

## **NOTICE**

**The MSDS information for the two component system:**

**FROTH-PAK\* 180 25F/S Polyurethane Spray Foam System**

**is contained in two separate datasheets, one for the isocyanate and one for the polyol.**

**When printing or filing, please be sure to include both MSDS's.**



FROTH-PAK (TM) 180 25FS/MSHA Tank Polyurethane Spray Foam System  
**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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## 1) PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

THE DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY  
Midland Michigan 48674  
USA

**24-Hour Emergency Phone Number: 989-636-4400**

**Customer Service: 800-366-4740**

**PRODUCT NAME :** FROTH-PAK (TM) 180 25FS/MSHA Tank Polyurethane Spray Foam System

**COMPONENT :** Isocyanate, Side A

**MATERIAL TYPE :** isocyanate

**ISSUE DATE :** 07/19/2007

**REVISION DATE :** 05/25/2004

## 2) COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredient	CAS Number	%
Polymethylene polyphenyl isocyanate (containing 4,4'methylene bisphenyl isocyanate CAS# 101-68-8 at approximately 40-50%)	9016-87-9	60-100%
1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane	811-97-2	3-7, 7-13%

## 3) HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Vapors reduce oxygen available for breathing and are heavier than air.

Sprayed or heated material harmful if inhaled. May cause allergic skin reaction. May cause allergic respiratory reaction and lung injury. Avoid temperatures above 105F (41C). Toxic flammable gases and heat are released under decomposition conditions. Toxic fumes may be released in fire situations. Reacts slowly with water, releasing carbon dioxide, which can cause pressure buildup and rupture of closed containers. Elevated temperatures accelerate this process.

### EYE

May cause moderate eye irritation. May cause very slight transient (temporary) corneal injury.

### SKIN

Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause slight skin irritation. May cause allergic skin reaction in susceptible individuals. Animal studies have shown that skin contact with isocyanates may play a role in respiratory sensitization. May stain skin. A single prolonged exposure is not likely to result in the material being absorbed in harmful amounts.

### INGESTION

Single dose oral toxicity is considered to be low. No hazards anticipated from swallowing small amounts incidental to normal handling operations.

### INHALATION

At room temperature, vapors are minimal due to low vapor pressure. However, certain operations may generate vapor or aerosol concentrations sufficient to cause irritation or other adverse effects. Such operations include those in which the material is heated, sprayed or otherwise mechanically dispersed such as drumming, venting or pumping. Excessive exposure may cause irritation to upper respiratory tract and lungs, and pulmonary edema (fluid in the lungs). May cause respiratory sensitization in susceptible individuals. MDI concentrations below the exposure guidelines may cause

allergic respiratory reactions in individuals already sensitized. Symptoms may include coughing, difficult breathing and a feeling of tightness in the chest. Effects may be delayed. Decreased lung function has been associated with overexposure to isocyanates.

#### **SYSTEMIC EFFECTS**

Tissue injury in the upper respiratory tract and lungs has been observed in laboratory animals after repeated excessive exposures to MDI/polymeric MDI aerosols.

#### **TERATOLOGY**

In laboratory animals, MDI/polymeric MDI did not cause birth defects; other fetal effects occurred only at high doses which were toxic to the mother.

#### **CANCER INFORMATION**

Lung tumors have been observed in laboratory animals exposed to aerosol droplets of MDI/Polymeric MDI (6 mg/m<sup>3</sup>) for their lifetime. Tumors occurred concurrently with respiratory irritation and lung injury. Current exposure guidelines are expected to protect against these effects reported for MDI.

### **4) FIRST-AID MEASURES**

#### **EYE**

Irrigate with flowing water immediately and continuously for 15 minutes. Remove contacts after first five minutes and continue washing. Consult medical personnel.

#### **SKIN**

Remove material from skin immediately by washing with soap and plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes while washing. Seek medical attention if irritation persists. An MDI skin decontamination study demonstrated that a polyglycol-based skin cleanser or corn oil may be more effective than soap and water.

#### **INGESTION**

If swallowed, seek medical attention. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel.

#### **INHALATION**

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, oxygen should be administered by qualified personnel. Call a physician or transport to a medical facility.

