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

1.1. Product identifier

Trade name	Carbon dioxide
Chemical description	Carbon dioxide
CAS N°	124-38-9
CE N°	204-696-9
Index N°	
Registration n°	Listed in Annex IV / V REACH, exempted from registration
Chemical formula	CO ₂

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

Relevant identified uses	Industrial and professional Test gas/Calibration gas Purge gas, diluting gas, inerting gas Shield gas for welding processes Use for manufacture of electronic/photovoltaic components Laboratory use Food applications Contact supplier for more information on uses
Uses advised against	Consumer use not recommended

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company identification	MULTIGAS Route de l'Industrie 102 CH-1564 Domdidier
Phone number	+41 (0) 26 676 94 94
E-mail address	info@multigas.ch

1.4. Emergency telephone numbers

145 (Toxicology Centre Zurich) or +41 (0) 44 251 51 51 +41 (0) 26 676 94 94 (Multigas)

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to F	Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]	
Physical hazards	Gases under pressure : Liquefied gas	H280

For the complete H-sentences texts mentioned in that chapter, refer to Section 16

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms

		GHS04
Signal word		Warning
Hazard statements		
	H280	Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated
Precautionary state	ments	
	P410+403	Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place
2.3. Other hazards		
		Asphyxiant in high concentrations

Aspnyxiant in high concentrations Contact with liquid may cause cold burns/frostbite In high concentrations CO₂ cause rapid circulatory insufficiency. Symptoms are headache, nausea and vomiting, which may lead to unconsciousness

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Name	Product identifier	Concentration	Classification
Carbon dioxide	(CAS-No.) 124-38-9 (EC-No.) 204-696-9 (EC Index-No.) (Registration-No.)	<= 100%	Press. Gas (Liq.), H280

For the complete H-sentences texts mentioned in that chapter, refer to Section 16 Contains no other components or impurities which will influence the classification of the product



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3.2. Mixtures

Not established

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measuresGeneral adviceSee a doctor. Show this safety data sheet to the attending physicianIn case of inhalationIn case of inhalation, remove the person from the contaminated area. In
case of respiratory arrest, give artificial respiration. See a doctorIn case of skin contactWash with soap and plenty of water. Take victim immediately to hospital.
See a doctorIn case of eyes contactRinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a
doctorIn case of ingestionDo NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious
person. Rinse mouth with water. See a doctor

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. Refer to section 11

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

None

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures		
5.1. Extinguishing media		
Suitable extinguishing media	Water spray or water mist. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Foam	
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not use water jet to extinguish	
5.2. Special hazards arising from t Specific hazards	the substance or mixture In case of fire or excessive heat, hazardous combustion products may be produced	
	Exposure to fire may cause containers to rupture/explode	
Hazardous combustion products	None	
5.3. Additional information		

Cool endangered receptacles with water spray jet from a protected position



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6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid breathing vapours, spray mists or gases Provide adequate ventilation Evacuate personnel to a safe place Personal protective equipment, see section 8

6.2. Environmental precautions

Try to stop the leak

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Ventilate the area Keep area evacuated and free from ignition sources until any spilled liquid has evaporated (ground free from frost)

6.4. Reference to other sections

See also sections 8 and 13

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

For precautions, see section 2.2

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and wellventilated place Content under pressure

7.3. Specific end use(s)

None

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Components with occupational exposure limits

Component	CAS N°	Exposure value type	Control parameter	Source
Carbon dioxide 124-38-9	TWA	5000 ppm	SUVA: Limit values of exposure to workstations	
		9000 mg/m³		
		-	SUVA: Limit values of	
		OEL	-	exposure to workstations



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8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation Gas detectors should be used when flammable / toxic gases / vapours are likely to be released

8.2.2. Individual protection measures, e.g. personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection	Wear goggles and a face shield when transfilling or breaking transfer connections. Standard EN
Skin / hand protection	Wearing chemical resistant gloves Standard EN 374-Protective gloves against chemicals
	For short-term use
	Material: Chloroprene rubber
	Penetration time:> 30 min
	Glove thickness: 0.6 mm
	For long-term use
	Material: Butyl rubber.
	Penetration time:> 480 min
	Glove thickness: 0.3 mm
	Have appropriate, chemical-resistant protective clothing ready for use in emergencies
Respiratory protection	When the risk assessment shows that the use of respirable respirators is appropriate, use a full face mask with EN 14387 multipurpose cartridge. If the mask is the only means of protection, use a full face respirator. Use NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU) tested and approved equipment

