXICITY  | IRRITATION   | IRRITATION   |  |  |
|   | Not Available   | Not Available  |  |  |  |
|   | TOXICITY  | IRRITATION   |  |  |  |
| OXYGEN COMPRESSED                                       | Not Available   | Not Available  |  |  |  |
|   | TOXICITY  | IRRITATION   |  |  |  |
| Methane, 99.999%  | Inhalation (rat) LC50: 84.684 mg/l15 min <sup>[1]</sup>   | Not Available  |  |  |  |
| Legend:   |   | bstances - Acute toxicity 2.* Value  | obtained from manufacturer's SDS. Unless otherwise |  |  |
|   |   |  |  |  |  |
| OXYGEN COMPRESSED                                       | Inhalation (human) TCLo: 100pph (100%)/14hNil re  | eported  |  |  |  |
| NITROGEN & OXYGEN<br>COMPRESSED & METHANE,<br>99.999%   | No significant acute toxicological data identified in li  | terature search.   |  |  |  |
| Acute Toxicity  | 8   | Carsinogonisita  | 8  |  |  |
| •   | 0   | Carcinogenicity  | 0  |  |  |
| Skin Irritation/Corrosion Serious Eye Damage/Irritation |   | Reproductivity  STOT - Single Exposure   |  |  |  |
| · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·                   | 0   | STOT - Single Exposure   | 0  |  |  |
| Respiratory or Skin                                     | 0   | STOT - Repeated Exposure   | 0  |  |  |

Legend:

**Aspiration Hazard** 

★ - Data available but does not fill the criteria for classification

✓ – Data available to make classification

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### **SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

sensitisation

Mutagenicity

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## 12.1. Toxicity

| nitrogen          | ENDPOINT         | TEST DURATION (HR) | SPECIES       | VALUE            | SOURCE           |
|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|
|                   | Not<br>Available | Not Available      | Not Available | Not<br>Available | Not<br>Available |
| OXYGEN COMPRESSED | ENDPOINT         | TEST DURATION (HR) | SPECIES       | VALUE            | SOURCE           |
|                   | Not<br>Available | Not Available      | Not Available | Not<br>Available | Not<br>Available |
|                   | ENDPOINT         | TEST DURATION (HR) | SPECIES       | VALUE            | SOURCE           |
| Methane, 99.999%  | Not<br>Available | Not Available      | Not Available | Not<br>Available | Not<br>Available |
|                   |                  |                    |               |                  |                  |

Legend: Extracted from 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Information - Aquatic Toxicity 3. EPIWIN

### **DO NOT** discharge into sewer or waterways.

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

| Ingredient | Persistence: Water/Soil               | Persistence: Air                      |  |
|------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
|            | No Data available for all ingredients | No Data available for all ingredients |  |

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

| Ingredient       | Bioaccumulation     |
|------------------|---------------------|
| Methane, 99.999% | LOW (LogKOW = 1.09) |

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

| Ingredient | Mobility                              |
|------------|---------------------------------------|
|            | No Data available for all ingredients |

### 12.5.Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

|                         | P             | В             | Т             |
|-------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Relevant available data | Not Available | Not Available | Not Available |
| PBT Criteria fulfilled? | Not Available | Not Available | Not Available |

### 12.6. Other adverse effects

No data available

### **SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

| Product / Packaging disposal | <ul> <li>Evaporate residue at an approved site.</li> <li>Return empty containers to supplier. If containers are marked non-returnable establish means of disposal with manufacturer prior to purchase.</li> <li>Ensure damaged or non-returnable cylinders are gas-free before disposal.</li> </ul> |
|------------------------------|---|
| Waste treatment options      | Not Available   |
| Sewage disposal options      | Not Available   |

### **SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

### **Labels Required**

|                  | 2  |
|------------------|----|
| Marine Pollutant | NO |
| HAZCHEM          | 2T |

### Land transport (ADR)

| 14.1. UN number                  | 1066                             |             |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|
| 14.1. ON HUMBER                  | 1000                             |             |
| 14.2. UN proper shipping name    | NITROGEN, COMPRESSED             |             |
| 14.3. Transport hazard class(es) | Class 2.2 Subrisk Not Applicable |             |
| 14.4. Packing group              | Not Applicable                   |             |
| 14.5. Environmental hazard       | Not Applicable                   |             |
|                                  | Hazard identification (Kemler    | r) 20       |
| 14.6. Special precautions for    | Classification code              | 1A          |
| user                             | Hazard Label                     | 2.2         |
|                                  | Special provisions               | 378 653 662 |

### Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR)

| 14.1. UN number                    | 1066  |  |           |  |
|------------------------------------|---|--|-----------|--|
| 14.2. UN proper shipping name      | Nitrogen, compressed  |  |           |  |
|                                    | ICAO/IATA Class   | ICAO/IATA Class 2.2                    |           |  |
| 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)   | ICAO / IATA Subrisk   | Not Applicable                         |           |  |
| 01033(03)                          | ERG Code  | 2L                                     |           |  |
| 14.4. Packing group                | Not Applicable  | Not Applicable                         |           |  |
| 14.5. Environmental hazard         | Not Applicable  |  |           |  |
|                                    | Special provisions  |  | A69 A202  |  |
|                                    | Cargo Only Packing Instructions   |  | 200       |  |
|                                    | Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack   |  | 150 kg    |  |
| 14.6. Special precautions for user | Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions  |  | 200       |  |
| user                               | Passenger and Cargo   | Passenger and Cargo Maximum Qty / Pack |           |  |
|                                    | Passenger and Cargo   | Limited Quantity Packing Instructions  | Forbidden |  |
|                                    | Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Facking instructions  Passenger and Cargo Limited Maximum Qty / Pack |  | Forbidden |  |

## Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee)

| 14.1. UN number                    | 1066  |  |  |
|------------------------------------|---|--|--|
| 14.2. UN proper shipping name      | NITROGEN, COMPRESSED  |  |  |
| 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)   | IMDG Class 2.2  IMDG Subrisk Not Applicable                           |  |  |
| 14.4. Packing group                | Not Applicable  |  |  |
| 14.5. Environmental hazard         | Not Applicable  |  |  |
| 14.6. Special precautions for user | EMS Number F-C , S-V Special provisions 378 Limited Quantities 120 mL |  |  |

## Inland waterways transport (ADN)

| mana waterways transport (         | ,  |                              |  |
|------------------------------------|--|------------------------------|--|
| 14.1. UN number                    | 1066   |                              |  |
| 14.2. UN proper shipping name      | NITROGEN, COMPRESSE  | D                            |  |
| 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)   | 2.2 Not Applicable   |                              |  |
| 14.4. Packing group                | Not Applicable   |                              |  |
| 14.5. Environmental hazard         | Not Applicable   |                              |  |
| 14.6. Special precautions for user | Classification code Special provisions Limited quantity Equipment required Fire cones number | 1A 378; 653; 662 120 ml PP 0 |  |

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

Not Applicable

### **SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

EU REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 - Annex IV - Exemptions from the Obligation to Register in Accordance with Article 2(7)(a) (English)

European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (English)

European Union - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) (English)

#### OXYGEN COMPRESSED(7782-44-7.) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (English)

European Union - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) (English)

European Union (EU) Annex I to Directive 67/548/EEC on Classification and Labelling of Dangerous Substances - updated by ATP: 31

European Union (EU) Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on Classification, Labelling and Packaging of Substances and Mixtures - Annex VI

#### METHANE, 99.999%(74-82-8) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

EU REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 - Annex XVII - Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, mixtures and articles

European Customs Inventory of Chemical Substances ECICS (English)

European Trade Union Confederation (ETUC) Priority List for REACH Authorisation

European Union - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) (English)

European Union (EU) Annex I to Directive 67/548/EEC on Classification and Labelling of Dangerous Substances - updated by ATP: 31

European Union (EU) Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on Classification, Labelling and Packaging of Substances and Mixtures - Annex VI

This safety data sheet is in compliance with the following EU legislation and its adaptations - as far as applicable -: Directives 98/24/EC, - 92/85/EEC, - 94/33/EC, - 2008/98/EC, - 2010/75/EU; Commission Regulation (EU) 2015/830; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 as updated through ATPs.

#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

For further information please look at the Chemical Safety Assessment and Exposure Scenarios prepared by your Supply Chain if available.

#### **ECHA SUMMARY**

| Ingredient | CAS number | Index No      | ECHA Dossier  |
|------------|------------|---------------|---------------|
| nitrogen   | 7727-37-9. | Not Available | Not Available |

| Harmonisation (C&L Inventory) | Hazard Class and Category Code(s)  | Pictograms Signal Word Code(s) | Hazard Statement Code(s)                          |
|-------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|
| 1                             | Press. Gas (Comp.)   | GHS04; Wng                     | H280  |
| 2                             | Press. Gas (Comp.); Press. Gas (Ref. Liq.); Press. Gas (Liq.); Press. Gas (Diss.);<br>Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2; Acute Tox. 4; STOT SE 3; Muta. 1B; Carc. 1A | GHS04; GHS08; Dgr              | H280; H281; H315; H319;<br>H332; H335; H340; H350 |
| 1                             | Skin Sens. 1; Eye Irrit. 2; Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 1   | GHS09; GHS07; Wng              | H317; H319; H410                                  |
| 2                             | Skin Sens. 1; Eye Irrit. 2; Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 1   | GHS09; GHS07; Wng              | H317; H319; H410                                  |