#### **NOTE TO PHYSICIAN**

No specific antidote. Provide supportive care. Treatment based on judgment of the physician in response to reactions of the patient. May cause respiratory sensitization or asthma-like symptoms. Bronchodilators, expectorants, and antitussives may be of help. Respiratory symptoms, including pulmonary edema, may be delayed. Persons receiving significant exposure should be observed for 24-48 hours for signs of respiratory distress.

### **5) FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### **FLAMMABLE PROPERTIES**

Flash point: >400F (204 C)

Method used: PMCC, ASTM D 93

Auto Ignition temperature: >1100F, 600C

#### **HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS**

During a fire, smoke may contain the original material in addition to unidentified toxic and/or irritating compounds. Hazardous combustion products may include but are not limited to: nitrogen oxides, isocyanates, hydrogen cyanide, carbon monoxide, and carbon dioxide.

Additional combustion products may include hydrogen fluoride, hydrogen chloride and chlorine.

### **OTHER FLAMMABILITY INFORMATION**

Product reacts with water. Reaction may produce heat and/or gases. Reaction may be violent. Container may rupture from gas generation in a fire situation. Violent steam generation or eruption may occur upon application of direct water stream to hot liquids. Dense smoke is produced when product burns. Spills of these organic liquids on hot fibrous insulations may lead to lowering of the autoignition temperatures possibly resulting in spontaneous combustion.

### **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

Use carbon dioxide, dry chemical, foam, water fog or fine spray. Alcohol resistant foams (ATC type) are preferred if available. General purpose synthetic foams (including AFFF) or protein foams may function, but much less effective. Do not use direct water stream which can spread fire.

### **FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS**

Keep people away. Isolate fire area and deny unnecessary entry. Stay upwind. Keep out of low areas where gases (fumes) can accumulate. Water is not recommended but may be applied in very large quantities as a fine spray when other extinguishing agents are not available. Contain fire water run-off if possible. Do not use direct water stream. May spread fire. Fight fire from protected location or safe distance. Consider use of unmanned hose holder or monitor nozzles. Use water spray to cool fire exposed containers and fire affected zone until fire is out. Immediately withdraw all personnel from area in case of rising sound from venting safety devices or discoloration of the containers. Move containers from fire area if this is possible without hazard.

### **PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT - FIRE FIGHTERS**

Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and protective fire fighting clothing (includes fire fighting helmet, coat, pants, boots, and gloves). Avoid contact with this material during fire fighting operations. If contact is likely, change to full chemical resistant clothing with SCBA. If this will not provide sufficient fire protection; consider fighting fire from a remote location.

## **6) ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

### **PROTECT PEOPLE**

Avoid any contact. Barricade area. Clear non-emergency personnel from area. Keep upwind of spill. Ventilate area of leak or spill. The area must be evacuated and reentered by persons equipped for decontamination. Use appropriate safety equipment. If available, use foam to suppress vapors.

### **PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT**

Contain liquid to prevent contamination of soil, surface water or ground water. Keep out of ditches, sewers, and water supplies. Should the product enter sewers or drains, it should be pumped into a covered, vented container; the cover should be placed loosely on the container but not made pressure tight. Move to a well-ventilated area. Emergency services may need to be called to assist in the cleanup operation.

### **CLEAN-UP**

Supplies of suitable decontaminant should always be kept available. Absorb with material such as: sawdust, vermiculite, dirt, sand, clay, cob grit, Milsorb. Avoid materials such as cement powder. Collect material in suitable and properly labeled OPEN containers. Do not place in sealed container. Prolonged contact with water results in a chemical reaction which may result in rupture of the container. Place in: polylined fiber pacs, plastic drums, or properly labeled metal containers. Remove to a well ventilated area. Clean up floor areas. Attempt to neutralize by suitable decontaminant solution: Formulation 1: sodium carbonate 5-10%; liquid detergent 0.2-2%; water to make up to 100%. OR Formulation 2: Concentrated ammonia solution 3-8%; liquid detergent 0.2-2%; water to make up to 100%. If ammonia is used, use good ventilation to prevent vapor exposure. If you have any questions on how to neutralize call The Dow Chemical

Company.

## **7) HANDLING AND STORAGE**

### **HANDLING**

CAUTION: Contents under pressure. Avoid open flames. Do not puncture or incinerate. Avoid contact of this product with water at all times during handling and storage. Use only with adequate ventilation. Keep equipment clean. Use disposable containers and tools where possible. Do not eat, drink, or smoke in working area.

### **STORAGE**

Store in a dry place between 75F-105F (24C-41C). Keep containers tightly closed when not in use. Protect from atmospheric moisture. Maintain a nitrogen atmosphere. Do not store product contaminated with water to prevent potentially hazardous reaction.

## **8) EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

### **ENGINEERING CONTROLS**

Use only with adequate ventilation. Provide general and/or local exhaust ventilation to control airborne levels below the exposure guidelines. Exhaust systems should be designed to move the air away from the source of vapor/aerosol generation and the people working at this point. Odor is inadequate warning of excessive exposure.

### **EYE/FACE PROTECTION**

Use chemical goggles. If vapor exposure causes eye discomfort, use a full-face respirator. Eye wash fountain should be located in immediate work area.

### **SKIN PROTECTION**

Use protective clothing impervious to this material. Selection of specific items such as faceshield, gloves, boots, apron, or full-body suit will depend on operation. Consideration of all chemicals involved, time and the dexterity needed to safely complete the job must be considered. Solvents can significantly change the permeation of a chemical through a barrier. Work with your safety equipment supplier to obtain the best Personal Protective Equipment for the job. Nitrile gloves are often found to be appropriate for work with MDI. Butyl rubber, PVC and neoprene are also often chosen.

Remove contaminated clothing immediately, wash skin area with soap and water (warm water if available) and launder clothing before reuse. Items which cannot be decontaminated, such as shoes, belts and watchbands, should be removed and destroyed.

### **RESPIRATORY PROTECTION**

Atmospheric levels should be maintained below the exposure guideline. When atmospheric levels may exceed the exposure guideline, use an approved air-purifying respirator equipped with an organic vapor sorbent and a particle filter. For situations where the atmospheric levels may exceed the level for which an air-purifying respirator is effective, use a positive-pressure air-supplying respirator (airline or self-contained breathing apparatus). For emergency response or for situations where the atmospheric level is unknown, use an approved positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus.

### **EXPOSURE GUIDELINES(S)**

1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane: AIHA Workplace Environmental Exposure Level Guide (WEEL) is suggested at 1000 ppm.

Methylene bisphenyl isocyanate (MDI): ACGIH TLV is 0.005 ppm TWA and OSHA PEL is 0.02 ppm Ceiling. PELs are in accord with those recommended by OSHA, as in the 1989 revision of PELs.

## **9) PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

### **APPEARANCE/PHYSICAL STATE**

Brown liquid.

**ODOR**

Slightly musty.

**VAPOR PRESSURE**

2700 mm Hg.

**SOLUBILITY IN WATER**

Insoluble in water; reacts with evolution of CO<sub>2</sub>.

**SPECIFIC GRAVITY**

1.3

**10) STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**CHEMICAL STABILITY**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**INCOMPATIBILITY WITH OTHER MATERIALS**

Avoid contact with acids, water, alcohols, amines, ammonia, bases, moist air, and strong oxidizers. Avoid contact with metals such as aluminum, brass, copper, galvanized metals, tin, zinc. Avoid contact with moist organic absorbents. Reaction with water will generate carbon dioxide and heat. Generation of gas can cause pressure buildup in closed systems. Avoid unintended contact with polyols. The reaction of polyols and isocyanates generate heat. Diisocyanates react with many materials and the rate of reaction increases with temperature as well as increased contact; these reactions can become violent. Contact is increased by stirring or if the other material mixes with the diisocyanate. Diisocyanates are not soluble in water and are denser than water and sink to the bottom, but react slowly at the interface. The reaction forms carbon dioxide gas and a layer of solid polyurea.

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS**

Hazardous decomposition products depend upon temperature, air supply and the presence of other materials. Gases are released during decomposition.

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION**

Can occur. Polymerization can be catalyzed by: strong bases and water. Can react with itself at temperatures above 320F (160C).

