

## 4112 Cleaner Degreaser

## MG Chemicals (Manufacturing)

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## **SECTION 1 IDENTIFICATION**

## **Product Identifier**

Product name	4112 Cleaner Degreaser
Synonyms	SDS Code: 4112-Liquid, 4112-4L, 4112-20L, 4112-200L
Other means of identification	Not Available

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Relevant identified uses Cleaner and degreaser.

## Name, address, and telephone number of the chemical manufacturer, importer, or other responsible party

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## **Emergency phone number**

Association / Organisation	CANUTEC	Not Available	
Emergency telephone numbers	+(1) 613-996-6666	Not Available	
Other emergency telephone numbers	Not Available	Not Available	

## **SECTION 2 HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION**

## Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification

Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2, Eye Irritation Category 2A, Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure Category 3 (respiratory tract irritation), Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure Category 3 (narcotic effects), Reproductive Toxicity Category 1A, Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure Category 2

#### Label elements

Hazard pictogram(s)





SIGNAL WORD

DANGER

## Hazard statement(s)

H315	Causes skin irritation.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
H360	May damage fertility or the unborn child.
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

## Hazard(s) not otherwise specified

Not Applicable

## Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

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P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

## Precautionary statement(s) Response

P308+P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.			
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.			
P312	Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician/first aider/if you feel unwell.			
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.			
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap.			
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.			
P332+P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.			
P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.			

## Precautionary statement(s) Storage

P405	Store locked up.
P403+P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

## Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

## **SECTION 3 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

#### Substances

See section below for composition of Mixtures

#### Mixtures

CAS No	%[weight]	Name
106-94-5	>98	1-bromopropane
106-88-7	<2	1,2-butylene oxide

## **SECTION 4 FIRST-AID MEASURES**

### Description of first aid measures

Eye Contact	If this product comes in contact with the eyes:  • Wash out immediately with fresh running water.  • Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids.  • Seek medical attention without delay; if pain persists or recurs seek medical attention.  • Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.
Skin Contact	If skin contact occurs:  Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear.  Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).  Seek medical attention in event of irritation.
Inhalation	<ul> <li>If furnes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.</li> <li>Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested.</li> <li>Prostheses such as false teeth, which may block airway, should be removed, where possible, prior to initiating first aid procedures.</li> <li>Apply artificial respiration if not breathing, preferably with a demand valve resuscitator, bag-valve mask device, or pocket mask as trained. Perform CPR if necessary.</li> <li>Transport to hospital, or doctor, without delay.</li> </ul>
Ingestion	<ul> <li>For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.</li> <li>Avoid giving milk or oils.</li> <li>Avoid giving alcohol.</li> <li>If swallowed do NOT induce vomiting.</li> <li>If vomiting occurs, lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration.</li> <li>Observe the patient carefully.</li> <li>Never give liquid to a person showing signs of being sleepy or with reduced awareness; i.e. becoming unconscious.</li> <li>Give water to rinse out mouth, then provide liquid slowly and as much as casualty can comfortably drink.</li> <li>Seek medical advice.</li> </ul>

#### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

for intoxication due to Freons/ Halons;

A: Emergency and Supportive Measures

- Maintain an open airway and assist ventilation if necessary
- Freat coma and arrhythmias if they occur. Avoid (adrenaline) epinephrine or other sympathomimetic amines that may precipitate ventricular arrhythmias. Tachyarrhythmias caused by increased myocardial sensitisation may be treated with propranolol, 1-2 mg IV or esmolol 25-100 microgm/kg/min IV.
- ▶ Monitor the ECG for 4-6 hours
- B: Specific drugs and antidotes:
- ▶ There is no specific antidote

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#### C: Decontamination

- ▶ Inhalation; remove victim from exposure, and give supplemental oxygen if available.
- Ingestion; (a) Prehospital: Administer activated charcoal, if available. **DO NOT** induce vomiting because of rapid absorption and the risk of abrupt onset CNS depression. (b) Hospital: Administer activated charcoal, although the efficacy of charcoal is unknown. Perform gastric lavage only if the ingestion was very large and recent (less than 30 minutes)

#### D: Enhanced elimination:

▶ There is no documented efficacy for diuresis, haemodialysis, haemoperfusion, or repeat-dose charcoal.

POISONING and DRUG OVERDOSE, Californian Poison Control System Ed. Kent R Olson; 3rd Edition

- ▶ Do not administer sympathomimetic drugs unless absolutely necessary as material may increase myocardial irritability.
- No specific antidote.
- ▶ Because rapid absorption may occur through lungs if aspirated and cause systematic effects, the decision of whether to induce vomiting or not should be made by an attending physician.
- If lavage is performed, suggest endotracheal and/or esophageal control.
- ▶ Danger from lung aspiration must be weighed against toxicity when considering emptying the stomach.
- ▶ Treatment based on judgment of the physician in response to reactions of the patient

#### **SECTION 5 FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### **Extinguishing media**

- Foam.
- Dry chemical powder.
- ▶ BCF (where regulations permit)
- Carbon dioxide.
- Water spray or fog Large fires only.

#### Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

Fire Incompatibility

▶ Avoid contamination with oxidising agents i.e. nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result

#### Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

## Fire Fighting

Fire/Explosion Hazard

- ▶ Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- ▶ Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.
- Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.
- Use water delivered as a fine spray to control fire and cool adjacent area.
- Avoid spraving water onto liquid pools.
- ▶ DO NOT approach containers suspected to be hot.
- Cool fire exposed containers with water spray from a protected location.
- If safe to do so, remove containers from path of fire.

## WARNING: In use may form flammable/ explosive vapour-air mixtures. WARNING:

#### WARNIN

- ► Can become highly flammable in use.
- Avoid evaporation.
- ▶ Combustible.
- Slight fire hazard when exposed to heat or flame.
- ▶ Heating may cause expansion or decomposition leading to violent rupture of containers.
- On combustion, may emit toxic fumes of carbon monoxide (CO).
- May emit acrid smoke.
- ► Mists containing combustible materials may be explosive.

Combustion products include:

carbon dioxide (CO2)

other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.

