

SAFETY DATA SHEET



Freon™ 134a (HFC-134a) Refrigerant - Propellant

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SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Freon™ 134a (HFC-134a) Refrigerant - Propellant
Product code : D10166837
SDS-Identcode : 130000000349

Manufacturer or supplier's details

Company name of supplier : The Chemours Company FC, LLC
Address : 1007 Market Street
Wilmington, DE 19801 United States of America (USA)
Telephone : 1-844-773-CHEM (outside the U.S. 1-302-773-1000)
Emergency telephone : Medical emergency: 1-866-595-1473 (outside the U.S. 1-302-773-2000) ; Transport emergency: +1-800-424-9300 (outside the U.S. +1-703-527-3887)

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Refrigerant
Restrictions on use : For professional and industrial installation and use only.

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS classification in accordance with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Gases under pressure : Liquefied gas
Simple Asphyxiant

GHS label elements

Hazard pictograms :



Signal Word : Warning
Hazard Statements : H280 Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.
May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation.
Precautionary Statements : **Storage:**
P410 + P403 Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place.

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Other hazards

Vapors are heavier than air and can cause suffocation by reducing oxygen available for breathing. Misuse or intentional inhalation abuse may cause death without warning symptoms, due to cardiac effects.

Rapid evaporation of the product may cause frostbite.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Substance
Substance name : 1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane
CAS-No. : 811-97-2

Components

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)
1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane#	811-97-2	>= 99.9 - <= 100

Voluntarily-disclosed non-hazardous substance

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice : In the case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately.
When symptoms persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.

If inhaled : If inhaled, remove to fresh air.
Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

In case of skin contact : Thaw frosted parts with lukewarm water. Do not rub affected area.
Get medical attention immediately.

In case of eye contact : Get medical attention immediately.

If swallowed : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed : May cause cardiac arrhythmia.
Other symptoms potentially related to misuse or inhalation abuse are
Cardiac sensitization
Anaesthetic effects
Light-headedness
Dizziness
confusion
Lack of coordination
Drowsiness
Unconsciousness
Contact with liquid or refrigerated gas can cause cold burns and frostbite.

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Protection of first-aiders : No special precautions are necessary for first aid responders.

Notes to physician : Because of possible disturbances of cardiac rhythm, catecholamine drugs, such as epinephrine, that may be used in situations of emergency life support should be used with special caution.

SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media : Not applicable
Will not burn

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Not applicable
Will not burn

Specific hazards during fire fighting : Exposure to combustion products may be a hazard to health. If the temperature rises there is danger of the vessels bursting due to the high vapor pressure.

Hazardous combustion products : Hydrogen fluoride
carbonyl fluoride
Carbon oxides

Specific extinguishing methods : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion.
Use water spray to cool unopened containers.
Remove undamaged containers from fire area if it is safe to do so.
Evacuate area.

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters : Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.
Use personal protective equipment.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Evacuate personnel to safe areas.
Avoid skin contact with leaking liquid (danger of frostbite).
Ventilate the area.
Follow safe handling advice (see section 7) and personal protective equipment recommendations (see section 8).

Environmental precautions : Avoid release to the environment.
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
Retain and dispose of contaminated wash water.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : Ventilate the area.
Local or national regulations may apply to releases and disposal of this material, as well as those materials and items employed in the cleanup of releases. You will need to determine which regulations are applicable.

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Sections 13 and 15 of this SDS provide information regarding certain local or national requirements.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