**11) TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**ACUTE**

Excessive exposure to 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane may cause irritation to upper respiratory tract (nose and throat). Acute inhalation toxicity of 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane is low, but exposure to high concentrations causes asphyxiation.

**SKIN**

MDI: The LD50 for skin absorption in rabbits is > 2000 mg/kg.

**INGESTION**

MDI: The oral LD50 for rats is > 10,000 mg/kg.

**12) ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

The stratosphere ozone depletion potential (ODP) of 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane, relative to CFC-11 and CFC-12 (ODP=1) is 0.

**MOVEMENT & PARTITIONING**

Based on information for MDI and polymeric MDI. In the aquatic or terrestrial environment, movement is expected to be limited by its reactivity with water forming

predominantly insoluble polyureas.

1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane volatilization from water to air is expected.

#### **DEGRADATION & PERSISTENCE**

Based on information for MDI and polymeric MDI. In the aquatic and terrestrial environment, material reacts with water forming predominantly insoluble polyureas which appear to be stable. In the atmospheric environment, material is expected to have a short tropospheric half-life, based on calculations and by analogy with related diisocyanates.

Based on information for 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane: material is expected to be very stable in the environment. Because of low biodegradability, the product should be prevented from reaching water or soil.

#### **ECOTOXICITY**

Based on information for MDI and polymeric MDI. The measured ecotoxicity is that of the hydrolyzed product, generally under conditions maximizing production of soluble species. Material is practically non-toxic to aquatic organisms on an acute basis (LC50/EC50 > 100 mg/L in most sensitive species). The LC50 in earthworm *Eisenia foetida* is > 1000 mg/kg.

### **13) DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### **DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

FOR UNUSED & UNCONTAMINATED PRODUCT, the preferred options include sending to a licensed, permitted: recycler, reclaimer, incinerator or other thermal destruction device.

As a service to its customers, Dow can provide names of information resource to help identify waste management companies and other facilities which recycle, reprocess or manage chemicals or plastics, and that manage used drums. Telephone Dow's Customer Information Center at 800-258-2436 or 989-832-1556 for further details.

#### **DISPOSAL**

DO NOT DUMP INTO ANY SEWERS, ON THE GROUND, OR INTO ANY BODY OF WATER. All disposal methods must be in compliance with all Federal, State/Provincial and local laws and regulations. Regulations may vary in different locations. Waste characterizations and compliance with applicable laws are the responsibility solely of the waste generator. THE DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY HAS NO CONTROL OVER THE MANAGEMENT PRACTICES OR MANUFACTURING PROCESSES OF PARTIES HANDLING OR USING THIS MATERIAL. THE INFORMATION PRESENTED HERE PERTAINS ONLY TO THE PRODUCT AS SHIPPED IN ITS INTENDED CONDITION AS DESCRIBED IN MSDS SECTION 2 (Composition/Information On Ingredients).

### **14) TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### **US D.O.T.**

This product is not regulated when packaged in containers holding less than 5000 lbs. of MDI. Otherwise, UN 3082 applies.

This product is not regulated when pressures are less than 40 psi. When greater than 40 psi, the classification is: Compressed Gas, NOS (Tetrafluoroethane); 2.2; UN1956.

#### **CANADIAN TDG**

This product is not regulated when packaged in containers holding less than 5000 lbs of MDI.

This product is not regulated when pressures are less than 40 psi. When greater than 40 psi, the classification is: Compressed Gas, NOS (Tetrafluoroethane); 2.2; UN1956.

### **15) REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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The information herein is presented in good faith and believed to be accurate as of the effective date shown above. However, no warranty, expressed or implied is given. Regulatory requirements are subject to change and may differ from one location to another; it is the buyer's responsibility to ensure that its activities comply with federal, state or provincial, and local laws. The following specific information is made for the purpose of complying with numerous federal, state or provincial, and local laws and regulations. See other sections for health and safety information.

