



## Interim Remedial Measure Work Plan

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NYSDEC BCP Site No. C203101

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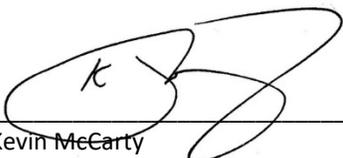
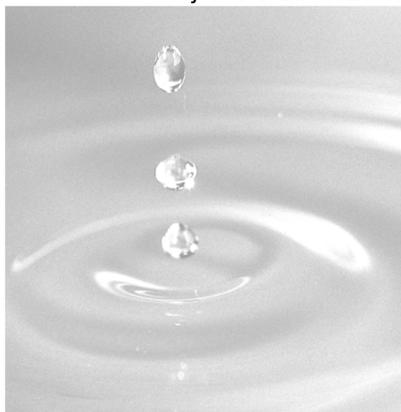
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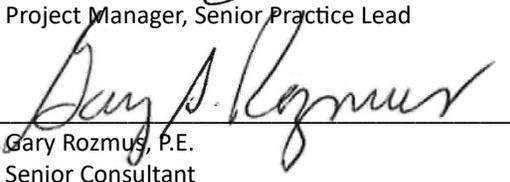
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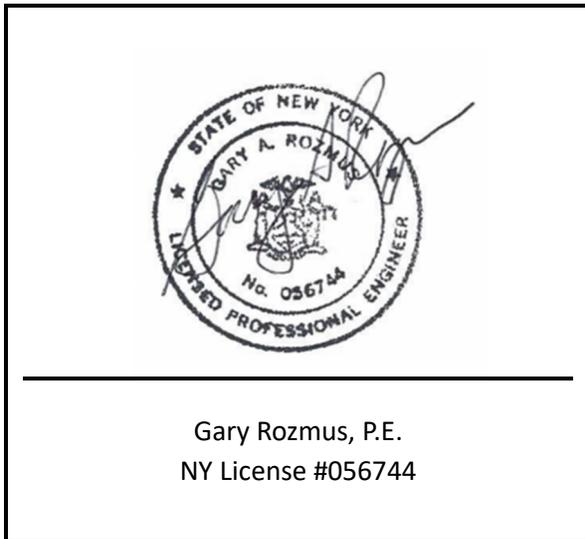
## Certification

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I, Gary Rozmus, P.E., certify that I am currently a New York State (NYS)-registered professional engineer and that this Interim Remedial Measure Work Plan (IRMWP) was prepared in accordance with all applicable statutes and regulations and in substantial conformance with the DER Technical Guidance for Site Investigation and Remediation (DER-10) and Green Remediation (DER-31).

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## Acronyms and Abbreviations

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|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| BCA              | Brownfield Cleanup Agreement  |
| BCP              | Brownfield Cleanup Program  |
| C&D              | Construction and Demolition   |
| CAMP             | Community Air Monitoring Plan   |
| CCR              | Construction Completion Report  |
| CFR              | Code of Federal Regulations   |
| COC              | Contaminant of Concern  |
| Con Edison       | Consolidated Edison Company of New York   |
| CP-51            | CP-51/Soil Cleanup Guidance   |
| CPP              | Citizen Participation Plan  |
| DC               | Direct Current  |
| DER-10           | Division of Environmental Remediation Technical Guidance for Site Investigation and Remediation |
| DSNY             | New York City Department of Sanitation  |
| DUSR             | Data Usability Summary Report   |
| EDD              | Electronic Data Deliverable   |
| ELAP             | Environmental Laboratory Accreditation Program  |
| EWP              | Excavation Work Plan  |
| FCD              | Food Center Drive   |
| FER              | Final Engineering Report  |
| FSP              | Field Sampling Plan   |
| ft               | feet  |
| ftbgs            | Feet below ground surface   |
| GEI              | GEI Consultants, Inc.   |
| GPR              | Ground Penetrating Radar  |
| H <sub>2</sub> S | Hydrogen Sulfide  |
| HASP             | Health and Safety Plan  |
| HAZWOPER         | Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response   |
| HCN              | Hydrogen Cyanide  |
| HVAC             | Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning  |
| IRM              | Interim Remedial Measure  |
| IRMWP            | Interim Remedial Measure Work Plan  |
| MGP              | Manufactured Gas Plant  |
| NYCEDC           | New York City Economic Development Corporation  |
| NYCRR            | New York Codes, Rules, and Regulations  |
| NYCSBS           | New York City Department of Small Business Services   |
| NYSDEC           | New York State Department of Environmental Conservation   |
| NYSDOH           | New York State Department of Health   |
| OSHA             | Occupational Safety and Health Administration   |
| OU               | Operable Unit   |

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|------------------|---|
| PAHs             | Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons              |
| PCB              | Polychlorinated Biphenyl                      |
| PDI              | Pre-Design Investigation                      |
| PFAS             | Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances           |
| PM <sub>10</sub> | Respirable Particulates                       |
| PPE              | Personal Protective Equipment                 |
| ppm              | parts per million                             |
| QAPP             | Quality Assurance Project Plan                |
| QA/QC            | Quality Assurance/Quality Control             |
| QEA              | Qualitative Exposure Assessment               |
| RAWP             | Remedial Action Work Plan                     |
| RCA              | Recycled Concrete Aggregate                   |
| RE               | Remediation Engineer                          |
| RI               | Remedial Investigation                        |
| RIR              | Remedial Investigation Report                 |
| RR ROW           | Railroad Right-of-Way                         |
| RIWP             | Remedial Investigation Work Plan              |
| SCO              | Soil Cleanup Objectives                       |
| SMMP             | Soil/Materials Management Plan                |
| SMP              | Site Management Plan                          |
| SVOC             | Semi-Volatile Organic Compound                |
| TAL              | Target Analyte List                           |
| TCL              | Target Compound List                          |
| US EPA           | United States Environmental Protection Agency |
| USGS             | United States Geological Survey               |
| VCP              | Voluntary Cleanup Program                     |
| VOC              | Volatile Organic Compound                     |

# 1. Introduction

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## 1.1. General

GEI Consultants, Inc. (GEI) has prepared this Interim Remedial Measure Work Plan (IRMWP) on behalf of the New York City Economic Development Corporation (NYCEDC) for the property identified as 400 Food Center Drive (FCD) located along the eastern shoreline of the Hunts Point peninsula in the borough of the Bronx, New York (Site). The Site is currently paved and developed with a food distribution warehouse and accompanying office space. The site is operated by NYCEDC on behalf of the New York City Department of Small Business Services (NYCSBS) and is leased to Krasdale Foods, who has occupied the property for approximately 50 years. The Site was accepted into the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) Brownfield Cleanup Program (BCP) as Site No. C203101 in September 2017, with NYCEDC, i.e., the Applicant, participating in the BCP as a Volunteer pursuant to a Brownfield Cleanup Agreement (BCA). The Site is included within a larger tax lot containing multiple parcels of land and properties, identified as New York City Tax Map Block 2781, Lot 500.

A United States Geological Survey (USGS) Topographic Map is included as Fig. 1.

This IRMWP has been prepared in accordance with requirements of the NYSDEC BCP and NYSDEC's May 2010 Division of Environmental Remediation Technical Guidance for Site Investigation and Remediation (DER-10). The Interim Remedial Measure (IRM) will be completed in advance of completing a final remedy in accordance with the definition of an IRM:

*"Interim remedial measure" or "IRM" means activities to address both emergency and non-emergency site conditions, which can be undertaken without extensive investigation and evaluation, to prevent, mitigate or remedy environmental damage or the consequences of environmental damage attributable to a site, including, but not limited to, the following activities: construction of diversion ditches; collection systems; drum removal; leachate collection systems; construction of fences or other barriers; installation of water filters; provision of alternative water systems; the removal of source areas; or plume control (NYSDEC, 2010).*

The specific issue that is subject to this IRM is the replacement of a completely corroded and unserviceable sanitary waste line that originates in a bathroom located in the elevated, second-story office area on-site. Currently the entire second floor is not being utilized (and has not been able to be used for a number of months) because there are no other restroom facilities available in that space, and this space is needed by the Krasdale team for day-to-day operations. Therefore, the conditions being addressed under this IRM are considered emergency and essential to the continued operation of the facility, and are not elective, desired upgrades or repairs. This IRM allows for essential repair work to be completed ahead of the remedy while also preventing repair work from negatively affecting the ability to complete the full Site remedy.

The general area of the affected sanitary line is outlined in Fig. 2. The bathroom's sanitary waste line was formerly found to be clogged, resulting in the attempt of an emergency repair (due to sanitary waste

leaking into office and warehouse areas). During the emergency repair/excavation in the office space located at the eastern end of the sanitary line, the entire cast iron piping located in this area was found to be corroded and broken into multiple pieces. The location and details of this excavation are shown in Fig. 3.

The ground-level Site area outside and beneath the footprint of the elevated building is not being targeted for remediation in the context of this IRM, however, the elevated northern portion of the building is suspected of being constructed on top of an existing deposit of purifier bed material, and the excavation of the sanitary line may expose Manufactured Gas Plant (MGP) waste in the form of purifier bed material and/or coal tar. The completion of this IRM will not impact or prevent any component of the remediation that is specifically targeted outside of the building footprint from being able to be completed. The larger remedy to address large deposits of MGP waste outside of the building will be covered under the Remedial Action Work Plan (RAWP) to be submitted under a separate cover.

GEI has reviewed the current sanitary sewer line drawings and a new path for the sanitary line has been designed in order to bypass the portion of the line that is no longer functional and minimize the area of the floor inside of the building that will need to be excavated to reconnect the upstairs sanitary line. In order to initiate specific, necessary repair work within the Site, this IRMWP has been prepared to address unknown environmental conditions and potential contaminant sources at the Site and more specifically, within the footprint of the disturbance area. The scope of this IRMWP includes the following:

- Present the new path for the sanitary line and locate the area inside of the building where the floor will need to be opened up in order to make the connection of the new second floor sanitary line to the existing downstairs service.
- Provide the appropriate Site-specific procedures to properly and safely perform the repair work, backfill, and seal the hole in the floor. This includes:
  - **Communication Plan:** To present communication procedures in the event there are exceedances that require notification or evacuation specific to proposed interior work.
  - **Soil/Materials Management Plan (SMMP):** For handling and disposal of excavated material and import of backfill.
  - **Excavation Work Plan (EWP):** To describe and document the limits and dimensions of the excavation and backfill/resealing the floor.
  - **Health and Safety Plan (HASP):** To include action levels that will be applied to the interior spaces of the building for project workers and Krasdale employees (Appendix A).
  - **Community Air Monitoring Plan (CAMP):** For monitoring the interior spaces of the building in the area of the excavation (Appendix F of the HASP).

## **1.2. Site Description**

### ***1.2.1. Site History***

The Site is located in an industrial and commercial area of the Hunts Point peninsula and was formerly used as an MGP, operated by Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. (Con Edison) from 1926 until the early 1960s. Gas operations included a coke/oven gas plant, a carbureted water gas plant, a light oil plant, and a liquid petroleum production area, and involved approximately 46 buildings or structures in gas production that formerly existed within the facility. The facility ceased production in the early 1960s and was demolished in 1966. Prior to and during the operation of the Con Edison MGP, portions of the Krasdale property were submerged and tidal estuarine. Therefore, the 400 FCD Site did not contain any structures associated with the former MGP operations, but rather the southern, superficial land was utilized as a storage area for coal and other MGP materials where underground cribbing and/or support timbers have been identified during previous investigations. The Site was infilled prior to the demolition of the facility and waste material has previously been identified within the fill material in the Site. Waste material generally consists of thousands of cubic yards of buried purifier bed material (Prussian blue purifier waste) and historic fill impacted with coal tar across the Site. Waste may extend into the adjacent Railroad Right-of-Way parcel (RR ROW; BCP Site No. C203102), but this is a separate and distinct BCP site that will be addressed separately under its own remedy.

The current 400 FCD BCP parcel limits were previously divided into two smaller parcels, separately enrolled in the former NYSDEC Voluntary Cleanup Program (VCP); the southern, undeveloped 2-acre parcel previously referred to as Parcel F (former VCP Site No. V00671 2), immediately south and abutting the warehouse, and the remainder of the Krasdale Foods property (approximately 17 acres) previously noted as the Con Edison – Hunts Point MGP (former VCP Site No. V00554 Operable Unit [OU] 1). This undeveloped plot (Parcel F) consists of exposed soil with vegetation as well as coal ash and sparse purifier waste at the surface. The entire leased parcel also includes lands underwater and reportedly totals 20.53 acres. The waterfront is constructed of a stone-faced bulkhead with a short concrete wall along the northern portion and paved curbing along the remainder of the upland shoreline.

### ***1.2.2. Current Site Conditions***

The 400 FCD BCP Site is located along the eastern shoreline of the Hunts Point peninsula, bounded to the east by the Bronx River, to the north by Hunts Point Parcel D (BCP Site No. C203100), to the south by the Anheuser-Busch distribution facility (former VCP Parcel C; VCP Site No. V00412, to the west by the RR ROW parcel (BCP Site No. C203102), FCD (former VCP Perimeter Site; VCP Site No. V00641), and the Hunts Point Cooperative Market (355 FCD; BCP Site No. C203099). The Site is a rectangular, 18.97-acre parcel that encompasses the entire Krasdale Foods facility (Fig. 2). It is currently paved and developed with a 1-story warehouse with accompanying office spaces, both on the ground-level as well as within a 2<sup>nd</sup> story, elevated structure in the northeast corner of the building. The original warehouse and office space was constructed in the early 1970s, with a southern addition to the warehouse constructed in 1980. The parking lot in the northern portion of Site is used for employee parking and truck and trailer parking, facility-visitor parking, as well as a queue area for trucks awaiting loading/unloading. Ground surface elevations across the Site are generally fairly level with gentle slopes to control drainage.

The entire Site is surrounded by razor wire-topped chain-link fencing and has one guarded entrance in the northwest corner of the property along FCD. A large rooftop solar array was recently installed atop the warehouse facility, which generates a significant amount of electricity during daylight hours. The rooftop solar conduit spans along the rooftop, down the side at the northwest corner of the building and is buried to tie into the existing Con Edison electrical line in the northwest corner of Site into FCD. Care must be given when working near the solar feeders as they produce high-voltage Direct Current (DC) and solar panels cannot be powered down, so they are always considered live.

### **1.3. Redevelopment Plan**

The 400 FCD Site is proposed to continue to be utilized as a food distribution facility. The redevelopment plan following the larger remedy consists of utilizing the southern, unpaved parcel (former VCP Site F) as an expanded parking area to support and expand the operations of Krasdale Foods. The remedy will not prevent future expansion or other redevelopment of the parcel. Any future work following the remedy will require adherence to a Site Management Plan (SMP) that will cover procedures for managing work during ground disturbances.

### **1.4. Summary of Remedial Investigation Report Findings**

The Remedial Investigation (RI) of Krasdale North was completed in May 2021 in accordance with the NYSDEC-approved April 2020 Remedial Investigation Work Plan (RIWP). The findings are summarized within the Remedial Investigation Report (RIR) submitted to NYSDEC in June 2024, which discussed results of past investigation work, pilot test data, MGP waste delineation, as well as several Preliminary Design Investigation (PDI) components. The RI effort included the following tasks and information:

1. Geophysical survey/ground penetrating radar (GPR)
2. Advancement and observation of soil borings to delineate MGP waste
3. Supplemental off-site soil, groundwater, and soil vapor sample collection to evaluate potential off-site sources of contamination and down-gradient migration of Site contaminants of concern (COCs) performed as part of a Qualitative Exposure Assessment (QEA)
4. Advancement of additional borings along the eastern portion of Site as part of the PDI to support design of future remedial components

## **2. Interim Remedial Measures**

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### **2.1. Objectives and Rationale**

The objectives of the IRM are as follows:

- Excavate a portion of the floor in the men's first floor bathroom to expose the sewer pipe and make a connection with a bypass line from the upstairs bathroom. The upstairs sewer pipe is completely unserviceable due to extreme corrosion.
- Perform internal building air monitoring to identify if elevated concentrations of dust, Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs), Hydrogen Sulfide (H<sub>2</sub>S) and/or Hydrogen Cyanide (HCN) are present in the building upon opening of the floor.
- Institute air ventilation in the bathroom, as well as within the hallway, in the event that elevated concentrations are released from the bathroom and migrate into the hallway.
- Secure the excavation with a membrane sealed to the floor in order to prevent free escape of vapors and nuisance odors.
- Segregate any MGP waste material from non-impacted material for disposal and/or incorporation into the full Site remedy. If waste material is encountered, the waste will be properly staged, sampled, analyzed, and disposed of.
- Install and connect a new sewer line between the second floor restrooms and the first floor men's bathroom, backfill with and compact approved material, and re-seal the floor with concrete and cover with the same material (e.g., tiles) as the surrounding floor. Backfill will meet Track 4 Commercial Soil Cleanup Objectives (SCOs).
- Backfill a second excavation that was opened when the sewer pipe initially failed. This excavation is located in a closed-off office in the eastern portion of the office building. Backfill will be pre-approved material meeting NYCRR Part 375 Commercial SCOs.

### **2.2. IRM Implementation**

The proposed IRM consists of the following tasks:

- GEI will conduct air monitoring once the contractor opens the floor above the sewer line in the proposed excavation area of the first-floor men's bathroom as indicated in Fig. 3. Monitoring locations include the air inside of the bathroom and in the hallway outside of the bathroom to determine if there are vapors being released elsewhere within the building. If no issues arise that would require the work to stop, the area will be further excavated to allow workers to enter and work in the hole and provide sufficient space to connect a new sanitary line from the second floor to the existing line on the first floor. The proposed excavation dimensions are 3 feet (ft) long by 3 ft wide by 3 ft deep.
- The Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning (HVAC) system in the bathroom will be isolated during excavation activities to prevent air within the bathroom from being re-circulated throughout the building. Active ventilation systems will be staged within the bathroom to allow ventilation to the exterior of the building. Additional ventilation will be available to actively

ventilate the hallway as well and prevent vapors and particulates from dispersing throughout the building. Additional ventilation will not be mobilized unless monitoring in the hallway identifies elevated concentrations.

- Monitoring and documentation of the excavation within the first-floor men's bathroom will be continuously performed. The floor of the bathroom is expected to be 2 to 3 ft above the adjacent outside grade; therefore, the sewer pipe may be above the outside ground level. If the pipe does exist above outside grade, there is a possibility that backfill material (soil/fill) is what will be encountered, and not purifier waste or other MGP-impacted waste. The excavation will be advanced to a depth at which the existing sewer pipe is identified and able to be cleared for a new connection to be made (this is expected to be 3 ft below the existing floor).
- All fill material that is removed from the proposed excavation area will be brought outside and properly staged to prevent leaving material indoors which could off-gas inside of the building. Pre-approved backfill material will be staged on site for use in backfilling the excavation. No excavated material will be used for backfilling. In the event MGP waste is encountered during the subsurface repair work, the excavation is not intended to be expanded to delineate and remove all MGP waste present within the building footprint. The excavation will also not extend vertically beyond what is necessary to complete the repair (4 ft) and to be in compliance with Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) excavation requirements. If MGP waste is identified in the excavation, the following procedures will be incorporated into the project:
  - If MGP waste is identified in the sidewalls of the excavation, the sidewall(s) will be widened by approximately 6 inches, but not far enough to risk leaving the exposed floor surrounding the excavation unsupported. If MGP waste is identified in any sidewall, that sample will be collected from the waste material (worst case).
  - If MGP waste is identified in the bottom of the excavation, the excavation will be extended by 1 ft (to a total of 4 ft below the floor, which is the maximum allowed without support of excavation or stepping back and widening the excavation).
  - Following the extension of the excavation a membrane/liner will be installed in the bottom of the excavation and will extend up the sides of the excavation where it will be sealed to the surface of the floor. If MGP waste requires the bottom of the excavation to be extended to 4 ft, the membrane will be installed and then 1 ft of approved backfill will be installed above the membrane to allow for a clean working surface. The membrane will also be sealed around the sewer pipe. The membrane will serve to prevent worker contact with any exposed waste and also to control and limit as much nuisance odors that could escape from beneath the floor into the work area as much as feasible.
  - The membrane will be left in the hole and following backfill, it will be trimmed to be level with the bottom of the slab and a new floor will be poured over it.
- Waste material will be staged outside of the building, laid atop and covered with poly sheeting to allow for analytical testing, classification and offsite disposal.
- Proper documentation will be submitted to NYSDEC for review and approval for all backfill material imported to Site (sieve and laboratory analyses, as well as applicable permits). Each type of fill will require its own submittal and approval.

- Following pipe repair and backfill, the floor will be repaired using the same material as the surrounding floor.

### **2.2.1. Site Preparation**

Site preparation for implementation of the proposed IRM will be completed by the Contractor and includes, but is not limited to, the mobilization of ventilation equipment in the bathroom and hallway, and the use of dust reducing procedures for all floor penetration and excavation work.

### **2.2.2. IRM Oversight**

The implementation of the IRM will be overseen by a field engineer, geologist, or scientist under the supervision of the Remediation Engineer (RE). The RE is responsible for documenting that the contractor performs the work as specified in the IRMWP and provides the proper documentation required by NYSDEC. These contractor documents will be submitted to NYSDEC in the Construction Completion Report (CCR), as described in Section 3.4.

The RE will provide full-time oversight and air monitoring of the IRM activities. The activities that occur during the IRM will be properly documented in daily and monthly BCP progress reports, as well as the CCR.

## **2.3. Communication Plan**

NYSDEC will be notified at least seven calendar days prior to commencement of IRM-related work.

Air monitoring will be conducted during all intrusive/floor opening activities. The Krasdale facility manager and contractor will immediately be informed of any dust, VOC, HCN and/or H<sub>2</sub>S concentrations that are detected in exceedance of the levels as identified in the CAMP (Appendix F of the HASP) due to on-site activities.

All Action Limit exceedances will be reported to NYSDEC within 24-hours. All 15-minute readings will be recorded and be available for NYSDEC and New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) personnel to review. Instantaneous readings, if any, used for decision purposes will also be recorded and documented in the Site's field book and daily field reports.

## **2.4. Soil/Materials Management Plan**

The operating procedures outlined below address materials approval, excavation, transport, and backfill. This SMMP presented in Section 2.4 supports the information typically required for an EWP under an IRM and therefore there is no separate, stand-alone EWP attached to this IRMWP.

### **2.4.1. Soil Excavation**

The proposed excavation dimensions are 3 ft long by 3 ft wide by 3 ft deep. Prior to the commencement of excavation, the presence of utilities within and near the excavation will be determined. The excavation to be performed is limited to opening the floor in the men's first floor bathroom where the

sanitary sewer pipe will be exposed and will allow for a new connection to the upstairs restrooms to be made. This will eliminate a long section of piping at the eastern end of the line that appears to be in disrepair, and also eliminates the need to excavate the entire office hallway and remove walls in order to replace the old pipe.

GEI will oversee all invasive work and the excavation and stockpiling of all excavated material. GEI will be present to assist in coordination and meeting the requirements of this IRM scope. The Volunteer and parties performing this work, are completely responsible for the safe performance of all invasive work, the structural integrity of excavations, and for structures that may be affected by excavations (such as building foundations). The contractor performing the removal of soil from the excavation to prepare the work area for the sewer line repair will be 40-hour Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response (HAZWOPER) trained. Following excavation, the hole will be lined with a membrane to form a barrier for the plumber to work within the shallow excavation and complete the pipe repair without contacting fill material. The membrane (e.g., plastic sheeting) will also be left in the excavation following the repair to act as a demarcation layer in the event that additional work is ever needed in the future.

The floor will be opened using saw cutting techniques with water to reduce dust emissions. The concrete floor may be disposed of as Construction and Demolition (C&D) material if no MGP waste is identified in the excavation. The remainder of the material will be excavated (likely by hand) and material will be screened and staged appropriately outside on the paved parking lot.

#### ***2.4.2. Post-Excavation Confirmation and RI Sampling***

Post-excavation/end-point sampling will be performed following removal of material from the proposed excavation area in the first-floor men's bathroom ("A" samples) and from the previously excavated/existing trench along the eastern side of the office building ("B") samples. If waste is encountered, over excavation solely to clear a sufficient area to complete the plumbing connections will be performed. Additional delineation will not be performed within the office building and additional flooring beyond the originally proposed excavation limits will not be removed. Sampling will be conducted in order to collect soil/fill samples that will allow a comparison of the onsite fill to the NYSDEC CP-51/Soil Cleanup Guidance (CP-51) 500 parts per million (ppm) polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon (PAH) limit, NYCRR Part 375 Commercial SCOs, as well as to evaluate if the material has the potential for exceeding the NYCRR Part 375 Protection of Groundwater SCOs (if applicable).

The proposed plan showing the endpoint sampling locations is shown on Fig. 4. Samples "A1" through "A4" and "B1" through "B4" will be collected from each of the sidewalls of both excavations. Material will be composited for each sample from the entire depth of the sidewall (i.e., 0 to 3 ft deep). Sample locations "A5" and "B5" will be collected as composite samples across the bottom of the future excavation at location "A" and the existing excavation at location "B", currently excavated to approximately 3 feet below ground surface (ftbgs). If MGP waste is identified in any sidewall, samples will be biased to collect from the waste as a 'worst case' scenario.

Additionally, RI samples will be collected. Location "A7" will be collected as an RI sample from a boring (hand augur or similar method) advanced an additional 4 feet deeper than the bottom of the excavation (i.e., 3 to 7 ftbgs). Other RI samples include composite samples from the excavated material if no MGP waste (purifier waste or coal tar) is present. One sample will be collected from the stockpiled "A"

excavation material following completion of the excavation (sample “A6”), and one sample will be collected from the “B” excavation material which was added to the stockpile generated from the solar panel efforts completed in November 2022 (sample “B6”). This stockpile is currently located near the northwestern corner of the building and is staged on top of and covered with poly sheeting. If MGP waste is present in the material from either of the excavations, then samples will be tested for disposal instead of staging on-site.

Soil samples will be collected in laboratory-supplied containers and transported to a NYSDOH Environmental Laboratory Accreditation Program (ELAP)-certified laboratory under chain-of-custody procedures and analyzed for the following:

- Target Compound List (TCL) VOCs by United States Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA) Method 8260C.
- TCL Semi-Volatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs) by US EPA Method 8270D
- Target Analyte List (TAL) Metals by US EPA Method 6010B/7471A
- Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs) by US EPA Method 8082A
- Pesticides by US EPA Method 8081B
- Total Cyanide by US EPA Method 9012B
- 1,4-Dioxane by US EPA Method 8270 SIM
- Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) by US EPA Method 1633

Soil samples will be collected in accordance with the Field Sampling Plan (FSP) and Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) from the June 2020 NYSDDEC-approved RIWP for Krasdale North. Work will comply with the safety guidelines outlined in the project HASP (Appendix A).

Sampling and analytical methods, sampling frequency, analytical results and Quality Assurance/Quality Control (QA/QC) methods will be reported in the CCR and/or RAWP upon completion of the IRM. Data will be compared to the 500 ppm PAH limit, NYCRR Part 375 Commercial SCOs, as well as NYCRR Part 375 Protection of Groundwater SCOs (if applicable). Exceedances of any criteria is not a determining factor requiring a remedial removal but will indicate areas where an engineering control surface must be re-installed/maintained.

### ***2.4.3. Soil Screening/Segregation Methods***

Visual, olfactory, and instrumental soil screening and assessment will be performed by a field engineer, geologist, or scientist under the supervision of the RE while excavating in known or potentially impacted areas. Instrumental screening will be performed in the work zone with a multi-gas meter configured to monitor for VOCs, H<sub>2</sub>S and HCN in accordance with the HASP (Appendix A).

In addition to screening via multi-gas meter, GEI will utilize colorimetric tubes, as needed, in order to confirm the presence of HCN or H<sub>2</sub>S since the sensors have previously been identified as having a cross-interference between H<sub>2</sub>S and HCN, which can indicate false positives. The compound-specific colorimetric tubes will provide real-time confirmation regarding vapors as this related to the HASP.

Vapors and particulates will also be monitored via two air monitoring stations as further detailed in Section 2.10 and the CAMP (Appendix F of the HASP). All intrusive work will use manual digging, water mist to prevent dust (especially when cutting the floor), and active ventilation to remove any vapors or dust that is generated.

If the work requires additional days, the hole will be sealed with plastic and a weighted cover to prevent vapors from escaping into the building (this will seal the membrane already installed in the excavation). If weather allows, ventilation will be maintained between shifts to prevent odor and vapors from accumulating via nearby windows and doors which open to the outside of the building.

On-site fill material not visually impacted with MGP-related waste (coal tar and/or purifier waste) will be segregated during all excavations (stockpiled separately from impacted material), staged on Parcel F (uncapped area adjacent to the southern end of the warehouse), and sampled in accordance with Section 2.4.2. No excavated material will be reused as backfill in either excavation. A summary of soil screening observations will be reported in the CCR and RAWP.

#### ***2.4.4. Stockpile Methods***

During excavation, direct material loading onto trucks for immediate off-site disposal is not anticipated. GEI will oversee all invasive work and the excavation and stockpiling of all excavated material. Coal tar and purifier waste will be segregated and maintained separately outside of the building on top of and covered by poly sheeting. At the completion of the excavation work, the stockpiled material will be sampled according to appropriate disposal and/or treatment facilities for offsite removal. Based on the size of the excavation area, the total volume of material (either acceptable for backfill or for disposal) is expected to be approximately 1 to 3 cubic yards.

#### ***2.4.5. Waste Characterization***

During implementation of the IRM, waste characterization samples will be collected from stockpiled excavated material exhibiting MGP-related impacts (coal tar and/or purifier waste) as per disposal facility requirements and in compliance with applicable laws and regulations. This activity will be coordinated by the RE and conducted by a field engineer, geologist, or scientist under the supervision of the RE.

#### ***2.4.6. Material Load Out and Transport Off-Site***

The field engineer, geologist, or scientist, under the supervision of the RE, will oversee the load out of excavated material. Any material proposed to be removed from the Site will follow the submittal process of each specific type of material for disposal, review of facility permit, testing for the appropriate parameters (if any) and upon review of the data, submit a waste profile for review and approval by the facility. Once the loading of a container, dump truck, or trailer has been completed, the material will be transported to the approved off-site disposal facility. The volume is expected to be very low in volume and may require only small containers (e.g., 55-gallon steel drums).

Non-hazardous, MGP-impacted material will be handled, transported, and disposed of by a licensed hauler in accordance with applicable 6 NYCRR Part 360 General Provisions, 6 NYCRR Part 364 Waste Transporter Permits regulations, and other applicable federal, state, and local regulations. The waste

removal contractor will provide the appropriate permits, certifications, and written commitments from disposal facilities to accept the material throughout the duration of the project. Waste manifests will be used to track the material that is transported off-site via properly placarded trucks and documented in the CCR and RAWP.

If material is tested and found to be hazardous waste, the appropriate documentation, US EPA identification, and manifests will be used to document the transportation and disposal of material.

If the volume of MGP material is minimal (less than the contents of a single 55-gallon drum), it will be transported to the former VCP Parcel F area at the southern end of the facility and staged on top of the other MGP waste that will be subject of the remedy. This will not create an exposure issue since the entire VCP Parcel F area is unpaved and is already identified as containing vast amounts of purifier waste. Drainage is also not an issue since the Site is not capped, allowing any precipitation to fully infiltrate into the Site.

#### **2.4.7. *Material Reuse***

All material removed from the excavation will be removed from the Site or included within the area targeted for remedy (former VCP Parcel F) at the southern end of the warehouse. All backfill will be sourced from approved locations and submitted to NYSDEC for approval prior to importing it to the project. The total volume of new material expected to be generated is very small (1 to 3 cubic yards).

#### **2.4.8. *Backfill Import from Off-Site Sources***

Backfill material will be required to be sampled and meet the lower of NYCRR Part 375 Table 6.8 Commercial Use SCOs and Protection of Groundwater SCOs, prior to material approval and importation to the Site, or will meet the approved sieve requirements that do not require chemical testing. All backfill will require pre-approval by NYSDEC. Backfill options include:

- **Clean Imported Fill:** For purposes of this project, the reference to “clean” refers solely to the review of properly collected and representative samples and data that meets the Track 4 Commercial SCOs in NYCRR Part 375 Table 6.8.
- **Uncontaminated C&D (NYCRR Part 360 1.2 (b)(38)):** For imported material such as aggregate, the material shall be screened and contain no free material other than recycled concrete aggregate (RCA). Any material will require a sieve analysis and/or source information in order to determine if analytical sampling is warranted.

Imported material used to backfill the excavations will comply with DER-10 Section 5.4(e). Analytical results will comply with the concentrations listed in DER-10, Appendix 5, for Commercial Use. Gravel, rock or stone may be imported if it contains less than 10% (by weight) material which would pass through a size 100 sieve, contains no material greater than 4 inches in diameter, and is sourced from a permitted mine or quarry. RCA may be imported if it contains less than 10% (by weight) material which would pass through a size 100 sieve and is sourced from a NYSDEC Part 360-registered facility. Additionally, finer grained material represented by anything containing greater than 10% passing the #10 sieve (for fine material) and for coarse material containing greater than 10% passing the #100 sieve, will require testing as per DER-10. RCA, gravel, rock, or stone will not require chemical testing as long as the

above-listed requirements are met. Prior to import and placement, documentation regarding the source(s) of imported fill material must be provided to the Department for approval using the NYSDEC *Request to Import/Reuse Fill or Soil* form. Approval will be obtained prior to excavation to allow for immediate backfill after the piping connection/repair is completed.

## **2.5. Fluids Management**

No fluids are expected to be generated or require management for this effort.

## **2.6. Stormwater Management and Erosion Control**

All work is being performed inside of the building, therefore, no issues with stormwater management or erosion control are anticipated.

## **2.7. Contingency Plan**

The excavation is not going to be expanded beyond what would be required to properly install the piping and make the new connection to the existing piping. If issues are identified with the integrity of the piping and if this requires a modification to the scope, NYSDEC will be informed prior to that work being performed. If nuisance odors or vapors are not able to be mitigated, the hole will be sealed up and NYSDEC contacted prior to continuing the work.

## **2.8. Community Air Monitoring Plan**

Air monitoring will be performed in accordance with the CAMP specific to implementation of the IRMWP. The CAMP is included as Appendix F of the HASP.

## **2.9. Dust, Odor, Vapor and Nuisance Control Plan**

This dust, odor, organic vapor and nuisance control plan was developed in accordance with the NYSDOH Generic CAMP and OSHA standards for construction (29 Code of Federal Regulations [CFR] 1926). Remediation and construction activities will be monitored for dust and odors by the RE's field engineer, scientist, or geologist. Continuous monitoring within the first floor men's bathroom (excavation area) and hallway outside of the bathroom will be performed during the entire effort until the floor is re-sealed. Air monitoring locations are depicted in Fig. 5.

### ***2.9.1. Odor and Vapor Control***

This odor control plan is capable of controlling emissions of nuisance odors. The contractor will employ all necessary means to prevent and control on- and off-site odor nuisances. Work practices to minimize odors and organic vapors include limiting the time that the excavations remain open, wetting exposed fill or soil, minimizing stockpiling of impacted-source soil, and minimizing the handling of impacted material. Offending odor and organic vapor controls may include the application of foam suppressants or tarps over the odor or impacted waste source areas. Foam suppressants may include biodegradable foams that are applied over the source material for short-term control of the odor.

One significant component of the nuisance odor prevention will be the installation of a membrane inside of the excavation that will be sealed to the upper floor surface. This membrane will help prevent vapor from being drawn into the room when the ventilation system is operating.

Monitoring will be conducted using a combination of dust meters and multi-gas meters configured to monitor for VOCs, H<sub>2</sub>S and HCN, in accordance with the CAMP (Appendix F of the HASP). If the action level is exceeded and adequate ventilation cannot be provided, work will cease, and the potential affected portion of the work area will be evacuated until adequate mechanical ventilation can be implemented to control the hazard. In the event that ventilation stops or cannot control the odor and vapors, the excavation will be sealed with plastic immediately and no work will continue until ventilation is increased.

If nuisance odors are identified but no exceedances are recorded, work will continue, and air handling/engineering controls will be employed to assist in removing those odors. If nuisance odors or vapors exceeding action levels set forth in the CAMP are identified off-site, work will be evaluated in order to determine if halting is required. MGP odors within Hunts Point are common and can be ubiquitous, therefore are not able to be halted or controlled. If odors are determined to be able to be controlled, work will not resume until all VOCs or nuisance odors have been abated.

NYSDEC and NYSDOH will be notified of all odor and vapor events and of all other complaints about the project. Implementation of all odor and vapor controls, including the halting of work, will be the responsibility of the Contractor under the oversight of the RE, who is responsible for certifying the CCR.

CAMP monitoring will be performed from the opening of the floor until the completion of the backfill. At this point the floor will need to remain open until the data report is prepared and submitted to NYSDEC with the RI and end-point samples. Following placement of the approved backfill in the excavation, plastic sheeting will be used to cover the excavation area. The sheeting will be sealed to the surface or exposed edge of the adjoining concrete floor. CAMP monitoring will continue for a day beyond covering the excavation and if no odors or exceedances are identified, CAMP will terminate and NYSDEC will be notified. When the floor is finally sealed and new concrete poured, GEI will notify NYSDEC.

### ***2.9.2. Dust Control***

Particulate concentrations will be monitored continuously within the first-floor men's bathroom and in the hallway immediately outside of the bathroom. Particulate monitoring will be performed using a real-time monitoring device capable of measuring particulate matter that is 10 microns in diameter, or less (PM<sub>10</sub>) and capable of integrating over a period of 15 minutes for comparison to criteria. The equipment will be calibrated daily and equipped with an alarm to indicate exceedance of the action level. Visual observations will be made in addition to quantitative measurements via meter.

In the event that dust concentrations are detected in exceedance of the action levels set forth in the CAMP, dust suppression techniques will be implemented until the exceedance has subsided and no visible dust is observed migrating from the work area. If dust suppression techniques are found to be insufficient, work must be stopped, and a re-evaluation of activities initiated. Work can resume provided

that dust suppression measures and other controls are successful in reducing concentrations to below to action limit and in preventing visible dust migration.

Implementation of all dust controls, including halt of work, will be the responsibility of the contractor. Dust management during invasive on-site work will be the responsibility of the contractor and will include, at a minimum:

- Use of a dedicated water spray methodology for floor penetration activities, excavation areas and stockpiles, as necessary.
- Use of properly anchored tarps to cover any stockpiles.
- Exercise extra care during dry and high-wind periods.

### **2.9.3. Other Nuisances**

Noise control will be exercised during the remedial program by the contractor. All remedial work will conform, at a minimum, to NYC noise control standards.

## **2.10. Health and Safety Plan**

GEI has prepared a site-specific HASP for the IRM, which is included as Appendix A. The HASP provides a mechanism for establishing on-site safe working conditions, safety organization, procedures, and personal protective equipment (PPE) requirements. The HASP meets the requirements of 29 CFR 1910 and 29 CFR 1926 (which includes 29 CFR 1910.120 and 29 CFR 1926.65). The HASP includes, but is not limited to, the following components listed below:

- Organization and Identification of key personnel
- Training requirements
- Medical surveillance requirements
- List of site hazards
- Excavation safety
- Work zone descriptions and monitoring procedures
- Personal safety equipment and protective clothing requirements
- Decontamination requirements
- Standard operating procedures
- Contingency Plan
- Safety Data Sheets

## **3. Reporting**

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Upon completion of the RI portion of the work, a report will be prepared and submitted to NYSDEC documenting the work. All of the IRM activities including RI sampling will be included in a revised RIR. A CCR will also be prepared and submitted to NYSDEC following the completion of the entire IRM effort. This will include the analytical results of end point sampling as well as RI sampling. Due to the short period of this IRM, it is not possible (even with the fastest laboratory turnaround) for analytical data to be available and make it into the IRM report, further discussed in Section 3.2, before the excavation is closed. It is not desirable to leave this excavation open simply to allow data to be returned and a report completed; therefore, all of the data will be included in the CCR as well as the revised RIR. Electronic Data Deliverable (EDDs), Data Usability Summary Reports (DUSRs), and Category B data deliverables will be submitted as part of the RIR and CCR.

### **3.1. Daily Reports**

Daily reports will be prepared during the duration of intrusive activities until both excavations have been backfilled and flooring replaced. Daily reports will include the following:

- An update of progress made during each reporting day
- Locations of work and quantities of material imported and exported from the Site
- References to map for Site activities
- A summary of any and all complaints with relevant details (names, phone numbers)
- A summary of CAMP findings, including exceedances
- An explanation of notable site conditions.

Daily reports are not intended to be the mode of communication for notification to NYSDEC of emergencies (e.g., accident, spill), requests for changes to the IRMWP, or other sensitive or time critical information; however, such conditions will also be included in the daily reports. Emergency conditions and changes to the IRMWP will be addressed directly to the NYSDEC Project Manager via personal communication. If site conditions warrant, the RE may request to change from daily to weekly reports that include the above information.

### **3.2. IRM Report**

An IRM Report will be completed and submitted to NYSDEC as quickly as possible and is being targeted to be prepared on or prior to closing the floor. This is expected to be submitted in less than a week of completion of the IRM, which will not allow the sample analytical data to be included. Data will be included in the revised RIR and CCR. The IRM Report will include the following:

- A brief summary of the activities performed as part of the IRMWP implementation
- Daily Reports

- Boring logs
- Sample Chain of Custodies (COCs).

### **3.3. Monthly Progress Reports**

Monthly progress reports will continue to be generated and submitted to NYSDEC by the 10<sup>th</sup> day of each month. Monthly progress reports are not intended to notify NYSDEC of emergencies (e.g., accident, spill), request changes to the IRMWP, or communicate other sensitive or time-critical information. Regardless, such conditions will also be included in the monthly progress reports. Emergency conditions and changes to the IRM will be communicated directly to the NYSDEC Project Manager. If Site conditions warrant, the RE may request to change from monthly to quarterly reports that include the above information. Monthly reports will include:

- A summary of significant activities undertaken during the reporting period.
- An update on pending/planned significant activities remaining.
- A discussion of any proposed scope or schedule revisions.
- A summary of any sampling conducted during the reporting period.
- A list of deliverables submitted during the reporting period.
- Information regarding the percentage of completion of the IRMWP.
- An update on any unforeseen problems and/or delays, including a discussion of the proposed corrective action(s).
- A summary of Community Participation Plan (CPP) activities during the reporting period.
- A summary of any relevant miscellaneous information regarding site activities that do not fall under the above categories.

### **3.4. Construction Completion Report (CCR)/Remedial Investigation Report (RIR)**

A CCR will be submitted to the NYSDEC Project Manager within 60 days of completing the IRM, which includes the analytical data for the RI and end-point samples. Additionally, the IRM effort will also be incorporated into the RIR which was previously submitted to NYSDEC. The RIR will be re-issued to NYSDEC with this additional IRM information. The CCR and RIR will document the implementation of the IRM and will be incorporated into and referenced in the Final Engineering Report (FER) for the Site when issued. The CCR will provide the following information:

1. The RE will certify that:
  - a. The remedial work conformed to the IRMWP.
  - b. Dust, odor, and vapor control measures were implemented during invasive work and conformed with the IRMWP and CAMP.
  - c. Remediation waste was transported and disposed of in accordance with the IRMWP.

- d. Source approval and sampling of imported acceptable fill (if applicable) was completed in a manner consistent with the methodology of the IRMWP.
2. Description of any problems encountered and their resolutions.
3. Description of changes in the IRM from the elements provided in the IRMWP and associated design documents and the reasons for them.
4. Description of the deviations from the approved IRMWP.
5. Listing of waste streams, quantity of materials disposed, and where they were disposed.
6. Description of source and quality of fill.
7. A summary of all residual impacted material left on the site.
8. A tabular summary of all sampling results and all material characterization results and other sampling and chemical analysis performed as part of the IRM.
9. Written and photographic documentation of all remedial work performed under this remedy.
10. Copies of all the submitted daily and monthly progress reports.
11. Certifications, manifests, and bills of lading for excavated materials transported off- site.
12. An accounting of the destination of all material removed from the site, including excavated impacted soil, historic fill, solid waste, hazardous waste, non-regulated material, and fluids.
13. Documentation associated with disposal of all material must also include records and approvals for receipt of the material.

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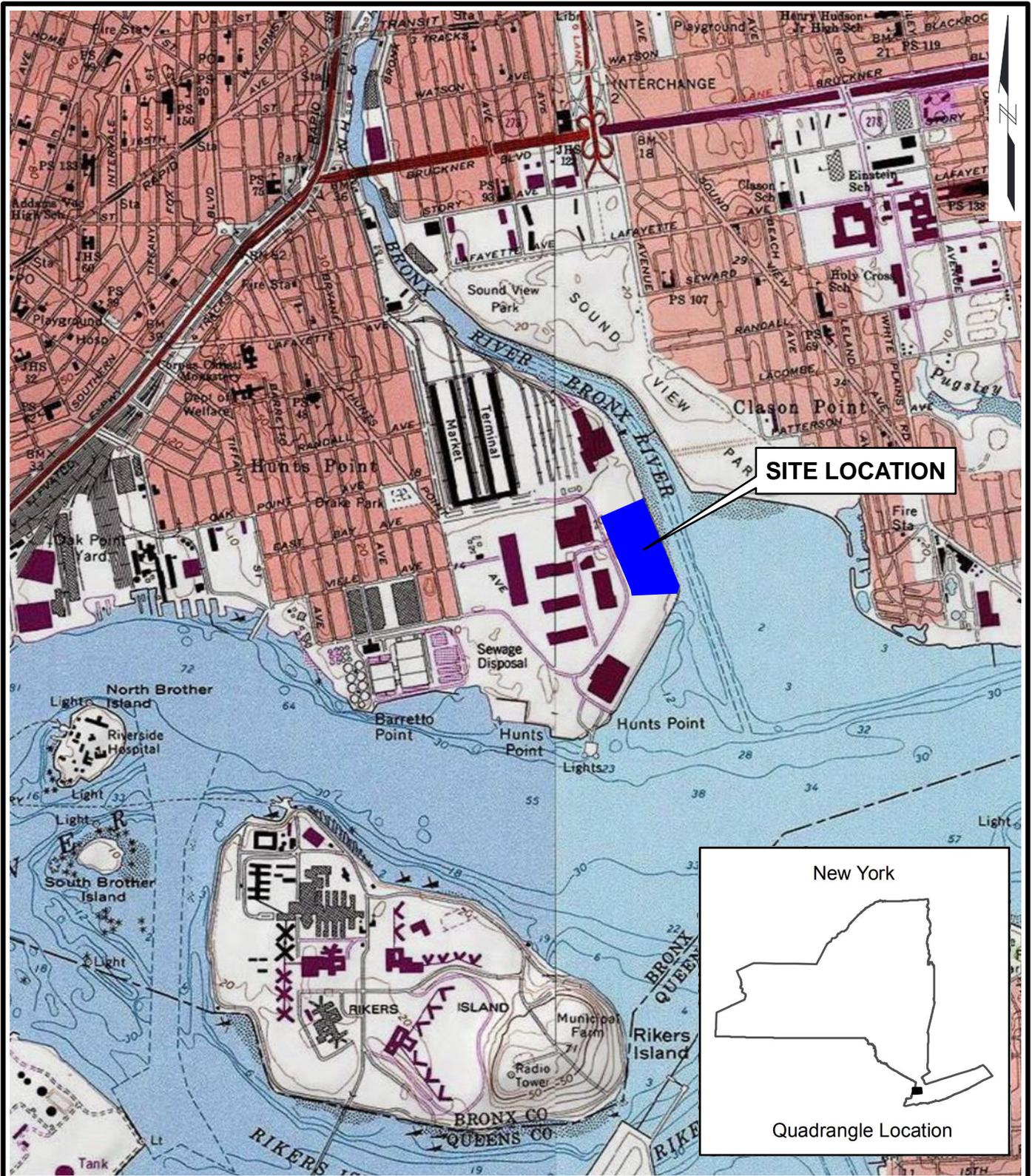
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**Fig. 2. Site Plan and IRM Work Area**

**Fig. 3. Interior Plumbing Schematic and Areas of Excavation**

**Fig. 4. Excavation Soil Sampling Plan**

**Fig. 5. Air Monitoring Locations**



**SOURCE:**  
 1. USGS 7.5' TOPOGRAPHIC QUADRANGLES  
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SITE LOCATION

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Fig. 1



**LEGEND**

-  Area of Affected Sanitary Line
-  Site Boundary

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1. ESRI WORLD IMAGERY



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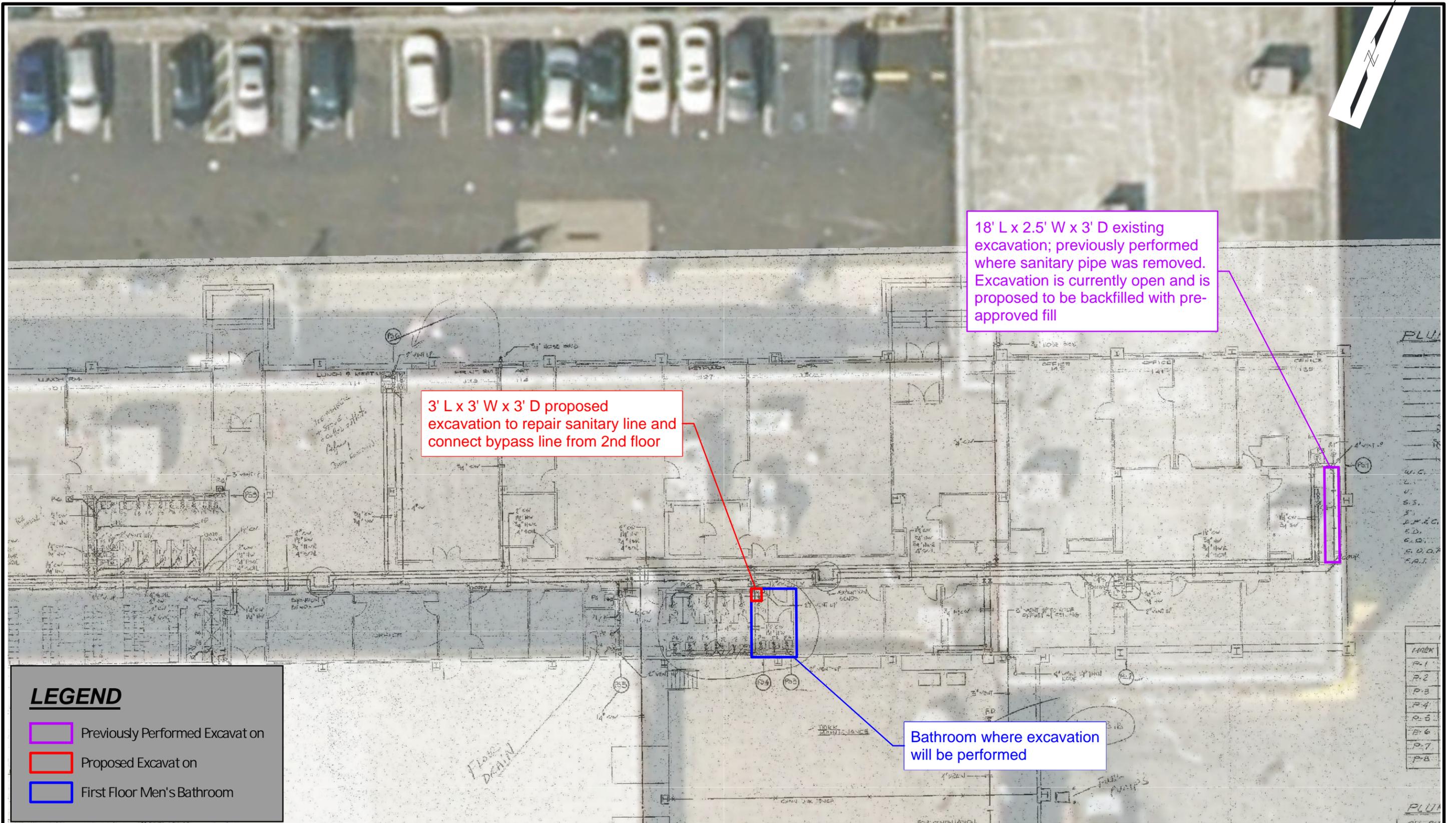


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SITE LAYOUT AND IRM  
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Fig. 2



**LEGEND**

- Previously Performed Excavation
- Proposed Excavation
- First Floor Men's Bathroom

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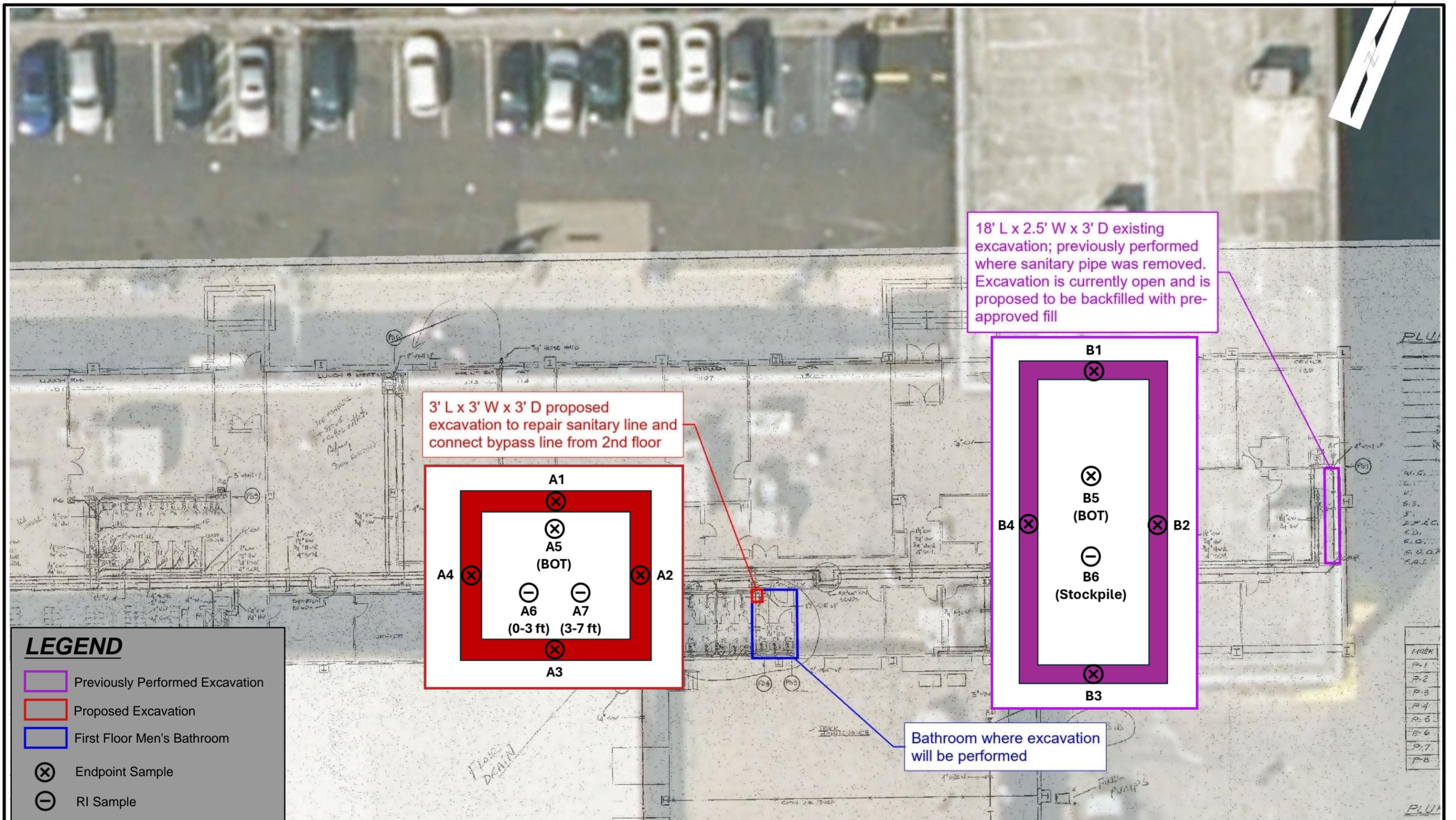
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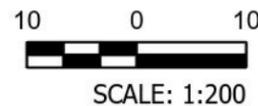
**INTERIOR PLUMBING SCHEMATIC AND AREAS OF EXCAVATION**

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**NOTES:**  
1. Sample A5 will be collected across the bottom of the final excavation depth at 3 feet. Sample A6 will be collected from the 0-3 foot deep material to be excavated and staged. Sample A7 will be a composite from a soil boring starting at the bottom of the excavation and extending 4 feet (i.e. 3-7 feet deep).  
2. Sample B5 will be a composite collected across the bottom of the existing excavation. Sample B6 will be collected from the stockpiled materials of the existing excavation.



