

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

# 1263

Product Name LESS THAN 100 PPM (MOISTURE), BALANCE OXYGEN

# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

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Synonym(s) 1263 - SDS NUMBER • PRODUCT CODE: 292 • SPECIAL GAS MIXTURE

Use(s) CALIBRATION • INDUSTRIAL APPLICATIONS

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### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO SAFE WORK AUSTRALIA CRITERIA

**Risk Phrases** 

R8 Contact with combustible material may cause fire.

**Safety Phrases** 

S2 Keep out of reach of children.

S17 Keep away from combustible material.

### CLASSIFIED AS A DANGEROUS GOOD BY THE CRITERIA OF THE ADG CODE

UN Number3156Transport Hazard Classes2.2, 5.1Packing GroupNone AllocatedHazchem Code2S

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredient	Identification	Classification	Content (v/v)
OXYGEN	CAS: 7782-44-7 EC: 231-956-9	O;R8	Remainder
MOISTURE	Not Available	Not Available	<0.01%

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Eye** Adverse effects not expected from this product.

Inhalation If inhaled, remove from contaminated area. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing. For advice,

contact a Poison Information Centre on 13 11 26 (Australia Wide) or a doctor.

**Skin** Adverse effects not expected from this product.

**Ingestion** Due to product form and application, ingestion is considered unlikely.

Advice to doctor Treatment for hyperoxia.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES



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Flammability Non flammable - oxidising agent. Supports combustion and may cause fire/explosion in contact with

incompatible substances, strong acids, reducing agents, combustibles and flammables. Materials

which burn in air, will burn more vigorously in oxygen enriched atmospheres.

Fire and explosion Temperatures in a fire may cause cylinders to rupture and internal pressure relief devices to be

activated. Cool cylinders or containers exposed to fire by applying water from a protected location. Do not approach cylinders or containers suspected of being hot. Remove cool cylinders from the path of the fire if safe to do so. Ensure working area is well ventilated before re-use. Notify the manufacturer that you will be returning a faulty cylinder. Residual product will be disposed of when

the cylinder is returned.

**Extinguishing** Use water fog to cool containers from protected area.

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Water Fog (or fine water spray if fog unavailable)

S Self Contained Breathing apparatus and protective gloves.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions If the cylinder is leaking, evacuate area of personnel. Inform manufacturer/supplier of leak. Use

personal protective equipment as detailed in Section 8 of the SDS.

Environmental precautions Prevent from entering sewers, basements and workpits, or any place where its accumulation can be

dangerous.

Methods of cleaning up Carefully move material to a well ventilated remote area, then allow to discharge if safe to do so. Do

not attempt to repair leaking valve or cylinder safety devices.

**References** See Sections 8 and 13 for exposure controls and disposal.

### 7. STORAGE AND HANDLING

Storage Do not store near sources of ignition or incompatible materials. Cylinders should be stored below

45°C in a secure area, upright and restrained to prevent cylinders from falling. Cylinders should also be stored in a dry, well ventilated area constructed of non-combustible material with firm level floor

(preferably concrete), away from areas of heavy traffic and emergency exits.

Handling Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid inhalation. Do not drag, drop, slide or roll

cylinders. The uncontrolled release of a gas under pressure may cause physical harm. Use a

suitable hand truck for cylinder movement.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Exposure standards** No exposure standard(s) allocated.

Biological limits No biological limit allocated.

**Engineering controls**No special precautions are normally required when handling this product.

**PPE** 

Eye / FaceWear safety glasses.HandsWear leather gloves.BodyWear safety boots.

**Respiratory** Not required under normal conditions of use.







#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

AppearanceCOLOURLESS GASOdourODOURLESSFlammabilityNON FLAMMABLEFlash pointNOT RELEVANT

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**Boiling point** -183°C (Oxygen) **Melting point NOT AVAILABLE Evaporation rate NOT APPLICABLE** NOT APPLICABLE pН Vapour density 1.105 (Oxygen) (Air = 1) Specific gravity **NOT APPLICABLE** Solubility (water) 0.032 cm<sup>3</sup>/cm<sup>3</sup> (Oxygen) Vapour pressure NOT AVAILABLE Upper explosion limit NOT RELEVANT Lower explosion limit NOT RELEVANT Partition coefficient NOT AVAILABLE **Autoignition temperature** NOT AVAILABLE **Decomposition temperature NOT AVAILABLE Viscosity** NOT AVAILABLE **Explosive properties** NOT AVAILABLE Oxidising properties **OXIDISING GAS** 

Odour threshold NOT AVAILABLE
Critical temperature -118.6°C (Oxygen)
Cylinder pressure (when full) 13,000 kPa @ 15°C

% Volatiles 100 %

Critical pressure 5,043 kPa (Oxygen)

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Chemical stability** Stable under recommended conditions of storage.