**REGULATORY INFORMATION**

U.S. REGULATIONS

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SARA 313 INFORMATION: This product contains the following subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372:

CHEMICAL NAME CAS NUMBER

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Methylene Bis(phenylisocyanate (MDI) 101-68-8  
Polymeric Diphenylmethane Diisocyanate (PMDI) 9016-87-9

SARA HAZARD CATEGORY: This product has been reviewed according to the EPA "Hazard Categories" promulgated under Sections 311 and 312 of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA Title III) and is considered, under applicable definitions, to meet the following categories:

- An immediate health hazard
- A delayed health hazard

TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT (TSCA):

All ingredients are on the TSCA inventory or are not required to be listed on the TSCA inventory.

OSHA HAZARD COMMUNICATION STANDARD

This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

COMPREHENSIVE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE COMPENSATION AND LIABILITY ACT (CERCLA, or SUPERFUND):

This product contains the following substance(s) listed as "Hazardous Substances" under CERCLA which may require reporting of releases:

Chemical Name	CAS#	RQ
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Methylene bisphenyl isocyanate	000101-68-8	5000 lbs

PENNSYLVANIA STATE RIGHT TO KNOW: The following substances are listed on the PA Hazardous Substance or Environmentally Hazardous Substance List:

Methylene bisphenyl isocyanate 000101-68-8

CANADIAN REGULATIONS

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WHMIS INFORMATION: The Canadian Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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(WHMIS) Classification for this product is:

D2A - respiratory tract sensitizer

D2B - eye or skin irritant, skin sensitizer

A - compressed gas

Refer elsewhere in the MSDS for specific warnings and safe handling information. Refer to the employer's workplace education program.

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CPR STATEMENT: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Canadian Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

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HAZARDOUS PRODUCTS ACT INFORMATION: This product contains the following ingredients which are Controlled Products and/or on the Ingredient Disclosure List (Canadian HPA section 13 and 14):

COMPONENTS:

Methylene Bis(phenylisocyanate)	(MDI)	CAS #	101-68-8
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CANADIAN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT (CEPA):

All substances in this product are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) or are not required to be listed.

## 16) OTHER INFORMATION

### OTHER INFORMATION

NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION (NFPA) RATINGS:

Health 2

Flammability 1

Reactivity 1

OTHER INFORMATION: The reaction of polyols and isocyanates generate heat. Contact of the reacting materials with skin or eyes can cause severe burns and may be difficult to remove from the affected areas. In addition, such contact increases the risk of isocyanate vapors.

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## 1) PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

THE DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY  
Midland Michigan 48674  
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24-Hour Emergency Phone Number: 989-636-4400

Customer Service: 800-366-4740

PRODUCT NAME : replacemeAreplacemeBreplacemeC

COMPONENT : Polyol, Side B

MATERIAL TYPE : Polyol blend

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## 2) COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredient	CAS Number	%
Polyols	Mixture	30-60%
Diethylene Glycol	111-46-6	1-5%
Triethyl Phosphate	78-40-0	1-5%
Flame Retardants	Mixture	5-10%
1,1,1,3,3-Pentafluoropropane	460-73-1	7-13%
1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane	811-97-2	10-30%

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## 3) HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

CAUTION! Contents under pressure.

Vapors reduce oxygen available for breathing and are heavier than air.

May cause slight temporary eye irritation. May cause skin irritation if skin is abraded. When heated, may cause thermal burns and heated mist may cause respiratory irritation. Avoid contact with strong acids and oxidizers and un-intended contact with isocyanates.

### EYE

May cause slight temporary eye irritation.

### SKIN

Prolonged or repeated exposure not likely to cause significant skin irritation. May cause more severe response if skin is abraded, scratched or cut. A single prolonged exposure is not likely to result in the material being absorbed through the skin in harmful amounts. Material may be handled at elevated temperatures; contact with heated material may cause thermal burns.

### INGESTION

Single dose oral toxicity is considered to be low. Small amounts swallowed incidental to normal handling operations are not likely to cause injury; swallowing amounts larger than that may cause injury.

### INHALATION

Exposure to fluorocarbons at high concentrations may effect the nervous system and produce a rapid anesthetic effect. The dense vapor of this material can reduce the oxygen available for breathing and produce symptoms such as headache, dizziness, drowsiness, cyanosis and lack of muscle control followed by collapse. Prolonged exposure to an oxygen-deficient atmosphere may be fatal. Inhalation of this material may cause an increase in the sensitivity of the heart to adrenaline, which could result in irregular heart beats and reduced heart function.

