



# Safety data sheet Carbon dioxide.

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

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name

Carbon dioxide.

EC No (from EINECS): 204-696-9

CAS No: 124-38-9

Index-Nr.

Chemical formula CO2

**REACH Registration number:** 

Listed in Annex IV/V of Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), exempted from registration.

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

Relevant identified uses

Industrial and professional. Perform risk assessment prior to use.

Uses advised against

Consumer use.

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

Company identification

Linde AG, Linde Gas Division, Seitnerstraße 70, D-82049 Pullach

E-Mail Address Info@de.linde-gas.com

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency phone numbers (24h): 089-7446-0

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

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

Classification acc. to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008/EC (CLP/GHS) Press. Gas (Compressed gas) - Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

#### Classification acc. to Directive 67/548/EEC & 1999/45/EC

Not classified as hazardous to health.

Risk advice to man and the environment

Liquefied gas.

#### 2.2. Label elements

- Labelling Pictograms



- Signal word

Warning

#### - Hazard Statements

H280

Contains gas under pressure; may explode if

EIGA-As Asphyxiant in high concentrations.

## - Precautionary Statements

**Precautionary Statement Prevention** 

**Precautionary Statement Response** 

Precautionary Statement Storage

Store in a well-ventilated place.

Precautionary Statement Disposal

#### 2.3 Other hazards

Contact with liquid may cause cold burns/frost bite.

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

Substance / Mixture: Substance.

#### 3.1. Substances

Carbon dioxide CAS No: 124-38-9 Index-Nr.: -

EC No (from EINECS): 204-696-9 REACH Registration number:

Listed in Annex IV/V of Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), exempted from registration.

Contains no other components or impurities which will influence the classification of the product.

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

## 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### First Aid General Information:

Remove victim to uncontaminated area wearing self contained breathing apparatus. Keep victim warm and rested. Call a doctor. Apply artificial respiration if breathing stopped.

#### First Aid Inhalation:

Remove victim to uncontaminated area wearing self contained breathing apparatus. Keep victim warm and rested. Call a doctor. Apply artificial respiration if breathing stopped.

#### First Aid Skin / Eye:

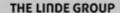
In case of frostbite spray with water for at least 15 minutes. Apply a sterile dressing. Obtain medical assistance. Immediately flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes.

#### First Aid Ingestion:

Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

#### 4.2. 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. Low concentrations of CO2 cause increased respiration and headache.





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

None

#### **SECTION 5: Fire fighting measures**

# 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

All known extinguishants can be used.

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

Exposure to fire may cause containers to rupture/explode. Non flammable.

Hazardous combustion products

None.

#### 5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

#### Specific methods

If possible, stop flow of product. Move container away or cool with water from a protected position.

### Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Normal firefighters' equipment consists of an appropriate SCBA (opencircuit positive pressure compressed air type) in combination with fire kit. Equipment and clothing to the following standards will provide a suitable level of protection for firefighters.

#### Guideline:

EN 469:2005: Protective clothing for firefighters. Performance requirements for protective clothing for firefighting., EN 15090 Footwear for firefighters., EN 443 Helmets for fire fighting in buildings and other structures., EN 659 Protective gloves for firefighters., EN 137 Respiratory protective devices — Self-contained open-circuit compressed air breathing apparatus with full face mask — Requirements, testing, marking.

#### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

# 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Evacuate area. Ensure adequate air ventilation. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus when entering area unless atmosphere is proved to be safe. Prevent from entering sewers, basements and workpits, or any place where its accumulation can be dangerous. EN 137 Respiratory protective devices — Self-contained open-circuit compressed air breathing apparatus with full face mask — Requirements, testing, marking.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Try to stop release.

# **6.3.** Methods and material for containment and cleaning up Ventilate area.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See also sections 8 and 13.

#### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Suck back of water into the container must be prevented. Do not allow backfeed into the container. Use only properly specified equipment which is suitable for this product, its supply pressure and temperature. Contact your gas supplier if in doubt. Check regularly tightness of the plant. Refer to supplier's handling instructions. The substance must be handled in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Purge system with dry inert gas (e.g. helium or nitrogen) before gas is introduced and when system is placed out of service. Do not smoke while handling product. Only experienced and properly instructed persons should handle gases under pressure. Protect containers from physical damage; do not drag, roll, slide or drop. Never use direct flame or electrical heating devices to raise the pressure of a container. Do not remove or deface labels provided by the supplier for the identification of the container contents. When moving containers, even for short distances, use appropriate equipment eg. trolley, hand truck, fork truck etc. Leave valve protection caps in place until the container has been secured against either a wall or bench or placed in a container stand and is ready for use. Ensure the complete gas system has been (or is regularly) checked for leaks before use. If user experiences any difficulty operating container valve discontinue use and contact supplier. Close container valve after each use and when empty, even if still connected to equipment. Never attempt to repair or modify container valves or safety relief devices. Damaged valves should be reported immediately to the supplier. Replace valve outlet caps or plugs and container caps where supplied as soon as container is disconnected from equipment. Keep container valve outlets clean and free from contaminates particularly oil and water. Never attempt to transfer gases from one container to another. Avoid suckback of water, acid and alkalis.

# 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Secure cylinders to prevent them from falling. Keep container below 50°C in a well ventilated place. Observe all regulations and local requirements regarding storage of containers. Containers should not be stored in conditions likely to encourage corrosion. Cylinders should be stored in the vertical position and properly secured to prevent falling over. Stored containers should be periodically checked for general conditions and leakage. Container valve guards or caps should be in place. Store containers in location free from fire risk and away from sources of heat and ignition. Keep away from combustible materials. Observe "Technische Regeln Druckgase (TRG) 280 Ziffer 5"

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

None.

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

### 8.1. Control parameters

Exposure limit value

 Value type
 value
 Note

 Germany - AGW
 5.000 ppm
 TRGS 900

 TLV (ACGIH)
 5.000 ppm
 2011

## 8.2. Exposure controls

## Appropriate engineering controls

Product to be handled in a closed system. Gas detectors should be used when toxic quantities may be released. Keep concentrations well below occupational exposure limits. Oxygen detectors should be used when asphyxiating gases may be released. The substance must be handled in

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accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Consider work permit system e.g. for maintenance activities. Systems under pressure should be regularly checked for leakages. Provide adequate general or local ventilation.

#### Personal protective equipment

#### Eye and face protection

Safety eyewear, goggles or face-shield to EN166 should be used to avoid exposure to liquid splashes.

# Skin protection Hand protection

Advice: Wear working gloves and safety shoes while handling containers.

#### Other protection

Wear working gloves and safety shoes while handling containers. EN ISO 20345 Personal protective equipment - Safety footwear.

#### Respiratory protection

Not required

#### Thermal hazards

Not required

#### **Environmental Exposure Controls**

Specific risk management measures are not required beyond good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Refer to local regulations for restriction of emissions to the atmosphere. See section 13 for specific methods for waste gas treatment.

#### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General information

Appearance/Colour: Colourless gas. Odour: No odour warning properties.

Melting point: -56,6 °C Boiling point: -78,5 °C

Flash point: Not applicable for gases and gas mixtures.

Flammability range: Non flammable. Vapour Pressure 20 °C: 57,3 bar Relative density, gas (Air=1): 1,52 Solubility in water: 2000 mg/l

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: 0,83 logPow

Autoignition temperature: Not applicable.

Explosive properties:

Explosive acc. EU legislation: Not explosive. Explosive acc. transp. reg.: Not explosive. Oxidising properties: Not applicable. Molecular weight: 44 g/mol Sublimation point: -78,5 °C

Critical temperature: 31 °C

Relative density, liquid (Water=1): 1,03

#### 9.2. Other information

Gas/vapour heavier than air. May accumulate in confined spaces, particularly at or below ground level.

# SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

# 10.1. Reactivity

Unreactive under normal conditions.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

For material compatibility see latest version of ISO-11114.

#### 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

#### General

In high concentrations may cause rapid circulatory insufficiency even at normal levels of oxygen concentration . Symptoms are headache, nausea and vomiting, which may lead to unconsciousness and even death.

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

#### 12.1. Toxicity

Not applicable.

## 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Not applicable.

## 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Not applicable.

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

The substance is a gas, not applicable.

#### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Not classified as PBT or vPvB.

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

When discharged in large quantities may contribute to the greenhouse effect

#### Global Warming Potential GWP

# SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Do not discharge into any place where its accumulation could be dangerous. Contact supplier if guidance is required. Vent to atmosphere in a well ventilated place. Discharge to atmosphere in large quantities should be avoided. Consult supplier for specific recommendations. Refer

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to the EIGA code of practice (Doc.30 "Disposal of Gases", downloadable at http://www.eiga.org) for more guidance on suitable disposal methods. Gases in pressure containers excluding those, which are mentioned under 16 05 04

EWC Nr. 16 05 05

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

ADR/RID

14.1. UN number

1013

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Carbon dioxide

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Class: 2

Classification Code: 2A Labels: 2.2

Hazard number: 20

Tunnel restriction code: (C/E)

#### 14.4. Packing group (Packing Instruction)

P200

14.5. Environmental hazards

None.

14.6. Special precautions for user

None

IMDG

14.1. UN number

1013

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Carbon dioxide

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Class: 2.2 Labels: 2.2 EmS: F-C, S-V

14.4. Packing group (Packing Instruction)

P200

14.5. Environmental hazards

None

14.6. Special precautions for user

None

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable.

IATA

14.1. UN number

1013

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Carbon dioxide

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Class: 2.2 Labels: 2.2

14.4. Packing group (Packing Instruction)

P200

14.5. Environmental hazards

None.

14.6. Special precautions for user

None.

Other transport information

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 that they are firmly secured. Ensure that the container valve is closed and not leaking. Ensure that the valve outlet cap nut or plug (where provided) is correctly fitted. Ensure that the valve protection device (where provided) is correctly fitted. Ensure adequate ventilation. Ensure compliance with applicable regulations.

# SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

Seveso Directive 96/82/EC: Not covered.

Other regulations

Council Directive 89/391/EEC on the introduction of measures to encourage improvements in the safety and health of workers at work Directive 94/9/EC on equipment and protective systems intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres (ATEX)

Directive 89/686/EEC on personal protective equipment

Council Directive 67/548/EEC on the approximation of laws, regulations and administrative provisions relating to the classification, packaging and labelling of dangerous substances

Directive 1999/45/EC concerning the approximation of the laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to the classification, packaging and labelling of dangerous preparations

Directive 97/23/EC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States concerning pressure equipment.

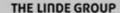
Water pollution class

Not polluting to waters according to VwVwS from 27.07.2005.

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A CSA does not need to be carried out for this product.

SECTION 16: Other information





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Ensure all national/local regulations are observed. The hazard of asphyxiation is often overlooked and must be stressed during operator training. Before using this product in any new process or experiment, a thorough material compatibility and safety study should be carried out.

#### Advice

Whilst proper care has been taken in the preparation of this document, no liability for injury or damage resulting from its use can be accepted. Details given in this document are believed to be correct at the time of going to

#### Further information

#### References

Various sources of data have been used in the compilation of this SDS, they include but are not exclusive to:

European Chemical Agency: Information on Registered Substances http://apps.echa.europa.eu/registered/registered-sub.aspx#search European Chemical Agency: Guidance on the Compilation of Safety Data

European Industrial Gases Association (EIGA) Doc. 169/11 Classification and Labelling guide.

ISO 10156:2010 Gases and gas mixtures -- Determination of fire potential and oxidizing ability for the selection of cylinder valve outlets.

Matheson Gas Data Book, 7th Edition.

National Institute for Standards and Technology (NIST) Standard Reference Database Number 69

The ESIS (European chemical Substances 5 Information System) platform of the former European Chemicals Bureau (ECB) (http://ecb.jrc.ec.europa.eu/esis/).

The European Chemical Industry Council (CEFIC) ERICards.

United States of America's National Library of Medicine's toxicology data network TOXNET (http://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov/index.html)

International Programme on Chemical Safety (http://www.inchem.org/) Substance specific information from suppliers.

#### Linde safety advice

No. 3 Oxygen deficiency

No. 7 Safe handling of gas cylinders and cylinder bundles

No. 11 Transport of gas receptacles in vehicles

Handling of carbon dioxide CO2 No. 12

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