

# TensorGrip L17N Canister Spray Adhesive QUIN GLOBAL ASIA PACIFIC

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Safety Data Sheet according to WHS Regulations (Hazardous Chemicals) Amendment 2020 and ADG requirements

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# SECTION 1 Identification of the substance / mixture and of the company / undertaking

Product Identifier			
Product name	TensorGrip L17N Canister Spray Adhesive		
Synonyms	Not Available		
Proper shipping name	CHEMICAL UNDER PRESSURE, TOXIC, N.O.S. (contains methylene chloride)		
Other means of identification	Not Available		

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

Relevant identified uses Adhesives

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

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# Emergency telephone number

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Association / Organisation	CHEMWATCH EMERGENCY RESPONSE	
Emergency telephone numbers	+61 1800 951 288	
Other emergency telephone numbers	+61 3 9573 3188	

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# **SECTION 2 Hazards identification**

## Classification of the substance or mixture

Poisons Schedule	Not Applicable
Classification [1]	Acute Toxicity (Oral) Category 4, Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2, Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2B, Gases Under Pressure (Liquefied Gas), Carcinogenicity Category 2
Legend:	1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI

# Label elements

Hazard pictogram(s)







Signal word Warning

# Hazard statement(s)

AUH044	Risk of explosion if heated under confinement.	
H302	Harmful if swallowed.	
H315	Causes skin irritation.	
H320	Causes eye irritation.	

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H280	Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.
H351	Suspected of causing cancer.

#### Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

P201	Obtain special instructions before use.	
P280	Wear protective gloves and protective clothing.	
P264	Wash all exposed external body areas thoroughly after handling.	
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.	

# Precautionary statement(s) Response

P308+P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.			
P305+P351+P338	F IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.			
P337+P313	eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.			
P301+P312	SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician/first aider if you feel unwell.			
P302+P352	F ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap.			
P330	Rinse mouth.			
P332+P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.			
P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.			

## Precautionary statement(s) Storage

P405	Store locked up.	
P410+P403	Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place.	

#### Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

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

Not Applicable

# **SECTION 3 Composition / information on ingredients**

# Substances

See section below for composition of Mixtures

## Mixtures

CAS No	%[weight]	Name		
75-09-2	50-80	methylene chloride		
124-38-9	10-20	carbon dioxide		
7727-37-9.	<1 <u>nitrogen</u>			
Legend:	1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI; 4. Classification drawn from C&L * EU IOELVs available			

# **SECTION 4 First aid measures**

# Description of first aid measures

- If product comes in contact with eyes remove the patient from gas source or contaminated area.
- ▶ Take the patient to the nearest eye wash, shower or other source of clean water.
- Open the eyelid(s) wide to allow the material to evaporate.
- Figently rinse the affected eye(s) with clean, cool water for at least 15 minutes. Have the patient lie or sit down and tilt the head back. Hold the evelid(s) open and pour water slowly over the eveball(s) at the inner corners, letting the water run out of the outer corners.
- The patient may be in great pain and wish to keep the eyes closed. It is important that the material is rinsed from the eyes to prevent further damage
- Figure that the patient looks up, and side to side as the eye is rinsed in order to better reach all parts of the eye(s)
- Transport to hospital or doctor.
- Feen when no pain persists and vision is good, a doctor should examine the eye as delayed damage may occur.
- If the patient cannot tolerate light, protect the eyes with a clean, loosely tied bandage.
- Ensure verbal communication and physical contact with the patient.

DO NOT allow the patient to rub the eyes

DO NOT allow the patient to tightly shut the eyes

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

DO NOT use hot or tepid water.

# If skin contact occurs:

- Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear.
- Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).
- ▶ Seek medical attention in event of irritation.

# Skin Contact

**Eye Contact** 

- In case of cold burns (frost-bite): ▶ Move casualty into warmth before thawing the affected part; if feet are affected carry if possible
  - Bathe the affected area immediately in luke-warm water (not more than 35 deg C) for 10 to 15 minutes, immersing if possible and without rubbing
- DO NOT apply hot water or radiant heat.
- ▶ Apply a clean, dry, light dressing of "fluffed-up" dry gauze bandage

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If a limb is involved, raise and support this to reduce swelling If an adult is involved and where intense pain occurs provide pain killers such as paracetomol Transport to hospital, or doctor ▶ Subsequent blackening of the exposed tissue indicates potential of necrosis, which may require amputation. Following exposure to gas, remove the patient from the gas source or contaminated area NOTE: Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), including positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus may be required to assure the safety of the rescuer. Prostheses such as false teeth, which may block the airway, should be removed, where possible, prior to initiating first aid procedures. If the patient is not breathing spontaneously, administer rescue breathing. If the patient does not have a pulse, administer CPR. Inhalation If medical oxygen and appropriately trained personnel are available, administer 100% oxygen. ▶ Summon an emergency ambulance. If an ambulance is not available, contact a physician, hospital, or Poison Control Centre for further instruction. ▶ Keep the patient warm, comfortable and at rest while awaiting medical care. MONITOR THE BREATHING AND PULSE, CONTINUOUSLY Administer rescue breathing (preferably with a demand-valve resuscitator, bag-valve mask-device, or pocket mask as trained) or CPR if Not considered a normal route of entry. Avoid giving milk or oils. Ingestion Avoid giving alcohol.

# Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

for intoxication due to Freons/ Halons:

A: Emergency and Supportive Measures

- Maintain an open airway and assist ventilation if necessary
- Treat coma and arrhythmias if they occur. Avoid (adrenaline) epinephrine or other sympathomimetic amines that may precipitate ventricular arrhythmias. Tachyarrhythmias caused by increased myocardial sensitisation may be treated with propranolol, 1-2 mg IV or esmolol 25-100 microgm/kg/min IV.
- Monitor the ECG for 4-6 hours
- B: Specific drugs and antidotes:
  - There is no specific antidote
- C: Decontamination
- Inhalation; remove victim from exposure, and give supplemental oxygen if available.
- Ingestion; (a) Prehospital: Administer activated charcoal, if available. DO NOT induce vomiting because of rapid absorption and the risk of abrupt onset CNS depression. (b) Hospital: Administer activated charcoal, although the efficacy of charcoal is unknown. Perform gastric lavage only if the ingestion was very large and recent (less than 30 minutes)

D: Enhanced elimination:

- ▶ There is no documented efficacy for diuresis, haemodialysis, haemoperfusion, or repeat-dose charcoal
- POISONING and DRUG OVERDOSE, Californian Poison Control System Ed. Kent R Olson; 3rd Edition
- Do not administer sympathomimetic drugs unless absolutely necessary as material may increase myocardial irritability.
- No specific antidote.
- ▶ Because rapid absorption may occur through lungs if aspirated and cause systematic effects, the decision of whether to induce vomiting or not should be made by an attending physician.
- If lavage is performed, suggest endotracheal and/or esophageal control.
- Danger from lung aspiration must be weighed against toxicity when considering emptying the stomach.
- Treatment based on judgment of the physician in response to reactions of the patient

For frost-bite caused by liquefied petroleum gas:

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

[Shell Australia 22/12/87]

For gas exposures:

BASIC TREATMENT

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

# ADVANCED TREATMENT

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

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EMERGENCY CARE FOR HAZARDOUS MATERIALS EXPOSURE: 2nd Ed. 1994

As in all cases of suspected poisoning, follow the ABCDEs of emergency medicine (airway, breathing, circulation, disability, exposure), then the ABCDEs of toxicology (antidotes, basics, change absorption, change distribution, change elimination).

For poisons (where specific treatment regime is absent):

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- ▶ Administer oxygen by non-rebreather mask at 10 to 15 L/min.
- Monitor and treat, where necessary, for pulmonary oedema.
- Monitor and treat, where necessary, for shock.
- Anticipate seizures.
- DO NOT use emetics. Where ingestion is suspected rinse mouth and give up to 200 ml water (5 ml/kg recommended) for dilution where patient is able to swallow, has a strong gag reflex and does not drool.

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# **SECTION 5 Firefighting measures**

#### **Extinguishing media**

- ► Water spray or fog.
- ▶ Foam
- Dry chemical powder.
- ► BCF (where regulations permit).
- Carbon dioxide.

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

Fire Incompatibility

Avoid contamination with oxidising agents i.e. nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc, as ignition may result

# Advice for firefighters

#### **GENERAL**

- Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus
- Fight fire from a safe distance, with adequate cover.
- If safe, switch off electrical equipment until vapour fire hazard removed.
- Use water delivered as a fine spray to control fire and cool adjacent area.
- DO NOT approach cylinders suspected to be hot
- Cool fire exposed cylinders with water spray from a protected location.
- If safe to do so, remove cylinders from path of fire.
- ▶ Equipment should be thoroughly decontaminated after use.

# Fire Fighting

### FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:

- Excessive pressures may develop in a gas cylinder exposed in a fire; this may result in explosion.
- Cylinders with pressure relief devices may release their contents as a result of fire and the released gas may constitute a further source of hazard for the fire-fighter.
- Cylinders without pressure-relief valves have no provision for controlled release and are therefore more likely to explode if exposed to fire.

### FIRE FIGHTING REQUIREMENTS:

- Positive pressure, self-contained breathing apparatus is required for fire-fighting of hazardous materials.
- Full structural fire-fighting (bunker) gear is the minimum acceptable attire.
- The need for proximity, entry and special protective clothing should be determined for each incident, by a competent fire-fighting safety professional
- ▶ Containers may explode when heated Ruptured cylinders may rocket
- May burn but does not ignite easily.
- Fire exposed cylinders may vent contents through pressure relief devices thereby increasing vapour concentration..
- Fire may produce irritating, poisonous or corrosive gases.
- Runoff may create fire or explosion hazard.
- May decompose explosively when heated or involved in fire.
- Contact with gas may cause burns, severe injury and/ or frostbite.
- POISONOUS: MAY BE FATAL IF INHALED, SWALLOWED OR ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN Decomposition may produce toxic fumes of:

carbon monoxide (CO)

Fire/Explosion Hazard

carbon dioxide (CO2) hydrogen chloride

phosgene

other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.

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

- Non flammable liquid.
- ▶ However vapour will burn when in contact with high temperature flame.
- Ignition ceases on removal of flame
- ▶ May form a flammable / explosive mixture in an oxygen enriched atmosphere
- Heating may cause expansion/vapourisation with violent rupture of containers
- Decomposes on heating and produces corrosive fumes of hydrochloric acid, carbon monoxide and small amounts of toxic phosgene.
- Vented gas is more dense than air and may collect in pits, basements.