- Technical measures : Use equipment rated for cylinder pressure. Use a backflow preventative device in piping. Close valve after each use and when empty.
- Local/Total ventilation : Use only with adequate ventilation.
- Advice on safe handling : Avoid breathing gas.
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice, based on the results of the workplace exposure assessment
Wear cold insulating gloves/ face shield/ eye protection.
Valve protection caps and valve outlet threaded plugs must remain in place unless container is secured with valve outlet piped to use point.
Use a check valve or trap in the discharge line to prevent hazardous back flow into the cylinder.
Prevent backflow into the gas tank.
Use a pressure reducing regulator when connecting cylinder to lower pressure (<3000 psig) piping or systems.
Close valve after each use and when empty. Do NOT change or force fit connections.
Prevent the intrusion of water into the gas tank.
Never attempt to lift cylinder by its cap.
Do not drag, slide or roll cylinders.
Use a suitable hand truck for cylinder movement.
Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.
Take precautionary measures against static discharges.
Take care to prevent spills, waste and minimize release to the environment.
- Conditions for safe storage : Cylinders should be stored upright and firmly secured to prevent falling or being knocked over.
Separate full containers from empty containers.
Do not store near combustible materials.
Avoid area where salt or other corrosive materials are present.
Keep in properly labeled containers.
Keep in a cool, well-ventilated place.
Keep away from direct sunlight.
Store in accordance with the particular national regulations.
- Materials to avoid : Do not store with the following product types:
Self-reactive substances and mixtures
Organic peroxides
Oxidizing agents
Flammable liquids
Flammable solids
Pyrophoric liquids
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Self-heating substances and mixtures
Substances and mixtures which in contact with water emit flammable gases
Explosives
Acutely toxic substances and mixtures
Substances and mixtures with chronic toxicity

Recommended storage temperature : < 126 °F / < 52 °C

Storage period : > 10 y

Further information on storage stability : The product has an indefinite shelf life when stored properly.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane	811-97-2	TWA	1,000 ppm	US WEEL

Engineering measures : Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Minimize workplace exposure concentrations.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : General and local exhaust ventilation is recommended to maintain vapor exposures below recommended limits. Where concentrations are above recommended limits or are unknown, appropriate respiratory protection should be worn. Follow OSHA respirator regulations (29 CFR 1910.134) and use NIOSH/MSHA approved respirators. Protection provided by air purifying respirators against exposure to any hazardous chemical is limited. Use a positive pressure air supplied respirator if there is any potential for uncontrolled release, exposure levels are unknown, or any other circumstance where air purifying respirators may not provide adequate protection.

Hand protection
Material : Low temperature resistant gloves

Remarks : Choose gloves to protect hands against chemicals depending on the concentration specific to place of work. For special applications, we recommend clarifying the resistance to chemicals of the aforementioned protective gloves with the glove manufacturer. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday. Breakthrough time is not determined for the product. Change gloves often!

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Eye protection	: Wear the following personal protective equipment: Chemical resistant goggles must be worn. Face-shield
Skin and body protection	: Skin should be washed after contact.
Protective measures	: Wear cold insulating gloves/ face shield/ eye protection.
Hygiene measures	: If exposure to chemical is likely during typical use, provide eye flushing systems and safety showers close to the working place. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	: Liquefied gas
Color	: colorless
Odor	: slight, ether-like
Odor Threshold	: No data available
pH	: No data available
Melting point/freezing point	: -162 °F / -108 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range	: -15 °F / -26 °C (1,013 hPa)
Flash point	: Not applicable
Evaporation rate	: > 1 (CCL4=1.0)
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Will not burn
Self-ignition	: The substance or mixture is not classified as pyrophoric.
Upper explosion limit / Upper flammability limit	: Upper flammability limit Method: ASTM E681 None.
Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit	: Lower flammability limit Method: ASTM E681 None.

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Vapor pressure	: 5,700 hPa (68 °F / 20 °C)
Relative vapor density	: No data available
Relative density	: 1.208 (77 °F / 25 °C)
Density	: 1.21 g/cm³ (77 °F / 25 °C) (as liquid)
Solubility(ies) Water solubility	: 1.5 g/l (77 °F / 25 °C)
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: log Pow: 1.06 (77 °F / 25 °C)
Autoignition temperature	: > 1369 °F / > 743 °C
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity Viscosity, kinematic	: Not applicable
Explosive properties	: Not explosive
Oxidizing properties	: The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.
Particle size	: Not applicable

