# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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

1.1. Product identifier

Trade name or designation

Propane

of the mixture

Registration number

**Synonyms** None. WC002 SDS number 11-April-2014 Issue date

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

Identified uses Portable fuel. Uses advised against None known.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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number

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

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

The mixture has been assessed and/or tested for its physical, health and environmental hazards and the following classification applies.

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 as amended

**Physical hazards** 

Flammable gases (including chemically

Category 1

H220 - Extremely flammable gas.

unstable gases)

Gases under pressure Liquefied gas H280 - Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

Contents under pressure. Heat may cause the containers to explode. Vapours may cause a flash **Hazard summary** 

fire or ignite explosively. May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation. Not classified for health hazards. However, occupational exposure to the mixture or substance(s) may cause

adverse health effects.

#### 2.2. Label elements

### Label according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 as amended

Hazard pictograms



Signal word Danger

**Hazard statements** 

Extremely flammable gas. H220

Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated. H280

**Precautionary statements** 

Prevention

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking. P210

Keep container tightly closed. P233

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

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Wear respiratory protection. P284

Response

Leaking gas fire: Do not extinguish, unless leak can be stopped safely. P377

Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so. P381

Storage

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

Disposal

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

Supplemental label information

May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation. This mixture does not contain substances 2.3. Other hazards

assessed to be vPvB / PBT according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Annex XIII.

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

#### 3.2. Mixtures

#### **General information**

Chemical name	%	CAS-No. / EC No.	<b>REACH Registration No.</b>	Index No.	Notes
Propane	87.5 - 100	74-98-6 200-827-9	-	601-003-00-5	
Classification:	Flam. Gas 1;H220, Pres	ss. Gas;H280			U
Propylene	0 - 10	115-07-1 204-062-1	-	601-011-00-9	
Classification:	Flam. Gas 1;H220, Pres	ss. Gas;H280			U
Ethane	0 - 7	74-84-0 200-814-8	-	601-002-00-X	
Classification:	Flam. Gas 1;H220, Pres	ss. Gas;H280			U
Butane	0 - 2.5	106-97-8 203-448-7	-	601-004-01-8	
Classification:	Flam. Gas 1;H220, Pres	ss. Gas;H280			C,U

### List of abbreviations and symbols that may be used above

Note C: Some organic substances may be marketed either in a specific isomeric form or as a mixture of several isomers. In this case the supplier must state on the label whether the substance is a specific isomer or a mixture of isomers. Note U (Table 3.1): When put on the market gases have to be classified as "Gases under pressure", in one of the groups compressed gas, liquefied gas, refrigerated liquefied gas or dissolved gas. The group depends on the physical state in which the gas is packaged and therefore has to be assigned case by case.

**Composition comments** 

Gas concentrations are in percent by volume. The full text for all H-statements is displayed in section 16. Contains <0.005% Ethyl mercaptan (CAS 75-08-1) as an odorant.

## **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

**General information** First aid personnel must be aware of own risk during rescue. If you feel unwell, seek medical

advice (show the label where possible).

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Remove from further exposure. For those providing assistance, avoid exposure to yourself or Inhalation

others. Use adequate respiratory protection. If respiratory tract irritation, dizziness, nausea, or unconsciousness occurs, seek immediate medical assistance. If breathing has stopped, assist

ventilation with a mechanical device or use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

Not likely, due to the form of the product. If frostbite occurs, immerse affected area in warm water Skin contact

(not exceeding 105°F/41°C). Keep immersed for 20 to 40 minutes. Get medical attention

immediately.

Not likely, due to the form of the product. If frostbite occurs, immediately flush eyes with plenty of Eye contact

warm water (not exceeding 105°F/41°C) for at least 15 minutes. If easy to do, remove contact

lenses. Get medical attention promptly if symptoms persist or occur after washing

This material is a gas under normal atmospheric conditions and ingestion is unlikely. Ingestion

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and

delayed

Exposure to rapidly expanding gas or vapourizing liquid may cause frostbite ("cold burn"). Very high exposure can cause suffocation from lack of oxygen. Symptoms may include loss of mobility/consciousness. Victim may not be aware of asphyxiation. Asphyxiation may bring about unconsciousness without warning and so rapidly that victim may be unable to protect themself.

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

Exposure may aggravate pre-existing respiratory disorders. Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically.

### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

General fire hazards

Extremely flammable gas. Contents under pressure. Pressurised container may explode when exposed to heat or flame.

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Water fog. Foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Extremely flammable gas. May form explosive mixtures with air. Gas may travel considerable distance to a source of ignition and flash back. During fire, gases hazardous to health may be

forn

5.3. Advice for firefighters Special protective equipment for firefighters

Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Special fire fighting procedures

Do not extinguish fires unless gas flow can be stopped safely; explosive re-ignition may occur. Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. For fires involving this material, do not enter any enclosed or confined fire space without proper protective equipment, including self-contained breathing apparatus. Stop flow of material. Use water to keep fire exposed containers cool and to protect personnel effecting shutoff. If a leak or spill has not ignited, use water spray to disperse the vapors and to protect personnel attempting to stop leak. Prevent runoff from fire control or dilution from entering streams, sewers or drinking water supply.

Specific methods

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials. Cool containers exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out.

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

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

For non-emergency personnel

Evacuate the area promptly. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. In the event of a leak evacuate all personnel until ventilation can restore oxygen concentrations to safe levels. Keep unnecessary personnel away. Eliminate all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ventilate closed spaces before entering

For emergency responders

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Eliminate all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Keep combustibles (wood, paper, oil etc) away from spilled material. Stop leak if you can do so without risk. If possible, turn leaking containers so that gas escapes rather than liquid. Isolate area until gas has dispersed.

6.4. Reference to other sections

For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

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

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking. Do not handle, store or open near an open flame, sources of heat or sources of ignition. Protect material from direct sunlight. Do not smoke. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Do not breathe gas. Avoid prolonged exposure. Do not enter storage areas or confined spaces unless adequately ventilated. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Oxygen concentration should not fall below 19.5 % at sea level (pO2 = 135 mmHg). Mechanical ventilation or local exhaust ventilation may be required. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Do not store, incinerate, or heat this material above 120 degrees Fahrenheit. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. This material can accumulate static charge which may cause spark and become an ignition source. Prevent electrostatic charge build-up by using common bonding and grounding techniques. Store in a cool, dry place out of direct sunlight. Cylinders should be stored upright, with valve protection cap in place, and firmly secured to prevent falling or being knocked over. Protect cylinders from damage. Stored containers should be periodically checked for general condition and leakage. Store in original tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Portable fuel.

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

#### 8.1. Control parameters

### Occupational exposure limits

### **UK. EH40 Workplace Exposure Limits (WELs)**

Components	Туре	Value	
Butane (CAS 106-97-8)	STEL	1810 mg/m3	
		750 ppm	
	TWA	1450 mg/m3	
		600 ppm	

Biological limit values No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Recommended monitoring

procedures

Follow standard monitoring procedures.

Derived no effect levels

(DNELs)

Not available.

Predicted no effect concentrations (PNECs)

Not available.

**Exposure guidelines** Follow standard monitoring procedures. **Control banding approach** Follow standard monitoring procedures.

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering

controls

Provide adequate ventilation and minimize the risk of inhalation of gas. Use process enclosures,

local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels below

recommended exposure limits.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**General information** Use personal protective equipment as required. Personal protection equipment should be chosen

according to the CEN standards and in discussion with the supplier of the personal protective

equipment.

**Eye/face protection** Wear approved safety glasses or goggles. Face shield is recommended.

Skin protection

- Hand protection Regular work gloves.

- Other Wear protective clothing appropriate for the risk of exposure.

**Respiratory protection** If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure

limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not

been established), an approved respirator must be worn.

**Thermal hazards** Contact with liquefied gas might cause frostbites, in some cases with tissue damage. Wear

appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

**Hygiene measures** Do not eat, drink or smoke when using the product. Wash thoroughly after handling. Provide

eyewash station and safety shower. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety

practices.

**Environmental exposure** 

controls

Environmental manager must be informed of all major releases.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** 

Physical state Gas (Liquefied).