8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance

 Physical state at 20°C / 101.3kPa 	Gas
• Colour	Colourless
Odour	No data available
Odour threshold	No data available
рН	No data available
Melting point / Freezing point	-78.5°C (At atmospheric pressure dry ice sublimes into gaseous carbon dioxide)



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Boiling point	No data available
Flash point	No data available
Evaporation rate	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
Explosive limits	No data available
Vapour pressure [20°C]	57.3 bar
Vapour pressure [50°C]	No data available
Vapour density	No data available
Relative density, liquid (water=1)	0.82
Relative density, gas (air=1)	1.52
Water solubility	1.7 g/l
Partition coefficient	0.83
n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
Decomposition temperature	No data available
Viscosity	No data available
Explosive properties	No data available
Oxidising properties	No data available
9.2. Other information	
Molar mass	44 g/mol
Critical temperature [°C]	30°C
Relative vapour density	Gas/vapour heavier than air. May accumulate in confined spaces, particularly at or below ground level

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No reactivity hazard other than the effects described in sub-sections below

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

10.4. Conditions to avoid

No data available



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10.5. Incompatible materials

None

For additional information on compatibility refer to 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. Chemical safety assessment

Acute toxicity	Unlike simple asphyxiants, carbon dioxide has the ability to cause death even when normal oxygen levels (20-21%) are maintained. 5% CO ₂ has been found to act synergistically to increase the toxicity of certain other gases (CO, NO ₂). CO ₂ has been shown to enhance the production of carboxy- or met-hemoglobin by these gases possibly due to carbon dioxide's stimulatory effects on the respiratory and circulatory systems
Skin corrosion/irritation	No data available
Serious eye damage/irritation	No data available
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	No data available
Germ cell mutagenicity	No data available
Carcinogenicity	No data available
Reproductive toxicity	No data available
STOT-single exposure – Target organ(s)	No data available
STOT-repeated exposure	No data available
Ingestion hazard	No data available

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Assessment

Classification criteria are not met

12.2. Persistence and degradability

No data available

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

12.4. Mobility in soil

No data available



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12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

 PBT / vPvB assessment is not available because the chemical safety assessment is not required / is not conducted

12.6. Other adverse effects

No data available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Product	May be vented to atmosphere in a well ventilated place Discharge to atmosphere in large quantities should be avoided Do not discharge into any place where its accumulation could be dangerous Return unused product in original cylinder to supplier
Contaminated container	Eliminate as unused product Contact the supplier if instructions are needed
OMoD Code	16 05 04 Gases in pressure containers containing dangerous substances

SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1. UN number

Transport par road/rail	Transport by sea	Transport by air
ADR / RID	IMDG	IATA
1013	1013	1013

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Transport par road/rail	Transport by sea	Transport by air
ADR / RID	IMDG	IATA
Carbon dioxide	Carbon dioxide	Carbon dioxide

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Labelling

ADR/RID IMDG IATA



2.2 : Non-flammable, non-toxic gases

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EINECS : European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances			Substances	g Commercial Chemical

- EN : European Standard
- ATE : Acute Toxicity Estimate
- IATA : International Air Transport Association
- IMDG Code : International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code



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LC50 :	Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population
OMoD :	Swiss Ordinance on the movement of waste
PBT :	Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
PPE:	Personal Protection Equipment
REACH :	Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006
RID :	Regulations concerning the international carriage of dangerous goods by rail
RMM :	Risk Management Measures
STOT-SE :	Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure
UN :	United Nations
vPvB :	Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative
WGK:	Water Hazards Class

Full text of H, EUH and P statements used in sections 2 and 3

Hazard statements

	H280	Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated	
Precautionary statements			
	P410+403	Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place	
Disclaimer of liability		Details given in this document have been prepared based on the most available reliable documents and are believed to be correct at the time of going to press	
		They do not claim to be exhaustive and should be considered as a guide	