

# Safety Data Sheet

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

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture

Product name : Chlorine (29.30 % - 99.99 %) in Air

Product code : SG-2002-01515

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

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

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

Air Liquide America Specialty Gases 6141 Easton Rd Plumsteadville, PA 18949 - USA

T 1.800.217.2688 www.airliquide.com

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300

#### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

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

#### **Classification (GHS-US)**

 Ox. Gas 1
 H270

 Compressed gas
 H280

 Acute Tox. 2 (Inhalation:gas)
 H330

 Skin Corr. 1A
 H314

 Eye Dam. 1
 H318

 STOT SE 3
 H335

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

### 2.2. Label elements

### **GHS-US labeling**

Signal word (GHS-US)

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US)





GHS04



GHS05



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: Danger

Hazard statements (GHS-US) : H270 - May cause or intensify fire; oxidizer

H280 - Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated

H330 - Fatal if inhaled

CGA-HG22 - Corrosive to the respiratory tract. H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H318 - Causes serious eye damage

Precautionary statements (GHS-US) : P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

P280 - Wear eye protection, face protection, protective clothing, protective gloves

P284 - Wear respiratory protection. Consult respirator supplier's product information for the

selection of the appropriate respiratory protection.

P264 - Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling

P204 - Wash harlos, forearms and face thoroughly after harloin

P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

P260 - Do not breathe gas, vapors

P304+P340 - If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

P321 - Specific treatment (see Sect. 4.1 & 4.3 on this label)

P313 - Get medical advice/attention

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

P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

CGA-PG20 - Use only with equipment of compatible materials of construction

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CGA-PG10 - Use only with equipment rated for cylinder pressure CGA-PG05 - Use a back flow preventive device in the piping CGA-PG06 - Close valve after each use and when empty

CGA-PG21 - Open valve slowly

CGA-PG14 - Approach suspected leak area with caution

CGA-PG02 - Protect from sunlight when ambient temperature exceeds 52°C (125°F)

P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place

P405 - Store locked up

P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international

regulations

#### 2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

#### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS-US)

Not applicable

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

#### 3.1. Substance

Not applicable

#### 3.2. Mixture

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification (GHS-US)
Chlorine	(CAS No) 7782-50-5	29.3 - 99.99	Ox. Gas 1, H270 Liquefied gas, H280 Acute Tox. 2 (Inhalation:gas), H330 Skin Corr. 1A, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 STOT SE 3, H335
Compressed air	(CAS No) 132259-10-0	0.01 - 70.7	Compressed gas, H280

Full text of H-phrases: 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 not breathing, give artificial respiration. Apply artificial respiration with bag or mask if breathing

stopped. DO NOT apply mouth-to-mouth resuscitation to avoid exposing responder to toxic gas

from victim. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Remove contaminated clothing. Drench affected area with water for at least 15 minutes. 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, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : Fatal if inhaled. Corrosive to the respiratory tract. Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye damage.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

Symptoms/injuries upon intravenous : Not known.

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Chronic symptoms : Progressive lung dysfunction, pulmonary edema and pneumonitis.

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

If you feel unwell, seek medical advice. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get immediate medical attention if breathing difficulty continues or other symptoms such as irritation or inflammation persist!.

#### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use water jet to extinguish.

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

Fire hazard : The product is not flammable.

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Explosion hazard : Product is not explosive. Heat may build pressure, rupturing closed containers, spreading fire

and increasing risk of burns and injuries.

Reactivity : Reacts with water to form corrosive acids. Corrosive vapors.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

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 : Escape the danger area by the closest safe route. 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 safe to do so.

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

For containment : Try to stop release if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up : Dispose of this material and its container in accordance with local regulations. Carefully collect

the spill/leftovers. Clean contaminated surfaces with an excess of water. Scoop absorbed

substance into closing containers.

### 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 equipment rated for cylinder

pressure

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.

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.

Storage conditions : Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 52°C (125°F). Keep container closed when not in

use. Protect cylinder from physical damage. Store in well ventilated area. Store locked up.

Incompatible products : None known.

Incompatible materials : Flammable materials. Bases or caustic materials. Reducing agents.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Test gas/Calibration gas.

#### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

Chlorine (29.30 % - 99.99 %) in Air	
ACGIH	Not applicable
OSHA	Not applicable

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Compressed air (132259-10-0	0)
ACGIH	Not applicable
OSHA	Not applicable

Chlorine (7782-50-5)			
ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (ppm)	0.5 ppm	
ACGIH	ACGIH STEL (ppm)	1 ppm	
OSHA	OSHA PEL (Ceiling) (mg/m³)	3 mg/m³	
OSHA	OSHA PEL (Ceiling) (ppm)	1 ppm	

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure exposure is below occupational exposure limits. Provide adequate general and local

exhaust ventilation. Systems under pressure should be regularly checked for leakages. Alarm detectors should be used when toxic gases may be released. Consider work permit system e.g.

for maintenance activities.

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

addition wear chemically resistant protective gloves when making or breaking process

connections

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-

Wear a respirator during routine operations if determined to be necessary during a processspecific review. Consult respirator suppliers' product information or their representatives for the

selection of the appropriate respirator.

Thermal hazard protection : None necessary during normal and routine operations.

Environmental exposure controls : Refer to local regulations for restriction of emissions to the atmosphere. See section 13 for

specific methods for waste gas treatment.

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 : colorless to slightly yellow. Gas.

Molecular mass : Not applicable for gas-mixtures.

Color : colorless to slightly yellow

Odor : Pungent.

Odor threshold : No data available

pH : Not applicable for gas-mixtures.

Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : No data available

Relative evaporation rate (ether=1) : Not applicable for gas-mixtures.

Melting point No data available Freezing point No data available No data available Boiling point Flash point No data available Auto-ignition temperature No data available Decomposition temperature No data available Flammability (solid, gas) See Sect. 2.1 & 2.2 Vapor pressure Not applicable. Relative vapor density at 20 °C No data available Relative density No data available Relative gas density : Heavier than air.

Solubility : Water: Solubility in water of component(s) of the mixture :

•: •: 8620 mg/l

Log Pow : Not applicable for gas-mixtures.

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Viscosity, kinematic : Not applicable. Viscosity, dynamic : Not applicable.

Explosive properties : Not applicable - not flammable. Oxidizing properties : May cause or intensify fire; oxidizer. Explosive limits : Not applicable - not flammable

Other information

Additional information : Gas/vapour heavier than air. May accumulate in confined spaces, particularly at or below

ground level.

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### Reactivity

Reacts with water to form corrosive acids. Corrosive vapors.

#### **Chemical stability**

Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Can form explosive mixtures with flammable materials. May react violently with reducing agents.

#### 10.4.

Moisture.

#### Incompatible materials 10.5.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact

Flammable materials. Reducing agents. Bases or caustic materials.

#### **Hazardous decomposition products**

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

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

## Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Inhalation:gas: Fatal if inhaled.

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Chlorine (29.30 % - 99.99 %) in Air	
ATE US (gases)	100.010 ppmV/4h
Compressed air (132259-10-0)	
LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	820000 ppm/4h
ATE US (gases)	820000.000 ppmV/4h
Chlorine (7782-50-5)	
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	0.86 mg/l (Exposure time: 1 h)
LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	146.5 ppm/4h
ATE US (gases)	100.000 ppmV/4h
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
	pH: Not applicable for gas-mixtures.
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes serious eye damage.
	pH: Not applicable for gas-mixtures.
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.
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Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Symptoms/injuries after inhalation	: Fatal if inhaled. Corrosive to the respiratory tract.

: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. 01/28/2015 EN (English US) 5/9

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Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye damage.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

Symptoms/injuries upon intravenous

administration

: Not known.

Chronic symptoms : Progressive lung dysfunction, pulmonary edema and pneumonitis.

#### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : Classification criteria are not met.

