

MINE SAFETY APPLIANCES CO -- 463464,CALIBRATION GAS,2.5% METHANE IN AIR --
6665-00-401-8500

===== Product Identification =====

Product ID:463464,CALIBRATION GAS,2.5% METHANE IN AIR
MSDS Date:03/04/1993
FSC:6665
NIIN:00-401-8500
Kit Part:Y
MSDS Number: BRQNW
=== Responsible Party ===
Company Name:MINE SAFETY APPLIANCES CO
Box:426
City:PITTSBURGH
State:PA
ZIP:15230
Country:US
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Emergency Phone Num:412-967-3000
CAGE:40912
=== Contractor Identification ===
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State:PA
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CAGE:40912
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State:PA
ZIP:15668-1753
Country:US
Phone:724-733-9272
CAGE:55799

===== Composition/Information on Ingredients =====

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me:METHANE
CAS:74-82-8
RTECS #:PA1490000
Fraction by Wt: 2.5%
Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED
ACGIH TLV:ASPHYXIAN; 9293

Ingred Name:AIR, REFRIGERATED LIQUID; AIR COMPRESSED (UN1002, DOT); AIR
REFRIGERATED LIQUID (CRYOGENIC LIQUID) (UN1003) (DOT)
RTECS #:AX5271000
Fraction by Wt: BALANCE
Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

===== Hazards Identification =====

LD50 LC50 Mixture:NOT KNOWN
Routes of Entry: Inhalation:YES Skin:NO Ingestion:NO
Reports of Carci
nogenicity:NTP:NO IARC:NO OSHA:NO
Health Hazards Acute and Chronic:ACUTE- METHANE IS A SIMPLE ASPHYXIAN.
NO SIGNS OR SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE ARE KNOWN FOR 2.5% METHANE IN AIR.
TARGET ORGANS IS LUNG.
Effects of Overexposure:NOT KNOWN
Medical Cond Aggravated by Exposure:NOT KNOWN

===== First Aid Measures =====

First Aid:FOR INHALATION OVEREXPOSURE REMOVE TO FRESH AIR, PROVIDE
CPR/OXYGEN IF NEEDED. GET MEDICAL HELP.

===== Fire Fighting Measures =====

Extinguishing Media:USE WATER FOG, CARBON DIOXIDE, FOAM, OR DRY
CHEMICAL FOR SURROUNDING FIRE. THIS CALIBRATION GAS MIXTURE IS NOT
FLAMMABL.
Fire Fighting Procedures:EVACUATE ALL PERSONNEL FROM DANGER AREA.
IMMEDIATELY DELUGE CONTAINERS WITH WATER SPRAY FROM MAXIMUM
DISTANCE UNTIL COOL, THEN MOVE CONTAINERS AWAY IF NO RISK.
Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazard:GAS UNDER PRESSURE, 115 PSIG AT 70 F.
CONTAINERS MAY EXPLODE IN THE HEAT OF FIRE.

===== Accidental Release Measures =====

Spill Release Procedures:VENTILATE AREA.

Neutralizing Agent:NONE

===== Handling and Storage =====

Handling and Storage Precautions:STORE IN A COOL, DRY, WELL-VENTILATED AREA. DO NOT EXCEED 120 F.

Other Precautions:AVOID BREATHING GAS. USE IN WELL VENTILATED AREAS. FOLLOW THE CALIBRATION PROCEDURE DETAILED IN THE MSA INSTRUCTION MANUAL PROVIDED WITH THE INSTRUMENT UNDER CALIBRATION.

===== Exposure Controls/Personal Protection =====

Respiratory Protection:DUE TO THE LIMITED AMOUNT OF GAS IN THE CYLINDER AND THE LOW RELEASE RATE EMPLOYED IN INSTRUMENT CALIBRATION, RESPIRATORY PROTECTION IS NOT INDICATED UNDER CONDITIONS OF INTENDED USE.

Ventilation:MECHANICAL VENTILATION IS SUITABLE.

Protective Gloves:NO

Eye Protection:SAFETY GLASSES OR GOGGLES RECOMMENDED

Other Protective Equipment:SAFETY SHOES OPTIONAL

Work Hygienic Practices:WASH HANDS THOROUGHLY BEFORE EATING OR DRINKING AND AFTER HANDLING.

Supplemental Safety and Health

===== Physical/Chemical Properties =====

HCC:G3

Vapor Pres:GAS

Vapor Density: