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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	1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane (R134a)	
Trade Name	REFRIGERANT 134A, HFC 134A.	
Synonym(s)	Tetrafluoroethane.	
CAS No.	811-97-2	
EC No.	212-377-0	
1.2 Relevant identified uses of th	e substance or mixture and uses advised against	
Identified Use(s)	Refrigerant.	
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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	One Blue Hill Plaza	
	Pearl River, New York	
	USA	
Postal code	10965	
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Fax	+1 (845) 512 6070	
E-mail	information@hudsontech.com	
1.4 Emergency telephone number		
Company	+1 (800) 501 4376	
CHEMTREC (U.S.)	+1 (800) 424 9300	
INTERNATIONAL	+1 (703) 527 3887	

#### 2. SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

US CFR 1910.1200 Gases under pressure; Press. Gas; Liquefied gas.



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2.2 Label elements Product Name	1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane (R134a)
Hazard Pictogram(s)	$\langle \cdot \rangle$
	GHS04
Signal Word(s)	Warning.
Hazard Statement(s)	H280: Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated. OSHA-H01: MAY DISPLACE OXYGEN AND CAUSE RAPID SUFFOCATION. CGA-HG01: MAY CAUSE FROSTBITE.
Precautionary Statement(s)	<ul> <li>P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.</li> <li>P262: Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.</li> <li>P271+P403: Use and store only outdoors or in a well-ventilated place.</li> <li>P304, P340, P313: IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Get medical advice/attention.</li> <li>P302, P336, P315: IF ON SKIN: Thaw frosted parts with lukewarm water. Do not rub affected area. Get immediate medical advice/attention.</li> <li>P410+P403: Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place.</li> </ul>
2.3 Other hazards	
	May cause asphyxiation when concentrations are sufficient to reduce oxygen below safe breathing levels. May cause frost-bite.
2.4 Additional Information	
	CGA-PG05: Use a back flow preventive device in the piping. CGA-PG06: Close valve after each use and when empty. CGA-PG02 : Protect from sunlight when ambient temperature exceeds 52 °C (125 °F).



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CGA-PG27: Read and follow the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) before use.

This SDS is available in languages other than English.

## 3. SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

HAZARDOUS	Common Names	CAS No.	%W/W	Hazard	Hazard
INGREDIENT(S)				Statement(s)	Pictogram(s)
1,1,1,2-	Tetrafluoroethane,	811-97-2	100	Press. Gas,	GHS04
Tetrafluoroethane	REFRIGERANT 134A,			Liquefied gas;	
	HFC 134A.			H280	

# 4. SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of first aid measur	res
Inhalation	If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in
	a position comfortable for breathing. If breathing has stopped,
	apply artificial respiration. Get medical attention.
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 while holding eyelids
	open. If symptoms persist, obtain medical attention.
Ingestion	Unlikely route of exposure.
4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	
	Inhalation: High concentrations: Headache, Dizziness, Confusion,
	Loss of coordination, Nausea, Unconsciousness.
4.3 Indication of any immediate m	nedical attention and special treatment needed
	Treat symptomatically.



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#### 5. SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media	
Suitable Extinguishing media	As appropriate for surrounding fire.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	None.
5.2 Special hazards arising from	the substance or mixture
	Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated. The product
	should not be allowed to exist with air above atmospheric pressure
	or at high temperatures; or in an oxygen enriched environment.
	Decomposes in a fire giving off toxic fumes: Hydrofluoric
	acid, Carbonyl fluoride.
5.3 Advice for fire-fighters	
	Fire fighters should wear complete protective clothing including
	self-contained breathing apparatus. Keep containers cool by
	spraying with water if exposed to fire. If it is safe to do so,
	containers should be removed from fire area because they are
	likely to rupture under fire conditions.

## 6. SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	
	Ensure adequate ventilation. Stop leak if safe to do so. Wear
	appropriate personal protective equipment, avoid direct contact.
6.2 Environmental precautions	
	Do not allow to enter drains, sewers or watercourses.
6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up	
	Allow small spillages to evaporate provided there is adequate
	ventilation.
6.4 Reference to other sections	
	See Also Section 8, 13.

## 7. SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Provide sufficient ventilation. Avoid breathing gas. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye



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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. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

	Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place.
Storage temperature	<125°F (52°C)
Storage life	Stable under normal conditions.
Incompatible materials	Potassium, Calcium, Powdered Aluminium, Magnesium and Zinc.

#### 8. SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### 8.1 Control parameters

Occupational Exposure Limits

SUBSTANCE	CAS No.	LTEL (8 hr TWA	LTEL (8 hr TWA	STEL	STEL	Note
		ppm)	mg/m³)	(ppm)	(mg/m³)	
1,1,1,2-	811-97-2	1000	4240			
Tetrafluoroethane						

Remark Workplace Environmental Exposure Level (AIHA)

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls Ensure adequate ventilation.

Personal protection equipment



Wear eye/face protection.

Eye Protection



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	Skin protection	Wear suitable gloves.
$\bigcirc$		Where engineering controls are not fitted or inadequate wear
		suitable respiratory protective equipment. A suitable mask with filter
	Respiratory protection	type A may be appropriate.

Thermal hazards Not applicable.