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**EXCAVATION SOIL SAMPLING PLAN**  
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Fig. 4



**LEGEND**

- Air Monitoring Station
- First Floor Men's Bathroom
- Proposed Excavation

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**AIR MONITORING LOCATIONS**  
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## **Appendix A Health and Safety Plan (HASP)**

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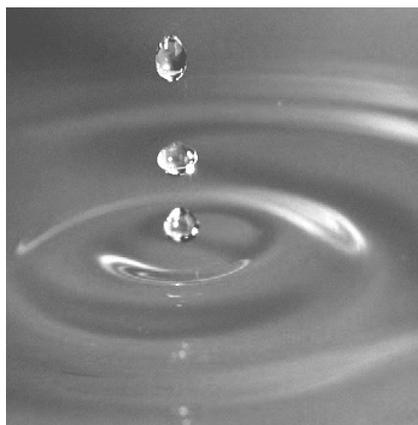
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# 1. Emergency Contact Information

**Table 1. Emergency Contact Information**

| Site Information  |   |
|---|---|
| Project Name:   | 400 Food Center Drive (Krasdale Foods)  |
| Project Address:  | 400 Food Center Drive, Bronx, New York, 10474   |
| Project Number:   | 2303627   |
| Important Phone Numbers   |   |
| Emergency (Police/Fire/Medical):  | 911   |
| Local Police:   | 911   |
| Fire Department:  | 911   |
| Con Edison:   | (800) 752-6633  |
| Hospital and Occupational Clinic Information<br>(See Attached Map and Directions in Appendix A) |   |
| <b>Lincoln Medical Center:</b><br>234 E 149th St<br>Bronx, NY 10451                             | (718) 579-5000  |
| <b>Urgent Care/Occupational Health Clinic: Contact Medcor Triage</b>                            | Call Medcor Triage<br>1-800-775-5866  |
| Contacts  |   |
| Project Manager:<br>Kevin McCarty   | (212) 845-9965 office<br>(917) 510-5147 cell  |
| Safety Director:<br>Steve Hawkins   | (860) 368-5348 office<br>(860) 916-4167 cell  |
| Regional Safety Manager:<br>Stacey Ng   | (212) 671-1592 office<br>(347) 514-3861 cell  |
| Site Safety Manager:<br>Savanna Marino  | (212) 227-3200 office<br>(347) 933-4028 cell  |
| Medcor Triage   | 1-800-775-5866  |
| Client Contact:<br>Rasheed Lucas  | (212) 312-4226 office<br>rlucas@edc.nyc   |
| Other Information   |   |
| Contractor Requesting/Performing<br>Utility Clearance: N/A                                      | Utility Clearance Ticket Number:<br>N/A – internal building plans will be used to locate sewer line |

## 2. GEI Safety Practices to Live By

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Safety is what we do and how we do it every day. These Everyday Practices to Live Safe are simple yet concise reminders to our employees, clients, contractors, visitors of the steps that must be taken to avoid injury, illness, and incident so everyone can live safe every day. To maintain a safe work environment, GEI has established an organizational structure and a Corporate Health and Safety Program along with these safety practices.

1. Stop work if it is unsafe to continue, after any incident, injury, or near miss.
2. Prepare before starting work. Complete safety training and project-related safety requirements, such as preparation and review Health and Safety Plans (HASPs) as required by project or job-related duties.
3. Assess and control safety hazards/risks before starting any tasks and when previously unidentified safety hazards are observed.
4. Be attentive and aware of your environment. Constant focus and awareness will avoid complacency.
5. Properly use and maintain GEI-approved and required personal protective equipment (PPE) in all appropriate circumstances.
6. Do not work or drive impaired, including under the influence of alcohol/drugs or while fatigued.
7. Follow all safety practices when operating a vehicle. Always wear your seatbelt while in any vehicle. Do not drive distracted, including using hand-held cell phones, when operating any vehicle.
8. Use tools, equipment, and safety devices in accordance with manufacturers recommendations and GEI expectations. Never modify or override safety devices.
9. When activities involve chemicals or hazardous substances, follow GEI's hazard communication requirements, including labeling, reviewing Safety Data Sheets (SDS), and keeping proper protections in place.
10. Be aware of and keep clear of equipment moving in all work areas, at all times.
11. Follow GEI's incident reporting procedure in the event of safety incidents, including injuries, illness, near misses, or observation of unsafe behaviors.

## 3. Site Background

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This Health and Safety Plan (HASP) establishes policies and procedures to protect GEI Consultants, Inc. (GEI) personnel from the potential hazards posed by the activities at the New York City Economic Development Corporation (NYCEDC) 400 Food Center Drive (FCD) property (site), known as Krasdale Foods, in the Bronx, New York (Fig. 1). Reading, understanding, and compliance with the contents of the HASP is required for on-site GEI personnel and will be reviewed by GEI subcontractors. Subcontractors will prepare their own site-specific HASP but may use this HASP as a guide. This HASP identifies measures to minimize accidents and injuries which may result from site conditions or activities. A copy of this HASP will be maintained on site for the duration of the work.

### 3.1 Site Description

The 400 FCD parcel is located in a commercial and industrial area of the Hunts Point section of the borough of the Bronx, New York. The Site is an 18.97-acre parcel of land contained within a portion of a larger tax lot identified as New York City Tax Map Block 2781, Lot 500. The Site is owned by New York City Small Business Services (NYCSBS) and managed by NYCEDC. The Site is relatively level, and is currently paved, developed, and occupied by a single food distribution warehouse with accompanying office spaces - both on the ground-level as well as within an elevated structure in the northeast corner of Site - constructed in the 1970's and expanded in 1980. Additionally, the Site contains a vacant, undeveloped plot (approximately 2 acres) in the southern portion of the property, abutting the warehouse building, formerly referred to as New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) Voluntary Cleanup Program (VCP) Site F (former VCP Site No. V00671). The Site is leased from the NYCSBS by Krasdale Foods and is zoned as M3-1 (Manufacturing). The entire leased property is currently enrolled in the NYSDEC Brownfield Cleanup Program (BCP) as Site No. C203101.

The Site was historically part of a Manufactured Gas Plant (MGP) operated by Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. (Con Edison) during the first half of the 20th century until its demolition in the 1960's. Gas operations included a coke/oven gas plant, a carbureted water gas plant, a light oil plant, and a liquid petroleum production area. In total, approximately 46 buildings or structures existed on the former Con Edison MGP facility that were actively involved in gas production. The MGP facility covered the entire Hunts Point peninsula area to the south of the current Hunts Point Produce Market and east of Halleck Street, known as the Hunts Point Food Distribution Center (HPFDC).

The site is located along the eastern shoreline of the Hunts Point peninsula, bounded to the east by the Bronx River, to the north by Hunts Point Parcel D (BCP Site No. C203100), to the south by the Anheuser-Busch distribution facility (former VCP Parcel C; VCP Site No.

V00412), and to the west by the Railroad Right-of-Way parcel (RR ROW; BCP Site No. C203104), FCD (former VCP Perimeter Site; VCP Site No. V00641), and the Hunts Point Cooperative Market (355 Food Center Drive; BCP Site No. C203099).

### 3.2 Scope of Field Work

The objective of this Interim Remedial Measure (IRM) is to repair a corroded and damaged sanitary line that originates from the elevated, second-story office space and ties into the main sewer line on the first floor. This is an emergency repair; therefore, it is not the intention of this IRM to delineate and remediate the waste present on Site. However, the appropriate measures will be taken to protect onsite workers and offsite receptors from possible MGP-impacted materials, and if MGP waste is encountered during the repair effort, the impacted materials will be properly segregated, staged, sampled, and disposed of. GEI will observe all intrusive repair work, conduct work zone and air monitoring, and soil sampling (if necessary). The excavation and repair work will be performed indoors, however, impacted materials will be staged and stockpiled outside of the building either in the paved parking lot or in the former Site F area which is uncapped and partially overgrown with tall grasses.

**Table 2. GEI Employee Site Tasks and Descriptions**

| Task Number | Task Titles                          | Task Descriptions  |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| 1.          | Driving – Site Mobilization          | Mobilize to Site. Park within designated facility parking areas.   |
| 2.          | Construction Observation             | Oversee repair work as performed by a subcontractor; inspect excavated materials and segregate any waste material. The excavation is anticipated to extend a maximum of 3 feet deep. |
| 3.          | Air Monitoring                       | Mobilize air monitoring equipment. Perform air monitoring for dust, VOCs, HCN, and H <sub>2</sub> S via CAMP tripod stations. Perform colorimetric tube monitoring as necessary.     |
| 4.          | Soil Sampling – Excavation/Stockpile | Collect soil samples of stockpiled material and segregated impacted material (if encountered).   |

**Notes:**

**Task Titles** correlate to a prepared site-specific JHAs.

**Task Descriptions** are a brief summary of the task being performed by GEI.

## 4. Potential Hazards

The potential hazards associated with site conditions and activity hazards related to GEI on-site activities have been identified in this section. Detailed information for these hazards and their control methods are discussed further in the Table 3 and the job hazard analysis (JHAs) included in Appendix B.

### 4.1 General Site Hazards

General hazards and control measures that are applicable to all site activities have been identified in Table 3.

**Table 3. General Site Hazards**

| <b>General Hazards</b><br>These Hazards Apply to All Site Activities | <b>Control Measure</b>  |
|--|---|
| <b>Cell Phone Use - On Project Site</b>                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Look and listen for potential hazards while using a cell phone for work related activities.</li> <li>• Limit your cell phone use for personal calls or other activities to non-working hours in areas free of hazards.</li> <li>• Do not use your cell phone when safety hazards are present.</li> <li>• Do not use headphones or ear buds while performing work related activities. Headphone or ear bud use can prevent you from hearing hazards around you.</li> <li>• Noise canceling headphones or earbuds are not to be used in place of hearing protection.</li> <li>• Never use a cell phone while operating any equipment or vehicle.</li> <li>• Consider using the "do not disturb" or "silent" functions to allow you to focus on your task.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Cold Stress – Hypothermia, Frostbite</b>                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Take breaks in heated shelters when working in extremely cold temperatures.</li> <li>• Drink warm liquids to reduce the susceptibility to cold stress.</li> <li>• Wear protective clothing (recommended three layers: an outside layer to break the wind, a middle layer to provide insulation, and an inner layer of cotton or synthetic weave to allow ventilation).</li> <li>• Wear a hat and insulated boots.</li> <li>• Keep a change of dry clothing available in case clothes become wet.</li> <li>• Do heavy work during the warmer parts of the day and take breaks from the cold.</li> <li>• If possible, shield work areas from drafts of wind and use insulating material on equipment handles when temperatures are below 30°F</li> <li>• Watch for symptoms of cold stress and initiate first aid procedures (Section 4.3.2).</li> </ul> |

| <b>General Hazards</b><br>These Hazards Apply to All Site Activities  | <b>Control Measure</b>  |
|---|---|
| <b>Coronavirus-<br/>COVID-19</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Do not go to work if you are sick.</li> <li>• Maintain distance from others when possible.</li> <li>• Frequent washing of hands with soap and warm water for 20 seconds. If soap is not available, use hand sanitizer with 60% alcohol.</li> <li>• Wipe down high contact surfaces with disinfectant routinely before and after use.</li> <li>• Avoid sharing equipment when possible.</li> <li>• Use good hygiene practices.</li> <li>• See COVID-19 Consolidated Workplace Guidelines</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Dusty Conditions –<br/>Eye and respiratory irritation</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wear protective gear – dust masks, safety glasses.</li> <li>• Use engineering methods to suppress dust if possible.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Heat stress –<br/>Fainting, Fatigue, Heat<br/>Stroke</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increase water intake while working.</li> <li>• Increase number of rest breaks and/or rotate workers in shorter work shifts. Rest in cool, dry areas.</li> <li>• Watch for signs and symptoms of heat exhaustion and fatigue. Plan work for early morning or evening during hot months. Use ice vests when necessary.</li> <li>• Watch for symptoms of heat stress and initiate first aid procedures (Section 4.3.1).</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Heavy Equipment –<br/>Working Near</b><br>Struck-by, caught-in-between equipment, crushing, pinch points | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wear hardhat; high visibility reflective safety vest; steel-toed, steel-shank boots or (electrical hazard) EH-rated safety boots with composite toe and shank; safety glasses; nitrile/neoprene gloves; and earplugs.</li> <li>• Identify yourself and your work location to heavy equipment operators, so they may incorporate you into their operations.</li> <li>• Coordinate hand signals with operators.</li> <li>• Stay Alert! Pay attention to equipment backup alarms and swing radii.</li> <li>• Wear a high-visibility, reflective vest when working near equipment or motor vehicle traffic.</li> <li>• Position yourself in a safe location when filling out logs or talking with the contractor.</li> <li>• Notify the contractor immediately if any problems arise.</li> <li>• Do not stand or sit under suspended loads or near any pressurized equipment lines.</li> <li>• Do not operate cellular telephones in the vicinity of heavy equipment operation.</li> <li>• See SOP HS-018</li> </ul> |
| <b>Inclement Weather</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Listen to local forecasts for warnings about specific weather hazards such as tornados, thunderstorms, and flash floods.</li> <li>• If storms produce thunder and/or lightning, leave the work area immediately and move to a safe area.</li> <li>• Discuss an action plan prior to the severe weather.</li> <li>• Wear appropriate PPE for the type of weather that could be encountered.</li> <li>• Stop work until conditions are suitable. Take cover in vehicles or shelter as appropriate.</li> <li>• See SOP HS-010</li> </ul>  |

| <b>General Hazards</b><br>These Hazards Apply to All Site Activities       | <b>Control Measure</b>   |
|--|--|
| <b>Insects –</b><br>Bites, Stings, Allergic Reactions                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Apply insect repellent prior to performing field work and as often as needed throughout the work shift.</li> <li>• Wear proper protective clothing (work boots, socks, and light-colored clothing)</li> <li>• Wear shoes, long pants with bottoms tucked into boots or socks, and a long-sleeved shirt when outdoors for extended periods of time, or when many insects are most active (between dawn and dusk).</li> <li>• When walking in wooded areas, avoid contact with bushes, tall grass, or brush as much as possible</li> <li>• Field personnel who may have insect allergies will have allergy medication on site and will provide this information to the SSM prior to commencing work.</li> <li>• Field personnel will perform a self-check at the end of the day for ticks.</li> <li>• See SOP HS-001</li> </ul> |
| <b>Physical Injury –</b><br>Slips, Trips and Falls                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wear PPE that properly fits, is in good condition, and is appropriate for the activities and hazards.</li> <li>• Maintain good visibility of the work area.</li> <li>• Avoid walking on uneven, steeply sloped, or debris ridden ground surfaces.</li> <li>• Plan tasks prior to performing them including an activity hazard analysis.</li> <li>• Keep trafficked areas free from slip/trip/fall hazards.</li> <li>• Maintain weed growth in sampling areas, especially on slopes.</li> <li>• Wear shoes with traction.</li> <li>• Avoid traversing steep areas in slippery conditions.</li> <li>• Do not carry heavy objects to work areas, on steeply sloped areas, or where steep areas must be traversed.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Repetitive Motion Injury -</b><br>Standing, Squatting, and Bending Over | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Take regular breaks and do not work in unusual positions for extended periods of time.</li> <li>• Walk and stretch between tasks.</li> <li>• See SOP HS-025</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Poisonous Plants -</b><br>Poison Ivy, Poison Oak, and Poison Sumac      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Avoid areas infested with poisonous plants.</li> <li>• Use a barrier cream to provide some protection.</li> <li>• Wash exposed clothing separately in hot water with detergent.</li> <li>• After use, clean tools, and soles of boots with rubbing alcohol or soap and lots of water.</li> <li>• Immediately wash with soap and water any areas that come into contact with poisonous plants.</li> <li>• If exposed to a poisonous plant, wash with soap and water or a product such as Technu. First aid kits are available in the company vehicles.</li> <li>• See SOP HS-001</li> </ul>  |

| General Hazards<br>These Hazards Apply to All Site Activities    | Control Measure   |
|--|---|
| <p><b>Sun Exposure</b></p>                                       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Liberally apply sunscreen, with a minimum broad-spectrum sun protection factor (SPF) of 30</li> <li>• Wear safety glasses that offer protection from ultraviolet A and B (UVA/UVB) rays.</li> <li>• Bring shade to the site to reduce exposure.</li> <li>• When possible, wear long-sleeved shirts and long pants.</li> <li>• Clothes made from tightly woven fabric and darker colors offer the best protection. Some clothing is certified as offering UV protection.</li> <li>• Wear a hat that has a brim all the way around that shades your face, ears, and the back of your neck. A tightly woven fabric, such as canvas, works best to protect your skin from UV rays.</li> <li>• Sunscreen wears off. Put it on again if you stay out in the sun for more than 2 hours.</li> <li>• Check the sunscreen's expiration date. Sunscreen without an expiration date has a shelf life of no more than 3 years.</li> </ul> |
| <p><b>Unsecured or High Crime Areas</b></p>                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be aware of your surroundings.</li> <li>• Use the buddy system. Do not remain on site alone. Accompany or be accompanied by others to vehicles.</li> <li>• Request police detail when appropriate.</li> <li>• Let the SSM know when you begin work in these areas and when you leave.</li> <li>• Call in regularly.</li> <li>• If you arrive in an area and it does not look safe to get out of your vehicle, lock the doors and drive off quickly but safely.</li> </ul>  |
| <p><b>Vehicular Traffic –</b><br/>Struck by injury, crushing</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increase visibility of the work area to others by using cones, flags, barricades, proper lighting, and caution tape to define work area.</li> <li>• Use a "spotter" to locate oncoming vehicles.</li> <li>• Use vehicle to block work area.</li> <li>• Engage police detail for all work conducted in appropriate areas.</li> <li>• Wear high-visibility, reflective vest at all times.</li> <li>• Maintain minimum DOT defined distances to other traffic lanes.</li> <li>• See SOP HS-016.</li> </ul>  |

### 4.1.1 Hazard Controls

On-site safety equipment to control the hazards listed above will include:

| Site-Specific Safety Equipment (check all that apply)                 |   |  |
|---|---|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drinking water/electrolyte fluids | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hand cleaner/sanitizer  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tick removal kit |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Eye wash bottles                  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insect repellent        | <input type="checkbox"/> Other:                      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fire extinguisher                 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Phone charger           | <input type="checkbox"/> Other:                      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First aid kit                     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Poison ivy/oak cleanser | <input type="checkbox"/> Other:                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flashlight/head lamp                         | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sunscreen               |  |

PPE is discussed in further detail in Section 5.

### **4.1.2 Personal Safety**

Field activities have the potential to take employees into areas which may pose a risk to personal safety. The following websites have been researched to identify potential crime activity in the area of the project:

- <https://communitycrimemap.com/>: No crimes identified in the past 30 days within a mile of the work area(s).
- [www.cityrating.com/crimestatistics.asp](http://www.cityrating.com/crimestatistics.asp): Crime in New York is higher than the national and state crime rate.
- [www.crimemapping.com](http://www.crimemapping.com): No crimes identified in the past 30 days within a mile of the work area(s)
- [www1.nyc.gov/site/nypd/stats/crime-statistics/borough-and-precinct-crime-stats.page#bronx](http://www1.nyc.gov/site/nypd/stats/crime-statistics/borough-and-precinct-crime-stats.page#bronx): New York City's 40th Precinct, the location of the work area(s), identifies 2,099 incidents that have occurred this calendar year, accessed August 29, 2024.

Employees must not knowingly enter into a situation where there is the potential for physical and violent behaviors to occur. If employees encounter hostile individuals or a confrontation develops in the work area, suspend work activities, immediately leave the area of concern, and contact local 911 for assistance. Notify the Site Safety Manager (SSM) and Safety Team (Safety Director and Regional Safety Managers – [Safety\\_Team@geiconsultants.com](mailto:Safety_Team@geiconsultants.com)) of any incidents once you are out of potential danger.

In the event of an emergency, prompt communications with local emergency responders are essential. At least one charged and functioning cell phone to enable emergency communications will be on site. Confirmation of cellular phone operation will be confirmed at the start of each working day.

### **4.1.3 Vehicle Safety**

Mobilization to and from the field will likely require the use of a personal, GEI fleet, or rental vehicle. When operating a vehicle while conducting business on behalf of GEI, employees must follow safe driving practices as outlined in the GEI Safe Driving SOP.

In conjunction with the hazard controls listed in the Site Mobilization JHA, GEI employees should follow these guidelines to operate a vehicle safely:

- Do not drive distracted, including using hand-held cell phones, when operating any vehicle.

- Complete a 360° inspection of the vehicle and surrounding area to identify vehicle safety issues and hazards that could be within the travel path.
- Confirm cell phones, tablets, or other potentially distracting equipment are safely secured and put away prior to operating the vehicle.
- Park in designated areas or a safe area away from heavy equipment.
- When parking a vehicle at a job site, the employee should make an effort to position the vehicle in a manner which reduces or eliminates the need to operate the vehicle in reverse.
- Use a spotter whenever possible.

GEI personnel will follow the GEI Incident Reporting (and client specific reporting) procedures if a vehicle accident occurs involving another vehicle, results in injury, or the damage to property.

#### **4.1.4 Communicable Diseases**

Communicable diseases are illnesses caused by viruses or bacteria that people spread to one another through contact with contaminated surfaces, bodily fluids, blood products, insect bites, or through the air. Examples of communicable diseases include influenza, coronavirus 2019, hepatitis B, salmonella, measles, and blood-borne illnesses. Most common forms of spread include food, insect bites, droplets, or skin contact. Infections may range in severity from asymptomatic (without symptoms) to severe and fatal. Transmission of these biologic agents can occur in a variety of ways including airborne (inhalation), direct physical contact with an infectious person, consuming contaminated foods or beverages, contact with contaminated body fluids, contact with contaminated inanimate objects, or being bitten by an infected insect or tick. Below are ways to prevent the infection or spread of communicable diseases:

1. Distancing - Maintain distance from others when possible. Minimize the number of employees in one location to the extent possible.
2. Wash Hands Often - Frequent hand washing with soap and warm water for 20 seconds. If soap and water are not readily available, use hand sanitizer (containing 60% alcohol) until soap and water can be used.
3. Clean and Disinfect Commonly Used Surfaces - Wipe down surfaces with disinfectant on a routine basis. This includes field equipment and other items that may have previously been used by others. This is especially important while working in construction trailers. When using company and personal vehicles, wipe surfaces including the steering wheel, gear shifter, controls, and door handles before and after use.

4. Use Good Hygiene Practices – These include washing hands frequently, avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth, and cover coughs and sneezes.
5. Get Vaccinated - Vaccines can prevent many infectious diseases. There are also vaccines that are recommended or required for travel to certain parts of the world.
6. Avoid Touching Wild Animals - Be cautious around wild animals as they can spread infectious diseases.
7. Stay home when you are sick.

## 4.2 Job Hazard Analysis

The site-specific tasks, potential hazards, and control measures established to reduce the risk of injury or illness are identified in step-by-step JHAs included in Appendix B. Prior to the start of work, project team members will determine what tasks are covered in the scope of work (Table 2) and then develop a JHA for each of these tasks and have them reviewed by the Project Manager (PM) or their designee and approved by a member of the Safety Team. Indicated in each JHA are the specific PPE, training, equipment, health and safety SOPs and programs that apply to each task. Additional information on hazard controls can be found in GEI's SOPs and programs that apply to this project which are indicated in Appendix E.

## 4.3 Heat and Cold Stress

### 4.3.1 Heat Stress

Employees may be exposed to the hazards associated with heat stress when ambient temperatures exceed 80°F. To prevent heat-related illness, Project Managers (PMs) should plan for proper hydration (drinking plenty of water), acclimatization (getting used to weather conditions), and schedules that alternate work with rest. Employees should also be trained to recognize the symptoms of heat related illnesses and know how to administer first aid for heat-related illnesses and activate emergency medical services quickly when needed. Water and shade will be available to all project employees and located as close as practicable to the work areas when temperatures exceed 80°F.



#### [CDC Heat Planning Tool](#)

For the most recent details and tools for heat stress, use your smart phone to access the Centers for Disease Control for the latest information. Additional details can be found in GEI's [Heat Stress Program](#) located on the Safety Resources page of GEI Connections.

Prior to each workday, the forecasted temperature and humidity for the worksite will be reviewed and will be compared against the National Weather Service Heat Index to evaluate the risk level for heat illness. When the temperature equals or exceeds 95°F, or during a heat wave, high heat procedures will be used which include additional preventive measures including pre-shift meetings to encourage employees to drink plenty of water, working in the buddy system or regular communication so observations can be made for heat related illness, and to remind employees of their right to take a cool-down rest when necessary.

### **4.3.2 Cold Stress**

Employees may be exposed to the hazards associated with cold stress when working in cold, wet, and/or windy conditions. Potential hazards in cold environments include frostbite, trench foot or immersion foot, hypothermia, as well as slippery surfaces, brittle equipment, and poor judgment.

## **4.4 Constituents of Concern**

The characteristics of constituents of concern (COC) at the site are discussed below for safety information purposes. A COC is any substance classified or defined as hazardous, extremely hazardous, toxic, or dangerous. The COC included in this health and safety plan will be the primary constituents that have been detected, are anticipated to be detected, or are being evaluated for the presence of, on the project site. These COC will be used to determine the action levels and PPE necessary for site personnel. Adherence to the safety and health guidelines in this HASP should reduce the potential for exposure to the COC discussed below.

### **4.4.1 Site-Specific COC**

The characteristics of compounds that may be present at the Site are discussed below for information purposes. Adherence to the safety and health guidelines in this HASP should reduce the potential for exposure to the compounds discussed below.

#### **Coal Ash**

Coal ash, also referred to as coal combustion residuals or CCRs, is produced primarily from the burning of coal in coal-fired power plants. Coal ash includes a number of by-products produced from burning coal. Coal ash contains contaminants like mercury, cadmium and arsenic. Ash is a solid, grey/black or brown/tan, odorless powder which may contain solidified masses. It is not combustible or explosive. Airborne dust may cause immediate or delayed irritation or inflammation to the eyes, nose, throat, or lungs depending on the degree



#### [CDC Cold Stress Info](#)

For the most recent details and tools for cold stress, use your smart phone to access the Centers for Disease Control for the latest information. Additional details can be found in GEI's [Cold Stress Program](#) located on the Safety Resources page of GEI Connections.

of exposure. Ash may contain trace amounts of ammonia or ammonia bisulfate. Contact with water or moisture can cause the ammonia to be released from the ash into the air. Inhalation of ammonia can cause coughing and irritation or burns to the nose throat and lungs. These effects depend on the concentration of ammonia inhaled. Inhalation may occur when the soil is disturbed causing respirable and nuisance dust particles to become airborne. For dust generated during site activities which exceed site specific limits, engineering controls such as water application will be used to control dust concentrations.

### **Coal Tar and Coal Tar Products**

Coal tar products, which are semi-volatile organic compounds (SVOCs), consist of a mixture of acenaphthene, acenaphthylene, anthracene, benz(a)anthracene, benzo(b)fluoranthene, benzo(k)fluorethene, benz(a)pyrene, benzo(e)pyrene, benzo(g,h,i)perylene, chrysene, dibenz(a,h)anthracene, fluoranthene, fluorene, indeno(1,2,3cd)pyrene, 2-methyl naphthalene, naphthalene, phenanthrene, phenols, pyrene.

Coal tar products and other SVOCs are present at the Site within impacted soil and groundwater and as a dense non-aqueous phase liquid (DNAPL) by-product of gas production within soils, former MGP structures, and abandoned pipelines.

Coal tar products such as those listed above may cause contact dermatitis. Direct contact can be irritating to the skin and produce itching, burning, swelling, and redness. Direct contact or exposure to the vapors may be irritating to the eyes. Conjunctivitis may result from prolonged exposure. Coal tar is considered to be very toxic, if ingested. High levels of exposure to coal tar, though not anticipated during work activities conducted during this project, may increase the risk of cancer including lung, kidney, and skin cancer. Naphthalene is also an eye and skin irritant and can cause nausea, headache, fever, anemia, liver damage, vomiting, convulsions, and coma. Poisoning may occur by ingestion of large doses, inhalation, or skin absorption.

The major route of entry for the work activities to be conducted at this Site is through direct contact. Exposure is most likely when handling soil and water samples. Inhalation may occur when the soil is disturbed causing respirable and nuisance dust particles to become airborne.

### **Cyanide**

Cyanide compounds are common by-products of manufactured gas plant (MGP) production. Hydrogen cyanide is toxic because it is a chemical asphyxiate. It replaces the oxygen in the blood and thereby suffocates the cells. Ferro cyanides are not considered toxic because the hydrogen cyanide ion is bound too tightly to the iron and cannot therefore replace the oxygen. It takes a great amount of heat and/or acid to release cyanide gas from the ferro cyanide molecule; therefore, hydrogen cyanide is not a concern at this Site. GEI plans to

monitor for hydrogen cyanide (HCN) during remedial investigation activities when significant deposits of purifier bed material are identified. Monitoring will be conducted using colorimetric tubes and is detailed further in Section 9.2.3.

## Heavy Metals

Heavy metals such as arsenic, chromium, copper, mercury and nickel have been detected in site samples. Exposure to high concentrations of arsenic can cause dermatitis, gastrointestinal disturbances, peripheral neuropathy, respiratory irritation, and hyper pigmentation of skin. Chronic exposure to arsenic has resulted in lung cancer in humans. Arsenic is regulated by specific OSHA standards. They are 29 CFR 1910.1025/1926.52 and 29 CFR 1910.1018/1926.1118, respectively. These standards include specific requirements for air monitoring, signs and labels, training and medical surveillance.

Exposure to chromium can cause acute symptoms such as irritation of the eyes, nose and throat as well as wheezing and coughing. Chronic effects include nosebleeds, nasal congestion, dermatitis, and loss of sight.

Exposure to high concentrations of copper through inhalation can cause irritation of the eyes, nose, pharynx, nasal septum. Ingestion may cause a metallic taste. Skin irritation may result from direct contact with skin. Damage to the liver and kidneys may occur.

Exposure to mercury can cause dizziness, salivation nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, constipation, emotional disturbance, and kidney injury. Chronic exposure to mercury can cause CNS damage.

Exposure to high concentrations of nickel may cause sensitization dermatitis, allergic asthma, and pneumonitis.

Heavy metals are not expected to be present at concentrations that exposure symptoms would occur. The primary route of exposure is through inhalation of dust particles when soil is disturbed and becomes airborne, therefore, particulate monitoring, respiratory protection, and gloves are primary controls against exposure to heavy metals.

## Hydrogen Sulfide

Hydrogen sulfide is a common by-product of manufactured gas plant (MGP) production. Exposure to lower concentrations can result in eye irritation, a sore throat and cough, shortness of breath, and fluid in the lungs. These symptoms usually go away in a few weeks. Long-term, low-level exposure may result in fatigue, loss of appetite, headaches, irritability, poor memory, and dizziness. Breathing very high levels (> 800 parts per million [ppm]) of hydrogen sulfide can cause death within just a few breaths. The primary route of exposure is

through inhalation and therefore respiratory protection is the primary control against exposure to hydrogen sulfide.

### **Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons**

Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), are a group of chemicals consisting of numerous carbon atoms joined together to form multiple rings. Most are formed from the incomplete combustion of plant or animal matter, or carbon fuels, such as coal or petroleum. These compounds not expected to be at concentrations that exposure symptoms would occur. PAHs may cause contact dermatitis. Direct contact can be irritating to the skin and produce itching, burning, swelling, and redness. Direct contact or exposure to the vapors may be irritating to the eyes. Conjunctivitis may result from prolonged exposure. High levels of exposure to PAHs, though not anticipated during work activities conducted during this project, may increase the risk of cancer including lung, kidney, and skin cancer. Naphthalene is also an eye and skin irritant and can cause nausea, headache, fever, anemia, liver damage, vomiting, convulsions, and coma. Poisoning may occur by ingestion of large doses, inhalation, or skin absorption.

The primary routes of exposure for PAHs are inhalation and dermal contact. Therefore, particulate monitoring, gloves, and respiratory protection are primary controls against exposure to PAHs.

### **Purifier Waste**

There are two typical byproducts which resulted from MGP processes - purifier waste and coal tar. Manufactured gas had to be cooled, purified, and a number of other impurities removed prior to use. Sulfur and cyanide compounds were removed by passing the gas through "purifier beds" comprised of either lime or wood chips permeated with iron filings. The beds of purifier material would eventually become saturated with tar and other materials, rendering them unusable. Purifier waste is typically found as a dark mixture of wood chips with a strong burnt odor. Once exposed at the ground surface, the waste often developed an iridescent blue color known as "Prussian Blue."

### **Semi-Volatile Organic Compounds**

Semi-volatile organic compounds (SVOCs) usually consist of a mixture of acenaphthene, acenaphthylene, anthracene, benz(a)anthracene, benzo(b)fluoranthene, benzo(k)fluorethene, benz(a)pyrene, benzo(e)pyrene, benzo(g,h,i)perylene, chrysene, dibenz(a,h)anthracene, fluoranthene, fluorene, indeno(1,2,3cd)pyrene, 2-methyl naphthalene, naphthalene, phenanthrene, phenols, and pyrene.

SVOCs are not expected to be present at concentrations that exposure symptoms would occur. SVOCs such as those listed above may cause contact dermatitis. Direct contact can be

irritating to the skin and produce itching, burning, swelling, and redness. Direct contact or exposure to the vapors may be irritating to the eyes. Conjunctivitis may result from prolonged exposure. Many SVOCs are considered to be very toxic, if ingested. High levels of exposure to SVOCs, though not anticipated during work activities conducted during this project, may increase the risk of cancer including lung, kidney, and skin cancer. Naphthalene is also an eye and skin irritant and can cause nausea, headache, fever, anemia, liver damage, vomiting, convulsions, and coma. Poisoning may occur by ingestion of large doses, inhalation, or skin absorption.

The primary routes of exposure to SVOCs are through inhalation and direct contact, therefore air monitoring, gloves, and respiratory protection are primary controls against exposure to SVOCs.

### **Volatile Organic Compounds**

Volatile organic chemicals (VOCs), such as benzene, toluene, ethyl benzene, and xylene (BTEX) are commonly present as soil and groundwater contaminants, and in some cases chemical components in non-aqueous phase liquids (NAPL) such as oil or tar within soils and abandoned pipelines. These compounds are not expected to be at concentrations that exposure symptoms would occur. These compounds generally have a depressant effect on the Central Nervous System (CNS), may cause chronic liver and kidney damage, and some are suspected human carcinogens. Benzene is a known human carcinogen. Acute exposure may include headache, dizziness, nausea, and skin and eye irritation. The primary routes of exposure to VOCs are through inhalation and direct contact, therefore air monitoring, gloves, and respiratory protection are the primary controls against exposure to VOCs.

### ***Evaluation of Organic Vapor Exposure***

Air monitoring reduces the risk of overexposure by indicating when action levels have been exceeded and when PPE must be upgraded or changed. Action Levels for VOCs and associated contingency plans for the work zone are discussed within Section 9 of this HASP.

Exposure to organic vapors will be evaluated and/or controlled by:

- Monitoring air concentrations for organic vapors in the breathing zone with a photoionization detector (PID) or a flame ionization detector (FID).
- When possible, engineering control measures will be utilized to suppress the volatile organic vapors. Engineering methods can include utilizing a fan to promote air circulation, utilizing volatile suppressant foam, providing artificial ground cover, or covering up the impacted material with a tarp to mitigate volatile odors.

- When volatile suppression engineering controls are not effective and organic vapor meters indicate concentrations above the action levels, then appropriate respiratory protection (i.e., air purifying respirator with organic vapor cartridge) will be employed.

### ***Evaluation of Skin Contact and Absorption***

Skin contact by contaminants may be controlled by use of proper hygiene practices, PPE, and good housekeeping procedures. The proper PPE (e.g., Tyvek<sup>®</sup>, gloves, safety glasses) as described in Section 5 will be worn for activities where contact with potential contaminated media or materials are expected.

SDSs for decontamination chemicals and laboratory reagents that may be used on Site are included in Appendix B. Specific chemical hazards information from the occupational health sources are summarized in Table 4.



**Table 4. Primary Constituents of Concern Data**

| Constituent                              | Exposure Limit(s)  | Route of Exposure                                       | Primary Hazard/<br>Symptoms of Exposure  |
|--|--|---|--|
| Arsenic                                  | 0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>A.L. 0.005mg/m <sup>3</sup>                                | Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion,<br>skin contact | Ulceration of nasal septum, dermatitis, GI disturbances, peripheral neuropathy, respiratory irritation, hyperpigmentation of skin, potential carcinogen  |
| Benzene                                  | 1 ppm TWA<br>5 ppm STEL  | Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion<br>skin contact  | Irritation of eyes, skin, nose, respiratory system, giddiness, headache, nausea; staggering gait, fatigue, anorexia, weakness, dermatitis, bone marrow depression, potential carcinogen  |
| Carbon Disulfide                         | <u>OSHA PEL</u> : 20 ppm<br><u>NIOSH REL TWA</u> : 1 ppm                             | Inhalation<br>Ingestion<br>Skin Contact                 | Toxic, irritates eyes, mucous membranes, and skin;<br>dizziness, poor sleep, headache, anxiety, anorexia, weight loss, and vision changes  |
| Chromium<br>(Chromic Acid and Chromates) | <u>ACGIH TLV</u> : 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br><u>OSHA PEL</u> : 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | Inhalation<br>Ingestion<br>Skin Contact                 | Irritates respiratory system, nasal, septum perforation, liver and kidney damage, leucocytosis (increased blood leucocytes), leukopenis (reduced blood leucocytes), monocytosis (increased monocytes), Eosinophilia, eye injury, conjunctivitis, skin ulcer, sensitivity dermatitis, potential carcinogen  |
| Coal tar pitch volatiles                 | TWA 0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  | Inhalation, skin and/or eye contact                     | Dermatitis, bronchitis, [potential occupational carcinogen]  |
| Copper (as a dust)                       | TWA 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  | Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye<br>contact       | Irritation eyes, nose, pharynx; nasal septum perforation; metallic taste; dermatitis; In Animals: lung, liver, kidney damage; anemia   |
| Ethylbenzene                             | 100 ppm  | Inhalation, ingestion,<br>skin contact                  | Eye, skin, mucous membrane irritation; headache; dermatitis, narcosis; coma  |
| Hydrogen cyanide                         | 10 ppm (11 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ) [skin]  | Inhalation, ingestion,<br>absorption, skin/eye contact  | Asphyxia; weakness, headache, confusion; nausea, vomiting; increased rate and depth of respiration or respiration slow and gasping; thyroid, blood changes   |
| Hydrogen sulfide (H <sub>2</sub> S)      | 20 ppm C<br>50 ppm [10-min. Maximum<br>peak]   | Inhalation, skin/eye contact                            | Irritation eyes, respiratory system; apnea, coma, convulsions; conjunctivitis, eye pain, lacrimation (discharge of tears), photophobia (abnormal visual intolerance to light), corneal vesiculation; dizziness, headache, fatigue, irritability, insomnia; gastrointestinal disturbance; liquid: frostbite |
| Lead                                     | 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>A.L. 0.03 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                                | Inhalation, ingestion,<br>skin contact                  | Weakness, insomnia; facial pallor; pal eye, anorexia, weight loss, malnutrition; constipation, abdominal pain, colic; anemia; gingival lead line; tremor; paralysis of wrist and ankles; irritates eyes, hypo tension  |



| Constituent              | Exposure Limit(s)   | Route of Exposure  | Primary Hazard/<br>Symptoms of Exposure   |
|--------------------------|---|--|---|
| Mercury                  | 0.10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  | Inhalation, ingestion,<br>skin contact, skin absorption            | Irritates eyes and skin, chest pain, cough, difficulty breathing, bronchitis, pneumonitis, tremor, insomnia, irritability, indecision, headache, fatigue, weakness, stomatitis, salivation, Gastrointestinal disturbance, weight loss, proteinuria                      |
| Naphthalene              | 10 ppm (50 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ) TWA  | inhalation, skin absorption,<br>ingestion, skin and/or eye contact | Irritation eyes; headache, confusion, excitement, malaise (vague feeling of discomfort); nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain; irritation bladder; profuse sweating; jaundice; hematuria (blood in the urine), renal shutdown; dermatitis, optical neuritis, corneal damage |
| Nickel                   | TWA 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> [*Note: The PEL does not apply to Nickel carbonyl.] | Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact                     | Sensitization dermatitis, allergic asthma, pneumonitis; [potential occupational carcinogen]   |
| Toluene                  | 200 ppm   | Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion,<br>skin contact            | Eye, nose irritation; fatigue, weakness, confusion, euphoria, dizziness, headache; dilated pupils, tearing of eyes; nervousness, muscle fatigue, insomnia, tingling in limbs; dermatitis  |
| 1,2,4-Trimethyl-benzene  | None  | Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact                     | Irritation eyes, skin, nose, throat, respiratory system; bronchitis; hypochromic anemia; headache, drowsiness, lassitude (weakness, exhaustion), dizziness, nausea, incoordination; vomiting, confusion; chemical pneumonitis (aspiration liquid)                       |
| 1,3,5 – Trimethylbenzene | NA  | inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact                     | Irritation eyes, skin, nose, throat, respiratory system; bronchitis; hypochromic anemia; headache, drowsiness, lassitude (weakness, exhaustion), dizziness, nausea, incoordination; vomiting, confusion; chemical pneumonitis (aspiration liquid)                       |
| Xylene                   | 100 ppm   | Inhalation, skin absorption,<br>ingestion, skin contact            | Eye, skin, nose, throat irritation; dizziness, excitement, drowsiness; incoordination, staggering gait; corneal damage; appetite loss, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain; dermatitis   |

**Notes:**

A.L. - Action Level

C - ceiling limit, not to be exceeded

Ca – carcinogen

f/cc - fibers per cubic centimeter

mg/m<sup>3</sup> - micrograms per cubic meter

mppcf - millions of particulates per cubic foot of air

ppm - parts per million

STEL - Short-term exposure limit (15 minutes)

TWA - Time-weighted average (8 hours)

#### **4.4.2 Chemicals Brought on Site**

Potential hazards associated with chemicals brought on site (e.g., decontamination chemicals, sample preservatives, fuels, calibration fluids) for the work will be mitigated through training, administrative controls (e.g., proper labeling and storage), and proper use of PPE. Safety data sheets (SDSs) for all chemicals brought on site shall be maintained by the SSM and are included in Appendix C.

## 5. Personal Protective Equipment

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The PPE required to be worn on the project site is listed in the table below. Additional PPE required for the tasks to be performed is listed on the JHAs in Appendix B.

| Site Required PPE (check all that apply)                            |  |  |
|---|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hard Hat                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Respirator                | <input type="checkbox"/> Tyvek clothing/boots          |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Safety Glasses                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Flame Resistant Clothing  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hearing Protection |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Safety Boots                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Flotation Device | <input type="checkbox"/> Long Sleeve Shirt             |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gloves (nitrile, cut resistant) | <input type="checkbox"/> Snake Chaps               | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Dust Mask   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> High Visibility Safety Vest     | <input type="checkbox"/> EH-Rated Boots            | <input type="checkbox"/> Other:                        |

If site conditions suggest the existence of a situation more hazardous than anticipated, the site personnel will evacuate the area to a safe distance. The hazard, the level of precautions, and the PPE will then be reevaluated with the assistance and approval of the Safety Director and the PM. If conditions indicating the need for Level A or Level B PPE are encountered, personnel will leave the site and notify the PM or a member of the Safety Team. GEI’s PPE Program can be found on the Safety Resources page of GEI Connections.

### 5.1 Respiratory PPE

GEI personnel who have the potential to don a respirator must have a valid fit test certification and medical clearance. Both the respirator and cartridges specified for use in Level C protection must be fit-tested prior to use in accordance with OSHA regulations (29 CFR 1910.134). Air purifying respirators cannot be worn under the following conditions:

- Oxygen deficiency (less than 20.7%).
- Imminent Danger to Life and Health (IDLH) concentrations.
- If contaminant levels exceed designated use concentrations.

Upgrades to respiratory protection may be required based on the designated Action Levels found in Section 9.

## 6. Responsibilities and Lines of Authority

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### 6.1 GEI Personnel Responsibilities

The implementation of health and safety at this project location will be the shared responsibility of the Safety Director, Regional Safety Director, PM, the Site Safety Manager (SSM), and each GEI personnel implementing the proposed scope of work.

#### 6.1.1 *GEI Safety Director*

The Safety Director is responsible for the overall management of GEI's safety programs, policies, and procedures. Modifications to this HASP which may result in the reduction in the identification, evaluation, and control of safety and health hazards cannot be undertaken by the project team without the approval of the Safety Director.

#### 6.1.2 *GEI Project Manager*

The PM is responsible for confirming that the requirements of this HASP are implemented. The PM's specific responsibilities include:

- Conducting and documenting the Project Safety Briefing.
- Verifying that the GEI staff and subcontractors selected to work on this program are sufficiently trained for site activities and have reviewed this HASP.
- Maintaining regular communications with the SSM and, if necessary, the Safety Director.

#### 6.1.3 *GEI Regional Safety Manager*

The RSM is responsible for supporting the safety needs and requirements specified in this HASP. The RSM's specific responsibilities include:

- Reviewing and approving the HASP and applicable JHAs.
- Working with the PM and SSM to meet client safety requirements.
- Providing approval for fall protection plans and confined space entries (permit numbers), as applicable.
- Providing safety support regarding safety programs and procedures as applicable to the project.

### **6.1.4 GEI Site Safety Manager**

The SSM is responsible for implementing and enforcing the safety requirements specified in this HASP and will be on-site during activities covered in the HASP. The SSM's specific responsibilities include:

- Enforcing the requirements of this HASP and notify the PM of noncompliance.
- Conduct daily Safety Tailgate meetings for site-related work.
- Maintaining a high level of health and safety consciousness among employees implementing the proposed activities.
- Procuring the air monitoring instrumentation, PPE, and safety equipment needed for GEI project employees and verifying that each is in good working order.
- Verifying that GEI subcontractors are utilizing the correct PPE and safety equipment.

### **6.1.5 All GEI Field Personnel**

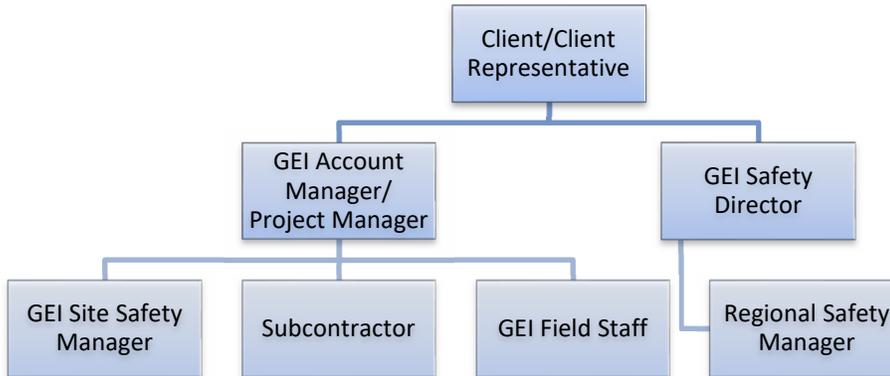
All GEI field personnel (including the PM and SSM) covered by this HASP are responsible for following the health and safety procedures in this HASP and for performing their work in a safe and responsible manner. The specific responsibilities that apply to all field personnel include:

- Reading and signing the HASP prior to the start of on-site work.
- Bringing forth any questions or concerns regarding the content of the HASP to the PM or the SSM.
- Attending and actively participating in the required Project Safety Briefing prior to beginning on-site work and any subsequent safety meetings.
- Complying with the requirements of this HASP and the requests of the SSM.
- Stopping work in the event that an immediate danger situation is perceived.
- Reporting accidents, injuries, and illnesses, regardless of their severity by following GEI's incident reporting procedures.

## **6.2 Lines of Authority**

GEI will have responsibility for safety of its employees during the work performed at the site. GEI's SSM will have a cell phone available to contact the appropriate local authorities, in the event of an emergency. GEI's SSM will be available for communication with the GEI PM and with the Client's representative.

## Project Lines of Authority



### 6.2.1 Stop Work Authority

**GEI employees have the authority to stop work activities if an unanticipated hazard is encountered or a potential unsafe condition is observed. The GEI employee should contact the Safety Director and the Project Manager to discuss the stop work conditions and potential control methods that can be implemented.**

### 6.3 Subcontractors

GEI has subcontracted the following firms to assist in performing work on this project:

| Subcontractor Information                         |           |
|---|-----------|
| Company Name/Address: TBD (if needed)             |           |
| Contact Name: TBD                                 | Cell: TBD |
| Scope of Work: Impacted soil disposal (if needed) |           |

GEI requires its subcontractors to work in a responsible and safe manner. Subcontractors hired by GEI are required to submit documentation of their safety practices as part of GEI’s Subcontractor Safety Prequalification for evaluation and approval before the start of work. Subcontractors for this project will be required to develop their own HASP for protection of their employees, but, at a minimum, must adhere to applicable requirements set forth in this HASP. The PM will obtain applicable safety certifications and training records from the subcontractor’s site supervisor prior to the initiation of work.

## 7. Training Requirements

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Prior to commencement of field activities, the PM or their designee will verify GEI field personnel assigned to the project will have completed training that will specifically address the activities, procedures, monitoring, and equipment used in the site operations. This training will be documented on the applicable JHAs (Appendix B). Personnel that have not received project-specific training will not be allowed on site.

| <b>Applicable Site-Specific Training Requirements</b> <i>(check all that apply)</i> |   |                                 |
|---|---|---------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HAZWOPER (8Hr Refresher)                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Railroad Specific Training                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> HAZWOPER (Site Supervisor)                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation Worker Identification Credential (TWIC) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First Aid/CPR                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> MSHA (Mine Safety and Health Administration)           | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |

### 7.1 On-Site Safety Briefings

GEI personnel will be given health and safety briefings daily (or as frequently as needed) by the SSM or their designee to plan for conducting work activities safely. The briefing will include GEI subcontractors and others as appropriate. The briefings can include information on:

- Applicable JHAs
- Changes in work practices
- Changes in environmental conditions
- Anticipated weather
- Evacuation/emergency procedures
- Air monitoring results
- Safety inspection results

Documentation of these briefings will be recorded in the GEI field book or the Tailgate Safety Briefing Form (Appendix D). For long-term projects, the Tailgate Safety Briefing Form is preferred.

## 8. Medical Surveillance Program

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GEI maintains a medical surveillance program under the supervision of the Safety Director that includes a plan designed specifically for field personnel engaged in work at sites where hazardous materials may be present. Field personnel undergo an initial physical examination, including a detailed medical and occupational history before they are able to engage in work at hazardous waste sites. Upon successful completion of the examination, personnel are provided a medical clearance from an occupational health physician stating their fitness to perform the specified work activities. Employees who are part of this program will schedule and attend annual exams 12 months from the date of their previous exam.

If a GEI employee or other project worker shows symptoms of exposure to a hazardous substance and wishes to be seen by a doctor, GEI will consult with their third-party medical administrator and provide access to the nearest area hospital or medical facility.

GEI subcontractor personnel that will enter any hazardous waste sites must certify that they are participating in a medical surveillance program that complies with OSHA regulations for hazardous waste operations (i.e., 29 CFR 1910.120 and 29 CFR 1926.65). A copy of their medical clearance will be submitted to the GEI PM or SSM prior to the start of field activities.

## 9. Personal/Work Zone Air Monitoring

| Personal/Work Zone Air Monitoring Required? |                              |
|---|------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes     | <input type="checkbox"/> No* |

Air monitoring, in the form of personal or work zone monitoring, will be performed to identify and quantify airborne levels of hazardous substances and atmospheric hazards to determine the appropriate level of worker protection needed on-site.

Work on this project requiring air monitoring includes:

| Personal/Work Zone Air Monitoring Tasks <i>(check all that apply)</i> |   |                                 |
|---|---|---------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excavation                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Confined Space Entry | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Soil Sampling                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Indoor Drilling      | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GW Monitoring Well Headspace                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Product Sampling     | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |

The following air monitoring equipment will be on site:

| Personal/Work Zone Air Monitoring Equipment <i>(check all that apply)</i>  |  |
|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PID with 10.6 eV lamp or equivalent  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Particulate Meter (PM-10 capable)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drager Chip Measurement System (CMS) with appropriate gas detection chips                                     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Multi-gas meter: lower explosive limit (LEL) / oxygen (O <sub>2</sub> ) / hydrogen sulfide (H <sub>2</sub> S) / hydrogen cyanide (HCN) or carbon monoxide (CO) meter |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sensidyne Gas Detection Pump with appropriate gas detector tubes (or equivalent colorimetric tube) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other:  |

GEI will conduct and document on-site work zone monitoring and will inform GEI employees of the results. ***If Action Levels are exceeded, immediately implement site action(s) according to Action Table below and notify the PM.***

### 9.1 Calibration

Air monitoring equipment will be calibrated and maintained in accordance with manufacturer's requirements. Calibrations will be recorded in the project notes daily or on a daily calibration form.

### 9.2 Action Levels

The tables below provide a summary of real time air monitoring Action Levels and contingency plans for work zone activities. The below Action Levels are determined by halving the Permissible Exposure Limits (PELs) or Threshold Limit Values (TLVs) as set

forth by OSHA and the American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH).

### 9.2.1 VOC Monitoring and Control

Air monitoring reduces the risk of overexposure by indicating when action levels have been exceeded and when PPE must be upgraded or changed. Based on the volatile organic compounds (VOCs) listed in Table 4, determine which constituent has the lowest permissible exposure limit (PEL). This data is used to determine the action levels needed including respiratory protection at the project site. GEI’s action level is half of the PEL listed in Table 4 (exception is made for benzene).

Exposure to organic COC can be evaluated and/or controlled by:

- Monitoring worker breathing zone atmospheric concentrations for organic COC in the breathing zone with a photoionization detector (PID).
- When possible, engineering control measures will be utilized to suppress the volatile organic vapors. Engineering methods can include utilizing a fan to promote air circulation, utilizing volatile suppressant foam, providing artificial ground cover, or covering up the impacted material with a tarp to mitigate volatile odors.
- When volatile suppression engineering controls are not effective and organic vapor meters indicate concentrations above the action levels, then appropriate respiratory protection (i.e., air purifying respirator with organic vapor cartridge) will be employed.

| Air Monitoring Instrument   | Action Level (above background) | Site Action  |
|---|---------------------------------|--|
| Action Levels for the following parameters are 15-minute time weighted averages (TWA), not a single exceedance. |                                 |  |
| PID (Monitoring for VOCs)   | 0.0 – 50 ppm                    | No respiratory protection is required if VOCs are not present. (If benzene or naphthalene are constituents of interest at this site, follow the action levels below for benzene and/or naphthalene.) |
|   | > 50 ppm                        | Stop work, withdrawal from work area, institute engineering controls, if levels persist, upgrade to Level C. Notify PM and Safety Team.  |

### 9.2.2 Dust Monitoring and Control

Some COC hazards may become hazardous when they are associated with dust/particles and become airborne. For worker safety, dust levels must be managed to eliminate this hazard. Dust generated during activities can cause irritation to the respiratory system and eyes. Contaminants can also be carried in airborne dust causing potential exposure to workers

through skin contact and inhalation. Constituent concentrations on site are expected to be low therefore the exposure hazard through inhalation should be minimal; however, contaminant contact through skin and clothing can introduce additional exposures.

