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# **SECTION 1: Identification**

1.1. Identification

Product form : Mixtures

Product name : Hydrogen Chloride (0.0001% - 0.02%) in Nitrogen

1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

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

1.3. Supplier

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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 Compressed gas H280

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Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated

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) : Warni

Hazard statements (GHS-US) : H280 - Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated

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.

P313 - Get medical advice/attention. P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place.

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

# 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

Not applicable

# 3.2. Mixtures

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Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
Nitrogen	(CAS-No.) 7727-37-9	99.98 - 99.9999	Press. Gas (Comp.), H280
Hydrogen Chloride	(CAS-No.) 7647-01-0	0.0001 - 0.02	Press. Gas (Liq.), H280 Acute Tox. 3 (Inhalation:gas), H331 Skin Corr. 1A, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318

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. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical

advice/attention.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Adverse effects not expected from this product. If eye irritation occurs, seek medical 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 : 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

In high concentrations may cause asphyxiation. Symptoms may include loss of mobility/consciousness. Victim may not be aware of asphyxiation. 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. Reacts with water to form corrosive acids. Corrosive vapors.

Hazardous combustion products : None known ------ to complete or amend (MBF=Must be filled in) ------

# 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

Specific methods : Use fire control measures appropriate for the surrounding fire. Exposure to fire and heat

radiation may cause gas receptacles to rupture. Cool endangered receptacles with water spray jet from a protected position. Prevent water used in emergency cases from entering sewers and drainage systems. Exposure to fire may cause containers to rupture/explode. 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

General measures : Ensure adequate ventilation.

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Wear protective equipment consistent with the site emergency plan.

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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.

#### For emergency responders 6.1.2.

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.

### **Environmental precautions**

Try to stop release if without risk.

#### 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

Ventilate area.

#### Reference to other sections 6.4.

See also Sections 8 and 13.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

# Precautions for safe handling

Additional hazards when processed

: Pressurized container: Do not pierce or burn, even after use. Do not pierce or burn, even after use. Use only with 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.

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 regularily) 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.

# 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 cylinders from physical damage; do not drag, roll, slide or drop. Store in well

ventilated area.

Incompatible products

Incompatible materials

None known. Reducing agents. Bases or caustic materials.

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		
Hydrogen Chloride (7647-01-0)		
ACGIH	ACGIH Ceiling (ppm)	2 ppm
OSHA	OSHA PEL (Ceiling) (mg/m³)	7 mg/m³

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Hydrogen Chloride (7647-01-0)		
OSHA	OSHA PEL (Ceiling) (ppm)	5 ppm
IDLH	US IDLH (ppm)	50 ppm
NIOSH	NIOSH REL (ceiling) (mg/m³)	7 mg/m³
NIOSH	NIOSH REL (ceiling) (ppm)	5 ppm

# 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Oxygen detectors should be used

when asphyxiating gases may be released. Systems under pressure should be regularly checked for leakages. Consider the use of a work permit system e.g. for maintenance activities.

Ensure exposure is below occupational exposure limits (where available).

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:

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 : irritating/pungent odor Odorless

Odor threshold : No data available : No data available No data available Melting point : No data available Freezing point Boiling point : No data available Flash point : No data available Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : No data available Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available : No data available Vapor pressure Relative vapor density at 20 °C : No data available Relative density : No data available Relative gas density : Lighter or similar to air Solubility : Water: No data available

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Log Pow : Not applicable for gas-mixtures.

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

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

# 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None known. May react violently with reducing agents.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

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

# 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

Nitrogen (7727-37-9)		
LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	820000 ppm/4h	
ATE US (gases)	820000.000 ppmV/4h	
Hydrogen Chloride (7647-01-0)		
LD50 oral rat	238 - 277 mg/kg	
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 5010 mg/kg	
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	1.68 mg/l (Exposure time: 1 h)	
LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	1560 ppm/4h	
ATE US (oral)	700.000 mg/kg body weight	
ATE US (gases)	1560.000 ppmV/4h	
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Not classified	
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Not classified	
Respiratory or skin sensitization	: Not classified	
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified	

Hydrogen Chloride (7647-01-0)		
IARC group	3 - Not classifiable	
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified	

: Not classified

: Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity – repeated : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

exposure

Carcinogenicity

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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 : Not known.

administration

Chronic symptoms : Adverse effects not expected from this product.