At room temperatures, vapors are minimal due to physical properties; a single exposure is not likely to be hazardous. If material is heated or mist is produced, concentrations may be attained that are sufficient to cause respiratory irritation.

#### **SYSTEMIC EFFECTS**

Excessive exposure to fluorocarbons may effect the central nervous system and produce anesthetic and narcotic-like symptoms.

### **4) FIRST-AID MEASURES**

#### **EYE**

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water. Remove contacts after first few minutes and continue washing.

#### **SKIN**

Remove material from skin immediately by washing with soap and plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes while washing. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

#### **INGESTION**

If swallowed, seek medical attention. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel.

#### **INHALATION**

Remove to fresh air if effects occur. Consult a Physician.

#### **NOTE TO PHYSICIAN**

No specific antidote. Supportive care. Treatment based on judgment of the physician in response to reactions of the patient.

### **5) FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### **HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS**

Incomplete combustion may lead to the build-up of toxic pyrolysis products. Complete combustion will result in: Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides, Water, Ammonia and trace amounts of Hydrogen Cyanide.

Additional combustion products may include hydrogen fluoride, hydrogen chloride and chlorine.

Additional combustion products may include hydrogen bromide and/or bromine.

#### **OTHER FLAMMABILITY INFORMATION**

Violent steam generation or eruption may occur upon application of direct water stream to hot liquids. Spills of these organic liquids on hot fibrous insulations may lead to lowering of the autoignition temperatures possibly resulting in spontaneous combustion. Burning liquids may be extinguished by dilution with water. Do not use direct water stream, it may spread fire.

#### **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

Use carbon dioxide, dry chemical, foam, water fog or fine spray. Alcohol resistant foams (ATC type) are preferred if available. General purpose synthetic foams (including AFFF) or protein foams may function, but much less effective. Do not use direct water stream which can spread fire.

#### **FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS**

Keep people away. Isolate fire area and deny unnecessary entry. Stay upwind. Keep out of low areas where gases (fumes) can accumulate. Water is not recommended but may be applied in very large quantities as a fine spray when other extinguishing agents are not available. Contain fire water run-off if possible. Do not use direct water stream. May spread fire. Fight fire from protected location or safe distance. Consider use of unmanned hose holder or monitor nozzles. Use water spray to cool fire exposed containers and fire affected zone until fire is out. Immediately withdraw all

personnel from area in case of rising sound from venting safety devices or discoloration of the containers. Move containers from fire area if this is possible without hazard.

#### **PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT - FIRE FIGHTERS**

Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and protective fire fighting clothing (includes fire fighting helmet, coat, pants, boots, and gloves). If protective equipment is not available or not used, fight fire from a protected location or safe distance.

### **6) ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### **PROTECT PEOPLE**

Isolate area. May be a slipping hazard. Wear adequate personal protective equipment

#### **PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT**

Contain material to prevent contamination of ground and surface water. Spills should be collected to prevent contamination of waterways. Recover if possible, or dispose of according to applicable regulations.

#### **CLEAN-UP**

Spills should be contained by, and covered with large quantities of sand, earth or any other readily available absorbent material, which is then brushed in vigorously to assist absorption. The mixture can then be collected into drums and removed for disposal. Wash residues from area with soap and water and rinse down. Contaminated water should be retained, not being allowed to flow into ground or surface water.

### **7) HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### **HANDLING**

CAUTION: Contents under pressure. Avoid open flames. Do not puncture or incinerate. Avoid contact of this product with water at all times during handling and storage. Use only with adequate ventilation. Keep equipment clean. Use disposable containers and tools where possible. Do not eat, drink, or smoke in working area.

#### **STORAGE**

Store in a dry place between 75F-105F (24C-41C). Keep containers tightly closed when not in use. Protect from atmospheric moisture. Maintain a nitrogen atmosphere. Do not store product contaminated with water to prevent potentially hazardous reaction.

### **8) EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### **ENGINEERING CONTROLS**

Use only with adequate ventilation. Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary for some operations.