For dust generated during site activities which exceed site-specific limits, engineering controls such as water application will be used to control dust concentrations. However, if excessive dust concentrations cannot to be handled through engineering controls, then respirators will be required to be worn.

| Air Monitoring Instrument   | Action Level (above background) | Site Action  |
|---|---------------------------------|--|
| Action Levels for the following parameters are 15-minute time weighted averages (TWA), not a single exceedance. |                                 |  |
| Particulate Meter   | 150 µg/m <sup>3</sup>           | Implement work practices to reduce/minimize airborne dust generation, e.g., spray/misting of soil with water. Don respirator with particulate filters if action levels remain in exceedance. |

### 9.2.3 H<sub>2</sub>S, CO, and Explosive Atmosphere Monitoring and Control

The SSM monitor operational areas for hydrogen sulfide (H<sub>2</sub>S) and/or carbon monoxide (CO) prior to the start of work each day. Periodic readings will be taken throughout the day and prior to any confined space entry. Oxygen (O<sub>2</sub>) values are based on the maximum use limits of a full-face respirator if a chemical was displacing oxygen. Results will be compared to the published exposure limits/action levels listed below.

| Air Monitoring Instrument   | Action Level (above background) | Site Action  |
|---|---------------------------------|--|
| Action Levels for the following parameters are real time and should not be exceeded at any point. |                                 |  |
| O <sub>2</sub> Meter  | < 20.7%                         | Stop work, withdraw from work area, ventilate area, notify PM and Safety Team.   |
|   | > 21.1%                         | Stop work, withdraw from work area, notify PM and Safety Team.   |
| H <sub>2</sub> S Meter  | < 5.0 ppm                       | No respiratory protection is required.   |
|   | > 5.0 ppm                       | Stop work, cover excavation, withdraw from work area, institute engineering controls, notify PM and Safety Team.   |
| HCN Meter   | < 1.0 ppm                       | Run colorimetric tube or CMS Drager chip. Continue monitoring with real-time meter and continue work if colorimetric tube or CMS Drager chip reading is less than 2.0 ppm. |

| Air Monitoring Instrument | Action Level (above background)        | Site Action   |
|---------------------------|--|---|
|                           | > 1.0 ppm HCN Concentrations < 2.0 ppm | Run colorimetric tube or CMS Drager chip and confirm concentration is less than 2.0 ppm, notify PM and Safety Team. Run colorimetric tube or CMS Drager chip for sulfur dioxide, hydrogen sulfide, and/or phosphine chip potential interferences. Continue to monitor with real-time meter.   |
|                           | > 2.0 ppm                              | Stop work and move (with continuous HCN monitoring meter) at least 25 ppm upwind of the excavation until continuous meter reads less than 1 ppm, notify PM and Safety Team. Run colorimetric tube or CMS Drager hydrogen cyanide chip and re-evaluate activity, continue monitoring with a real-time meter, resume work if concentrations read less than 1.0 ppm. |

## 10. Site Control

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### 10.1 Site Zones

Site zones are intended to control the potential spread of contamination and to assure that only authorized individuals are permitted into potentially hazardous areas. This project is being conducted under the requirements of 29 CFR 1910.120, and any personnel working in an area where the potential for exposure to site contaminants exists, will only be allowed access after proper training and medical documentation.

### 10.2 Buddy System

GEI personnel should be in line-of-site or communication contact with another on-site person. The other on-site person should be aware of his or her role as a “buddy” and be able to help in the event of an emergency. Some projects may not support the need for the buddy system to be implemented. If this is the case, the PM is required to conduct regular check-ins with the employee on site.

### 10.3 Sanitation for Temporary Work Sites

Sanitation requirements identified in the OSHA Standard 29 CFR 1926.51 “Sanitation” specifies that employees working at temporary project sites have at least one sanitary facility available to them. Sanitary facilities are available within the building.

### 10.4 Illumination

Illumination requirements identified by OSHA are directed to work efforts inside buildings and/or during non-daylight hours. Activities planned for the site are anticipated to occur outside during daylight hours. However, if work areas do not meet illumination requirements, they will be equipped with appropriate illumination that meets or exceeds requirements specified in OSHA Standard 29 CFR 1926.56. Employees will not work on sites that are not properly lighted.

### 10.5 Smoking

Smoking is prohibited at or in the vicinity of hazardous operations or materials. Where smoking is permitted, safe receptacles will be provided for smoking materials.

## 10.6 Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention

Alcohol and drugs will not be allowed on the site. Project personnel under the influence of alcohol or drugs will not be allowed to enter the site. All GEI employees must comply with GEI's Controlled Substance Use & Alcohol Misuse Policy found on the Safety Resources page of GEI Connections. Employees may be subject to random drug and/or alcohol testing if required by a client at a project site.

## 11. Incident Reporting

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GEI will report incidents involving GEI personnel or subcontractor personnel, such as: lost time injuries, injuries requiring medical attention, near miss incidents, fires, fatalities, accidents involving the public, chemical spills, vehicle accidents, and property damage. The following steps must be followed when an incident occurs:

1. For incidents involving life-threatening situations or serious injury that require emergency response personnel (Police, Fire, EMS), call 9-1-1 from a safe area.
2. **Stop work** activity to address any injury, illness, property damage, spill, or other emergency.
3. Call Medcor Triage at 1-800-775-5866 to speak with a medical professional following any injury or illness.
4. Notify your Supervisor/Project Manager of the incident or injury.
5. Complete an incident report using the GEI Incident Report Form located on the GEI Safety Smartphone App, GEI Connections intranet page, or in the project HASP.
6. Resume work activity if all steps above have been completed and it is safe to do so.

For vehicle accidents involving another vehicle or damage to property, the employee will take pictures of each vehicle or property involved in the incident and obtain a police report. In some municipalities police will not be dispatched to a non-injury accident, but every effort needs to be made to try and obtain the report.

The Incident Report Form and the Near Miss Reporting Form can be found in Appendix D, on the GEI Health and Safety smartphone app, or on the Safety Resources page of GEI Connections. To report subcontractor injuries or incidents, follow the same verbal reporting procedures and submit an email describing the event to the PM and the Safety Team.

### 11.1 Injury Triage Service

If a GEI employee experiences a work-related injury that is not life-threatening, the employee will initiate a call to Medcor Triage at 1-800-775-5866. The injured employee will detail any medical symptoms or complaints which will be evaluated by a Registered Nurse (RN) specially trained to perform telephonic triage. The RN will recommend first aid self-treatment or refer the injured employee for an off-site medical evaluation by a health professional at a clinic within GEI's workers compensation provider network. GEI employees are still required to follow our Accident Reporting procedures as listed above.

## 12. Decontamination Procedures

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Site decontamination procedures are designed to achieve an orderly, controlled removal or neutralization of contaminants that may come in contact with personnel or equipment. These procedures minimize contact with contaminants and protect against the transfer of contaminants to clean areas. They also extend the useful life of PPE by reducing the amount of time that contaminants contact and can permeate PPE surfaces. This project is being conducted under the requirements of 29 CFR 1910.120(k), and any personnel or equipment that are exposed to site contaminants will follow applicable decontamination procedures.

### 12.1 Personnel and PPE Decontamination

Contaminated PPE (gloves, suits, etc.) will be decontaminated and stored for reuse or placed in plastic bags (or other appropriate containers) and disposed of in an approved facility. Decontamination wastewater and used cleaning fluids will be collected and disposed of in accordance with applicable state and federal regulations.

### 12.2 Equipment Decontamination

All tools, equipment, and machinery that have come into contact with contaminated media, will be decontaminated on site prior to departure. Equipment decontamination procedures are designed to minimize the potential for hazardous skin or inhalation exposure and to avoid cross-contamination and chemical incompatibilities.

## 13. Emergency Response

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### 13.1 Evacuation

Prior to the start of work, emergency procedures must be identified and communicated to workers on site. This includes evacuation routes, safe areas, and/or muster points (Figure 1). Upon discovering an emergency situation, personnel will notify the SSM, who will initiate an appropriate response. Once the scene is safe, use the incident report procedures to report the evacuation to the PM and Safety Team.

### 13.2 Fire

In the event of a fire personnel will evacuate the area to the muster point located on Figure 1. GEI's SSM will contact the local fire department and report the fire. The SSM will account for GEI personnel and subcontractor personnel and report their status to the PM. Incident reporting procedures will be followed once the scene is safe.

### 13.3 Spills or Material Release

If a hazardous waste spill or material release occurs, if safe, the SSM or their representative will immediately assess the magnitude and potential seriousness of the spill or release based on the following:

- SDS for the material spilled or released.
- Source of the release or spillage of hazardous material.
- An estimate of the quantity released and the rate at which it is being released.
- The direction in which the spill or air release is moving.
- Personnel who may be or may have been in contact with the material, or air release, and possible injury or sickness as a result.
- Potential for fire and/or explosion resulting from the situation; and
- Estimates of area under influence of release.

If the spill or release is determined to be within the on-site emergency response capabilities, the SSM will verify implementation of the necessary remedial action. If the release is beyond the capabilities of the site personnel, personnel will be evacuated from the immediate area and the fire department will be contacted. The SSM will notify the PM and follow the incident reporting procedures.

## 13.4 Medical Support

In case of minor injuries, on-site care will be administered with the site first aid kit. A GEI employee certified by the American Red Cross or other American Health & Safety Institute (ASHI) will be on-site at all times. For serious injuries, call 911 and request emergency medical assistance. Seriously injured persons should not be moved unless they are in immediate danger. Notify the PM of the emergency and follow incident reporting procedures.

In the event of an emergency, prompt communications with local emergency responders are essential. At least one charged and functioning cell phone to enable emergency communications will be on site. Confirmation of cellular phone operation will be confirmed at the start of each working day.

Table 1 of this HASP contains detailed emergency information, including directions to the nearest hospital, and a list of emergency services and their telephone numbers. In addition, Appendix A includes a map to the local hospital/emergency room and Figure 1 indicates the evacuation route (including muster point).

## 13.5 Severe Weather

The contingency plan for severe weather includes reviewing the expected weather to determine if severe weather is in the forecast. Severe weather includes high winds over 40 miles per hour (mph), heavy rains or snow squalls, thunderstorms, tornados, and lightning storms. If severe weather is approaching, the decision to evacuate GEI personnel and subcontractor personnel from the site will be the responsibility of GEI's SSM. Notification of evacuation will be made to the PM. The SSM will account for GEI personnel and subcontractor personnel and report their status to the PM. If safe, work can resume 30 minutes after the last clap of thunder or flash of lightning.

## 13.6 Hazard Communication Plan

GEI personnel have received hazard communication (HAZCOM) training as part of their annual safety training and new employee safety orientation training. Hazardous materials brought on site will be properly labeled, stored, and handled. SDSs for each chemical will be included in this HASP in Appendix C. GEI's HAZCOM program can be found on the Safety Resources page of GEI Connections (Appendix E).



# Figure

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**Figure 1. Site Location and Muster Point**

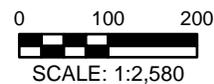


**LEGEND**

 Muster Point

 Site Boundary

**SOURCE:**  
1. ESRI WORLD IMAGERY



Health and Safety Plan  
400 Food Center Drive (BCP Site No. C203101)  
Bronx, New York

New York City Economic Development Corporation (NYCEDC)  
New York, New York



Project 2303627

SITE LOCATION AND  
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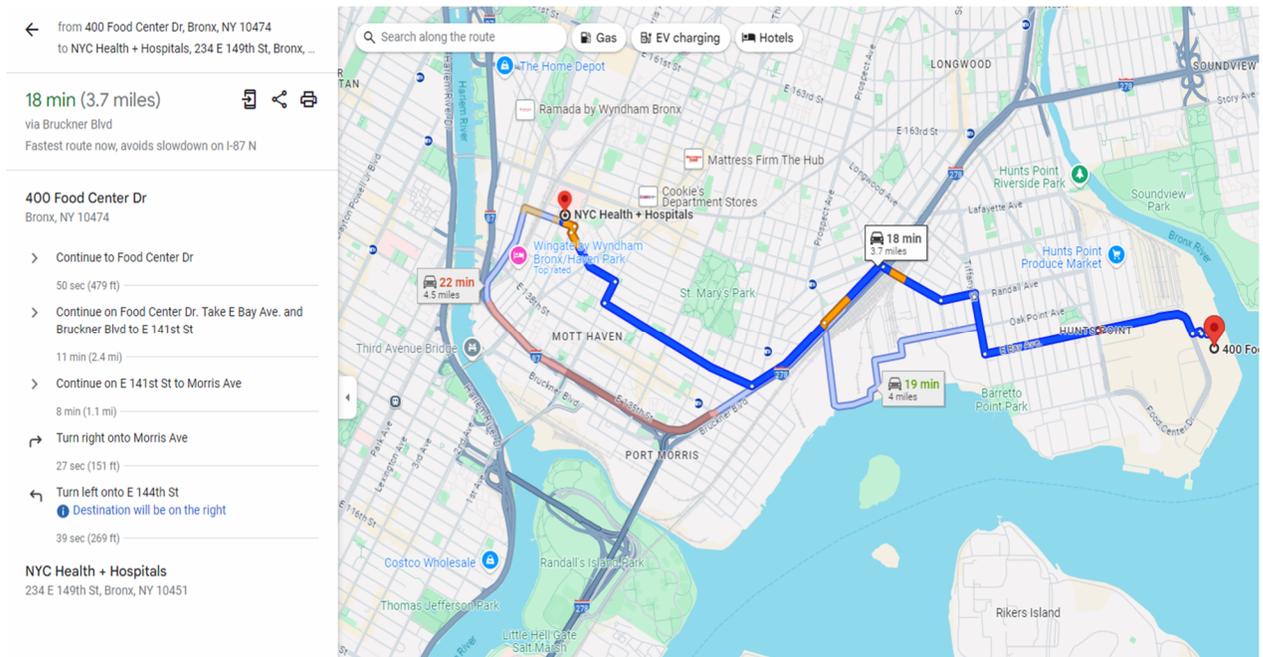
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Fig. 1

# Appendix A

## Hospital Directions

| Hospital Information   |                |
|--|----------------|
| <b>Lincoln Medical Center:</b><br>234 E. 149 <sup>th</sup> Street<br>Bronx, NY 10451 | (718) 579-5000 |



Scan this QR code or click the link for access to [Google Maps](#) to type in the address of your local hospital.

# Appendix B

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## Job Hazard Analyses

# Job Hazard Analysis

| <b>Task</b>                                | <b>Soil Sampling – Excavation/Stockpile</b>  |  |   |
|--|--|--|---|
| <b>Project Name/Number</b>                 | 400 Food Center Drive (Krasdale Foods)   | <b>Client Name</b>   | New York City Economic Development Corporation (NYCEDC)   |
| <b>GEI Project Manager</b>                 | Kevin McCarty  | <b>PM Review Date</b>  | 9/12/2024   |
| <b>Tools/Equipment Used</b>                | Trowel, sample jars, decon equipment   |  |   |
| <b>Task Specific Training</b>              | GEI Annual Safety Training (HAZWOPER), First Aid/CPR   |  |   |
| <b>Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)</b> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hard Hat <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Safety Glasses <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Safety-Toed Boots <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reflective Vest <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing Protection <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Flotation Device (PFD)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Face Shield <input type="checkbox"/> Chaps <input type="checkbox"/> Tyvek clothing/boots <input type="checkbox"/> Flame Resistant Clothing<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gloves <input type="text" value="Nitrile"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Respirator <input type="text"/><br><input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="text"/> |  |   |
| <b>JHA Prepared By: Savanna Marino</b>     |  | <b>Date: 8/29/2024</b>   | <b>Approved by: Stacey Ng</b>   |
|  |  |  | <b>Date: 9/12/2024</b>  |
| Task Steps                                 | Potential Hazards  | GEI SOP or Program   | Hazard Controls <sup>1</sup>  |
| 1. Mobilize on site                        | Heavy lifting, strains/sprains, slip/trips/falls, pinch points, struck by, crushing hazards  | Working Around Heavy Equipment HS-018<br>Manual Lifting HS-025<br>Hazard Identification HS-026<br>GEI Ergonomic Program<br>GEI Personal Protective Equipment Program | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Don appropriate PPE that properly fits, is in good condition, and is suitable for the activities and hazards.</li> <li>• Check in with appropriate heavy equipment operator personnel as applicable.</li> <li>• Maintain good visibility of the work area.</li> <li>• Avoid walking on uneven, steeply sloped, or debris ridden ground surfaces.</li> <li>• Plan tasks prior to performing them including an activity hazard analysis.</li> <li>• Keep trafficked areas free from slip/trip/fall hazards.</li> <li>• Avoid traversing steep areas in slippery conditions.</li> <li>• Do not carry heavy objects to work areas, on steeply sloped areas, or where steep areas must be traversed to reach work areas.</li> <li>• Use the buddy system when necessary.</li> </ul> |

<sup>1</sup> Use the hierarchy of controls to determine applicable hazard controls for the task in order of most effective to least effective: Elimination (physically remove the hazard), Substitution (replace the hazard), Engineering Controls (Isolate the team from the hazard), Administrative Controls (change the way people work), PPE (personal protective equipment).

| Task Steps   | Potential Hazards   | GEI SOP or Program   | Hazard Controls <sup>1</sup>   |
|--|---|--|--|
| 2. Utility survey  | Shock, Explosion, Fire  | Utility Mark Out HS-014  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Confirm that all utilities have been properly marked prior to beginning work.</li> <li>• If a utility strike occurs, call the appropriate authorities immediately. Clear the area and do not delay.</li> </ul>  |
| 3. Conduct project activities around/near heavy equipment operations | Slip/trips/falls, pinch points, struck by, crushing hazards, unstable or non-secured load, noise exposure | Noise Exposure HS-012<br>Traffic Hazards HS-016<br>Working Around Heavy Equipment HS-018<br>Hazard Identification HS-026<br>GEI Ergonomic Program<br>GEI Personal Protective Equipment Program | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identify yourself and your work location to heavy equipment operators so they may incorporate you into their operations.</li> <li>• Coordinate hand signals with operators and field staff.</li> <li>• Approach heavy equipment from the front so operator can see you.</li> <li>• Stay alert! Pay attention to equipment backup alarms and swing radii.</li> <li>• Wear high visibility safety reflective vest when working near equipment and/or motor vehicle traffic.</li> <li>• Position yourself in a safe location when filling out logs or talking with contractor or other field staff.</li> <li>• Notify the contractor immediately if any problems arise.</li> <li>• Do not stand or sit under suspended loads or near any pressurized equipment lines.</li> <li>• Do not sit and stand near heavy equipment that is when materials are being unloaded, loaded, etc.</li> <li>• If a task requires inspection of materials, this should be done after they are securely stored.</li> <li>• Do not operate cellular telephones in the vicinity of heavy equipment operation.</li> </ul> |
| 4. Soil Sampling – Trowel (or similar)                               | Contaminant Exposure, Cuts/Scrapes, Repetition, Slips/Trips/Falls   | Hazard Identification HS-026/Container Management HS-003   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GEI Employees will not enter a trench that does not comply with the OSHA standard, 29 CFR 1926.650.</li> <li>• GEI may enter trenches or excavations less than 5 feet deep which has been inspected and deemed safe by a competent person.</li> <li>• Atmosphere in the trench shall be tested before employees enter excavations greater than 4 feet in depth.</li> <li>• Heavy equipment and spoils should be kept at least 2 feet away from trench edges.</li> <li>• Inspect equipment or tools prior to use. Tag and remove from service if tool is damaged.</li> <li>• Soil samples are to be collected from stockpiled, excavated materials.</li> <li>• Dispose of gloves after use and wash hands.</li> </ul>  |

| Task Steps                   | Potential Hazards   | GEI SOP or Program                                | Hazard Controls <sup>1</sup>   |
|------------------------------|---|---|--|
|                              |   |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wear work gloves over nitrile gloves.</li> <li>Take regular breaks and do not work in unusual positions for long periods of time.</li> <li>Keep trafficked areas free from slip/trip/fall hazards.</li> </ul>   |
| 5. Pack Soil Samples         | Heavy lifting, cuts, or abrasions                         | Manual Lifting HS-025<br>Ergonomic Program        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Confirm that the lids on all bottles are tight (will not leak).</li> <li>Place cushioning/absorbent material in the bottom of the cooler and then place the containers in the cooler with sufficient space to allow for the addition of cushioning between the containers.</li> <li>Use proper dollies or other lifting tools.</li> <li>Use proper lifting techniques.</li> <li>Take regular breaks and do not work in unusual positions for long periods of time.</li> <li>If glassware breaks, dispose of in puncture-resistant containers. Use cut resistant gloves to handle any broken glass.</li> </ul> |
| 6. Equipment Decontamination | Contaminant Contact, Cuts or Abrasions, Slips/Trips/Falls | Hazard Identification HS-026<br>Ergonomic Program | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wear nitrile gloves and glasses to provide eye protection from splashing.</li> <li>Wash hands immediately after use.</li> <li>Take regular breaks and do not work in unusual positions for long periods of time.</li> <li>Keep trafficked areas free from slip/trip/fall hazards.</li> </ul>  |
| 7. Demobilize from site      | Personal/material security, slips/trips/falls             | Hazard Identification HS-026                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Confirm all materials are secured/labeled, including drums and any equipment left on site.</li> <li>Confirm that any open trenches/pits are properly marked or barricaded.</li> <li>Clean all equipment/tools prior to leaving.</li> <li>Secure any gates/locks.</li> <li>Notify project manager (or designee) you are leaving the site.</li> </ul>   |

# Job Hazard Analysis

| <b>Task</b>                                | <b>Driving – Site Mobilization</b>  |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|
| <b>Project Name/Number</b>                 | 400 Food Center Drive (Krasdale Foods); 2303627   | <b>Client Name</b>                                   | New York City Economic Development Corporation (NYCEDC)  |
| <b>GEI Project Manager</b>                 | Kevin McCarty   | <b>PM Review Date</b>                                | 9/12/2024  |
| <b>Tools/Equipment Used</b>                | GEI fleet vehicle, rental vehicle, or personal vehicle  |  |  |
| <b>Task Specific Training</b>              | GEI Annual Safety Training (Field or HAZWOPER), First Aid/CPR   |  |  |
| <b>Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)</b> | <input type="checkbox"/> Hard Hat <input type="checkbox"/> Safety Glasses <input type="checkbox"/> Safety-Toed Boots <input type="checkbox"/> Reflective Vest <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing Protection <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Flotation Device (PFD)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Face Shield <input type="checkbox"/> Chaps <input type="checkbox"/> Tyvek clothing/boots <input type="checkbox"/> Flame Resistant Clothing<br><input type="checkbox"/> Gloves <input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Respirator <input type="text"/><br><input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="text"/> |  |  |
| <b>JHA Prepared By: Savanna Marino</b>     |   | <b>Date: 8/29/2024</b>                               | <b>Approved by: Stacey Ng</b>  |
|  |   |  | <b>Date: 9/12/2024</b>   |
| Task Steps                                 | Potential Hazards   | GEI SOP or Program                                   | Hazard Controls <sup>1</sup>   |
| 1. Inspect Vehicle                         | Slips/trips/falls   | Hazard Identification HS-026<br>Driver Safety HS-004 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Walk around vehicle to inspect for any vehicle safety issues or hazards that could be within the travel path.</li> <li>Adjust mirrors and seats prior to driving.</li> <li>Becoming familiar with dashboard, center console, and steering controls.</li> <li>Locate the turn signals, windshield wipers, lights, emergency flashers, and the heating, air conditioning, and defrost controls.</li> <li>Use a spotter if needed when backing up.</li> </ul>            |
| 2. Driving                                 | Struck by/crushing hazards  | Driver Safety SOP HS-004                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Employees must wear their safety belt while in a moving vehicle.</li> <li>Employees will follow safe driving behaviors, which include limiting distractions such as manipulating radios or other equipment that may cause a distraction. Employees will not exceed the posted speed limit and will maintain a safe distance between other vehicles.</li> <li>Use defensive driving techniques.</li> <li>Avoid driving during hazardous weather conditions.</li> </ul> |

<sup>1</sup> Use the hierarchy of controls to determine applicable hazard controls for the task in order of most effective to least effective: Elimination (physically remove the hazard), Substitution (replace the hazard), Engineering Controls (Isolate the team from the hazard), Administrative Controls (change the way people work), PPE (personal protective equipment).



| Task Steps            | Potential Hazards                      | GEI SOP or Program  | Hazard Controls <sup>1</sup>  |
|-----------------------|--|---|---|
|                       |  |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Driving distance and time after a 12-hour shift will not exceed 30 miles or 30 minutes (whichever is greater).</li> <li>• Vehicle accidents will be reported in accordance with GEI's accident reporting procedures.</li> </ul>  |
| 3. Parking Vehicle    | Struck by, crushing hazards, security  | Driver Safety SOP HS-004  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be aware of surrounding conditions. Park in designated areas or a safe area away from heavy equipment.</li> <li>• Position the vehicle in a manner which reduces or eliminates the need to operate the vehicle in reverse. Choose an easy-exit parking space, like pull-through or where no one else is parked.</li> <li>• Don't crowd neighboring vehicles; be sure to park your vehicle in the middle of your space.</li> <li>• Secure equipment and supplies in the trunk or where they cannot be seen. Or take items with you if they cannot be hidden.</li> <li>• If at night, park in well-lit areas.</li> </ul> |
| 4. Site Entry         | Slips/trips/falls, struck by, crushing | Working Around Heavy Equipment HS-018<br><br>Hazard Identification HS-026 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Don appropriate PPE prior to walking on site.</li> <li>• Identify yourself and your work location to heavy equipment operators, so they may incorporate you into their operations.</li> <li>• Stay Alert! Pay attention to equipment backup alarms and swing radii.</li> <li>• Avoid distractions like using cell phones while traversing the site.</li> </ul>   |
| 5. Backing Up Vehicle | Struck by, crushing                    | Driver Safety HS-004  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Before entering your vehicle do a walk-around. Check for fences, poles, drop-offs, buildings, etc.</li> <li>• Know your clearances. While performing your walk-around also check for obstructions, low hanging eaves and tree limbs, wires, and any other potential clearance-related obstacles.</li> <li>• Use a spotter. Do not allow the spotter to be positioned directly behind your vehicle or walk backwards behind you while giving instructions. They should be off to the driver's side where you can see them in your side mirror.</li> </ul>   |

## Job Hazard Analysis

| <b>Task</b>                                | <b>Construction Observation</b>   |                              |   |
|--|---|------------------------------|---|
| <b>Project Name/Number</b>                 | 400 Food Center Drive (Krasdale Foods); 2303627   | <b>Client Name</b>           | New York City Economic Development Corporation (NYCEDC)   |
| <b>GEI Project Manager</b>                 | Kevin McCarty   | <b>PM Review Date</b>        | 9/12/2024   |
| <b>Tools/Equipment Used</b>                | Field book, camera  |                              |   |
| <b>Task Specific Training</b>              | GEI Annual Safety Training (HAZWOPER), First Aid/CPR  |                              |   |
| <b>Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)</b> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hard Hat <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Safety Glasses <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Safety-Toed Boots <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reflective Vest <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hearing Protection <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Flotation Device (PFD)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Face Shield <input type="checkbox"/> Chaps <input type="checkbox"/> Tyvek clothing/boots <input type="checkbox"/> Flame Resistant Clothing<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gloves <input type="text" value="Nitrile"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Respirator <input type="text"/><br><input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="text"/> |                              |   |
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|  |   |                              | <b>Date: 9/12/2024</b>  |
| Task Steps                                 | Potential Hazards   | GEI SOP or Program           | Hazard Controls <sup>1</sup>  |
| 1. Mobilize on site                        | Slips/trips/falls, stuck by, crushing hazards   | Hazard Identification HS-026 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wear PPE that properly fits, is in good condition, and is appropriate for the activities and hazards.</li> <li>Maintain good visibility of the work area.</li> <li>Avoid walking on uneven, steeply sloped, or debris ridden ground surfaces.</li> <li>Plan tasks prior to performing them including an activity hazard analysis.</li> <li>Keep trafficked areas free from slip/trip/fall hazards.</li> <li>Wear shoes with traction.</li> <li>Avoid traversing steep areas in slippery conditions.</li> <li>Do not carry heavy objects to work areas, on steeply sloped areas, or where steep areas must be traversed to reach work areas.</li> </ul> |

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| Task Steps                       | Potential Hazards                             | GEI SOP or Program                    | Hazard Controls <sup>1</sup>   |
|----------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--|
| 2. Utility survey/clearance      | Shock, Explosion, Fire                        | Utility Mark-Out HS-014               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Confirm that all utilities have been properly marked prior to beginning work.</li> <li>• If a utility strike occurs, call the appropriate authorities immediately. Clear the area and do not delay.</li> <li>• Confirm adequate clearance from overhead utilities.</li> <li>• Do not stand or sit under suspended loads or near any pressurized equipment lines.</li> </ul>   |
| 3. Observe contractor activities | Struck by/crushing hazards                    | Working Around Heavy Equipment HS-018 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identify yourself and your work location to heavy equipment operators, so they may incorporate you into their operations.</li> <li>• Coordinate hand signals with operators.</li> <li>• Confirm equipment inspection has been completed.</li> <li>• Stay Alert! Pay attention to equipment backup alarms and swing radii.</li> <li>• Position yourself in a safe location.</li> <li>• Notify the contractor immediately if any problems arise.</li> <li>• Do not operate cellular telephones in the vicinity of heavy equipment operation.</li> </ul> |
| 4. Demobilize from site          | Personal/material security, slips/trips/falls | Hazard Identification HS-026          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Confirm all materials are secured/labeled, including drums and any equipment left on site.</li> <li>• Confirm that any open trenches/pits are properly marked or barricaded.</li> <li>• Clean all equipment/tools prior to leaving.</li> <li>• Secure any gates/locks.</li> <li>• Notify project manager (or designee) you are leaving the site.</li> </ul>   |

# Job Hazard Analysis

|   |   |  |  |
|---|---|--|--|
| <b>Task</b>   | <b>Air Monitoring</b>   |  |  |
| <b>Project Name/Number</b>  | 400 Food Center Drive (Krasdale Foods); 2303627   | <b>Client Name</b>   | New York City Economic Development Corporation (NYCEDC)  |
| <b>GEI Project Manager</b>  | Kevin McCarty   | <b>PM Review Date</b>  | 9/12/2024  |
| <b>Tools/Equipment Used</b>   | Pelican cases, tripods, multi-gas meters, particulate matter meter, regulator, air calibration canister, colorimetric tubes, hand tools, field book   |  |  |
| <b>Task Specific Training</b>   | Annual Safety Training (HAZWOPER), First Aid/CPR  |  |  |
| <b>Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)</b>                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Hard Hat <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Safety Glasses <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Safety-Toed Boots <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reflective Vest <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing Protection <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Flotation Device (PFD)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Face Shield <input type="checkbox"/> Chaps <input type="checkbox"/> Tyvek clothing/boots <input type="checkbox"/> Flame Resistant Clothing<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gloves <input type="text" value="Nitrile"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Respirator <input type="text"/><br><input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="text"/> |  |  |
| <b>JHA Prepared By: Savanna Marino</b>                                  |   | <b>Date: 8/29/2024</b>   | <b>Approved by: Stacey Ng</b> <b>Date: 9/12/2024</b>   |
| <b>Task Steps</b>   | <b>Potential Hazards</b>  | <b>GEI SOP or Program</b>  | <b>Hazard Controls<sup>1</sup></b>   |
| 1. Carrying Equipment/Site Setup  | Heavy lifting, strains/sprains, slip/trips/falls, pinch points  | Non-Powered Hand Tools HS-008a<br>Manual Lifting HS-025<br>GEI Ergonomic Program | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use proper lifting techniques.</li> <li>• Check route for clearance of trip hazards.</li> <li>• Wear appropriate footwear and gloves to protect hands against sharp edges and soft tissue injuries.</li> <li>• Be aware of hard to grip and hold items that may force your hand or wrist into awkward, stressful positions.</li> <li>• Take breaks when carrying items frequently and/or for long distances.</li> <li>• Do not overreach when picking up or placing items.</li> <li>• Use the buddy system when necessary.</li> </ul> |
| 2. Calibrate Air Monitoring Equipment/Handling Compressed Gas Cylinders | Cuts/Scrapes, pinch points  | GEI Ergonomic Program<br>Hazard Identification HS-026                            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wear appropriate gloves to protect hands against sharp edges and soft tissue injuries.</li> <li>• Be aware of hard to grip and hold items that may force your hand or wrist into awkward, stressful positions.</li> <li>• Do not stage/store incompatible materials in the same area (e.g.: oxidizers and flammables).</li> </ul>   |

<sup>1</sup> Use the hierarchy of controls to determine applicable hazard controls for the task in order of most effective to least effective: Elimination (physically remove the hazard), Substitution (replace the hazard), Engineering Controls (Isolate the team from the hazard), Administrative Controls (change the way people work), PPE (personal protective equipment).

| Task Steps                            | Potential Hazards  | GEI SOP or Program  | Hazard Controls <sup>1</sup>   |
|---------------------------------------|--|---|--|
|                                       |  |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Make sure valves are properly closed when not in use.</li> <li>• Only approved and properly labeled containers should be used.</li> <li>• SDSs should be with the cylinders at all times.</li> <li>• Place cylinders on even surfaces.</li> <li>• Keep cylinders away from high heat and spark/flare sources.</li> <li>• When transporting, the safety dome cap needs to be securely in place and cylinder should be secured in place.</li> </ul>   |
| 3. Install Monitoring Equipment       | Slip/trips/falls, cuts/lacerations, heat stress, cold stress, biological hazards | Non-Powered Hand Tools HS-008a<br>Biological Hazards HS-001<br>Inclement Weather HS-010<br>Manual Lifting HS-025<br>Hazard Identification HS-026<br>GEI Ergonomic Program | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Maintain good housekeeping in the work area to prevent slips, trips, and falls.</li> <li>• Maintain situational awareness and a high level of communication with others on site.</li> <li>• Wear the proper type of glove to protect hands against sharp edges and skin/soft tissue injuries.</li> </ul>  |
| 4. Site Walk/Collect Readings/Samples | Slip/trips/falls, repetition, heat stress, cold stress, biological hazards       | Biological Hazards HS-001<br>Inclement Weather HS-010<br>Manual Lifting HS-025<br>Hazard Identification HS-026<br>GEI Ergonomic Program                                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wear steel-toed boots and high visibility reflective vest when traversing work areas.</li> <li>• Avoid walking on uneven, steeply sloped or debris ridden ground surfaces.</li> <li>• Discuss action plan prior to severe weather.</li> <li>• Apply insect repellent and poisonous plant barrier cream prior to the start of any field work and as needed throughout the workday.</li> <li>• Use the buddy system and have a check in plan with project team and/or project manager.</li> <li>• Bring adequate hydration for the workday (water, fluids with electrolytes).</li> <li>• Apply sunscreen regularly or wear a hat and long sleeve to reduce sun exposure.</li> <li>• Plan an area to take breaks with natural shade or provided by pop up structure.</li> <li>• Bring backpack to carry your fluids, snacks, first aid kits, etc. for larger project sites.</li> </ul> |
| 5. Remove Air Monitoring Equipment    | Slip/trips/falls, cuts/lacerations, heat stress, cold stress, biological hazards | Biological Hazards HS-001<br>Inclement Weather HS-010<br>Manual Lifting HS-025<br>Hazard Identification HS-026  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Maintain good housekeeping in the work area to prevent slips, trips, and falls.</li> <li>• Maintain situational awareness and a high level of communication with others on site.</li> <li>• Wear the proper type of glove to protect hands against sharp</li> </ul>   |

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| Task Steps              | Potential Hazards                             | <u>GEI SOP or Program</u>    | Hazard Controls <sup>1</sup>   |
|-------------------------|---|------------------------------|--|
|                         |   |                              | edges and skin/soft tissue injuries.   |
| 6. Demobilize from Site | Personal/material security, slips/trips/falls | Hazard Identification HS-026 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Confirm all materials are secured/labeled, including drums and any equipment left on site.</li> <li>• Confirm that any open trenches/pits are properly marked or barricaded.</li> <li>• Clean all equipment/tools prior to leaving.</li> <li>• Secure any gates/locks.</li> <li>• Notify project manager (or designee) you are leaving the site.</li> </ul> |

## Appendix C

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### Safety Data Sheets

- 4-Gas Mix Calibration Gas
- Alconox
- Hydrogen Cyanide Calibration Gas
- Isobutylene Calibration Gas
- Liquinox
- Methanol
- Simple Green
- Arsenic
- Carbon Disulfide
- Chromium
- Ethylbenzene
- Hydrogen Cyanide
- Hydrogen Sulfide
- Lead
- Mercury
- Naphthalene
- Toluene
- Xylenes



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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Identification

Product form : Mixtures  
Product name : Oxygen (0.0015-19.49%), Methane (0.0005-2.5%), Carbon Monoxide (0.001-0.09%), Hydrogen Sulfide (0.001-0.025%) in Nitrogen Balance

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

Use of the substance/mixture : Test gas/Calibration gas.

#### 1.3. Supplier

Calgaz, division of Airgas USA LLC  
821 Chesapeake Drive  
Cambridge, 21613 - USA  
T 1-410-228-6400 - F 1-410-228-4251  
[info@Calgaz.com](mailto:info@Calgaz.com) - [www.Calgaz.com](http://www.Calgaz.com)

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300  
Internationally: 1-703-527-3887

### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

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

##### GHS-US classification

Gases under pressure H280 Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated  
Compressed gas

Full text of H statements : see section 16

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

##### GHS-US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US) :



GHS04

Signal word (GHS-US) : Warning  
Hazard statements (GHS-US) : H280 - Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated  
OSHA-H01 - May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation  
CGA-HG16 - Extended exposure to gas reduces the ability to smell sulfides.  
Precautionary statements (GHS-US) : P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
P280 - Wear eye protection, face protection, protective gloves, protective clothing.  
P308+P313 - If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.  
P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place.  
P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations  
P304+P340 - If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing  
CGA-PG02 - Protect from sunlight when ambient temperature exceeds 52°C/125 °F  
CGA-PG05 - Use a back flow preventive device in the piping  
CGA-PG06 - Close valve after each use and when empty  
CGA-PG10 - Use only with equipment rated for cylinder pressure  
CGA-PG14 - Approach suspected leak area with caution  
CGA-PG21 - Open valve slowly  
CGA-PG29 - Do not depend on odor to detect presence of gas

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

No additional information available

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### 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   |
|------------------|---------------------|------------------|---|
| Nitrogen         | (CAS-No.) 7727-37-9 | 77.895 - 99.9965 | Press. Gas (Comp.), H280  |
| Oxygen           | (CAS-No.) 7782-44-7 | 0.0015 - 19.49   | Ox. Gas 1, H270<br>Press. Gas (Comp.), H280   |
| Methane          | (CAS-No.) 74-82-8   | 0.0005 - 2.5     | Flam. Gas 1, H220<br>Press. Gas (Comp.), H280   |
| Carbon monoxide  | (CAS-No.) 630-08-0  | 0.0005 - 0.09    | Flam. Gas 1, H220<br>Press. Gas (Comp.), H280<br>Acute Tox. 3 (Inhalation:gas), H331<br>Repr. 1A, H360<br>STOT RE 1, H372       |
| Hydrogen Sulfide | (CAS-No.) 7783-06-4 | 0.001 - 0.025    | Flam. Gas 1, H220<br>Press. Gas (Liq.), H280<br>Acute Tox. 2 (Inhalation:gas), H330<br>STOT SE 3, H335<br>Aquatic Acute 1, H400 |

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 after inhalation : Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.
- First-aid measures after skin contact : Adverse effects not expected from this product.
- First-aid measures after eye contact : Adverse effects not expected from this product.
- First-aid measures after ingestion : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

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

- Symptoms/effects after inhalation : May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation.
- Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Adverse effects not expected from this product.
- Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Adverse effects not expected from this product.
- Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.
- Symptoms/effects upon intravenous administration : Not known.
- Chronic symptoms : Adverse effects not expected from this product.
- Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed : No effect on living tissue. Refer to section 11.

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

If you feel unwell, seek medical advice. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

## 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 : Do not use water jet to extinguish.

### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

- Fire hazard : The product is not flammable.
- Explosion hazard : Product is not explosive. Heat may build pressure, rupturing closed containers, spreading fire and increasing risk of burns and injuries.
- Reactivity : None known.
- Hazardous combustion products : Carbon monoxide. Sulphur dioxide.

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

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|--------------------------------|---|
| Firefighting instructions      | : In case of fire: Evacuate area. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion. Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.  |
| Protection during firefighting | : Standard protective clothing and equipment (e.g. Self Contained Breathing Apparatus) for fire fighters. Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.   |
| Specific methods               | : Exposure to fire may cause containers to rupture/explode. If possible, stop flow of product. Continue water spray from protected position until container stays cool. Move containers away from the fire area if this can be done without risk. |

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

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|------------------|--------------------------------|
| General measures | : Ensure adequate ventilation. |
|------------------|--------------------------------|

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

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|----------------------|---|
| Protective equipment | : Wear protective equipment consistent with the site emergency plan.  |
| Emergency procedures | : Evacuate personnel to a safe area. Close doors and windows of adjacent premises. Keep containers closed. Mark the danger area. Seal off low-lying areas. Keep upwind. |

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

- |                      |  |
|----------------------|--|
| Protective equipment | : Standard protective clothing and equipment (e.g. Self Contained Breathing Apparatus) for fire fighters. Equip cleanup crew with proper protection. |
| Emergency procedures | : Evacuate and limit access. Ventilate area.   |

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

- Try to stop release if without risk.

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

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| For containment                                      | : Try to stop release if without risk.  |
| Methods for cleaning up                              | : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. |
| Methods and material for containment and cleaning up | : None.   |

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

- See also Sections 8 and 13.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

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|-------------------------------------|---|
| Additional hazards when processed   | : Pressurized container: Do not pierce or burn, even after use. Use only with equipment rated for cylinder pressure. Close valve after each use and when empty.   |
| Precautions for safe handling       | : Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.   |
| Safe handling of the gas receptacle | : Protect cylinders from physical damage; do not drag, roll, slide or drop. Do not remove or deface labels provided by the supplier for the identification of the cylinder contents.  |
| Safe use of the product             | : The product must be handled in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Only experienced and properly instructed persons should handle gases under pressure. Consider pressure relief device(s) in gas installations. Ensure the complete gas system was (or is regularly) checked for leaks before use. Do not remove or deface labels provided by the supplier for the identification of the cylinder contents. Use only properly specified equipment which is suitable for this product, its supply pressure and temperature. Contact your gas supplier if in doubt. |
| Hygiene measures                    | : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.   |

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

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|------------------------|--|
| Technical measures     | : Comply with applicable regulations.  |
| Storage conditions     | : Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 52 °C/ 125 °F. Keep container closed when not in use. Protect cylinders from physical damage; do not drag, roll, slide or drop. Store in well ventilated area. |
| Incompatible products  | : None known.  |
| Incompatible materials | : None known.  |

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|  |   |
|--|---|
| Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities | : Observe all regulations and local requirements regarding storage of containers. Containers should not be stored in conditions likely to encourage corrosion. Container valve guards or caps should be in place. Containers should be stored in the vertical position and properly secured to prevent them from falling over. Stored containers should be periodically checked for general condition and leakage. Keep container below 50°C in a well ventilated place. Store containers in location free from fire risk and away from sources of heat and ignition. Keep away from combustible materials. |
| Storage area   | : Store away from heat. Store in a well-ventilated place.   |

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

| Nitrogen (7727-37-9)         |  |  |
|------------------------------|--|--|
| Not applicable               |  |  |
| Methane (74-82-8)            |  |  |
| Not applicable               |  |  |
| Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4) |  |  |
| ACGIH                        | ACGIH TWA (ppm)  | 1 ppm  |
| ACGIH                        | ACGIH STEL (ppm)   | 5 ppm  |
| OSHA                         | OSHA PEL (Ceiling) (ppm)   | 20 ppm   |
| OSHA                         | Acceptable maximum peak above the acceptable ceiling concentration for an 8-hr shift | 50 ppm Peak (10 minutes once, only if no other measurable exposure occurs) |
| IDLH                         | US IDLH (ppm)  | 100 ppm  |
| NIOSH                        | NIOSH REL (ceiling) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )   | 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   |
| NIOSH                        | NIOSH REL (ceiling) (ppm)  | 10 ppm   |
| Oxygen (7782-44-7)           |  |  |
| Not applicable               |  |  |
| Carbon monoxide (630-08-0)   |  |  |
| ACGIH                        | ACGIH TWA (ppm)  | 25 ppm   |
| OSHA                         | OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )  | 55 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   |
| OSHA                         | OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)   | 50 ppm   |
| IDLH                         | US IDLH (ppm)  | 1200 ppm   |
| NIOSH                        | NIOSH REL (TWA) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )   | 40 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   |
| NIOSH                        | NIOSH REL (TWA) (ppm)  | 35 ppm   |
| NIOSH                        | NIOSH REL (ceiling) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )   | 229 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  |
| NIOSH                        | NIOSH REL (ceiling) (ppm)  | 200 ppm  |

#### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

|                                  |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Appropriate engineering controls | : Ensure exposure is below occupational exposure limits (where available). Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Systems under pressure should be regularly checked for leakages. Oxygen detectors should be used when asphyxiating gases may be released. Consider the use of a work permit system e.g. for maintenance activities. |
| Environmental exposure controls  | : Refer to local regulations for restriction of emissions to the atmosphere. See section 13 for specific methods for waste gas treatment.  |

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

##### Hand protection:

Wear working gloves when handling gas containers. 29 CFR 1910.138: Hand protection

##### Eye protection:

Wear safety glasses with side shields. 29 CFR 1910.133: Eye and Face Protection

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### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing, e.g. lab coats, coveralls or flame resistant clothing.

### Respiratory protection:

None necessary during normal and routine operations. See Sections 5 & 6.

### Thermal hazard protection:

None necessary during normal and routine operations.

### Other information:

Wear safety shoes while handling containers. 29 CFR 1910.136: Foot Protection.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

|   |  |
|---|--|
| Physical state                              | : Gas  |
| Appearance                                  | : Clear, colorless gas.  |
| Color                                       | : Colorless  |
| Odor  | : Rotten eggs  |
| Odor threshold                              | : No data available  |
| pH  | : No data available  |
| Melting point                               | : No data available  |
| 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                            | : No data available  |
| Relative gas density                        | : Similar to air   |
| Solubility                                  | : Water: No data available   |
| Log Pow                                     | : Not applicable for gas-mixtures.<br>Not applicable for gas-mixtures. |
| 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                        | : Not applicable (non-flammable gas).                                  |
| Oxidizing properties                        | : None.  |

### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

None known.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None known.

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### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

None known.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not classified

| <b>Nitrogen (7727-37-9)</b>         |  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)           | 820000 ppm/4h                              |
| ATE US (gases)                      | 820000.000 ppmV/4h                         |
| <b>Methane (74-82-8)</b>            |  |
| LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)           | 820000 ppm/4h                              |
| ATE US (gases)                      | 820000.000 ppmV/4h                         |
| <b>Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)</b> |  |
| LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)          | 700 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Exposure time: 4 h) |
| LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)           | 356 ppm/4h                                 |
| ATE US (gases)                      | 356.000 ppmV/4h                            |
| ATE US (vapors)                     | 0.990 mg/l/4h                              |
| ATE US (dust, mist)                 | 0.990 mg/l/4h                              |
| <b>Oxygen (7782-44-7)</b>           |  |
| LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)           | 800000 ppm/4h                              |
| ATE US (gases)                      | 800000.000 ppmV/4h                         |
| <b>Carbon monoxide (630-08-0)</b>   |  |
| LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)           | 1880 ppm/4h                                |
| ATE US (gases)                      | 1880.000 ppmV/4h                           |

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

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified  
Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation.  
Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Adverse effects not expected from this product.  
Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Adverse effects not expected from this product.  
Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.  
Symptoms/effects upon intravenous administration : Not known.  
Chronic symptoms : Adverse effects not expected from this product.

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### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : No ecological damage caused by this product.

| <b>Methane (74-82-8)</b>            |   |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| LC50-96 h - fish [mg/l]             | 147.5 mg/l  |
| EC50 48h - Daphnia magna [mg/l]     | 69.4 mg/l   |
| EC50 72h Algae [mg/l]               | 19.4 mg/l   |
| <b>Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)</b> |   |
| LC50 fish 1                         | 0.0448 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Lepomis macrochirus [flow-through]) |
| LC50 fish 2                         | 0.016 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Pimephales promelas [flow-through])  |
| LC50-96 h - fish [mg/l]             | 0.007 - 0.019 mg/l  |
| EC50 48h - Daphnia magna [mg/l]     | 0.12 mg/l   |
| EC50 72h Algae [mg/l]               | 1.87 mg/l   |
| <b>Carbon monoxide (630-08-0)</b>   |   |
| LC50-96 h - fish [mg/l]             | Study scientifically unjustified.   |
| EC50 48h - Daphnia magna [mg/l]     | Study scientifically unjustified.   |
| EC50 72h Algae [mg/l]               | Study scientifically unjustified.   |

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

| <b>Oxygen (0.0015-19.49%), Methane (0.0005-2.5%), Carbon Monoxide (0.001-0.09%), Hydrogen Sulfide (0.001-0.025%) in Nitrogen Balance</b> |   |
|--|---|
| Persistence and degradability  | No data available.  |
| <b>Nitrogen (7727-37-9)</b>  |   |
| Persistence and degradability  | No ecological damage caused by this product.  |
| <b>Methane (74-82-8)</b>   |   |
| Persistence and degradability  | The substance is readily biodegradable. Unlikely to persist.                                |
| <b>Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)</b>  |   |
| Persistence and degradability  | Not applicable for inorganic gases.   |
| <b>Oxygen (7782-44-7)</b>  |   |
| Persistence and degradability  | No ecological damage caused by this product.  |
| <b>Carbon monoxide (630-08-0)</b>  |   |
| Persistence and degradability  | Will not undergo hydrolysis. Not readily biodegradable. Not applicable for inorganic gases. |

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

| <b>Oxygen (0.0015-19.49%), Methane (0.0005-2.5%), Carbon Monoxide (0.001-0.09%), Hydrogen Sulfide (0.001-0.025%) in Nitrogen Balance</b> |   |
|--|---|
| Log Pow  | Not applicable for gas-mixtures.  |
| Log Kow  | Not applicable for gas-mixtures.  |
| Bioaccumulative potential  | No data available.  |
| <b>Nitrogen (7727-37-9)</b>  |   |
| Log Pow  | Not applicable for inorganic gases.   |
| Bioaccumulative potential  | No ecological damage caused by this product.  |
| <b>Methane (74-82-8)</b>   |   |
| Bioaccumulative potential  | Not expected to bioaccumulate due to the low log Kow (log Kow < 4). Refer to section 9. |
| <b>Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)</b>  |   |
| BCF fish 1   | (no bioaccumulation expected)   |
| Log Pow  | Not applicable for inorganic gases.   |
| Bioaccumulative potential  | No data available.  |
| <b>Oxygen (7782-44-7)</b>  |   |
| Log Pow  | Not applicable for inorganic gases.   |
| Bioaccumulative potential  | No ecological damage caused by this product.  |
| <b>Carbon monoxide (630-08-0)</b>  |   |
| Log Pow  | 1.78  |

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| <b>Carbon monoxide (630-08-0)</b> |   |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Bioaccumulative potential         | Not expected to bioaccumulate due to the low log Kow (log Kow < 4). Refer to section 9. |

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

| <b>Oxygen (0.0015-19.49%), Methane (0.0005-2.5%), Carbon Monoxide (0.001-0.09%), Hydrogen Sulfide (0.001-0.025%) in Nitrogen Balance</b> |   |
|--|---|
| Mobility in soil   | No data available   |
| <b>Nitrogen (7727-37-9)</b>  |   |
| Ecology - soil   | No ecological damage caused by this product.  |
| <b>Methane (74-82-8)</b>   |   |
| Ecology - soil   | Because of its high volatility, the product is unlikely to cause ground or water pollution. |
| <b>Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)</b>  |   |
| Ecology - soil   | Because of its high volatility, the product is unlikely to cause ground or water pollution. |
| <b>Oxygen (7782-44-7)</b>  |   |
| Ecology - soil   | No ecological damage caused by this product.  |
| <b>Carbon monoxide (630-08-0)</b>  |   |
| Ecology - soil   | Because of its high volatility, the product is unlikely to cause ground or water pollution. |

### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Effect on ozone layer : No known effects from this product.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Disposal methods

Waste treatment methods : Contact supplier if guidance is required. Do not discharge into any place where its accumulation could be dangerous. Ensure that the emission levels from local regulations or operating permits are not exceeded.

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Refer to the CGA Pamphlet P-63 "Disposal of Gases" available at [www.cganet.com](http://www.cganet.com) for more guidance on suitable disposal methods.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Transport document description : UN1956 Compressed gas, n.o.s. (Nitrogen, Oxygen), 2.2

UN-No.(DOT) : UN1956

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Compressed gas, n.o.s.

Class (DOT) : 2.2 - Class 2.2 - Non-flammable compressed gas 49 CFR 173.115

Hazard labels (DOT) : 2.2 - Non-flammable gas



DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 302;305

DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 314;315

DOT Symbols : G - Identifies PSN requiring a technical name

DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 306;307

DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail (49 CFR 173.27) : 75 kg

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 CFR 175.75) : 150 kg

DOT Vessel Stowage Location : A - The material may be stowed "on deck" or "under deck" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel.

Other information : No supplementary information available.

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Special transport precautions : Avoid transport on vehicles where the load space is not separated from the driver's compartment. Ensure vehicle driver is aware of the potential hazards of the load and knows what to do in the event of an accident or an emergency. Before transporting product containers:  
- Ensure there is adequate ventilation. - Ensure that containers are firmly secured. - Ensure cylinder valve is closed and not leaking. - Ensure valve outlet cap nut or plug (where provided) is correctly fitted. - Ensure valve protection device (where provided) is correctly fitted.