## 9. SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical	and chemical properties
Appearance	Gas.
	Color: Colorless.
Color	Colorless.
Odor	Slight ethereal.
Odor threshold	Not established.
рН	Neutral.
Melting point/freezing point	Not available.
Initial boiling point and boiling	-15.7°F (-26.5°C)
range	
Flash Point	Not applicable.
Evaporation rate	>1 (CC14 =1)
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable.
Upper/lower flammability or	Not applicable.
explosive limits	
Vapor pressure	96 psia @ 77°F (25°C)
Vapor density	3.6 @ 77°F (25°C) (Air = 1)
Density (g/ml)	Not available.
Relative density	1.208 @ 77°F (25°C)
Solubility(ies)	Solubility (Water): 0.15 WT% @ 77°F (25°C)
	Solubility (Other): Not available.
Partition coefficient: n-	Not available.
octanol/water	
Auto-ignition temperature	>1369°F (>743°C)
Decomposition Temperature (°C)	>482°F (250°C)
Viscosity	Not applicable.
Explosive properties	Not explosive.



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Oxidizing properties	Not oxidizing.	
9.2 Other information		
Percent Volatile (%)	100%	
10. SECTION 10: STABILITY AN	ID REACTIVITY	
10.1 Reactivity		
	Stable under normal conditions.	
10.2 Chemical Stability		
	Stable under normal conditions.	
10.3 Possibility of hazardous rea	ctions	
	No hazardous reactions known if used for its intended purpose.	
10.4 Conditions to avoid		
	Keep away from heat and direct sunlight.	
10.5 Incompatible materials		
	Potassium, Calcium, Powdered Aluminium, Magnesium and Zinc.	
10.6 Hazardous decomposition product(s)		
	Halogens, halogen acids and possibly carbonyl halides.	

# 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 Serious eye damage/irritation	LCLo (4h) (rat) $\geq$ 567, 000 ppm Dermal contact with rapidly evaporating liquid could result in freezing of the tissues or frostbite. Liquid can cause burns similar to frostbite.	
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	Not classified.	
Lactation	Not classified.	



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STOT - single exposure	None anticipated.
STOT - repeated exposure	None anticipated.
Aspiration hazard	Not classified.
11.2 Other information	

#### Not known.

# 12. SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity	
Toxicity - Aquatic invertebrates	Low toxicity to invertebrates.
	EC50 (48 hour) (Daphnia magna) = 980mg/l
Toxicity - Fish	Low toxicity to fish.
	LC50 (96 hour) (Oncorhynchus mykiss) = 450mg/l
Toxicity - Algae	Low toxicity to algae.
Toxicity - Sediment	Not classified.
Compartment	
Toxicity - Terrestrial	Not classified.
Compartment	
12.2. Persistence and Degradati	on
	Not readily biodegradable.
12.3. Bioaccumulative potential	
	The substance has low potential for bioaccumulation.
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.



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R-134A is subject to U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Clean Air Act Regulations Section 608 in 40 CFR Part 82 regarding refrigerant recycling.

## 14. SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 UN number	
UN No.	3159
14.2 UN proper shipping name	
UN proper shipping name	1,1,1,2-TETRAFLUOROETHANE.
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	
ADR/RID Class	2.2
IMDG Class	2.2
IMDG EMS	Not available.
ICAO/IATA	
Excepted Quantities	E1
Passenger and Cargo Aircraft	75kg
Limited Quantities Packing	
Instructions	
Cargo Aircraft Limited Quantities	150kg
Max net Qty	
Special Provisions	Not applicable.
Emergency Response	126
Guidebook (ERG) Code	
ADR Classification Code	2A
ADR HIN	20
ADR Transport Category	3
Tunnel Restriction Code	C/E
Emergency Action Code	2TE
Advice on Additional Personal	Not applicable.
Protection (APP)	
14.4 Packing group	
Packing group	Not applicable.
Labels	2.2
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Special Provisions	Not applicable.
Limited Quantities	120 m
Excepted Quantities	E1
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 use	er
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 P	ortable (M) T50
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Tanks	
Special Provisions for Portable	Not applicable.
Tanks	
Tank Code for Tanks	PxBN(M)
Special Provisions for Tanks	TA4 TT9
Vehicle for Tank Carriage	AT
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	I
Special Provisions for Carriage -	Not applicable.
Operation	

#### 15. SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 Federal

Toxic and hazardous substances Not listed.

(29 CFR 1910; Subpart Z)

National emission standards for Not listed.



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hazardous air pollutants (40 CFR	
61.01)	
Title III Consolidated List of Lists	Not listed.
TSCA (Toxic Substance Control	1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane (CAS No. 811-97-2).
Act)	
CAA 602 - Ozone Depleting	Not listed.
Substances (ODS)	
15.2 State	
State Right to Know Lists	Not listed.
Proposition 65 (California)	Not listed.
15.3 Other	
OSPAR List of Chemicals for	Not listed.
Priority Action	
NTP (National Toxicology	Not listed.
Program)	
OSHA	Not listed.
(List of Highly Hazardous	
Chemicals, Toxics and	
Reactives)	
IARC (International Agency for	Not listed.
Research on Cancer)	
16. SECTION 16: OTHER INFOR	RMATION
The following sections contain	1-16

revisions or new statements:

NFPA		HMIS	
Health	1	Health	1



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Fire	0	Flammability	1
Instability	1	Physical hazards	0

LEGEND:

Hazard Pictogram(s)



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GHS04	
Hazard Statement(s)	H280: Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.
Precautionary Statement(s)	P410+P403: Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place.

Additional Information required by Federal Standard 313 Rev. E:

Contract or Solicitation	SPE4A6-16-D-0226
Number:	
Prime Contractor:	Hudson Technologies, Inc.
Prime Contractor CAGE:	7DSQ0
Manufacturer/Contractor CAGE:	7AHB8
National Stock Number (NSN):	6830013706207, 6830013708756, 6830013909622,
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