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	: Not classified as a reactivity hazard.
Chemical stability	: Stable if used as directed. Follow precautionary advice and avoid incompatible materials and conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	: Can react with strong oxidizing agents.
Conditions to avoid	: This substance is not flammable in air at temperatures up to 100 °C (212 °F) at atmospheric pressure. However, mixtures of this substance with high concentrations of air at elevated pressure and/or temperature can become combustible in the presence of an ignition source. This substance can also become combustible in an oxygen enriched environment (oxygen concentrations greater than that in air). Whether a mixture containing this substance and air, or this substance in an oxygen enriched atmosphere become combustible depends on the inter-relationship of 1) the temperature 2) the pressure, and 3) the proportion of oxygen in the mixture. In general, this substance should not be allowed to exist with air above atmospheric pressure or at high temperatures; or in an oxygen enriched environment. For example this substance should

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NOT be mixed with air under pressure for leak testing or other purposes.
Heat, flames and sparks.

Incompatible materials : Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products : No hazardous decomposition products are known.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation
Skin contact
Eye contact

Acute toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

Acute oral toxicity : Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute oral toxicity

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): > 567000 ppm
Exposure time: 4 h
Test atmosphere: gas
Method: OECD Test Guideline 403

No observed adverse effect concentration (Dog): 40000 ppm
Test atmosphere: gas
Remarks: Cardiac sensitization

Lowest observed adverse effect concentration (Dog): 80000 ppm
Test atmosphere: gas
Symptoms: May cause cardiac arrhythmia.

Cardiac sensitisation threshold limit (Dog): 334,000 mg/m³
Test atmosphere: gas
Symptoms: May cause cardiac arrhythmia.

Acute dermal toxicity : Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute dermal toxicity

Skin corrosion/irritation

Not classified based on available information.

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

Result : No skin irritation

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Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Not classified based on available information.

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

Result : No eye irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Skin sensitization

Not classified based on available information.

Respiratory sensitization

Not classified based on available information.

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

Routes of exposure : Skin contact
Result : negative

Routes of exposure : Inhalation
Species : Rat
Result : negative

Routes of exposure : Inhalation
Species : Humans
Result : negative

Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified based on available information.

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

Genotoxicity in vitro : Test Type: Bacterial reverse mutation assay (AMES)
Method: OECD Test Guideline 471
Result: negative

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro
Method: OECD Test Guideline 473
Result: negative

Genotoxicity in vivo : Test Type: Mammalian erythrocyte micronucleus test (in vivo cytogenetic assay)
Species: Mouse
Application Route: inhalation (gas)
Method: OECD Test Guideline 474
Result: negative

Test Type: Unscheduled DNA synthesis (UDS) test with

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mammalian liver cells in vivo
Species: Rat
Application Route: inhalation (gas)
Method: OECD Test Guideline 486
Result: negative

Germ cell mutagenicity - Assessment : Weight of evidence does not support classification as a germ cell mutagen.

Carcinogenicity

Not classified based on available information.

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

Species : Rat
Application Route : inhalation (gas)
Exposure time : 2 Years
Method : OECD Test Guideline 453
Result : negative

Carcinogenicity - Assessment : Weight of evidence does not support classification as a carcinogen

IARC No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

OSHA No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

NTP No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

Reproductive toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

Effects on fertility : Species: Mouse
Application Route: Inhalation
Result: negative

Effects on fetal development : Test Type: Combined repeated dose toxicity study with the reproduction/developmental toxicity screening test
Species: Rabbit
Application Route: inhalation (gas)
Method: OECD Test Guideline 414
Result: negative

Reproductive toxicity - Assessment : Weight of evidence does not support classification for reproductive toxicity

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STOT-single exposure

Not classified based on available information.

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

Routes of exposure	: inhalation (gas)
Assessment	: No significant health effects observed in animals at concentrations of 20000 ppmV/4h or less

STOT-repeated exposure

Not classified based on available information.

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

Routes of exposure	: inhalation (gas)
Assessment	: No significant health effects observed in animals at concentrations of 250 ppmV/6h/d or less.