### Transportation of Dangerous Goods

Transport document description : UN1956 Compressed gas, n.o.s., 2.2  
UN-No. (TDG) : UN1956  
Proper Shipping Name : Compressed gas, n.o.s.  
TDG Primary Hazard Classes : 2.2 - Class 2.2 - Non-Flammable, Non-Toxic Gas.  
TDG Special Provisions : 16 - (1) The technical name of at least one of the most dangerous substances that predominantly contributes to the hazard or hazards posed by the dangerous goods must be shown, in parentheses, on the shipping document following the shipping name in accordance with clause 3.5(1)(c)(ii)(A) of Part 3 (Documentation). The technical name must also be shown, in parentheses, on a small means of containment or on a tag following the shipping name in accordance with subsections 4.11(2) and (3) of Part 4 (Dangerous Goods Safety Marks). (2) Despite subsection (1), the technical name for the following dangerous goods is not required to be shown on a shipping document or on a small means of containment when Canadian law for domestic transport or an international convention for international transport prohibits the disclosure of the technical name: (a)UN1544, ALKALOID SALTS, SOLID, N.O.S. or ALKALOIDS, SOLID, N.O.S.; (b)UN1851, MEDICINE, LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S.; (c)UN3140, ALKALOID SALTS, LIQUID, N.O.S. or ALKALOIDS, LIQUID, N.O.S.; (d)UN3248, MEDICINE, LIQUID, FLAMMABLE, TOXIC, N.O.S; or (e)UN3249, MEDICINE, SOLID, TOXIC, N.O.S. An example in Canada is the "Food and Drugs Act". (3) Despite subsection (1), the technical name for the following dangerous goods is not required to be shown on a small means of containment: (a)UN2814, INFECTIOUS SUBSTANCE, AFFECTING HUMANS; or (b)UN2900, INFECTIOUS SUBSTANCE, AFFECTING ANIMALS. SOR/2014-306,148 - (1) Part 5 (Means of Containment) does not apply to radiation detectors that contain these dangerous goods in non-refillable pressure receptacles if (a)the working pressure in each receptacle is less than 5 000 KPa; (b)the capacity of each receptacle is less than 12 L; (c)each receptacle has a minimum burst pressure of (i)at least 3 times the working pressure, when the receptacle is fitted with a relief device; or (ii)at least 4 times the working pressure, when the receptacle is not fitted with a relief device; (d)each receptacle is manufactured from material that will not fragment upon rupture; (e)each detector is manufactured under a quality assurance program; ISO 9001:2008 is an example of a quality assurance program. (f)the detectors are transported in strong outer means of containment; and (g)a detector in its outer means of containment is capable of withstanding a 1.2 m drop test without breakage of the detector or rupture of the outer means of containment. (2)Part 5 (Means of Containment) does not apply to radiation detectors that contain these dangerous goods in non-refillable pressure receptacles and that are included in equipment, if (a)the conditions set out in paragraphs (1)(a) to (e) are met; and (b)the equipment is contained in a strong outer means of containment or the equipment affords the detectors with protection that is equivalent to that provided by a strong outer means of containment. (3)These Regulations, except for Part 1 (Coming into Force, Repeal, Interpretation, General Provisions and Special Cases) and Part 2 (Classification), do not apply to radiation detectors that contain these dangerous goods in non-refillable pressure receptacles, including detectors in radiation detection systems, if the detectors meet the requirements of subsection (1) or (2), as applicable, and the capacity of the receptacles that contain the detectors is less than 50 mL. SOR/2014-306

Explosive Limit and Limited Quantity Index : 0.125 L  
Passenger Carrying Road Vehicle or Passenger Carrying Railway Vehicle Index : 75 L

### Transport by sea

Transport document description (IMDG) : UN 1956 COMPRESSED GAS, N.O.S., 2  
UN-No. (IMDG) : 1956  
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : COMPRESSED GAS, N.O.S.  
Class (IMDG) : 2 - Gases  
Limited quantities (IMDG) : 120 ml

### Air transport

Transport document description (IATA) : UN 1956 COMPRESSED GAS, N.O.S., 2.2

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|                             |                          |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| UN-No. (IATA)               | : 1956                   |
| Proper Shipping Name (IATA) | : COMPRESSED GAS, N.O.S. |
| Class (IATA)                | : 2                      |

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1. US Federal regulations

|   |        |
|---|--------|
| <b>Nitrogen (7727-37-9)</b>   |        |
| Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory |        |
| <b>Methane (74-82-8)</b>  |        |
| Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory |        |
| <b>Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)</b>                                       |        |
| Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory |        |
| Listed on the United States SARA Section 302                              |        |
| Subject to reporting requirements of United States SARA Section 313       |        |
| CERCLA RQ   | 100 lb |
| Section 302 EPCRA Reportable Quantity (RQ)                                | 100 lb |
| SARA Section 302 Threshold Planning Quantity (TPQ)                        | 500 lb |
| SARA Section 313 - Emission Reporting                                     | 1 %    |
| <b>Oxygen (7782-44-7)</b>   |        |
| Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory |        |
| <b>Carbon monoxide (630-08-0)</b>   |        |
| Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory |        |

#### 15.2. International regulations

##### CANADA

|   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>Nitrogen (7727-37-9)</b>                           |  |
| Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) |  |
| <b>Methane (74-82-8)</b>                              |  |
| Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) |  |
| <b>Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)</b>                   |  |
| Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) |  |
| <b>Oxygen (7782-44-7)</b>                             |  |
| Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) |  |
| <b>Carbon monoxide (630-08-0)</b>                     |  |
| Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) |  |

##### EU-Regulations

|  |  |
|--|--|
| <b>Nitrogen (7727-37-9)</b>  |  |
| Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances) |  |
| <b>Methane (74-82-8)</b>   |  |
| Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances) |  |
| <b>Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)</b>  |  |
| Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances) |  |
| <b>Oxygen (7782-44-7)</b>  |  |
| Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances) |  |
| <b>Carbon monoxide (630-08-0)</b>  |  |
| Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances) |  |

##### National regulations

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### Nitrogen (7727-37-9)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
 Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)  
 Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
 Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on the TCSI (Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory)

### Methane (74-82-8)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
 Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory  
 Listed on the Japanese ISHL (Industrial Safety and Health Law)  
 Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)  
 Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
 Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on CICR (Turkish Inventory and Control of Chemicals)  
 Listed on the TCSI (Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory)

### Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
 Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory  
 Listed on the Japanese ISHL (Industrial Safety and Health Law)  
 Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)  
 Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
 Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)  
 Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on the TCSI (Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory)

### Oxygen (7782-44-7)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
 Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)  
 Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
 Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on the TCSI (Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory)

### Carbon monoxide (630-08-0)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
 Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory  
 Listed on the Japanese ISHL (Industrial Safety and Health Law)  
 Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)  
 Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
 Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)  
 Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
 Listed on the TCSI (Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory)

## 15.3. US State regulations

### Carbon monoxide (630-08-0)

|   |   |   |   |                                  |
|---|---|---|---|----------------------------------|
| U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List | U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxicity | U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Female | U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Male | No significant risk level (NSRL) |
| No  | Yes   | No  | No  |                                  |

### Nitrogen (7727-37-9)

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

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### Methane (74-82-8)

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

### Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)

U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List  
U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List  
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List  
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List

### Oxygen (7782-44-7)

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

### Carbon monoxide (630-08-0)

U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List  
U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List  
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List  
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List

## SECTION 16: Other information

Revision date : 12/19/2017  
Other information : This Safety Data Sheet is offered pursuant to OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR, 1910.1200. Other government regulations must be reviewed for applicability to this product.

Full text of H-phrases:

|      |  |
|------|--|
| H220 | Extremely flammable gas  |
| H270 | May cause or intensify fire; oxidizer                          |
| H280 | Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated             |
| H330 | Fatal if inhaled   |
| H331 | Toxic if inhaled   |
| H335 | May cause respiratory irritation                               |
| H360 | May damage fertility or the unborn child                       |
| H372 | Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure |
| H400 | Very toxic to aquatic life                                     |

SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

**ALCONOX®**

Prepared to U.S. OSHA, CMA, ANSI, Canadian WHMIS, Australian WorkSafe, Japanese Industrial Standard JIS Z 7250:2000, and European Union REACH Regulations



## SECTION 1 - PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: **ALCONOX®**  
CHEMICAL FAMILY NAME: Detergent.  
PRODUCT USE: Critical-cleaning detergent for laboratory, healthcare and industrial applications  
U.N. NUMBER: Not Applicable  
U.N. DANGEROUS GOODS CLASS: Non-Regulated Material  
SUPPLIER/MANUFACTURER'S NAME: Alconox, Inc.  
ADDRESS: 30 Glenn St., Suite 309, White Plains, NY 10603. USA  
EMERGENCY PHONE: **TOLL-FREE in USA/Canada** 800-255-3924  
**International calls** 813-248-0585  
BUSINESS PHONE: 914-948-4040  
DATE OF PREPARATION: May 2011  
DATE OF LAST REVISION: February 2008

## SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:** This product is a white granular powder with little or no odor. Exposure can be irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin. It is a non-flammable solid. The Environmental effects of this product have not been investigated.

US DOT SYMBOLS

Non-Regulated

CANADA (WHMIS) SYMBOLS



EUROPEAN and (GHS) Hazard Symbols



Signal Word: **Warning!**

### EU LABELING AND CLASSIFICATION:

Classification of the substance or mixture according to Regulation (EC) No1272/2008 Annex 1

EC# 205-633-8 This substance is not classified in the Annex I of Directive 67/548/EEC

EC# 268-356-1 This substance is not classified in the Annex I of Directive 67/548/EEC

EC# 231-838-7 This substance is not classified in the Annex I of Directive 67/548/EEC

EC# 231-767-1 This substance is not classified in the Annex I of Directive 67/548/EEC

EC# 207-638-8 Index# 011-005-00-2

EC# 205-788-1 This substance is not classified in the Annex I of Directive 67/548/EEC

### GHS Hazard Classification(s):

Eye Irritant Category 2A

### Hazard Statement(s):

H319: Causes serious eye irritation

### Precautionary Statement(s):

P260: Do not breath dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling

P271: Use only in well ventilated area.

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/

### Hazard Symbol(s):

[Xi] Irritant

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### Risk Phrases:

R20: Harmful by inhalation  
R36/37/38: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

### Safety Phrases:

S8: Keep container dry  
S22: Do not breath dust  
S24/25: Avoid contact with skin and eyes

### HEALTH HAZARDS OR RISKS FROM EXPOSURE:

**ACUTE:** Exposure to this product may cause irritation of the eyes, respiratory system and skin. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation including pain, vomiting or diarrhea.

**CHRONIC:** This product contains an ingredient which may be corrosive.

### TARGET ORGANS:

ACUTE: Eye, respiratory System, Skin

CHRONIC: None Known

## SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION and INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

| HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS:  | CAS #      | EINECS #  | ICSC #     | WT %     | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION;<br>RISK PHRASES                    |
|---|------------|-----------|------------|----------|---|
| Sodium Bicarbonate  | 144-55-8   | 205-633-8 | 1044       | 33 - 43% | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: None<br>RISK PHRASES: None         |
| Sodium (C10 – C16)<br>Alkylbenzene Sulfonate  | 68081-81-2 | 268-356-1 | Not Listed | 10 – 20% | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: None<br>RISK PHRASES: None         |
| Sodium Tripolyphosphate   | 7758-29-4  | 231-838-7 | 1469       | 5 - 15%  | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: None<br>RISK PHRASES: None         |
| Tetrasodium Pyrophosphate   | 7722-88-5  | 231-767-1 | 1140       | 5 - 15%  | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: None<br>RISK PHRASES: None         |
| Sodium Carbonate  | 497-19-8   | 207-638-8 | 1135       | 1 - 10%  | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: [Xi] Irritant<br>RISK PHRASES: R36 |
| Sodium Alcohol Sulfate  | 151-21-3   | 205-788-1 | 0502       | 1 – 5%   | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: None<br>RISK PHRASES: None         |
| Balance of other ingredients are non-hazardous or less than 1% in concentration (or 0.1% for carcinogens, reproductive toxins, or respiratory sensitizers). |            |           |            |          |   |

**NOTE:** ALL WHMIS required information is included in appropriate sections based on the ANSI Z400.1-2004 format. This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR, EU Directives and the Japanese Industrial Standard JIS Z 7250: 2000.

## SECTION 4 - FIRST-AID MEASURES

Contaminated individuals of chemical exposure must be taken for medical attention if any adverse effect occurs. Rescuers should be taken for medical attention, if necessary. Take copy of label and MSDS to health professional with contaminated individual.

**EYE CONTACT:** If product enters the eyes, open eyes while under gentle running water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Seek medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Remove contaminated clothing. Launder before re-use.

**INHALATION:** If breathing becomes difficult, remove victim to fresh air. If necessary, use artificial respiration to support vital functions. Seek medical attention if breathing difficulty continues.

**INGESTION:** If product is swallowed, call physician or poison control center for most current information. If professional advice is not available, do not induce vomiting. Never induce vomiting or give diluents (milk or water) to someone who is unconscious, having convulsions, or who cannot swallow. Seek medical advice. Take a copy of the label and/or MSDS with the victim to the health professional.

**MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE:** Pre-existing skin, or eye problems may be aggravated by prolonged contact.

**RECOMMENDATIONS TO PHYSICIANS:** Treat symptoms and reduce over-exposure.

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## SECTION 5 - FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**FLASH POINT:**

Not Flammable

**AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE:**

Not Applicable

**FLAMMABLE LIMITS (in air by volume, %):**

Lower (LEL): NA Upper (UEL): NA

**FIRE EXTINGUISHING MATERIALS:**

As appropriate for surrounding fire. Carbon dioxide, foam, dry chemical, halon, or water spray.

**UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:**

This product is non-flammable and has no known explosion hazards.

Explosion Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact:

Not Sensitive.

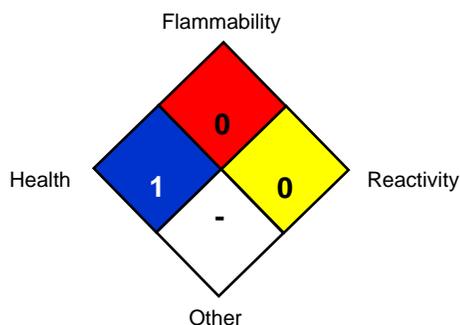
Explosion Sensitivity to Static Discharge:

Not Sensitive

**SPECIAL FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES:**

Incipient fire responders should wear eye protection. Structural firefighters must wear Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus and full protective equipment. Isolate materials not yet involved in the fire and protect personnel. Move containers from fire area if this can be done without risk; otherwise, cool with carefully applied water spray. If possible, prevent runoff water from entering storm drains, bodies of water, or other environmentally sensitive areas.

### NFPA RATING SYSTEM



### HMIS RATING SYSTEM

| HAZARDOUS MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM             |             |       |            |
|--|-------------|-------|------------|
| HEALTH HAZARD (BLUE)                                 |             |       | 1          |
| FLAMMABILITY HAZARD (RED)                            |             |       | 0          |
| PHYSICAL HAZARD (YELLOW)                             |             |       | 0          |
| PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT                                 |             |       |            |
| EYES   | RESPIRATORY | HANDS | BODY       |
|  | See Sect 8  |       | See Sect 8 |
| For Routine Industrial Use and Handling Applications |             |       |            |

**Hazard Scale:** 0 = Minimal 1 = Slight 2 = Moderate 3 = Serious 4 = Severe \* = Chronic hazard

## SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**SPILL AND LEAK RESPONSE:** Personnel should be trained for spill response operations.

**SPILLS:** Contain spill if safe to do so. Prevent entry into drains, sewers, and other waterways. Sweep, shovel or vacuum spilled material and place in an appropriate container for re-use or disposal. Avoid dust generation if possible. Dispose of in accordance with applicable Federal, State, and local procedures (see Section 13, Disposal Considerations).

## SECTION 7 - HANDLING and STORAGE

**WORK PRACTICES AND HYGIENE PRACTICES:** As with all chemicals, avoid getting this product ON YOU or IN YOU. Wash thoroughly after handling this product. Do not eat, drink, smoke, or apply cosmetics while handling this product. Avoid breathing dusts generated by this product. Use in a well-ventilated location. Remove contaminated clothing immediately.

**STORAGE AND HANDLING PRACTICES:** Containers of this product must be properly labeled. Store containers in a cool, dry location. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Store away from strong acids or oxidizers.

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## SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS - PERSONAL PROTECTION

### EXPOSURE LIMITS/GUIDELINES:

| Chemical Name                             | CAS#       | ACGIH TWA                       | OSHA TWA                        | SWA                             |
|---|------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Sodium Bicarbonate                        | 144-55-8   | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust | 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust |
| Sodium (C10 – C16) Alkylbenzene Sulfonate | 68081-81-2 | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust | 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust |
| Sodium Tripolyphosphate                   | 7758-29-4  | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust | 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust |
| Tetrasodium Pyrophosphate                 | 7722-88-5  | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>             | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>             | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>             |
| Sodium Carbonate                          | 497-19-8   | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust | 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust |
| Sodium Alcohol Sulfate                    | 151-21-3   | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust | 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust |

Currently, International exposure limits are not established for the components of this product. Please check with competent authority in each country for the most recent limits in place.

**VENTILATION AND ENGINEERING CONTROLS:** Use with adequate ventilation to ensure exposure levels are maintained below the limits provided below. Use local exhaust ventilation to control airborne dust. Ensure eyewash/safety shower stations are available near areas where this product is used.

*The following information on appropriate Personal Protective Equipment is provided to assist employers in complying with OSHA regulations found in 29 CFR Subpart I (beginning at 1910.132) or equivalent standard of Canada, or standards of EU member states (including EN 149 for respiratory PPE, and EN 166 for face/eye protection), and those of Japan. Please reference applicable regulations and standards for relevant details.*

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** Based on test data, exposure limits should not be exceeded under normal use conditions when using Alconox Detergent. Maintain airborne contaminant concentrations below guidelines listed above, if applicable. If necessary, use only respiratory protection authorized in the U.S. Federal OSHA Respiratory Protection Standard (29 CFR 1910.134), equivalent U.S. State standards, Canadian CSA Standard Z94.4-93, the European Standard EN149, or EU member states.

**EYE PROTECTION:** Safety glasses. If necessary, refer to U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.133 or appropriate Canadian Standards.

**HAND PROTECTION:** Use chemical resistant gloves to prevent skin contact.. If necessary, refer to U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.138 or appropriate Standards of Canada.

**BODY PROTECTION:** Use body protection appropriate to prevent contact (e.g. lab coat, overalls). If necessary, refer to appropriate Standards of Canada, or appropriate Standards of the EU, Australian Standards, or relevant Japanese Standards.

## SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

|  |   |
|--|---|
| <b>PHYSICAL STATE:</b>                   | Solid   |
| <b>APPEARANCE &amp; ODOR:</b>            | White granular powder with little or no odor. |
| <b>ODOR THRESHOLD (PPM):</b>             | Not Available                                 |
| <b>VAPOR PRESSURE (mmHg):</b>            | Not Applicable                                |
| <b>VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1):</b>            | Not Applicable.                               |
| <b>BY WEIGHT:</b>                        | Not Available                                 |
| <b>EVAPORATION RATE (nBuAc = 1):</b>     | Not Applicable.                               |
| <b>BOILING POINT (C°):</b>               | Not Applicable.                               |
| <b>FREEZING POINT (C°):</b>              | Not Applicable.                               |
| <b>pH:</b>                               | 9.5 (1% aqueous solution)                     |
| <b>SPECIFIC GRAVITY 20°C: (WATER =1)</b> | 0.85 – 1.1                                    |
| <b>SOLUBILITY IN WATER (%)</b>           | >10% w/w                                      |
| <b>COEFFICIENT OF WATER/OIL DIST.:</b>   | Not Available                                 |
| <b>VOC:</b>                              | None  |
| <b>CHEMICAL FAMILY:</b>                  | Detergent                                     |

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## SECTION 10 - STABILITY and REACTIVITY

**STABILITY:** Product is stable

**DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** When heated to decomposition this product produces Oxides of carbon (COx)

**MATERIALS WITH WHICH SUBSTANCE IS INCOMPATIBLE:** Strong acids and strong oxidizing agents.

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** Will not occur.

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Contact with incompatible materials and dust generation.

## SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**TOXICITY DATA:** Toxicity data is available for mixture:

|                                       |                           |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| CAS# 497-19-8 LD50 Oral (Rat)         | 4090 mg/kg                |
| CAS# 497-19-8 LD50 Oral (Mouse)       | 6600 mg/kg                |
| CAS# 497-19-8 LC50 Inhalation (Rat)   | 2300 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 2H |
| CAS# 497-19-8 LC50 Inhalation (Mouse) | 1200 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 2H |
| CAS# 7758-29-4 LD50 Oral (Rat)        | 3120 mg/kg                |
| CAS# 7758-29-4 LD50 Oral (Mouse)      | 3100 mg/kg                |
| CAS# 7722-88-5 LD50 Oral (Rat)        | 4000 mg/kg                |

**SUSPECTED CANCER AGENT:** None of the ingredients are found on the following lists: FEDERAL OSHA Z LIST, NTP, CAL/OSHA, IARC and therefore is not considered to be, nor suspected to be a cancer-causing agent by these agencies.

**IRRITANCY OF PRODUCT:** Contact with this product can be irritating to exposed skin, eyes and respiratory system.

**SENSITIZATION OF PRODUCT:** This product is not considered a sensitizer.

**REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY INFORMATION:** No information concerning the effects of this product and its components on the human reproductive system.

## SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**ALL WORK PRACTICES MUST BE AIMED AT ELIMINATING ENVIRONMENTAL CONTAMINATION.**

**ENVIRONMENTAL STABILITY:** No Data available at this time.

**EFFECT OF MATERIAL ON PLANTS or ANIMALS:** No evidence is currently available on this product's effects on plants or animals.

**EFFECT OF CHEMICAL ON AQUATIC LIFE:** No evidence is currently available on this product's effects on aquatic life.

## SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**PREPARING WASTES FOR DISPOSAL:** Waste disposal must be in accordance with appropriate Federal, State, and local regulations, those of Canada, Australia, EU Member States and Japan.

## SECTION 14 - TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

**US DOT; IATA; IMO; ADR:**

**THIS PRODUCT IS NOT HAZARDOUS AS DEFINED BY 49 CFR 172.101 BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.**

**PROPER SHIPPING NAME:** Non-Regulated Material

**HAZARD CLASS NUMBER and DESCRIPTION:** Not Applicable

**UN IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:** Not Applicable

**PACKING GROUP:** Not Applicable.

**DOT LABEL(S) REQUIRED:** Not Applicable

**NORTH AMERICAN EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK NUMBER (2004):** Not Applicable

**MARINE POLLUTANT:** None of the ingredients are classified by the DOT as a Marine Pollutant (as defined by 49 CFR 172.101, Appendix B)

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (DOT) SHIPPING REGULATIONS:**

This product is not classified as dangerous goods, per U.S. DOT regulations, under 49 CFR 172.101.

**TRANSPORT CANADA, TRANSPORTATION OF DANGEROUS GOODS REGULATIONS:**

This product is not classified as Dangerous Goods, per regulations of Transport Canada.

**INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION (IATA):**

This product is not classified as Dangerous Goods, by rules of IATA:

**INTERNATIONAL MARITIME ORGANIZATION (IMO) DESIGNATION:**

This product is not classified as Dangerous Goods by the International Maritime Organization.

**EUROPEAN AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL CARRIAGE OF DANGEROUS GOODS BY ROAD (ADR):**

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This product is not classified by the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe to be dangerous goods.

## SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

### UNITED STATES REGULATIONS

**SARA REPORTING REQUIREMENTS:** This product is not subject to the reporting requirements of Sections 302, 304 and 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act., as follows: None

**TSCA:** All components in this product are listed on the US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory of chemicals.

#### SARA 311/312:

Acute Health: Yes                      Chronic Health: No                      Fire: No                      Reactivity: No

**U.S. SARA THRESHOLD PLANNING QUANTITY:** There are no specific Threshold Planning Quantities for this product. The default Federal MSDS submission and inventory requirement filing threshold of 10,000 lb (4,540 kg) may apply, per 40 CFR 370.20.

**U.S. CERCLA REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ):** None

**CALIFORNIA SAFE DRINKING WATER AND TOXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT (PROPOSITION 65):** None of the ingredients are on the California Proposition 65 lists.

### CANADIAN REGULATIONS:

**CANADIAN DSL/NDL INVENTORY STATUS:** All of the components of this product are on the DSL Inventory

**CANADIAN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT (CEPA) PRIORITIES SUBSTANCES LISTS:** No component of this product is on the CEPA First Priorities Substance Lists.

**CANADIAN WHMIS CLASSIFICATION and SYMBOLS:** This product is categorized as a Controlled Product, Hazard Class D2B as per the Controlled Product Regulations

### EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY INFORMATION:

#### EU LABELING AND CLASSIFICATION:

**Classification of the mixture according to Regulation (EC) No1272/2008. See section 2 for details.**

### AUSTRALIAN INFORMATION FOR PRODUCT:

**AUSTRALIAN INVENTORY OF CHEMICAL SUBSTANCES (AICS) STATUS:** All components of this product are listed on the AICS.

**STANDARD FOR THE UNIFORM SCHEDULING OF DRUGS AND POISONS:** Not applicable.

### JAPANESE INFORMATION FOR PRODUCT:

**JAPANESE MINISTER OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY (MITI) STATUS:** The components of this product are not listed as Class I Specified Chemical Substances, Class II Specified Chemical Substances, or Designated Chemical Substances by the Japanese MITI.

### INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL INVENTORIES:

Listing of the components on individual country Chemical Inventories is as follows:

|   |        |
|---|--------|
| Asia-Pac:   | Listed |
| Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS):                 | Listed |
| Korean Existing Chemicals List (ECL):                               | Listed |
| Japanese Existing National Inventory of Chemical Substances (ENCS): | Listed |
| Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS): | Listed |
| Swiss Giftliste List of Toxic Substances:                           | Listed |
| U.S. TSCA:  | Listed |

## SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

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## ANNEX:

### IDENTIFIED USES OF ALCONOX® AND DIRECTIONS FOR USE

**Used to clean:** Healthcare instruments, laboratory ware, vacuum equipment, tissue culture ware, personal protective equipment, sampling apparatus, catheters, tubing, pipes, radioactive contaminated articles, optical parts, electronic components, pharmaceutical apparatus, cosmetics manufacturing equipment, metal castings, forgings and stampings, industrial parts, tanks and reactors. Authorized by USDA for use in federally inspected meat and poultry plants. Passes inhibitory residue test for water analysis. FDA certified.

**Used to remove:** Soil, grit, grime, buffing compound, slime, grease, oils, blood, tissue, salts, deposits, particulates, solvents, chemicals, radioisotopes, radioactive contaminations, silicon oils, mold release agents.

**Surfaces cleaned:** Corrosion inhibited formulation recommended for glass, metal, stainless steel, porcelain, ceramic, plastic, rubber and fiberglass. Can be used on soft metals such as copper, aluminum, zinc and magnesium if rinsed promptly. Corrosion testing may be advisable.

**Cleaning method:** Soak, brush, sponge, cloth, ultrasonic, flow through clean-in-place. Will foam—not for spray or machine use.

**Directions:** Make a fresh 1% solution (2 1/2 Tbsp. per gal., 1 1/4 oz. per gal. or 10 grams per liter) in cold, warm, or hot water. If available use warm water. Use cold water for blood stains. For difficult soils, raise water temperature and use more detergent. Clean by soak, circulate, wipe, or ultrasonic method. Not for spray machines, will foam. For nonabrasive scouring, make paste. Use 2% solution to soak frozen stopcocks. To remove silver tarnish, soak in 1% solution in aluminum container. RINSE THOROUGHLY—preferably with running water. For critical cleaning, do final or all rinsing in distilled, deionized, or purified water. For food contact surfaces, rinse with potable water. Used on a wide range of glass, ceramic, plastic, and metal surfaces. Corrosion testing may be advisable.

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### \* 1 Identification

· **Product identifier**

· **Trade name: Precision Calibration Gas Mixture**

· **Product number:** G-3915

· **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

Used for calibration of gas measuring devices. Not suitable for human consumption.

· **Product description** Calibration gas mixture consisting of Hydrogen Cyanide and Nitrogen.

· **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

· **Manufacturer/Supplier:**

Gasco Affiliates, LLC

320 Scarlett Blvd.

Oldsmar, FL 34677

TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 910-0051

FAX NUMBER: (866) 755-8920

E-MAIL: info@gascogas.com

· **Emergency telephone number:**

Inside the US: 1-800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC, 24 hours)

Outside the US: 1-703-527-3887 (CHEMTREC, 24 hours)

### \* 2 Hazard(s) identification

· **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS04 Gas cylinder

Press. Gas            H280 Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.



GHS07

Acute Tox. 4            H312 Harmful in contact with skin.

Acute Tox. 4            H332 Harmful if inhaled.

Skin Irrit. 2            H315 Causes skin irritation.

Eye Irrit. 2B            H320 Causes eye irritation.

Simple Asphyxiant            May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation.

· **Label elements**

· **GHS label elements**

The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

· **Hazard pictograms**



GHS04    GHS07

· **Signal word** Warning

· **Hazard statements**

Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

Harmful in contact with skin or if inhaled.

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Causes skin and eye irritation.

May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation.

**Precautionary statements**

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Wear protective gloves.

Wear protective gloves / protective clothing.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing.

Specific treatment (see supplementary first aid instructions on this Safety Data Sheet).

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.

Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

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

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

**Unknown acute toxicity:**

100 percent of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

**Classification system:****NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)****HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**

|            |   |                |
|------------|---|----------------|
| HEALTH     | 2 | Health = 2     |
| FIRE       | 0 | Fire = 0       |
| REACTIVITY | 0 | Reactivity = 0 |

**Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC):** None known**\* 3 Composition/information on ingredients****Chemical characterization: Mixtures****Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.**Dangerous Components:**

|                                     |  |                  |
|-------------------------------------|--|------------------|
| CAS: 7727-37-9<br>RTECS: QW 9700000 | Nitrogen<br>Press. Gas, H280; Simple Asphyxiant  | 99.98 - 99.9999% |
| CAS: 74-90-8<br>RTECS: MW 6825000   | Hydrogen Cyanide<br>Flam. Liq. 1, H224; Acute Tox. 2, H300; Acute Tox. 1, H310; Acute Tox. 2, H330; Aquatic Acute 1, H400; Aquatic Chronic 1, H410 | 0.0001 - 0.02%   |

**\* 4 First-aid measures****Description of first aid measures****General information:**

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

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- **After inhalation:**

Get medical attention immediately. Move person to fresh air. If it is expected that fumes are still present, the rescuer should wear an appropriate mask or self-contained breathing apparatus.

In case of unconsciousness, place patient securely on side position for transportation.

- **After skin contact:**

Immediately wash skin with soap and plenty of water for at least 20 minutes.

In cases of contact with liquified material, frostbite may occur. Immerse frostbite in cool-warm water and seek medical attention.

If skin irritation occurs, consult a doctor.

- **After eye contact:**

Rinse opened eye for at least 15 minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

- **After swallowing:** Not a normal route of entry.

- **Information for doctor:**

- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:** No further relevant information available.

- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No further relevant information available.

### \* 5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**

- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**

Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.

Use water spray to cool fire-exposed containers.

- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Closed containers may explode when exposed to extreme heat.

If incinerated, product will release the following toxic fumes: Oxides of Nitrogen (NOx) and Hydrogen Cyanide gas.

- **Advice for firefighters**

This gas mixture is not flammable; however, containers, when involved in fire, may rupture or burst in the heat of the fire.

- **Protective equipment:**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand (NIOSH approved or equivalent), and full protective gear to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

### \* 6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

Keep people at a distance and stay upwind.

Treat any fumes as toxic.

- **Environmental precautions:** Inform authorities in case of gas release.

- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to section 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Dispose of the collected material according to regulations.

- **Reference to other sections**

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

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### \* 7 Handling and storage

· **Handling:**

· **Precautions for safe handling**

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Open and handle receptacle with care.

Be aware of any signs of dizziness or fatigue; exposures to fatal concentrations of this gas mixture could occur without any significant warning symptoms due to the potential for oxygen deficiency (simple asphyxiation). Do not attempt to adjust, repair or in any other way modify the cylinders containing this gas mixture. If there is a malfunction or another type of operational problem, contact nearest distributor immediately.

· **Information about protection against explosions and fires:**

Pressurized container: protect from sunlight and do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50 °C, i.e. electric lights. Do not pierce or burn, even after use.

Do not cut, grind or weld on container that contains or contained product.

Do not spray on a naked flame or any incandescent material.

· **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Store away from strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents and amines.

· **Storage:**

· **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:**

Store in a cool location.

Cylinders should be firmly secured to prevent falling or being knocked over. Cylinders must be protected from the environment, and preferably kept at room temperature. Cylinders should be stored in dry, well-ventilated areas, away from sources of heat, ignition, and direct sunlight. Protect cylinders against physical damage. Full and empty cylinders should be segregated. Use a "first-on, first-out" inventory system to prevent full containers from being stored for long periods of time.

· **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.

· **Further information about storage conditions:** Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.

· **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

### \* 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

· **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see section 7.

· **Control parameters**

All ventilation should be designed in accordance with OSHA standard (29 CFR 1910.94). Use mechanical (general) ventilation for storage areas. Use appropriate ventilation as required to keep Exposure Limits in Air below TLV & PEL limits.

· **Components with occupational exposure limits:**

**7727-37-9 Nitrogen**

TLV | withdrawn TLV, see App. F; simple asphyxiant

**74-90-8 Hydrogen Cyanide**

PEL | Long-term value: 11 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 10 ppm  
Skin

REL | Short-term value: 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 4.7 ppm  
Skin

TLV | Ceiling limit value: 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 4.7 ppm  
as CN; Skin

· **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation of this SDS were used as basis.

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· **Exposure controls**

· **Personal protective equipment:**

· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

· **Breathing equipment:**



Suitable respiratory protective device recommended.

· **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Select glove material based on penetration times, rates of diffusion and degradation.

· **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material cannot be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

· **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break-through time has to be determined and observed by the manufacturer of the protective gloves.

· **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

· **Body protection:**



Protective work clothing

### \* 9 Physical and chemical properties

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

**Form:**

Gaseous

**Color:**

Clear, colorless

· **Odor:**

Bitter almonds

· **Odor threshold:**

Not determined.

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- **pH-value:** Not determined.
- **Change in condition**
  - **Melting point/Melting range:** Not determined.
  - **Boiling point/Boiling range:** Not determined.
- **Flash point:** Not applicable.
- **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Product is not flammable.
- **Ignition temperature:**
  - **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.
- **Auto igniting:** Product is not self-igniting.
- **Danger of explosion:** Not determined.
- **Explosion limits:**
  - **Lower:** Not determined.
  - **Upper:** Not determined.
- **Vapor pressure:** Not determined.
- **Density:**
  - **Relative density** Not determined.
  - **Vapor density** Not determined.
  - **Evaporation rate** Not applicable.
- **Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:** Not miscible or difficult to mix.
- **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** Not determined.
- **Viscosity:**
  - **Dynamic:** Not determined.
  - **Kinematic:** Not determined.
- **Solvent content:**
  - **Organic solvents:** 0.0 %
- **Other information** No further relevant information available.

**\* 10 Stability and reactivity**

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability** Stable under normal conditions.
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** Strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents and amines.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** Nitrogen Oxides (NOx) and Hydrogen Cyanide gas.

**\* 11 Toxicological information**

- **Information on toxicological effects** The toxicity of this product is unknown.
- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
- **on the eye:** Irritating effect.

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Causes serious eye irritation.

· **Additional toxicological information:**

The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:

Harmful  
Irritant· **Carcinogenic categories**· **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**Group 1 - Carcinogenic to humans  
Group 2A - Probably carcinogenic to humans  
Group 2B - Possibly carcinogenic to humans  
Group 3 - Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans  
Group 4 - Probably not carcinogenic to humans

None of the ingredients are listed.

· **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

None of the ingredients are listed.

· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

None of the ingredients are listed.

\* **12 Ecological information**

- **Toxicity** The hazards for the aquatic environment are unknown.
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:** Not known to be hazardous to water.
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

\* **13 Disposal considerations**

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:**  
Release all residual gas pressure in a well ventilated area. Verify the cylinder is completely empty (0 PSIG).  
Remove or cover any hazard labels. Return empty cylinder for recycling.  
NOTE: Check with the local waste authority before placing any gas cylinder into waste container for pickup.  
GASCO encourages the consumer to return all cylinders.
- **Waste disposal key:**  
The U.S. EPA has not published waste disposal numbers for this product's components.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Return cylinder and unused product to supplier.

\* **14 Transport information**

- **UN-Number**
- **DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA** UN1956

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- **UN proper shipping name**
- **DOT**
- **ADR**
- **IMDG, IATA**
- **Transport hazard class(es)**

Compressed gas, n.o.s.  
 UN1956 Compressed gas, n.o.s.  
 COMPRESSED GAS, N.O.S.

- **DOT**



- **Class**
- **Label**

2.2  
 2.2

- **ADR**



- **Class**
- **Label**

2.2 1A  
 2.2

- **IMDG, IATA**



- **Class**
- **Label**
- **Packing group**
- **DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA**
- **Environmental hazards:**
- **Special precautions for user**
- **Danger code (Kemler):**
- **EMS Number:**
- **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code**
- **Transport/Additional information:**

2.2  
 2.2  
 Non-Regulated Material  
 Not applicable.  
 Not applicable.  
 20  
 F-C,S-V  
 Not applicable.

- **DOT**

- **Quantity limitations**

On passenger aircraft/rail: 75 kg  
 On cargo aircraft only: 150 kg

- **ADR**

- **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

Code: E1  
 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml  
 Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 ml

- **IMDG**

- **Limited quantities (LQ)**
- **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

120 ml  
 Code: E1  
 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml  
 Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 ml

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**Trade name: Precision Calibration Gas Mixture**· **UN "Model Regulation":** UN1956, Compressed gas, n.o.s., 2.2**\*15 Regulatory information**· **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**  
· **Sara**· **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

74-90-8 Hydrogen Cyanide

· **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

74-90-8 Hydrogen Cyanide

· **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

All ingredients are listed.

· **California Proposition 65**· **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

74-90-8 Hydrogen Cyanide

· **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

· **Carcinogenic categories**· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

74-90-8 Hydrogen Cyanide

II

· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

None of the ingredients are listed.

· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients are listed.

· **GHS label elements**

The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

· **Hazard pictograms**

GHS04 GHS07

· **Signal word** Warning· **Hazard statements**

Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

Harmful in contact with skin or if inhaled.

Causes skin and eye irritation.

May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation.

· **Precautionary statements**

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Wear protective gloves.

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Wear protective gloves / protective clothing.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Specific treatment (see supplementary first aid instructions on this Safety Data Sheet).

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.

Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

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

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

**· National regulations:**

The product is subject to be classified according with the latest version of the regulations on hazardous substances.

**· State Right to Know**

|                                     |  |                  |
|-------------------------------------|--|------------------|
| CAS: 7727-37-9<br>RTECS: QW 9700000 | Nitrogen<br>⚠ Press. Gas, H280; Simple Asphyxiant  | 99.98 - 99.9999% |
| CAS: 74-90-8<br>RTECS: MW 6825000   | Hydrogen Cyanide<br>⚠ Flam. Liq. 1, H224; ⚠ Acute Tox. 2, H300; Acute Tox. 1, H310; Acute Tox. 2, H330; ⚠ Aquatic Acute 1, H400; Aquatic Chronic 1, H410 | 0.0001 - 0.02%   |

All ingredients are listed.

**· Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.**\* 16 Other information****· Relevant phrases**

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ADR: The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

ADN: The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

Press. Gas: Gases under pressure: Compressed gas

Flam. Liq. 1: Flammable liquids, Hazard Category 1

Acute Tox. 2: Acute toxicity, Hazard Category 2

Acute Tox. 1: Acute toxicity, Hazard Category 1

Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity, Hazard Category 4

Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation, Hazard Category 2

Eye Irrit. 2B: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 2B

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Aquatic Acute 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - AcuteHazard, Category 1

Aquatic Chronic 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Hazard, Category 1

· \* **Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## Isobutylene

### Section 1. Identification

|                                      |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| <b>GHS product identifier</b>        | : Isobutylene   |
| <b>Chemical name</b>                 | : 2-methylpropene   |
| <b>Other means of identification</b> | : 1-Propene, 2-methyl-; Isobutene; Isobutylene; 1-Propene, 2-methyl- (isobutene)  |
| <b>Product use</b>                   | : Synthetic/Analytical chemistry.   |
| <b>Synonym</b>                       | : 1-Propene, 2-methyl-; Isobutene; Isobutylene; 1-Propene, 2-methyl- (isobutene)  |
| <b>SDS #</b>                         | : 001031  |
| <b>Supplier's details</b>            | : Airgas USA, LLC and its affiliates<br>259 North Radnor-Chester Road<br>Suite 100<br>Radnor, PA 19087-5283<br>1-610-687-5253 |
| <b>24-hour telephone</b>             | : 1-866-734-3438  |

### Section 2. Hazards identification

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>OSHA/HCS status</b>                            | : This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). |
| <b>Classification of the substance or mixture</b> | : FLAMMABLE GASES - Category 1<br>GASES UNDER PRESSURE - Liquefied gas                                |

#### GHS label elements

##### Hazard pictograms



##### Signal word

: Danger

##### Hazard statements

: Extremely flammable gas.  
May form explosive mixtures with air.  
Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.  
May cause frostbite.  
May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation.

#### Precautionary statements

##### General

: Read and follow all Safety Data Sheets (SDS'S) before use. Read label before use. Keep out of reach of children. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand. Close valve after each use and when empty. Use equipment rated for cylinder pressure. Do not open valve until connected to equipment prepared for use. Use a back flow preventative device in the piping. Use only equipment of compatible materials of construction. Always keep container in upright position. Approach suspected leak area with caution.

##### Prevention

: Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

##### Response

: Leaking gas fire: Do not extinguish, unless leak can be stopped safely. Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so.

##### Storage

: Protect from sunlight when ambient temperature exceeds 52°C/125°F. Store in a well-ventilated place.

##### Disposal

: Not applicable.

##### Hazards not otherwise classified

: In addition to any other important health or physical hazards, this product may displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation.

## Section 3. Composition/information on ingredients

|                                      |  |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| <b>Substance/mixture</b>             | : Substance  |
| <b>Chemical name</b>                 | : 2-methylpropene  |
| <b>Other means of identification</b> | : 1-Propene, 2-methyl-; Isobutene; Isobutylene; 1-Propene, 2-methyl- (isobutene) |

### CAS number/other identifiers

|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| <b>CAS number</b>   | : 115-11-7 |
| <b>Product code</b> | : 001031   |

| Ingredient name | %   | CAS number |
|-----------------|-----|------------|
| Isobutylene     | 100 | 115-11-7   |

Any concentration shown as a range is to protect confidentiality or is due to batch variation.

**There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as hazardous to health or the environment and hence require reporting in this section.**

Occupational exposure limits, if available, are listed in Section 8.

## Section 4. First aid measures

### Description of necessary first aid measures

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>Eye contact</b>  | : Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Continue to rinse for at least 10 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.   |
| <b>Inhalation</b>   | : Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If not breathing, if breathing is irregular or if respiratory arrest occurs, provide artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Get medical attention if adverse health effects persist or are severe. If unconscious, place in recovery position and get medical attention immediately. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. |
| <b>Skin contact</b> | : Flush contaminated skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. To avoid the risk of static discharges and gas ignition, soak contaminated clothing thoroughly with water before removing it. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Wash clothing before reuse. Clean shoes thoroughly before reuse.  |
| <b>Ingestion</b>    | : As this product is a gas, refer to the inhalation section.   |

### Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

#### Potential acute health effects

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>Eye contact</b>  | : No known significant effects or critical hazards.             |
| <b>Inhalation</b>   | : No known significant effects or critical hazards.             |
| <b>Skin contact</b> | : No known significant effects or critical hazards.             |
| <b>Frostbite</b>    | : Try to warm up the frozen tissues and seek medical attention. |
| <b>Ingestion</b>    | : As this product is a gas, refer to the inhalation section.    |

#### Over-exposure signs/symptoms

|                     |                     |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Eye contact</b>  | : No specific data. |
| <b>Inhalation</b>   | : No specific data. |
| <b>Skin contact</b> | : No specific data. |
| <b>Ingestion</b>    | : No specific data. |

### Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

|                            |   |
|----------------------------|---|
| <b>Notes to physician</b>  | : Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large quantities have been ingested or inhaled. |
| <b>Specific treatments</b> | : No specific treatment.  |

## Section 4. First aid measures

- Protection of first-aiders** : No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

See toxicological information (Section 11)

## Section 5. Fire-fighting measures

### Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media** : Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media** : None known.

- Specific hazards arising from the chemical** : Contains gas under pressure. Extremely flammable gas. In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst, with the risk of a subsequent explosion.

- Hazardous thermal decomposition products** : Decomposition products may include the following materials:  
carbon dioxide  
carbon monoxide

- Special protective actions for fire-fighters** : Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Contact supplier immediately for specialist advice. Move containers from fire area if this can be done without risk. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool. If involved in fire, shut off flow immediately if it can be done without risk. If this is impossible, withdraw from area and allow fire to burn. Fight fire from protected location or maximum possible distance. Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so.

- Special protective equipment for fire-fighters** : Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

## Section 6. Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

- For non-emergency personnel** : Accidental releases pose a serious fire or explosion hazard. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Shut off all ignition sources. No flares, smoking or flames in hazard area. Avoid breathing gas. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment.

- For emergency responders** : If specialised clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information in Section 8 on suitable and unsuitable materials. See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".

- Environmental precautions** : Ensure emergency procedures to deal with accidental gas releases are in place to avoid contamination of the environment. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

- Small spill** : Immediately contact emergency personnel. Stop leak if without risk. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment.
- Large spill** : Immediately contact emergency personnel. Stop leak if without risk. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Note: see Section 1 for emergency contact information and Section 13 for waste disposal.

## Section 7. Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

- Protective measures** : Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Contains gas under pressure. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing gas. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Do not enter storage areas and confined spaces unless adequately ventilated. Store and use away from heat, sparks, open flame or any other ignition source. Use explosion-proof electrical (ventilating, lighting and material handling) equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Empty containers retain product residue and can be hazardous. Do not puncture or incinerate container. Use equipment rated for cylinder pressure. Close valve after each use and when empty. Protect cylinders from physical damage; do not drag, roll, slide, or drop. Use a suitable hand truck for cylinder movement.
- Advice on general occupational hygiene** : Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. See also Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures.
- Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities** : Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in a segregated and approved area. Store away from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see Section 10). Eliminate all ignition sources. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Cylinders should be stored upright, with valve protection cap in place, and firmly secured to prevent falling or being knocked over. Cylinder temperatures should not exceed 52 °C (125 °F).

## Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Control parameters

#### Occupational exposure limits

| Ingredient name | Exposure limits   |
|-----------------|---|
| Isobutylene     | ACGIH TLV (United States, 3/2015).<br>TWA: 250 ppm 8 hours. |

- Appropriate engineering controls** : Use only with adequate ventilation. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or statutory limits. The engineering controls also need to keep gas, vapor or dust concentrations below any lower explosive limits. Use explosion-proof ventilation equipment.
- Environmental exposure controls** : Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable levels.

### Individual protection measures

- Hygiene measures** : Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.
- Eye/face protection** : Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists, gases or dusts. If contact is possible, the following protection should be worn, unless the assessment indicates a higher degree of protection: safety glasses with side-shields.

### Skin protection

## Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

- Hand protection** : Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Considering the parameters specified by the glove manufacturer, check during use that the gloves are still retaining their protective properties. It should be noted that the time to breakthrough for any glove material may be different for different glove manufacturers. In the case of mixtures, consisting of several substances, the protection time of the gloves cannot be accurately estimated.
- Body protection** : Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product. When there is a risk of ignition from static electricity, wear anti-static protective clothing. For the greatest protection from static discharges, clothing should include anti-static overalls, boots and gloves.
- Other skin protection** : Appropriate footwear and any additional skin protection measures should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.
- Respiratory protection** : Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.

## Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

### Appearance

- Physical state** : Gas. [Liquefied compressed gas.]
- Color** : Colorless.
- Molecular weight** : 56.12 g/mole
- Molecular formula** : C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>8</sub>
- Boiling/condensation point** : -6.9°C (19.6°F)
- Melting/freezing point** : -140.7°C (-221.3°F)
- Critical temperature** : 144.75°C (292.6°F)
- Odor** : Characteristic.
- Odor threshold** : Not available.
- pH** : Not available.
- Flash point** : Closed cup: -76.1°C (-105°F)
- Burning time** : Not applicable.
- Burning rate** : Not applicable.
- Evaporation rate** : Not available.
- Flammability (solid, gas)** : Extremely flammable in the presence of the following materials or conditions: open flames, sparks and static discharge and oxidizing materials.
- Lower and upper explosive (flammable) limits** : Lower: 1.8%  
Upper: 9.6%
- Vapor pressure** : 24.3 (psig)
- Vapor density** : 1.94 (Air = 1)
- Specific Volume (ft<sup>3</sup>/lb)** : 6.6845
- Gas Density (lb/ft<sup>3</sup>)** : 0.1496 (25°C / 77 to °F)
- Relative density** : Not applicable.
- Solubility** : Not available.
- Solubility in water** : 0.263 g/l
- Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water** : 2.34
- Auto-ignition temperature** : 465°C (869°F)
- Decomposition temperature** : Not available.
- SADT** : Not available.

## Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

**Viscosity** : Not applicable.

## Section 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity** : No specific test data related to reactivity available for this product or its ingredients.

**Chemical stability** : The product is stable.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions** : Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur.

**Conditions to avoid** : Avoid all possible sources of ignition (spark or flame). Do not pressurize, cut, weld, braze, solder, drill, grind or expose containers to heat or sources of ignition.

**Incompatible materials** : Oxidizers

**Hazardous decomposition products** : Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

**Hazardous polymerization** : Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous polymerization will not occur.

## Section 11. Toxicological information

### Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

| Product/ingredient name | Result                | Species | Dose                     | Exposure |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------------|----------|
| Isobutylene             | LC50 Inhalation Vapor | Rat     | 550000 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 4 hours  |

#### Irritation/Corrosion

Not available.

#### Sensitization

Not available.

#### Mutagenicity

Not available.

#### Carcinogenicity

Not available.

#### Reproductive toxicity

Not available.

#### Teratogenicity

Not available.

#### Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Not available.

#### Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

Not available.

#### Aspiration hazard

Not available.

## Section 11. Toxicological information

**Information on the likely routes of exposure** : Not available.

### Potential acute health effects

- Eye contact** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.  
**Inhalation** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.  
**Skin contact** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.  
**Ingestion** : As this product is a gas, refer to the inhalation section.

### Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

- Eye contact** : No specific data.  
**Inhalation** : No specific data.  
**Skin contact** : No specific data.  
**Ingestion** : No specific data.

### Delayed and immediate effects and also chronic effects from short and long term exposure

#### Short term exposure

- Potential immediate effects** : Not available.  
**Potential delayed effects** : Not available.

#### Long term exposure

- Potential immediate effects** : Not available.  
**Potential delayed effects** : Not available.

#### Potential chronic health effects

Not available.

- General** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.  
**Carcinogenicity** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.  
**Mutagenicity** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.  
**Teratogenicity** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.  
**Developmental effects** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.  
**Fertility effects** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

### Numerical measures of toxicity

#### Acute toxicity estimates

Not available.

## Section 12. Ecological information

### Toxicity

Not available.

### Persistence and degradability

Not available.

### Bioaccumulative potential

| Product/ingredient name | LogP <sub>ow</sub> | BCF | Potential |
|-------------------------|--------------------|-----|-----------|
| Isobutylene             | 2.34               | -   | low       |

## Section 12. Ecological information

### Mobility in soil

Soil/water partition coefficient ( $K_{oc}$ ) : Not available.

Other adverse effects : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

## Section 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal methods** : The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Waste should not be disposed of untreated to the sewer unless fully compliant with the requirements of all authorities with jurisdiction. Empty Airgas-owned pressure vessels should be returned to Airgas. Waste packaging should be recycled. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. Do not puncture or incinerate container.

## Section 14. Transport information

|                                   | DOT   | TDG   | Mexico   | IMDG   | IATA   |
|-----------------------------------|---|---|--|--|--|
| <b>UN number</b>                  | UN1055  | UN1055  | UN1055   | UN1055   | UN1055   |
| <b>UN proper shipping name</b>    | ISOBUTYLENE   | ISOBUTYLENE   | ISOBUTYLENE  | ISOBUTYLENE  | ISOBUTYLENE  |
| <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b> | 2.1<br>  | 2.1<br>  | 2.1<br> | 2.1<br> | 2.1<br>   |
| <b>Packing group</b>              | -   | -   | -  | -  | -  |
| <b>Environment</b>                | No.   | No.   | No.  | No.  | No.  |
| <b>Additional information</b>     | <p><b>Limited quantity</b><br/>Yes.</p> <p><b>Packaging instruction</b><br/><b>Passenger aircraft</b><br/>Quantity limitation:<br/>Forbidden.</p> <p><b>Cargo aircraft</b><br/>Quantity limitation: 150 kg</p> <p><b>Special provisions</b><br/>19, T50</p> | <p>Product classified as per the following sections of the Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations: 2.13-2.17 (Class 2).</p> <p><b>Explosive Limit and Limited Quantity Index</b><br/>0.125</p> <p><b>ERAP Index</b><br/>3000</p> <p><b>Passenger Carrying Ship Index</b><br/>Forbidden</p> <p><b>Passenger Carrying Road or Rail Index</b><br/>Forbidden</p> <p><b>Special provisions</b><br/>29</p> | -  | -  | <p><b>Passenger and Cargo Aircraft</b> Quantity limitation: 0 Forbidden<br/><b>Cargo Aircraft Only</b> Quantity limitation: 150 kg</p> |

“Refer to CFR 49 (or authority having jurisdiction) to determine the information required for shipment of the product.”

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**Special precautions for user** : **Transport within user's premises:** always transport in closed containers that are upright and secure. Ensure that persons transporting the product know what to do in the event of an accident or spillage.

**Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code** : Not available.

## Section 15. Regulatory information

**U.S. Federal regulations** : **TSCA 8(a) CDR Exempt/Partial exemption:** Not determined  
**United States inventory (TSCA 8b):** This material is listed or exempted.  
**Clean Air Act (CAA) 112 regulated flammable substances:** isobutylene

**Clean Air Act Section 112 (b) Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs)** : Not listed

**Clean Air Act Section 602 Class I Substances** : Not listed

**Clean Air Act Section 602 Class II Substances** : Not listed

**DEA List I Chemicals (Precursor Chemicals)** : Not listed

**DEA List II Chemicals (Essential Chemicals)** : Not listed

### SARA 302/304

#### Composition/information on ingredients

No products were found.

**SARA 304 RQ** : Not applicable.

### SARA 311/312

**Classification** : Fire hazard  
Sudden release of pressure

#### Composition/information on ingredients

| Name        | %   | Fire hazard | Sudden release of pressure | Reactive | Immediate (acute) health hazard | Delayed (chronic) health hazard |
|-------------|-----|-------------|----------------------------|----------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Isobutylene | 100 | Yes.        | Yes.                       | No.      | No.                             | No.                             |

### State regulations

**Massachusetts** : This material is listed.

**New York** : This material is not listed.

**New Jersey** : This material is listed.

**Pennsylvania** : This material is listed.

### International regulations

#### International lists

#### National inventory

**Australia** : This material is listed or exempted.

**Canada** : This material is listed or exempted.

**China** : This material is listed or exempted.

**Europe** : This material is listed or exempted.

**Japan** : This material is listed or exempted.

**Malaysia** : Not determined.

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- New Zealand** : This material is listed or exempted.  
**Philippines** : This material is listed or exempted.  
**Republic of Korea** : This material is listed or exempted.  
**Taiwan** : This material is listed or exempted.

### Canada

- WHMIS (Canada)** : Class A: Compressed gas.  
 Class B-1: Flammable gas.  
**CEPA Toxic substances**: This material is not listed.  
**Canadian ARET**: This material is not listed.  
**Canadian NPRI**: This material is listed.  
**Alberta Designated Substances**: This material is not listed.  
**Ontario Designated Substances**: This material is not listed.  
**Quebec Designated Substances**: This material is not listed.

## Section 16. Other information

- Canada Label requirements** : Class A: Compressed gas.  
 Class B-1: Flammable gas.

