

GAS CO OF NEW MEXICO -- NATURAL GAS -- 6830-01-318-5797

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Product Identification
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Product ID:NATURAL GAS
MSDS Date:06/09/1986
FSC:6830
NIIN:01-318-5797
MSDS Number: BSDBR
=== Responsible Party ===
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Composition/Information on Ingredients
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Ingred Name:METHANE
CAS:74-82-8
RTECS #:PA1490000
Fraction by Wt: 94.1%
Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED
ACGIH TLV:ASPHYXIAN; 9293

Ingred Name:ETHANE
CAS:74-84-0
RTECS #:KH3800000
Fraction by Wt: 3.1%
Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED
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LV:ASPHYXIAN 9293

Ingred Name:N-BUTANE

CAS:106-97-8

RTECS #:EJ4200000

Fraction by Wt: 0.2%

Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

Ingred Name:PROPANE

CAS:74-98-6

RTECS #:TX2275000

Fraction by Wt: 0.8%

Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

OSHA PEL:1000 PPM

ACGIH TLV:ASPHYXIAN; 9293

Ingred Name:ALKYL MERCAPTANS

Fraction by Wt: 0.01%

Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

Ingred Name:ISO-BUTANE

CAS:75-28-5

RTECS #:TZ4300000

Fraction by Wt: 0.2%

Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

Ingred Name:ISOPENTANE

CAS

:78-78-4

RTECS #:EK4430000

Fraction by Wt: 0.1%

Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

Ingred Name:N-PENTANE (PENTANE)

CAS:109-66-0

RTECS #:RZ9450000

Fraction by Wt: 0.1%

Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

OSHA PEL:120 PPM

Ingred Name:CARBON DIOXIDE

CAS:124-38-9

RTECS #:FF6400000

Fraction by Wt: 3%

Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

OSHA PEL:10000PPM/30000STEL

ACGIH TLV:5000PPM/30000STEL;93

Ingred Name:NITROGEN

CAS:7727-37-9

RTECS #:QW9700000

Fraction by Wt: 2%

Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

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

Routes of Entry: Inhalation:YES Skin:NO Ingestion:NO
Reports of Carcinogenicity:NTP:NO IARC:NO OSHA:NO
Health Hazards Acute and Chronic:ACUTE: INHALATION IS THE MAJOR AND
POSSIBLY ONLY ROUTE OF ENTRY INTO THE BODY. IT IS CONSIDERED A
SIMPLE ASPHYXIAN. SKIN CONTACT WITH LIQUID MAY CAUSE FREEZE
BURNS. CHRONIC: NONE SPECIFIED BY MANUFACTURER.
Explanation of Carcinogenicity:NO INGREDIENT
OF A CONCENTRATION OF 0.1%
OR GREATER IS LISTED AS A CARCINOGEN OR SUSPECTED CARCINOGEN.
Effects of Overexposure:DIZZINESS, CYANOSIS, DIMINISHED MENTAL
CAPACITY, COLLAPSE, LOSS OF CONSCIOUSNESS, AND/OR DEATH. CONTACT
WITH LIQUID CAN PRODUCE FREEZE BURNS.
Medical Cond Aggravated by Exposure:NONE SPECIFIED BY MANUFACTURER.

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

First Aid:INHALATION: REMOVE TO FRESH AIR. QUICKLY RESTORE AND/OR
SUPPORT BREATHING AS REQUIRED;
GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION IMMEDIATELY. ADMINISTER OXYGEN IF AVAILABLE.
SKIN: WARM INJURED AREA; TREAT AS FROSTBITE. GET IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION.

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

Flash Point:-306F,-188C
Lower Limits:3.6%
Upper Limits:17%
Extinguishing Media:CARBON DIOXIDE OR DRY CHEMICAL. STOP FLOW OF GAS
BEFORE EXTINGUISHING.
Fire Fighting Procedures:WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS AND
FULL PROTECTIVE GEAR. USE WATER SPRAY TO COOL FIRE EXPOSED
CONTAINERS AND SURROUNDINGS.
Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazard:EXTREMELY FLAMMABLE AND READILY FORMS
EXPLOSIVE MIXTURES WITH AIR. IN PRESENCE OF CATALYST OR SOURCES OF
IGNITION, VIOLENT OR EXPLOSIVE REACTIONS W/OXIDIZERS.

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

Spill Release Procedures:NOTIFY SAFETY PERSONNEL; EVACUATE AREA.
VENTILATE AREA. ELIMINATE ALL SOURCES OF IGNITION. SHUT OFF LEAK.
TEST ATMOSPHERE PRIOR TO ENTRY. CHECK

FOR LEAKS USING SOAPY WATER.

WEAR PROPER RESPIRATORY PROTECTION.

Neutralizing Agent:NONE SPECIFIED BY MANUFACTURER.

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

Handling and Storage Precautions:GROUND ALL LINES AND EQUIPMENT USED AROUND OR ON NATURAL GAS TO PREVENT SPARKS. USE NON-SPARKING TOOLS. NO SMOKING.

Other Precautions:19% OXYGEN CONTENT REQUIRED FOR OPERATIONS WITHOUT SCBA; USE OF SCBA REQUIRED IF BELOW 19% OXYGEN CONTENT.

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

Respiratory Protection:USE USE NIOSH/MSHA APPROVED SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS IF OXYGEN CONTENT BELOW 19%. USE IN ACCORDANCE WITH 29 CFR 1910.134.

Ventilation:PROVIDE ADEQUATE DILUTION VENTILATION TO PREVENT AIR CONCENTRATIONS FROM REACHING 25% OF LEL OR THE TLV.

Protective Gloves:RUBBER, NEOPRENE

Eye Protection:FACE SHIELD

Other Protective Equipment:OVERALLS OR SIMILAR CLOTHES TO PREVENT CONTACT OF LIQUID WITH SKIN.

Work Hy

gienic Practices:NONE SPECIFIED BY MANUFACTURER.

Supplemental Safety and Health

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

HCC:G2

Boiling Pt:B.P. Text:-184F,-120C

Melt/Freeze Pt:M.P/F.P Text:-182F,-119C

Vapor Density:0.6(AIR=1)

Spec Gravity:0.55 (AIR=1)

Appearance and Odor:COLORLESS, ODORLESS GAS UNLESS MERCAPTAN ADDED; THEN SMELLS OF ROTTEN CABBAGE

Percent Volatiles by Volume:98.9

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

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icator/Materials to Avoid: YES
OXIDIZERS, AIR, HALOGENS

Stability Condition to Avoid: EXPOSURE TO HEAT, FLAME, OXIDIZERS,
HALOGENS AND AIR.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: BROMINE PENTAFLUORIDE, CHLORINE,
CHLORINE DIOXIDE, NITROGEN TRIFLUORIDE, OXYGEN DIFLUORIDE, LIQUID
OXYGEN.

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

Waste Disposal Methods: DISPOSE OF IN ACCORDANCE WITH LOCAL, STATE AND
FEDERAL REGULATIONS.

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