Chlorine (7782-50-5)	
LC50 fish 1	0.44 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Lepomis macrochirus [flow-through])
EC50 Daphnia 1	0.017 mg/l (Exposure time: 48 h - Species: Daphnia magna)
LC50 fish 2	0.014 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Oncorhynchus mykiss [flow-through])

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Chlorine (29.30 % - 99.99 %) in Air		
Persistence and degradability	No data available.	
Compressed air (132259-10-0)		
Persistence and degradability  No ecological damage caused by this product.		
Chlorine (7782-50-5)		
Persistence and degradability	Not applicable for inorganic gases.	

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Chlorine (29.30 % - 99.99 %) in Air		
Log Pow	Not applicable for gas-mixtures.	
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Bioaccumulative potential	No data available.	
Compressed air (132259-10-0)		
Log Pow	Not applicable for inorganic gases.	
Bioaccumulative potential	No ecological damage caused by this product.	
Chlorine (7782-50-5)		
BCF fish 1	(no bioaccumulation expected)	
Log Pow	Not applicable for inorganic gases.	

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

Bioaccumulative potential

Chlorine (29.30 % - 99.99 %) in Air		
Mobility in soil	No data available.	
Compressed air (132259-10-0)		
Ecology - soil No ecological damage caused by this product.		
Chlorine (7782-50-5)		
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 : None.

Effect on the global warming : No known ecological damage caused by this product.

No data available.

#### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment 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 disposal recommendations : Refer to the CGA Pamphlet P-63 "Disposal of Gases" available at www.cganet.com for more guidance on suitable disposal methods.

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### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

In accordance with DOT

Transport document description : UN3303 Compressed gas, toxic, oxidizing, n.o.s. (Chlorine, Compressed Air) Inhalation Hazard

Zone B

: UN3303 UN-No.(DOT)

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

Inhalation Hazard Zone B

Hazard labels (DOT) : 2.3 - Poison gas

5.1 - Oxidizer



**DOT Symbols** : G - Identifies PSN requiring a technical name

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.

DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx) None DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 302;305 DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 314:315 DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail : Forbidden

(49 CFR 173.27)

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 : Forbidden

CFR 175.75)

**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"

**Additional information** 

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.

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No additional information available

Transport by sea

UN-No. (IMDG) : 3303

Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : COMPRESSED GAS, TOXIC, OXIDIZING, N.O.S.

Class (IMDG) : 2.3 - Toxic gases

Air transport

: 3303 UN-No.(IATA)

Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : COMPRESSED GAS, TOXIC, OXIDIZING, N.O.S.

Class (IATA)

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information** 

15.1. US Federal regulations

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Chlorine (7782-50-5)	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory Listed on the United States SARA Section 302 Listed on United States SARA Section 313	
SARA Section 302 Threshold Planning Quantity (TPQ)	100
SARA Section 313 - Emission Reporting	1.0 %

#### 15.2. International regulations

#### **CANADA**

Compressed air (132259-10-0)		
WHMIS Classification	Class A - Compressed Gas	
Chlorine (7782-50-5)		
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Sustances List)		
WHMIS Classification	Class A - Compressed Gas Class D Division 1 Subdivision A - Very toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects Class E - Corrosive Material	

#### **EU-Regulations**

No additional information available

#### Chlorine (7782-50-5)

Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Not classified

#### Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC [DSD] or 1999/45/EC [DPD]

#### **National regulations** 15.2.2.

# Compressed air (132259-10-0)

Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China) Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)

#### Chlorine (7782-50-5)

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)

Japanese Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law

Listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)

# 15.3. US State regulations

#### Chlorine (7782-50-5)

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**

Indication of changes : Revised safety data sheet in accordance with OSHA final rule on GHS implementation promulgated March 26, 2012.

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.

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#### Full text of H-phrases:

Acute Tox. 2 (Inhalation:gas)	Acute toxicity (inhalation:gas) Category 2
Compressed gas	Gases under pressure Compressed gas
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 1
Liquefied gas	Gases under pressure Liquefied gas
Ox. Gas 1	Oxidizing gases Category 1
Skin Corr. 1A	Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1A
STOT SE 3	Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Category 3
H270	May cause or intensify fire; oxidizer
H280	Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H330	Fatal if inhaled
H335	May cause respiratory irritation

## SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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