Contains low boiling substance: Closed containers may rupture due to pressure buildup under fire conditions.

May emit poisonous fumes May emit corrosive fumes.

### **SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

## Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

See section 8

#### **Environmental precautions**

See section 12

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Minor Spills	<ul> <li>Remove all ignition sources.</li> <li>Clean up all spills immediately.</li> <li>Avoid breathing vapours and contact with skin and eyes.</li> <li>Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment.</li> <li>Contain and absorb spill with sand, earth, inert material or vermiculite.</li> <li>Wipe up.</li> <li>Place in a suitable, labelled container for waste disposal.</li> </ul>					
	Chemical Class: aliphatics, For release onto land: reco	•	s listed in order of priority.			
	SORBENT TYPE	RANK	APPLICATION	COLLECTION		

cross-linked polymer - pillow

## Major Spills

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LAND SPILL - SMALL							
LAND SPILL - SWALL							
cross-linked polymer - par	ticulate		1	shovel	shovel	R, W, SS	٦

throw

LIMITATIONS

R. DGC, RT

pitchfork

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		1		
wood fiber - pillow	2	throw	pitchfork	R, P, DGC, RT
treated wood fibre - particulate	2	shovel	shovel	R, W, DGC
sorbent clay - particulate	3	shovel	shovel	R, I, P
foamed glass - pillow	3	throw	pitchfork	R, P, DGC, RT

#### LAND SPILL - MEDIUM

cross-linked polymer - particulate	1	blower	skiploader	R,W, SS
cross-linked polymer - pillow	2	throw	skiploader	R, DGC, RT
sorbent clay - particulate	3	blower	skiploader	R, I, P
polypropylene - particulate	3	blower	skiploader	W, SS, DGC
foamed glass - pillow	3	throw	skiploader	R, P, DGC, RT
expanded mineral - particulate	4	blower	skiploader	R, I, W, P, DGC

#### Legend

DGC: Not effective where ground cover is dense

R; Not reusable

I: Not incinerable

P: Effectiveness reduced when rainy

RT:Not effective where terrain is rugged

SS: Not for use within environmentally sensitive sites

W: Effectiveness reduced when windy

Reference: Sorbents for Liquid Hazardous Substance Cleanup and Control;

R.W Melvold et al: Pollution Technology Review No. 150: Noyes Data Corporation 1988

#### Moderate hazard.

- ▶ Clear area of personnel and move upwind.
- Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- ▶ Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves.
- ▶ Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.
- ▶ No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.
- ▶ Increase ventilation.
- ▶ Stop leak if safe to do so.
- ► Contain spill with sand, earth or vermiculite.
- ► Collect recoverable product into labelled containers for recycling.
- ▶ Absorb remaining product with sand, earth or vermiculite.
- ► Collect solid residues and seal in labelled drums for disposal.
- ▶ Wash area and prevent runoff into drains.
- ▶ If contamination of drains or waterways occurs, advise emergency services.

Personal Protective Equipment advice is contained in Section 8 of the SDS.

## **SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Safe handling

## Precautions for safe handling

### Contains low boiling substance:

Storage in sealed containers may result in pressure buildup causing violent rupture of containers not rated appropriately.

- ► Check for bulging containers.
- Vent periodically
- Always release caps or seals slowly to ensure slow dissipation of vapours
- Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation
- ▶ Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.
- Use in a well-ventilated area.
- Prevent concentration in hollows and sumps.
- ► DO NOT enter confined spaces until atmosphere has been checked.
- Avoid smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.Avoid contact with incompatible materials.
- When handling, DO NOT eat, drink or smoke.
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   Keep containers securely sealed when not in use.
- Avoid physical damage to containers.
- Always wash hands with soap and water after handling.
- ▶ Work clothes should be laundered separately.
- Use good occupational work practice.
- Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS.
- ▶ Atmosphere should be regularly checked against established exposure standards to ensure safe working conditions.
- ▶ DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin
- Store in original containers.
  - Keep containers securely sealed.
  - No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.
  - Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area.
  - ▶ Store away from incompatible materials and foodstuff containers.
  - ▶ Protect containers against physical damage and check regularly for leaks.
  - Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS.

## Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

## CARE: Packing of high density product in light weight metal or plastic packages may result in container collapse with product release Glass container is suitable for laboratory quantities

Suitable container

Other information

► DO NOT use aluminium or galvanised containers

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- ▶ Metal can or drum
- Packaging as recommended by manufacturer.
- ▶ Check all containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.

#### Haloalkanes

- are highly reactive:some of the more lightly substituted lower members are highly flammable; the more highly substituted may be used as fire suppressants, not always with the anticipated results.
- ▶ may react with the lighter divalent metals to produce more reactive compounds analogous to Grignard reagents.
- ▶ may produce explosive compounds following prolonged contact with metallic or other azides
- may react on contact with potassium or its alloys although apparently stable on contact with a wide rage of halocarbons, reaction products may be shock-sensitive and may explode with great violence on light impact; severity generally increases with the degree of halocarbon substitution and potassium-sodium alloys give extremely sensitive mixtures.

#### BRETHERICK L.: Handbook of Reactive Chemical Hazards

- react with metal halides and active metals, eg. sodium (Na), potassium (K), lithium (Li),calcium (Ca), zinc (Zn), powdered aluminium (Al) and aluminium alloys, magnesium (Mg) and magnesium alloys.
- ▶ may react with brass and steel
- ▶ may react explosively with strong oxidisers
- ▶ may degrade rubber, and plastics such as methacrylate polymers, polyethylene and polystyrene, paint and coatings

