

Safety Data Sheet Neon

Section 1: Product and Company Identification

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Product Code: Neon

Section 2: Hazards Identification



Hazard Classification: Gases Under Pressure

Hazard Statements:

Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated

Precautionary Statements

Storage:

Protect from sunlight. Store in well-ventilated place.

Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

CAS # 7440-01-9

Chemical Substance	Chemical Family	Trade Names
NEON	Inorganic gases	NEON, COMPRESSED; UN 1065; Ne

Section 4: First Aid Measures

Skin Contact	Eye Contact	Ingestion	Inhalation	Note to Physicians
If frostbite or freezing occur, immediately flush with plenty of lukewarm water (105-115 F; 41-46 C). DO NOT USE HOT WATER. If warm water is not available, gently wrap affected parts in blankets. Get immediate medical attention.	Flush eyes with plenty of water.	If a large amount is swallowed, get medical attention.	If adverse effects occur, remove to uncontaminated area. Give artificial respiration if not breathing. If breathing is difficult, oxygen should be administered by qualified personnel. Get immediate medical attention.	For inhalation, consider oxygen.

Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media	Products of Combustion	Protection of Firefighters		
Non-flammable. Use extinguishing media suitable for surrounding fire.	Non-flammable	 Respiratory protection may be needed for frequent or heavy exposure. 		

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions	Environmental Precautions	Methods for Containment
Keep unnecessary people away, isolate hazard area and deny entry. Stay	Prevent contamination of	Stop leak if possible without
upwind and keep out of low areas.	environment	personal risk.

Methods for Cleanup	Other Information		
Not available	Not available		

Section 7: Handling and Storage

Handling	Storage
Store and handle in accordance with all current regulations and standards. Subject to storage regulations: U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.101.	Protect cylinders from damage.

Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Exposure Guidelines
NEON: No occupational exposure limits established.

Engineering Controls

Handle only in fully enclosed systems.

Transfer only in fairy enclosed systems.		
Eye Protection	Skin Protection	Respiratory Protection
For the gas: Eye protection not required, but recommended. For the liquid:	For the gas: Protective clothing is not	Respiratory protection may
Wear splash resistant safety goggles. Contact lenses should not be worn.	required. For the liquid: Wear	be needed for frequent or
Provide an emergency eye wash fountain and quick drench shower in the	appropriate protective, cold insulating	heavy exposure.
immediate work area.	clothing.	

General Hygiene considerations

- Avoid breathing vapor or mist
- Avoid contact with eyes and skin
- Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or drinking

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State	Appearance	Color	Change in Appearance	Physical Form	Odor	Taste
Gas	Clear	Colorless	N/A	Gas	Odorless	Tasteless

Flash Point	Flammability	Partition Coefficient	Autoignition Temperature	Upper Explosive Limits	Lower Explosive Limits
Not flammable	Not available	Not available	Nonflammable	Nonflammable	Nonflammable

Boiling Point	Freezing Point	Vapor Pressure	Vapor Density	Specific Gravity	Water Solubility	рH	Odor Threshold	Evaporation Rate	Viscosity
-411 F (-246 C)	-416 F (- 249 C)	760 mmHg @ -246 C	0.6964 (Air=1)	Not applicable	Slightly soluble	Not applicable	Not available	Not applicable	0.03181 cP @ 26.8 C

Molecular Weight	Molecular Formula	Density	Weight per Gallon	Volatility by Volume	Volatility	Solvent Solubility
20.179	Ne	0.9002 g/L @ 0	Not available	100%	Not	Soluble: Liquid
		С			applicable	oxygen

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Stability	Conditions to Avoid	Incompatible Materials
Stable at normal temperatures and pressure.	Stable at normal temperatures and pressure.	None known. Neon is inert.

Hazardous Decomposition Products	Possibility of Hazardous Reactions
None.	Will not polymerize.

Section 11: Toxicology Information

Acute Effects

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Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation		
Not available	Not available	Nausea, vomiting, difficulty breathing, irregular heartbeat, head ache, dizziness, disorientation, mood swings, tingling sensation, loss of coordination, suffocation, convulsions, unconsciousness, coma		

Eye Irritation	Skin Irritation	Sensitization	
Liquid: frostbite	Liquid: frostbite	Difficulty breathing	

Chronic Effects

Carcinogenicity	Mutagenicity	Reproductive Effects	Developmental Effects
Not available	Not available	Not available	No data

Section 12: Ecological Information

Fate and Transport

Eco toxicity	Persistence / Degradability	Bioaccumulation / Accumulation	Mobility in Environment
Fish toxicity: Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
Invertibrate toxicity: Not available			
Algal toxicity: Not available			
Phyto toxicity: Not available			
Other toxicity: Not available			

Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Section 14: Transportation Information

U.S. DOT 49 CFR 172.101

Proper Shipping Name	ID Number	Hazard Class or Division	Packing Group	Labeling Requirements	Passenger Aircraft or Railcar Quantity Limitations	Cargo Aircraft Only Quantity Limitations	Additional Shipping Description
Neon, compressed	UN1065	2.2	Not applicable	2.2	75 kg or L	150 kg	N/A

Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods

Shipping Name	UN Number	Class	Packing Group / Risk Group
Neon, compressed	UN1065	2.2	Not applicable

Section 15: Regulatory Information

U.S. Regulations

CERCLA Sections	SARA 355.30	SARA 355.40	
Not regulated.	Not regulated.	Not regulated.	

SARA 370.21

Acute	Chronic	Fire	Reactive	Sudden Release
Yes	No	No	No	Yes

SARA 372.65

Not regulated.

OSHA Process Safety

Not regulated.

State Regulations

CA Proposition 65
Not regulated.

Canadian Regulations

WHMIS Classification

National Inventory Status

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US Inventory (TSCA)	TSCA 12b Export Notification	Canada Inventory (DSL/NDSL)
Listed on inventory.	Not listed.	Not determined.

Section 16: Other Information

NFPA Rating

HEALTH=0 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=0 SPECIAL=SA

0 = minimal hazard, 1 = slight hazard, 2 = moderate hazard, 3 = severe hazard, 4 = extreme hazard