### Hazardous Material Information System (U.S.A.)

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| Health           | 1 |
| Flammability     | 4 |
| Physical hazards | 2 |
|                  |   |

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The customer is responsible for determining the PPE code for this material.

### National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)



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Copyright ©2001, National Fire Protection Association, Quincy, MA 02269. This warning system is intended to be interpreted and applied only by properly trained individuals to identify fire, health and reactivity hazards of chemicals. The user is referred to certain limited number of chemicals with recommended classifications in NFPA 49 and NFPA 325, which would be used as a guideline only. Whether the chemicals are classified by NFPA or not, anyone using the 704 systems to classify chemicals does so at their own risk.

### Procedure used to derive the classification

| Classification                                 | Justification                      |
|--|------------------------------------|
| Flam. Gas 1, H220<br>Press. Gas Liq. Gas, H280 | Expert judgment<br>Expert judgment |

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**Key to abbreviations** : ATE = Acute Toxicity Estimate  
BCF = Bioconcentration Factor  
GHS = Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals  
IATA = International Air Transport Association  
IBC = Intermediate Bulk Container  
IMDG = International Maritime Dangerous Goods  
LogPow = logarithm of the octanol/water partition coefficient  
MARPOL 73/78 = International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution From Ships, 1973 as modified by the Protocol of 1978. ("Marpol" = marine pollution)  
UN = United Nations

**References** : Not available.

✔ Indicates information that has changed from previously issued version.

### Notice to reader

To the best of our knowledge, the information contained herein is accurate. However, neither the above-named supplier, nor any of its subsidiaries, assumes any liability whatsoever for the accuracy or completeness of the information contained herein.

Final determination of suitability of any material is the sole responsibility of the user. All materials may present unknown hazards and should be used with caution. Although certain hazards are described herein, we cannot guarantee that these are the only hazards that exist.

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Prepared to U.S. OSHA, CMA, ANSI, Canadian WHMIS, Australian WorkSafe, Japanese Industrial Standard JIS Z 7250:2000, and European Union REACH Regulations



## SECTION 1 - PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: **LIQUINOX®**  
CHEMICAL FAMILY NAME: Detergent.  
PRODUCT USE: Critical-cleaning detergent for laboratory, healthcare and industrial applications  
U.N. NUMBER: Not Applicable  
U.N. DANGEROUS GOODS CLASS: Non-Regulated Material  
SUPPLIER/MANUFACTURER'S NAME: Alconox, Inc.  
ADDRESS: 30 Glenn St., Suite 309, White Plains, NY 10603. USA  
EMERGENCY PHONE: **TOLL-FREE in USA/Canada** 800-255-3924  
**International calls** 813-248-0585  
BUSINESS PHONE: 914-948-4040  
DATE OF PREPARATION: May 2011  
DATE OF LAST REVISION: February 2008

## SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:** This product is a pale yellow liquid no odor. Exposure can be irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin. It is a non-flammable liquid. The Environmental effects of this product have not been investigated.

US DOT SYMBOLS

CANADA (WHMIS) SYMBOLS

EUROPEAN and (GHS) Hazard Symbols

Non-Regulated

Not Controlled

None

Signal Word: **Caution!**

### EU LABELING AND CLASSIFICATION:

**Classification of the substance or mixture according to Regulation (EC) No1272/2008 Annex 1**

**EC# 231-791-2 This substance is not classified in the Annex I of Directive 67/548/EEC**

**EC# 268-356-1 This substance is not classified in the Annex I of Directive 67/548/EEC**

**CAS# 84133-50-6 Not Listed in EU Chemical Inventory**

**EC# 232-483-0 This substance is not classified in the Annex I of Directive 67/548/EEC**

**EC# 215-090-9 This substance is not classified in the Annex I of Directive 67/548/EEC**

**EC# 241-543-5 This substance is not classified in the Annex I of Directive 67/548/EEC**

### GHS Hazard Classification(s):

None

### Hazard Statement(s):

None

### Precautionary Statement(s):

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling

P271: Use only in well ventilated area.

### Hazard Symbol(s):

Not Classified

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**Risk Phrases:**

None

**Safety Phrases:**

S24/25: Avoid contact with skin and eyes

**HEALTH HAZARDS OR RISKS FROM EXPOSURE:**

**ACUTE:** Exposure to this product may cause irritation of the eyes, respiratory system and skin. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation including pain, vomiting or diarrhea.

**CHRONIC:** This product contains an ingredient which may be corrosive.

**TARGET ORGANS:**

ACUTE: Eye, respiratory System, Skin

CHRONIC: None Known

### SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION and INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

| HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS:  | CAS #      | EINECS #   | ICSC #     | WT %     | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION;<br>RISK PHRASES            |
|---|------------|------------|------------|----------|---|
| Water   | 7732-18-5  | 231-791-2  | Not Listed | 40 – 60% | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: None<br>RISK PHRASES: None |
| Sodium (C10 – C16)<br>Alkylbenzene Sulfonate  | 68081-81-2 | 268-356-1  | Not Listed | 10 – 20% | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: None<br>RISK PHRASES: None |
| Alcohol Ethoxylate  | 84133-50-6 | Not Listed | Not Listed | 1 – 5%   | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: None<br>RISK PHRASES: None |
| Coconut Diethanolamide  | 8051-30-7  | 232-483-0  | Not Listed | 1 – 5%   | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: None<br>RISK PHRASES: None |
| Sodium Xylene Sulfonate   | 1300-72-7  | 215-090-9  | 1514       | 2 – 7%   | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: None<br>RISK PHRASES: None |
| Tripotassium EDTA   | 17572-97-3 | 241-543-5  | Not Listed | 1 - 5%   | HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: None<br>RISK PHRASES: None |
| Balance of other ingredients are non-hazardous or less than 1% in concentration (or 0.1% for carcinogens, reproductive toxins, or respiratory sensitizers). |            |            |            |          |   |

**NOTE:** ALL WHMIS required information is included in appropriate sections based on the ANSI Z400.1-2004 format. This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR, EU Directives and the Japanese Industrial Standard *JIS Z 7250: 2000*.

### SECTION 4 - FIRST-AID MEASURES

Contaminated individuals of chemical exposure must be taken for medical attention if any adverse effect occurs. Rescuers should be taken for medical attention, if necessary. Take copy of label and MSDS to health professional with contaminated individual.

**EYE CONTACT:** If product enters the eyes, open eyes while under gentle running water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Seek medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Remove contaminated clothing. Launder before re-use.

**INHALATION:** If breathing becomes difficult, remove victim to fresh air. If necessary, use artificial respiration to support vital functions. Seek medical attention if breathing difficulty continues.

**INGESTION:** If product is swallowed, call physician or poison control center for most current information. If professional advice is not available, do not induce vomiting. Never induce vomiting or give diluents (milk or water) to someone who is unconscious, having convulsions, or who cannot swallow. Seek medical advice. Take a copy of the label and/or MSDS with the victim to the health professional.

**MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE:** Pre-existing skin, or eye problems may be aggravated by prolonged contact.

**RECOMMENDATIONS TO PHYSICIANS:** Treat symptoms and reduce over-exposure.

### SECTION 5 - FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

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**FLASH POINT:**

Not Flammable

**AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE:**

Not Applicable

**FLAMMABLE LIMITS (in air by volume, %):**Lower (LEL): NA      Upper (UEL): NA**FIRE EXTINGUISHING MATERIALS:**

As appropriate for surrounding fire. Carbon dioxide, foam, dry chemical, halon, or water spray.

**UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:**

This product is non-flammable, however containers may rupture if exposed to heat or fire.

Explosion Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact:

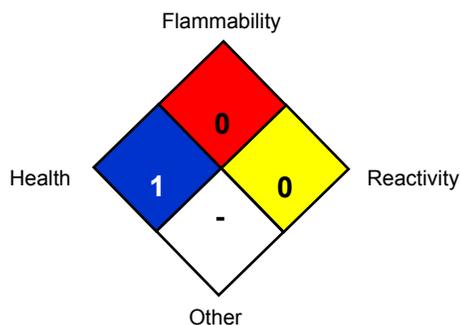
Not Sensitive.

Explosion Sensitivity to Static Discharge:

Not Sensitive

**SPECIAL FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES:**

Incipient fire responders should wear eye protection. Structural firefighters must wear Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus and full protective equipment. Isolate materials not yet involved in the fire and protect personnel. Move containers from fire area if this can be done without risk; otherwise, cool with carefully applied water spray. If possible, prevent runoff water from entering storm drains, bodies of water, or other environmentally sensitive areas.

**NFPA RATING SYSTEM****HMIS RATING SYSTEM**

| HAZARDOUS MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM             |             |       |            |
|--|-------------|-------|------------|
| HEALTH HAZARD (BLUE)                                 |             |       | 1          |
| FLAMMABILITY HAZARD (RED)                            |             |       | 0          |
| PHYSICAL HAZARD (YELLOW)                             |             |       | 0          |
| PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT                                 |             |       |            |
| EYES   | RESPIRATORY | HANDS | BODY       |
|  | See Sect 8  |       | See Sect 8 |
| For Routine Industrial Use and Handling Applications |             |       |            |

Hazard Scale: 0 = Minimal 1 = Slight 2 = Moderate 3 = Serious 4 = Severe \* = Chronic hazard

## SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**SPILL AND LEAK RESPONSE:** Personnel should be trained for spill response operations.**SPILLS:** Contain spill if safe to do so. Prevent entry into drains, sewers, and other waterways. Soak up with an absorbent material and place in an appropriate container for disposal. Dispose of in accordance with applicable Federal, State, and local procedures (see Section 13, Disposal Considerations).

## SECTION 7 - HANDLING and STORAGE

**WORK PRACTICES AND HYGIENE PRACTICES:** As with all chemicals, avoid getting this product ON YOU or IN YOU. Wash thoroughly after handling this product. Do not eat, drink, smoke, or apply cosmetics while handling this product. Avoid breathing dusts generated by this product. Use in a well-ventilated location. Remove contaminated clothing immediately.**STORAGE AND HANDLING PRACTICES:** Containers of this product must be properly labeled. Store containers in a cool, dry location. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Store away from strong acids or oxidizers.

## SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS - PERSONAL PROTECTION

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## EXPOSURE LIMITS/GUIDELINES:

| Chemical Name                                | CAS#       | ACGIH TWA  | OSHA TWA   | SWA        |
|--|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Water  | 7732-18-5  | Not Listed | Not Listed | Not Listed |
| Sodium (C10 – C16)<br>Alkylbenzene Sulfonate | 68081-81-2 | Not Listed | Not Listed | Not Listed |
| Alcohol Ethoxylate                           | 84133-50-6 | Not Listed | Not Listed | Not Listed |
| Coconut Diethanolamide                       | 8051-30-7  | Not Listed | Not Listed | Not Listed |
| Sodium Xylene Sulfonate                      | 1300-72-7  | Not Listed | Not Listed | Not Listed |
| Tripotassium EDTA                            | 17572-97-3 | Not Listed | Not Listed | Not Listed |

Currently, International exposure limits are not established for the components of this product. Please check with competent authority in each country for the most recent limits in place.

**VENTILATION AND ENGINEERING CONTROLS:** Use with adequate ventilation to ensure exposure levels are maintained below the limits provided below. Use local exhaust ventilation to control airborne dust. Ensure eyewash/safety shower stations are available near areas where this product is used.

*The following information on appropriate Personal Protective Equipment is provided to assist employers in complying with OSHA regulations found in 29 CFR Subpart I (beginning at 1910.132) or equivalent standard of Canada, or standards of EU member states (including EN 149 for respiratory PPE, and EN 166 for face/eye protection), and those of Japan. Please reference applicable regulations and standards for relevant details.*

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** Maintain airborne contaminant concentrations below guidelines listed above, if applicable. If necessary, use only respiratory protection authorized in the U.S. Federal OSHA Respiratory Protection Standard (29 CFR 1910.134), equivalent U.S. State standards, Canadian CSA Standard Z94.4-93, the European Standard EN149, or EU member states.

**EYE PROTECTION:** Safety glasses. If necessary, refer to U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.133 or appropriate Canadian Standards.

**HAND PROTECTION:** Use chemical resistant gloves to prevent skin contact.. If necessary, refer to U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.138 or appropriate Standards of Canada.

**BODY PROTECTION:** Use body protection appropriate to prevent contact (e.g. lab coat, overalls). If necessary, refer to appropriate Standards of Canada, or appropriate Standards of the EU, Australian Standards, or relevant Japanese Standards.

## SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

|  |                                  |
|--|----------------------------------|
| <b>PHYSICAL STATE:</b>                   | Liquid                           |
| <b>APPEARANCE &amp; ODOR:</b>            | Pale yellow liquid with no odor. |
| <b>ODOR THRESHOLD (PPM):</b>             | Not Available                    |
| <b>VAPOR PRESSURE (mmHg):</b>            | 17 @ 20°C (68°F)                 |
| <b>VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1):</b>            | >1                               |
| <b>BY WEIGHT:</b>                        | Not Available                    |
| <b>EVAPORATION RATE (nBuAc = 1):</b>     | <1                               |
| <b>BOILING POINT (C°):</b>               | 100°C (212°F)                    |
| <b>FREEZING POINT (C°):</b>              | Not Available                    |
| <b>pH:</b>                               | 8.5                              |
| <b>SPECIFIC GRAVITY 20°C: (WATER =1)</b> | 1.083                            |
| <b>SOLUBILITY IN WATER (%):</b>          | Complete                         |
| <b>COEFFICIENT OF WATER/OIL DIST.:</b>   | Not Available                    |
| <b>VOC:</b>                              | None                             |
| <b>CHEMICAL FAMILY:</b>                  | Detergent                        |

## SECTION 10 - STABILITY and REACTIVITY

**STABILITY:** Product is stable

**DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** When heated to decomposition this product produces Oxides of carbon (COx), and Hydrocarbons

**MATERIALS WITH WHICH SUBSTANCE IS INCOMPATIBLE:** Strong acids and strong oxidizing agents.

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** Will not occur.

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Contact with incompatible materials.

## SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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**TOXICITY DATA:** Toxicity data is not available for mixture:

**SUSPECTED CANCER AGENT:** None of the ingredients are found on the following lists: FEDERAL OSHA Z LIST, NTP, CAL/OSHA, IARC and therefore is not considered to be, nor suspected to be a cancer-causing agent by these agencies.

**IRRITANCY OF PRODUCT:** Contact with this product can be irritating to exposed skin, eyes and respiratory system.

**SENSITIZATION OF PRODUCT:** This product is not considered a sensitizer.

**REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY INFORMATION:** No information concerning the effects of this product and its components on the human reproductive system.

## SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**ALL WORK PRACTICES MUST BE AIMED AT ELIMINATING ENVIRONMENTAL CONTAMINATION.**

**ENVIRONMENTAL STABILITY:** No Data available at this time.

**EFFECT OF MATERIAL ON PLANTS or ANIMALS:** No evidence is currently available on this product's effects on plants or animals.

**EFFECT OF CHEMICAL ON AQUATIC LIFE:** No evidence is currently available on this product's effects on aquatic life.

## SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**PREPARING WASTES FOR DISPOSAL:** Waste disposal must be in accordance with appropriate Federal, State, and local regulations, those of Canada, Australia, EU Member States and Japan.

## SECTION 14 - TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

**US DOT; IATA; IMO; ADR:**

**THIS PRODUCT IS NOT HAZARDOUS AS DEFINED BY 49 CFR 172.101 BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.**

**PROPER SHIPPING NAME:** Non-Regulated Material

**HAZARD CLASS NUMBER and DESCRIPTION:** Not Applicable

**UN IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:** Not Applicable

**PACKING GROUP:** Not Applicable.

**DOT LABEL(S) REQUIRED:** Not Applicable

**NORTH AMERICAN EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK NUMBER (2004):** Not Applicable

**MARINE POLLUTANT:** None of the ingredients are classified by the DOT as a Marine Pollutant (as defined by 49 CFR 172.101, Appendix B)

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (DOT) SHIPPING REGULATIONS:**

This product is not classified as dangerous goods, per U.S. DOT regulations, under 49 CFR 172.101.

**TRANSPORT CANADA, TRANSPORTATION OF DANGEROUS GOODS REGULATIONS:**

This product is not classified as Dangerous Goods, per regulations of Transport Canada.

**INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION (IATA):**

This product is not classified as Dangerous Goods, by rules of IATA:

**INTERNATIONAL MARITIME ORGANIZATION (IMO) DESIGNATION:**

This product is not classified as Dangerous Goods by the International Maritime Organization.

**EUROPEAN AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL CARRIAGE OF DANGEROUS GOODS BY ROAD (ADR):**

This product is not classified by the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe to be dangerous goods.

## SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

### UNITED STATES REGULATIONS

**SARA REPORTING REQUIREMENTS:** This product is not subject to the reporting requirements of Sections 302, 304 and 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act., as follows: None

**TSCA:** All components in this product are listed on the US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory of chemicals.

**SARA 311/312:**

Acute Health: Yes                      Chronic Health: No                      Fire: No                      Reactivity: No

**U.S. SARA THRESHOLD PLANNING QUANTITY:** There are no specific Threshold Planning Quantities for this product. The default Federal MSDS submission and inventory requirement filing threshold of 10,000 lb (4,540 kg) may apply, per 40 CFR 370.20.

**U.S. CERCLA REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ):** None

**CALIFORNIA SAFE DRINKING WATER AND TOXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT (PROPOSITION 65):** None of the ingredients are on the California Proposition 65 lists.

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### CANADIAN REGULATIONS:

**CANADIAN DSL/NDL INVENTORY STATUS:** All of the components of this product are on the DSL Inventory

**CANADIAN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT (CEPA) PRIORITIES SUBSTANCES LISTS:** No component of this product is on the CEPA First Priorities Substance Lists.

**CANADIAN WHMIS CLASSIFICATION and SYMBOLS:** This product is categorized as a Not Controlled Product, as per the Controlled Product Regulations

### EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY INFORMATION:

#### **EU LABELING AND CLASSIFICATION:**

**Classification of the mixture according to Regulation (EC) No1272/2008. See section 2 for details.**

### AUSTRALIAN INFORMATION FOR PRODUCT:

**AUSTRALIAN INVENTORY OF CHEMICAL SUBSTANCES (AICS) STATUS:** All components of this product are listed on the AICS.

**STANDARD FOR THE UNIFORM SCHEDULING OF DRUGS AND POISONS:** Not applicable.

### JAPANESE INFORMATION FOR PRODUCT:

**JAPANESE MINISTER OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY (MITI) STATUS:** The components of this product are not listed as Class I Specified Chemical Substances, Class II Specified Chemical Substances, or Designated Chemical Substances by the Japanese MITI.

### INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL INVENTORIES:

Listing of the components on individual country Chemical Inventories is as follows:

|   |        |
|---|--------|
| Asia-Pac:   | Listed |
| Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS):                 | Listed |
| Korean Existing Chemicals List (ECL):                               | Listed |
| Japanese Existing National Inventory of Chemical Substances (ENCS): | Listed |
| Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS): | Listed |
| Swiss Giftliste List of Toxic Substances:                           | Listed |
| U.S. TSCA:  | Listed |

## SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

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**Disclaimer:** To the best of Alconox, Inc. knowledge, the information contained herein is reliable and accurate as of this date; however, accuracy, suitability or completeness is not guaranteed and no warranties of any type either express or implied are provided. The information contained herein relates only to this specific product.

### **ANNEX:**

#### **IDENTIFIED USES OF LIQUINOX® AND DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

**Used to clean:** Healthcare instruments, laboratory ware, vacuum equipment, tissue culture ware, personal protective equipment, sampling apparatus, catheters, tubing, disk drives, clean rooms, medical devices, optical parts, electronic components, pharmaceutical apparatus, cosmetics manufacturing equipment, metal castings, forgings and stampings, industrial parts, pipes, tanks and reactors. Authorized by USDA for use in federally inspected meat and poultry plants. Passes inhibitory residue test for water analysis. Used for phosphate sensitive analysis ware. FDA certified. Used to remove: Soil, grit, grime, slime, grease, oils, blood, tissue, particulates, deposits, chemical and solvents.

**Surfaces cleaned:** Corrosion inhibited formulation recommended for glass, metal, stainless steel, porcelain, ceramic, plastic, cement and fiberglass. Can be used on soft metals such as copper, aluminum, zinc and magnesium if rinsed promptly. Used for art restoration. Corrosion testing may be advisable.

**Cleaning method:** Soak, brush, sponge, cloth, ultrasonic, flow through clean-in-place. Will foam—not for spray or machine use.

**Directions:** Make a fresh 1% solution (2 1/2 Tbsp. per gal., 1 1/4 oz. per gal. or 10 ml per liter) in cold, warm or hot

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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water. If available, use warm water. Use cold water for blood stains. For difficult soils, raise water temperature and use more detergent. Clean by soak, circulate, wipe or ultrasonic method. Not for spray machines, will foam. RINSE THOROUGHLY—preferably with running water. For critical cleaning, do final or all rinsing in distilled, deionized or purified water. For food contact surfaces, rinse with potable water. Used on a wide range of glass, ceramic, plastic and metal surfaces. Corrosion testing may be advisable.



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| Health              | 2 |
| Fire                | 3 |
| Reactivity          | 0 |
| Personal Protection | H |

## Material Safety Data Sheet

### Methyl alcohol MSDS

#### Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification

**Product Name:** Methyl alcohol

**Catalog Codes:** SLM3064, SLM3952

**CAS#:** 67-56-1

**RTECS:** PC1400000

**TSCA:** TSCA 8(b) inventory: Methyl alcohol

**CI#:** Not applicable.

**Synonym:** Wood alcohol, Methanol; Methylol; Wood Spirit; Carbinol

**Chemical Name:** Methanol

**Chemical Formula:** CH<sub>3</sub>OH

**Contact Information:**

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#### Section 2: Composition and Information on Ingredients

**Composition:**

| Name           | CAS #   | % by Weight |
|----------------|---------|-------------|
| Methyl alcohol | 67-56-1 | 100         |

**Toxicological Data on Ingredients:** Methyl alcohol: ORAL (LD50): Acute: 5628 mg/kg [Rat]. DERMAL (LD50): Acute: 15800 mg/kg [Rabbit]. VAPOR (LC50): Acute: 64000 ppm 4 hours [Rat].

#### Section 3: Hazards Identification

**Potential Acute Health Effects:**

Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation. Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (permeator). Severe over-exposure can result in death.

**Potential Chronic Health Effects:**

Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (sensitizer). CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Mutagenic for mammalian somatic cells. Mutagenic for bacteria and/or yeast. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Classified POSSIBLE for human. DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Not available. The substance is toxic to eyes. The substance may be toxic to blood, kidneys, liver, brain, peripheral nervous system, upper respiratory tract, skin, central nervous system (CNS), optic nerve. Repeated or prolonged exposure to the substance can produce target organs damage. Repeated exposure to a highly toxic material may produce general deterioration of health by an accumulation in one or many human organs.

#### Section 4: First Aid Measures

**Eye Contact:**

Check for and remove any contact lenses. Immediately flush eyes with running water for at least 15 minutes, keeping eyelids open. Cold water may be used. Get medical attention.

**Skin Contact:**

In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Cold water may be used. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. Get medical attention immediately.

**Serious Skin Contact:**

Wash with a disinfectant soap and cover the contaminated skin with an anti-bacterial cream. Seek immediate medical attention.

**Inhalation:**

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention immediately.

**Serious Inhalation:**

Evacuate the victim to a safe area as soon as possible. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. **WARNING:** It may be hazardous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation when the inhaled material is toxic, infectious or corrosive. Seek immediate medical attention.

**Ingestion:**

If swallowed, do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. Get medical attention immediately.

**Serious Ingestion:** Not available.

## Section 5: Fire and Explosion Data

**Flammability of the Product:** Flammable.

**Auto-Ignition Temperature:** 464°C (867.2°F)

**Flash Points:** CLOSED CUP: 12°C (53.6°F). OPEN CUP: 16°C (60.8°F).

**Flammable Limits:** LOWER: 6% UPPER: 36.5%

**Products of Combustion:** These products are carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>).

**Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:**

Highly flammable in presence of open flames and sparks, of heat. Non-flammable in presence of shocks.

**Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:**

Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: Not available. Explosive in presence of open flames and sparks, of heat.

**Fire Fighting Media and Instructions:**

Flammable liquid, soluble or dispersed in water. **SMALL FIRE:** Use DRY chemical powder. **LARGE FIRE:** Use alcohol foam, water spray or fog.

**Special Remarks on Fire Hazards:**

Explosive in the form of vapor when exposed to heat or flame. Vapor may travel considerable distance to source of ignition and flash back. When heated to decomposition, it emits acrid smoke and irritating fumes. **CAUTION: MAY BURN WITH NEAR INVISIBLE FLAME**

**Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards:**

Forms an explosive mixture with air due to its low flash point. Explosive when mixed with Chloroform + sodium methoxide and diethyl zinc. It boils violently and explodes.

## Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

**Small Spill:**

Dilute with water and mop up, or absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container.

**Large Spill:**

Flammable liquid. Poisonous liquid. Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Stop leak if without risk. Absorb with DRY earth, sand or other non-combustible material. Do not get water inside container. Do not touch spilled material. Use water spray to reduce vapors. Prevent entry into sewers, basements or confined areas; dike if needed. Call for assistance on disposal. Be careful that the product is not present at a concentration level above TLV. Check TLV on the MSDS and with local authorities.

## Section 7: Handling and Storage

**Precautions:**

Keep locked up.. Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Ground all equipment containing material. Do not ingest. Do not breathe gas/fumes/ vapor/spray. Wear suitable protective clothing. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. If ingested, seek medical advice immediately and show the container or the label. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Keep away from incompatibles such as oxidizing agents, metals, acids.

**Storage:**

Store in a segregated and approved area. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Avoid all possible sources of ignition (spark or flame).

## Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls:**

Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors below their respective threshold limit value. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are proximal to the work-station location.

**Personal Protection:**

Splash goggles. Lab coat. Vapor respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Gloves.

**Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill:**

Splash goggles. Full suit. Vapor respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.

**Exposure Limits:**

TWA: 200 from OSHA (PEL) [United States] TWA: 200 STEL: 250 (ppm) from ACGIH (TLV) [United States] [1999] STEL: 250 from NIOSH [United States] TWA: 200 STEL: 250 (ppm) from NIOSH SKIN TWA: 200 STEL: 250 (ppm) [Canada] Consult local authorities for acceptable exposure limits.

## Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

**Physical state and appearance:** Liquid.

**Odor:** Alcohol like. Pungent when crude.

**Taste:** Not available.

**Molecular Weight:** 32.04 g/mole

**Color:** Colorless.

**pH (1% soln/water):** Not available.

**Boiling Point:** 64.5°C (148.1°F)

**Melting Point:** -97.8°C (-144°F)

**Critical Temperature:** 240°C (464°F)

**Specific Gravity:** 0.7915 (Water = 1)

**Vapor Pressure:** 12.3 kPa (@ 20°C)

**Vapor Density:** 1.11 (Air = 1)

**Volatility:** Not available.

**Odor Threshold:** 100 ppm

**Water/Oil Dist. Coeff.:** The product is more soluble in water;  $\log(\text{oil/water}) = -0.8$

**Ionicity (in Water):** Non-ionic.

**Dispersion Properties:** See solubility in water.

**Solubility:** Easily soluble in cold water, hot water.

## Section 10: Stability and Reactivity Data

**Stability:** The product is stable.

**Instability Temperature:** Not available.

**Conditions of Instability:** Heat, ignition sources, incompatible materials

**Incompatibility with various substances:** Reactive with oxidizing agents, metals, acids.

**Corrosivity:** Non-corrosive in presence of glass.

### Special Remarks on Reactivity:

Can react vigorously with oxidizers. Violent reaction with alkyl aluminum salts, acetyl bromide, chloroform + sodium methoxide, chromic anhydride, cyanuric chloride, lead perchlorate, phosphorous trioxide, nitric acid. Exothermic reaction with sodium hydroxide + chloroform. Incompatible with beryllium dihydride, metals (potassium and magnesium), oxidants (barium perchlorate, bromine, sodium hypochlorite, chlorine, hydrogen peroxide), potassium tert-butoxide, carbon tetrachloride, alkali metals, metals (aluminum, potassium magnesium, zinc), and dichloromethane. Rapid autocatalytic dissolution of aluminum, magnesium or zinc in 9:1 methanol + carbon tetrachloride - sufficiently vigorous to be rated as potentially hazardous. May attack some plastics, rubber, and coatings.

**Special Remarks on Corrosivity:** Not available.

**Polymerization:** Will not occur.

## Section 11: Toxicological Information

**Routes of Entry:** Absorbed through skin. Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

### Toxicity to Animals:

WARNING: THE LC50 VALUES HEREUNDER ARE ESTIMATED ON THE BASIS OF A 4-HOUR EXPOSURE. Acute oral toxicity (LD50): 5628 mg/kg [Rat]. Acute dermal toxicity (LD50): 15800 mg/kg [Rabbit]. Acute toxicity of the vapor (LC50): 64000 4 hours [Rat].

### Chronic Effects on Humans:

MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Mutagenic for mammalian somatic cells. Mutagenic for bacteria and/or yeast. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Classified POSSIBLE for human. Causes damage to the following organs: eyes. May cause damage to the following organs: blood, kidneys, liver, brain, peripheral nervous system, upper respiratory tract, skin, central nervous system (CNS), optic nerve.

### Other Toxic Effects on Humans:

Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation. Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (permeator).

**Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals:** Not available.

**Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans:**

Passes through the placental barrier. May affect genetic material. May cause birth defects and adverse reproductive effects(paternal and maternal effects and fetotoxicity ) based on animal studies.

**Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans:**

## Section 12: Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity:** Ecotoxicity in water (LC50): 29400 mg/l 96 hours [Fathead Minnow].

**BOD5 and COD:** Not available.

**Products of Biodegradation:**

Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.

**Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation:** The products of degradation are less toxic than the product itself.

**Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation:**

Methanol in water is rapidly biodegraded and volatilized. Aquatic hydrolysis, oxidation, photolysis, adsorption to sediment, and bioconcentration are not significant fate processes. The half-life of methanol in surfact water ranges from 24 hrs. to 168 hrs. Based on its vapor pressure, methanol exists almost entirely in the vapor phase in the ambient atmosphere. It is degraded by reaction with photochemically produced hydroxyl radicals and has an estimated half-life of 17.8 days. Methanol is physically removed from air by rain due to its solubility. Methanol can react with NO<sub>2</sub> in polluted to form methyl nitrate. The half-life of methanol in air ranges from 71 hrs. (3 days) to 713 hrs. (29.7 days) based on photooxidation half-life in air.

## Section 13: Disposal Considerations

**Waste Disposal:**

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local environmental control regulations.

## Section 14: Transport Information

**DOT Classification:** CLASS 3: Flammable liquid.

**Identification:** : Methyl alcohol UNNA: 1230 PG: II

**Special Provisions for Transport:** Not available.

## Section 15: Other Regulatory Information

**Federal and State Regulations:**

Connecticut hazardous material survey.: Methyl alcohol Illinois toxic substances disclosure to employee act: Methyl alcohol Illinois chemical safety act: Methyl alcohol New York release reporting list: Methyl alcohol Rhode Island RTK hazardous substances: Methyl alcohol Pennsylvania RTK: Methyl alcohol Minnesota: Methyl alcohol Massachusetts RTK: Methyl alcohol Massachusetts spill list: Methyl alcohol New Jersey: Methyl alcohol New Jersey spill list: Methyl alcohol Louisiana spill reporting: Methyl alcohol California Directors List of Hazardous Substances (8CCR 339): Methyl alcohol Tennessee Hazardous Right to Know : Methyl alcohol TSCA 8(b) inventory: Methyl alcohol SARA 313 toxic chemical notification and release reporting: Methyl alcohol CERCLA: Hazardous substances.: Methyl alcohol: 5000 lbs. (2268 kg)

**Other Regulations:**

OSHA: Hazardous by definition of Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). EINECS: This product is on the European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances.

**Other Classifications:**

**WHMIS (Canada):**

CLASS B-2: Flammable liquid with a flash point lower than 37.8°C (100°F). CLASS D-1B: Material causing immediate and serious toxic effects (TOXIC). CLASS D-2A: Material causing other toxic effects (VERY TOXIC). Class D-2B: Material causing other toxic effects (TOXIC).

**DSCL (EEC):**

R11- Highly flammable. R23/24/25- Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. R39- Danger of very serious irreversible effects. R39/23/24/25- Toxic: danger of very serious irreversible effects through inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. S7- Keep container tightly closed. S16- Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. S36/37- Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves. S45- In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

**HMIS (U.S.A.):**

**Health Hazard:** 2

**Fire Hazard:** 3

**Reactivity:** 0

**Personal Protection:** h

**National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.):**

**Health:** 1

**Flammability:** 3

**Reactivity:** 0

**Specific hazard:**

**Protective Equipment:**

Gloves. Lab coat. Vapor respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Splash goggles.

**Section 16: Other Information****References:**

-SAX, N.I. Dangerous Properties of Industrial Materials. Toronto, Van Nostrand Reinold, 6e ed. 1984. -Material safety data sheet emitted by: la Commission de la Sant   et de la S  curit   du Travail du Qu  bec. -Hawley, G.G.. The Condensed Chemical Dictionary, 11e ed., New York N.Y., Van Nostrand Reinold, 1987. LOLI, HSDB, RTECS, HAZARDTEXT, REPROTOX databases

**Other Special Considerations:** Not available.

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**Section 1: IDENTIFICATION****Product Name:** Simple Green® All-Purpose Cleaner**Additional Names:****Manufacturer's Part Number:** \*Please refer to Section 16**Recommended Use:** Cleaner & Degreaser for water tolerant surfaces.**Restrictions on Use:** Do not use on non-rinseable surfaces.**Company:** Sunshine Makers, Inc.

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**Telephone:** 800-228-0709 • 562-795-6000 *Mon – Fri, 8am – 5pm PST***Fax:** 562-592-3830**Email:** [info@simplegreen.com](mailto:info@simplegreen.com)**Emergency Phone:** Chem-Tel 24-Hour Emergency Service: 800-255-3924**Section 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION****This product is not considered hazardous under 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).**OSHA HCS 2012Label Elements**Signal Word:** None**Hazard Symbol(s)/Pictogram(s):** None required**Hazard Statements:** None**Precautionary Statements:** None**Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC):** None**Other Information:** None Known**Section 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

| <u>Ingredient</u>   | <u>CAS Number</u>   | <u>Percent Range</u> |
|---|---------------------|----------------------|
| Water   | 7732-18-5           | > 85.000%*           |
| Surfactant  | Proprietary         | < 5.000%*            |
| C9-11 Alcohols Ethoxylated  | 68439-46-3          | < 5.000%*            |
| Tetrasodium Glutamate Diacetate                                     | 51981-21-6          | < 2.000%*            |
| Sodium Bicarbonate  | 144-55-8            | < 1.000%*            |
| Hydrochloric Acid   | 7647-01-0           | < 1.000%*            |
| Fragrances  | Proprietary Mixture | < 1.000%*            |
| Blend of Polyoxyalkylene Substituted Chromophores (Cyan and Yellow) | Proprietary Mixture | < 0.100%*            |
| Anethole  | 104-46-1            | < 0.100%*            |
| Eucalyptol  | 470-82-6            | < 0.100%*            |
| Methylchloroisothiazolinone   | 26172-55-4          | < 0.001%*            |
| Methylisothiazolinone   | 2682-20-4           | < 0.0001%*           |

*\*specific percentages of composition are being withheld as a trade secret***Section 4: FIRST-AID MEASURES****Inhalation:** Not expected to cause respiratory irritation. If adverse effect occurs, move to fresh air.**Skin Contact:** Not expected to cause skin irritation. If adverse effect occurs, rinse skin with water.**Eye Contact:** Not expected to cause eye irritation. If adverse effect occurs, flush eyes with water.**Ingestion:** May cause upset stomach. Drink plenty of water to dilute. See section 11.**Most Important Symptoms/Effects, Acute and Delayed:** None known.**Indication of Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed, if necessary:** Treat symptomatically

**Section 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

**Suitable & Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:** Use Dry chemical, CO<sub>2</sub>, water spray or “alcohol” foam. Avoid high volume jet water.  
**Specific Hazards Arising from Chemical:** In event of fire, fire created carbon oxides may be formed.  
**Special Protective Actions for Fire-Fighters:** Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus; Wear full protective clothing.

*This product is non-flammable. See Section 9 for Physical Properties.*

**Section 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:** *For non-emergency and emergency personnel:* See section 8 – personal protection. Avoid eye contact. Safety goggles suggested.

**Environmental Precautions:** Do not allow into open waterways and ground water systems.

**Methods and Materials for Containment and Clean Up:** Dike or soak up with inert absorbent material. See section 13 for disposal considerations.

**Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**Precautions for Safe Handling:** Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep out of reach of children. Keep away from heat, sparks, open flame and direct sunlight. Do not pierce any part of the container. Do not mix or contaminate with any other chemical. Do not eat, drink or smoke while using this product.

**Conditions for Safe Storage including Incompatibilities:** Keep container tightly closed. Keep in cool dry area. Avoid prolonged exposure to sunlight. Do not store at temperatures above 109°F (42.7°C). If separation occurs, mix the product for reconstitution.

**Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**Exposure Limit Values:** No components listed with TWA or STEL values under OSHA or ACGIH.

**Appropriate Engineering Controls:** Showers, eyewash stations, ventilation systems

**Individual Protection Measures / Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)**

**Eye Contact:** Use protective glasses or safety goggles if splashing or spray-back is likely.

**Respiratory:** Use in well ventilated areas or local exhaust ventilations when cleaning small spaces.

**Skin Contact:** Use protective gloves (any material) when used for prolonged periods or dermally sensitive.

**General Hygiene Considerations:** Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or drinking.

**Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

|  |                      |  |   |               |       |
|--|----------------------|--|---|---------------|-------|
| <b>Appearance:</b>                                   | Green Liquid         | <b>Partition Coefficient: n-octanol/water:</b> | Not determined  |               |       |
| <b>Odor:</b>   | Added sassafras odor | <b>Autoignition Temperature:</b>               | Non-flammable   |               |       |
| <b>Odor Threshold:</b>                               | Not determined       | <b>Decomposition Temperature:</b>              | 42.7°C (109°F)  |               |       |
| <b>pH:</b>   | 8.5 – 9.5            | <b>Viscosity:</b>                              | Like water  |               |       |
| <b>Freezing Point:</b>                               | 0-3.33°C (32-38°F)   | <b>Specific Gravity:</b>                       | 1.00 – 1.03   |               |       |
| <b>Boiling Point &amp; Range:</b>                    | 101°C (213.8°F)      | <b>VOCs:</b>                                   | <i>**Water &amp; fragrance exemption in calculation</i> |               |       |
| <b>Flash Point:</b>                                  | > 212°F              | SCAQMD 304-91 / EPA 24:                        | 0 g/L   | 0 lb/gal      | 0%    |
| <b>Evaporation Rate:</b>                             | Not determined       | CARB Method 310**:                             | <5 g/L  | <0.0417lb/gal | <0.5% |
| <b>Flammability (solid, gas):</b>                    | Not applicable       | SCAQMD Method 313:                             | Not tested  |               |       |
| <b>Upper/Lower Flammability or Explosive Limits:</b> | Not applicable       | <b>VOC Composite Partial Pressure:</b>         | Not determined  |               |       |

**Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES - continued**

|                        |                                 |                          |                    |
|------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Vapor Pressure:</b> | 0.60 PSI @77°F, 2.05 PSI @100°F | <b>Relative Density:</b> | 8.34 – 8.59 lb/gal |
| <b>Vapor Density:</b>  | Not determined                  | <b>Solubility:</b>       | 100% in water      |

**Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

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| <b>Reactivity:</b>                         | Non-reactive.  |
| <b>Chemical Stability:</b>                 | Stable under normal conditions 70°F (21°C) and 14.7 psig (760 mmHg).         |
| <b>Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:</b> | None known.  |
| <b>Conditions to Avoid:</b>                | Excessive heat or cold.  |
| <b>Incompatible Materials:</b>             | Do not mix with oxidizers, acids, bathroom cleaners, or disinfecting agents. |
| <b>Hazardous Decomposition Products:</b>   | Normal products of combustion - CO, CO <sub>2</sub> .                        |

**Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

|                                   |                |  |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|--|
| <b>Likely Routes of Exposure:</b> | Inhalation -   | Overexposure may cause headache.                                       |
|                                   | Skin Contact - | Not expected to cause irritation, repeated contact may cause dry skin. |
|                                   | Eye Contact -  | Not expected to cause irritation.                                      |
|                                   | Ingestion -    | May cause upset stomach.   |

*Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics:* no symptoms expected under typical use conditions.

*Delayed and immediate effects and or chronic effects from short term exposure:* no symptoms expected under typical use conditions.

*Delayed and immediate effects and or chronic effects from long term exposure:* headache, dry skin, or skin irritation may occur.

*Interactive effects:* Not known.

Numerical Measures of Toxicity

|                        |                                  |                      |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Acute Toxicity:</b> | Oral LD <sub>50</sub> (rat)      | > 5 g/kg body weight |
|                        | Dermal LD <sub>50</sub> (rabbit) | > 5 g/kg body weight |

*Calculated via OSHA HCS 2012 / Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals*

|                                   |  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| <b>Skin Corrosion/Irritation:</b> | Non-irritant per Dermal Irritation® assay modeling. No animal testing performed. |
| <b>Eye Damage/Irritation:</b>     | Non-irritant per Ocular Irritation® assay modeling. No animal testing performed. |
| <b>Germ Cell Mutagenicity:</b>    | Mixture does not classify under this category.                                   |
| <b>Carcinogenicity:</b>           | Mixture does not classify under this category.                                   |
| <b>Reproductive Toxicity:</b>     | Mixture does not classify under this category.                                   |
| <b>STOT-Single Exposure:</b>      | Mixture does not classify under this category.                                   |
| <b>STOT-Repeated Exposure:</b>    | Mixture does not classify under this category.                                   |
| <b>Aspiration Hazard:</b>         | Mixture does not classify under this category.                                   |

**Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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| <b>Ecotoxicity:</b> | Volume of ingredients used does not trigger toxicity classifications under the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals.  |
| <b>Aquatic:</b>     | Aquatic Toxicity - Low, based on OECD 201, 202, 203 + Microtox: EC <sub>50</sub> & IC <sub>50</sub> ≥100 mg/L. Volume of ingredients used does not trigger toxicity classifications under the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals. |
| <b>Terrestrial:</b> | Not tested on finished formulation.  |

**Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION - continued**

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| <b>Persistence and Degradability:</b> | Readily Biodegradable per OCED 301D, Closed Bottle Test. Reaches 100% biodegradation within 60 days. |
| <b>Bioaccumulative Potential:</b>     | No data available.   |
| <b>Mobility in Soil:</b>              | No data available.   |
| <b>Other Adverse Effects:</b>         | No data available.   |

**Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Unused or Used Liquid:** May be considered hazardous in your area depending on usage and tonnage of disposal – check with local, regional, and or national regulations for appropriate methods of disposal.

**Empty Containers:** May be offered for recycling.

Never dispose of used degreasing rinsates into lakes, streams, and open bodies of water or storm drains.

**Section 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

|   |                               |  |  |
|---|-------------------------------|--|--|
| <b>U.N. Number:</b>   | Not applicable                |  |  |
| <b>U.N. Proper Shipping Name:</b>   | Cleaning Compound, Liquid NOI |  |  |
| <b>Transport Hazard Class(es):</b>  | Not applicable                |  |  |
| <b>Packing Group:</b>   | Not applicable                |  |  |
| <b>Environmental Hazards:</b>   | Marine Pollutant - NO         |  |  |
| <b>Transport in Bulk (according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and IBC Code):</b>  | Unknown.                      |  |  |
| <b>Special precautions which user needs to be aware of/comply with, in connection with transport or conveyance either within or outside their premises:</b> | None known.                   |  |  |

|                                   |                             |                    |                             |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>U.S. (DOT) / Canadian TDG:</b> | Not Regulated for shipping. | <b>ICAO/ IATA:</b> | Not classified as Hazardous |
| <b>IMO / IDMG:</b>                | Not classified as Hazardous | <b>ADR/RID:</b>    | Not classified as Hazardous |

**Section 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**All components are listed on:** TSCA and DSL Inventory.

**SARA Title III:** Sections 311/312 Hazard Categories – Not applicable.  
Sections 313 Superfunds Amendments and Reauthorizations Act of 1986 – Not applicable.  
Sections 302 – Not applicable.

**Clean Air Act (CAA):** Not applicable

**Clean Water Act (CWA):** Not applicable

**State Right To Know Lists:** No ingredients listed

**California Proposition 65:** No ingredients listed

This product has been classified as “not classifiable as hazardous” in accordance with Consumer Product Safety Commission (16 CFR Chapter 2) and labelled and packaged accordingly.

**US Consumer Product Safety Commission Regulations**

This product is labeled in accordance with regulations administered by the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC). However, the use pattern and exposure in the workplace are generally not consistent with those experienced by consumers. Therefore, the requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration applicable to this SDS differ from the labeling requirements of the CPSC, and this SDS may contain additional health hazard information not pertinent to consumer use and not found on the product label.

**Section 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

| <u>Size</u>  | <u>UPC</u>   | <u>Size</u>                     | <u>UPC</u>   |
|--------------|--------------|---------------------------------|--------------|
| 2 fl. oz.    | 043318131035 | 67.6 fl. oz.                    | 043318000393 |
| 4 fl. oz.    | 043318130014 | 67.6 fl. oz. w/ dilution bottle | 043318005442 |
| 16 fl. oz.   | 043318130021 | 140 fl. oz.                     | 043318001390 |
| 22 fl. oz.   | 043318130229 | 140 fl. oz. w/ dilution bottle  | 043318001468 |
| 24 fl. oz.   | 043318006241 | 1 gallon                        | 043318000799 |
| 24 fl. oz.   | 043318130137 | 1 gallon                        | 043318004957 |
| 32 fl. oz.   | 043318000652 | 1 gallon                        | 043318130052 |
| 32 fl. oz.   | 043318002557 | 1 gallon w/ dilution bottle     | 043318480416 |
| 32 fl. oz.   | 043318130335 | 1 gallon w/ dilution bottle     | 043318480492 |
| 67.6 fl. oz. | 043318130144 | 2.5 gallon                      | 043318004889 |

USA items listed only. Not all items listed. USA items may not be valid for international sale.

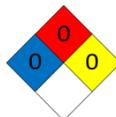
**NFPA:**

Health – None

Flammability – Non-flammable

Stability – Stable

Special - None

**Acronyms**

NTP National Toxicology Program

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

TSCA Toxic Substances Control Act

IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer

CPSC Consumer Product Safety Commission

DSL Domestic Substances List

**Prepared / Revised By:** Sunshine Makers, Inc., Regulatory Department.

**This SDS has been revised in the following sections:** Updated chemical properties in Section 9.

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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Version 6.4  
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## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Arsenic  
Product Number : 267961  
Brand : Aldrich  
Index-No. : 033-001-00-X  
CAS-No. : 7440-38-2

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

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

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.  
3050 SPRUCE ST  
ST. LOUIS MO 63103  
UNITED STATES  
Telephone : +1 314 771-5765  
Fax : +1 800 325-5052

### 1.4 Emergency telephone

Emergency Phone # : 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) +1-703-527-3887 CHEMTREC (International) 24 Hours/day; 7 Days/week

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

#### GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 3), H301  
Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 3), H331  
Skin irritation (Category 2), H315  
Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318  
Carcinogenicity (Category 1A), H350  
Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 1), H400  
Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard (Category 1), H410

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

### 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H301 + H331

Toxic if swallowed or if inhaled.

H315

Causes skin irritation.

H318

Causes serious eye damage.

H350

May cause cancer.

H410

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P201

Obtain special instructions before use.

P202

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

P261

Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray.

P264

Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P270

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P271

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P273

Avoid release to the environment.

P280

Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

P301 + P310 + P330

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor. Rinse mouth.

P302 + P352

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

P304 + P340 + P311

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

P305 + P351 + P338 +

P310

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

P308 + P313

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

P332 + P313

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.

P362

Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

P391

Collect spillage.

P403 + P233

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

P405

Store locked up.

P501

Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

### 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Formula : As  
Molecular weight : 74.92 g/mol  
CAS-No. : 7440-38-2  
EC-No. : 231-148-6  
Index-No. : 033-001-00-X

| Component      | Classification               | Concentration |
|----------------|------------------------------|---------------|
| <b>arsenic</b> |                              |               |
|                | Acute Tox. 3; Skin Irrit. 2; | <= 100 %      |

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|--|---|--|
|  | Eye Dam. 1; Carc. 1A;<br>Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic<br>Chronic 1; H301, H331,<br>H315, H318, H350, H400,<br>H410<br>M-Factor - Aquatic Acute:<br>10<br>M-Factor - Aquatic<br>Chronic: 1 |  |
|--|---|--|

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

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## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first-aid measures

#### General advice

First aiders need to protect themselves. Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

After inhalation: fresh air. Immediately call in physician. If breathing stops: immediately apply artificial respiration, if necessary also oxygen.

#### In case of skin contact

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Immediately call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.

#### If swallowed

If swallowed: give water to drink (two glasses at most). Seek medical advice immediately. In exceptional cases only, if medical care is not available within one hour, induce vomiting (only in persons who are wide awake and fully conscious), administer activated charcoal (20 - 40 g in a 10% slurry) and consult a doctor as quickly as possible.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

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## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

#### Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

## 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Nature of decomposition products not known.

Not combustible.

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

## 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

## 5.4 Further information

Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

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## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid generation and inhalation of dusts in all circumstances. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up carefully. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

#### Advice on safe handling

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture.

#### Hygiene measures

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

For precautions see section 2.2.

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

#### Storage conditions

Tightly closed. Dry. Keep in a well-ventilated place. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorized persons.

#### Storage class

Storage class (TRGS 510): 6.1A: Combustible, acute toxic Cat. 1 and 2 / very toxic hazardous materials

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Ingredients with workplace control parameters

| Component | CAS-No.   | Value  | Control parameters       | Basis                                   |
|-----------|-----------|--|--------------------------|---|
| arsenic   | 7440-38-2 | TWA  | 0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   | USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV) |
|           | Remarks   | Lung cancer<br>Substances for which there is a Biological Exposure Index or Indices (see BEI® section)<br>Confirmed human carcinogen |                          |   |
|           |           | C  | 0.0020 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits  |
|           |           | Potential Occupational Carcinogen<br>See Appendix A<br>15 minute ceiling value   |                          |   |

#### Biological occupational exposure limits

| Component | CAS-No.   | Parameters  | Value     | Biological specimen | Basis                                     |
|-----------|-----------|---|-----------|---------------------|---|
| arsenic   | 7440-38-2 | inorganic arsenic plus methylated metabolites                                   | 35µg As/l | Urine               | ACGIH - Biological Exposure Indices (BEI) |
|           | Remarks   | End of the workweek (After four or five consecutive working days with exposure) |           |                     |   |

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

#### Personal protective equipment

##### Eye/face protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Tightly fitting safety goggles

##### Skin protection

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: [www.kcl.de](http://www.kcl.de)).

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L

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Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L

### **Body Protection**

protective clothing

### **Respiratory protection**

required when dusts are generated.

Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

### **Control of environmental exposure**

Do not let product enter drains.

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## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

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

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| a) Appearance                                   | Form: powder<br>Color: gray   |
| b) Odor   | No data available   |
| c) Odor Threshold                               | No data available   |
| d) pH   | No data available   |
| e) Melting point/freezing point                 | Melting point/range: 817 °C (1503 °F) - lit.                                |
| f) Initial boiling point and boiling range      | 613 °C 1135 °F - lit.   |
| g) Flash point                                  | ( )Not applicable   |
| h) Evaporation rate                             | No data available   |
| i) Flammability (solid, gas)                    | No data available   |
| j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available   |
| k) Vapor pressure                               | No data available   |
| l) Vapor density                                | No data available   |
| m) Density                                      | 5.727 g/mL at 25 °C (77 °F) - lit.  |
| Relative density                                | 5.622.4 °C - OECD Test Guideline 109  |
| n) Water solubility                             | ca.0.0106 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 105 - slightly soluble |
| o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water       | Not applicable for inorganic substances                                     |

- |    |                           |                     |                 |
|----|---------------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| p) | Autoignition temperature  | > 430 °C (> 806 °F) | does not ignite |
| q) | Decomposition temperature | No data available   |                 |
| r) | Viscosity                 | No data available   |                 |
| s) | Explosive properties      | No data available   |                 |
| t) | Oxidizing properties      | none                |                 |

## 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Exothermic reaction with:

Aluminum

Bromine

bromates

chlorates

iodates

Nitric acid

Risk of ignition or formation of inflammable gases or vapours with:

nitrates

Alkali metals

Zinc

Reducing agents

Strong oxidizing agents

Risk of explosion with:

potassium permanganate

azides

halogen-halogen compounds

Peroxides

nitrogen trichloride

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat. Exposure to air may affect product quality.

no information available

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

No data available

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Mouse - 145 mg/kg

Remarks: Behavioral:Ataxia.

Diarrhea

(RTECS)

Classified according to Regulation (EU) 1272/2008, Annex VI (Table 3.1/3.2)

Inhalation: No data available

Dermal: No data available

No data available

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - In vitro study

Result: Irritating to skin. - 15 min

Remarks: (ECHA)

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Causes serious eye damage. - 24 h

(OECD Test Guideline 405)

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Maximization Test - Guinea pig

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Escherichia coli

Result: negative

Remarks: (ECHA)

#### Carcinogenicity

May cause cancer. Positive evidence from human epidemiological studies.

IARC: 1 - Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans (arsenic)

NTP: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

#### Reproductive toxicity

No data available

#### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

#### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

#### Aspiration hazard

No data available

### 11.2 Additional Information

RTECS: CG0525000

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

The following applies to arsenic and its compounds in general: they take effect as capillary and enzyme toxins. Symptoms of arsenic poisoning: acute: after inhalation, mucosal irritations with coughing, dyspnoea, pain in the thorax. Perforations within the respiratory tract are possible. After oral uptake, gastrointestinal disorders with vomiting, diarrhoea, and spasms, CNS disorders with headache, confusion, shaking fits and disturbed consciousness, cardiovascular disorders all the way to circulatory collapse. Chronic: exanthema, dermal lesions in the form of hyperkeratosis and hypermelanosis, loss of hair, conjunctivitis and polyneuropathy, impaired hepatic function, and renal damage. After accumulation in the liver, kidneys, and skin, arsenic is eliminated from the organism only slowly. Experience has shown arsenic compounds to be carcinogenic in man.

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

This substance should be handled with particular care.

Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Toxicity to fish                                    | static test LC50 - <i>Oreochromis mossambicus</i> (Mozambique tilapia) - 28.68 mg/l - 96 h<br>Remarks: (ECHA) |
| Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates | static test EC50 - <i>Bosmina longirostris</i> (water flea) - 0.85 mg/l - 48 h<br>Remarks: (ECHA)             |
| Toxicity to algae                                   | static test NOEC - <i>Macrocystis pyrifera</i> (brown algae) - 0.04 mg/l - 42 h<br>Remarks: (ECHA)            |
| Toxicity to bacteria                                | static test EC50 - activated sludge - 10.6 mg/l - 10 Days<br>Remarks: (ECHA)                                  |

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

The methods for determining biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

## 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

## 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available

## 12.7 Other adverse effects

No data available

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself. See [www.retrologistik.com](http://www.retrologistik.com) for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### DOT (US)

UN number: 1558 Class: 6.1 Packing group: II  
Proper shipping name: Arsenic  
Reportable Quantity (RQ): 1 lbs  
Reportable Quantity (RQ): 1 lbs  
Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

### IMDG

UN number: 1558 Class: 6.1 Packing group: II EMS-No: F-A, S-A  
Proper shipping name: ARSENIC  
Marine pollutant : yes

### IATA

UN number: 1558 Class: 6.1 Packing group: II  
Proper shipping name: Arsenic

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### SARA 302 Components

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

### SARA 313 Components

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

|         | CAS-No.   | Revision Date |
|---------|-----------|---------------|
| arsenic | 7440-38-2 | 2015-11-23    |

### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

:

**Reportable Quantity**      D004 lbs

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

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**SECTION 16: Other information**

**Further information**

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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Identification

|                |                    |
|----------------|--------------------|
| Product form   | : Substance        |
| Substance name | : Carbon Disulfide |
| CAS-No.        | : 75-15-0          |
| Product code   | : SG-1001-00054    |
| Formula        | : CS <sub>2</sub>  |

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

|                              |                        |
|------------------------------|------------------------|
| Use of the substance/mixture | : Laboratory chemicals |
|------------------------------|------------------------|

#### 1.3. Supplier

Air Liquide USA LLC and its affiliates  
 9811 Katy Freeway, Suite 100  
 Houston, TX 77024 - USA  
 T 1-800-819-1704  
[www.us.airliquide.com](http://www.us.airliquide.com)

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

|                  |                            |
|------------------|----------------------------|
| Emergency number | : Chemtrec: 1-800-424-9300 |
|------------------|----------------------------|

### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

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

##### GHS-US classification

|   |      |  |
|---|------|--|
| Flammable liquids Category 2                                  | H225 | Highly flammable liquid and vapour   |
| Acute toxicity (inhalation:gas) Category 4                    | H332 | Harmful if inhaled   |
| Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2                          | H315 | Causes skin irritation   |
| Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A                 | H319 | Causes serious eye irritation  |
| Reproductive toxicity Category 2                              | H361 | Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child  |
| Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) Category 1 | H372 | Causes damage to organs (central nervous system, peripheral nervous system, cardiovascular system, kidneys, liver) through prolonged or repeated exposure (Inhalation) |
| Aspiration hazard Category 1                                  | H304 | May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways   |

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)

: Danger

Hazard statements (GHS-US)

: H225 - Highly flammable liquid and vapour  
 H304 - May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways  
 H315 - Causes skin irritation  
 H319 - Causes serious eye irritation  
 H332 - Harmful if inhaled  
 H361 - Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child  
 H372 - Causes damage to organs (central nervous system, peripheral nervous system, cardiovascular system, kidneys, liver) through prolonged or repeated exposure (Inhalation)  
 CGA-HG04 - May form explosive mixtures with air  
 CGA-HG16 - Extended exposure to gas reduces the ability to smell sulfides.

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Precautionary statements (GHS-US) : P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, open flames, sparks. - No smoking.  
P260 - Do not breathe gas.  
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
P280 - Wear eye protection, face protection, protective gloves, protective clothing.  
P301+P310 - If swallowed: Immediately call a doctor  
P302+P352 - If on skin: Wash with plenty of water  
P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
P308+P313 - If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.  
P331 - Do NOT induce vomiting.  
P377 - Leaking gas fire: Do not extinguish, unless leak can be stopped safely.  
P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place.  
P405 - Store locked up.  
P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations  
P304+P340 - If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing  
P362 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.  
P381 - Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so.  
CGA-PG02 - Protect from sunlight when ambient temperature exceeds 52°C/125 °F  
CGA-PG05 - Use a back flow preventive device in the piping  
CGA-PG14 - Approach suspected leak area with caution  
CGA-PG29 - Do not depend on odor to detect presence of gas

### 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

Substance type : Mono-constituent

| Name                                   | Product identifier | %      | GHS-US classification   |
|--|--------------------|--------|---|
| Carbon Disulfide<br>(Main constituent) | (CAS-No.) 75-15-0  | > 99.9 | Flam. Liq. 2, H225<br>Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation:gas),<br>H332<br>Skin Irrit. 2, H315<br>Eye Irrit. 2A, H319<br>Repr. 2, H361<br>STOT RE 1, H372<br>Asp. Tox. 1, H304 |

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

### 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

## SECTION 4: First-aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.  
First-aid measures after skin contact : Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.  
First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation occurs, seek medical attention.  
First-aid measures after ingestion : Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

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

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : Harmful if inhaled.  
Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Causes skin irritation.  
Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation.  
Symptoms/effects after ingestion : May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.  
Symptoms/effects upon intravenous administration : Not known.  
Chronic symptoms : Suspected of damaging fertility. Suspected of damaging the unborn child. Causes damage to organs (central nervous system, peripheral nervous system, cardiovascular system, kidneys, liver) through prolonged or repeated exposure (Inhalation).

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

If you feel unwell, seek medical advice. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

## 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 : Do not use water jet to extinguish.

### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire hazard : This product is flammable.  
Explosion hazard : Product is not explosive. Heat may build pressure, rupturing closed containers, spreading fire and increasing risk of burns and injuries.  
Reactivity : None known.

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

Firefighting instructions : In case of fire: Evacuate area. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion. Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.  
Protection during firefighting : Standard protective clothing and equipment (e.g. Self Contained Breathing Apparatus) for fire fighters. Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

General measures : Ensure adequate ventilation.

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Wear protective equipment consistent with the site emergency plan.  
Emergency procedures : Evacuate personnel to a safe area. Close doors and windows of adjacent premises. Keep containers closed. Mark the danger area. Seal off low-lying areas. Keep upwind.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Standard protective clothing and equipment (e.g. Self Contained Breathing Apparatus) for fire fighters. Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.  
Emergency procedures : Evacuate and limit access. Ventilate area. Remove ignition sources. Monitor concentration of released product. Consider the risk of potentially explosive atmospheres. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus when entering atmospheres of unknown contaminant concentration until proven to be safe.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Try to stop release if without risk.

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

For containment : Try to stop release if without risk.  
Methods for cleaning up : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See also Sections 8 and 13.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Additional hazards when processed : Handle empty containers with care because residual vapors are flammable. In use, may form flammable vapor-air mixture.  
Precautions for safe handling : Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. – No smoking. Use only non-sparking tools.  
Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

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

Technical measures : Comply with applicable regulations. Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed.  
Storage conditions : Keep container closed when not in use. Keep cool. Store in well ventilated area. Store locked up.  
Incompatible products : None known.

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Incompatible materials : Oxidizing agent. Air. Alkali metals. Amines.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

| Carbon Disulfide (75-15-0) |  |                                 |
|----------------------------|--|---------------------------------|
| ACGIH                      | ACGIH TWA (ppm)  | 1 ppm                           |
| OSHA                       | OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)   | 20 ppm                          |
| OSHA                       | OSHA PEL (Ceiling) (ppm)   | 30 ppm                          |
| OSHA                       | Acceptable maximum peak above the acceptable ceiling concentration for an 8-hr shift | 100 ppm Peak (30 minutes)       |
| IDLH                       | US IDLH (ppm)  | 500 ppm                         |
| NIOSH                      | NIOSH REL (TWA) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )   | 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>             |
| NIOSH                      | NIOSH REL (TWA) (ppm)  | 1 ppm                           |
| NIOSH                      | NIOSH REL (STEL) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )  | 30 mg/m <sup>3</sup>            |
| NIOSH                      | NIOSH REL (STEL) (ppm)   | 10 ppm                          |
| NIOSH                      | US-NIOSH chemical category   | Potential for dermal absorption |

#### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure exposure is below occupational exposure limits (where available). Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Systems under pressure should be regularly checked for leakages. Oxygen detectors should be used when asphyxiating gases may be released. Consider the use of a work permit system e.g. for maintenance activities.

Environmental exposure controls : Refer to local regulations for restrictions on release of emissions to the atmosphere.

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

##### Hand protection:

Wear chemically resistant protective gloves. 29 CFR 1910.138: Hand protection

##### Eye protection:

Wear safety glasses with side shields. 29 CFR 1910.133: Eye and Face Protection

##### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing, e.g. lab coats, coveralls or flame resistant clothing.

##### Respiratory protection:

None necessary during normal and routine operations. See Sections 5 & 6.

##### Thermal hazard protection:

None necessary during normal and routine operations.

##### Other information:

Wear safety shoes while handling containers. 29 CFR 1910.136: Foot Protection.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

Physical state : Liquid

Appearance : Clear liquid.

Color : Colorless to pale yellow

Odor : Sulfide-like Stench.

Odor threshold : No data available

pH : No data available

Melting point : -111.6 °C

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|   |   |
|---|---|
| Freezing point                              | : No data available   |
| Boiling point                               | : 46.85 °C  |
| Critical temperature                        | : 279.85 °C   |
| Flash point                                 | : -30 °C  |
| Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) | : 22.6  |
| Flammability (solid, gas)                   | : See Section 2.1 and 2.2   |
| Vapor pressure                              | : 410 mbar (5.9508 psi)   |
| Relative vapor density at 20 °C             | : 2.67  |
| Relative density                            | : No data available   |
| Specific gravity / density                  | : 1.26 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (at 20 °C)   |
| Molecular mass                              | : 76.13 g/mol   |
| Relative gas density                        | : Heavier than air  |
| Solubility                                  | : Water: 2.1 g/l (at 20 °C)   |
| Log Pow                                     | : No data available   |
| Auto-ignition temperature                   | : 90 °C   |
| Decomposition temperature                   | : No data available   |
| Viscosity, kinematic                        | : No data available   |
| Viscosity, dynamic                          | : No data available   |
| Explosion limits                            | : 1.3 vol %   |
| Explosive properties                        | : Without adequate ventilation formation of explosive mixtures may be possible. |
| Oxidizing properties                        | : None.   |

### 9.2. Other information

Additional information : Gas/vapor heavier than air. May accumulate in confined spaces, particularly at or below ground level

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

None known.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Can form explosive mixture with air.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agent. Air. Alkali metals. Amines.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Inhalation:gas: Harmful if inhaled.

| Carbon Disulfide (75-15-0) |                           |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| LD50 oral rat              | 1200 mg/kg                |
| LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)  | 5676.52 ppm/4h            |
| ATE US (oral)              | 500.000 mg/kg body weight |
| ATE US (gases)             | 5676.520 ppmV/4h          |

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

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|  |  |
|--|--|
| Carcinogenicity                                    | : Not classified   |
| Reproductive toxicity                              | : Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.   |
| Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure   | : Not classified   |
| Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure | : Causes damage to organs (central nervous system, peripheral nervous system, cardiovascular system, kidneys, liver) through prolonged or repeated exposure (Inhalation).  |
| Aspiration hazard                                  | : May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.  |
| Symptoms/effects after inhalation                  | : Harmful if inhaled.  |
| Symptoms/effects after skin contact                | : Causes skin irritation.  |
| Symptoms/effects after eye contact                 | : Causes serious eye irritation.   |
| Symptoms/effects after ingestion                   | : May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.  |
| Symptoms/effects upon intravenous administration   | : Not known.   |
| Chronic symptoms                                   | : Suspected of damaging fertility. Suspected of damaging the unborn child. Causes damage to organs (central nervous system, peripheral nervous system, cardiovascular system, kidneys, liver) through prolonged or repeated exposure (Inhalation). |

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

| Carbon Disulfide (75-15-0) |   |
|----------------------------|---|
| LC50 fish 1                | 3 - 5.8 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Poecilia reticulata [semi-static]) |
| EC50 Daphnia 1             | 2.1 mg/l (Exposure time: 48 h - Species: Daphnia magna)                         |
| LC50 fish 2                | 4 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Poecilia reticulata [static])            |

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

| Carbon Disulfide (75-15-0) |         |
|----------------------------|---------|
| BCF fish 1                 | 4.3 - 8 |

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

#### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Effect on ozone layer : No known effects from this product.

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Disposal methods

|  |  |
|--|--|
| Waste treatment methods                    | : Contact supplier if guidance is required. Disposal through controlled incineration or authorized waste dump. Ensure that the emission levels from local regulations or operating permits are not exceeded. |
| Product/Packaging disposal recommendations | : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.  |

### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

|                                |   |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Transport document description | : UN1131 Carbon disulfide, 3, I                                 |
| UN-No.(DOT)                    | : UN1131  |
| Proper Shipping Name (DOT)     | : Carbon disulfide  |
| Class (DOT)                    | : 3 - Class 3 - Flammable and combustible liquid 49 CFR 173.120 |
| Packing group (DOT)            | : I - Great Danger  |

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Hazard labels (DOT) : 3 - Flammable liquid  
6.1 - Poison inhalation hazard



DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 201  
DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 243  
DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102) : B16 - The lading must be completely covered with nitrogen, inert gas or other inert materials.  
T14 - 6 mm Prohibited 178.275(g)(3).  
TP2 - a. The maximum degree of filling must not exceed the degree of filling determined by the following: (image) Where:  $t_r$  is the maximum mean bulk temperature during transport,  $t_f$  is the temperature in degrees celsius of the liquid during filling, and  $a$  is the mean coefficient of cubical expansion of the liquid between the mean temperature of the liquid during filling ( $t_f$ ) and the maximum mean bulk temperature during transportation ( $t_r$ ) both in degrees celsius. b. For liquids transported under ambient conditions may be calculated using the formula: (image) Where:  $d_{15}$  and  $d_{50}$  are the densities (in units of mass per unit volume) of the liquid at 15 C (59 F) and 50 C (122 F), respectively.  
TP7 - The vapor space must be purged of air by nitrogen or other means.  
TP13 - Self-contained breathing apparatus must be provided when this hazardous material is transported by sea.

DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx) : None  
DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail (49 CFR 173.27) : Forbidden  
DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 CFR 175.75) : Forbidden  
DOT Vessel Stowage Location : D - The material must be stowed "on deck only" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel carrying a number of passengers limited to not more than the larger of 25 passengers or one passenger per each 3 m of overall vessel length, but the material is prohibited on passenger vessels in which the limiting number of passengers is exceeded.  
DOT Vessel Stowage Other : 40 - Stow "clear of living quarters", 78 - Stow "separated longitudinally by an intervening complete compartment or hold from" explosives, 115 - If packaged in glass or earthenware inner packaging in wooden or fiberboard outer packaging, the maximum quantity on any vessel is 500 kg (equivalent to 450 L)

Emergency Response Guide (ERG) Number : 131  
Other information : No supplementary information available.

### Transportation of Dangerous Goods

Transport document description : UN1131 CARBON DISULFIDE (CARBON DISULFIDE), 3 (6.1), I  
UN-No. (TDG) : UN1131  
Proper Shipping Name : CARBON DISULFIDE  
TDG Primary Hazard Classes : 3 - Class 3 - Flammable Liquids  
Packing group : I - Great Danger  
TDG Subsidiary Classes : 6.1  
ERAP Index : 1 000  
Explosive Limit and Limited Quantity Index : 0  
Passenger Carrying Road Vehicle or Passenger Carrying Railway Vehicle Index : Forbidden  
Passenger Carrying Ship Index : Forbidden

### Transport by sea

Transport document description (IMDG) : UN UN1131 CARBON DISULFIDE, 3, I  
UN-No. (IMDG) : UN1131  
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : CARBON DISULFIDE  
Class (IMDG) : 3 - Flammable liquids  
Packing group (IMDG) : I - substances presenting high danger

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### Air transport

Transport document description (IATA) : UN Forbidden  
UN-No. (IATA) : Forbidden

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. US Federal regulations

#### Carbon Disulfide (75-15-0)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory  
Listed on the United States SARA Section 302  
Subject to reporting requirements of United States SARA Section 313

|  |   |
|--|---|
| EPA TSCA Regulatory Flag                           | TP - TP - indicates a substance that is the subject of a proposed Section 4 test rule under TSCA. |
| CERCLA RQ  | 100 lb  |
| Section 302 EPCRA Reportable Quantity (RQ)         | 100 lb  |
| SARA Section 302 Threshold Planning Quantity (TPQ) | 10000 lb  |
| SARA Section 313 - Emission Reporting              | 1 %   |

### 15.2. International regulations

#### CANADA

#### Carbon Disulfide (75-15-0)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

#### EU-Regulations

#### Carbon Disulfide (75-15-0)

Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)

#### National regulations

#### Carbon Disulfide (75-15-0)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory  
Listed on the Japanese ISHL (Industrial Safety and Health Law)  
Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)  
Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
Japanese Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law  
Japanese Pollutant Release and Transfer Register Law (PRTR Law)  
Listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)  
Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on the TCSI (Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory)

### 15.3. US State regulations

#### Carbon Disulfide (75-15-0)

|   |  |
|---|--|
| U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List               | No   |
| U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxicity         | Yes  |
| U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Female | Yes  |
| U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Male   | Yes  |
| State or local regulations  | U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List<br>U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List<br>U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List<br>U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List |

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### SECTION 16: Other information

Other information : This Safety Data Sheet is offered pursuant to OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR, 1910.1200. Other government regulations must be reviewed for applicability to this product.

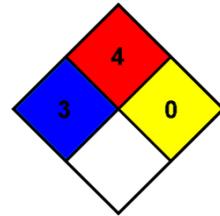
Full text of H-phrases:

|      |  |
|------|--|
| H225 | Highly flammable liquid and vapour                             |
| H304 | May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways                   |
| H315 | Causes skin irritation   |
| H319 | Causes serious eye irritation                                  |
| H332 | Harmful if inhaled   |
| H361 | Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child            |
| H372 | Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure |

NFPA health hazard : 3 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can cause serious or permanent injury.

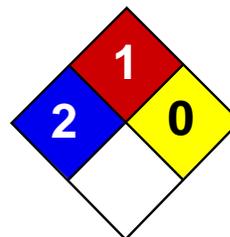
NFPA fire hazard : 4 - Materials that rapidly or completely vaporize at atmospheric pressure and normal ambient temperature or that are readily dispersed in air and burn readily.

NFPA reactivity : 0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even under fire conditions.



SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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|---------------------|---|
| Health              | 2 |
| Fire                | 1 |
| Reactivity          | 0 |
| Personal Protection | E |

## Material Safety Data Sheet Chromium MSDS

### Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification

**Product Name:** Chromium

**Catalog Codes:** SLC4711, SLC3709

**CAS#:** 7440-47-3

**RTECS:** GB4200000

**TSCA:** TSCA 8(b) inventory: Chromium

**CI#:** Not applicable.

**Synonym:** Chromium metal; Chrome; Chromium Metal Chips 2" and finer

**Chemical Name:** Chromium

**Chemical Formula:** Cr

**Contact Information:**

**Sciencelab.com, Inc.**

14025 Smith Rd.

Houston, Texas 77396

US Sales: **1-800-901-7247**

International Sales: **1-281-441-4400**

Order Online: [ScienceLab.com](http://ScienceLab.com)

**CHEMTREC (24HR Emergency Telephone), call:**

1-800-424-9300

**International CHEMTREC, call:** 1-703-527-3887

**For non-emergency assistance, call:** 1-281-441-4400

### Section 2: Composition and Information on Ingredients

**Composition:**

| Name     | CAS #     | % by Weight |
|----------|-----------|-------------|
| Chromium | 7440-47-3 | 100         |

**Toxicological Data on Ingredients:** Chromium LD50: Not available. LC50: Not available.

### Section 3: Hazards Identification

**Potential Acute Health Effects:**

Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of eye contact (irritant), of inhalation. Slightly hazardous in case of ingestion.

**Potential Chronic Health Effects:**

CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: A4 (Not classifiable for human or animal.) by ACGIH, 3 (Not classifiable for human.) by IARC.

MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Not available. The substance may be toxic to kidneys, lungs, liver, upper respiratory tract. Repeated or prolonged exposure to the substance can produce target organs damage.

### Section 4: First Aid Measures

**Eye Contact:**

Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

**Skin Contact:**

In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. Get medical attention.

**Serious Skin Contact:**

Wash with a disinfectant soap and cover the contaminated skin with an anti-bacterial cream. Seek medical attention.

**Inhalation:**

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

**Serious Inhalation:** Not available.

**Ingestion:**

Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. Get medical attention if symptoms appear.

**Serious Ingestion:** Not available.

## Section 5: Fire and Explosion Data

**Flammability of the Product:** May be combustible at high temperature.

**Auto-Ignition Temperature:** 580°C (1076°F)

**Flash Points:** Not available.

**Flammable Limits:** Not available.

**Products of Combustion:** Some metallic oxides.

**Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:**

Slightly flammable to flammable in presence of open flames and sparks, of heat. Non-flammable in presence of shocks.

**Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:**

Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: Not available. Risks of explosion of the product in presence of static discharge: Not available.

**Fire Fighting Media and Instructions:**

SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder. LARGE FIRE: Use water spray, fog or foam. Do not use water jet.

**Special Remarks on Fire Hazards:**

Moderate fire hazard when it is in the form of a dust (powder) and burns rapidly when heated in flame. Chromium is attacked vigorously by fused potassium chlorate producing vivid incandescence. Pyrophoric chromium unites with nitric oxide with incandescence. Incandescent reaction with nitrogen oxide or sulfur dioxide.

**Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards:**

Powdered Chromium metal +fused ammonium nitrate may react violently or explosively. Powdered Chromium will explode spontaneously in air.

## Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

**Small Spill:**

Use appropriate tools to put the spilled solid in a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and dispose of according to local and regional authority requirements.

**Large Spill:**

Use a shovel to put the material into a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and allow to evacuate through the sanitary system. Be careful that the product is not present at a concentration level above TLV. Check TLV on the MSDS and with local authorities.

## Section 7: Handling and Storage

### Precautions:

Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Ground all equipment containing material. Do not ingest. Do not breathe dust. Wear suitable protective clothing. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. If ingested, seek medical advice immediately and show the container or the label. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Keep away from incompatibles such as oxidizing agents, acids, alkalis.

**Storage:** Keep container tightly closed. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area.

## Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

### Engineering Controls:

Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

### Personal Protection:

Splash goggles. Lab coat. Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Gloves.

### Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill:

Splash goggles. Full suit. Dust respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.

### Exposure Limits:

TWA: 0.5 (mg/m<sup>3</sup>) from ACGIH (TLV) [United States] TWA: 1 (mg/m<sup>3</sup>) from OSHA (PEL) [United States] TWA: 0.5 (mg/m<sup>3</sup>) from NIOSH [United States] TWA: 0.5 (mg/m<sup>3</sup>) [United Kingdom (UK)] TWA: 0.5 (mg/m<sup>3</sup>) [Canada] Consult local authorities for acceptable exposure limits.

## Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

**Physical state and appearance:** Solid. (Metal solid.)

**Odor:** Odorless.

**Taste:** Not available.

**Molecular Weight:** 52 g/mole

**Color:** Silver-white to Grey.

**pH (1% soln/water):** Not applicable.

**Boiling Point:** 2642°C (4787.6°F)

**Melting Point:** 1900°C (3452°F) +/- !0 deg. C

**Critical Temperature:** Not available.

**Specific Gravity:** 7.14 (Water = 1)

**Vapor Pressure:** Not applicable.

**Vapor Density:** Not available.

**Volatility:** Not available.

**Odor Threshold:** Not available.

**Water/Oil Dist. Coeff.:** Not available.

**Ionicity (in Water):** Not available.

**Dispersion Properties:** Not available.

**Solubility:**

Insoluble in cold water, hot water. Soluble in acids (except Nitric), and strong alkalies.

### Section 10: Stability and Reactivity Data

**Stability:** The product is stable.

**Instability Temperature:** Not available.

**Conditions of Instability:** Excess heat, incompatible materials

**Incompatibility with various substances:** Reactive with oxidizing agents, acids, alkalis.

**Corrosivity:** Not available.

**Special Remarks on Reactivity:**

Incompatible with molten Lithium at 180 deg. C, hydrogen peroxide, hydrochloric acid, sulfuric acid, most caustic alkalies and alkali carbonates, potassium chlorate, sulfur dioxide, nitrogen oxide, bromine pentafluoride. It may react violently or ignite with bromine pentafluoride. Chromium is rapidly attacked by fused sodium hydroxide + potassium nitrate. Potentially hazardous incompatibility with strong oxidizers.

**Special Remarks on Corrosivity:** Not available.

**Polymerization:** Will not occur.

### Section 11: Toxicological Information

**Routes of Entry:** Inhalation. Ingestion.

**Toxicity to Animals:**

LD50: Not available. LC50: Not available.

**Chronic Effects on Humans:**

CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: A4 (Not classifiable for human or animal.) by ACGIH, 3 (Not classifiable for human.) by IARC. May cause damage to the following organs: kidneys, lungs, liver, upper respiratory tract.

**Other Toxic Effects on Humans:**

Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of inhalation. Slightly hazardous in case of ingestion.

**Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals:** Not available.

**Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans:**

May cause cancer based on animal data. There is no evidence that exposure to trivalent chromium causes cancer in man.

**Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans:**

Acute Potential Health Effects: May cause skin irritation. Eyes: May cause mechanical eye irritation. Inhalation: May cause irritation of the respiratory tract and mucous membranes of the respiratory tract. Ingestion: May cause gastrointestinal tract irritation with nausea, vomiting, diarrhea. Chronic Potential Health Effects: Inhalation: The effects of chronic exposure include irritation, sneezing, redness of the throat, bronchospasm, asthma, cough, polyps, chronic inflammation, emphysema, chronic bronchitis, pharyngitis, bronchopneumonia, pneumoconiosis. Effects on the nose from chronic chromium exposure include irritation, ulceration, and perforation of the nasal septum. Inflammation and ulceration of the larynx may also occur. Ingestion or Inhalation: Chronic exposure may cause liver and kidney damage.

### Section 12: Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity:** Not available.

**BOD5 and COD:** Not available.

**Products of Biodegradation:**

Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.

**Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation:** The product itself and its products of degradation are not toxic.

**Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation:** Not available.

**Section 13: Disposal Considerations****Waste Disposal:**

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local environmental control regulations.

**Section 14: Transport Information**

**DOT Classification:** Not a DOT controlled material (United States).

**Identification:** Not applicable.

**Special Provisions for Transport:** Not applicable.

**Section 15: Other Regulatory Information****Federal and State Regulations:**

Connecticut hazardous material survey.: Chromium Illinois toxic substances disclosure to employee act: Chromium Illinois chemical safety act: Chromium New York release reporting list: Chromium Rhode Island RTK hazardous substances: Chromium Pennsylvania RTK: Chromium Minnesota: Chromium Michigan critical material: Chromium Massachusetts RTK: Chromium Massachusetts spill list: Chromium New Jersey: Chromium New Jersey spill list: Chromium Louisiana spill reporting: Chromium California Director's List of Hazardous Substances: Chromium TSCA 8(b) inventory: Chromium SARA 313 toxic chemical notification and release reporting: Chromium CERCLA: Hazardous substances.: Chromium: 5000 lbs. (2268 kg)

**Other Regulations:**

OSHA: Hazardous by definition of Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). EINECS: This product is on the European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances.

**Other Classifications:**

**WHMIS (Canada):** Not controlled under WHMIS (Canada).

**DSCL (EEC):**

R40- Limited evidence of carcinogenic effect S36/37/39- Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection. S45- In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

**HMIS (U.S.A.):**

**Health Hazard:** 2

**Fire Hazard:** 1

**Reactivity:** 0

**Personal Protection:** E

**National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.):**

**Health:** 2

**Flammability:** 1

**Reactivity:** 0

**Specific hazard:**

**Protective Equipment:**

Gloves. Lab coat. Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Splash goggles.

**Section 16: Other Information**

**References:** Not available.

**Other Special Considerations:** Not available.

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Cyanide in Soil  
Product Number : SQC011  
Brand : Sigma-Aldrich

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

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

Company : Sigma-Aldrich  
3050 Spruce Street  
SAINT LOUIS MO 63103  
USA  
Telephone : +1 800-325-5832  
Fax : +1 800-325-5052

#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : (314) 776-6555

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

##### GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302  
Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

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

Pictogram



Signal word

Warning

Hazard statement(s)  
H302 + H332

Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled

Precautionary statement(s)

P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.  
P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
P301 + P312 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.  
P304 + P340 + P312 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell.  
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

## 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.2 Mixtures

##### Hazardous components

| Component                | Classification | Concentration   |
|--------------------------|----------------|---|
| <b>Potassium cyanide</b> |                |   |
| CAS-No.                  | 151-50-8       | Met. Corr. 1; Acute Tox. 1;<br>STOT SE 1; STOT RE 1;<br>Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic<br>Chronic 1; H290, H300 +<br>H310 + H330, H370, H372,<br>H410 |
| EC-No.                   | 205-792-3      |   |
| Index-No.                | 006-007-00-5   |   |
|                          |                | >= 0.1 - < 1 %  |

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

##### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

##### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

##### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

##### In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

##### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

##### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Nature of decomposition products not known.

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

#### 5.4 Further information

No data available

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust.

For personal protection see section 8.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.2.

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

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Store at Room Temperature.

Storage class (TRGS 510): Non Combustible Solids

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

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## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Components with workplace control parameters

| Component         | CAS-No.  | Value  | Control parameters             | Basis  |
|-------------------|----------|--|--------------------------------|--|
| Potassium cyanide | 151-50-8 | C  | 4.700000 ppm<br>5.000000 mg/m3 | USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits   |
|                   | Remarks  | 10 minute ceiling value  |                                |  |
|                   |          | TWA  | 5.000000 mg/m3                 | USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants |
|                   |          | CAS number varies with compound<br>Skin designation  |                                |  |
|                   |          | C  | 5.000000 mg/m3                 | USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)  |
|                   |          | Upper Respiratory Tract irritation<br>Headache<br>Nausea<br>Thyroid effects<br>Danger of cutaneous absorption varies |                                |  |
|                   |          | C  | 5.000000 mg/m3                 | USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)  |
|                   |          | Upper Respiratory Tract irritation<br>Headache<br>Nausea<br>Thyroid effects<br>Danger of cutaneous absorption varies |                                |  |
|                   |          | C  | 4.7 ppm<br>5 mg/m3             | USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits   |
|                   |          | 10 minute ceiling value  |                                |  |

|  |  |  |         |  |
|--|--|--|---------|--|
|  |  | TWA  | 5 mg/m3 | USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants |
|  |  | CAS number varies with compound<br>Skin designation  |         |  |
|  |  | C  | 5 mg/m3 | USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)  |
|  |  | Upper Respiratory Tract irritation<br>Headache<br>Nausea<br>Thyroid effects<br>Danger of cutaneous absorption varies |         |  |

## 8.2 Exposure controls

### Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

### Personal protective equipment

#### Eye/face protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

#### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

#### Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### Respiratory protection

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

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## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- |   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| a) Appearance                                   | Form: solid       |
| b) Odour  | No data available |
| c) Odour Threshold                              | No data available |
| d) pH   | No data available |
| e) Melting point/freezing point                 | No data available |
| f) Initial boiling point and boiling range      | No data available |
| g) Flash point                                  | No data available |
| h) Evaporation rate                             | No data available |
| i) Flammability (solid, gas)                    | No data available |
| j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available |

- |   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| k) Vapour pressure                        | No data available |
| l) Vapour density                         | No data available |
| m) Relative density                       | No data available |
| n) Water solubility                       | No data available |
| o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water | No data available |
| p) Auto-ignition temperature              | No data available |
| q) Decomposition temperature              | No data available |
| r) Viscosity                              | No data available |
| s) Explosive properties                   | No data available |
| t) Oxidizing properties                   | No data available |

## 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

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## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

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## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

No data available

Inhalation: No data available

Dermal: No data available

No data available

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

## **Carcinogenicity**

- IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
- NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
- OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

## **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

No data available

## **Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

## **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

## **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

## **Additional Information**

RTECS: Not available

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

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Liver - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence (Potassium cyanide)

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## **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### **12.1 Toxicity**

No data available

### **12.2 Persistence and degradability**

No data available

### **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

### **12.4 Mobility in soil**

No data available

### **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

### **12.6 Other adverse effects**

No data available

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## **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

### **13.1 Waste treatment methods**

#### **Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

#### **Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

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## **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

### **DOT (US)**

Not dangerous goods

### **IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

**IATA**

Not dangerous goods

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**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**SARA 302 Components**

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 302:

|                   | CAS-No.  | Revision Date |
|-------------------|----------|---------------|
| Potassium cyanide | 151-50-8 | 1993-04-24    |

**SARA 313 Components**

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

**SARA 311/312 Hazards**

No SARA Hazards

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

|                   | CAS-No.  | Revision Date |
|-------------------|----------|---------------|
| Potassium cyanide | 151-50-8 | 1993-04-24    |

**Pennsylvania Right To Know Components**

|                               | CAS-No.    | Revision Date |
|-------------------------------|------------|---------------|
| Water                         | 7732-18-5  |               |
| Potassium hydroxide           | 1310-58-3  | 2007-03-01    |
| Tripotassium hexacyanoferrate | 13746-66-2 | 1989-08-11    |
| Potassium cyanide             | 151-50-8   | 1993-04-24    |

**New Jersey Right To Know Components**

|       | CAS-No.   | Revision Date |
|-------|-----------|---------------|
| Water | 7732-18-5 |               |

**California Prop. 65 Components**

WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

|                               | CAS-No.    | Revision Date |
|-------------------------------|------------|---------------|
| Tripotassium hexacyanoferrate | 13746-66-2 | 2013-07-26    |
| Potassium cyanide             | 151-50-8   | 2013-08-15    |

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**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

**Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.**

|                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| Acute Tox.         | Acute toxicity  |
| Aquatic Acute      | Acute aquatic toxicity  |
| Aquatic Chronic    | Chronic aquatic toxicity  |
| H290               | May be corrosive to metals.   |
| H300 + H310 + H330 | Fatal if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled                              |
| H302               | Harmful if swallowed.   |
| H332               | Harmful if inhaled.   |
| H370               | Causes damage to organs (/*_ORG_SING_ORAL/*) if swallowed.                          |
| H372               | Causes damage to organs (/*_ORGAN_REPEAT/*) through prolonged or repeated exposure. |
| H410               | Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.                               |
| Met. Corr.         | Corrosive to metals   |
| STOT RE            | Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure                                  |
| STOT SE            | Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure                                    |

**HMIS Rating**

Health hazard: 0  
Chronic Health Hazard: \*  
Flammability: 0  
Physical Hazard 0

**NFPA Rating**

Health hazard: 0  
Fire Hazard: 0  
Reactivity Hazard: 0

**Further information**

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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Creation Date 06-Aug-2010

Revision Date 30-Oct-2014

Revision Number 2

## 1. Identification

**Product Name** Ethylbenzene

**Cat No. :** AC433800000; AC433800010; AC433801000

**Synonyms** Ethylbenzol; Phenylethane

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.

**Uses advised against** No Information available

**Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

| Company   | Entity / Business Name                                    | Emergency Telephone Number  |
|---|---|---|
| Fisher Scientific<br>One Reagent Lane<br>Fair Lawn, NJ 07410<br>Tel: (201) 796-7100 | Acros Organics<br>One Reagent Lane<br>Fair Lawn, NJ 07410 | For information <b>US</b> call: 001-800-ACROS-01<br>/ <b>Europe</b> call: +32 14 57 52 11<br>Emergency Number <b>US</b> :001-201-796-7100 /<br><b>Europe</b> : +32 14 57 52 99<br><b>CHEMTREC</b> Tel. No. <b>US</b> :001-800-424-9300 /<br><b>Europe</b> :001-703-527-3887 |

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Flammable liquids   | Category 2 |
| Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Vapors                                | Category 4 |
| Carcinogenicity   | Category 2 |
| Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)                  | Category 3 |
| Target Organs - Respiratory system, Central nervous system (CNS). |            |
| Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure)              | Category 2 |
| Aspiration Toxicity   | Category 1 |

### Label Elements

#### Signal Word

Danger

#### Hazard Statements

Highly flammable liquid and vapor  
May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways  
Harmful if inhaled  
May cause respiratory irritation  
May cause drowsiness or dizziness  
Suspected of causing cancer  
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use  
 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood  
 Use personal protective equipment as required  
 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking  
 Keep container tightly closed  
 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment  
 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment  
 Use only non-sparking tools  
 Take precautionary measures against static discharge  
 Keep cool

**Response**

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention/advice

**Inhalation**

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

**Skin**

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

**Ingestion**

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician  
 Do NOT induce vomiting

**Fire**

In case of fire: Use CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, or foam for extinction

**Storage**

Store locked up  
 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

**Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

### 3. Composition / information on ingredients

| Component    | CAS-No   | Weight % |
|--------------|----------|----------|
| Ethylbenzene | 100-41-4 | >95      |

### 4. First-aid measures

**General Advice**

If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Eye Contact**

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.

**Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.

**Inhalation**

Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Obtain medical attention. Aspiration into lungs can produce severe lung damage.

|  |   |
|--|---|
| <b>Ingestion</b>                       | Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately. If vomiting occurs naturally, have victim lean forward. |
| <b>Most important symptoms/effects</b> | Breathing difficulties. . Inhalation of high vapor concentrations may cause symptoms like headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting: May cause central nervous system depression          |
| <b>Notes to Physician</b>              | Treat symptomatically   |

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Suitable Extinguishing Media</b>     | Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray. |
| <b>Unsuitable Extinguishing Media</b>   | Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire   |
| <b>Flash Point</b>                      | 15 °C / 59 °F   |
| <b>Method -</b>                         | No information available  |
| <b>Autoignition Temperature</b>         | 432 °C / 810 °F   |
| <b>Explosion Limits</b>                 |   |
| <b>Upper</b>                            | 6.8%  |
| <b>Lower</b>                            | 1.2%  |
| <b>Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact</b> | No information available  |
| <b>Sensitivity to Static Discharge</b>  | Yes   |

### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Flammable. Containers may explode when heated. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back.

### Hazardous Combustion Products

Carbon monoxide (CO) Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)

### Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

### NFPA

|                    |                          |                         |                                |
|--------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>Health</b><br>3 | <b>Flammability</b><br>3 | <b>Instability</b><br>0 | <b>Physical hazards</b><br>N/A |
|--------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|

## 6. Accidental release measures

|   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>Personal Precautions</b>                 | Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.   |
| <b>Environmental Precautions</b>            | Should not be released into the environment. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. See Section 12 for additional ecological information. Avoid release to the environment. Collect spillage. |
| <b>Methods for Containment and Clean Up</b> | Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment.                                    |

## 7. Handling and storage

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Handling</b> | Wear personal protective equipment. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Use only non-sparking tools. To avoid ignition of vapors by static electricity discharge, all metal parts of the equipment must be grounded. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. |
| <b>Storage</b>  | Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Flammables area.  |

## 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

### Exposure Guidelines

| Component    | ACGIH TLV  | OSHA PEL   | NIOSH IDLH   |
|--------------|--|--|--|
| Ethylbenzene | TWA: 20 ppm  | (Vacated) TWA: 100 ppm<br>(Vacated) TWA: 435 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>(Vacated) STEL: 125 ppm<br>(Vacated) STEL: 545 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>TWA: 100 ppm<br>TWA: 435 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | IDLH: 800 ppm<br>TWA: 100 ppm<br>TWA: 435 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>STEL: 125 ppm<br>STEL: 125 ppm<br>STEL: 545 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |
| Component    | Quebec   | Mexico OEL (TWA)   | Ontario TWAEV  |
| Ethylbenzene | TWA: 100 ppm<br>TWA: 434 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>STEL: 125 ppm<br>STEL: 543 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 100 ppm<br>TWA: 435 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>STEL: 125 ppm<br>STEL: 545 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   | TWA: 20 ppm  |

### Legend

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

NIOSH IDLH: The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

### Engineering Measures

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

### Personal Protective Equipment

#### Eye/face Protection

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

#### Skin and body protection

Long sleeved clothing.

#### Respiratory Protection

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

#### Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

|  |                           |
|--|---------------------------|
| Physical State                         | Liquid                    |
| Appearance                             | Colorless                 |
| Odor                                   | aromatic                  |
| Odor Threshold                         | No information available  |
| pH                                     | No information available  |
| Melting Point/Range                    | -95 °C / -139 °F          |
| Boiling Point/Range                    | 136 °C / 276.8 °F         |
| Flash Point                            | 15 °C / 59 °F             |
| Evaporation Rate                       | No information available  |
| Flammability (solid,gas)               | Not applicable            |
| Flammability or explosive limits       |                           |
| Upper                                  | 6.8%                      |
| Lower                                  | 1.2%                      |
| Vapor Pressure                         | No information available  |
| Vapor Density                          | No information available  |
| Relative Density                       | 0.860                     |
| Solubility                             | Slightly soluble in water |
| Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water | No data available         |

|                           |                          |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| Autoignition Temperature  | 432 °C / 810 °F          |
| Decomposition Temperature | No information available |
| Viscosity                 | No information available |
| Molecular Formula         | C8 H10                   |
| Molecular Weight          | 106.17                   |

## 10. Stability and reactivity

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Reactive Hazard</b>                  | None known, based on information available  |
| <b>Stability</b>                        | Stable under normal conditions.   |
| <b>Conditions to Avoid</b>              | Incompatible products. Excess heat. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. |
| <b>Incompatible Materials</b>           | Strong oxidizing agents   |
| <b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b> | Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> )   |
| <b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>         | Hazardous polymerization does not occur.  |
| <b>Hazardous Reactions</b>              | None under normal processing.   |

## 11. Toxicological information

### Acute Toxicity

#### Product Information Component Information

| Component    | LD50 Oral          | LD50 Dermal            | LC50 Inhalation       |
|--------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Ethylbenzene | 3500 mg/kg ( Rat ) | 15400 mg/kg ( Rabbit ) | 17.2 mg/L ( Rat ) 4 h |

**Toxicologically Synergistic Products** No information available

#### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| <b>Irritation</b>      | May cause eye, skin, and respiratory tract irritation                                    |
| <b>Sensitization</b>   | No information available   |
| <b>Carcinogenicity</b> | The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen. |

| Component    | CAS-No   | IARC     | NTP        | ACGIH | OSHA | Mexico     |
|--------------|----------|----------|------------|-------|------|------------|
| Ethylbenzene | 100-41-4 | Group 2B | Not listed | A3    | X    | Not listed |

*IARC: (International Agency for Research on Cancer)*

*Group 2B - Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans*

*IARC: (International Agency for Research on Cancer)*

*Group 1 - Carcinogenic to Humans*

*Group 2A - Probably Carcinogenic to Humans*

*A1 - Known Human Carcinogen*

*A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen*

*A3 - Animal Carcinogen*

*ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)*

*ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)*

|                                 |   |
|---------------------------------|---|
| <b>Mutagenic Effects</b>        | No information available                        |
| <b>Reproductive Effects</b>     | No information available.                       |
| <b>Developmental Effects</b>    | No information available.                       |
| <b>Teratogenicity</b>           | No information available.                       |
| <b>STOT - single exposure</b>   | Respiratory system Central nervous system (CNS) |
| <b>STOT - repeated exposure</b> | None known                                      |

|   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>Aspiration hazard</b>                          | No information available   |
| <b>Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed</b> | Inhalation of high vapor concentrations may cause symptoms like headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting: May cause central nervous system depression |
| <b>Endocrine Disruptor Information</b>            | No information available   |
| <b>Other Adverse Effects</b>                      | See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.  |

## 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

Do not empty into drains. The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the environment. Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

| Component    | Freshwater Algae  | Freshwater Fish   | Microtox                                       | Water Flea               |
|--------------|---|---|--|--------------------------|
| Ethylbenzene | 2.6 - 11.3 mg/L EC50 72 h<br>438 mg/L EC50 > 96 h 4.6 mg/L EC50 = 72 h 1.7 - 7.6 mg/L EC50 96 h | 9.6 mg/L LC50 96 h 9.1 - 15.6 mg/L LC50 96 h 32 mg/L LC50 96 h 7.55 - 11 mg/L LC50 96 h 4.2 mg/L LC50 96 h 11.0 - 18.0 mg/L LC50 96 h | EC50 = 9.68 mg/L 30 min<br>EC50 = 96 mg/L 24 h | 1.8 - 2.4 mg/L EC50 48 h |

**Persistence and Degradability** Insoluble in water Persistence is unlikely based on information available.  
**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** . Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility. Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its volatility.

| Component    | log Pow |
|--------------|---------|
| Ethylbenzene | 3.118   |

## 13. Disposal considerations

**Waste Disposal Methods** Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

## 14. Transport information

### DOT

UN-No UN1175  
 Proper Shipping Name ETHYLBENZENE  
 Hazard Class 3  
 Packing Group II

### TDG

UN-No UN1175  
 Proper Shipping Name ETHYLBENZENE  
 Hazard Class 3  
 Packing Group II

### IATA

UN-No UN1175  
 Proper Shipping Name ETHYLBENZENE  
 Hazard Class 3  
 Packing Group II

### IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN1175  
 Proper Shipping Name ETHYLBENZENE  
 Hazard Class 3  
 Packing Group II

## 15. Regulatory information

All of the components in the product are on the following Inventory lists: X = listed The product is classified and labeled

according to EC directives or corresponding national laws The product is classified and labeled in accordance with Directive 1999/45/EC

### International Inventories

| Component    | TSCA | DSL | NDSL | EINECS    | ELINCS | NLP | PICCS | ENCS | AICS | IECSC | KECL |
|--------------|------|-----|------|-----------|--------|-----|-------|------|------|-------|------|
| Ethylbenzene | X    | X   | -    | 202-849-4 | -      |     | X     | X    | X    | X     | X    |

#### Legend:

X - Listed

E - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.

F - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.

N - Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.

P - Indicates a commenced PMN substance

R - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.

S - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule

T - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.

XU - Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B)).

Y1 - Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.

Y2 - Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

### U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

### SARA 313

| Component    | CAS-No   | Weight % | SARA 313 - Threshold Values % |
|--------------|----------|----------|-------------------------------|
| Ethylbenzene | 100-41-4 | >95      | 0.1                           |

### SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

|                                   |     |
|-----------------------------------|-----|
| Acute Health Hazard               | Yes |
| Chronic Health Hazard             | Yes |
| Fire Hazard                       | Yes |
| Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard | No  |
| Reactive Hazard                   | No  |

### Clean Water Act

| Component    | CWA - Hazardous Substances | CWA - Reportable Quantities | CWA - Toxic Pollutants | CWA - Priority Pollutants |
|--------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Ethylbenzene | X                          | 1000 lb                     | X                      | X                         |

### Clean Air Act

| Component    | HAPS Data | Class 1 Ozone Depletors | Class 2 Ozone Depletors |
|--------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Ethylbenzene | X         |                         | -                       |

### OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Not applicable

### CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

| Component    | Hazardous Substances RQs | CERCLA EHS RQs |
|--------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| Ethylbenzene | 1000 lb                  | -              |

**California Proposition 65** This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals:

| Component    | CAS-No   | California Prop. 65 | Prop 65 NSRL           | Category   |
|--------------|----------|---------------------|------------------------|------------|
| Ethylbenzene | 100-41-4 | Carcinogen          | 54 µg/day<br>41 µg/day | Carcinogen |

**State Right-to-Know**

| Component    | Massachusetts | New Jersey | Pennsylvania | Illinois | Rhode Island |
|--------------|---------------|------------|--------------|----------|--------------|
| Ethylbenzene | X             | X          | X            | X        | X            |

**U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N  
 DOT Marine Pollutant N  
 DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

**U.S. Department of Homeland Security**

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

**Other International Regulations**

**Mexico - Grade** Serious risk, Grade 3

**Canada**

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR

**WHMIS Hazard Class** B2 Flammable liquid  
 D2A Very toxic materials



## 16. Other information

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**End of SDS**

### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Identification

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| Product form   | : Substance   |
| Substance name | : Hydrogen Cyanide  |
| CAS-No.        | : 74-90-8   |
| Product code   | : SG-1001-06618   |
| Formula        | : CHN   |
| Synonyms       | : Hydrocyanic acid / Prussic acid / Hydrogen cyanide, anhydrous / Cyanhydric acid / Hydrogen cyanide, stabilized / Cyanides / Hydrocyanic acid / Prussic acid / Hydrogen cyanide, anhydrous / Cyanhydric acid / Hydrogen cyanide, stabilized / Cyanides |

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

|                              |   |
|------------------------------|---|
| Use of the substance/mixture | : Laboratory chemicals<br>Manufacture of substances |
|------------------------------|---|

#### 1.3. Supplier

Air Liquide USA LLC and its affiliates  
9811 Katy Freeway, Suite 100  
Houston, TX 77024 - USA  
T 1-800-819-1704  
[www.us.airliquide.com](http://www.us.airliquide.com)

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : Chemtrec: 1-800-424-9300

### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

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

##### GHS-US classification

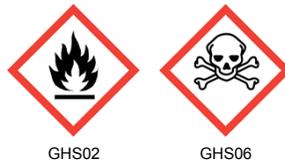
|   |      |                                       |
|---|------|---------------------------------------|
| Flammable liquids<br>Category 1                                   | H224 | Extremely flammable liquid and vapour |
| Acute toxicity (oral)<br>Category 1                               | H300 | Fatal if swallowed                    |
| Acute toxicity (dermal)<br>Category 1                             | H310 | Fatal in contact with skin            |
| Acute toxicity<br>(inhalation:gas) Category 1                     | H330 | Fatal if inhaled                      |
| Skin corrosion/irritation<br>Category 2                           | H315 | Causes skin irritation                |
| Serious eye damage/eye<br>irritation Category 2B                  | H320 | Causes eye irritation                 |
| Specific target organ<br>toxicity (single exposure)<br>Category 3 | 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) :

Danger

Hazard statements (GHS-US) :

H224 - Extremely flammable liquid and vapour  
H300+H310+H330 - Fatal if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled  
H315 - Causes skin irritation  
H320 - Causes eye irritation  
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation  
CGA-HG04 - May form explosive mixtures with air

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|                                   |  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| Precautionary statements (GHS-US) | <p>CGA-HG11 - Symptoms may be delayed</p> <p>: P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.<br/>           P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, open flames, sparks. - No smoking.<br/>           P260 - Do not breathe vapors.<br/>           P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.<br/>           P280 - Wear eye protection, face protection, protective gloves, protective clothing.<br/>           P301+P310 - If swallowed: Immediately call a POISON CENTER<br/>           P302+P352 - If on skin: Wash with plenty of water<br/>           P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing<br/>           P331 - Do NOT induce vomiting.<br/>           P377 - Leaking gas fire: Do not extinguish, unless leak can be stopped safely.<br/>           P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place.<br/>           P405 - Store locked up.<br/>           P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations<br/>           P304+P340 - If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing<br/>           P362 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.<br/>           P381 - Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so.<br/>           P307+P311 - If exposed: Call a poison center/doctor<br/>           P284 - Wear respiratory protection. Consult respirator supplier's product information for the selection of the appropriate respiratory protection.<br/>           CGA-PG02 - Protect from sunlight when ambient temperature exceeds 52°C/125 °F<br/>           CGA-PG05 - Use a back flow preventive device in the piping<br/>           CGA-PG06 - Close valve after each use and when empty<br/>           CGA-PG10 - Use only with equipment rated for cylinder pressure<br/>           CGA-PG14 - Approach suspected leak area with caution<br/>           CGA-PG18 - When returning cylinder, install leak tight valve outlet cap or plug<br/>           CGA-PG21 - Open valve slowly</p> |
|-----------------------------------|--|

### 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

| Name                                   | Product identifier | %     | GHS-US classification  |
|--|--------------------|-------|--|
| Hydrogen Cyanide<br>(Main constituent) | (CAS-No.) 74-90-8  | > 99% | Flam. Liq. 1, H224<br>Acute Tox. 1 (Oral), H300<br>Acute Tox. 1 (Dermal), H310<br>Acute Tox. 1 (Inhalation:gas), H330<br>Skin Irrit. 2, H315<br>Eye Irrit. 2B, H320<br>STOT SE 3, H335 |

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

### 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

## SECTION 4: First-aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

|                                       |   |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| First-aid measures after inhalation   | : Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Apply artificial respiration with bag and mask if breathing stopped. Get immediate medical advice/attention. |
| First-aid measures after skin contact | : Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.            |
| First-aid measures after eye contact  | : Rinse immediately with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation occurs, seek medical attention.                      |
| First-aid measures after ingestion    | : Do NOT induce vomiting. IF SWALLOWED: Get immediate medical advice/attention.   |

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

|                                     |   |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| Symptoms/effects after inhalation   | : Fatal if inhaled. May cause respiratory irritation. |
| Symptoms/effects after skin contact | : Fatal in contact with skin. Causes skin irritation. |
| Symptoms/effects after eye contact  | : Causes eye irritation.                              |
| Symptoms/effects after ingestion    | : Fatal if swallowed.                                 |

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- Symptoms/effects upon intravenous administration : Not known.
- Chronic symptoms : Adverse effects not expected from this product.

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

If you feel unwell, seek medical advice. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

## 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 : Do not use water jet to extinguish.

### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

- Fire hazard : This product is flammable.
- Explosion hazard : Product is not explosive. Heat may build pressure, rupturing closed containers, spreading fire and increasing risk of burns and injuries.
- Reactivity : None known.

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

- Firefighting instructions : In case of fire: Evacuate area. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion. Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.
- Protection during firefighting : Standard protective clothing and equipment (e.g. Self Contained Breathing Apparatus) for fire fighters. Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

- General measures : Ensure adequate ventilation.

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Protective equipment : Wear protective equipment consistent with the site emergency plan.
- Emergency procedures : Evacuate personnel to a safe area. Close doors and windows of adjacent premises. Keep containers closed. Mark the danger area. Seal off low-lying areas. Keep upwind.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Standard protective clothing and equipment (e.g. Self Contained Breathing Apparatus) for fire fighters. Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.
- Emergency procedures : Evacuate and limit access. Ventilate area. Remove ignition sources. Monitor concentration of released product. Consider the risk of potentially explosive atmospheres. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus when entering atmospheres of unknown contaminant concentration until proven to be safe.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Try to stop release if without risk.

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

- For containment : Try to stop release if without risk.
- Methods for cleaning up : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See also Sections 8 and 13.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Additional hazards when processed : Pressurized container: Do not pierce or burn, even after use. Use only with equipment rated for cylinder pressure. Close valve after each use and when empty. Handle empty containers with care because residual vapors are flammable. In use, may form flammable vapor-air mixture.
- Precautions for safe handling : Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. – No smoking. Use only non-sparking tools.
- Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

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

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Technical measures     | : Comply with applicable regulations. Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed.   |
| Storage conditions     | : Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 52 °C/ 125 °F. Keep container closed when not in use. Protect cylinders from physical damage; do not drag, roll, slide or drop. Store in well ventilated area. Store locked up. |
| Incompatible products  | : None known.   |
| Incompatible materials | : Oxidizing materials. Air. Amines. Acids. Sodium hydroxide. Calcium hydroxide. sodium carbonate.   |

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

| Hydrogen Cyanide (74-90-8) |                                       |                                   |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| ACGIH                      | ACGIH Ceiling (ppm)                   | 4.7 ppm                           |
| OSHA                       | OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )   | 11 mg/m <sup>3</sup>              |
| OSHA                       | OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)                  | 10 ppm                            |
| OSHA                       | Limit value category (OSHA)           | prevent or reduce skin absorption |
| IDLH                       | US IDLH (ppm)                         | 50 ppm                            |
| NIOSH                      | NIOSH REL (STEL) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> ) | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>               |
| NIOSH                      | NIOSH REL (STEL) (ppm)                | 4.7 ppm                           |
| NIOSH                      | US-NIOSH chemical category            | Potential for dermal absorption   |

### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

|                                  |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Appropriate engineering controls | : Ensure exposure is below occupational exposure limits (where available). Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Systems under pressure should be regularly checked for leakages. Consider the use of a work permit system e.g. for maintenance activities. Alarm detectors should be used when toxic gases may be released. |
| Environmental exposure controls  | : Refer to local regulations for restriction of emissions to the atmosphere. See section 13 for specific methods for waste gas treatment.  |

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

#### Hand protection:

Wear chemically resistant protective gloves. Wear working gloves when handling gas containers. 29 CFR 1910.138: Hand protection

#### Eye protection:

Wear safety glasses with side shields. Wear goggles and a face shield when transfilling or breaking transfer connections. 29 CFR 1910.133: Eye and Face Protection

#### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing, e.g. lab coats, coveralls or flame resistant clothing.