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#### **SECTION 6 Accidental release measures**

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

See section 8

#### **Environmental precautions**

See section 12

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

- Avoid breathing vapour and any contact with liquid or gas. Protective equipment including respirator should be used.
- ► DO NOT enter confined spaces where gas may have accumulated.
- Increase ventilation.
- Clear area of personnel.
- Minor Spills Stop leak only if safe to so do.
  - Remove leaking cylinders to safe place. Release pressure under safe controlled conditions by opening valve.
  - ▶ Do not exert excessive pressure on the valve; do not attempt to operate a damaged valve
  - Orientate cylinder so that the leak is gas, not liquid, to minimise rate of leakage
  - Keep area clear of personnel until gas has dispersed.
  - Clear area of personnel and move upwind.
  - Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
  - Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.
  - Prevent, by all means available, spillage from entering drains or water courses.
  - Consider evacuation (or protect in place).
  - No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.
  - Increase ventilation.
  - Stop leak if safe to do so.
  - Water spray or fog may be used to disperse / absorb vapour.
  - Contain or absorb spill with sand, earth or vermiculite.
  - Collect recoverable product into labelled containers for recycling.
  - Collect solid residues and seal in labelled drums for disposal.
  - Wash area and prevent runoff into drains.
  - After clean up operations, decontaminate and launder all protective clothing and equipment before storing and re-using.

  - If contamination of drains or waterways occurs, advise emergency services.
  - Clear area of all unprotected personnel and move upwind.
  - Alert Emergency Authority and advise them of the location and nature of hazard.
  - Wear full body clothing with breathing apparatus.
  - Prevent by any means available, spillage from entering drains and water-courses.
  - Consider evacuation.
  - Increase ventilation.
  - No smoking or naked lights within area.
  - Stop leak only if safe to so do.
  - Water spray or fog may be used to disperse vapour.
  - DO NOT enter confined space where gas may have collected
  - Keep area clear until gas has dispersed.
  - Remove leaking cylinders to a safe place.
  - Fit vent pipes. Release pressure under safe, controlled conditions
  - Burn issuing gas at vent pipes.
  - ▶ DO NOT exert excessive pressure on valve; DO NOT attempt to operate damaged valve.

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

### **SECTION 7 Handling and storage**

**Major Spills** 

### Precautions for safe handling

- Consider use in closed pressurised systems, fitted with temperature, pressure and safety relief valves which are vented for safe dispersal. Use only properly specified equipment which is suitable for this product, its supply pressure and temperature
- The tubing network design connecting gas cylinders to the delivery system should include appropriate pressure indicators and vacuum or suction lines.
- Fully-welded types of pressure gauges, where the bourdon tube sensing element is welded to the gauge body, are recommended.
- Before connecting gas cylinders, ensure manifold is mechanically secure and does not containing another gas. Before disconnecting gas cylinder, isolate supply line segment proximal to cylinder, remove trapped gas in supply line with aid of vacuum pump
- When connecting or replacing cylinders take care to avoid airborne particulates violently ejected when system pressurises.
- Consider the use of doubly-contained piping; diaphragm or bellows sealed, soft seat valves; backflow prevention devices; flash arrestors; and flow monitoring or limiting devices. Gas cabinets, with appropriate exhaust treatment, are recommended, as is automatic monitoring of the secondary enclosures and work areas for release.

# Safe handling

- Use a pressure reducing regulator when connecting cylinder to lower pressure (<100 psig) piping or systems
- Use a check valve or trap in the discharge line to prevent hazardous back-flow into the cylinder
- Check regularly for spills or leaks. Keep valves tightly closed but do not apply extra leverage to hand wheels or cylinder keys.
- Open valve slowly. If valve is resistant to opening then contact your supervisor
- Valve protection caps must remain in place must remain in place unless container is secured with valve outlet piped to use point.
- Never insert a pointed object (e.g hooks) into cylinder cap openings as a means to open cap or move cylinder. Such action can inadvertently turn the valve and gas a gas leak. Use an adjustable strap instead of wrench to free an over-tight or rusted cap.
- A bubble of gas may buildup behind the outlet dust cap during transportation, after prolonged storage, due to defective cylinder valve or if a dust cap is inserted without adequate evacuation of gas from the line. When loosening dust cap, preferably stand cylinder in a suitable enclosure and take cap off slowly. Never face the dust cap directly when removing it; point cap away from any personnel or any object that may pose a hazard. under negative pressure (relative to atmospheric gas)
- Suck back of water into the container must be prevented. Do not allow backfeed into the container.
- Do NOT drag, slide or roll cylinders use a suitable hand truck for cylinder movement
- Test for leakage with brush and detergent NEVER use a naked flame

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- Do NOT heat cylinder by any means to increase the discharge rate of product from cylinder.
- Leaking gland nuts may be tightened if necessary.
- If a cylinder valve will not close completely, remove the cylinder to a well ventilated location (e.g. outside) and, when empty, tag as FAULTY and return to supplier.
- Obtain a work permit before attempting any repairs.
- DO NOT attempt repair work on lines, vessels under pressure
- Atmospheres must be tested and O.K. before work resumes after leakage.
- DO NOT transfer gas from one cylinder to another.
- ▶ Cylinders should be stored in a purpose-built compound with good ventilation, preferably in the open.
- Such compounds should be sited and built in accordance with statutory requirements.
- ▶ The storage compound should be kept clear and access restricted to authorised personnel only.
- Cylinders stored in the open should be protected against rust and extremes of weather.
- Cylinders in storage should be properly secured to prevent toppling or rolling.
- Cylinder valves should be closed when not in use.
  - Where cylinders are fitted with valve protection this should be in place and properly secured.
    - ▶ Gas cylinders should be segregated according to the requirements of the Dangerous Goods Act.
    - Preferably store full and empty cylinders separately.
    - ▶ Check storage areas for hazardous concentrations of gases prior to entry.
    - Full cylinders should be arranged so that the oldest stock is used first.
    - Cylinders in storage should be checked periodically for general condition and leakage.
  - Protect cylinders against physical damage. Move and store cylinders correctly as instructed for their manual handling.

