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## ACCORDING TO US CFR 1910.1200

# 1. SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1 Product identifier

Product Name GAS MIXTURE (HYDROGEN-ARGON)

Synonym(s) HYDROGEN-ARGON

CAS No. Mixture. EC No. Mixture.

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

Identified Use(s) Industrial gas.
Uses Advised Against Not known.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Identification Hudson Technologies Company

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# 2. SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

US CFR 1910.1200 Flam. Gas 1: Extremely flammable gas.

Gases under pressure; Press. Gas; Compressed gas.

2.2 Label elements

Product Name GAS MIXTURE (HYDROGEN-ARGON)

Hazard Pictogram(s)

Signal Word(s)





GHS02

Danger.

Hazard Statement(s) H220 - EXTREMELY FLAMMABLE GAS H280 - CONTAINS GAS

UNDER PRESSURE; MAY EXPLODE IF HEATED OSHA-H01 - MAY DISPLACE OXYGEN AND CAUSE RAPID SUFFOCATION. CGA-HG04 - MAY FORM EXPLOSIVE MIXTURES WITH AIR

CGA-HG08 - BURNS WITH INVISIBLE FLAME.

Precautionary Statement(s) P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read

and understood P210 - Keep away from Heat/Open

flames/Sparks/Hot surfaces. - No smoking P271+P403 - Use and store only outdoors or in a well-ventilated place. P377 - Leaking gas fire: Do not extinguish, unless leak can be stopped safely P381

- Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so CGA-PG05 - Use a back flow preventive device in the piping. CGA-PG10 - Use only with equipment rated for cylinder pressure. CGA-PG12 - Do not open valve until connected to equipment prepared for use. CGA-PG06 - Close valve after each use and when empty. CGA-PG02 -

Protect from sunlight when ambient temperature exceeds 52°C

(125°F)

2.3 Other hazards

Can form explosive mixture with air.

May cause asphyxiation when concentrations are sufficient to

reduce oxygen below safe breathing levels.



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May cause frost-bite.

## 2.4 Additional Information

This SDS is available in languages other than English.

# 3. SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

HAZARDOUS	CAS No.	%W/W	Hazard Statement(s)	Hazard Pictogram(s)
INGREDIENT(S)				
Argon	7440-37-1	65	Press. Gas, Compressed gas;	GHS04
			H280	
Hydrogen	1333-74-0	35	Flam. Gas 1; H220	GHS02
			Press. Gas; Compressed gas;	GHS04
			H280	

# 4. SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of first aid measures

Inhalation If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in

a position comfortable for breathing. Administer oxygen if

necessary. If breathing has stopped, apply artificial respiration.

Skin Contact Flush skin with large amounts of water. Thaw frosted parts with

lukewarm water. Do no rub affected area. If symptoms persist,

obtain medical attention.

Eye Contact Flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes.

Ingestion Unlikely route of exposure.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Inhalation: High concentrations: Loss of coordination,

Unconsciousness.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

# 5. SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES



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Extremely flammable gas. Leaking gas fire: Do not extinguish, unless leak can be stopped safely.

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable Extinguishing media Extinguish preferably with foam, dry chemical or waterspray or fog.

Unsuitable extinguishing media None known.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated. Can form explosive mixture with air. Hydrogen burns with an invisible flame.

Spontaneous/explosive re-ignition may occur.

5.3 Advice for fire-fighters

Evacuate area and fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion. Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so. Fire fighters should wear complete protective clothing including self-contained breathing apparatus. If it is safe to do so, containers should be removed from fire area because they are likely to rupture under fire conditions. Keep containers cool by spraying with water if exposed to fire.

# 6. SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Evacuate area. Eliminate sources of ignition. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing gas. Wear suitable respiratory protection.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter drains, sewers or watercourses.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Stop leak if safe to do so. Allow small spillages to evaporate provided there is adequate ventilation. Ventilate area.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See Also Section 8, 13.

# 7. SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Provide adequate ventilation. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Use non-sparking hand tools and explosion proof electrical equipment.



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Avoid breathing gas. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Do not drag, roll, slide or drop cylinders. Use a suitable hand truck design for cylinder movement. Never attempt to lift a cylinder by its cap; the cap is intended solely to protect the valve. Never insert an object into valve cap openings. Doing so may damage valve causing a leak to occur. Secure cylinders in an upright position at all times, close all valves when not in use. Keep closed even when empty. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place.

Storage temperature < 52°C (125 °F)

Storage life Stable under normal conditions.

Incompatible materials Air, Oxidizing agents.

# 8. SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

Occupational Exposure Limits None assigned.

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls Ensure adequate ventilation.

Personal protection equipment



Wear suitable eye/face protection.

**Eye Protection** 



Wear suitable gloves.

Skin protection



Wear suitable respiratory protective equipment if exposure to high levels of material is likely.

Respiratory protection

Thermal hazards Not applicable.

# 9. SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Gas.



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Color: Colorless.

Not available.

Odor Odorless.

Odor threshold Not established.
pH Not applicable.
Melting point/freezing point Not available.

range

Critical Temperature Not available.

Flash Point Not available.

Evaporation rate Not applicable.

Flammability (solid, gas) Extremely flammable gas.