Repeated dose toxicity

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

Species	: Rat, male and female
NOAEL	: 50000 ppm
LOAEL	: >50000 ppm
Application Route	: inhalation (gas)
Exposure time	: 2 y
Method	: OECD Test Guideline 453

Aspiration toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

No aspiration toxicity classification

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

Toxicity to fish	: LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)): 450 mg/l Exposure time: 96 h Method: Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, C.1
Toxicity to daphnia and other	: EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 980 mg/l

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aquatic invertebrates Exposure time: 48 h
Method: Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, C.2

Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants : ErC50 (green algae): > 100 mg/l
Exposure time: 96 h
Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Persistence and degradability

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

Biodegradability : Result: Not readily biodegradable.
Method: OECD Test Guideline 301D

Bioaccumulative potential

Components:

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane:

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: Bioaccumulation is unlikely.

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : log Pow: 1.06

Mobility in soil

No data available

Other adverse effects

No data available

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods

Waste from residues : Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.
Empty pressure vessels should be returned to the supplier.
If not otherwise specified: Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

International Regulations

UNRTDG

UN number : UN 3159
Proper shipping name : 1,1,1,2-TETRAFLUOROETHANE
Class : 2.2
Packing group : Not assigned by regulation
Labels : 2.2

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IATA-DGR

UN/ID No.	: UN 3159
Proper shipping name	: 1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane
Class	: 2.2
Packing group	: Not assigned by regulation
Labels	: Non-flammable, non-toxic Gas
Packing instruction (cargo aircraft)	: 200
Packing instruction (passenger aircraft)	: 200

IMDG-Code

UN number	: UN 3159
Proper shipping name	: 1,1,1,2-TETRAFLUOROETHANE
Class	: 2.2
Packing group	: Not assigned by regulation
Labels	: 2.2
EmS Code	: F-C, S-V
Marine pollutant	: no

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

Domestic regulation

49 CFR

UN/ID/NA number	: UN 3159
Proper shipping name	: 1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane
Class	: 2.2
Packing group	: Not assigned by regulation
Labels	: NON-FLAMMABLE GAS
ERG Code	: 126
Marine pollutant	: no

Special precautions for user

The transport classification(s) provided herein are for informational purposes only, and solely based upon the properties of the unpackaged material as it is described within this Safety Data Sheet. Transportation classifications may vary by mode of transportation, package sizes, and variations in regional or country regulations.

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

CERCLA Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.

SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

SARA 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Threshold Planning Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

SARA 311/312 Hazards	: Gases under pressure Simple Asphyxiant
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SARA 313 : This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

US State Regulations

Pennsylvania Right To Know

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane

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International Regulations

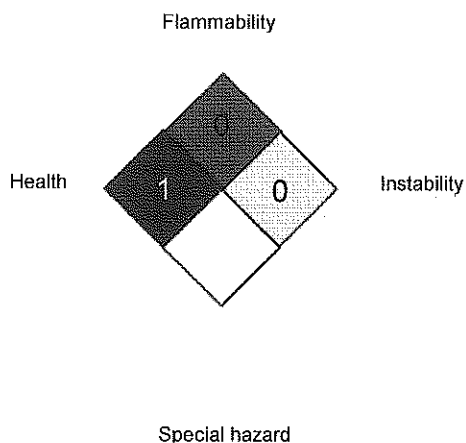
Montreal Protocol

: 1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Further information

NFPA 704:



HMIS® IV:

HEALTH	/	0
FLAMMABILITY		0
PHYSICAL HAZARD		3

HMIS® ratings are based on a 0-4 rating scale, with 0 representing minimal hazards or risks, and 4 representing significant hazards or risks. The "*" represents a chronic hazard, while the "/" represents the absence of a chronic hazard.

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Before use read Chemours safety information.

For further information contact the local Chemours office or nominated distributors.