Form Compressed liquefied gas.

Colour Colourless.

Odour Rotten egg.

Odour threshold Not available.

pH Not applicable.

Melting point/freezing point -188 °C (-306.4 °F)

Initial boiling point and boiling

range

-42 °C (-43.6 °F) 14.7 psia

Flash point -104.0 °C (-155.2 °F)

**Evaporation rate** Not applicable.

Flammability (solid, gas) Extremely flammable gas.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Explosive limit - lower (%) 2.15 %

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Explosive limit - upper

(%)

Vapour pressure 127 psig (21°C / 70°F)

Vapour density Not available.

Relative density 0.504 (liquid)

1.5 (vapour) (air=1) @ 15°C / 60°F

**Solubility(ies)** Slightly soluble in water.

Partition coefficient

(n-octanol/water)

1.77

9.6 %

Auto-ignition temperature 432 °C (809.6 °F)

Decomposition temperature Not available.

Viscosity Not applicable.

Explosive properties Not explosive.

Oxidising properties Not oxidising.

9.2. Other information

Molecular weight 45 g/mol Percent volatile 100 %

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

**10.1. Reactivity** Reacts violently with strong oxidants, nitrites, inorganic chlorides, chlorites and perchlorates

causing fire and explosion hazard.

**10.2. Chemical stability**Stable under normal temperature conditions and recommended use.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous

reactions

Polymerization will not occur. May form explosive mixture with air. This product may react with

oxidizing agents.

**10.4. Conditions to avoid** Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Avoid temperatures exceeding the

flash point. Contact with incompatible materials.

Strong oxidising agents. Halogens. Nitrates.

10.5. Incompatible materials

10.6. Hazardous

Thermal decomposition of this product can generate carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

decomposition products Hydrocarbons.

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

**General information** Occupational exposure to the substance or mixture may cause adverse effects.

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation High concentrations: Suffocation (asphyxiant) hazard - if allowed to accumulate to concentrations

that reduce oxygen below safe breathing levels. Breathing of high concentrations may cause dizziness, light-headedness, headache, nausea and loss of co-ordination. Continued inhalation

may result in unconsciousness.

Skin contact Contact with liquefied gas may cause frostbite.

Eye contact Contact with liquefied gas may cause frostbite.

**Ingestion** This material is a gas under normal atmospheric conditions and ingestion is unlikely.

Symptoms Exposure to rapidly expanding gas or vapourizing liquid may cause frostbite ("cold burn"). Very

high exposure can cause suffocation from lack of oxygen. Symptoms may include loss of mobility/consciousness. Victim may not be aware of asphyxiation. Asphyxiation may bring about unconsciousness without warning and so rapidly that victim may be unable to protect themself.

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity Not expected to be acutely toxic.

Components Species Test Results

Propane (CAS 74-98-6)

**Acute** 

Inhalation

Gas

LC50 Rat > 80000 ppm, 15 Minutes

Propylene (CAS 115-07-1)

Acute Inhalation

Gas

LC50 Rat > 65000 ppm, 4 Hours

**Skin corrosion/irritation**Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Respiratory sensitisation Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.

Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible. Skin sensitisation

Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible. Germ cell mutagenicity

Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible. Carcinogenicity

Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible. Reproductive toxicity

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.

**Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Mixture versus substance

information

No information available.

Other information Exposure over a long period of time may cause central nervous system effects.

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

12.1. Toxicity The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment.

12.2. Persistence and

degradability

Not relevant, due to the form of the product.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential Not relevant, due to the form of the product.

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log Kow)

Propylene (CAS 115-07-1) 1.77

**Bioconcentration factor (BCF)** Not available.

12.4. Mobility in soil Not relevant, due to the form of the product.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB

assessment

This mixture does not contain substances assessed to be vPvB / PBT according to Regulation

(EC) No 1907/2006, Annex XIII.

12.6. Other adverse effects The product contains volatile organic compounds which have a photochemical ozone creation

potential.

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Residual waste Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Contaminated packaging Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

16 05 04\* EU waste code

> The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company. The Waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the

producer and the waste disposal company.