 $Harmonisation \ \textit{Code 1} = \textit{The most prevalent classification}. \ Harmonisation \ \textit{Code 2} = \textit{The most severe classification}.$ 

| Ingredient        | CAS number | Index No     | ECHA Dossier  |
|-------------------|------------|--------------|---------------|
| OXYGEN COMPRESSED | 7782-44-7. | 008-001-00-8 | Not Available |

| Harmonisation (C&L Inventory) | Hazard Class and Category Code(s)  | Pictograms Signal Word Code(s) | Hazard Statement<br>Code(s) |
|-------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1                             | Ox. Gas 1  | GHS03; GHS04; Dgr              | H270                        |
| 2                             | Ox. Gas 1; Press. Gas (Comp.); Press. Gas (Ref. Liq.); Press. Gas (Liq.); Not Classified | GHS03; GHS04; Dgr              | H270; H280; H281            |

 $Harmonisation \ \textit{Code 1} = \textit{The most prevalent classification}. \ Harmonisation \ \textit{Code 2} = \textit{The most severe classification}.$ 

| Ingredient       | CAS number | Index No     | ECHA Dossier          |
|------------------|------------|--------------|-----------------------|
| Methane, 99.999% | 74-82-8    | 601-001-00-4 | 01-2119474442-39-XXXX |

| Harmonisation (C&L Inventory) | Hazard Class and Category Code(s)   | Pictograms Signal Word Code(s) | Hazard Statement Code(s)  |
|-------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1                             | Flam. Gas 1; Press. Gas (Comp.)   | GHS02; GHS04; Dgr              | H220; H280                |
| 2                             | Flam. Gas 1; Press. Gas (Liq.); Press. Gas (Comp.); Press. Gas (Ref. Liq.); STOT SE 3 | GHS02; GHS04; Dgr; GHS07       | H220; H280; H281;<br>H336 |

 $Harmonisation \ \textit{Code 1} = \textit{The most prevalent classification}. \ Harmonisation \ \textit{Code 2} = \textit{The most severe classification}.$ 

#### **National Inventory Status**

| National Inventory            | Status  |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Australia - AICS              | ү   |
| Canada - DSL                  | ү   |
| Canada - NDSL                 | N (nitrogen; OXYGEN COMPRESSED; Methane, 99.999%) |
| China - IECSC                 | ү   |
| Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP | Υ   |
| Japan - ENCS                  | N (nitrogen; OXYGEN COMPRESSED)                   |

| Korea - KECI        | Υ   |
|---------------------|---|
| New Zealand - NZIoC | Υ   |
| Philippines - PICCS | N (nitrogen)  |
| USA - TSCA          | Υ   |
| Legend:             | Y = All ingredients are on the inventory N = Not determined or one or more ingredients are not on the inventory and are not exempt from listing(see specific ingredients in brackets) |

#### **SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION**

| Revision Date | 13/12/2017    |
|---------------|---------------|
| Initial Date  | Not Available |

#### **Full text Risk and Hazard codes**

| H220 | Extremely flammable gas.  |
|------|---|
| H270 | May cause or intensify fire; oxidiser.                          |
| H281 | Contains refrigerated gas; may cause cryogenic burns or injury. |
| H315 | Causes skin irritation.   |
| H317 | May cause an allergic skin reaction.                            |
| Н319 | Causes serious eye irritation.                                  |
| Н332 | Harmful if inhaled.   |
| Н335 | May cause respiratory irritation.                               |
| Н336 | May cause drowsiness or dizziness.                              |
| Н340 | May cause genetic defects.                                      |
| Н350 | May cause cancer.   |
| H410 | Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.           |

#### Other information

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.

EN 166 Personal eye-protection

EN 340 Protective clothing

EN 374 Protective gloves against chemicals and micro-organisms

EN 13832 Footwear protecting against chemicals

EN 133 Respiratory protective devices

#### **Definitions and abbreviations**

 ${\tt PC-TWA: Permissible Concentration-Time Weighted Average}$ 

 $\label{eq:pc-stel} \mbox{PC-STEL: Permissible Concentration-Short Term Exposure Limit}$ 

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit $_{\circ}$ 

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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