#### Respiratory protection:

Wear a respirator when performing non-routine tasks not limited to line breaking or sampling. Wear a respirator during routine operations if determined to be necessary during a process-specific review. Consult respirator suppliers' product information or their representatives for the selection of the appropriate respirator. See Sections 5 & 6.

#### Thermal hazard protection:

None necessary during normal and routine operations.

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### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Physical state                              | : Liquid  |
| Appearance                                  | : Colorless or pale-blue liquid or gas (above 26°C).                            |
| Color                                       | : Colorless to pale-blue  |
| Odor  | : Bitter almonds  |
| Odor threshold                              | : No data available   |
| pH  | : No data available   |
| Melting point                               | : -15 °C  |
| Freezing point                              | : No data available   |
| Boiling point                               | : 26 °C   |
| Critical temperature                        | : 456.7 °K  |
| Flash point                                 | : -18 °C (96%)  |
| Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) | : No data available   |
| Flammability (solid, gas)                   | : See Section 2.1 and 2.2   |
| Vapor pressure                              | : 630 mm Hg   |
| Relative vapor density at 20 °C             | : No data available   |
| Relative density                            | : No data available   |
| Specific gravity / density                  | : 0.687 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (at 20 °C)  |
| Molecular mass                              | : 27.025 g/mol  |
| Relative gas density                        | : Similar to air  |
| Solubility                                  | : Water: No data available  |
| 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                            | : 5.6 - 40 vol %  |
| Explosive properties                        | : Without adequate ventilation formation of explosive mixtures may be possible. |
| Oxidizing properties                        | : None.   |

#### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

None known.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Can form explosive mixture with air.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidizing materials. Air. Amines. Acids. Sodium hydroxide. Calcium hydroxide. sodium carbonate.

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Oral: Fatal if swallowed. Dermal: Fatal in contact with skin. Inhalation:gas: Fatal if inhaled.

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| Hydrogen Cyanide (74-90-8) |                         |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| LD50 oral rat              | 4.2 mg/kg               |
| LD50 dermal rabbit         | 6.8 mg/kg               |
| LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)  | 70 ppm/4h               |
| ATE US (oral)              | 4.200 mg/kg body weight |
| ATE US (dermal)            | 6.800 mg/kg body weight |
| ATE US (gases)             | 70.000 ppmV/4h          |

|  |   |
|--|---|
| 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                                      |
| Reproductive toxicity                              | : Not classified                                      |
| Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure   | : May cause respiratory irritation.                   |
| Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure | : Not classified                                      |
| Aspiration hazard                                  | : Not classified                                      |
| Symptoms/effects after inhalation                  | : Fatal if inhaled. May cause respiratory irritation. |
| Symptoms/effects after skin contact                | : Fatal in contact with skin. Causes skin irritation. |
| Symptoms/effects after eye contact                 | : Causes eye irritation.                              |
| Symptoms/effects after ingestion                   | : Fatal if swallowed.                                 |
| Symptoms/effects upon intravenous administration   | : Not known.  |
| Chronic symptoms                                   | : Adverse effects not expected from this product.     |

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

| Hydrogen Cyanide (74-90-8) |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| LC50 fish 1                | 0.082 - 0.137 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Pimephales promelas [flow-through]) |
| EC50 Daphnia 1             | 1.8 mg/l (Exposure time: 48 h - Species: Daphnia species)                              |
| LC50 fish 2                | 24 - 35 µg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Oncorhynchus mykiss [flow-through])       |

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

| Hydrogen Cyanide (74-90-8) |                               |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| BCF fish 1                 | (no bioaccumulation expected) |

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Effect on ozone layer : No known effects from this product.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Disposal methods

|                              |   |
|------------------------------|---|
| Regional legislation (waste) | : U.S. - RCRA (Resource Conservation & Recovery Act) - Basis for Listing - Appendix VII. U.S. - RCRA (Resource Conservation & Recovery Act) - Hazardous Constituents - Appendix VIII to 40 CFR 261. U.S. - RCRA (Resource Conservation & Recovery Act) - P Series Wastes - Acutely Toxic Wastes.  |
| Waste treatment methods      | : Contact supplier if guidance is required. Do not discharge into any place where its accumulation could be dangerous. Ensure that the emission levels from local regulations or operating permits are not exceeded. Waste gas should be flared through a suitable burner with flash back arrestor. Do not discharge into areas where there is a risk of forming an explosive mixture with air. Must not be discharged to atmosphere. Toxic and corrosive gases formed during combustion should be scrubbed before discharge to atmosphere. |

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Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Refer to the CGA Pamphlet P-63 "Disposal of Gases" available at [www.cganet.com](http://www.cganet.com) for more guidance on suitable disposal methods.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Transport document description : UN1051 Hydrogen cyanide, stabilized with less than 3 percent water, 6.1 (3), I

UN-No.(DOT) : UN1051

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Hydrogen cyanide, stabilized  
with less than 3 percent water

Class (DOT) : 6.1 - Class 6.1 - Poisonous materials 49 CFR 173.132

Packing group (DOT) : I - Great Danger

Subsidiary risk (DOT) : 3 - Class 3 - Flammable and combustible liquid 49 CFR 173.120

Hazard labels (DOT) : 6.1 - Poison  
3 - Flammable liquid



DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 195

DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 244

DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102) : 1 - This material is poisonous by inhalation (see 171.8 of this subchapter) in Hazard Zone A (see 173.116(a) or 173.133(a) of this subchapter), and must be described as an inhalation hazard under the provisions of this subchapter.  
B35 - Tank cars containing hydrogen cyanide may be alternatively marked Hydrocyanic acid, liquefied if otherwise conforming to marking requirements in subpart D of this part. Tank cars marked HYDROCYANIC ACID prior to October 1, 1991 do not need to be remarked.  
B61 - Written procedures covering details of tank car appurtenances, dome fittings, safety devices, and marking, loading, handling, inspection, and testing practices must be approved by the Associate Administrator before any single unit tank car tank is offered for transportation.  
B65 - Tank cars must have a test pressure of 34.47 Bar (500 psig) or greater and conform to Class 105A. Each tank car must have a pressure relief device having a start-to-discharge pressure of 15.51 Bar (225 psig). The tank car specification may be marked to indicate a test pressure of 20.68 Bar (300 psig).  
B77 - Other packaging are authorized when approved by the Associate Administrator.  
B82 - Cargo tanks and portable tanks are not authorized.

DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx) : None

DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail (49 CFR 173.27) : Forbidden

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 CFR 175.75) : Forbidden

DOT Vessel Stowage Location : D - The material must be stowed "on deck only" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel carrying a number of passengers limited to not more than the larger of 25 passengers or one passenger per each 3 m of overall vessel length, but the material is prohibited on passenger vessels in which the limiting number of passengers is exceeded.

DOT Vessel Stowage Other : 40 - Stow "clear of living quarters"

Emergency Response Guide (ERG) Number : 117 (UN1051);152 (UN1614);154 (UN1613)

Other information : No supplementary information available.

#### Transportation of Dangerous Goods

Transport document description : UN1051 HYDROGEN CYANIDE, STABILIZED (containing less than 3 percent water), 6.1 (3), I

UN-No. (TDG) : UN1051

Proper Shipping Name : HYDROGEN CYANIDE, STABILIZED

TDG Primary Hazard Classes : 6.1 - Class 6.1 - Toxic Substances

Packing group : I - Great Danger

TDG Subsidiary Classes : 3

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|   |   |
|---|---|
| TDG Special Provisions  | : 23 - (1) A consignor of these dangerous goods must include, except for UN1005, ANHYDROUS AMMONIA, the words "toxic by inhalation" or "toxic — inhalation hazard" or "toxique par inhalation" or "toxicité par inhalation" in the following places, unless the words are already part of the shipping name: (a) on a shipping document, immediately after the description of the dangerous goods; (b) on a small means of containment, next to the shipping name of the dangerous goods; and (c) on a large means of containment, next to the placard for the primary class of the dangerous goods or the placard for the subsidiary class, if any. For example, the notation on a shipping document would be "UN1935, CYANIDE SOLUTION, N.O.S, Class 6.1, PG I, toxic by inhalation". (2) This special provision does not apply to a person who transports these dangerous goods in accordance with an exemption set out in sections 1.15, 1.17 or 1.17.1 of Part 1 (Coming Into Force, Repeal, Interpretation, General Provisions and Special Cases). (3) A consignor of UN1005, ANHYDROUS AMMONIA, must include the words "inhalation hazard" or "dangereux par inhalation": (a) on a shipping document, immediately after the shipping name of the dangerous goods; and (b) on a small means of containment, next to the shipping name of the dangerous goods. When UN1005, ANHYDROUS AMMONIA, is contained in a large means of containment on which is affixed the anhydrous ammonia placard, the words "Anhydrous Ammonia, Inhalation Hazard" or "Ammoniac anhydre, dangereux par inhalation" must be displayed next to the placard in accordance with paragraph 4.18.2(b). SOR/2014-306 |
| ERAP Index  | : 1 000   |
| Explosive Limit and Limited Quantity Index                                  | : 0   |
| Passenger Carrying Road Vehicle or Passenger Carrying Railway Vehicle Index | : Forbidden   |
| Passenger Carrying Ship Index   | : Forbidden   |

### Transport by sea

|                                       |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Transport document description (IMDG) | : UN UN1051 Hydrogen Cyanide, Stabilized, 6.1, I, MARINE POLLUTANT/ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS |
| UN-No. (IMDG)                         | : UN1051   |
| Proper Shipping Name (IMDG)           | : Hydrogen Cyanide, Stabilized   |
| Class (IMDG)                          | : 6.1 - Toxic substances   |
| Packing group (IMDG)                  | : I - substances presenting high danger  |

### Air transport

|                                       |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Transport document description (IATA) | : UN Forbidden , ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS |
| UN-No. (IATA)                         | : Forbidden                                |

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. US Federal regulations

| Hydrogen Cyanide (74-90-8)  |  |
|---|--|
| Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory |  |
| Listed on the United States SARA Section 302                              |  |
| Subject to reporting requirements of United States SARA Section 313       |  |
| EPA TSCA Regulatory Flag  | T - T - indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA. |
| CERCLA RQ   | 10 lb  |
| Section 302 EPCRA Reportable Quantity (RQ)                                | 10 lb  |
| SARA Section 302 Threshold Planning Quantity (TPQ)                        | 100 lb   |
| SARA Section 313 - Emission Reporting                                     | 1 %  |

### 15.2. International regulations

#### CANADA

| Hydrogen Cyanide (74-90-8)                            |
|---|
| Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) |

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### EU-Regulations

#### Hydrogen Cyanide (74-90-8)

Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)

### National regulations

#### Hydrogen Cyanide (74-90-8)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory  
Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)  
Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
Japanese Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law  
Japanese Pollutant Release and Transfer Register Law (PRTR Law)  
Listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)  
Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)

### 15.3. US State regulations

#### Hydrogen Cyanide (74-90-8)

|   |  |
|---|--|
| U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List               | Yes  |
| U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxicity         | No   |
| U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Female | No   |
| U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Male   | Yes  |
| State or local regulations  | U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List<br>U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List<br>U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List<br>U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List |

## SECTION 16: Other information

Other information : This Safety Data Sheet is offered pursuant to OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR, 1910.1200. Other government regulations must be reviewed for applicability to this product.

Full text of H-phrases:

|      |                                       |
|------|---------------------------------------|
| H224 | Extremely flammable liquid and vapour |
| H300 | Fatal if swallowed                    |
| H310 | Fatal in contact with skin            |
| H315 | Causes skin irritation                |
| H320 | Causes eye irritation                 |
| H330 | Fatal if inhaled                      |
| H335 | May cause respiratory irritation      |

NFPA health hazard

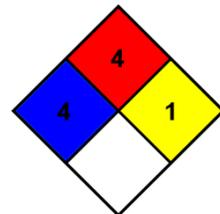
: 4 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can be lethal.

NFPA fire hazard

: 4 - Materials that rapidly or completely vaporize at atmospheric pressure and normal ambient temperature or that are readily dispersed in air and burn readily.

NFPA reactivity

: 1 - Materials that in themselves are normally stable but can become unstable at elevated temperatures and pressures.



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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Identification

Product form : Substance  
 Substance name : Hydrogen Sulfide  
 CAS-No. : 7783-06-4  
 Product code : SG-1001-01824

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

Use of the substance/mixture : Manufacture of substances  
 Semiconductor Purposes

#### 1.3. Supplier

Air Liquide USA LLC and its affiliates  
 9811 Katy Freeway, Suite 100  
 Houston, TX 77024 - USA  
 T 1-800-819-1704  
[www.us.airliquide.com](http://www.us.airliquide.com)

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : Chemtrec: 1-800-424-9300

### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

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

##### GHS US classification

|   |      |  |
|---|------|--|
| Flammable gases Category 1                                  | H220 | Extremely flammable gas                            |
| Gases under pressure  | H280 | Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated |
| Liquefied gas   |      |  |
| Acute toxicity (inhalation:gas) Category 2                  | H330 | Fatal if inhaled                                   |
| Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Category 3 | 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) :

Danger

Hazard statements (GHS US) :

H280 - Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated  
 H220 - Extremely flammable gas  
 H330 - Fatal if inhaled  
 H335 - May cause respiratory irritation  
 CGA-HG01 - May cause frostbite  
 CGA-HG04 - May form explosive mixtures with air  
 CGA-HG11 - Symptoms may be delayed  
 CGA-HG16 - Extended exposure to gas reduces the ability to smell sulfides.

Precautionary statements (GHS US) :

P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
 P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
 P280 - Wear eye protection, face protection, protective gloves, protective clothing.  
 P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place.  
 P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations  
 P302 - IF ON SKIN: Thaw frosted parts with lukewarm water. Do not rub affected area, Get immediate medical advice/attention.  
 P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
 P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, open flames, sparks. - No smoking.

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P377 - Leaking gas fire: Do not extinguish, unless leak can be stopped safely.  
P260 - Do not breathe gas.  
P405 - Store locked up.  
P304+P340 - If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing  
P381 - Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so.  
P307+P311 - If exposed: Call a poison center/doctor  
P284 - Wear respiratory protection. Consult respirator supplier's product information for the selection of the appropriate respiratory protection.  
CGA-PG02 - Protect from sunlight when ambient temperature exceeds 52°C/125 °F  
CGA-PG05 - Use a back flow preventive device in the piping  
CGA-PG06 - Close valve after each use and when empty  
CGA-PG10 - Use only with equipment rated for cylinder pressure  
CGA-PG14 - Approach suspected leak area with caution  
CGA-PG18 - When returning cylinder, install leak tight valve outlet cap or plug  
CGA-PG21 - Open valve slowly  
CGA-PG29 - Do not depend on odor to detect presence of gas

### 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

| Name                                   | Product identifier  | %    | GHS US classification   |
|--|---------------------|------|---|
| Hydrogen Sulfide<br>(Main constituent) | (CAS-No.) 7783-06-4 | > 99 | Flam. Gas 1, H220<br>Press. Gas (Liq.), H280<br>Acute Tox. 2 (Inhalation:gas),<br>H330<br>STOT SE 3, H335 |

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

### 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

## SECTION 4: First-aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Apply artificial respiration with bag and mask if breathing stopped. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Thaw frosted parts with lukewarm water. Do not rub affected area. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Immediately flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

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

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : Fatal if inhaled. May cause respiratory irritation.

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : May cause frostbite.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Contact with the product may cause cold burns or frostbite.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

Symptoms/effects upon intravenous administration : Not known.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed : May cause damaging effects to central nervous system, metabolism and gastrointestinal tract. Prolonged exposure to small concentrations may result in pulmonary oedema. Irritation to the respiratory tract. Refer to section 11.

Chronic symptoms : Adverse effects not expected from this product.

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

If you feel unwell, seek medical advice. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

## 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 : Do not use water jet to extinguish.

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### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

|                               |   |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Fire hazard                   | : This product is flammable.  |
| Explosion hazard              | : Heat may build pressure, rupturing closed containers, spreading fire and increasing risk of burns and injuries. May form flammable/explosive vapor-air mixture. |
| Reactivity                    | : None known.   |
| Hazardous combustion products | : If involved in a fire the following toxic and/or corrosive fumes may be produced by thermal decomposition: Sulphur dioxide.                                     |

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

|                                |   |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Firefighting instructions      | : In case of fire: Evacuate area. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion. Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.            |
| Protection during firefighting | : Standard protective clothing and equipment (e.g. Self Contained Breathing Apparatus) for fire fighters. Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection. |

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

|                  |                                |
|------------------|--------------------------------|
| General measures | : Ensure adequate ventilation. |
|------------------|--------------------------------|

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

|                      |   |
|----------------------|---|
| Protective equipment | : Wear protective equipment consistent with the site emergency plan.  |
| Emergency procedures | : Evacuate personnel to a safe area. Close doors and windows of adjacent premises. Keep containers closed. Mark the danger area. Seal off low-lying areas. Keep upwind. |

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

|                      |  |
|----------------------|--|
| Protective equipment | : Standard protective clothing and equipment (e.g. Self Contained Breathing Apparatus) for fire fighters. Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.   |
| Emergency procedures | : Evacuate and limit access. Ventilate area. Remove ignition sources. Monitor concentration of released product. Consider the risk of potentially explosive atmospheres. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus when entering atmospheres of unknown contaminant concentration until proven to be safe. |

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Try to stop release if without risk.

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

|  |   |
|--|---|
| For containment                                      | : Try to stop release if without risk.  |
| Methods for cleaning up                              | : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. |
| Methods and material for containment and cleaning up | : Hose down area with water. Ventilate area.  |

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See also Sections 8 and 13.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

|                                   |  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| Additional hazards when processed | : Pressurized container: Do not pierce or burn, even after use. Use only with equipment rated for cylinder pressure. Close valve after each use and when empty. Handle empty containers with care because residual vapors are flammable. In use, may form flammable vapor-air mixture. |
| Precautions for safe handling     | : Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. – No smoking. Use only non-sparking tools.  |
| Hygiene measures                  | : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  |

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

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Technical measures     | : Comply with applicable regulations. Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed.   |
| Storage conditions     | : Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 52 °C/ 125 °F. Keep container closed when not in use. Protect cylinders from physical damage; do not drag, roll, slide or drop. Store in well ventilated area. Store locked up. |
| Incompatible products  | : None known.   |
| Incompatible materials | : Oxidizing materials. Air.   |

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Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities : Observe all regulations and local requirements regarding storage of containers. Containers should not be stored in conditions likely to encourage corrosion. Container valve guards or caps should be in place. Containers should be stored in the vertical position and properly secured to prevent them from falling over. Stored containers should be periodically checked for general condition and leakage. Keep container below 50°C in a well ventilated place. Store containers in location free from fire risk and away from sources of heat and ignition. Keep away from combustible materials. Segregate from oxidant gases and other oxidants in store. All electrical equipment in the storage areas should be compatible with the risk of a potentially explosive atmosphere.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

| Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4) |  |  |
|------------------------------|--|--|
| ACGIH                        | ACGIH TWA (ppm)  | 1 ppm  |
| ACGIH                        | ACGIH STEL (ppm)   | 5 ppm  |
| OSHA                         | OSHA PEL (Ceiling) (ppm)   | 20 ppm   |
| OSHA                         | Acceptable maximum peak above the acceptable ceiling concentration for an 8-hr shift | 50 ppm Peak (10 minutes once, only if no other measurable exposure occurs) |
| IDLH                         | US IDLH (ppm)  | 100 ppm  |
| NIOSH                        | NIOSH REL (ceiling) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )   | 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   |
| NIOSH                        | NIOSH REL (ceiling) (ppm)  | 10 ppm   |

#### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure exposure is below occupational exposure limits (where available). Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Systems under pressure should be regularly checked for leakages. Consider the use of a work permit system e.g. for maintenance activities. Alarm detectors should be used when toxic gases may be released.

Environmental exposure controls : Refer to local regulations for restriction of emissions to the atmosphere. See section 13 for specific methods for waste gas treatment.

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

##### Hand protection:

Wear working gloves when handling gas containers. 29 CFR 1910.138: Hand protection

##### Eye protection:

Wear safety glasses with side shields. 29 CFR 1910.133: Eye and Face Protection

##### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing, e.g. lab coats, coveralls or flame resistant clothing.

##### Respiratory protection:

Wear a respirator when performing non-routine tasks not limited to line breaking or sampling. Wear a respirator during routine operations if determined to be necessary during a process-specific review. Consult respirator suppliers' product information or their representatives for the selection of the appropriate respirator. See Sections 5 & 6.

##### Thermal hazard protection:

None necessary during normal and routine operations.

##### Other information:

Wear safety shoes while handling containers. 29 CFR 1910.136: Foot Protection.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

Physical state : Gas  
Appearance : Clear, colorless gas.  
Color : Colorless  
Odor : Rotten eggs Sulfide-like

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|   |   |
|---|---|
| Odor threshold                              | : No data available   |
| pH  | : No data available   |
| Melting point                               | : -86 °C  |
| Freezing point                              | : -86 °C  |
| Boiling point                               | : No data available   |
| Critical temperature                        | : 101.05 °C   |
| Critical pressure                           | : 8940 kPa  |
| Flash point                                 | : No data available   |
| Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) | : No data available   |
| Flammability (solid, gas)                   | : See Section 2.1 and 2.2   |
| Vapor pressure                              | : 1722 kPa @ 70°F   |
| Relative vapor density at 20 °C             | : 1.175   |
| Relative density                            | : 0.92  |
| Molecular mass                              | : 34.08 g/mol   |
| Relative gas density                        | : Heavier than air  |
| Solubility                                  | : Water: 3980 mg/l  |
| Log Pow                                     | : Not applicable for inorganic products.  |
| Auto-ignition temperature                   | : 270 °C  |
| Decomposition temperature                   | : No data available   |
| Viscosity, kinematic                        | : No data available   |
| Viscosity, dynamic                          | : No data available   |
| Explosion limits                            | : 3.9 - 45.5 vol %  |
| Explosive properties                        | : Without adequate ventilation formation of explosive mixtures may be possible. |
| Oxidizing properties                        | : None.   |

### 9.2. Other information

Additional information : Gas/vapor heavier than air. May accumulate in confined spaces, particularly at or below ground level

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

None known.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Can form explosive mixture with air.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidizing materials. Air.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

|                             |                                     |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Acute toxicity (oral)       | : Not classified                    |
| Acute toxicity (dermal)     | : Not classified                    |
| Acute toxicity (inhalation) | : Inhalation:gas: Fatal if inhaled. |

| Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4) |  |
|------------------------------|--|
| LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)   | 700 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Exposure time: 4 h) |
| LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)    | 356 ppm/4h                                 |
| ATE US (gases)               | 356 ppmV/4h                                |
| ATE US (vapors)              | 0.7 mg/l/4h                                |

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| Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)                                |   |
|---|---|
| ATE US (dust, mist)   | 0.7 mg/l/4h   |
| Skin corrosion/irritation                                   | : Not classified  |
| Serious eye damage/irritation                               | : Not classified  |
| Respiratory or skin sensitization                           | : Not classified  |
| Germ cell mutagenicity                                      | : Not classified  |
| Carcinogenicity   | : Not classified  |
| Reproductive toxicity                                       | : Not classified  |
| Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure            | : May cause respiratory irritation.   |
| Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure          | : Not classified  |
| Aspiration hazard   | : Not classified  |
| Viscosity, kinematic  | : No data available   |
| Symptoms/effects after inhalation                           | : Fatal if inhaled. May cause respiratory irritation.   |
| Symptoms/effects after skin contact                         | : May cause frostbite.  |
| Symptoms/effects after eye contact                          | : Contact with the product may cause cold burns or frostbite.   |
| Symptoms/effects after ingestion                            | : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.  |
| Symptoms/effects upon intravenous administration            | : Not known.  |
| Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed | : May cause damaging effects to central nervous system, metabolism and gastrointestinal tract. Prolonged exposure to small concentrations may result in pulmonary oedema. Irritation to the respiratory tract. Refer to section 11. |
| Chronic symptoms  | : Adverse effects not expected from this product.   |

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : Very toxic to aquatic life.

| Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)    |   |
|---------------------------------|---|
| LC50 fish 1                     | 0.0448 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Lepomis macrochirus [flow-through]) |
| LC50 fish 2                     | 0.016 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Pimephales promelas [flow-through])  |
| LC50-96 h - fish [mg/l]         | 0.007 - 0.019 mg/l  |
| EC50 48h - Daphnia magna [mg/l] | 0.12 mg/l   |
| EC50 72h Algae [mg/l]           | 1.87 mg/l   |

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

| Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)  |                                       |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Persistence and degradability | Not applicable for inorganic products |

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

| Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4) |  |
|------------------------------|--|
| BCF fish 1                   | (no bioaccumulation expected)          |
| Log Pow                      | Not applicable for inorganic products. |
| Bioaccumulative potential    | No data available.                     |

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

| Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4) |   |
|------------------------------|---|
| Ecology - soil               | Because of its high volatility, the product is unlikely to cause ground or water pollution. |

### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Effect on ozone layer : No known effects from this product.

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### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Disposal methods

- Waste treatment methods : Contact supplier if guidance is required. Do not discharge into any place where its accumulation could be dangerous. Ensure that the emission levels from local regulations or operating permits are not exceeded. Waste gas should be flared through a suitable burner with flash back arrestor. Do not discharge into areas where there is a risk of forming an explosive mixture with air.
- Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Refer to the CGA Pamphlet P-63 "Disposal of Gases" available at [www.cganet.com](http://www.cganet.com) for more guidance on suitable disposal methods.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

- Transport document description : UN1053 Hydrogen sulfide, 2.3 (2.1)
- UN-No.(DOT) : UN1053
- Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Hydrogen sulfide
- Class (DOT) : 2.3 - Class 2.3 - Poisonous gas 49 CFR 173.115
- Subsidiary risk (DOT) : 2.1 - Class 2.1 - Flammable gas 49 CFR 173.115
- Hazard labels (DOT) : 2.3 - Poison gas  
2.1 - Flammable gas



- DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 304
- DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 314;315
- DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102) : 2 - This material is poisonous by inhalation (see 171.8 of this subchapter) in Hazard Zone B (see 173.116(a) or 173.133(a) of this subchapter), and must be described as an inhalation hazard under the provisions of this subchapter.  
B9 - Bottom outlets are not authorized.  
B14 - Each bulk packaging, except a tank car or a multi-unit-tank car tank, must be insulated with an insulating material so that the overall thermal conductance at 15.5 C (60 F) is no more than 1.5333 kilojoules per hour per square meter per degree Celsius (0.075 Btu per hour per square foot per degree Fahrenheit) temperature differential. Insulating materials must not promote corrosion to steel when wet.  
N89 - When steel UN pressure receptacles are used, only those bearing the "H" mark are authorized.
- DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx) : None
- DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail (49 CFR 173.27) : Forbidden
- DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 CFR 175.75) : Forbidden
- DOT Vessel Stowage Location : D - The material must be stowed "on deck only" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel carrying a number of passengers limited to not more than the larger of 25 passengers or one passenger per each 3 m of overall vessel length, but the material is prohibited on passenger vessels in which the limiting number of passengers is exceeded.
- DOT Vessel Stowage Other : 40 - Stow "clear of living quarters"
- Emergency Response Guide (ERG) Number : 117
- Other information : No supplementary information available.
- Special transport precautions : Avoid transport on vehicles where the load space is not separated from the driver's compartment. Ensure vehicle driver is aware of the potential hazards of the load and knows what to do in the event of an accident or an emergency. Before transporting product containers:  
- Ensure there is adequate ventilation. - Ensure that containers are firmly secured. - Ensure cylinder valve is closed and not leaking. - Ensure valve outlet cap nut or plug (where provided) is correctly fitted. - Ensure valve protection device (where provided) is correctly fitted.

#### Transportation of Dangerous Goods

- Transport document description : UN1053 HYDROGEN SULFIDE, 2.3 (2.1)
- UN-No. (TDG) : UN1053

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|   |  |
|---|--|
| Proper Shipping Name  | : HYDROGEN SULFIDE   |
| TDG Primary Hazard Classes  | : 2.3 - Class 2.3 - Toxic Gas.   |
| TDG Subsidiary Classes  | : 2.1  |
| TDG Special Provisions  | : 23 - (1) A consignor of these dangerous goods must include, except for UN1005, ANHYDROUS AMMONIA, the words "toxic by inhalation" or "toxic — inhalation hazard" or "toxique par inhalation" or "toxicité par inhalation" in the following places, unless the words are already part of the shipping name: (a) on a shipping document, immediately after the description of the dangerous goods; (b) on a small means of containment, next to the shipping name of the dangerous goods; and (c) on a large means of containment, next to the placard for the primary class of the dangerous goods or the placard for the subsidiary class, if any. For example, the notation on a shipping document would be "UN1935, CYANIDE SOLUTION, N.O.S, Class 6.1, PG I, toxic by inhalation". (2) This special provision does not apply to a person who transports these dangerous goods in accordance with an exemption set out in sections 1.15, 1.17 or 1.17.1 of Part 1 (Coming Into Force, Repeal, Interpretation, General Provisions and Special Cases). (3) A consignor of UN1005, ANHYDROUS AMMONIA, must include the words "inhalation hazard" or "dangereux par inhalation": (a) on a shipping document, immediately after the shipping name of the dangerous goods; and (b) on a small means of containment, next to the shipping name of the dangerous goods. When UN1005, ANHYDROUS AMMONIA, is contained in a large means of containment on which is affixed the anhydrous ammonia placard, the words "Anhydrous Ammonia, Inhalation Hazard" or "Ammoniac anhydre, dangereux par inhalation" must be displayed next to the placard in accordance with paragraph 4.18.2(b). SOR/2014-306,16 - (1) The technical name of at least one of the most dangerous substances that predominantly contributes to the hazard or hazards posed by the dangerous goods must be shown, in parentheses, on the shipping document following the shipping name in accordance with clause 3.5(1)(c)(ii)(A) of Part 3 (Documentation). The technical name must also be shown, in parentheses, on a small means of containment or on a tag following the shipping name in accordance with subsections 4.11(2) and (3) of Part 4 (Dangerous Goods Safety Marks). (2) Despite subsection (1), the technical name for the following dangerous goods is not required to be shown on a shipping document or on a small means of containment when Canadian law for domestic transport or an international convention for international transport prohibits the disclosure of the technical name: (a) UN1544, ALKALOID SALTS, SOLID, N.O.S. or ALKALOIDS, SOLID, N.O.S.; (b) UN1851, MEDICINE, LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S.; (c) UN3140, ALKALOID SALTS, LIQUID, N.O.S. or ALKALOIDS, LIQUID, N.O.S.; (d) UN3248, MEDICINE, LIQUID, FLAMMABLE, TOXIC, N.O.S.; or (e) UN3249, MEDICINE, SOLID, TOXIC, N.O.S. An example in Canada is the "Food and Drugs Act". (3) Despite subsection (1), the technical name for the following dangerous goods is not required to be shown on a small means of containment: (a) UN2814, INFECTIOUS SUBSTANCE, AFFECTING HUMANS; or (b) UN2900, INFECTIOUS SUBSTANCE, AFFECTING ANIMALS. SOR/2014-306,38 - A person must not handle, offer for transport or transport these dangerous goods in a large means of containment if they are in direct contact with the large means of containment. SOR/2014-306 |
| ERAP Index  | : 500  |
| Explosive Limit and Limited Quantity Index                                  | : 0  |
| Passenger Carrying Road Vehicle or Passenger Carrying Railway Vehicle Index | : Forbidden  |
| Passenger Carrying Ship Index   | : Forbidden  |

### Transport by sea

|                                       |   |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| Transport document description (IMDG) | : UN 1053 Hydrogen Sulfide, 2, MARINE POLLUTANT/ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS |
| UN-No. (IMDG)                         | : 1053  |
| Proper Shipping Name (IMDG)           | : Hydrogen Sulfide  |
| Class (IMDG)                          | : 2 - Gases   |
| MFAG-No                               | 117   |

### Air transport

Forbidden

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### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1. US Federal regulations

##### Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory  
Subject to reporting requirements of United States SARA Section 313

|  |        |
|--|--------|
| CERCLA RQ  | 100 lb |
| RQ (Reportable quantity, section 304 of EPA's List of Lists) | 100 lb |
| Section 302 EPCRA Reportable Quantity (RQ)                   | 100 lb |
| SARA Section 302 Threshold Planning Quantity (TPQ)           | 500 lb |

#### 15.2. International regulations

##### CANADA

##### Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

##### EU-Regulations

##### Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)

Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)

##### National regulations

##### Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory  
Listed on the Japanese ISHL (Industrial Safety and Health Law)  
Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)  
Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on the TCSI (Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory)

#### 15.3. US State regulations

##### Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| State or local regulations | U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List<br>U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List<br>U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List<br>U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List |
|----------------------------|--|

### SECTION 16: Other information

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Revision date : 04/19/2019

Other information : This Safety Data Sheet is offered pursuant to OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR, 1910.1200. Other government regulations must be reviewed for applicability to this product.

Full text of H-phrases:

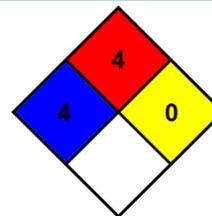
|      |  |
|------|--|
| H220 | Extremely flammable gas                            |
| H280 | Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated |
| H330 | Fatal if inhaled                                   |
| H335 | May cause respiratory irritation                   |

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- NFPA health hazard : 4 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can be lethal.
- NFPA fire hazard : 4 - Materials that rapidly or completely vaporize at atmospheric pressure and normal ambient temperature or that are readily dispersed in air and burn readily.
- NFPA reactivity : 0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even under fire conditions.



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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1 Product identifiers**

Product name : Lead  
Product Number : GF59147310  
Brand : Aldrich  
CAS-No. : 7439-92-1

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.  
3050 SPRUCE ST  
ST. LOUIS MO 63103  
UNITED STATES  
Telephone : +1 314 771-5765  
Fax : +1 800 325-5052

**1.4 Emergency telephone**

Emergency Phone # : 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) +1-703-  
527-3887 CHEMTREC (International) 24  
Hours/day; 7 Days/week

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)**

Carcinogenicity (Category 2), H351  
Reproductive toxicity (Category 1A), H360  
Effects on or via lactation, H362  
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Oral (Category 1), Central nervous system, Blood, Immune system, Kidney, H372

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

**2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements**

Pictogram



Signal word

Danger



|                            |   |
|----------------------------|---|
| Hazard statement(s)        |   |
| H351                       | Suspected of causing cancer.  |
| H360                       | May damage fertility or the unborn child.   |
| H362                       | May cause harm to breast-fed children.  |
| H372                       | Causes damage to organs (Central nervous system, Blood, Immune system, Kidney) through prolonged or repeated exposure if swallowed. |
| Precautionary statement(s) |   |
| P201                       | Obtain special instructions before use.   |
| P202                       | Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.   |
| P260                       | Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray.  |
| P263                       | Avoid contact during pregnancy/ while nursing.  |
| P264                       | Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  |
| P270                       | Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.   |
| P280                       | Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.   |
| P308 + P313                | IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.   |
| P405                       | Store locked up.  |
| P501                       | Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.   |

### 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

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## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Molecular weight : 207.20 g/mol  
CAS-No. : 7439-92-1

| Component   | Classification   | Concentration |
|-------------|--|---------------|
| <b>Lead</b> | Carc. 2; Repr. 1A; Lact. ; STOT RE 1; H351, H360, H362, H372<br>Concentration limits:<br>>= 2.5 %: Repr. 2, H361f; >= 0.5 %: STOT RE 2, H373; >= 0.03 %: Repr. 1A, H360; | <= 100 %      |

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

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## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first-aid measures

#### General advice

Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.



**If inhaled**

After inhalation: fresh air. Call in physician.

**In case of skin contact**

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. Consult a physician.

**In case of eye contact**

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.

**If swallowed**

After swallowing: immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult a physician.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

**4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No data available

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**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures****5.1 Extinguishing media****Unsuitable extinguishing media**

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

**5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Nature of decomposition products not known.  
Not combustible.

**5.3 Advice for firefighters**

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

**5.4 Further information**

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapors/mists with a water spray jet.

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**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures****6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid generation and inhalation of dusts in all circumstances. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.  
For personal protection see section 8.

**6.2 Environmental precautions**

No special precautionary measures necessary.

**6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up carefully. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

**6.4 Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

#### Advice on safe handling

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture.

#### Hygiene measures

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

For precautions see section 2.2.

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

#### Storage conditions

Tightly closed. Dry. Keep in a well-ventilated place. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorized persons.

#### Storage class

Storage class (TRGS 510): 6.1C: Combustible, acute toxic Cat.3 / toxic compounds or compounds which causing chronic effects

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Ingredients with workplace control parameters

| Component | CAS-No.   | Value  | Control parameters     | Basis   |
|-----------|-----------|--|------------------------|---|
| Lead      | 7439-92-1 | TWA  | 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)   |
|           | Remarks   | Confirmed animal carcinogen with unknown relevance to humans |                        |   |
|           |           | PEL  | 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | OSHA Specifically Regulated Chemicals/Carcinogens                                       |
|           |           | OSHA specifically regulated carcinogen                       |                        |   |
|           |           | TWA  | 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits  |
|           |           | PEL  | 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107) |

#### Biological occupational exposure limits

| Component | CAS-No.   | Parameters | Value    | Biological specimen | Basis                                     |
|-----------|-----------|------------|----------|---------------------|---|
| Lead      | 7439-92-1 | Lead       | 200 µg/l | In blood            | ACGIH - Biological Exposure Indices (BEI) |



## 8.2 Exposure controls

### Appropriate engineering controls

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

### Personal protective equipment

#### Eye/face protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Safety glasses

#### Skin protection

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: [www.kcl.de](http://www.kcl.de)).

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: [www.kcl.de](http://www.kcl.de)).

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L

#### Body Protection

protective clothing

#### Respiratory protection

required when dusts are generated.

Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

#### Control of environmental exposure

No special precautionary measures necessary.

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- |                   |                   |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| a) Appearance     | Form: solid       |
| b) Odor           | No data available |
| c) Odor Threshold | No data available |



|   |   |
|---|---|
| d) pH   | No data available   |
| e) Melting point/freezing point                 | Melting point: 326 °C (619 °F) at ca.1,013 hPa - OECD Test Guideline 102            |
| f) Initial boiling point and boiling range      | 1,740 °C 3,164 °F   |
| g) Flash point                                  | ( )Not applicable   |
| h) Evaporation rate                             | No data available   |
| i) Flammability (solid, gas)                    | No data available   |
| j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available   |
| k) Vapor pressure                               | No data available   |
| l) Vapor density                                | No data available   |
| m) Density                                      | 11.45 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 23.8 °C (74.8 °F) at 1,013 hPa - OECD Test Guideline 109 |
| Relative density                                | 11.45 at 23.8 °C (74.8 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 109                                |
| n) Water solubility                             | 0.185 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F) at 1,013 hPa - OECD Test Guideline 105 - partly soluble  |
| o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water       | Not applicable for inorganic substances   |
| p) Autoignition temperature                     | No data available   |
| q) Decomposition temperature                    | No data available   |
| r) Viscosity                                    | No data available   |
| s) Explosive properties                         | No data available   |
| t) Oxidizing properties                         | none  |

## 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

no information available



## 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - > 2,000 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 423)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 4 h - > 5.05 mg/l

(OECD Test Guideline 403)

LD50 Dermal - Rat - male and female - > 2,000 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 402)

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: No skin irritation - 4 h

(OECD Test Guideline 404)

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: No eye irritation - 72 h

(OECD Test Guideline 405)

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Maximization Test - Guinea pig

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Micronucleus test

Species: Rat

Cell type: Red blood cells (erythrocytes)

Application Route: Oral

Result: positive

Remarks: (ECHA)

Test Type: comet assay

Species: Mouse

Cell type: Liver cells

Application Route: Inhalation

Result: negative

Remarks: (ECHA)

Test Type: Micronucleus test

Species: Mouse

Cell type: Bone marrow

Application Route: Oral



Result: Positive results were obtained in some in vivo tests.  
Remarks: (ECHA)

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro  
Species: Monkey  
Cell type: lymphocyte  
Application Route: Oral

Result: Positive results were obtained in some in vivo tests.  
Remarks: (ECHA)

### **Carcinogenicity**

IARC: 2B - Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans (Lead)

NTP: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

### **Reproductive toxicity**

May damage the unborn child. Positive evidence from human epidemiological studies. May damage fertility. Positive evidence from human epidemiological studies. Studies indicating a hazard to babies during the lactation period

### **Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

### **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

Oral - Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. - Central nervous system, Blood, Immune system, Kidney

### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

## **11.2 Additional Information**

anemia

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

On the basis of the morphology of the product, no hazardous properties are to be expected when it is handled and used with appropriate care.

The following applies to lead compounds in general: Due to the poor absorbability via the gastrointestinal tract, only very high doses lead to acute cases of intoxication. After a latency period of several hours, metallic taste, nausea, vomiting, and colics occur, in many instances followed by shock. Chronic uptake causes peripheral muscular weakness ("drop-wrist"), anaemia, and central-nervous disorders. Women of child-bearing age should not be exposed to the substance over longer periods of time (observe critical threshold).

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.



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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

No data available

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability

Result: - According to the results of tests of biodegradability this product is not readily biodegradable.

Remarks: The methods for determining biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation

Oncorhynchus kisutch - 2 Weeks  
- 150 µg/l(Lead)

Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 12

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself. See [www.retrologistik.com](http://www.retrologistik.com) for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

### IMDG

Not dangerous goods

### IATA

Not dangerous goods

### Further information

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.



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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### SARA 302 Components

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

### SARA 313 Components

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

|      | CAS-No.   | Revision Date |
|------|-----------|---------------|
| Lead | 7439-92-1 | 2015-11-23    |

**Reportable Quantity** : D008 lbs

### Massachusetts Right To Know Components

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

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## SECTION 16: Other information

### Further information

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Sigma-Aldrich Corporation and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See [www.sigma-aldrich.com](http://www.sigma-aldrich.com) and/or the reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.

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**SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING****1.1. Product identification**

**Product Description:** Mercury  
**Cat No. :** M/3750/50, M/3750/53, M/3750/60, M/3750/48  
**Synonyms** Quicksilver  
**CAS-No** 7439-97-6  
**EC-No.** 231-106-7  
**Molecular Formula** Hg

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

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.  
**Uses advised against** No Information available

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

**Company** Fisher Scientific UK  
Bishop Meadow Road, Loughborough,  
Leicestershire LE11 5RG, United Kingdom  
**E-mail address** begel.sdsdesk@thermofisher.com

**1.4. Emergency telephone number**

Tel: 01509 231166  
Chemtrec US: (800) 424-9300  
Chemtrec EU: 001 (202) 483-7616

**SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION****2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008****Physical hazards**

Substances/mixtures corrosive to metal Category 1

**Health hazards**

Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Vapors Category 2  
Reproductive Toxicity Category 1B  
Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure) Category 1

**Environmental hazards**

Acute aquatic toxicity Category 1  
Chronic aquatic toxicity Category 1

**2.2. Label elements**

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Signal Word

Danger

## Hazard Statements

- H290 - May be corrosive to metals
- H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
- H330 - Fatal if inhaled
- H360D - May damage the unborn child
- H372 - Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

## Precautionary Statements

- P280 - Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection
- P390 - Absorb spillage to prevent material damage
- P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
- P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician

## Additional EU labelling

Restricted to professional users

## 2.3. Other hazards

No information available

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1. Substances

| Component | CAS-No    | EC-No.            | Weight % | CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008  |
|-----------|-----------|-------------------|----------|--|
| Mercury   | 7439-97-6 | EEC No. 231-106-7 | 100      | Acute Tox. 2 (H330)<br>Repr. 1B (H360D)<br>STOT RE 1 (H372)<br>Aquatic Acute 1 (H400)<br>Aquatic Chronic 1 (H410)<br>Met. Corr. 1 (H290) |

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### General Advice

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is required.

#### Eye Contact

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

#### Skin Contact

Immediate medical attention is required. Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes.

#### Ingestion

Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

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**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Do not use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce artificial respiration with a respiratory medical device. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Protection of First-aiders** Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

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

No information available.

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

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically.

## **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

#### **5.1. Extinguishing media**

##### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

##### **Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

No information available.

#### **5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Very toxic. Non-combustible, substance itself does not burn but may decompose upon heating to produce corrosive and/or toxic fumes. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

##### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Mercury oxide, Highly toxic fumes.

#### **5.3. Advice for firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

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

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

Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

#### **6.2. Environmental precautions**

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Prevent product from entering drains. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional ecological information. Avoid release to the environment. Collect spillage.

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

Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

#### **6.4. Reference to other sections**

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

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

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## 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Do not ingest.

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

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Do not store in metal containers.

## 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use in laboratories

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Exposure limits

List source(s): **EU** - Commission Directive 2006/15/EC of 7 February 2006 establishing a second list of indicative occupational exposure limit values in implementation of Council Directive 98/24/EC and amending Directives 91/322/EEC and 2000/39/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work. **UK** - EH40/2005 Containing the workplace exposure limits (WELs) for use with the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 (as amended). Updated by September 2006 official press release and October 2007 Supplement. **IRE** - 2010 Code of Practice for the Safety, Health and Welfare at Work (Chemical Agents) Regulations 2001. Published by the Health and Safety Authority.

| Component | European Union                   | The United Kingdom               | France  | Belgium                                    | Spain  |
|-----------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Mercury   | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr | TWA / VME: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8 heures).<br>Peau | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 uren<br>Huid | TWA / VLA-ED: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8 horas) |

| Component | Italy                                       | Germany   | Portugal  | The Netherlands                    | Finland                                    |
|-----------|---|---|---|------------------------------------|--|
| Mercury   | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 ore.<br>Pelle | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8 Stunden). AGW - exposure factor 8<br>TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8 Stunden). MAK<br>Höhepunkt: 0.16 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>Haut | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 horas<br>TWA: 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 horas<br>Pele | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 uren | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 tunteina lho |

| Component | Austria   | Denmark                                    | Switzerland   | Poland                                  | Norway   |
|-----------|---|--|---|---|--|
| Mercury   | Haut<br>MAK-KZW: 0.08 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 Minuten<br>MAK-TMW: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 Stunden | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 timer<br>Hud | Haut/Peau<br>STEL: 0.04 ppm 15 Minuten<br>STEL: 0.4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 Minuten<br>STEL: 0.16 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 Minuten<br>TWA: 0.005 ppm 8 Stunden<br>TWA: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 Stunden<br>TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 Stunden | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 godzinach | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 timer<br>STEL: 0.06 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 minutter. |

| Component | Bulgaria   | Croatia                                   | Ireland  | Cyprus                      | Czech Republic   |
|-----------|--|---|--|-----------------------------|--|
| Mercury   | TWA: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA-GVI: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 satima. | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr.<br>STEL: 0.06 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hodinách.<br>Potential for cutaneous absorption<br>Ceiling: 0.15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

| Component | Estonia  | Gibraltar   | Greece                      | Hungary  | Iceland   |
|-----------|--|---|-----------------------------|--|---|
| Mercury   | Nahk<br>TWA: 0.03 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 tundides. fume | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr during exposure<br>monitoring for mercury and its divalent | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 órában. AK<br>lehetséges borön keresztül felszívódás | TWA: 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 klukkustundum.<br>Skin notation<br>Ceiling: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

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|--|--|--|--|--|--|
|  |  | inorganic compounds, account should be taken of relevant biological monitoring techniques that complement the IOELV Hg |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|

| Component | Latvia                      | Lithuania                        | Luxembourg                            | Malta                       | Romania  |
|-----------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Mercury   | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> IPRD | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 Stunden | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | Skin notation<br>TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 ore |

| Component | Russia   | Slovak Republic            | Slovenia                           | Sweden                                       | Turkey |
|-----------|--|----------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--------|
| Mercury   | TWA: 0.005 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>STEL: 0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup> vapor | TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 urah | LLV: 0.03 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 timmar.<br>Hud |        |

### Biological limit values

List source(s): **UK** - Biological Monitoring Guidance Values provided by the UK's Health and Safety Executive (HSE) Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 (as amended) and EH40/2005.

| Component | European Union | United Kingdom                               | France   | Spain   | Germany   |
|-----------|----------------|--|--|---|---|
| Mercury   |                | Mercury: 20 µmol/mol creatinine urine random | Total inorganic Mercury: 0.015 mg/L blood end of shift at end of workweek<br>Total inorganic Mercury: 0.050 mg/g creatinine urine prior to shift | Total inorganic mercury: 30 µg/g Creatinine urine pre-shift<br>Total inorganic mercury: 10 µg/L blood end of workweek | Mercury: 25 µg/g urine (no restriction measured as µg/g Creatinine) |

| Component | Italy | Finland  | Denmark | Bulgaria  | Romania  |
|-----------|-------|--|---------|---|--|
| Mercury   |       | Mercury: 140 nmol/L urine prior to shift.<br>Mercury: 50 nmol/L blood end of workweek. |         | Mercury: 100 µg/L urine not fixed vapor of the metal in elemental state | Mercury: 10 µg/L blood end of shift<br>Mercury: 35 µg/g Creatinine urine beginning of next shift |

| Component | Gibraltar | Latvia  | Slovak Republic  | Luxembourg | Turkey |
|-----------|-----------|---|--|------------|--------|
| Mercury   |           | Mercury: 15 µg/L blood<br>Mercury: 35 µg/g Creatinine urine<br>Mercury: 50 µg/L urine | Mercury: 37.5 µg/L urine not critical<br>Mercury: 15 mg/L blood after all work shifts for long-term exposure |            |        |

### Monitoring methods

MDHS16/2 Mercury and its inorganic divalent compounds in air Laboratory method using Hydrar diffusive badges or pumped sorbent tubes, acid dissolution and analysis by cold vapour atomic absorption spectrometry or cold vapour atomic fluorescence spectrometry

**Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)** No information available

| Route of exposure | Acute effects (local) | Acute effects (systemic) | Chronic effects (local) | Chronic effects (systemic) |
|-------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| Oral              |                       |                          |                         |                            |
| Dermal            |                       |                          |                         |                            |
| Inhalation        |                       |                          |                         |                            |

**Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)** No information available.

### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### Engineering Measures

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

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**Personal protective equipment**

**Eye Protection** Goggles (European standard - EN 166)  
**Hand Protection** Protective gloves

| Glove material | Breakthrough time                    | Glove thickness | EU standard | Glove comments<br>(minimum requirement) |
|----------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|---|
| Natural rubber | See manufacturers<br>recommendations | -               | EN 374      |   |
| Nitrile rubber |                                      |                 |             |   |
| Neoprene       |                                      |                 |             |   |
| PVC            |                                      |                 |             |   |

**Skin and body protection** Long sleeved clothing

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

**Respiratory Protection** When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.  
 To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained properly

**Large scale/emergency use** Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced  
**Recommended Filter type:** Particulates filter conforming to EN 143 or Inorganic gases and vapours filter Type B Grey conforming to EN14387

**Small scale/Laboratory use** Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149:2001 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.  
**Recommended half mask:-** Particle filtering: EN149:2001  
 When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Environmental exposure controls** Prevent product from entering drains. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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

|                                     |                          |  |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <b>Appearance</b>                   | Silver                   |  |
| <b>Physical State</b>               | Liquid                   |  |
| <b>Odor</b>                         | Odorless                 |  |
| <b>Odor Threshold</b>               | No data available        |  |
| <b>pH</b>                           | Not applicable           |  |
| <b>Melting Point/Range</b>          | -38.9 °C / -38 °F        |  |
| <b>Softening Point</b>              | No data available        |  |
| <b>Boiling Point/Range</b>          | 356.5 °C / 673.7 °F      |  |
| <b>Flash Point</b>                  | No information available | <b>Method -</b> No information available |
| <b>Evaporation Rate</b>             | No data available        |  |
| <b>Flammability (solid,gas)</b>     | Not applicable           | Liquid                                   |
| <b>Explosion Limits</b>             | No data available        |  |
| <b>Vapor Pressure</b>               | 0.01 hPa @ 20 °C         |  |
| <b>Vapor Density</b>                | 7.0                      | (Air = 1.0)                              |
| <b>Specific Gravity / Density</b>   | 13.540                   |  |
| <b>Bulk Density</b>                 | Not applicable           | Liquid                                   |
| <b>Water Solubility</b>             | Insoluble                |  |
| <b>Solubility in other solvents</b> | No information available |  |

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## Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

**Autoignition Temperature** No data available  
**Decomposition Temperature** No data available  
**Viscosity** 1.554 cP at 20 °C  
**Explosive Properties** No information available  
**Oxidizing Properties** No information available

## 9.2. Other information

**Molecular Formula** Hg  
**Molecular Weight** 200.59

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**10.1. Reactivity** None known, based on information available

**10.2. Chemical stability** Stable under normal conditions

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.  
**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing.

**10.4. Conditions to avoid** Incompatible products. Excess heat.

**10.5. Incompatible materials** Strong oxidizing agents. Ammonia. Metals. Halogens.

**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products** Mercury oxide. Highly toxic fumes.

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

#### Product Information

(a) acute toxicity;  
  **Oral** No data available  
  **Dermal** No data available  
  **Inhalation** Category 2

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; No data available

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; No data available

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;  
  **Respiratory** No data available  
  **Skin** No data available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; No data available

(f) carcinogenicity; No data available

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen

| Component | EU | UK | Germany | IARC |
|-----------|----|----|---------|------|
| Mercury   |    |    | Cat. 3B |      |

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- (g) reproductive toxicity;  
Developmental Effects Category 1B  
May cause harm to the unborn child.
- (h) STOT-single exposure; No data available
- (i) STOT-repeated exposure; Category 1  
Target Organs Central nervous system (CNS), Eyes, Respiratory system, Kidney, Skin.
- (j) aspiration hazard; No data available
- Other Adverse Effects See actual entry in RTECS for complete information
- Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed No information available

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1. Toxicity

#### Ecotoxicity effects

The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the environment. Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

| Component | Freshwater Fish  | Water Flea           | Freshwater Algae | Microtox |
|-----------|--|----------------------|------------------|----------|
| Mercury   | 0.9 mg/L LC50 96h<br>0.18 mg/L LC50 96h<br>0.16 mg/L LC50 96h<br>0.5 mg/L LC50 96h | 5.0 µg/L EC50 = 96 h |                  |          |

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

#### Persistence Degradability Degradation in sewage treatment plant

The product includes heavy metals. Prevent release into the environment. Special pretreatment required  
Insoluble in water, May persist.  
Not relevant for inorganic substances.  
Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

May have some potential to bioaccumulate; Product has a high potential to bioconcentrate

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

Spillage unlikely to penetrate soil Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility.

### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available for assessment.

### 12.6. Other adverse effects

#### Endocrine Disruptor Information Persistent Organic Pollutant Ozone Depletion Potential

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors  
This product does not contain any known or suspected substance  
This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

#### Waste from Residues / Unused Products

Should not be released into the environment. Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

#### Contaminated Packaging

Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

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**European Waste Catalogue (EWC)** According to the European Waste Catalogue, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific.

**Other Information** Do not dispose of waste into sewer. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Do not empty into drains. Do not let this chemical enter the environment.

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### IMDG/IMO

**14.1. UN number** UN2809  
**14.2. UN proper shipping name** MERCURY  
**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)** 8  
     Subsidiary Hazard Class 6.1  
**14.4. Packing group** III

### ADR

**14.1. UN number** UN2809  
**14.2. UN proper shipping name** MERCURY  
**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)** 8  
     Subsidiary Hazard Class 6.1  
**14.4. Packing group** III

### IATA

**14.1. UN number** UN2809  
**14.2. UN proper shipping name** MERCURY  
**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)** 8  
     Subsidiary Hazard Class 6.1  
**14.4. Packing group** III

**14.5. Environmental hazards** Dangerous for the environment  
 Product is a marine pollutant according to the criteria set by IMDG/IMO

**14.6. Special precautions for user** No special precautions required

**14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code** Not applicable, packaged goods

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

#### International Inventories

X = listed

| Component | EINECS    | ELINCS | NLP | TSCA | DSL | NDSL | PICCS | ENCS | IECSC | AICS | KECL |
|-----------|-----------|--------|-----|------|-----|------|-------|------|-------|------|------|
| Mercury   | 231-106-7 | -      |     | X    | X   | -    | X     | -    | X     | X    | X    |

| Component | REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization | REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances  | REACH Regulation (EC 1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) |
|-----------|---|--|---|
| Mercury   |   | Use restricted. See item 18[a].<br>(see <a href="http://eur-lex.europa.eu/LexUriServ/LexUriServ.do?uri=CELEX:32006R1907:EN:NOT">http://eur-lex.europa.eu/LexUriServ/LexUriServ.do?uri=CELEX:32006R1907:EN:NOT</a> for restriction details) |   |

#### National Regulations

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| Component | Germany - Water Classification (VwVwS) | Germany - TA-Luft Class                                |
|-----------|--|--|
| Mercury   | WGK 3                                  | Class I : 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Massenkonzentration) |

| Component | France - INRS (Tables of occupational diseases)     |
|-----------|---|
| Mercury   | Tableaux des maladies professionnelles (TMP) - RG 2 |

Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment.

Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work

Take note of Dir 92/85/EC on the protection of pregnant and breastfeeding women at work

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

## 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has not been conducted

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

### Full Text of H-/EUH-Statements Referred to Under Section 3

H290 - May be corrosive to metals

H330 - Fatal if inhaled

H360D - May damage the unborn child

H372 - Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life

H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

### Legend

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**WEL** - Workplace Exposure Limit

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

**RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment

**LC50** - Lethal Concentration 50%

**NOEC** - No Observed Effect Concentration

**PBT** - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**TWA** - Time Weighted Average

**IARC** - International Agency for Research on Cancer

**PNEC** - Predicted No Effect Concentration

**LD50** - Lethal Dose 50%

**EC50** - Effective Concentration 50%

**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

**vPvB** - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

**ADR** - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

**IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

### Key literature references and sources for data

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

**ICAO/IATA** - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

**MARPOL** - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

**ATE** - Acute Toxicity Estimate

**VOC** - Volatile Organic Compounds

### Training Advice

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

Chemical incident response training.

**Creation Date** 20-Aug-2014

**Revision Date** 22-Jun-2015

**Revision Summary** SDS sections updated, 2, 3, 7, 10.

**This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006**

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**End of Safety Data Sheet**

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

Creation Date 27-Sep-2010

Revision Date 18-Jan-2018

Revision Number 5

### 1. Identification

**Product Name** Naphthalene

**Cat No. :** N7-500; N134-500

**CAS-No** 91-20-3  
**Synonyms** Tar Camphor; Naphthalin; Naphthene (Crystalline/Certified/Laboratory)

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.  
**Uses advised against** Not for food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use

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

##### Company

Fisher Scientific  
One Reagent Lane  
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410  
Tel: (201) 796-7100

##### **Emergency Telephone Number**

CHEMTREC®, Inside the USA: 800-424-9300  
CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA: 001-703-527-3887

### 2. Hazard(s) identification

#### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

|                     |             |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Flammable solids    | Category 2  |
| Acute oral toxicity | Category 4  |
| Carcinogenicity     | Category 1B |

#### Label Elements

##### **Signal Word**

Danger

##### **Hazard Statements**

Flammable solid  
Harmful if swallowed  
May cause cancer



### Precautionary Statements

#### Prevention

Obtain special instructions before use  
 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood  
 Use personal protective equipment as required  
 Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking  
 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment  
 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment

#### Response

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention/advice

#### Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

#### Ingestion

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell  
 Rinse mouth

#### Fire

In case of fire: Use CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, or foam for extinction

#### Storage

Store locked up  
 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

#### Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

**WARNING.** Cancer - <https://www.p65warnings.ca.gov/>.

## 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

| Component   | CAS-No  | Weight % |
|-------------|---------|----------|
| Naphthalene | 91-20-3 | >95      |

## 4. First-aid measures

|                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <b>General Advice</b>              | If symptoms persist, call a physician.  |
| <b>Eye Contact</b>                 | Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention. |
| <b>Skin Contact</b>                | Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.                    |
| <b>Inhalation</b>                  | Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Obtain medical attention.                            |
| <b>Ingestion</b>                   | Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.           |
| <b>Most important symptoms and</b> | . Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting                           |

**effects**

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** No information available

**Flash Point** 78 °C / 172.4 °F

**Method -** No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** 526 °C / 978.8 °F

**Explosion Limits**

**Upper** 5.9 vol %

**Lower** 0.9 vol %

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** No information available

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** No information available

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Combustible material. Containers may explode when heated. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

**Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO) Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)

**Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

**NFPA**

**Health**  
2

**Flammability**  
2

**Instability**  
0

**Physical hazards**  
N/A

### 6. Accidental release measures

**Personal Precautions** Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

**Environmental Precautions** Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Prevent product from entering drains. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

**Methods for Containment and Clean Up** Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Remove all sources of ignition.

### 7. Handling and storage

**Handling** Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid dust formation. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

**Storage** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

### 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

**Exposure Guidelines**

| Component   | ACGIH TLV           | OSHA PEL   | NIOSH IDLH  | Mexico OEL (TWA)   |
|-------------|---------------------|--|---|--|
| Naphthalene | TWA: 10 ppm<br>Skin | (Vacated) TWA: 10 ppm<br>(Vacated) TWA: 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>(Vacated) STEL: 15 ppm<br>(Vacated) STEL: 75 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>TWA: 10 ppm<br>TWA: 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | IDLH: 250 ppm<br>TWA: 10 ppm<br>TWA: 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>STEL: 15 ppm<br>STEL: 75 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 10 ppm<br>TWA: 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>STEL: 15 ppm<br>STEL: 75 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

### Legend

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

NIOSH IDLH: The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

### Engineering Measures

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

### Personal Protective Equipment

#### Eye/face Protection

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

#### Skin and body protection

Long sleeved clothing.

#### Respiratory Protection

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

#### Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

|  |                               |
|--|-------------------------------|
| Physical State                         | Solid                         |
| Appearance                             | White                         |
| Odor                                   | Characteristic                |
| Odor Threshold                         | No information available      |
| pH                                     | No information available      |
| Melting Point/Range                    | 79 - 82 °C / 174.2 - 179.6 °F |
| Boiling Point/Range                    | 218 °C / 424.4 °F             |
| Flash Point                            | 78 °C / 172.4 °F              |
| Evaporation Rate                       | Not applicable                |
| Flammability (solid,gas)               | No information available      |
| Flammability or explosive limits       |                               |
| Upper                                  | 5.9 vol %                     |
| Lower                                  | 0.9 vol %                     |
| Vapor Pressure                         | 0.08 mbar @ 20 °C             |
| Vapor Density                          | Not applicable                |
| Specific Gravity                       | 0.990                         |
| Solubility                             | slightly soluble              |
| Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water | No data available             |
| Autoignition Temperature               | 526 °C / 978.8 °F             |
| Decomposition Temperature              | 540 °C                        |
| Viscosity                              | Not applicable                |
| Molecular Formula                      | C10 H8                        |
| Molecular Weight                       | 128.17                        |

## 10. Stability and reactivity

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Reactive Hazard</b>                  | Yes   |
| <b>Stability</b>                        | Stable under normal conditions.   |
| <b>Conditions to Avoid</b>              | Incompatible products. Excess heat. Avoid dust formation. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. |
| <b>Incompatible Materials</b>           | Strong oxidizing agents   |
| <b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b> | Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> )   |
| <b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>         | Hazardous polymerization does not occur.  |
| <b>Hazardous Reactions</b>              | None under normal processing.   |

## 11. Toxicological information

### Acute Toxicity

#### Product Information Component Information

| Component   | LD50 Oral   | LD50 Dermal   | LC50 Inhalation                          |
|-------------|---|---|--|
| Naphthalene | LD50 = 1110 mg/kg ( Rat )<br>LD50 = 490 mg/kg ( Rat ) | LD50 = 1120 mg/kg ( Rabbit )<br>LD50 > 20 g/kg ( Rabbit ) | LC50 > 340 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ( Rat ) 1 h |

**Toxicologically Synergistic Products** No information available

#### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Irritation** No information available

**Sensitization** No information available

**Carcinogenicity** The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

| Component   | CAS-No  | IARC     | NTP                    | ACGIH | OSHA | Mexico     |
|-------------|---------|----------|------------------------|-------|------|------------|
| Naphthalene | 91-20-3 | Group 2B | Reasonably Anticipated | A3    | X    | Not listed |

*IARC: (International Agency for Research on Cancer)*

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*Group 1 - Carcinogenic to Humans*

*Group 2A - Probably Carcinogenic to Humans*

*Group 2B - Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans*

*NTP: (National Toxicity Program)*

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*Known - Known Carcinogen*

*Reasonably Anticipated - Reasonably Anticipated to be a Human Carcinogen*

*ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)*

*A1 - Known Human Carcinogen*

*A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen*

*A3 - Animal Carcinogen*

*ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)*

**Mutagenic Effects** Not mutagenic in AMES Test

**Reproductive Effects** Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals.

**Developmental Effects** Developmental effects have occurred in experimental animals.

**Teratogenicity** Teratogenic effects have occurred in experimental animals.

**STOT - single exposure** None known

**STOT - repeated exposure** None known

**Aspiration hazard** No information available

**Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed** Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting delayed

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** No information available

**Other Adverse Effects** Tumorigenic effects have been reported in experimental animals.

## 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the environment.

| Component   | Freshwater Algae                                | Freshwater Fish                               | Microtox                                       | Water Flea  |
|-------------|---|---|--|---|
| Naphthalene | EC50: = 0.4 mg/L, 72h<br>(Skeletonema costatum) | LC50 96 h 1-6.5 mg/L<br>(Pimephales promelas) | EC50 = 0.93 mg/L 30 min<br>EC50 > 20 mg/L 18 h | EC50: 1.09 - 3.4 mg/L, 48h<br>Static (Daphnia magna)<br>EC50: = 1.96 mg/L, 48h<br>Flow through (Daphnia magna)<br>LC50: = 2.16 mg/L, 48h<br>(Daphnia magna) |

**Persistence and Degradability** Soluble in water Persistence is unlikely based on information available.

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** . Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

| Component   | log Pow |
|-------------|---------|
| Naphthalene | 3.6     |

## 13. Disposal considerations

**Waste Disposal Methods** Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

| Component             | RCRA - U Series Wastes | RCRA - P Series Wastes |
|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Naphthalene - 91-20-3 | U165                   | -                      |

## 14. Transport information

### DOT

UN-No UN1334  
 Proper Shipping Name NAPHTHALENE, CRUDE  
 Hazard Class 4.1  
 Packing Group III

### TDG

UN-No UN1334  
 Proper Shipping Name NAPHTHALENE, CRUDE  
 Hazard Class 4.1  
 Packing Group III

### IATA

UN-No UN1334  
 Proper Shipping Name NAPHTHALENE, CRUDE  
 Hazard Class 4.1  
 Packing Group III

### IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN1334  
 Proper Shipping Name NAPHTHALENE, CRUDE  
 Hazard Class 4.1

Packing Group

III

## 15. Regulatory information

All of the components in the product are on the following Inventory lists: X = listed

## International Inventories

| Component   | TSCA | DSL | NDSL | EINECS    | ELINCS | NLP | PICCS | ENCS | AICS | IECSC | KECL |
|-------------|------|-----|------|-----------|--------|-----|-------|------|------|-------|------|
| Naphthalene | X    | X   | -    | 202-049-5 | -      |     | X     | X    | X    | X     | X    |

## Legend:

X - Listed

E - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.

F - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.

N - Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.

P - Indicates a commenced PMN substance

R - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.

S - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule

T - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.

XU - Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B)).

Y1 - Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.

Y2 - Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

## U.S. Federal Regulations

## TSCA 12(b)

## SARA 313

| Component   | CAS-No  | Weight % | SARA 313 - Threshold Values % |
|-------------|---------|----------|-------------------------------|
| Naphthalene | 91-20-3 | >95      | 0.1                           |

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

## CWA (Clean Water Act)

| Component   | CWA - Hazardous Substances | CWA - Reportable Quantities | CWA - Toxic Pollutants | CWA - Priority Pollutants |
|-------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Naphthalene | X                          | 100 lb                      | X                      | X                         |

## Clean Air Act

| Component   | HAPS Data | Class 1 Ozone Depletors | Class 2 Ozone Depletors |
|-------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Naphthalene | X         |                         | -                       |

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Not applicable

## CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

| Component   | Hazardous Substances RQs | CERCLA EHS RQs |
|-------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| Naphthalene | 100 lb 1 lb              | -              |

California Proposition 65 This product contains the following proposition 65 chemicals

| Component   | CAS-No  | California Prop. 65 | Prop 65 NSRL | Category   |
|-------------|---------|---------------------|--------------|------------|
| Naphthalene | 91-20-3 | Carcinogen          | 5.8 µg/day   | Carcinogen |

## U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

| Component   | Massachusetts | New Jersey | Pennsylvania | Illinois | Rhode Island |
|-------------|---------------|------------|--------------|----------|--------------|
| Naphthalene |               |            |              |          |              |

|             |   |   |   |   |   |
|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Naphthalene | X | X | X | X | X |
|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|

**U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N  
 DOT Marine Pollutant N  
 DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

**U.S. Department of Homeland Security**

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

**Other International Regulations**

**Mexico - Grade** Moderate risk, Grade 2

## 16. Other information

**Prepared By** Regulatory Affairs  
 Thermo Fisher Scientific  
 Email: EMSDS.RA@thermofisher.com

**Creation Date** 27-Sep-2010  
**Revision Date** 18-Jan-2018  
**Print Date** 18-Jan-2018  
**Revision Summary** This document has been updated to comply with the US OSHA HazCom 2012 Standard replacing the current legislation under 29 CFR 1910.1200 to align with the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS).

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**End of SDS**

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

Creation Date 11-Jun-2009

Revision Date 10-Jul-2018

Revision Number 5

### 1. Identification

**Product Name** Toluene

**Cat No. :** AC421170000; AC421170025; AC421170040; AC421170250;  
AC421175000

**CAS-No** 108-88-3  
**Synonyms** Tol; Methylbenzene

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.  
**Uses advised against** Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use

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

##### Company

Fisher Scientific  
One Reagent Lane  
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410  
Tel: (201) 796-7100

Acros Organics  
One Reagent Lane  
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410

##### **Emergency Telephone Number**

For information **US** call: 001-800-ACROS-01 / **Europe** call: +32 14 57 52 11  
Emergency Number **US**:001-201-796-7100 / **Europe**: +32 14 57 52 99  
**CHEMTREC** Tel. No. **US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

### 2. Hazard(s) identification

#### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Flammable liquids   | Category 2 |
| Skin Corrosion/irritation   | Category 2 |
| Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation                                 | Category 2 |
| Reproductive Toxicity   | Category 2 |
| Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)                  | Category 3 |
| Target Organs - Respiratory system, Central nervous system (CNS). |            |
| Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure)              | Category 2 |
| Target Organs - Kidney, Liver, spleen, Blood.                     |            |
| Aspiration Toxicity   | Category 1 |

#### Label Elements

##### **Signal Word**

Danger

##### **Hazard Statements**

Highly flammable liquid and vapor  
May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways  
Causes skin irritation

Causes serious eye irritation  
 May cause drowsiness or dizziness  
 Suspected of damaging the unborn child  
 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure



### Precautionary Statements

#### Prevention

Obtain special instructions before use  
 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood  
 Use personal protective equipment as required  
 Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
 Wear eye/face protection  
 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking  
 Keep container tightly closed  
 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment  
 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment  
 Use only non-sparking tools  
 Take precautionary measures against static discharge  
 Keep cool

#### Response

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention/advice

#### Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

#### Skin

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention  
 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower  
 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

#### Eyes

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

#### Ingestion

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician  
 Do NOT induce vomiting

#### Fire

In case of fire: Use CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, or foam for extinction

#### Storage

Store locked up  
 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

#### Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects  
 WARNING. Reproductive Harm - <https://www.p65warnings.ca.gov/>.

### 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

| Component | CAS-No   | Weight % |
|-----------|----------|----------|
| Toluene   | 108-88-3 | >95      |

#### 4. First-aid measures

|  |   |
|--|---|
| <b>General Advice</b>                      | If symptoms persist, call a physician.  |
| <b>Eye Contact</b>                         | Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.   |
| <b>Skin Contact</b>                        | Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.   |
| <b>Inhalation</b>                          | Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Risk of serious damage to the lungs.   |
| <b>Ingestion</b>                           | Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately. If vomiting occurs naturally, have victim lean forward. |
| <b>Most important symptoms and effects</b> | . Causes central nervous system depression: Inhalation of high vapor concentrations may cause symptoms like headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting                                     |
| <b>Notes to Physician</b>                  | Treat symptomatically   |

#### 5. Fire-fighting measures

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Suitable Extinguishing Media</b>     | Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray. |
| <b>Unsuitable Extinguishing Media</b>   | No information available  |
| <b>Flash Point</b>                      | 4 °C / 39.2 °F  |
| <b>Method -</b>                         | No information available  |
| <b>Autoignition Temperature</b>         | 535 °C / 995 °F   |
| <b>Explosion Limits</b>                 |   |
| <b>Upper</b>                            | 7.1 vol %   |
| <b>Lower</b>                            | 1.1 vol %   |
| <b>Oxidizing Properties</b>             | Not oxidising   |
| <b>Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact</b> | No information available  |
| <b>Sensitivity to Static Discharge</b>  | No information available  |

#### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Flammable. Containers may explode when heated. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO) Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)

#### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

#### **NFPA**

**Health**  
3

**Flammability**  
3

**Instability**  
0

**Physical hazards**  
N/A

#### 6. Accidental release measures

|                             |  |
|-----------------------------|--|
| <b>Personal Precautions</b> | Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. |
|-----------------------------|--|

**Environmental Precautions** Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

**Methods for Containment and Clean Up** Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment.

## 7. Handling and storage

**Handling** Wear personal protective equipment. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Use only non-sparking tools. To avoid ignition of vapors by static electricity discharge, all metal parts of the equipment must be grounded. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

**Storage** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Flammables area. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

## 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

### Exposure Guidelines

| Component | ACGIH TLV   | OSHA PEL   | NIOSH IDLH  | Mexico OEL (TWA)                          |
|-----------|-------------|--|---|---|
| Toluene   | TWA: 20 ppm | (Vacated) TWA: 100 ppm<br>(Vacated) TWA: 375 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>Ceiling: 300 ppm<br>(Vacated) STEL: 150 ppm<br>(Vacated) STEL: 560 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>TWA: 200 ppm | IDLH: 500 ppm<br>TWA: 100 ppm<br>TWA: 375 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>STEL: 150 ppm<br>STEL: 560 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 50 ppm<br>TWA: 188 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

### Legend

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

NIOSH IDLH: The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

**Engineering Measures** Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

### Personal Protective Equipment

**Eye/face Protection** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

**Skin and body protection** Long sleeved clothing.

**Respiratory Protection** Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>Physical State</b>      | Liquid                       |
| <b>Appearance</b>          | Colorless                    |
| <b>Odor</b>                | aromatic                     |
| <b>Odor Threshold</b>      | 1.74 ppm                     |
| <b>pH</b>                  | No information available     |
| <b>Melting Point/Range</b> | -95 °C / -139 °F             |
| <b>Boiling Point/Range</b> | 111 °C / 231.8 °F @ 760 mmHg |

|  |                           |
|--|---------------------------|
| Flash Point                            | 4 °C / 39.2 °F            |
| Evaporation Rate                       | 2.4 (Butyl acetate = 1.0) |
| Flammability (solid,gas)               | Not applicable            |
| Flammability or explosive limits       |                           |
| Upper                                  | 7.1 vol %                 |
| Lower                                  | 1.1 vol %                 |
| Vapor Pressure                         | 29 mbar @ 20 °C           |
| Vapor Density                          | 3.1                       |
| Specific Gravity                       | 0.866                     |
| Solubility                             | Insoluble in water        |
| Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water | No data available         |
| Autoignition Temperature               | 535 °C / 995 °F           |
| Decomposition Temperature              | No information available  |
| Viscosity                              | 0.6 mPa.s @ 20 °C         |
| Molecular Formula                      | C7 H8                     |
| Molecular Weight                       | 92.14                     |

## 10. Stability and reactivity

|                                  |   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Reactive Hazard                  | None known, based on information available  |
| Stability                        | Stable under normal conditions.   |
| Conditions to Avoid              | Incompatible products. Excess heat. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. |
| Incompatible Materials           | Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids, Strong bases, Halogenated compounds                            |
| Hazardous Decomposition Products | Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> )   |
| Hazardous Polymerization         | Hazardous polymerization does not occur.  |
| Hazardous Reactions              | None under normal processing.   |

## 11. Toxicological information

### Acute Toxicity

#### Product Information Component Information

| Component | LD50 Oral            | LD50 Dermal            | LC50 Inhalation       |
|-----------|----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Toluene   | > 5000 mg/kg ( Rat ) | 12000 mg/kg ( Rabbit ) | 26700 ppm ( Rat ) 1 h |

**Toxicologically Synergistic Products** No information available

#### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| Irritation      | Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin  |
| Sensitization   | No information available   |
| Carcinogenicity | The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen. |

| Component | CAS-No   | IARC       | NTP        | ACGIH      | OSHA       | Mexico     |
|-----------|----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Toluene   | 108-88-3 | Not listed |

**Mutagenic Effects** Not mutagenic in AMES Test

**Reproductive Effects** Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals.

**Developmental Effects** Developmental effects have occurred in experimental animals.

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Teratogenicity</b>                             | Possible risk of harm to the unborn child.  |
| <b>STOT - single exposure</b>                     | Respiratory system Central nervous system (CNS)   |
| <b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>                   | Kidney Liver spleen Blood   |
| <b>Aspiration hazard</b>                          | No information available  |
| <b>Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed</b> | Causes central nervous system depression: Inhalation of high vapor concentrations may cause symptoms like headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting |
| <b>Endocrine Disruptor Information</b>            | No information available  |
| <b>Other Adverse Effects</b>                      | The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.  |

## 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the environment. Contains a substance which is: Toxic to aquatic organisms.

| Component | Freshwater Algae   | Freshwater Fish  | Microtox                | Water Flea   |
|-----------|--|--|-------------------------|--|
| Toluene   | EC50: = 12.5 mg/L, 72h static (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata)<br>EC50: > 433 mg/L, 96h (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata) | 50-70 mg/L LC50 96 h<br>5-7 mg/L LC50 96 h<br>15-19 mg/L LC50 96 h<br>28 mg/L LC50 96 h<br>12 mg/L LC50 96 h | EC50 = 19.7 mg/L 30 min | EC50: = 11.5 mg/L, 48h (Daphnia magna)<br>EC50: 5.46 - 9.83 mg/L, 48h Static (Daphnia magna) |

|                                      |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| <b>Persistence and Degradability</b> | Persistence is unlikely   |
| <b>Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation</b> | No information available.   |
| <b>Mobility</b>                      | Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility. |

| Component | log Pow |
|-----------|---------|
| Toluene   | 2.7     |

## 13. Disposal considerations

**Waste Disposal Methods** Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

| Component          | RCRA - U Series Wastes | RCRA - P Series Wastes |
|--------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Toluene - 108-88-3 | U220                   | -                      |

## 14. Transport information

### DOT

|                             |         |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| <b>UN-No</b>                | UN1294  |
| <b>Proper Shipping Name</b> | TOLUENE |
| <b>Hazard Class</b>         | 3       |
| <b>Packing Group</b>        | II      |

### TDG

|                             |         |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| <b>UN-No</b>                | UN1294  |
| <b>Proper Shipping Name</b> | TOLUENE |
| <b>Hazard Class</b>         | 3       |
| <b>Packing Group</b>        | II      |

### IATA

|                             |         |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| <b>UN-No</b>                | UN1294  |
| <b>Proper Shipping Name</b> | TOLUENE |
| <b>Hazard Class</b>         | 3       |

|                      |         |
|----------------------|---------|
| Packing Group        | II      |
| <b>IMDG/IMO</b>      |         |
| UN-No                | UN1294  |
| Proper Shipping Name | TOLUENE |
| Hazard Class         | 3       |
| Packing Group        | II      |

## 15. Regulatory information

All of the components in the product are on the following Inventory lists: X = listed

### International Inventories

| Component | TSCA | DSL | NDSL | EINECS    | ELINCS | NLP | PICCS | ENCS | AICS | IECSC | KECL |
|-----------|------|-----|------|-----------|--------|-----|-------|------|------|-------|------|
| Toluene   | X    | X   | -    | 203-625-9 | -      |     | X     | X    | X    | X     | X    |

#### Legend:

X - Listed

E - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.

F - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.

N - Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.

P - Indicates a commenced PMN substance

R - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.

S - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule

T - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.

XU - Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B)).

Y1 - Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.

Y2 - Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

### U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

### SARA 313

| Component | CAS-No   | Weight % | SARA 313 - Threshold Values % |
|-----------|----------|----------|-------------------------------|
| Toluene   | 108-88-3 | >95      | 1.0                           |

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

### CWA (Clean Water Act)

| Component | CWA - Hazardous Substances | CWA - Reportable Quantities | CWA - Toxic Pollutants | CWA - Priority Pollutants |
|-----------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Toluene   | X                          | 1000 lb                     | X                      | X                         |

### Clean Air Act

| Component | HAPS Data | Class 1 Ozone Depletors | Class 2 Ozone Depletors |
|-----------|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Toluene   | X         |                         | -                       |

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Not applicable

### CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

| Component | Hazardous Substances RQs | CERCLA EHS RQs |
|-----------|--------------------------|----------------|
| Toluene   | 1000 lb 1 lb             | -              |

California Proposition 65 This product contains the following proposition 65 chemicals

| Component | CAS-No   | California Prop. 65 | Prop 65 NSRL | Category      |
|-----------|----------|---------------------|--------------|---------------|
| Toluene   | 108-88-3 | Developmental       | -            | Developmental |

#### U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

| Component | Massachusetts | New Jersey | Pennsylvania | Illinois | Rhode Island |
|-----------|---------------|------------|--------------|----------|--------------|
| Toluene   | X             | X          | X            | X        | X            |

#### U.S. Department of Transportation

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Y  
 DOT Marine Pollutant N  
 DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

#### U.S. Department of Homeland Security

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

#### Other International Regulations

**Mexico - Grade** Serious risk, Grade 3

## 16. Other information

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**End of SDS**

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

Version 6.4  
Revision Date 07/23/2022  
Print Date 07/30/2022**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1 Product identifiers**

Product name : Xylenes

Product Number : 214736

Brand : Aldrich

Index-No. : 601-022-00-9

CAS-No. : 1330-20-7

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.  
3050 SPRUCE ST  
ST. LOUIS MO 63103  
UNITED STATES

Telephone : +1 314 771-5765

Fax : +1 800 325-5052

**1.4 Emergency telephone**

Emergency Phone # : 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) +1-703-527-3887 CHEMTREC (International) 24 Hours/day; 7 Days/week

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)**

Flammable liquids (Category 3), H226

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332

Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 4), H312

Skin irritation (Category 2), H315

Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system, H335

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Inhalation (Category 2), Central nervous system, Liver, Kidney, H373

Aspiration hazard (Category 1), H304

Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 2), H401

Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard (Category 3), H412

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

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## 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H226 Flammable liquid and vapor.  
H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.  
H312 + H332 Harmful in contact with skin or if inhaled.  
H315 Causes skin irritation.  
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.  
H335 May cause respiratory irritation.  
H373 May cause damage to organs (Central nervous system, Liver, Kidney) through prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled.  
H401 Toxic to aquatic life.  
H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P210 Keep away from heat/ sparks/ open flames/ hot surfaces. No smoking.  
P233 Keep container tightly closed.  
P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.  
P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting/ equipment.  
P242 Use only non-sparking tools.  
P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge.  
P260 Do not breathe mist or vapors.  
P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
P273 Avoid release to the environment.  
P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.  
P301 + P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.  
P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.  
P304 + P340 + P312 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell.  
P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P314 Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell.  
P331 Do NOT induce vomiting.  
P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.  
P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.  
P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.  
P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.  
P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.  
P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.  
P405 Store locked up.  
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

## 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

|                  |   |                                |
|------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Synonyms         | : | Xylene mixture of isomers      |
| Formula          | : | C <sub>8</sub> H <sub>10</sub> |
| Molecular weight | : | 106.17 g/mol                   |
| CAS-No.          | : | 1330-20-7                      |
| EC-No.           | : | 215-535-7                      |
| Index-No.        | : | 601-022-00-9                   |

| Component     | Classification   | Concentration |
|---------------|--|---------------|
| <b>Xylene</b> |  |               |
|               | Flam. Liq. 3; Acute Tox. 4;<br>Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2A;<br>STOT SE 3; STOT RE 2;<br>Asp. Tox. 1; Aquatic Acute<br>2; Aquatic Chronic 3;<br>H226, H332, H312, H315,<br>H319, H335, H373, H304,<br>H401, H412 | <= 100 %      |

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first-aid measures

#### General advice

Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

After inhalation: fresh air. Immediately call in physician. If breathing stops: immediately apply artificial respiration, if necessary also oxygen.

#### In case of skin contact

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.

#### If swallowed

After swallowing: caution if victim vomits. Risk of aspiration! Keep airways free. Pulmonary failure possible after aspiration of vomit. Call a physician immediately.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

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## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) Foam Dry powder

#### Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides

Combustible.

Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors.

Forms explosive mixtures with air at elevated temperatures.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

### 5.4 Further information

Remove container from danger zone and cool with water. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

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## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains. Risk of explosion.

### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up carefully with liquid-absorbent material (e.g.

Chemizorb®). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

#### Advice on safe handling

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture. Avoid generation of vapours/aerosols.

#### Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

#### Hygiene measures

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.  
For precautions see section 2.2.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

### Storage conditions

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

### Storage class

Storage class (TRGS 510): 3: Flammable liquids

## 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Ingredients with workplace control parameters

| Component | CAS-No.   | Value                                  | Control parameters               | Basis   |
|-----------|-----------|--|----------------------------------|---|
| Xylene    | 1330-20-7 | PEL                                    | 100 ppm<br>435 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107) |
|           |           | C                                      | 300 ppm                          | California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107) |
|           |           | STEL                                   | 150 ppm<br>655 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107) |
|           |           | TWA                                    | 100 ppm<br>435 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants        |
|           |           | TWA                                    | 100 ppm                          | USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)   |
|           | Remarks   | Not classifiable as a human carcinogen |                                  |   |
|           |           | STEL                                   | 150 ppm                          | USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)   |
|           |           | Not classifiable as a human carcinogen |                                  |   |

#### Biological occupational exposure limits

| Component | CAS-No.   | Parameters   | Value             | Biological specimen | Basis                                     |
|-----------|-----------|--|-------------------|---------------------|---|
| Xylene    | 1330-20-7 | Methylhippuric acids                                     | 1.5g/g creatinine | Urine               | ACGIH - Biological Exposure Indices (BEI) |
|           | Remarks   | End of shift (As soon as possible after exposure ceases) |                   |                     |   |

## 8.2 Exposure controls

### Appropriate engineering controls

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

### Personal protective equipment

#### Eye/face protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Safety glasses

#### Skin protection

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: [www.kcl.de](http://www.kcl.de)).

Splash contact

Material: Viton®

Minimum layer thickness: 0.7 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Vitoject® (KCL 890 / Aldrich Z677698, Size M)

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: [www.kcl.de](http://www.kcl.de)).

Full contact

Material: Viton®

Minimum layer thickness: 0.7 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Vitoject® (KCL 890 / Aldrich Z677698, Size M)

#### Body Protection

Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing.

#### Respiratory protection

required when vapours/aerosols are generated. Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

#### Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains. Risk of explosion.

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- |                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| a) Appearance     | Form: clear, liquid<br>Color: colorless |
| b) Odor           | No data available                       |
| c) Odor Threshold | No data available                       |
| d) pH             | No data available                       |

|   |  |
|---|--|
| e) Melting point/freezing point                 | Melting point/range: -94 - 13.2 °C (-137 - 55.8 °F) at 1,013 hPa   |
| f) Initial boiling point and boiling range      | 137 - 140 °C 279 - 284 °F - lit.                                   |
| g) Flash point                                  | 25 °C (77 °F) - closed cup   |
| h) Evaporation rate                             | No data available  |
| i) Flammability (solid, gas)                    | No data available  |
| j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | Upper explosion limit: 7.0 %(V)<br>Lower explosion limit: 1.1 %(V) |
| k) Vapor pressure                               | 23.99 hPa at 37.70 °C (99.86 °F)                                   |
| l) Vapor density                                | 3.67 - (Air = 1.0)   |
| m) Density                                      | 0.86 g/mL at 25 °C (77 °F) - lit.                                  |
| Relative density                                | No data available  |
| n) Water solubility                             | 0.1705 g/l at 25 °C (77 °F) - partly soluble                       |
| o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water       | log Pow: 3.12 at 20 °C (68 °F) - Bioaccumulation is not expected.  |
| p) Autoignition temperature                     | 463 °C (865 °F) at 1,013 hPa                                       |
| q) Decomposition temperature                    | No data available  |
| r) Viscosity                                    | No data available  |
| s) Explosive properties                         | No data available  |
| t) Oxidizing properties                         | none   |

## 9.2 Other safety information

|                        |                    |
|------------------------|--------------------|
| Relative vapor density | 3.67 - (Air = 1.0) |
|------------------------|--------------------|

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

Vapor/air-mixtures are explosive at intense warming.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Exothermic reaction with:

Strong oxidizing agents

Acids

sulfur

conc. sulfuric acid

Risk of explosion/exothermic reaction with:

Nitric acid

uranium hexafluoride

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heating.

#### 10.5 Incompatible materials

No data available

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

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### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

##### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - male - 3,523 mg/kg  
(EC Directive 92/69/EEC B.1 Acute Toxicity (Oral))

Remarks: (ECHA)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male - 4 h - 29.09 mg/l - vapor

(Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, B.2)

Remarks: (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, Annex VI)

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - > 1,700 mg/kg

Remarks: (RTECS)

No data available

##### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: Moderate skin irritation - 24 h

Remarks: (IUCLID)

Drying-out effect resulting in rough and chapped skin. After long-term exposure to the chemical: Dermatitis

##### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Causes serious eye irritation. - 24 h

Remarks: (RTECS)

##### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 429)

##### Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): chromosome aberration.

Test system: Chinese hamster ovary cells

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, B.10

Result: negative

Remarks: (National Toxicology Program)

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Salmonella typhimurium

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Result: negative

Test Type: sister chromatid exchange assay  
Test system: Chinese hamster ovary cells  
Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation  
Method: Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, B.19  
Result: negative

Test Type: dominant lethal test  
Species: Mouse

Method: OECD Test Guideline 478  
Result: negative

### **Carcinogenicity**

IARC: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

NTP: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

### **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

### **Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

May cause respiratory irritation. - Respiratory system

### **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

Inhalation - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. - Central nervous system, Liver, Kidney

### **Aspiration hazard**

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

## **11.2 Additional Information**

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Oral - 90 d - NOAEL (No observed adverse effect level) - 150 mg/kg - LOAEL (Lowest observed adverse effect level) - 150 mg/kg

Blurred vision, Incoordination., Headache, Nausea, Vomiting, Dizziness, Weakness, anemia, Prolonged or repeated exposure to skin causes defatting and dermatitis.  
To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

After absorption:

Systemic effects:

Headache  
somnolence  
Dizziness  
agitation, spasms  
narcosis  
inebriation

Effect potentiated by: ethanol

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish                      static test LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 2.60 mg/l  
- 96 h  
(OECD Test Guideline 203)

Toxicity to algae                      static test EC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata - 4.36 mg/l - 73 h  
(OECD Test Guideline 201)

Toxicity to bacteria                  Remarks: (ECHA)  
(Xylene)

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability                      aerobic - Exposure time 28 d  
Result: 94 % - Readily biodegradable.  
(OECD Test Guideline 301F)

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation                      Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 56 d  
at 10 °C - 1.3 mg/l(Xylene)

Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 7.4 - 18.5

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

### 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available

### 12.7 Other adverse effects

No data available

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself. See [www.retrologistik.com](http://www.retrologistik.com) for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

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**SECTION 14: Transport information****DOT (US)**

UN number: 1307 Class: 3 Packing group: III  
Proper shipping name: Xylenes  
Reportable Quantity (RQ): 100 lbs  
Reportable Quantity (RQ): 100 lbs  
Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG**

UN number: 1307 Class: 3 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-E, S-D  
Proper shipping name: XYLENES

**IATA**

UN number: 1307 Class: 3 Packing group: III  
Proper shipping name: Xylenes

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**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****SARA 302 Components**

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

**SARA 313 Components**

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

|        | CAS-No.   | Revision Date |
|--------|-----------|---------------|
| Xylene | 1330-20-7 | 1993-04-24    |

**SARA 311/312 Hazards**

Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

**Reportable Quantity** : F003 lbs

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

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## **SECTION 16: Other information**

### **Further information**

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Sigma-Aldrich Corporation and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See [www.sigma-aldrich.com](http://www.sigma-aldrich.com) and/or the reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.

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# Appendix D

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## Forms



# Incident Report Form

Please complete this form and send it to your supervisor or project manager as soon as the scene is safe, and any medical attention has been addressed.

## SECTION A INCIDENT DETAILS

| EMPLOYEE INFORMATION:   |  | OTHER INJURED (IF APPLICABLE):                                      |  |
|---|--|---|--|
| Name: _____   |  | Name: _____   |  |
| Home Address: _____<br><small>Street Address City State Zip</small> |  | Home Address: _____<br><small>Street Address City State Zip</small> |  |
| Contact Information: ( ) ( )<br><small>Primary Secondary</small>    |  | Contact Information: ( ) ( )<br><small>Primary Secondary</small>    |  |
| Date of Birth: _____  |  | Date of Birth: _____  |  |
| Date of Hire: _____   |  | Date of Hire: _____   |  |
| Branch: _____   |  | Branch: _____   |  |
| Supervisor: _____   |  | Supervisor: _____   |  |

| Date and Time Incident  | Date and Time Reported  | LOCATION OF INCIDENT  |
|---|---|---|
| ____ / ____ / ____<br><small>Month Day Year</small><br>____ A.M. ____<br>P.M. | ____ / ____ / ____<br><small>Month Day Year</small><br>____ A.M. ____<br>P.M. | Project Name: _____<br>Client and Location: _____<br>or _____<br>Office Location: _____ |

| INCIDENT TYPE:<br>(Check All That Applies)  | WITNESS INFORMATION                                    |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury/Illness<br><input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Incident<br><input type="checkbox"/> Property Damage<br><input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Spill<br><input type="checkbox"/> Other | Name: _____<br>Contact Number: _____<br>Company: _____ |

**WHAT HAPPENED TO THE INJURED PARTY:**  First Aid Administered  Refused Treatment/Transport  Transported to Hospital  
 Returned to Work  Went Home  Went to Physician  Unknown

Clinic/Hospital or Treating Physician: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name Street Address City State Zip Code

## SECTION B PERSONAL INJURY

Cause of Injury: \_\_\_\_\_

Part of Body Injured: \_\_\_\_\_ Multiple Injuries:  Y  N

Was PPE worn when injured? :  Y  N What PPE was worn? \_\_\_\_\_

**WAS INJURY A RESULT OF THE USE A MOTOR VEHICLE:**  YES  NO (If yes, complete Section C)



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## SECTION C AUTO INCIDENT ONLY

### DRIVER/VEHICLE INFORMATION

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Name of Insured: _____                              | Name of Other Driver: _____                         |
| Department: _____                                   | Driver's License Number: _____                      |
| Driver's License Number: _____                      | State: _____  |
| DOB: ___/___/___ State: _____                       | Description of Vehicle: License Plate Number: _____ |
| Description of Vehicle: License Plate Number: _____ | Make: _____ Model: _____ Year: _____ Color: _____   |
| Make: _____ Model: _____ Year: _____ Color: _____   | Insurance Carrier: _____                            |
| Owner: _____  | Policy Number: _____ Ph. Number: _____              |

## SECTION D PROPERTY DAMAGE OR CHEMICAL RELEASE ONLY

Type of Damage(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Cause of Damage(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Chemical Released (if known): \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity of Chemical Released: \_\_\_\_\_

Spill Measures Employed: \_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION E NATURE OF INCIDENT AND EXTENT OF INJURIES/DAMAGES

*(Please give a detailed description of what happened. Attach a sketch or picture if applicable)*

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I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct to my understanding of this incident.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Employee/Preparer's Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date and Time



# Near Miss Report Form

Please complete this form and send it to your supervisor or project manager as soon as the scene is safe, and any medical attention has been addressed.

## NEAR MISS DETAILS

**Employee Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Branch:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Supervisor:** \_\_\_\_\_

| Date and Time Accident/Incident                         | Date and Time Reported                                  | LOCATION OF NEAR MISS  |
|---|---|--|
| ____/____/____<br>Month Day Year<br>____ A.M. ____ P.M. | ____/____/____<br>Month Day Year<br>____ A.M. ____ P.M. | <b>Project Name:</b> _____<br><b>Client and Location:</b> _____<br>or _____<br><b>Office Location:</b> _____ |

## WHAT HAPPENED?

(Please give a detailed description of what happened. Attach photos or a sketch, if applicable.)

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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Photos were Taken

## WHAT WAS DONE?

(Please give a detailed description of what was done to prevent and incident from occurring.)

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\_\_\_\_\_

I have verbally contacted a member of the Safety Team and my Supervisor.

\_\_\_\_\_

**Employee/Preparer's Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date and Time** \_\_\_\_\_





# Appendix E

## GEI's Health and Safety SOPs and Programs

| Applicable GEI H&S SOPs (check all that apply)                           |  |  |
|--|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Biological Hazards – 001             | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Inclement Weather – 010              | <input type="checkbox"/> Aerial Lift – 020                                     |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bloodborne Pathogens – 002           | <input type="checkbox"/> Ladders -011                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Mobile Equipment – 021                                |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Container Management – 003           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Noise Exposure -012                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Ecological Survey & Electrofishing -022       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Driver Safety - 004                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Nuclear Density Gauge Operation -013            | <input type="checkbox"/> Scaffolding - 023                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Electrical Safety - 005a                        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Utility Markout-014                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Wilderness Safety - 024                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lockout Tagout - 005b                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Respirator Fit Test Procedure-015               | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Manual Lifting – 025                       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excavation Trenching - 006           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Traffic Hazards -016                 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hazard Identification - 026                |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-Powered Hand Tools - 008a        | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Safety – 017                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Confined Space Entry for Sanitary Sewers – 027        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Powered Hand Tools – 008b                       | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Working Around Heavy Equipment – 018 | <input type="checkbox"/> Safe Trailer Use – 028                                |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hazardous Substances Management -009 | <input type="checkbox"/> Rail Safety -019                                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COVID-19 Consolidated Workplace Guidelines |



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| Applicable GEI H&S Programs (check all that apply)     |   |  |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asbestos Program              | <input type="checkbox"/> DOT Driver Safety                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arsenic Safety                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ergonomic               | <input type="checkbox"/> Injury and Illness Prevention (California Only) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Benzene Awareness  | <input type="checkbox"/> Fall Protection                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Respiratory Protection Program                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cadmium Safety                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hazard Communication    | <input type="checkbox"/> Lead Awareness                                  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cold Stress        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hearing Conservation    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fire Prevention                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Confined Space Entry          | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Heat Illness Prevention |  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Crystalline Silica | <input type="checkbox"/> Hexavalent Chromium                |  |

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# Appendix F

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## Community Air Monitoring Plan (CAMP)



## Community Air Monitoring Plan

Hunts Point 400 Food Center Drive (Krasdale Foods)

NYSDEC BCP Site No. C203101

For the Property located at:

400 Food Center Drive, Bronx, New York

**Submitted to:**

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC)

Division of Environmental Remediation

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**On Behalf of:**

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**Submitted by:**

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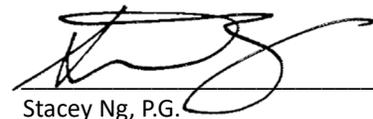
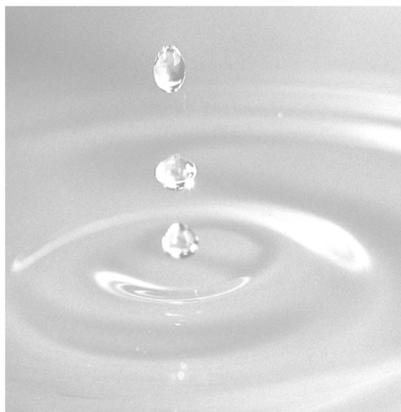
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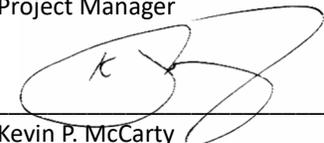
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## Acronyms and Abbreviations

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|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| BCP               | Brownfield Cleanup Program  |
| CAMP              | Community Air Monitoring Plan   |
| Con Edison        | Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc.   |
| DER-10            | Division of Environmental Remediation Technical Guidance for Site Investigation and Remediation |
| FCD               | Food Center Drive   |
| H <sub>2</sub> S  | Hydrogen Sulfide  |
| HCN               | Hydrogen Cyanide  |
| HPFDC             | Hunts Point Food Distribution Center  |
| HVAC              | Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning  |
| IRM               | Interim Remedial Measure  |
| IRMWP             | Interim Remedial Measure Work Plan (IRMWP)  |
| MGP               | Manufactured Gas Plan   |
| NYCEDC            | New York City Economic Development Corporation  |
| NYSDEC            | New York State Department of Environmental Conservation   |
| NYSDOH            | New York State Department of Health   |
| PM <sub>10</sub>  | Particulate Matter (10 microns or less)   |
| ppm               | parts per million   |
| TVOCs             | Total Volatile Organic Compounds  |
| µg/m <sup>3</sup> | microgram per cubic meter   |

# 1. Introduction

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This Community Air Monitoring Plan (CAMP) has been developed for the property located at 400 Food Center Drive (FCD) in the borough of the Bronx, New York (Site), on behalf of the New York City Economic Development Corporation (NYCEDC). The Site is currently enrolled in the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) Brownfield Cleanup Program (BCP) as Site No. C203101. This CAMP supports implementation of the Interim Remedial Measure Work Plan (IRMWP) and fulfills the requirements set forth by the New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) *Generic Community Air Monitoring Plan*, dated June 2000, and the Division of Environmental Remediation for Site Investigation and Remediation (DER-10) *Fugitive Dust and Particulate Monitoring*.

The purpose of the CAMP is to provide a measure of protection for the community (i.e., on-Site workers not directly involved with the subject work activities) from potential airborne contaminant releases during implementation of the IRMWP. During all ground intrusive activities at the Site, continuous real-time air monitoring for particulate matter that is 10 microns in diameter, or less (PM<sub>10</sub>), total volatile organic compounds (TVOCs), hydrogen sulfide (H<sub>2</sub>S), and hydrogen cyanide (HCN) will be conducted. Ground intrusive activities include, but are not limited to, excavation to expose a section of the existing sanitary line, connecting a bypass line from the second floor to first floor bathrooms, handling of Manufactured Gas Plant (MGP) impacted materials, and backfilling of the proposed excavation.

## 1.1. Site Background

The Site was historically part of the Consolidated Edison Company of New York (Con Edison) MGP that operated from 1926 until the early 1960s. Gas operations included a coke/oven gas plant, a carbureted water gas plant, a light oil plant, and a liquid petroleum production area. In total, approximately 46 buildings or structures existed on the former Con Edison MGP facility that were actively involved in gas production. The MGP facility covered the entire Hunts Point peninsula to the south of the current Hunts Point Produce Market and east of Halleck Street, with an area of approximately 182 acres of land.

As indicated in previous investigations conducted on Site, the Site contains a significant layer of fill material, consisting of a mixture of sand, construction and demolition material (brick, concrete, stone, wood, etc.), coal and coal ash, slag and cinders, overlaying native soils. MGP impacts have been found to exist as large deposits within the Site boundaries, in the form of purifier bed material and coal tar. Community air monitoring on sites containing coal tar is generally performed for TVOCs. However, due to the potential for the presence of purifier waste material within the work area, monitoring for H<sub>2</sub>S and HCN will also be performed.

The electrochemical sensors that are used in the multi-gas meters are often shown to have cross-sensitivity to gases other than its target gas, and HCN is known to have a positive cross-sensitivity with H<sub>2</sub>S. Due to characteristically high sulfur concentrations present in purifier waste, it is believed that elevated readings on the multi-gas meter for HCN may be due to a false-positive detection of

H<sub>2</sub>S on the HCN sensor. If a significant amount of purifier waste material is identified, HCN-specific sampling using colorimetric tubes will be conducted to obtain more accurate concentrations and ensure that the compound is not present in vapor form.

## 2. Air Monitoring Procedures, Response Levels and Actions

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### 2.1. General

Real-time air monitoring for TVOCs, H<sub>2</sub>S, HCN, and particulate matter will be implemented at the Site during all ground-intrusive activities completed as part of the IRMWP. Monitoring for the aforementioned parameters will be performed at two locations within the building (inside the first floor men's bathroom and the hallway outside of the bathroom) each day. Concentrations will be measured continuously within the work area (bathroom) as well as in the hallway outside of the bathroom to determine if elevated concentrations are present within the bathroom and are being released and migrating into the hallway.

#### 2.1.1. *Special Requirements for Work Within 20 ft of Potentially Exposed Individuals or Structures*

When work areas are within 20 feet of potentially exposed populations or occupied structures, the continuous monitoring locations for TVOCs, H<sub>2</sub>S, HCN, and particulates must reflect the nearest potentially exposed individuals and the location of ventilation system intakes for nearby structures. Since the work area is located within an occupied structure (Krasdale Foods office area), air monitoring will be conducted within the building, and the use of engineering controls will be implemented, including temporarily disconnecting the Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning (HVAC) system in the bathroom, as well as placing active air ventilation systems in the bathroom and hallway, to prevent exposures related to the work activities and to control dust and odors if they are identified. Requirements specific to each type of monitoring when working within 20 feet of exposed individuals or occupied structures is further detailed in their respective sections below.

### 2.2. Multi-Gas (TVOCs, H<sub>2</sub>S, and HCN) Monitoring

Monitoring will be conducted using a multi-gas meter configured to monitor for TVOCs, H<sub>2</sub>S, and HCN at each monitoring station. The equipment will be calibrated daily and equipped with an alarm to indicate exceedance of the action level. The multi-gas meter will be set to record 15-minute running average concentrations, which will be compared to the levels specified below.

#### 2.2.1. TVOCs

- *Alert Limit*

If the measured concentration in the hallway exceeds 3.7 parts per million (ppm) for TVOCs, work activities must be temporarily halted and monitoring continued. If the level readily decreases (per instantaneous readings) below 3.7 ppm for TVOCs, work activities can resume with continued monitoring.

- *Action Limit*

If the measured concentration in the hallway exceeds and persists at levels in excess of 5.0 ppm for TVOCs, but less than 25 ppm, work activities will be halted, the source of vapors identified, corrective actions taken to abate emissions, and monitoring continued. After these steps, work activities can resume provided that the TVOC concentrations at both stations is below 5.0 ppm for TVOCs for the 15-minute average.

- *Stop Work Limit*

If the TVOC level is above 25.0 ppm at either station, activities will be shutdown.

Background readings in the adjacent occupied space(s) will be taken prior to commencement of the planned work. Any unusual background readings will be discussed with NYSDOH prior to commencement of the work.

### **2.2.2. H<sub>2</sub>S**

- *Alert Limit*

If the measured concentration in the hallway exceeds 3.7 ppm for H<sub>2</sub>S for the 15-minute average, work activities must be temporarily halted and monitoring continued. If the level readily decreases (per instantaneous readings) below 3.7 ppm for TVOCs, work activities can resume with continued monitoring.

- *Action Limit*

If the measured concentration in the hallway exceeds and persists at levels in excess of 3.7 ppm, but less than 5.0 ppm, work activities will be halted, the source of vapors identified, corrective actions taken to abate emissions, and monitoring continued. After these steps, work activities can resume provided that the H<sub>2</sub>S concentrations at both stations is below 3.7 ppm for H<sub>2</sub>S for the 15-minute average.

- *Stop Work Limit*

If the H<sub>2</sub>S level is above 5.0 ppm at either station, activities will be shutdown.

Background readings in the adjacent occupied spaces will be taken prior to commencement of the planned work. Any unusual background readings will be discussed with NYSDOH prior to commencement of the work.

### **2.2.3. HCN**

- *Alert Limit*

If the measured concentration in the hallway exceeds 1.0 ppm for HCN, for the 15-minute average, a colorimetric tube will be run to confirm concentrations. If the concentration is less than 2.0 ppm as confirmed by colorimetric tube, work activities and monitoring via real-time meter will continue.

- *Action Limit*

If the measured concentration in the hallways persists at levels in excess of 1.0 ppm, but less than 2.0 ppm as confirmed by colorimetric tube, work activities will be halted, the source of vapors identified, corrective actions taken to abate emissions, and monitoring continued. After these steps, work activities can resume provided that the HCN concentrations at both stations is below 2.0 ppm for the 15-minute average.

- *Stop Work Limit*

If the HCN level is above 2.0 ppm at either station, as confirmed by colorimetric tube, activities will be shutdown.

Background readings in the adjacent occupied spaces will be taken prior to commencement of the planned work. Any unusual background readings will be discussed with NYSDOH prior to commencement of the work.

### **2.3. Particulate Air Monitoring**

Particulate concentrations will be monitored continuously at two locations within the building (inside the bathroom and the hallway outside of the bathroom) via temporary particulate monitoring stations. The particulate monitoring will be performed using a real-time monitoring device capable of measuring particulate matter that is 10 microns in diameter, or less (PM<sub>10</sub>) and capable of integrating over a period of 15 minutes for comparison to criteria. The equipment will be calibrated daily and equipped with an alarm to indicate exceedance of the action level. In addition, fugitive dust migration will be visually assessed during all work activities.

- *Alert Limit*

If the hallway PM<sub>10</sub> concentration is 100 micrograms per cubic meter (µg/m<sup>3</sup>) greater than the work area (bathroom) for a 15-minute period or if airborne dust is observed leaving the work area, then dust suppression techniques must be employed. Work may continue with dust suppression techniques provided that hallway PM<sub>10</sub> levels do not exceed 150 µg/m<sup>3</sup> above the work area (bathroom) level and provided that no visible dust is migrating from the work area.

- *Action Limit*

If, after implementation of dust suppression techniques, hallway PM<sub>10</sub> concentrations are greater than 150 µg/m<sup>3</sup> above the work area (bathroom) level, work must be stopped and a re-evaluation of activities initiated. Work can resume provided that dust suppression measures and other controls are successful in reducing the hallways PM<sub>10</sub> particulate concentration to within 150 µg/m<sup>3</sup> of the work area (bathroom) level and mitigating visible dust migration.

If PM<sub>10</sub> concentrations in adjacent occupied spaces or next to intake vents exceed 150 µg/m<sup>3</sup>, work activities will be suspended until controls are implemented and are successful in reducing the total particulate concentration to 150 µg/m<sup>3</sup> or less at the monitoring point.

### **3. Project Notifications and Deliverables**

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All Action Limit exceedances will be reported to NYSDEC within 24-hours. All 15-minute readings will be recorded and be available for NYSDEC and NYSDOH personnel to review. Instantaneous readings, if any, used for decision purposes will also be recorded and documented in the Site's field book and daily field reports.