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SECTION 1 Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking
1.1. Product identifier

Trade name : R-410A

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

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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SECTION 2 Hazards identification

 * **2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture**
2.1.1. Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)
Physical hazards : Gases under pressure - Liquefied gas (Press. Gas) - H280

2.1.2 Directive EEC/67/548 or 1999/45/CE : This product is not classified as a "hazardous preparation" according to European Community regulations

 * **2.2. Label elements**
Labelling Regulation EC 1272/2008 (CLP)
Hazard pictograms

Signal words : Warning

Hazard statements : H280 : Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated

 • **Storage** : P410 + P403 : Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place

Labelling EC 67/548 or EC 1999/45
2.3. Other hazards : Not classified as flammable by EC criteria but may present a hazard in the event of a fire
 Vapours are heavier than air and can cause suffocation by reducing oxygen available for breathing
 Liquefied gas : Contact with liquid may cause frostbite and serious damage to eyes

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SECTION 3 Composition/information on ingredients

- 3.1./3.2. Substance / Preparation : Preparation.
 Chemical nature : Blend of 1,1-Difluoromethane (R-32) & Pentafluoroethane (R-125)
 Components contributing to the hazard :

Substance name	Contents	CAS No	EC No	Index No	Ref REACH	Classification
Difluoromethane	: 50 %	75-10-5	200-839-4	----	01-2119471312-47	F+; R12 ----- Flam. Gas 1;H220 Liquefied gas;H280
Pentafluoroethane	: 50 %	354-33-6	206-557-8	----	01-2119485636-25	Not classified. (DSD/DPD) ----- Liquefied gas;H280

SECTION 4 First aid measures
4.1. Description of first aid measures

- Inhalation** : Move the affected person away from the contaminated area and into the fresh air
 If the person feels unwell :
 Call a doctor
- Skin contact** : In the event of contact with the liquid: treat resulting frostbite as a burn
 Rinse with plenty of water. DO NOT remove clothing (since it may stick to the skin).
 If skin burns appear, call a doctor immediately
- Eye contact** : Rinse immediately and thoroughly, pulling the eyelids well away from the eye (15 minutes minimum)
 Consult an eye specialist immediately
- Ingestion** : Not specifically applicable (gas)

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

- Inhalation** : Headaches
 Loss of consciousness.
 Drowsiness
 Cardiac disorders
 Dizziness
- Skin contact** : No information available
- Eye contact** : No information available
- Ingestion** : No information available

- 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed** : No information available

SECTION 5 Fire-fighting measures
5.1. Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media** : Water spray
 Carbon dioxide (CO2)
 Foam
 Powders
- Unsuitable extinguishing media** : None to our knowledge. If there is a fire close by, use suitable extinguishing agents

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

- Specific hazards** : On heating :
 Toxic and corrosive vapours are released

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5.3. Advice for firefighters

- Specific fire fighting methods** : Cool down the containers exposed to heat with a water spray
- Protection of fire-fighters** : Complete protective clothing
Self-contained breathing apparatus

SECTION 6 Accidental release measures

- 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** : Avoid contact with skin and eyes
Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment
Do not breathe vapours
Evacuate the danger area.
Stop the leak.
Remove all sources of ignition
Mechanically ventilate the spillage area.
- 6.2. Environmental precautions** : Do not allow product to spread into the environment
- 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**
- **Cleaning/decontamination** : Allow the residual product to evaporate.

SECTION 7 Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Technical measures** : Ventilation
- Precautions** : Avoid the build-up of electrostatic charge
Work in a well-ventilated area
Smoking is forbidden
- Industrial hygiene** : Do not drink, eat or smoke in the workplace

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions

- **Recommended** : Store :
- away from any source of ignition
- at temperature not exceeding 45 °C
- in a cool, well-ventilated area
- the container tightly closed

Incompatible products

- : Non ferrous metals (Al, Zn, Sn) and their alloys
Strong oxidizing agents
Alkaline earth metals
Alkali metals

Packaging materials

- **Recommended** : Ordinary steel.
- **Not suitable** : Alloys containing more than 2% magnesium

7.3. Specific end use(s)

- : No data

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SECTION 8 Exposure controls/personal protection
8.1. Control parameters
Engineering measures : Ensure good ventilation of the work station

8.1.1. Occupational Exposure Limits : Difluoromethane : France : LEP - VME (8h; mg/m³) : 2130
 Difluoromethane : France : LEP - VME (8h; ppm) : 1000
 Pentafluoroethane : France : LEP - VME (8h; ppm) : 1000

8.2. Exposure controls
Personal protection :

- **Respiratory protection** : In the event of insufficient ventilation: Mask with AX canister
 In a confined area : Self-contained breathing apparatus (ARI)
- **Hand protection** : Leather or nitrile-rubber protective gloves
- **Eye protection** : Safety spectacles with side shields
- **Skin protection** : Majority cotton clothing

SECTION 9 Physical and chemical properties
9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties
9.1.a. Appearance
Physical state : Liquefied gas

Colour : Colourless

9.1.b. Odour : slightly ethereal.

9.1.c. Odour threshold : No information available

9.1.d. pH : Not applicable

9.1.e. Melting point / Freezing point : No information available

9.1.f. Initial boiling point - boiling range : - 51.6 °C

9.1.g. Flash point : None

9.1.h. Evaporation rate : No information available

9.1.i. Flammability : Not classified as flammable by EC criteria but may present a hazard in the event of a fire

9.1.j. Explosion limits (lower - upper) : No information available

9.1.k. Vapour pressure : 31.1 bar at 50 °C
 16.18 bar at 25 °C

9.1.l. Vapour density : 2.3

9.1.m. Density : Liquid : 1.177 g/cm³ at 25 °C

9.1.n. Solubility
-in water : 0.045 % at 25 °C

9.1.o. Partition coefficient : n-octanol / water : 1,1-Difluoromethane (R-32) : 0.21
 Pentafluoroethane (R-125) : 1.48

9.1.p. Auto-ignition temperature : No information available

9.1.q. Thermal decomposition : No information available

9.1.r. Viscosity : No information available

9.1.s. Explosive Properties : Not explosive material according to EC criteria.