NOTE: A 'G' size cylinder is usually too heavy for an inexperienced operator to raise or lower.

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

Other information

Suitable container

- DO NOT use aluminium or galvanised containers
- Cylinder:
- Ensure the use of equipment rated for cylinder pressure.
- Ensure the use of compatible materials of construction.
- ▶ Valve protection cap to be in place until cylinder is secured, connected.
- Cylinder must be properly secured either in use or in storage.
- Cylinder valve must be closed when not in use or when empty.
- Segregate full from empty cylinders.

WARNING: Suckback into cylinder may result in rupture. Use back-flow preventive device in piping.

#### Carbon dioxide:

- reacts violently with strong bases and alkali metals (especially their dusts)
- may ignite or explode when heated or in suspended chemically active metals (and their hydrides) such as aluminium, chromium, manganese, magnesium (above 775 C), titanium (above 550 C), uranium (above 750 C) or zirconium, diethylmagnesium
- is incompatible with water, acrolein, acrylaldehyde, amines, anhydrous ammonia, aziridine, metal acetylides (such as lithium acetylide), caesium monoxide (moist), lithium, potassium, sodium, sodium carbide, sodium-potassium alloy, sodium peroxide, titanium
- may build up static electricity when discharged at high flow rates from storage cylinders or fire extinguishers this may produce sparks resulting in ignition of flammables or explosives.
- may decompose to toxic carbon monoxide and flammable oxygen when exposed to electrical discharges or very high temperatures Methylene chloride
- Storage incompatibility
- is a combustible liquid under certain circumstances even though there is no measurable flash point and it is difficult to ignite
- ▶ its is flammable in ambient air in the range 12-23%; increased oxygen content can greatly enhance fire and explosion potential
- contact with hot surfaces and elevated temperatures can form fumes of hydrogen chloride and phosgene
- reacts violently with active metals, aluminium, lithium, methanol,, peroxydisulfuryl difluoride, potassium, potassium tert-butoxide, sodium
  - forms explosive mixtures with nitric acid
- is incompatible with strong oxidisers, strong caustics, alkaline earths and alkali metals
- attacks some plastics, coatings and rubber
- ▶ may generate electrostatic charge due to low conductivity
- Segregate from alcohol, water.
- Avoid reaction with oxidising agents
- Compressed gases may contain a large amount of kinetic energy over and above that potentially available from the energy of reaction produced by the gas in chemical reaction with other substances

Not Available

# SECTION 8 Exposure controls / personal protection

2,300 ppm

# **Control parameters**

# Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL)

# INGREDIENT DATA

Source	Ingredient	Material name	TWA	STEL	Peak	Notes
Australia Exposure Standards	methylene chloride	Methylene chloride	50 ppm / 174 mg/m3	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Australia Exposure Standards	carbon dioxide	Carbon dioxide	5000 ppm / 9000 mg/m3	54000 mg/m3 / 30000 ppm	Not Available	Not Available
Australia Exposure Standards	carbon dioxide	Carbon dioxide in coal mines	12500 ppm / 22500 mg/m3	54000 mg/m3 / 30000 ppm	Not Available	Not Available

# **Emergency Limits**

methylene chloride

Ingredient	TEEL-1	TEEL-2		TEEL-3
methylene chloride	Not Available	Not Available		Not Available
nitrogen	7.96E+05 ppm	8.32E+05 ppm		8.69E+05 ppm
Ingredient	Original IDLH		Revised IDLH	

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Ingredient	Original IDLH	Revised IDLH
carbon dioxide	40,000 ppm	Not Available
nitrogen	Not Available	Not Available

#### **Exposure controls**

Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection. The basic types of engineering controls are:

Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.

Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard "physically" away from the worker and ventilation that strategically "adds" and "removes" air in the work environment. Ventilation can remove or dilute an air contaminant if designed properly. The design of a ventilation system must match the particular process and chemical or contaminant in use.

Employers may need to use multiple types of controls to prevent employee overexposure.

#### Employees exposed to confirmed human carcinogens should be authorized to do so by the employer, and work in a regulated area.

- Work should be undertaken in an isolated system such as a "glove-box". Employees should wash their hands and arms upon completion of the assigned task and before engaging in other activities not associated with the isolated system.
- Within regulated areas, the carcinogen should be stored in sealed containers, or enclosed in a closed system, including piping systems, with any sample ports or openings closed while the carcinogens are contained within.
- Open-vessel systems are prohibited.
- Each operation should be provided with continuous local exhaust ventilation so that air movement is always from ordinary work areas to the operation.
- Exhaust air should not be discharged to regulated areas, non-regulated areas or the external environment unless decontaminated. Clean make-up air should be introduced in sufficient volume to maintain correct operation of the local exhaust system.
- For maintenance and decontamination activities, authorized employees entering the area should be provided with and required to wear clean, impervious garments, including gloves, boots and continuous-air supplied hood. Prior to removing protective garments the employee should undergo decontamination and be required to shower upon removal of the garments and hood.
- ▶ Except for outdoor systems, regulated areas should be maintained under negative pressure (with respect to non-regulated areas).
- Local exhaust ventilation requires make-up air be supplied in equal volumes to replaced air.
- Laboratory hoods must be designed and maintained so as to draw air inward at an average linear face velocity of 0.76 m/sec with a minimum of 0.64 m/sec. Design and construction of the fume hood requires that insertion of any portion of the employees body, other than hands and arms, be disallowed.

# Personal protection

Appropriate engineering

controls









# Eye and face protection

- Chemical goggles.
- Full face shield may be required for supplementary but never for primary protection of eyes.
- Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lenses or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task. This should include a review of lens absorption and adsorption for the class of chemicals in use and an account of injury experience. Medical and first-aid personnel should be trained in their removal and suitable equipment should be readily available. In the event of chemical exposure, begin eye irrigation immediately and remove contact lens as soon as practicable. Lens should be removed at the first signs of eye redness or irritation lens should be removed in a clean environment only after workers have washed hands thoroughly. [CDC NIOSH Current Intelligence Bulletin 59], [AS/NZS 1336 or national equivalent]

# Skin protection

# See Hand protection below

### Hands/feet protection

- When handling sealed and suitably insulated cylinders wear cloth or leather gloves.
- Insulated gloves:

NOTE: Insulated gloves should be loose fitting so that may be removed quickly if liquid is spilled upon them. Insulated gloves are not made to permit hands to be placed in the liquid; they provide only short-term protection from accidental contact with the liquid.

### **Body protection**

Other protection

# See Other protection below

- Employees working with confirmed human carcinogens should be provided with, and be required to wear, clean, full body protective clothing (smocks, coveralls, or long-sleeved shirt and pants), shoe covers and gloves prior to entering the regulated area. [AS/NZS ISO 6529:2006 or national equivalent]
- Employees engaged in handling operations involving carcinogens should be provided with, and required to wear and use half-face filter-type respirators with filters for dusts, mists and fumes, or air purifying canisters or cartridges. A respirator affording higher levels of protection may be substituted. [AS/NZS 1715 or national equivalent]
- Emergency deluge showers and eyewash fountains, supplied with potable water, should be located near, within sight of, and on the same level with locations where direct exposure is likely.
- Prior to each exit from an area containing confirmed human carcinogens, employees should be required to remove and leave protective clothing and equipment at the point of exit and at the last exit of the day, to place used clothing and equipment in impervious containers at the point of exit for purposes of decontamination or disposal. The contents of such impervious containers must be identified with suitable labels. For maintenance and decontamination activities, authorized employees entering the area should be provided with and required to wear clean, impervious garments, including gloves, boots and continuous-air supplied hood.
- Prior to removing protective garments the employee should undergo decontamination and be required to shower upon removal of the garments and hood.
- Protective overalls, closely fitted at neck and wrist.
- ► Eye-wash unit.
- Ensure availability of lifeline in confined spaces.
- ► Staff should be trained in all aspects of rescue work.
- ▶ Rescue gear: Two sets of SCBA breathing apparatus Rescue Harness, lines etc.

### Recommended material(s)

# GLOVE SELECTION INDEX

Glove selection is based on a modified presentation of the:

# "Forsberg Clothing Performance Index".

The effect(s) of the following substance(s) are taken into account in the *computer-*

# Respiratory protection

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

Where the concentration of gas/particulates in the breathing zone, approaches or exceeds the "Exposure Standard" (or ES), respiratory protection is required.

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Material	СРІ
PE/EVAL/PE	A
PVA	A
TEFLON	В
BUTYL	С
CPE	С
NATURAL RUBBER	С
NEOPRENE	С
VITON	С
VITON/BUTYL	С
VITON/CHLOROBUTYL	С

<sup>\*</sup> CPI - Chemwatch Performance Index

NOTE: As a series of factors will influence the actual performance of the glove, a final selection must be based on detailed observation. -

\* Where the glove is to be used on a short term, casual or infrequent basis, factors such as "feel" or convenience (e.g. disposability), may dictate a choice of gloves which might otherwise be unsuitable following long-term or frequent use. A qualified practitioner should be consulted.

Degree of protection varies with both face-piece and Class of filter; the nature of protection varies with Type of filter.

Required Minimum Protection Factor	Half-Face Respirator	Full-Face Respirator	Powered Air Respirator
up to 5 x ES	AX-AUS / Class 1	-	AX-PAPR-AUS / Class 1
up to 25 x ES	Air-line*	AX-2	AX-PAPR-2
up to 50 x ES	-	AX-3	-
50+ x ES	-	Air-line**	-

#### ^ - Full-face

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

- ▶ Cartridge respirators should never be used for emergency ingress or in areas of unknown vapour concentrations or oxygen content.
- The wearer must be warned to leave the contaminated area immediately on detecting any odours through the respirator. The odour may indicate that the mask is not functioning properly, that the vapour concentration is too high, or that the mask is not properly fitted. Because of these limitations, only restricted use of cartridge respirators is considered appropriate.
- Cartridge performance is affected by humidity. Cartridges should be changed after 2 hr of continuous use unless it is determined that the humidity is less than 75%, in which case, cartridges can be used for 4 hr. Used cartridges should be discarded daily, regardless of the length of time used
- Positive pressure, full face, air-supplied breathing apparatus should be used for work in enclosed spaces if a leak is suspected or the primary containment is to be opened (e.g. for a cylinder change)
- Air-supplied breathing apparatus is required where release of gas from primary containment is either suspected or demonstrated.