#### **SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

## **Control parameters**

#### OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS (OEL)

Storage incompatibility

#### INGREDIENT DATA

Source	Ingredient	Material name	TWA	STEL	Peak	Notes
Canada - Nova Scotia Occupational Exposure Limits	1-bromopropane	1-Bromopropane	10 ppm	Not Available	Not Available	TLV Basis: liver damage; embryo/fetal damage; neurotoxicity
Canada - Saskatchewan Occupational Health and Safety Regulations - Contamination Limits	1-bromopropane	1-Bromopropane	10 ppm	20 ppm	Not Available	Not Available
Canada - Manitoba Occupational Exposure Limits	1-bromopropane	Not Available	0.1 ppm	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Canada - Northwest Territories Occupational Exposure Limits (English)	1-bromopropane	1-Bromopropane	10 ppm	20 ppm	Not Available	Not Available
Canada - British Columbia Occupational Exposure Limits	1-bromopropane	1-Bromopropane	10 ppm	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Canada - Prince Edward Island Occupational Exposure Limits	1-bromopropane	1-Bromopropane	0.1 ppm	Not Available	Not Available	TLV® Basis: CNS impair; peripheral neuropathy; hematological eff; developmental & repro toxicity (male & female)

## EMERGENCY LIMITS

Ingredient	Material name	TEEL-1	TEEL-2	TEEL-3
1-bromopropane	Bromopropane, 1-	0.3 ppm	120 ppm	700 ppm
1,2-butylene oxide	Epoxybutane, 1,2-; (1,2-Butylene oxide)	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

Ingredient	Original IDLH	Revised IDLH
1-bromopropane	Not Available	Not Available
1,2-butylene oxide	Not Available	Not Available

## MATERIAL DATA

for 1,2-butylene oxide (ethyloxirane):

CEL TWA: 2 ppm, 5.9 mg/m3 (compare WEEL-TWA)

(CEL = Chemwatch Exposure Limit)

Saturated vapour concentration: 184000 ppm at 20 deg. C..

Odour Threshold: 0.06 ppm

Chronic studies show irritation nasal occurs in mice at 50 ppm, and in rats at 200 ppm. The most significant toxic effect appears to be the potential for carcinogenicity. Butylene oxide is carcinogenic in rats at 200 and 400 ppm. This weak carcinogenic effect occurred only at concentrations that first produced recurrent degenerative/ regenerative effects in the nasal cavity. In comparison, ethylene oxide is carcinogenic in the lung and other organs at lower dose levels. Propylene oxide is also carcinogenic in the nasal cavities of mice and rats at 400 ppm. A workplace environmental exposure level (WEEL) established by AlHA takes the conservative view and also notes that low TLV-TWAs have been recommended for the other volatile oxides.

## **Exposure controls**

Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection.

The basic types of engineering controls are:

Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.

Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard 'physically' away from the worker and ventilation that strategically 'adds' and 'removes' air in the work environment. Ventilation can remove or dilute an air contaminant if designed properly. The design of a ventilation system must match the particular process and chemical or contaminant in use.

## Appropriate engineering controls

Employers may need to use multiple types of controls to prevent employee overexposure.

General exhaust is adequate under normal operating conditions. Local exhaust ventilation may be required in special circumstances. If risk of overexposure exists, wear approved respirator. Supplied-air type respirator may be required in special circumstances. Correct fit is essential to ensure adequate protection. Provide adequate ventilation in warehouses and enclosed storage areas. Air contaminants generated in the workplace possess varying 'escape' velocities which, in turn, determine the 'capture velocities' of fresh circulating air required to effectively remove the contaminant.

Type of Contaminant: Air Speed:

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0.25-0.5 m/s (50-100 solvent, vapours, degreasing etc., evaporating from tank (in still air). f/min) aerosols, fumes from pouring operations, intermittent container filling, low speed conveyer transfers, welding, spray drift, plating 0.5-1 m/s (100-200 acid fumes, pickling (released at low velocity into zone of active generation) f/min.) direct spray, spray painting in shallow booths, drum filling, conveyer loading, crusher dusts, gas discharge (active generation 1-2.5 m/s (200-500 into zone of rapid air motion) f/min.) grinding, abrasive blasting, tumbling, high speed wheel generated dusts (released at high initial velocity into zone of very high 2.5-10 m/s rapid air motion) (500-2000 f/min.)

Within each range the appropriate value depends on:

Lower end of the range	Upper end of the range
1: Room air currents minimal or favourable to capture	1: Disturbing room air currents
2: Contaminants of low toxicity or of nuisance value only.	2: Contaminants of high toxicity
3: Intermittent, low production.	3: High production, heavy use
4: Large hood or large air mass in motion	4: Small hood-local control only

Simple theory shows that air velocity falls rapidly with distance away from the opening of a simple extraction pipe. Velocity generally decreases with the square of distance from the extraction point (in simple cases). Therefore the air speed at the extraction point should be adjusted, accordingly, after reference to distance from the contaminating source. The air velocity at the extraction fan, for example, should be a minimum of 1-2 m/s (200-400 f/min) for extraction of solvents generated in a tank 2 meters distant from the extraction point. Other mechanical considerations, producing performance deficits within the extraction apparatus, make it essential that theoretical air velocities are multiplied by factors of 10 or more when extraction systems are installed or used

#### Personal protection









- Safety glasses with side shields.
- Chemical goggles

#### Eye and face protection

Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lenses or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task. This should include a review of lens absorption and adsorption for the class of chemicals in use and an account of injury experience. Medical and first-aid personnel should be trained in their removal and suitable equipment should be readily available. In the event of chemical exposure, begin eye irrigation immediately and remove contact lens as soon as practicable. Lens should be removed at the first signs of eye redness or irritation - lens should be removed in a clean environment only after workers have washed hands thoroughly. [CDC NIOSH Current Intelligence Bulletin 59], [AS/NZS 1336 or national equivalent]

## Skin protection

### See Hand protection below

- ► Wear chemical protective gloves, e.g. PVC.
- ▶ Wear safety footwear or safety gumboots, e.g. Rubber

The selection of suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality which vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Where the chemical is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

The exact break through time for substances has to be obtained from the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed when making a final choice.

Personal hygiene is a key element of effective hand care. Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturizer is recommended

Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Important factors in the selection of gloves include:

- frequency and duration of contact,
- chemical resistance of glove material,
- glove thickness and
- dexterity

Select gloves tested to a relevant standard (e.g. Europe EN 374, US F739, AS/NZS 2161.1 or national equivalent).

