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1/ IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE / PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY

MSDS Nr: 097A

Product name: OXYGEN

Chemical formula: O2

Company identification see heading and/or footer

Emergency phone numbers see heading and/or footer

2/ COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance/Preparation Oxygen

Components/Impurities Contains no other components or impurities which will

influence the classification of the product.

CAS Nr 07782-44-7

EEC Nr (from EINECS) 2319569

3/ HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazards identification Compressed gas

Oxidant. Strongly supports combustion.

May react violently with combustible materials.

4/ FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation Continuous inhalation of concentrations higher than 75%

may cause nausea, dizziness, respiratory difficulty and

convulsion.

5/ FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Specific hazards Supports combustion.

Exposure to fire may cause containers to rupture/explode.

Non flammable.

Hazardous combustion products None



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Suitable extinguishing media All known extinguishants can be used.

Specific methods If possible, stop flow of product.

Move container away or cool with water from a protected

position.

Special protective equipment

for fire fighters:

6/ ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precaution Evacuate area.

Ensure adequate air ventilation. Eliminate ignition sources.

Environmental precaution Try to stop release.

Prevent from entering sewers, basements and workpits, or

any place where its accumulation can be dangerous.

Clean up methods Ventilate area.

7/ HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling and storage Use no oil or grease.

Open valve slowly to avoid pressure shock.

Segregate from flammable gases and other flammable

materials in store.

Suck back of water into the container must be prevented.

Do not allow backfeed into the container.

Use only properly specified equipment which is suitable for this product, its supply pressure and temperature. Contact

your gas supplier if in doubt.

Keep away from ignition sources (including static

discharges).

Refer to supplier's container handling instructions. Keep container below 50°C in a well ventilated place.

8/ EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Personal protection Do not smoke while handling product.

Wear suitable hand, body and head protection. Wear goggles

with suitable filter lenses when use is cutting/welding.

Avoid oxygen rich (>21%) atmospheres.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

9/ PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Molecular weight 32

Meeting point -219°C



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Boiling point -183°C

Critical temperature -118°C

Relative density, gas (air=1) 1.1

Relative density, liquid (eau =1) 1.1

Vapour Pressure à 20°C Not applicable.

Solubility mg/l water 39 mg/l

Appearance/Colour Colourless gas.

Odour No odour warning properties.

Auto ignition temperature Not applicable.

Flammability range Oxidiser.

Other data Gas/vapour heavier than air. May accumulate in confined

spaces, particularly at or below ground level.

10 / STABILITE ET REACTIVITE

Stability and reactivity: May react violently with combustible materials.

May react violently with reducing agents. Violently oxidises organic material.

11 / TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

General No toxicological effects from this product.

12 / ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

General No ecological damage caused by this product.

13 / DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

General To atmosphere in a well ventilated place.

Do not discharge into any place where its accumulation

could be dangerous.

Contact supplier if guidance is required.

14 / TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN Nr 1072

Class/Div 2.2



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Subsidiary risk 5.1

ADR/RID Item Nr 2.1a

ADR/RID Hazard Nr 25

Tremcard Nr 842

Labelling ADR Label 2 : non flammable non toxic gas.

Label 05: fire intensifying risk.

Other transport information 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 that they are

firmly secured and:

- cylinder valve is closed and not leaking

- valve outlet cap nut or plug (where provided) is

correctly fitted

- valve protection device (where provided) is correctly

fitted

- adequate ventilation

compliance with applicable regulations.

15/ REGULATORY INFORMATION

Number in Annex I of Dir 67/548 Not included in Annex I.

EC Classification Proposed by the industry.

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- Symbols O

- R Phrases 8A

- S Phrases 9,17A

Labelling of cylinders

- Symbols Road transport symbols are used and selected according to

the most stringent product classification – EC or ADR.

Label 2: non flammable non toxic gas.

Label 05: fire intensifying risk.

- Risk phrases R8A Strongly supports combustion.

- Safety phrases S9 Keep container in well ventilated place.

S17A Keep away from combustible material, use no oil or

grease.



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16/ OTHER INFORMATION

Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.

Ensure operators understand the hazard of oxygen enrichment.

Before using this product in any new process or experiment, a thorough material compatibility and safety study should be carried out.

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