#### **EYE/FACE PROTECTION**

Use chemical goggles. If vapor exposure causes eye discomfort, use a full-face respirator. Eye wash fountain should be located in immediate work area.

#### **SKIN PROTECTION**

Use gloves impervious to this material. Wear clean, long-sleeved, body covering clothing. After work and before eating, drinking or smoking wash and clean yourself carefully with soap and water. Contaminated clothing should be washed and/or dry cleaned before re-use.

#### **RESPIRATORY PROTECTION**

For most conditions, no respiratory protection is needed; however, if handling at elevated temperature without sufficient ventilation or in presence of aerosols, use an approved air-purifying respirator. Atmospheric levels should be maintained below the exposure guideline.

## EXPOSURE GUIDELINES(S)

1,1,1,3,3 pentafluoropropane: 300 ppm TWA set by manufacturer.

Diethylene glycol: 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> TWA8 AIHA WEEL and Interim IHG (aerosol)  
50 ppm TWA8 Interim IHG (aerosol and vapor)

## 9) PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### APPEARANCE/PHYSICAL STATE

liquid

### SOLUBILITY IN WATER

not determined

### SPECIFIC GRAVITY

not determined

## 10) STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### CHEMICAL STABILITY

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### CONDITIONS TO AVOID

Product can oxidize or decompose at elevated temperatures.

### INCOMPATIBILITY WITH OTHER MATERIALS

Avoid contact with oxidizing materials and strong acids. Avoid unintended contact with isocyanates. The reaction of polyols and isocyanates generates heat.

### HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

None under normal conditions of storage and use.

### HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION

Will not occur by itself.

## 11) TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Assesments may be based on studies of the individual components or on families of chemicals.

### ACUTE

Inhalation LD50 for diethylene glycol is >4.4 mg/l for 4 hours (rat).

Excessive exposure to 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane may cause irritation to upper respiratory tract (nose and throat). Acute inhalation toxicity of 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane is low, but exposure to high concentrations causes asphyxiation.

1,1,1,3,3-pentafluoropropane: acute inhalation LC50 in rats >200,000 ppm (4 hours). No lethality at 200,000 ppm. Evidence of transient anesthetic effect. Acute inhalation in mice >100,000 ppm (4 hours). No lethality at 100,000 ppm; evidence of transient underactivity during exposure.

### SKIN

Polyol: LD50 in rabbits is >2000 mg/kg.

LD50 for diethylene glycol is 12510 mg/kg (rabbit).

1,1,1,3,3-pentafluoropropane Dermal LD50 in rabbits >2000 mg/kg.

### INGESTION

Polyol: LD50 in rats is >2000 mg/kg.

Human lethal dose of diethylene glycol is approx. 2 ounces (65 ml) (1/4 cup).

LD50 for diethylene glycol is 25244 mg/kg (rat).

## 12) ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

The stratosphere ozone depletion potential (ODP) of 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane, relative to CFC-11 and CFC-12 (ODP=1) is 0.

### MOVEMENT & PARTITIONING

No bioconcentration of the polyol is expected.

1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane volatilization from water to air is expected.

### DEGRADATION & PERSISTENCE

Proprietary flame retardant is persistent in the environment.

Based on information for 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane: material is expected to be very stable in the environment. Because of low biodegradability, the product should be prevented from reaching water or soil.

### ECOTOXICITY

Fire retardant: Avoid releasing to the environment. The LC50 for a structurally similar compound in Gluegill Sunfish (96H) = 12 mg/L (NOEC <10 mg/L).

## 13) DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### DISPOSAL

DO NOT DUMP INTO ANY SEWERS, ON THE GROUND, OR INTO ANY BODY OF WATER. All disposal methods must be in compliance with all Federal, State/Provincial and local laws and regulations.

Regulations may vary in different locations. Waste characterizations and compliance with applicable laws are the responsibility solely of the waste generator. THE DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY HAS NO CONTROL OVER THE MANAGEMENT PRACTICES OR MANUFACTURING PROCESSES OF PARTIES HANDLING OR USING THIS MATERIAL. THE INFORMATION PRESENTED HERE PERTAINS ONLY TO THE PRODUCT AS SHIPPED IN ITS INTENDED CONDITION AS DESCRIBED IN MSDS SECTION 2 (Composition/Information On Ingredients).