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

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

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

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# **SECTION 9 Physical and chemical properties**

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties Not Available **Appearance** Physical state Liquified Gas Relative density (Water = 1) 0.943 Partition coefficient n-octanol Not Available Not Available Odour / water Odour threshold Not Available Auto-ignition temperature (°C) Not Available pH (as supplied) Not Available **Decomposition temperature** Not Available Melting point / freezing point -97 Viscosity (cSt) Not Applicable (°C) Initial boiling point and boiling 40 Not Available Molecular weight (g/mol) range (°C) Flash point (°C) -104 Taste Not Available **Evaporation rate** Not Available **Explosive properties** Not Available

A: Best Selection

B: Satisfactory; may degrade after 4 hours continuous immersion

C: Poor to Dangerous Choice for other than short term immersion

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Flammability	HIGHLY FLAMMABLE.	Oxidising properties	Not Available
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)	Not Available
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Volatile Component (%vol)	Not Available
Vapour pressure (kPa)	46.86	Gas group	Not Available
Solubility in water	Immiscible	pH as a solution (Not Available%)	Not Available
Vapour density (Air = 1)	2.93	VOC g/L	640.30

# **SECTION 10 Stability and reactivity**

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

#### **SECTION 11 Toxicological information**

Information on toxicological effects

# The material is not thought to produce respiratory irritation (as classified by EC Directives using animal models). Nevertheless inhalation of the

material, especially for prolonged periods, may produce respiratory discomfort and occasionally, distress.

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

Carbon dioxide is an odourless gas, which gives very poor warning of exposure. It can cause rapid loss of consciousness, and death from lack of oxygen at concentrations of 10% in air.

Carbon dioxide is the most powerful dilator of brain vessels known.

Inhalation hazard is increased at higher temperatures.

# Inhaled

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

The use of a quantity of material in an unventilated or confined space may result in increased exposure and an irritating atmosphere developing. Before starting consider control of exposure by mechanical ventilation.

Inhalation exposure may cause susceptible individuals to show change in heart beat rhythm i.e. cardiac arrhythmia. Exposures must be terminated.

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

Acute intoxication by halogenated aliphatic hydrocarbons appears to take place over two stages. Signs of a reversible narcosis are evident in the first stage and in the second stage signs of injury to organs may become evident, a single organ alone is (almost) never involved.

# Ingestion

Not normally a hazard due to physical form of product.

Considered an unlikely route of entry in commercial/industrial environments

Accidental ingestion of the material may be harmful; animal experiments indicate that ingestion of less than 150 gram may be fatal or may produce serious damage to the health of the individual.

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The material may accentuate any pre-existing dermatitis condition

Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material

# Skin Contact

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

Vapourising liquid causes rapid cooling and contact may cause cold burns, frostbite, even through normal gloves. Frozen skin tissues are painless and appear waxy and yellow. Signs and symptoms of frost-bite may include "pins and needles", paleness followed by numbness, a hardening an stiffening of the skin, a progression of colour changes in the affected area, (first white, then mottled and blue and eventually black; on recovery, red, hot, painful and blistered).

Skin contact with the material may damage the health of the individual; systemic effects may result following absorption.

The material may cause severe inflammation of the skin either following direct contact or after a delay of some time. Repeated exposure can cause contact dermatitis which is characterised by redness, swelling and blistering.

# Eye

Not considered to be a risk because of the extreme volatility of the gas.

There is some evidence that material may produce eye irritation in some persons and produce eye damage 24 hours or more after instillation. Moderate inflammation may be expected with redness; conjunctivitis may occur with prolonged exposure.

# Chronic

Strong evidence exists that this substance may cause irreversible mutations (though not lethal) even following a single exposure. There is sufficient evidence to suggest that this material directly causes cancer in humans.

Toxic: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

This material can cause serious damage if one is exposed to it for long periods. It can be assumed that it contains a substance which can produce severe defects.

Ample evidence from experiments exists that there is a suspicion this material directly reduces fertility.

Main route of exposure to the gas in the workplace is by inhalation.