Disposal methods/information Use the container until empty. Do not dispose of any non-empty container. Empty containers have

residual vapor that is flammable and explosive. Cylinders should be emptied and returned to a hazardous waste collection point. Do not puncture or incinerate even when empty. Dispose in

accordance with all applicable regulations.

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Special precautions

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

**ADR** 

14.1. UN number UN1075

14.2. UN proper shipping PETROLEUM GASES, LIQUEFIED

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

2 1 Class Subsidiary risk 2.1 Label(s) 23 Hazard No. (ADR) **Tunnel restriction code** 

14.4. Packing group Not applicable.

14.5. Environmental hazards No.

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Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling. 14.6. Special precautions

for user

RID

14.1. UN number UN1075

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14.2. UN proper shipping PETROLEUM GASES, LIQUEFIED

name

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Class 2.1 Subsidiary risk -

Label(s) 2.1 (+13) 14.4. Packing group Not applicable.

14.5. Environmental hazards No.

**14.6. Special precautions** Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

for user

**ADN** 

**14.1. UN number** UN1075

14.2. UN proper shipping PETROLEUM GASES, LIQUEFIED

name

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)
Class 2.1
Subsidiary risk -

Subsidiary risk - Label(s) 2.1

**14.4. Packing group** Not applicable.

14.5. Environmental hazards No.

**14.6. Special precautions** Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

for user

IATA

**14.1. UN number** UN1075

**14.2. UN proper shipping** Petroleum gases, liquefied

name

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Class 2.1 Subsidiary risk -Label(s) 2.1

**14.4. Packing group** Not applicable.

**14.5. Environmental hazards** No **ERG Code** 10L

14.6. Special precautions

for user

Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

IMDG

**14.1. UN number** UN1075

14.2. UN proper shipping PETROLEUM GASES, LIQUEFIED

name

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)
Class 2.1

Subsidiary risk -

**14.4. Packing group** Not applicable.

14.5. Environmental hazards

Marine pollutant

No

EmS

F-D, S-U

**14.6. Special precautions** Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

for user

**14.7. Transport in bulk** Not applicable.

according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC

Code

### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

### **EU** regulations

Regulation (EC) No. 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer, Annex I and II, as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 850/2004 On persistent organic pollutants, Annex I as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EU) No. 649/2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, Part 1 as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EU) No. 649/2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, Part 2 as amended

Regulation (EU) No. 649/2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, Part 3 as amended

Not listed

Regulation (EU) No. 649/2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex V as amended Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 166/2006 Annex II Pollutant Release and Transfer Registry, as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Article 59(10) Candidate List as currently published by ECHA Not listed.

#### **Authorisations**

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Annex XIV Substances subject to authorization, as amended Not listed.

#### Restrictions on use

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Annex XVII Substances subject to restriction on marketing and use as amended

Not listed

Directive 2004/37/EC: on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to carcinogens and mutagens at work, as amended.

Not listed.

#### Other EU regulations

Directive 2012/18/EU on major accident hazards involving dangerous substances, as amended

Not listed.

Other regulations The product is classified and labelled in accordance with Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 (CLP

Regulation) as amended. This Safety Data Sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation

(EC) No 1907/2006, as amended.

National regulations Young people under 18 years old are not allowed to work with this product according to EU

Directive 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work, as amended.

15.2. Chemical safety

assessment

No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out.

#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

List of abbreviations

STEL: Short term exposure limit. TWA: Time weighted average.

RID: Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail.

**References** Workplace Threshold Quantities of Hazardous Chemicals

Information on evaluation method leading to the classification of mixture

The classification for health and environmental hazards is derived by a combination of calculation

methods and test data, if available.

Full text of any H-statements not written out in full under

Sections 2 to 15

H220 Extremely flammable gas.

H280 Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

**Training information** 

Follow training instructions when handling this material.

All information in this Safety Data Sheet is believed to be accurate and reliable. However, no guarantee or warranty of any kind is made with regard to the accuracy of information or the suitability of the recommendations contained herein. It is the user's responsibility to assess the safety and toxicity of this product under their own conditions of use and to comply with all

applicable laws and regulations.