Upper/lower flammability or 4 – 75 Vol-%

Initial boiling point and boiling

explosive limits

Vapor pressure Not available.

Vapor density Not available.

Relative density Not available.

Solubility(ies) Not available.

Partition coefficient: Not available.

n-octanol/water

Auto-ignition temperature 1058 °F (570 °C)

Decomposition Temperature (°C) Not available.

Viscosity Not applicable.

Explosive properties Can form explosive mixture with air.

Oxidizing properties Not oxidizing.

9.2 Other information

Not known.

# 10. SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity

Stable under normal conditions.

10.2 Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Can form explosive mixture with air.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.



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10.5 Incompatible materials

Air, Oxidizing agents.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition product(s)

No hazardous decomposition products known.

# 11. SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity - Ingestion Low acute toxicity.

Acute toxicity - Skin Contact Low acute toxicity.

Acute toxicity - Inhalation Low acute toxicity.

Skin corrosion/irritation Non-irritant.

Serious eye damage/irritation Non-irritant.

Skin sensitization data Not classified.

Respiratory sensitization data Not classified.

Germ cell mutagenicity There is no evidence of mutagenic potential.

Carcinogenicity No evidence of carcinogenicity.

Reproductive toxicity

Lactation

STOT - single exposure

STOT - repeated exposure

Aspiration hazard

Not classified.

None anticipated.

Not classified.

11.2 Other information

Not known.

# 12. SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity - Aquatic invertebrates Low toxicity to invertebrates.

Toxicity - Fish Low toxicity to fish.

Toxicity - Algae Low toxicity to algae.

Toxicity - Sediment Not classified.

Compartment

Toxicity - Terrestrial Not classified.



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Compartment

12.2 Persistence and Degradation

No adverse ecological effects are expected.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No adverse ecological effects are expected.

12.4 Mobility in soil

Not applicable.

12.5 Other adverse effects

None anticipated.

# 13. SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Containers must not be punctured or destroyed by burning, even when empty. Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information on

recovery/recycling.

13.2 Additional Information

Disposal should be in accordance with local, state or national

legislation.

## 14. SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 UN number

UN No. 1954

14.2 UN proper shipping name

UN proper shipping name COMPRESSED GAS, FLAMMABLE, N.O.S.

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID Class 2.1 IMDG Class 2.1

IMDG EMS Not available

ICAO/IATA

Excepted Quantities E0

Passenger and Cargo Aircraft Forbidden for transport by air.

Limited Quantities Packing

Instructions

Passenger and Cargo Aircraft Forbidden for transport by air.

Limited Quantities Max net Qty

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Max net Qty



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Special Provisions A1
Emergency Response 10L

Guidebook (ERG) Code

ADR Classification Code 1F ADR HIN 23

ADR Transport Category 2
Tunnel Restriction Code B/D

Emergency Action Code 2SE

Advice on Additional Personal

Not applicable

Protection (APP)

14.4 Packing group

Packing group Not applicable

Labels 2.1



Special Provisions 274 660

Limited Quantities 0

Excepted Quantities E0

Mixed Packing Instructions for P200

**Packages** 

Special Packing Provisions for Not applicable

**Packages** 

Mixed Packing Instructions for MP9

**Packages** 

14.5 Environmental hazards

Environmental hazards Not classified as a Marine Pollutant.

14.6 Special precautions for user

Special precautions for user Not known.

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

Packing Instructions for Portable (M)

Tanks

Special Provisions for Portable Not applicable

Tanks



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Tank Code for Tanks CxBN(M)

Special Provisions for Tanks TA4 TT9

Vehicle for Tank Carriage FL

Special Provisions for Carriage - Not applicable

**Packages** 

Special Provisions for Carriage - Not applicable

Bulk

Special Provisions for Carriage - CV9 CV10 CV36

Loading, Unloading and Handling

Special Provisions for Carriage - S2 S20

Operation

# 15. SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 Federal

Toxic and hazardous substances All chemicals are not listed.

(29 CFR 1910; Subpart Z)

National emission standards for All chemicals are not listed.

hazardous air pollutants (40 CFR

61.01)

Title III Consolidated List of Lists Hydrogen (CAS No.: 1333-74-0)

TSCA (Toxic Substance Control All chemicals listed.

Act)

CAA 602 - Ozone Depleting All chemicals are not listed.

Substances (ODS)

15.2 State

State Right to Know Lists Argon (CAS No.: 7440-37-1)

Listed in: New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Minnesota.

Hydrogen (CAS No.: 1333-74-0)

Listed in: New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Minnesota.

Proposition 65 (California) All chemicals are not listed.

15.3 Other

OSPAR List of Chemicals for All chemicals are not listed.

**Priority Action** 

NTP (National Toxicology All chemicals are not listed.

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OSHA All chemicals are not listed.

(List of Highly Hazardous

Chemicals, Toxics and

Reactives)

IARC (International Agency for All chemicals are not listed.

Research on Cancer)

# 16. SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

The following sections contain 1-16.

revisions or new statements:

NFPA		HMIS		
Health	1	Health	1	
Fire	4	Flammability	4	
Instability	0	Physical hazards	3	

## LEGEND:

Hazard Pictogram(s)



GHS02



GHS04

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P381: Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so.

P410+P403: Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place.

Additional Information required by Federal Standard 313 Rev. E:



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