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This product contains oxygen and nitrogen, substances subject to the Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-To-Know Act.

# PRODUCT IDENTITY

LABEL IDENTITY - MSA P/N 710876 Calibration Check Gas, 990 ppm R-22 in Air

CHEMICAL NAME - Chlorodifluoromethane in Air

ADDITIONAL IDENTITIES - MSA P/N 710876 Calibration Gas 990 ppm R-22 in Air

FORMULA -  $CHClF_2 + O_2 + N_2$ 

# APPLICABLE CHEMICAL CONTENTS

 CHCIF2 (CAS 75-45-6)(ACGIH 2012)
 %
 TWA 1000 ppm

 Air
 Balance
 None

NOTE: Gas under pressure, 1000 PSIG at 70°F, Approx. 100 Liters gas at atmospheric pressure

#### PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE AND ODOR - Colorless gas with a faint, sweetish odor.

Following information is for Nitrogen the main component of this gas mixture

BOILING POINT - -320.4 °F (-195.8 °C)

SPECIFIC GRAVITY (air = 1)  $@70^{\circ}$ F (21.1  $^{\circ}$ C): 0.906

VAPOR PRESSURE @70°F (21.1 °C): N/A\*

PERCENT VOLATILE BY VOLUME - N/A\*

GAS DENSITY @32°F (0 °C) and 1 atm: 0.072 lbs/ft (1.153 kg/ m )

SOLUBILITY IN WATER - CHClF<sub>2</sub> - approx. 83 cm<sup>3</sup>/100 ml (25°C)

Oxygen - 3.2 cm<sup>3</sup>/100 ml (25°C) Nitrogen - 2.3 cm<sup>3</sup>/100 ml (0°C)

\* N/A - Not Applicable

# PHYSICAL HAZARD INFORMATION

PHYSICAL HAZARD - Compressed gas, 1000 PSIG at 70°F

CONDITIONS OR MATERIALS TO AVOID - Avoid bases. Avoid powdered active metals such as aluminum, alkali metals or alkaline earth metals.

FLASH POINT - N/A LEL - N/A UEL - N/A

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA - This calibration gas mixture is non-flammable.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES - Chlorodifluoromethane decomposes at high temperatures yielding toxic halogen compounds. Use self-contained pressure demand type breathing apparatus with full face piece.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS - Gas under pressure, 1000 PSIG at 70°F. Do not exceed 120°F.

#### **HEALTH HAZARDS**

HEALTH HAZARDS - The ACGIH(2012)TWA for Chlorodifluoromethane is 1000 ppm. Chlorodifluoromethane inhalation 1-hour LC50 (rat) is 175,000 ppm.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE: Inhalation of high vapor concentrations are irritating to the respiratory system. May cause confusion and drowsiness.

PRIMARY ROUTES OF ENTRY - Inhalation

TARGET ORGANS - Respiratory system, cardiovascular system, and peripheral nervous system.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS GENERALLY RECOGNIZED AS BEING AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE – Respiratory problems, cardiovascular problems, neurological disorders.

EXPOSURE LIMITS – ACGIH (2012) TWA for R-22 is 1000 ppm.

CARCINOGENICITY DATA - NIOSH, RTECS, IARC, NTP or OSHA does not list component gases.

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES - Remove victim from exposure. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention immediately.

# SAFE HANDLING AND USE

HYGIENIC PRACTICES - Avoid breathing gas

PROTECTIVE MEASURES DURING REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE OF CONTAMINATED EQUIPMENT - N/A

PROCEDURES FOR SPILL OR LEAK CLEANUP - Ventilate area.

WASTE DISPOSAL - Do not puncture or incinerate cylinder. Before discarding cylinder, slowly release contents to a safe exhaust. Dispose of cylinder in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

STORAGE - Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area. Do not exceed 120°F.

#### CONTROL MEASURES

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT - Due to the limited amount of gas in the cylinder, and the low release rate employed in instrument calibration, respiratory protection is not indicated under conditions of intended use.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS - Mechanical ventilation is suitable.

WORK PRACTICES - Avoid breathing gas. Use in well-ventilated areas. Follow the calibration procedure detailed in the MSA instruction manual provided with the instrument under calibration.

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