- When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 5 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 240 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended.
- When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 3 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 60 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161,10,1 or national equivalent) is recommended.
- Some glove polymer types are less affected by movement and this should be taken into account when considering gloves for long-term use.
- Contaminated gloves should be replaced.

For general applications, gloves with a thickness typically greater than 0.35 mm, are recommended.

It should be emphasised that glove thickness is not necessarily a good predictor of glove resistance to a specific chemical, as the permeation efficiency of the glove will be dependent on the exact composition of the glove material. Therefore, glove selection should also be based on consideration of the task requirements and knowledge of breakthrough times.

Glove thickness may also vary depending on the glove manufacturer, the glove type and the glove model. Therefore, the manufacturers' technical data should always be taken into account to ensure selection of the most appropriate glove for the task.

Note: Depending on the activity being conducted, gloves of varying thickness may be required for specific tasks. For example:

- Thinner gloves (down to 0.1 mm or less) may be required where a high degree of manual dexterity is needed. However, these gloves are only likely to give short duration protection and would normally be just for single use applications, then disposed of.
- Thicker gloves (up to 3 mm or more) may be required where there is a mechanical (as well as a chemical) risk i.e. where there is abrasion or puncture potential

Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended.

Neoprene rubber gloves

## **Body protection**

Hands/feet protection

## See Other protection below

#### Other protection

- Overalls.
- ▶ P.V.C. apron. Barrier cream.
- Skin cleansing cream.
- Eye wash unit.

## Thermal hazards

Not Available

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## Recommended material(s)

#### GLOVE SELECTION INDEX

Glove selection is based on a modified presentation of the:

'Forsberg Clothing Performance Index'.

The effect(s) of the following substance(s) are taken into account in the  $\ computer-generated$  selection:

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Material	CPI
PVA	С

<sup>\*</sup> CPI - Chemwatch Performance Index

B: Satisfactory; may degrade after 4 hours continuous immersion

C: Poor to Dangerous Choice for other than short term immersion

**NOTE**: As a series of factors will influence the actual performance of the glove, a final selection must be based on detailed observation. -

\* Where the glove is to be used on a short term, casual or infrequent basis, factors such as 'feel' or convenience (e.g. disposability), may dictate a choice of gloves which might otherwise be unsuitable following long-term or frequent use. A qualified practitioner should be consulted.

#### Respiratory protection

Cartridge respirators should never be used for emergency ingress or in areas of unknown vapour concentrations or oxygen content. The wearer must be warned to leave the contaminated area immediately on detecting any odours through the respirator. The odour may indicate that the mask is not functioning properly, that the vapour concentration is too high, or that the mask is not properly fitted. Because of these limitations, only restricted use of cartridge respirators is considered appropriate.

Selection of the Class and Type of respirator will depend upon the level of breathing zone contaminant and the chemical nature of the contaminant. Protection Factors (defined as the ratio of contaminant outside and inside the mask) may also be important.

Required minimum protection factor	Maximum gas/vapour concentration present in air p.p.m. (by volume)	Half-face Respirator	Full-Face Respirator
up to 10	1000	A-AUS / Class	
		1	
up to 50	1000	-	A-AUS / Class
			1
up to 50	5000	Airline *	-
up to 100	5000	-	A-2
up to 100	10000	-	A-3
100+		_	Airline**

<sup>\* -</sup> Continuous Flow

A(All classes) = Organic vapours, B AUS or B1 = Acid gases, B2 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), B3 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), E = Sulfur dioxide(SO2), G = Agricultural chemicals, K = Ammonia(NH3), Hg = Mercury, NO = Oxides of nitrogen, MB = Methyl bromide, AX = Low boiling point organic compounds(below 65 deg C)

### **SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

## Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	colorless		
Physical state	Liquid	Relative density (Water = 1)	1.354
Odour	Not Available	Partition coefficient n-octanol / water	Not Available
Odour threshold	Not Available	Auto-ignition temperature (°C)	Not Available
pH (as supplied)	Not Available	Decomposition temperature	>400
Melting point / freezing point (°C)	-110	Viscosity (cSt)	Not Available
Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C)	71	Molecular weight (g/mol)	Not Available
Flash point (°C)	Not Available	Taste	Not Available
Evaporation rate	Not Available	Explosive properties	Not Available
Flammability	Not Available	Oxidising properties	Not Available
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)	Not Available
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Volatile Component (%vol)	Not Available
Vapour pressure (kPa)	18.487	Gas group	Not Available
Solubility in water (g/L)	Immiscible	pH as a solution (1%)	Not Available
Vapour density (Air = 1)	4.3	VOC g/L	Not Available

## **SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity	See section 7
Chemical stability	<ul> <li>Unstable in the presence of incompatible materials.</li> <li>Product is considered stable.</li> <li>Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.</li> </ul>
Possibility of hazardous reactions	See section 7
Conditions to avoid	See section 7
Incompatible materials	See section 7
Hazardous decomposition products	See section 5

## **SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Information on toxicological effects

Inhaled

Evidence shows, or practical experience predicts, that the material produces irritation of the respiratory system, in a substantial number of individuals, following inhalation. In contrast to most organs, the lung is able to respond to a chemical insult by first removing or neutralising the irritant and then

A: Best Selection

<sup>\*\* -</sup> Continuous-flow or positive pressure demand.

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repairing the damage. The repair process, which initially evolved to protect mammalian lungs from foreign matter and antigens, may however, produce further lung damage resulting in the impairment of gas exchange, the primary function of the lungs. Respiratory tract irritation often results in an inflammatory response involving the recruitment and activation of many cell types, mainly derived from the vascular system.

Inhalation of vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness. This may be accompanied by narcosis, reduced alertness, loss of reflexes, lack of coordination and vertigo.

Depression of the central nervous system is the most outstanding effect of most halogenated aliphatic hydrocarbons. Inebriation and excitation, passing into narcosis, is a typical reaction. In severe acute exposures there is always a danger of death from respiratory failure or cardiac arrest due to a tendency to make the heart more susceptible to catecholamines (adrenalin)

Acute intoxication by halogenated aliphatic hydrocarbons appears to take place over two stages. Signs of a reversible narcosis are evident in the first stage and in the second stage signs of injury to organs may become evident, a single organ alone is (almost) never involved.