FOR UNUSED & UNCONTAMINATED PRODUCT, the preferred options include sending to a licensed, permitted: recycler, reclaimer, incinerator or other thermal destruction device.

As a service to its customers, Dow can provide names of information resources to help identify waste management companies and other facilities which recycle, reprocess or manage chemicals or plastics, and that manage used drums. Telephone Dow's Customer Information Center at 800-258-2436 or 989-832-1556 for further details.

## 14) TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### US D.O.T.

This product is not regulated when pressures are less than 40 psi. When greater than 40 psi, the classification is: Compressed Gases, N.O.S. (Pentafluoropropane, Tetrafluoroethane), 2.2 UN1956.

### CANADIAN TDG

This product is not regulated when pressures are less than 40 psi. When greater than 40 psi, the classification is: Compressed Gases, N.O.S. (Pentafluoropropane, Tetrafluoroethane), 2.2 UN1956.

## 15) REGULATORY INFORMATION

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**NOTICE**

The information herein is presented in good faith and believed to be accurate as of the effective date shown above. However, no warranty, expressed or implied is given. Regulatory requirements are subject to change and may differ from one location to another; it is the buyer's responsibility to ensure that its activities comply with federal, state or provincial, and local laws. The following specific information is made for the purpose of complying with numerous federal, state or provincial, and local laws and regulations. See other sections for health and safety information.

**REGULATORY INFORMATION**

U.S. REGULATIONS

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SARA 313 INFORMATION: This product contains the following subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372:

CHEMICAL NAME CAS NUMBER

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None

SARA HAZARD CATEGORY: This product has been reviewed according to the EPA "Hazard Categories" promulgated under Sections 311 and 312 of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA Title III) and is considered, under applicable definitions, to meet the following categories:

An immediate health hazard

A delayed health hazard

TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT (TSCA):

All ingredients are on the TSCA inventory.

CALIFORNIA Prop 65: This product contains the following chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or other reproductive harm:

Residual 1,4 dioxane, CAS# 123-91-1 amount: <0.500 ppm in diethylene glycol

Residual Ethylene glycol monomethyl ether, CAS# 109-86-4 amount: <0.050ppm in diethylene glycol

Flame retardant

PENNSYLVANIA STATE RIGHT TO KNOW Hazardous or Environmental Hazardous Substance:

Diethylene glycol CAS: 111-46-6 Amount: 1-5%

Residual Ethylene glycol monomethyl ether CAS # 109-86-4 amount: <0.050 ppm in diethylene glycol

OSHA HAZARD COMMUNICATION STANDARD:

This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

COMPREHENSIVE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE COMPENSATION AND LIABILITY ACT (CERCLA, or SUPERFUND):

This product contains the following substance(s) listed as "Hazardous Substances"

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under CERCLA which may require reporting of releases:

Category:

Chemical Name CAS# RQ

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NONE

CANADIAN REGULATIONS

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WHMIS INFORMATION: The Canadian Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) Classification for this product is:

D2B - eye or skin irritant

Refer elsewhere in the MSDS for specific warnings and safe handling information. Refer to the employer's workplace education program.

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CPR STATEMENT: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Canadian Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

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HAZARDOUS PRODUCTS ACT INFORMATION: This product contains the following ingredients which are Controlled Products and/or on the Ingredient Disclosure List (Canadian HPA section 13 and 14):

COMPONENTS: CAS #

Triethyl Phosphate        78-40-0

CANADIAN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT (CEPA):

This product contains some substances NOT listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL).

**16) OTHER INFORMATION**

**OTHER INFORMATION**

EPA intends to promulgate a SNUR (Significant New Use Rule) restricting the use of 1,1,1,3,3 pentafluoropropane. Use as a blowing agent is one of the approved uses.

The Canadian EPA has imposed Managerial Condition 12088 upon the use of 1,1,1,3,3 pentafluoropropane. These conditions must be met before the product can be ordered and used in Canada.

No other information.

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