Full text of other abbreviations

US WEEL : USA. Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels (WEEL)
US WEEL / TWA : 8-hr TWA

AIRC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CERCLA - Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the

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German Institute for Standardisation; DOT - Department of Transportation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; EHS - Extremely Hazardous Substance; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; HMIS - Hazardous Materials Identification System; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECS - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; MSHA - Mine Safety and Health Administration; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NFPA - National Fire Protection Association; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; RCRA - Resource Conservation and Recovery Act; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RQ - Reportable Quantity; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

Sources of key data used to compile the Material Safety Data Sheet : Internal technical data, data from raw material SDSs, OECD eChem Portal search results and European Chemicals Agency, <http://echa.europa.eu/>

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The information provided in this Safety Data Sheet is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information is designed only as a guidance for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and shall not be considered a warranty or quality specification of any type. The information provided relates only to the specific material identified at the top of this SDS and may not be valid when the SDS material is used in combination with any other materials or in any process, unless specified in the text. Material users should review the information and recommendations in the specific context of their intended manner of handling, use, processing and storage, including an assessment of the appropriateness of the SDS material in the user's end product, if applicable.

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FORANE® 134a

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Company

Arkema Inc.
900 First Avenue
King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406

Fluorochemicals

Customer Service Telephone Number: (800) 245-5858
(Monday through Friday, 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM EST)

Emergency Information

Transportation: CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300
(24 hrs., 7 days a week)
Medical: Rocky Mountain Poison Center: (866) 767-5089
(24 hrs., 7 days a week)

Product Information

Product name: FORANE® 134a
Synonyms: HFC 134a, R 134a
Molecular formula: CH₂FCF₃
Chemical family: Hydrofluorocarbon
Molecular weight: 102.03 g/mol
Product use: Refrigerant, Foam blowing agent, Aerosol propellants

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

Color: Clear - colourless
Physical state: gaseous
Form: Liquefied gas
Odor: Slightly ether-like

*Classification of the substance or mixture:

Gases under pressure, Liquefied gas, H280

*For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Wt/Wt	GHS Classification**
Ethane, 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoro-	811-97-2	> 99 %	H280

**For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1. Description of necessary first-aid measures:

Inhalation:

If inhaled, remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

Skin:

If on skin, flush exposed skin with lukewarm water (not hot), or use other means to warm skin slowly. Get medical attention if frostbitten by liquid or if irritation occurs. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse.

Eyes:

Immediately flush eye(s) with plenty of water.

Ingestion:

Ingestion is not applicable - product is a gas at ambient temperatures.

4.2. Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed:

For most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed), see Section 2 (Hazard Statements and Supplemental Information if applicable) and Section 11 (Toxicology Information) of this SDS.

4.3. Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary:

Unless otherwise noted in Notes to Physician, no specific treatment noted; treat symptomatically.

Notes to physician:

Do not give drugs from adrenaline-ephedrine group.

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media (suitable):

Use extinguishing media appropriate to surrounding fire conditions.

Protective equipment:

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling

General information on handling:

Avoid breathing gas.
Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.
Keep away from heat, sparks and flames.
Wear cold-insulating gloves/face shield/eye protection.
Keep container closed.
Use only with adequate ventilation.
Use equipment rated for cylinder pressure.
Use a backflow preventative device in piping.
Wash thoroughly after handling.
Do not change or force fit connections.
Close valve after each use and when empty.
Do not enter confined spaces unless adequately ventilated.
DO NOT CUT, DRILL, GRIND, OR WELD ON OR NEAR THIS CONTAINER.
Emptied container retains product residue.
Observe all labeled safeguards until container is cleaned, reconditioned or destroyed.

Storage

General information on storage conditions:

Keep away from direct sunlight. Keep cylinders restrained. Store in cool, dry, well ventilated area away from sources of ignition such as flame, sparks and static electricity.

Storage stability – Remarks:

Do not apply direct flame to cylinder. Do not store cylinder in direct sun or expose it to heat above 120 °F (48.9 °C.).
Do not drop or refill this cylinder.