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TensorGrip L17N Canister	TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
Spray Adhesive	Not Available	Not Available	
	тохісіту	IRRITATION	
	dermal (rat) LD50: >2000 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye(rabbit): 162	mg - moderate
methylene chloride	Inhalation(Rat) LC50; 76 mg/L4h <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye(rabbit): 500	mg/24hr - mild
	Oral (Rat) LD50; 1600 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Skin (rabbit): 10	0mg/24hr-moderate
		Skin (rabbit): 81	0 mg/24hr-SEVERE
	ТОХІСІТҮ	IRRITATION	
carbon dioxide	Not Available	Not Available	
	тохісіту	IRRITATION	
nitrogen	Not Available	Not Available	
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 ➤ — Data available to make classification

# **SECTION 12 Ecological information**

# Toxicity

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TensorGrip L17N Canister Spray Adhesive	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Ava	ilable	Not Available
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value		Source
	EC50(ECx)	96h	Algae or other aquatic plants	0.98m	ıg/l	4
	BCF	1008h	Fish	2-5.4		7
methylene chloride	EC50	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	202-2	86mg/l	4
	EC50	48h	Crustacea	150-2	150-218mg/l	
	EC50	96h	Algae or other aquatic plants	0.98m	ıg/l	4
	LC50	96h	Fish	2-3.3r	ng/l	4
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species		Value	Sourc
carbon dioxide	LC50	96h	Fish	:	35mg/l	1
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Valu	ıe	Source
nitrogen	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Ava	ilable	Not Availabl
Legend:	Ecotox databa	,	Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Inforr atic Hazard Assessment Data 6. NITE (Japan)	,	,	,

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Do NOT allow product to come in contact with surface waters or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment or disposing

Wastes resulting from use of the product must be disposed of on site or at approved waste sites.

For carbon dioxide:

Environmental Fate: Carbon dioxide in earth's atmosphere is considered a trace gas. There are seasonal fluctuations of atmospheric concentrations of carbon dioxide primarily due to CO2 absorbed during seasonal plant growth. Due to human activities such as the combustion of fossil fuels and deforestation, the concentration of atmospheric carbon dioxide has increased by about 35% since preindustrial times. Carbon dissolved in the oceans is about 50 times greater than CO2 found in the atmosphere. The oceans act as an enormous carbon sink, having "absorbed about one-third of all human-generated CO2 emissions to date." Generally, gas solubility decreases as water temperature increases. Accordingly the ability of the oceans to absorb carbon dioxide from the atmosphere decreases as ocean temperatures rise. Carbon dioxide is soluble in water, where it spontaneously interconverts between CO2 and H2CO3 (carbonic acid). The relative concentrations of CO2, H2CO3, and the deprotonated forms HCO3 - (bicarbonate) and CO3 2-(carbonate) depend on the pH. In neutral or slightly alkaline water (pH > 6.5), bicarbonate predominates (>50%) becoming most prevalent (>95%) at the pH of seawater, while in very alkaline water (pH > 10.4) carbonate predominates (>50%). The bicarbonate and carbonate forms are very soluble, such that air-equilibrated ocean water (mildly alkaline with typical pH = 8.2 - 8.5) contains about 120 mg of bicarbonate per litre. Most of the CO2 taken up by the ocean forms carbonic acid. Some is consumed in photosynthesis by organisms in the water, and a small proportion of that sinks and leaves the carbon cycle. There is considerable concern that as a result of increased CO2 in the atmosphere the acidity of seawater has been increasing. This may adversely affect organisms living in the water, as with increasing acidity the availability of carbonates, necessary for forming shells, decreases.

For Methylene Chloride: Log Kow: 1.25; Log Koc: 1.68; Log Kom: 1.44; Henry's atm m3/mol: 2.68E-03; Henry s Law Constant: 0.002 atm/m3/mol; BCF: 5.

Atmospheric Fate: Methylene chloride is a volatile liquid that tends to evaporate to the atmosphere from water and soil. The main degradation pathway for methylene chloride in air is via reactions with hydroxyl radicals the average atmospheric lifetime is estimated to be 130 days. Because this degradation pathway is relatively slow, methylene chloride may become widely dispersed but, is not likely to accumulate in the atmosphere. The small amount of methylene chloride which reaches the stratosphere, (about 1%), may undergo direct breakdown by sunlight; however, this is not expected to occur in the troposphere. Reactions of methylene chloride with ozone or other common atmospheric species, (e.g., oxygen atoms, chlorine atoms, and nitrate radicals), are not believed to contribute to its breakdown.

Terrestrial Fate: The substance will evaporate rapidly from moist soil and does not sorb strongly to soil or sediment. Methylene chloride is likely to be highly mobile in soil and is expected to leach to groundwater. Biological breakdown is dependent on soil type, substrate concentration, and if the chemical gains or loses electrons, (redox reactions). The substance has been reported to be degraded in both oxygenated and low oxygen soils and degradation appears to accelerate in the presence of elevated levels of organic carbon. Methylene chloride has a low tendency to absorb to soil; therefore, there is a potential for leaching to groundwater. The substance is expected to evaporate from dry/moist soil. Aquatic Fate: Methylene chloride will evaporate rapidly from water, however; evaporation rates vary with rate of mixing, wind speed, temperature, and other factors. The substance slowly breaks down in neutral pH water, with an experimental half-life of 18 months @ 25 C. This reaction rate varies greatly with changes in temperature and pH it has been estimated that the same reaction in acidic solutions would take 700 years. Oxygenated and non-oxygenated biological breakdown may be important fate processes for methylene chloride in water. Methylene chloride has been observed to undergo degradation at a rapid rate in the presence of oxygen.

Ecotoxicity: Only a few valid acute toxicity data, and no results from long-term studies in marine species, are available for this substance. Available data in marine species do not indicate a marked difference in the sensitivity of marine and freshwater species to this substance. Methylene chloride is moderately toxic to the common mummichog, daggerblade grass shrimp, and fathead minnow. The substance has low toxicity to Daphnia magna water fleas. Methylene chloride is not expected to accumulate/concentrate in aquatic organisms.