**Conditions to avoid** Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources.

Material to avoid Combustible materials such as oil and grease can spontaneously ignite at low temperatures in

oxygen enriched atmospheres. Materials which burn in air, will burn more vigorously in oxygen

enriched atmospheres.

**Hazardous Decomposition** 

**Products** 

This material will not decompose to form hazardous products other than that already present.

Hazardous Reactions Polymerization will not occur.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Health Hazard**Non irritant - non toxic gas. The respiratory and central nervous systems are primarily affected by gaseous oxygen. No health effects have been observed in humans exposed to concentrations up to

80% oxygen for a few hours or up to 50% for 24 hours. At pressures above 1 atmosphere hyperoxia may appear after 2 to 6 hours. Chronic exposure at normal or elevated pressure may result in severe

thickening and scarring of lung tissues. Not carcinogenic or mutagenic.

Eye Non irritant.

coughing spasms will occur. Other symptoms of hyperoxia include cramps, nausea, dizziness, hypothermia, amblyopia (loss of vision), bradycardia, fainting spells and convulsions capable of

causing death.

Skin Non irritant.

**Ingestion** Ingestion is considered unlikely due to product form.

**Toxicity data** No LD50 data available for this product.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Toxicity** No ecological damage caused by this product.

**Persistence and degradability** No information provided.

**Bioaccumulative potential** No information provided.

Mobility in soil No information provided.

Other adverse effects No information provided.



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### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste disposal Cylinders should be returned to the manufacturer or supplier for disposal of contents.

Legislation Dispose of in accordance with relevant local legislation.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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	LAND TRANSPORT (ADG)	SEA TRANSPORT (IMDG / IMO)	AIR TRANSPORT (IATA / ICAO)
UN Number	3156	3156	3156
Proper Shipping Name	COMPRESSED GAS, OXIDIZING, N.O.S. (CONTAINS OXYGEN)	COMPRESSED GAS, OXIDIZING, N.O.S. (CONTAINS OXYGEN)	COMPRESSED GAS, OXIDIZING, N.O.S. (CONTAINS OXYGEN)
Transport Hazard Classes	2.2, 5.1	2.2, 5.1	2.2, 5.1
Packing Group	None Allocated	None Allocated	None Allocated

**Environmental hazards** 

No information provided

Special precautions for user

Hazchem code **2S GTEPG** 2B1 F-C, S-W **EMS** 

Other information

Ensure cylinder is separated from driver and foodstuffs. Refer to Commonwealth, State and Territory Dangerous Goods Legislation which contain requirements which affect gas storage and transport.

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Poison schedule

A poison schedule number has not been allocated to this product using the criteria in the Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP).

Inventory Listing(s)

**AUSTRALIA: AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)** 

All components are listed on AICS, or are exempt.

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Additional information

The storage of significant quantities of gas cylinders must comply with AS4332 The storage and handling of gases in cylinders.

#### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT GUIDELINES:

The recommendation for protective equipment contained within this report is provided as a guide only. Factors such as method of application, working environment, quantity used, product concentration and the availability of engineering controls should be considered before final selection of personal protective equipment is made.

### HEALTH EFFECTS FROM EXPOSURE:

It should be noted that the effects from exposure to this product will depend on several factors including: frequency and duration of use; quantity used; effectiveness of control measures; protective equipment used and method of application. Given that it is impractical to prepare a ChemAlert report which would encompass all possible scenarios, it is anticipated that users will assess the risks and apply control methods where appropriate.

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Abbreviations ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CAS # Chemical Abstract Service number - used to uniquely identify chemical compounds

CNS Central Nervous System

EC No. EC No - European Community Number

GHS Globally Harmonized System

IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer

LC50 Lethal Concentration, 50% / Median Lethal Concentration

LD50 Lethal Dose, 50% / Median Lethal Dose

mg/m³ Milligrams per Cubic Metre
OEL Occupational Exposure Limit
PEL Permissible Exposure Limit

pH relates to hydrogen ion concentration using a scale of 0 (high acidic) to 14 (highly

alkaline).

ppm Parts Per Million

REACH Regulation on Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals

STEL Short-Term Exposure Limit

STOT-RE Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)
STOT-SE Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

SUSMP Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

SWA Safe Work Australia
TLV Threshold Limit Value
TWA Time Weighted Average

#### **Revision history**

Revision	Description
3.0	Standard SDS Review.
2.0	Standard SDS Review.
1.0	Initial SDS creation

### Report status

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