## Section 1: Identification

### Product identifier

- **Product Name**: Oxygen (≤ 21.5%), Ethane (≤ 1.5%), Nitrogen (Balance)
- **Product Code**: 90109

### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

- **Recommended use**: Calibration standard

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

- **Manufacturer**: Air Liquide
  - 2700 Post Oak Blvd.
  - Houston, TX 77056
  - United States
  - [www.us.airliquide.com](http://www.us.airliquide.com)
  - sds@airliquide.com
- **Telephone (Technical)**: 713-896-2896
- **Telephone (Technical)**: 800-819-1704

### Emergency telephone number

- **Manufacturer**: 800-424-9300 - CHEMTREC
- **Manufacturer**: +1 703-527-3887 - Outside United States

## Section 2: Hazard Identification

### United States (US)

According to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200 HCS

### Classification of the substance or mixture

- **OSHA HCS 2012**: Compressed Gas - H280 Simple Asphyxiant

### Label elements

- **OSHA HCS 2012**

### Hazard statements

**WARNING**

- Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated - H280
- May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation.

### Precautionary statements

- **Storage/Disposal**: Store in a well-ventilated place. - P403

### Other hazards
OSHA HCS 2012


Canada

According to WHMIS

Classification of the substance or mixture

WHMIS

- Compressed Gas - A

Label elements

WHMIS

- Compressed Gas - A

Other hazards

WHMIS

- This material is a simple asphyxiant. May displace or reduce oxygen available for breathing especially in confined spaces.

In Canada, the product mentioned above is considered hazardous under the Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS).

Other information

NFPA

Section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

Substances

- Material does not meet the criteria of a substance.

Mixtures

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Section 4: First-Aid Measures

Description of first aid measures

Inhalation

- IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for
breathing. Administer oxygen if breathing is difficult. Give artificial respiration if victim is not breathing. If signs/symptoms continue, get medical attention.

**Skin**
- Although exposure is unlikely, in case of contact immediately flush skin with running water. If skin irritation develops get medical advice/attention.

**Eye**
- First aid is not expected to be necessary if material is used under ordinary conditions and as recommended. If irritation develops and persists, get medical attention.

**Ingestion**
- Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**
- Refer to Section 11 - Toxicological Information.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
- All treatments should be based on observed signs and symptoms of distress in the patient. Consideration should be given to the possibility that overexposure to materials other than this product may have occurred. A potential health hazard associated with this gas is anoxia.

**Other information**
- Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves. RESCUERS SHOULD NOT ATTEMPT TO RETRIEVE VICTIMS OF EXPOSURE TO GASES WITHOUT ADEQUATE PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT. At a minimum, Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus must be worn. Victim(s) who experience any adverse effect after overexposure to this gas mixture must be taken for medical attention. Rescuers should be taken for medical attention if necessary. Take a copy of the label and the MSDS to physician or other health professional with victim(s).

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### Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

**Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable Extinguishing Media**: Use extinguishing agent suitable for type of surrounding fire.
- **Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**: No data available

**Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
- **Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards**: Containers may explode when heated. Ruptured cylinders may rocket.
- **Hazardous Combustion Products**: No data available

**Advice for firefighters**
- Structural firefighters' protective clothing provides limited protection in fire situations ONLY; it is not effective in spill situations where direct contact with the substance is possible. Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Move containers from fire area if you can do it without risk. FIRE: If tank, rail car or tank truck is involved in a fire, ISOLATE for 800 meters (1/2 mile) in all directions; also, consider initial evacuation for 800 meters (1/2 mile) in all directions. FIRE INVOLVING TANKS: Fight fire from maximum distance or use unmanned hose holders or monitor nozzles. FIRE INVOLVING TANKS: Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after fire is out. FIRE INVOLVING TANKS: Do not direct water at source of leak or safety devices; icing may occur. FIRE INVOLVING TANKS: Withdraw immediately in case of rising sound from venting safety devices or discoloration of tank. FIRE INVOLVING TANKS: ALWAYS stay away from tanks engulfed in fire.
Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions
- Avoid breathing gas. Ventilate the area before entry. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing.

Emergency Procedures
- Evacuate area. Keep unauthorized personnel away. As an immediate precautionary measure, isolate spill or leak area for at least 100 meters (330 feet) in all directions.

Environmental precautions
- No special environmental precautions necessary.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Containment/Clean-up Measures
- Stop leak if you can do it without risk.
  - Do not direct water at spill or source of leak.
  - Use water spray to reduce vapors; do not put water directly on leak, spill area or inside container.
  - If possible, turn leaking containers so that gas escapes rather than liquid.
  - Isolate area until gas has dispersed.
  - Ventilate the area.
  - Allow substance to evaporate.

Reference to other sections
- Refer to Section 8 - Exposure Controls/Personal Protection and Section 13 - Disposal Considerations.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Precautions for safe handling

Handling
- Use only with adequate ventilation. Ventilate closed spaces before entering. Be aware of any signs of dizziness or fatigue, especially if work is done in a poorly ventilated area; exposures to fatal concentrations of this gas mixture could occur without any significant warning symptoms, due to olfactory fatigue or oxygen deficiency. Cylinders should be firmly secured to prevent falling or being knocked-over. Do not attempt to repair, adjust, or in any other way modify cylinders. If there is a malfunction or another type of operational problem, contact nearest distributor immediately. Empty containers retain product residue and can be hazardous. Do not cut, weld, puncture or incinerate container.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage
- Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place. Protect cylinders against physical damage. Cylinders should be firmly secured to prevent falling or being knocked-over.