In the case of iodised and brominated compounds, exposure effects cannot be described by simple central nervous system depression produced by other halogenated aliphatic hydrocarbons. Headache, nausea, ataxia (loss of muscle co-ordination), tremors, speech difficulties, visual disturbances, convulsions, paralysis, delirium, mania and apathy are all evidence of additional effects.

The material has **NOT** been classified by EC Directives or other classification systems as 'harmful by inhalation'. This is because of the lack of corroborating animal or human evidence. In the absence of such evidence, care should be taken nevertheless to ensure exposure is kept to a minimum and that suitable control measures be used, in an occupational setting to control vapours, furnes and aerosols.

Inhalation hazard is increased at higher temperatures.

The use of a quantity of material in an unventilated or confined space may result in increased exposure and an irritating atmosphere developing. Before starting consider control of exposure by mechanical ventilation.

## Ingestion

The material has **NOT** been classified by EC Directives or other classification systems as 'harmful by ingestion'. This is because of the lack of corroborating animal or human evidence. The material may still be damaging to the health of the individual, following ingestion, especially where pre-existing organ (e.g liver, kidney) damage is evident. Present definitions of harmful or toxic substances are generally based on doses producing mortality rather than those producing morbidity (disease, ill-health). Gastrointestinal tract discomfort may produce nausea and vomiting. In an occupational setting however, ingestion of insignificant quantities is not thought to be cause for concern.

#### Skin Contact

Evidence exists, or practical experience predicts, that the material either produces inflammation of the skin in a substantial number of individuals following direct contact, and/or produces significant inflammation when applied to the healthy intact skin of animals, for up to four hours, such inflammation being present twenty-four hours or more after the end of the exposure period. Skin irritation may also be present after prolonged or repeated exposure; this may result in a form of contact dermatitis (nonallergic). The dermatitis is often characterised by skin redness (erythema) and swelling (oedema) which may progress to blistering (vesiculation), scaling and thickening of the epidermis. At the microscopic level there may be intercellular oedema of the spongy layer of the skin (spongiosis) and intracellular oedema of the epidermis.

The material may accentuate any pre-existing dermatitis condition

Skin contact is not thought to have harmful health effects (as classified under EC Directives); the material may still produce health damage following entry through wounds, lesions or abrasions.

Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material

Entry into the blood-stream through, for example, cuts, abrasions, puncture wounds or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects. Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected.

#### Eye

Evidence exists, or practical experience predicts, that the material may cause eye irritation in a substantial number of individuals and/or may produce significant ocular lesions which are present twenty-four hours or more after instillation into the eye(s) of experimental animals.

Repeated or prolonged eye contact may cause inflammation characterised by temporary redness (similar to windburn) of the conjunctiva (conjunctivitis); temporary impairment of vision and/or other transient eye damage/ulceration may occur.

Repeated or long-term occupational exposure is likely to produce cumulative health effects involving organs or biochemical systems. Long-term exposure to respiratory irritants may result in disease of the airways involving difficult breathing and related systemic problems.

There is sufficient evidence to provide a strong presumption that human exposure to the material may result in impaired fertility on the basis of: - clear evidence in animal studies of impaired fertility in the absence of toxic effects, or evidence of impaired fertility occurring at around the same dose levels as other toxic effects but which is not a secondary non-specific consequence of other toxic effects.

There is sufficient evidence to provide a strong presumption that human exposure to the material may result in developmental toxicity, generally on the basis

- clear results in appropriate animal studies where effects have been observed in the absence of marked maternal toxicity, or at around the same dose levels as other toxic effects but which are not secondary non-specific consequences of the other toxic effects.

#### Chronic

Chronic intoxication with ionic bromides, historically, has resulted from medical use of bromides but not from environmental or occupational exposure; depression, hallucinosis, and schizophreniform psychosis can be seen in the absence of other signs of intoxication. Bromides may also induce sedation, irritability, agitation, delirium, memory loss, confusion, disorientation, forgetfulness (aphasias), dysarthria, weakness, fatigue, vertigo, stupor, coma, decreased appetite, nausea and vomiting, diarrhoea, hallucinations, an acne like rash on the face, legs and trunk, known as bronchoderma (seen in 25-30% of case involving bromide ion), and a profuse discharge from the nostrils (coryza). Ataxia and generalised hyperreflexia have also been observed. Correlation of neurologic symptoms with blood levels of bromide is inexact. The use of substances such as brompheniramine, as antihistamines, largely reflect current day usage of bromides; ionic bromides have been largely withdrawn from therapeutic use due to their toxicity.

In test animals, brominated vegetable oils (BVOs), historically used as emulsifiers in certain soda-based soft drinks, produced damage to the heart and kidneys in addition to increasing fat deposits in these organs. In extreme cases BVO caused testicular damage, stunted growth and produced lethargy and fatigue.

Brominism produces slurred speech, apathy, headache, decreased memory, anorexia and drowsiness, psychosis resembling paranoid schizophrenia, and personality changes

Several cases of foetal abnormalities have been described in mothers who took large doses of bromides during pregnancy.

Reproductive effects caused by bromide (which crosses the placenta) include central nervous system depression, brominism, and bronchoderma in the newborn.