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

#### Persistence and degradability

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air
methylene chloride	LOW (Half-life = 56 days)	HIGH (Half-life = 191 days)
carbon dioxide	LOW	LOW

# Bioaccumulative potential

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation
methylene chloride	LOW (BCF = 40)
carbon dioxide	LOW (LogKOW = 0.83)

# Mobility in soil

Ingredient	Mobility
methylene chloride	LOW (KOC = 23.74)
carbon dioxide	HIGH (KOC = 1.498)

# **SECTION 13 Disposal considerations**

### Waste treatment methods

- ▶ DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning or process equipment to enter drains
- It may be necessary to collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.
- In all cases disposal to sewer may be subject to local laws and regulations and these should be considered first.
   Where in doubt contact the responsible authority.
- Product / Packaging disposal

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

# **SECTION 14 Transport information**

## **Labels Required**



Marine	Pollutant
ı	HAZCHEM

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UN number	3502		
UN proper shipping name	CHEMICAL UNDER PRESSURE, TOXIC, N.O.S. (contains methylene chloride)		
Transport hazard class(es)	Class         2.2           Subrisk         6.1		
Packing group	Not Applicable		
Environmental hazard	Not Applicable		
Special precautions for user	Special provisions 274 362 Limited quantity 0		

# Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR)

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UN number	3502			
UN proper shipping name	Chemical under pressure, toxic, n.o.s. * (contains methylene chloride)			
	ICAO/IATA Class	2.2		
Transport hazard class(es)	ICAO / IATA Subrisk	6.1		
	ERG Code	2P		
Packing group	Not Applicable			
Environmental hazard	Not Applicable			
Special precautions for user	Special provisions		A1 A187	
	Cargo Only Packing Instructions		218	
	Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack		100 kg	
	Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions		Forbidden	
	Passenger and Cargo Maximum Qty / Pack		Forbidden	
	Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions		Forbidden	
	Passenger and Cargo Limited Maximum Qty / Pack		Forbidden	

# Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee)

UN number	3502		
UN proper shipping name	CHEMICAL UNDER PRESSURE, TOXIC, N.O.S. (contains methylene chloride)		
Transport hazard class(es)	IMDG Class 2.2 IMDG Subrisk 6.1		
Packing group	Not Applicable		
Environmental hazard	Not Applicable		
Special precautions for user	EMS Number F-C, S-V Special provisions 274 362 Limited Quantities 0		

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

Not Applicable

# Transport in bulk in accordance with MARPOL Annex V and the IMSBC Code

Product name	Group
methylene chloride	Not Available
carbon dioxide	Not Available
nitrogen	Not Available

# Transport in bulk in accordance with the ICG Code

Product name	Ship Type
methylene chloride	Not Available
carbon dioxide	Not Available
nitrogen	Not Available

# **SECTION 15 Regulatory information**

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

methylene chloride is found on the following regulatory lists

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Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) -Schedule 5

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

Chemical Footprint Project - Chemicals of High Concern List

International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) - Agents Classified by the IARC Monographs

International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) - Agents Classified by the IARC Monographs - Group 2A: Probably carcinogenic to humans

carbon dioxide is found on the following regulatory lists

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

FEI Equine Prohibited Substances List - Controlled Medication

nitrogen is found on the following regulatory lists

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

FEI Equine Prohibited Substances List (EPSL)

### **National Inventory Status**

National Inventory	Status
Australia - AIIC / Australia Non-Industrial Use	Yes
Canada - DSL	Yes
Canada - NDSL	No (methylene chloride; carbon dioxide; nitrogen)
China - IECSC	Yes
Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP	Yes
Japan - ENCS	No (nitrogen)
Korea - KECI	Yes
New Zealand - NZIoC	Yes
Philippines - PICCS	Yes
USA - TSCA	Yes
Taiwan - TCSI	Yes
Mexico - INSQ	Yes
Vietnam - NCI	Yes
Russia - FBEPH	Yes
Legend:	Yes = All CAS declared ingredients are on the inventory No = One or more of the CAS listed ingredients are not on the inventory. These ingredients may be exempt or will require registration.

### **SECTION 16 Other information**

Revision Date	17/06/2022
Initial Date	16/05/2022

# **SDS Version Summary**

Version	Date of Update	Sections Updated
1.2	16/06/2022	Acute Health (skin), Classification, Ingredients

# Other information

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

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

# **Definitions and abbreviations**

PC-TWA: Permissible Concentration-Time Weighted Average

PC-STEL: Permissible Concentration-Short Term Exposure Limit

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancel

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit。

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations

ES: Exposure Standard

OSF: Odour Safety Factor

NOAEL :No Observed Adverse Effect Level

LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level

TLV: Threshold Limit Value LOD: Limit Of Detection

OTV: Odour Threshold Value

BCF: BioConcentration Factors

BEI: Biological Exposure Index

AIIC: Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals

DSL: Domestic Substances List

NDSL: Non-Domestic Substances List

IECSC: Inventory of Existing Chemical Substance in China

EINECS: European INventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

NLP: No-Longer Polymers

ENCS: Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory

KECI: Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory

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NZIoC: New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

PICCS: Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act

TCSI: Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory INSQ: Inventario Nacional de Sustancias Químicas

NCI: National Chemical Inventory
FBEPH: Russian Register of Potentially Hazardous Chemical and Biological Substances

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