Specific end use(s)
- Refer to Section 1.2 - Relevant identified uses.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Control parameters

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|          | Ethane (74-84-0)                            | 1000 ppm TWA (listed under Aliphatic hydrocarbon gases: Alkane C1-4) | 1000 ppm TWA |

Exposure controls

Engineering Measures/Controls
- Good general ventilation should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other
engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level.

**Personal Protective Equipment**

**Respiratory**
- Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or symptoms are experienced.

**Eye/Face**
- Wear safety glasses.

**Skin/Body**
- Wear leather gloves when handling cylinders.

**Environmental Exposure Controls**
- Follow best practice for site management and disposal of waste. Controls should be engineered to prevent release to the environment, including procedures to prevent spills, atmospheric release and release to waterways.

**Key to abbreviations**
- TWA = Time-Weighted Averages are based on 8h/day, 40h/week exposures

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### Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

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### Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

#### Reactivity
- No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

#### Chemical stability
- Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

#### Possibility of hazardous reactions
- Hazardous polymerization will not occur.
Conditions to avoid

- Excess heat.

Incompatible materials

- No data available

Hazardous decomposition products

- Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

Information on toxicological effects

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Route(s) of entry/exposure

- Inhalation, Skin, Eye, Ingestion

Potential Health Effects

Inhalation

Acute (Immediate)

- This material is a simple asphyxiant. May displace or reduce oxygen available for breathing especially in confined spaces. If this material is released in a small, poorly ventilated area (i.e. an enclosed or confined space), an oxygen-deficient environment may occur. Individuals breathing such an atmosphere may experience symptoms which include headaches, ringing in ears, dizziness, drowsiness, unconsciousness, nausea, vomiting, and depression of all the senses. Under some circumstances of over-exposure, death may occur. The following effects associated with decreased levels of oxygen: increase in breathing and pulse rate, emotional upset, abnormal fatigue, nausea, vomiting, collapse, loss of consciousness, convulsive movements, respiratory collapse and death.

Chronic (Delayed)

- No data available

Skin

Acute (Immediate)

- Under normal conditions of use, no health effects are expected.

Chronic (Delayed)

- No data available

Eye

Acute (Immediate)

- Under normal conditions of use, no health effects are expected.

Chronic (Delayed)

- No data available
Ingestion
Acute (Immediate)
- Ingestion will not occur due to the physical form of this product.
Chronic (Delayed)
- No data available
Carcinogenic Effects
- The components of this material are not found on the following lists: NTP and IARC; therefore, they are not considered to be, nor suspected to be, cancer-causing agents by these agencies.

Key to abbreviations
TC = Toxic Concentration

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Toxicity
- Material data lacking.

Persistence and degradability
- Material data lacking.

Bioaccumulative potential
- Material data lacking.

Mobility in Soil
- Material data lacking.

Other adverse effects
- No adverse ecological effects are expected.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Waste treatment methods
Product waste
- Dispose of content and/or container in accordance with local, regional, national, and/or international regulations.

Packaging waste
- Dispose of content and/or container in accordance with local, regional, national, and/or international regulations.

Section 14 - Transport Information

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Special precautions for user
- Cylinders should be transported in a secure position, in a well-ventilated vehicle. The transportation of compressed gas cylinders in automobiles or in closed-body vehicles can present serious safety hazards. If transporting these cylinders in vehicles, ensure...
these cylinders are not exposed to extremely high temperatures (as may occur in an enclosed vehicle on a hot day). Additionally, the vehicle should be well-ventilated during transportation.

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

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

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

SARA Hazard Classifications

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Canada

Labor

Canada - WHMIS - Classifications of Substances
- Ethane  74-84-0  A, B1
- Oxygen  7782-44-7  A, C
- Nitrogen 7727-37-9  A

Canada - WHMIS - Ingredient Disclosure List
- Ethane  74-84-0  Not Listed
- Oxygen  7782-44-7  Not Listed
- Nitrogen 7727-37-9  Not Listed

Environment

Canada - CEPA - Priority Substances List
- Ethane  74-84-0  Not Listed
- Oxygen  7782-44-7  Not Listed
- Nitrogen 7727-37-9  Not Listed

United States

Labor

U.S. - OSHA - Process Safety Management - Highly Hazardous Chemicals
- Ethane  74-84-0  Not Listed
- Oxygen  7782-44-7  Not Listed
- Nitrogen 7727-37-9  Not Listed

U.S. - OSHA - Specifically Regulated Chemicals
- Ethane  74-84-0  Not Listed
Environment
U.S. - CAA (Clean Air Act) - 1990 Hazardous Air Pollutants
- Ethane 74-84-0 Not Listed
- Oxygen 7782-44-7 Not Listed
- Nitrogen 7727-37-9 Not Listed

U.S. - CERCLA/SARA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities
- Ethane 74-84-0 Not Listed
- Oxygen 7782-44-7 Not Listed
- Nitrogen 7727-37-9 Not Listed

U.S. - CERCLA/SARA - Radionuclides and Their Reportable Quantities
- Ethane 74-84-0 Not Listed
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U.S. - CERCLA/SARA - Section 313 - PBT Chemical Listing
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United States - California

Environment
U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List
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U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxicity
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U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Maximum Allowable Dose Levels (MADL)
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• Nitrogen 7727-37-9 Not Listed

U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - No Significant Risk Levels (NSRL)
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• Nitrogen 7727-37-9 Not Listed

U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Female
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U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Male
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United States - Pennsylvania

Labor
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Section 16 - Other Information

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Key to abbreviations
NDA = No Data Available