

NATIONAL WELDERS SUPPLY CO INC -- NITROGEN -- 6830-00-782-2643

===== Product Identification =====

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===== Composition

/Information on Ingredients =====

Ingred Name:NITROGEN

CAS:7727-37-9

RTECS #:QW9700000

Fraction by Wt: 100%

Other REC Limits:NONE SPECIFIED

ACGIH TLV:ASPHYXIAN; 9192

===== Hazards Identification =====

LD50 LC50 Mixture:NOT SPECIFIED BY MANUFACTURER.

Routes of Entry: Inhalation:YES Skin:NO Ingestion:NO

Reports of Carcinogenicity:NTP:NO IARC:NO OSHA:NO

Health Hazards Acute and Chronic:NITROGEN IS DEFINED AS A SIMPLE
ASPHYXIAN. NITROGEN IS NO

N-TOXIC BUT THE LIBERATION OF LARGE

AMOUNTS IN A CONFINED AREA COULD DISPLACE THE AMOUNT OF OXYGEN IN
AIR NECESSARY TO SUPPORT LIFE. OXYGEN LEVELS SHOULD BE MAINTAINED
AT >18 MOLAR PERCENT AT NORMAL ATMOSPHERIC PRESSURE WHICH IS
EQUIVALENT TO 135 MM HG PART.PRES

Explanation of Carcinogenicity:NITROGEN IS NOT CLASSIFIED AS A
CARCINOGEN BY NTP, IARC OR OSHA.

Effects of Overexposure:EFFECTS OF EXPOSURE TO HIGH CONCENTRATIONS
WHICH DISPLACE OXYGEN IN AIR MAY INCLUDE: LOSS OF
BALANCE,

DIZZINESS, TIGHTNESS IN THE FRONTAL AREA OF FOREHEAD, TINGLING OF
TONGUE/FINGERTIPS/TOES, REDUCED CONSCIOUSNESS OF SURROUNDINGS,
LOSS OF TACTILE SENSATIONS, HEIGHTENED MENTAL ACTIVITY, RAPID LOSS
OF ABILITY TO DO TASKS.

Medical Cond Aggravated by Exposure:NONE SPECIFIED BY MANUFACTURER.

===== First Aid Measures =====

First Aid:PROMPT MEDICAL ATTENTION IS MANDATORY IN ALL CASES OF
OVEREXPOSURE TO NITROGEN, RESCUE PERSONNEL SHOULD
BE EQUIPPED WITH

SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS. INHALATION: REMOVE TO FRESH
AIR. QUICK REMOVAL IS MOST IMPORTANT. GIVE MOUTH-TO-MOUTH
RESUSCITATION AND SUPPLEMENTAL OXYGEN. FURTHER TREATMENT SHOULD BE
SYMPTOMATIC AND SUPPORTIVE.

===== Fire Fighting Measures =====

Extinguishing Media:NONFLAMMABLE. INERT GAS.

===== Accidental Release Measures =====

Spill Release Procedures:EVACUATE ALL PERSONNEL FROM AFFECTED

D AREA. USE

APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT. IF LEAK IS IN CONTAINER OR CONTAINER VALVE, CONTACT YOUR CLOSEST SUPPLIER LOCATION OR CALL THE EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER LISTED HEREIN.

Neutralizing Agent:NONE SPECIFIED BY MANUFACTURER.

===== Handling and Storage =====

Handling and Storage Precautions:PROTECT CYLINDERS FROM PHYSICAL DAMAGE. STORE IN COOL, DRY, WELL VENTILATED AREA AWAY FROM HEAVILY TRAFFICKED AREAS AND EMERGENCY EXITS.

Other

Precautions:DO NOT ALLOW TEMPERATURE WHERE CYLINDERS ARE STORED TO EXCEED 130F. CYLINDERS SHOULD BE STORED UPRIGHT AND FIRMLY SECURED TO PREVENT FALLING OR BEING KNOCKED OVER. FULL AND EMPTY CYLINDERS SHOULD BE SEGREGATED.

===== Exposure Controls/Personal Protection =====

Respiratory Protection:POSITIVE PRESSURE AIR LINE WITH MASK OR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS SHOULD BE AVAILABLE FOR EMERGENCY USE.

Ventilation:LOCAL EXHAUST TO PREVENT ACCUMULATION OF HIGH

CONCENTRATIONS SO AS TO REDUCE THE OXYGEN LEVEL IN THE AIR TO < 18 MOLAR

Protective Gloves:ANY MATERIAL

Eye Protection:SAFETY GLASSES OR GOGGLES

Other Protective Equipment:SAFETY SHOES

Work Hygienic Practices:USE ONLY IN WELL VENTILATED AREAS.

Supplemental Safety and Health

VALVE PROTECTION SHOULD REMAIN IN PLACE UNLESS CONTAINER IS SECURED WITH VALVE OUTLET PIPED TO USE POINT. DO NOT DRAG, SLIDE OR ROLL CYLINDERS. USE A SUITABLE HAND TRUCK FOR TRANSPORT. USE A PRESSURE

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REDUCING REGULATOR WHEN CONNECTING CYLINDER TO LOWER PRESSURE. USE A CHECK VALVE OR TRAP TO PREVENT BACKFLOW.

===== Physical/Chemical Properties =====

HCC:G3

NRC/State Lic Num:NONE

Boiling Pt:B.P. Text:-320F,-196C

Melt/Freeze Pt:M.P/F.P Text:-345F,-209C

Vapor Density:0.97

Spec Gravity:0.97

Solubility in Water:VERY SLIGHTLY

Appearance and Odor:COLORLESS, ODORLESS GAS

Percent Volatiles by Volume:100 %

===== Stability and Reactivity Data =====

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Stability Indicator/Materials to Avoid: YES
NONE
Hazardous Decomposition Products: NONE

===== Disposal Considerations =====

Waste Disposal Methods: DO NOT ATTEMPT TO DISPOSE OF WASTE OR UNUSED QUANTITIES. RETURN IN THE SHIPPING CONTAINER, PROPERLY LABELED, WITH ANY VALVE OUTLET PLUGS OR CAPS SECURED AND VALVE PROTECTION CAP IN PLACE TO YOUR SUPPLIER.

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