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TOXICITY	IRRITATION
Not Available	Not Available

## 1-bromopropane

TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
dermal (rat) LD50: >2000 mg/kg <sup>[1]</sup>	Not Available	
Inhalation (rat) LC50: 31.625 mg/l/30m**[Albemarle] <sup>[2]</sup>		
Oral (rat) LD50: >2000 mg/kg <sup>[1]</sup>		

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1-BROMOPROPANE

TOXICITY	IRRITATION
Dermal (rabbit) LD50: 2100 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye (rabbit): 2100 mg/kg-moderate
Inhalation (rat) LC50: 6.3 mg/l/4H <sup>[2]</sup>	Skin (rabbit): 500 mg/24h - mild
Oral (rat) LD50: 500 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	

#### Legend:

1. Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Acute toxicity 2.\* Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS. Unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances

Asthma-like symptoms may continue for months or even years after exposure to the material ceases. This may be due to a non-allergenic condition known as reactive airways dysfunction syndrome (RADS) which can occur following exposure to high levels of highly irritating compound. Key criteria for the diagnosis of RADS include the absence of preceding respiratory disease, in a non-atopic individual, with abrupt onset of persistent asthma-like symptoms within minutes to hours of a documented exposure to the irritant. A reversible airflow pattern, on spirometry, with the presence of moderate to severe bronchial hyperreactivity on methacholine challenge testing and the lack of minimal lymphocytic inflammation, without eosinophilia, have also been included in the criteria for diagnosis of RADS. RADS (or asthma) following an irritating inhalation is an infrequent disorder with rates related to the concentration of and duration of exposure to the irritating substance. Industrial bronchitis, on the other hand, is a disorder that occurs as result of exposure due to high concentrations of irritating substance (often particulate in nature) and is completely reversible after exposure ceases. The disorder is characterised by dyspnea, cough and mucus production.

Disinfection by products (DBPs) re formed when disinfectants such as chlorine, chloramine, and ozone react with organic and inorganic matter in water. The observations that some DBPs such as trihalomethanes (THMs), di-/trichloroacetic acids, and 3-chloro-4-(dichloromethyl)-5-hydroxy-2(5H)-furanone (MX) are carcinogenic in animal studies have raised public concern over the possible adverse health effects of DBPs. To date, several hundred DBPs have been identified.

Numerous haloalkanes and haloalkenes have been tested for carcinogenic and mutagenic activities. n general, the genotoxic potential is dependent on the nature, number, and position of halogen(s) and the molecular size of the compound. Short-chain monohalogenated (excluding fluorine) alkanes and alkenes are potential direct-acting alkylating agents, particularly if the halogen is at the terminal end of the carbon chain or at an allylic position. Dihalogenated alkanes are also potential alkylating or cross-linking agents (either directly or after GSH conjugation),particularly if they are vicinally substituted (e.g., 1,2-dihaloalkane) or substituted at the two terminal ends of a short to medium-size (e.g., 2-7) alkyl moiety (i.e., alpha, omega-dihaloalkane). Fully halogenated haloalkanes tend to act by free radical or nongenotoxic mechanisms (such as generating peroxisome-proliferative intermediates) or undergo reductive dehalogenation to yield haloalkenes that in turn could be activated to epoxides.

Haloalkenes are of concern because of potential to generate genotoxic intermediates after epoxidation. The concern for haloalkenes may be diminished if the double bond is internal or sterically hindered.

The cancer concern levels of the 14 haloalkanes and haloalkenes, have been rated based on available screening cancer bioassay (pulmonary adenoma assay) and genotoxicity data. Five brominated and iodinated methane and ethane derivatives are given a moderate rating. Beyond the fact that bromine and iodine are better leaving groups than chlorine, there is also evidence that brominated THMs may be preferentially activated by a theta-class glutathione S-transferase (GSTT1-1) to mutagens in Salmonella even at low substrate concentrations Furthermore, there are human carcinogenicity implications because of polymorphism in GSTT1-1. Human subpopulations with expressed GSTT1-1 may be at a greater risk to brominate THMs than humans who lack the gene.

Six, two, and one haloalkanes/ haloalkene(s) are given low-moderate, marginal, and low concern, respectively.

Tenth Annual Report on Carcinogens: Substance anticipated to be Carcinogen

[National Toxicology Program: U.S. Dep. of Health & Human Services 2002]

Inhalation (rat) LC50: 253000 mg/m3/30m \*\* [Albemarle] 1-Bromopropane is reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen based on sufficient evidence of carcinogenicity from studies in experimental animals. These studies found that exposure to 1-bromoproPane caused tumors at several tissue sites in rats and mice. 1-Bromopropane, either directly or via reactive metabolites, causes molecular alterations that typically are associated with carcinogenesis, including genotoxicity, oxidative stress, and glutathione depletion. These alterations, observed mainly in vitro and in toxicity studies in rodents, are relevant to possible mechanisms of human carcinogenicity and support the relevance of the cancer studies in experimental animals to cancer in humans.

Oxiranes (including glycidyl ethers and alkyl oxides, and epoxides) exhibit many common characteristics with respect to animal toxicology. One such oxirane is ethyloxirane; data presented here may be taken as representative.

for 1,2-butylene oxide (ethyloxirane):

Ethyloxirane increased the incidence of tumours of the respiratory system in male and female rats exposed via inhalation. Significant increases in nasal papillary adenomas and combined alveolar/bronchiolar adenomas and carcinomas were observed in male rats exposed to 1200 mg/m3 ethyloxirane via inhalation for 103 weeks. There was also a significant positive trend in the incidence of combined alveolar/bronchiolar adenomas and carcinomas. Nasal papillary adenomas were also observed in 2/50 high-dose female rats with none occurring in control or low-dose animals. In mice exposed chronically via inhalation, one male mouse developed a squamous cell papilloma in the nasal cavity (300 mg/m3) but other tumours were not observed. Tumours were not observed in mice exposed chronically via dermal exposure. When trichloroethylene containing 0.8% ethyloxirane was administered orally to mice for up to 35 weeks, followed by 0.4% from weeks 40 to 69, squamous-cell carcinomas of the forestomach occurred in 3/49 males (p=0.029, age-adjusted) and 1/48 females at week 106. Trichloroethylene administered alone did not induce these tumours and they were not observed in control animals. Two structurally related substances, oxirane (ethylene oxide) and methyloxirane (propylene oxide), which are also direct-acting alkylating agents, have been classified as carcinogenic

for 1,2-butylene oxide (syn 1,2-epoxybutene, BO)

Acute toxicity: BO caused acute toxic effects in mammals: LD50 rat (oral) 900 mg/kg body weight, LC 50 rat (inhalative, 4 h) > 6,300 < 20,000 mg/m 3, LD 50 rabbit (dermal) 1,757 (1,255 - 2,546) mg/kg body weight.