Storage incompatibility – General:

Store separate from:
Finely divided metals (aluminum, magnesium...)
Alkaline earth metals
Alkali metals
Strong bases
Strong oxidizing agents

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Airborne Exposure Guidelines:

Ethane, 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoro- (811-97-2)

US. OARS. WEELs Workplace Environmental Exposure Level Guide

Time weighted average	1,000 ppm (4,240 mg/m3)
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Remarks:	Listed
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SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Upper flammable limit (UFL):	None.
pH:	Not applicable
Density:	not determined
Specific Gravity (Relative density):	1.21 (77 °F (25 °C))
Vapor pressure:	4,431.636 mmHg (70.0 °F (21.1 °C))
Relative vapor density:	3.54 (Air = 1.0)
Vapor density:	3.54 kg/m3
Boiling point/boiling range:	= -15.5 °F (-26.4 °C)
Melting point/range:	No data available
Freezing point:	-150 °F (-101 °C)
Evaporation rate:	No data available
Solubility in water:	0.9 g/l 77 °F (25 °C)
Viscosity, dynamic:	No data available
Molecular weight:	102.03 g/mol
Oil/water partition coefficient:	No data available.
Thermal decomposition:	> 698 °F (> 370 °C)
Critical point:	Critical pressure: 30525 mmHg Critical temperature: 214 °F (101 °C)
Flammability:	See GHS Classification in Section 2 if applicable

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**Stability:**

This material is chemically stable under normal and anticipated storage, handling and processing conditions.

Hazardous reactions:

None known.

Materials to avoid:

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1 year oral gavage administration to rat / No increase in tumor incidence was reported.

Genotoxicity**Assessment in Vitro:**

No genetic changes were observed in laboratory tests using: bacteria, animal cells, yeast, human cells

Assessment in Vivo:

No genetic changes were observed in laboratory tests using: rats, mice

Developmental toxicity

Exposure during pregnancy. inhalation (rat, rabbit) / No birth defects were observed. (delays in development, at doses that produce effects in mothers)

Reproductive effects

Two-generation study. inhalation (rat) / No toxicity to reproduction.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Chemical Fate and Pathway**

Data on this material and/or its components are summarized below.

Data for FORANE® 134a**Biodegradation:**

Not readily biodegradable. (28 d) biodegradation 3 %

Octanol Water Partition Coefficient:

log Pow: = 1.06, at 77 °F (25 °C) pH = 6

Photodegradation:

Degradation in the atmosphere Half-life direct photolysis: 9.6 - 16.7 y
(in atmosphere)

Global Warming Potential:

GWP 0.3 (Halocarbon global warming potential.)

GWP 1,430 (Global warming potential with respect to CO₂ (time horizon 100 years))

Ozone Depletion Potential:

ODP 0

Ecotoxicology

Data on this material and/or its components are summarized below.

Data for FORANE® 134a**Aquatic toxicity data:**

Practically nontoxic. Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) 96 h LC₅₀ = 450 mg/l

Aquatic invertebrates:

Practically nontoxic. Daphnia magna (Water flea) 48 h EC₅₀ = 980 mg/l



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Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS) PICCS (PH) Conforms to

Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS) AICS Conforms to

United States – Federal Regulations

SARA Title III – Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Chemicals:

The components in this product are either not SARA Section 302 regulated or regulated but present in negligible concentrations.

SARA Title III - Section 311/312 Hazard Categories:

Acute Health Hazard, Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard

SARA Title III – Section 313 Toxic Chemicals:

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) - Reportable Quantity (RQ):

The components in this product are either not CERCLA regulated, regulated but present in negligible concentrations, or regulated with no assigned reportable quantity.

United States – State Regulations

New Jersey Right to Know

No components are subject to the New Jersey Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right to Know

Chemical name

Ethane, 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoro-

CAS-No.

811-97-2

California Prop. 65

This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive defects.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

H280 Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

Miscellaneous:

Other information:

This SDS covers the following grades: High Purity.

Latest Revision(s):

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