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : Classification criteria are not met.

Hydrogen Chloride (7647-01-0)	
LC50-96 h - fish [mg/l]	3.25 - 3.5 mg/l
EC50 48h - Daphnia magna [mg/l]	4.92 mg/l
EC50 72h Algae [mg/l]	4.7 mg/l

# 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Hydrogen Chloride (0.0001% - 0.02%) in Nitrogen		
Persistence and degradability	No data available.	
Nitrogen (7727-37-9)		
Persistence and degradability	No ecological damage caused by this product.	
Hydrogen Chloride (7647-01-0)		
Persistence and degradability	Not applicable for inorganic gases.	

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Hydrogen Chloride (0.0001% - 0.02%) in Nitrogen		
Log Pow	Not applicable for gas-mixtures.	
Log Kow	Not applicable for gas-mixtures.	
Bioaccumulative potential	No data available.	
Nitrogen (7727-37-9)		
Log Pow	Not applicable for inorganic gases.	
Bioaccumulative potential	No ecological damage caused by this product.	
Hydrogen Chloride (7647-01-0)		
Log Pow	Not applicable for inorganic gases.	
Bioaccumulative potential	No data available.	

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

Hydrogen Chloride (0.0001% - 0.02%) in Nitrogen		
Mobility in soil	No data available	
Nitrogen (7727-37-9)		
Ecology - soil	No ecological damage caused by this product.	
Hydrogen Chloride (7647-01-0)		
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 global warming : No known effects from this product.

GWPmix comment : 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.

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Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Refer to the CGA

: Refer to the CGA Pamphlet P-63 "Disposal of Gases" available at 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., 2.2

UN-No.(DOT) : UN1956

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Compressed gas, n.o.s. 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 : 75 kg

(49 CFR 173.27)

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 : 150 kg

CFR 175.75)

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.

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 by sea

Transport document description (IMDG) : UN 1956 Compressed gas, n.o.s., 2.2

UN-No. (IMDG) : 1956

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

Class (IMDG) : 2.2 - Non-flammable, non-toxic gases

Limited quantities (IMDG) : 120 ml

#### Air transport

Transport document description (IATA) : UN 1956 Compressed gas, n.o.s., 2.2

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

# Nitrogen (7727-37-9)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

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Hydrogen Chloride (7647-01-0)	
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	
CERCLA RQ	5000 lb
Section 302 EPCRA Reportable Quantity (RQ)	5000 lb gas only
SARA Section 302 Threshold Planning Quantity (TPQ)	500 lb (gas only)
SARA Section 313 - Emission Reporting	1 % (acid aerosols including mists, vapors, gas, fog, and other airborne forms of any particle size)

## 15.2. International regulations

#### **CANADA**

## Nitrogen (7727-37-9)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

#### Hydrogen Chloride (7647-01-0)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

# **EU-Regulations**

# Nitrogen (7727-37-9)

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

# Hydrogen Chloride (7647-01-0)

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

#### **National regulations**

# 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)

# Hydrogen Chloride (7647-01-0)

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

Listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)

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)

# 15.3. US State regulations

#### 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

### Hydrogen Chloride (7647-01-0)

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**

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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:

H280	Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H331	Toxic if inhaled

### SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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 gas mixture. To the best of Calgaz's knowledge, the information contained herein is reliable and accurate as of this date; however, accruacy, suitability or completeness are not guaranteed and no warranties of any type, either express or implied, are provided. The information contained herein relates only to this specific product. If this gas mixture is combined with other materials, all component properties must be considered. Data may be changed from time to time. Be sure to consult the latest edition.

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