It was irritating to the eyes. Irritating effects to the skin were severe (corrosion) if evaporation was minimised due to occlusive application, but there was no effect by semi-occlusive application. BO was not sensitising in a guinea pig maximisation test. In 90-day inhalation studies with rats and mice BO mainly caused nasal lesions (NOAEC 600 and 150 mg/m3, respectively).

Systemic effects occurred at higher concentrations (rat 2400 mg/m3: decreased mean body weight gain; mice 2400 mg/m3: e.g. renal tubular necrosis). Repeat dose toxicity: BO mainly caused nasal lesions (inflammation of nasal cavity) in the 90-day inhalation studies with rats and mice. Higher concentrations additionally affected kidneys of mice.

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The overall NOAEC was 1200 and 150 mg/m3 for rats and mice and the LOAECs were 1800 and 300 mg/m3 for rats and mice, respectively.

Reproductive toxicity: The 90 day studies with rat and mice did not reveal adverse effects on the reproductive organs up to 2400 mg/kg body weight.

Additionally, the lack of an effect from pregestational exposure in the developmental toxicity study and a negative dominant-lethal test may indicate that BO

does not reach male and female germ cells in effective concentrations. **Developmental toxicity:** No developmental toxicity or teratogenicity was detected in rats after inhalation of up to 3,000 mg/m3 throughout gestation. From the rabbit study no conclusions can be drawn due to high mortality in the high dose group.

Genotoxicity: BO was genotoxic in vitro. However, it caused neither chromosomal aberrations in bone marrow nor dominant-lethal mutations in germ cells of rats.

Carcinogenicity: There is clear evidence for BO being a locally acting carcinogen in male rats (inhalation of 600 mg/m 3 caused no tumours and 1,200 mg/m3 caused neoplasms of the nasal cavity and the lung of male rats) and there is equivocal evidence for a carcinogenic activity in female rats. There was no evidence for carcinogenic activity in male or female mice. However, the mortality of females was increased in this study due to an infection and this raises difficulties in the interpretation of the result.

Regarding the overall database on genotoxicity and structural relationship to epoxyethane and -propane, BO seems to be a genotoxic compound, showing a carcinogenic activity at the site of application only at high concentrations. However, irritating properties of the compound may cause cell proliferation and

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contribute thereby to tumour induction 1-BROMOPROPANE & 1.2-BUTYLENE OXIDE WARNING: This substance has been classified by the IARC as Group 2B: Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans. **Acute Toxicity** Carcinogenicity 2 Reproductivity J Skin Irritation/Corrosion Serious Eye Damage/Irritation STOT - Single Exposure J Respiratory or Skin 0 STOT - Repeated Exposure sensitisation Mutagenicity 0 **Aspiration Hazard** 0

Legend:

🗶 – Data available but does not fill the criteria for classification

Data available to make classification

Data Not Available to make classification

#### **SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Toxicity

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	Not Available	Not Available		Not Available Not Availab		е	Not Available
1-bromopropane	ENDPOINT	TEST DURATION (HR)	SPEC	SPECIES		VALUE	SOURCE
	LC50	96	Fish		24.3mg/L	2	
	EC50	48	Crustacea		99.3mg/L	2	
	NOEC	72	Algae or other aquatic plants		0.93mg/L	2	
1,2-butylene oxide	ENDPOINT	TEST DURATION (HR)	SPECIES			VALUE	SOURCE
	EC50	48	Crustacea			=69.8mg/L	1
	EC50	72	Algae or other aquatic plants		>500mg/L	1	
	EC0	48	Crustacea			=31.3mg/L	1
	NOEC	96	Fish	Fish		46mg/L	1

Legend:

Extracted from 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Information - Aquatic Toxicity 3. EPIWIN Suite V3.12 (QSAR) - Aquatic Toxicity Data (Estimated) 4. US EPA, Ecotox database - Aquatic Toxicity Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessment Data 6. NITE (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 7. METI (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 8. Vendor Data

For haloalkanes and haloalkenes:

#### Environmental fate:

Certain haloalkane gases in the atmosphere can also contribute to the greenhouse effect by restricting heat loss from the Earth's atmosphere through absorbing infrared emissions from the surface. Generally haloalkanes contributing to the greenhouse effect consist of a fully or partly fluorinated carbon backbone.

Gas-phase reactions with OH radicals are the major tropospheric loss process for the haloalkanes. In addition photooxidation reactions with O3 and NO3 radicals can result in transformation.

Organic substances containing chlorine, if primarily present in the atmospheric compartment and if their lifetime is long enough can reach the stratosphere and decompose through photolysis and other chemical reaction (e.g. with OH radical). Chlorine atoms can then participate in the catalytic ozone destruction cycles. The atmospheric lifetime is too short to enable a significant fraction of the compound emitted to reach the stratosphere

Halloalkanes do not hydrolyse easily. Acids do not catalyse the hydrolysis and base catalysis is only important at higher pHs than are observed in the environment.

The apparent hazard of halo- alkanes and alkenes to human health has prompted investigations concerning their fate in subsurface waters and in soil. Although abiotic transformations may be significant within the time scales commonly associated with groundwater movement, biotic process typically proceed much faster, provided that there are sufficient substrates, nutrients and microbial populations to mediate such transformations. Several bacterial strains including methane-utilising bacteria capable of utilising haloalkanes have been isolated. Microbial dehalogenation by these strains is mediated by enzymes (oxygenase and hydrolase). The biodegradation of haloalkanes can proceed through different pathways. Haloparaffins (C12 to C18) have been reported to be incorporated into fatty acids in bacteria, yeasts, and fungi, resulting in their accumulation in the food chain. Another pathway is the oxygenation at the nonhalogenated end of monohalogenated alkanes by an inherent oxygenase with a tight substrate selectivity In this case fluoroalkanes were defluorinated, but no dehalogenation was observed with chloro-, bromo-, or iodoalkanes. Chain length was reported to have minor effects on this oxygenation reaction. In general, alpha- and alpha,omega-chlorinated haloalkanes with short carbon chains (C1 to C6) are dehalogenated hydrolytically or by a glutathione-dependent mechanism. In contrast, alpha- and alpha,omega-haloalkanes with longer chains, e.g., 1,9-dichlorononane and 1,10-dichlorodecane (1,10-DCD), have been proposed to be dehalogenated by oxidative mechanisms. Studies on the biodegradation of this class of compounds are rare, because haloalkane-degrading microorganisms are not easily found

In water and terrestrial compartments haloalkanes may hydrolyse in the presence of naturally occurring sulfur-containing nucleophiles Bisulfide ion (HS-) is generally the most important nucleophile because it is moderately reactive and is usually present at the highest concentration. When elemental sulfur is present, polysulfides(S4 2- and S5 2-) will be more important than HS- at pH 7 (approximately) because they are 60 times more reactive and their equilibrium concentrations increase with increasing pH. The end products of such reactions include a variety of mercaptans and dialkyl sulfides.