9.1.t. Oxidising properties : Non oxidizing material according to EC criteria

9.2. Other information
Critical temperature : + 70.2 °C

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Critical pressure : : 49.7 bar

SECTION 10 Stability and reactivity

- 10.1. Reactivity : None under normal conditions
- 10.2. Chemical stability : Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of use
- 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions : No information available
- 10.4. Conditions to avoid : - high temperatures, naked flames
- 10.5. Incompatible materials : - alkaline earth metals.
- alkali metals
- reactive metals (Al, K, Zn ...)
- strong oxidizing agents
- 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products : On thermal decomposition (pyrolysis), releases :
Carbon oxides (CO, CO₂)
Hydrogen fluoride
Fluorophosgene

SECTION 11 Toxicological information

- 11.1. Information on toxicological effects
- On ingredients
- Pentafluoroethane : Rat inhalation LC50 [ppm/4h] : 800000
- Difluoromethane : Rat inhalation LC50 [mg/l/4h] : 2158
- Acute toxicity
 - Skin corrosion/irritation : No information available
 - Serious eye damage/irritation : No information available
 - Respiratory or skin sensitisation : No information available
 - Germ cell mutagenicity : No information available
 - Carcinogenicity : No information available
 - Reproductive toxicity : No information available
 - STOT-single exposure : No information available
 - STOT-repeated exposure : No information available
 - Aspiration hazard : No information available
- Other information : Contact with liquefied gas may cause severe ocular lesions
Contact with liquefied gas may cause frostbite.

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SECTION 12 Ecological information
12.1. Toxicity
Effects on the aquatic environment : The product does not have any known adverse effects on the environment.

12.2. Persistence and degradability
Biodegradability : No easy biodegradable
 R-32 :
 Water : 5 % biodegradation after 28 days
 Air : Half-life = 1472 days
 R-125 :
 Water : 5 % biodegradation after 28 days
 Air : Half-life = 28.3 years (estimated value)

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential
Octanol/water partition coefficient : Practically not bioaccumulable
 1,1-Difluoromethane (R-32) : 0.21
 Pentafluoroethane (R-125) : 1.48

12.4. Mobility in soil

: No information available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

: This mixture contains no substance meeting PBT and vPvB criteria

12.6. Other adverse effects
Ozone depletion potential : ODP (R-11=1)=0
Greenhouse effect : R-125 : GWP (CO₂=1/100 years) = 3400
 R-32 : GWP (CO₂=1/100 years) = 550

SECTION 13 Disposal considerations
13.1. Waste treatment methods
WASTE FROM PRODUCT :
Destruction/Disposal : Consult the manufacturer or supplier for information regarding recovery and recycling of the product

CONTAMINATED PACKAGING :
Destruction/Disposal : Reuse or recycle following decontamination.
 Destroy at an authorised site

NOTE

: The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of specific european, national or local regulations regarding disposal

SECTION 14 Transport information
14.1. UN number : 3163

14.2. UN proper shipping name : LIQUEFIED GAS, N.O.S.
 (1,1-Difluoromethane (R-32) - Pentafluoroethane (R-125))

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)
Rail/road (RID/ADR) : Class : 2
Sea transport : Class : 2.2
Air transport (OACI/IATA) : Class : 2.2
Hazard Label(s) : 2.2

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- 14.4. Packing group : -
- 14.5. Environmental hazards : Marine pollutant : NO
Not classified as dangerous to the aquatic environment
- 14.6. Special precautions for user
- Rail/road (RID/ADR) : Tunnel restriction code : (C/E)
Hazard identification number : 20
Classification code : 2A
- Sea transport : EmS Nr : F-C, S-V
Segregation group : -
- Air transport (OACI/IATA) : Cargo aircraft:
Packing instruction: 200
Quantity: 150 kg
Passenger aircraft:
Packing instruction: 200
Quantity: 75 kg
- 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code
- NOTE : The above regulatory prescriptions are those valid on the date of publication of this sheet
However, given the possible evolution of transport regulations for hazardous materials, in case the present sheet is dating back to more than 12 months ago, it would be advisable to check their validity with your commercial agency

SECTION 15 Regulatory information

- 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture : Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.
- France : Classified Installations : N° 1185
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- REGULATION EC No 842/2006 : Greenhouse fluorinated gas falling within Kyoto Protocol
- 15.2. Chemical safety assessment : No information available

SECTION 16 Other information

- Further information : Product for industrial use only
For more information regarding the use of this product, please refer to our technical information or contact the sales department in your region
This safety data sheet has been written in conformity with the regulation (UE) 453/2010.
- Text of R-Phrases in § 3 : R12 : Extremely flammable.
- Text of H-Phrases in § 3 : H220 - Extremely flammable gas
H280 - Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated
- * Update : Modifications are indicated by an asterisk (*)

This sheet complements the technical sheets but does not replace them. The information given is based on our knowledge of the product, at the time of publication. It is given in good faith.


Besides, the attention of the user is drawn to the possible risks incurred by using the product for any other use than that for which it was intended.

In no way does this exempt the user from knowing and applying all the regulations controlling his activity. He alone will take on the responsibility for taking the precautions involved by the use of the product.

The aim of all the mandatory regulations mentioned is just to help the user to fulfil his obligations regarding the use of hazardous products.

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