#### Environmental fate:

Bromide ion may be introduced to the environment after the dissociation of various salts and complexes or the degradation of organobromide compounds.

Bromides may also affect the growth of micro-organisms and have been used for this purpose in industry.

Bromides in drinking water are occasionally subject to disinfection processes involving ozone of chlorine. Bromide may be oxidised to produce hypobromous acid which in turn may react with natural organic matter to form brominated compounds. The formation of bromoform has been well documented, as has the formation of bromoacetic acids, bromopicrin, cyanogen bromide, and bromoacetone. Bromates may also be formed following ozonation or chlorination if pH is relatively high. Bromates may be animal carcinogens.

Bromine reservoirs, such as HBr and BrONO2, are much more easily broken up by sunlight; causing bromine to be from 10 to 100 times more effective than chlorine at destroying ozone. From 30-60% of bromocarbons released to the atmosphere are man-made (methyl bromide fumigants and halon fire extinguishers) and both compounds are restricted by international agreement **Ecotoxicity**:

Although not a significant toxin in mammalian or avian systems it is highly toxic to rainbow trout and Daphnia magna.

Fish LC50 (96 h): bluegill sunfish: 0.52 mg/L (as Br2); rainbow trout 0.23 mg/L (as Br2); sheepshead minnow 0.19 mg/L (as Br2)

Daphnia magna LC50 (48 h): 0.71 mg/L (as Br2)

Eastern oysters EC50 (96 h): 0.54 mg/L (as Br2)

Mysid Shrimp LC50 (LC50): 0.17 mg/L (as Br2)

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On the basis of the available evidence concerning properties and predicted or observed environmental fate and behavior, the material may present a danger to the structure and/ or functioning of the stratospheric ozone layer.

DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways.

#### Persistence and degradability

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air	
1-bromopropane	LOW	LOW	
1,2-butylene oxide	LOW (Half-life = 12.92 days)	LOW (Half-life = 12.71 days)	

#### Bioaccumulative potential

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation	
1-bromopropane	LOW (LogKOW = 2.1)	
1,2-butylene oxide	LOW (LogKOW = 0.8633)	

#### Mobility in soil

Ingredient	Mobility
1-bromopropane	LOW (KOC = 43.79)
1,2-butylene oxide	LOW (KOC = 4.491)

#### **SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### Waste treatment methods

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- Reduction
- Reuse
- Recycling
- Disposal (if all else fails)

## Product / Packaging disposal

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use. If it has been contaminated, it may be possible to reclaim the product by filtration, distillation or some other means. Shelf life considerations should also be applied in making decisions of this type. Note that properties of a material may change in use, and recycling or reuse may not always be appropriate.

- DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning or process equipment to enter drains
- It may be necessary to collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.
- In all cases disposal to sewer may be subject to local laws and regulations and these should be considered first.
- ▶ Where in doubt contact the responsible authority.
- Recycle wherever possible or consult manufacturer for recycling options.
- Consult State Land Waste Authority for disposal.
- Bury or incinerate residue at an approved site.
- ▶ Recycle containers if possible, or dispose of in an authorised landfill.

### **SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

## Labels Required

**Marine Pollutant** 

NO

Land transport (TDG): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC code

Not Applicable

## **SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION**

## Safety, health and environmental regulations / legislation specific for the substance or mixture

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations

## 1-BROMOPROPANE(106-94-5) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

Canada - Northwest Territories Occupational Exposure Limits (English)	Canada - Saskatchewan Occupational Health and Safety Regulations - Contamination Limits
Canada - British Columbia Occupational Exposure Limits	Canada Categorization decisions for all DSL substances
Canada - Nova Scotia Occupational Exposure Limits	Canada Domestic Substances List (DSL)
Canada - Prince Edward Island Occupational Exposure Limits	International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) - Agents Classified by the IARC
	Monographs

1,2-BUTYLENE OXIDE(106-88-7) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

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Canada - Saskatchewan Occupational Health and Safety Regulations - Designated Chemical Canada Domestic Substances List (DSL) Substances International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) - Agents Classified by the IARC Canada Categorization decisions for all DSL substances Monographs **National Inventory** Status Australia - AICS Υ Canada - DSL Canada - NDSL N (1,2-butylene oxide; 1-bromopropane) China - IECSC Υ Υ Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP Japan - ENCS Υ Korea - KECI Υ New Zealand - NZIoC Υ Philippines - PICCS Υ USA - TSCA Y = All ingredients are on the inventory Legend: N = Not determined or one or more ingredients are not on the inventory and are not exempt from listing(see specific ingredients in brackets)

## **SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION**

#### Other information

Classification of the preparation and its individual components has drawn on official and authoritative sources as well as independent review by the Chemwatch Classification committee using available literature references.

The SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.

## **Definitions and abbreviations**

PC-TWA: Permissible Concentration-Time Weighted Average

PC-STEL: Permissible Concentration-Short Term Exposure Limit

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit.

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations

OSF: Odour Safety Factor

NOAEL: No Observed Adverse Effect Level

LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

LOD: Limit Of Detection

OTV: Odour Threshold Value

BCF: BioConcentration Factors

BEI: Biological Exposure Index

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