# **Praxair Material Safety Data Sheet**

1. Chemical Product and Company Identification				
Product Name:	Carbon Dioxide/Oxygen Oxidizing Mixture	Trade Name:	Carbon Dioxide/Oxygen Oxidizing Mixture	
Product Use:	Not available.			
Chemical Name:	Carbon Dioxide/Oxygen Oxidizing Mixture	Synonym:		
			Not available.	
Chemical Formula: Not available.		Chemical Family:		
			Not applicable.	
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\*Call emergency numbers 24 hours a day only for spills, leaks, fire, exposure, or accidents involving this product. For routine information, contact your supplier or Praxair sales representative.

2. Composition and Information on Ingredients					
INGREDIENTS	% (VOL)	CAS NUMBER	LD50 (Species & Routes)	LC50 (Rat, 4 hrs.)	TLV-TWA (ACGIH)
Oxygen	23.5001 -99.9	7782-44-7	Not applicable.	Not available.	None.
Carbon dioxide	0.1-76.4999	124-38-9	Not applicable.	Not available.	5000 PPM

# 3. Hazards Identification

# **Emergency Overview**

WARNING! High-pressure, oxidizing gas. Vigorously accelerates combustion. Self-contained breathing apparatus may be required by rescue workers.

**ROUTES OF** Inhalation. **EXPOSURE:** 

# EFFECTS OF A SINGLE (ACUTE) OVEREXPOSURE:

Product Name:	Carbon Dioxide/Oxygen Oxidizing Mixture	MSDS#	E-6220-H	Date: Oct. 15, 2
INHALATION	cause nasal stuffiness, c oxygen at higher pressur period. Breathing pure c nervous system effects re and hearing disturbances, oxygen under pressure	ough, sore the increases to exygen under esulting in diz muscular two may cause poncentrations	nroat, chest pain an he likelihood of adve pressure may caus ziness, poor co-ord itching, unconscious prolongation of ada may cause stinging	for more than a few hours may ad breathing difficulty. Breathing erse effects within a shorter time se lung damage and also central ination, tingling sensation, visual ness and convulsions. Breathing ptation to darkness and reduce of the nose and throat, excitation, of Carbon Dioxide.
SKIN CONTA	CT: No evidence of adverse e	ffects from av	vailable information.	
SKIN ABSORPTIOI	No evidence of adverse e	ffects from a	vailable information.	
SWALLOWIN	G: No evidence of adverse e	ffects from av	vailable information.	
EYE CONTAC	CT: No evidence of adverse e	ffects from av	ailable information.	

# **EFFECTS OF REPEATED (CHRONIC) OVEREXPOSURE:**

Overexposure to high concentrations may cause damage to retinal ganglion cells and central nervous system. See "Notes to Physician", in the "First Aid" section.

#### **OTHER EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE:**

No evidence of adverse effects from available information.

## **MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY OVEREXPOSURE:**

See "Notes to Physician" in the "First Aid" Section.

# SIGNIFICANT LABORATORY DATA WITH POSSIBLE RELEVANCE TO HUMAN HEALTH HAZARD EVALUATION:

None currently known.

## **CARCINOGENICITY:**

Not listed as carcinogen by OSHA, NTP or IARC.

# 4. First Aid Measures

#### INHALATION:

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artifical respiration. If breathing is difficult, qualified personnel may give oxygen. Call a physician.

## **SKIN CONTACT:**

No emergency care anticipated.

## **SWALLOWING:**

This product is a gas at normal temperature and pressure.

### **EYE CONTACT:**

No emergency care anticipated.

#### NOTES TO PHYSICIAN:

Supportive treatment should include immediate sedation, anti-convulsive therapy if needed, and rest. Animal studies suggest that the administration of certain drugs, including phenothiazine drugs and chloroquine, increases the susceptibility to toxicity from oxygen at high concentrations or pressures. Animal studies also indicate that vitamin E deficiency may increase susceptibility to oxygen toxicity.

Airway obstruction during high oxygen tension may cause alveolar collapse following absorption of the oxygen. Similarly, occlusion of the eustachian tubes may cause retraction of the eardrum, and obstruction of the paranasal sinuses may product "vacuum-type" headache.

Newborn premature infants exposed to high oxygen concentration s may suffer delayed retinal damage which can progress to retinal detachment and blindness (retrolental fibroplasia). Retinal damage can also occur in adults exposed to 100% oxygen under greater than atmospheric pressure, particularly in individuals whose retinal circulation has been previously compromised.

5. Fire Fighting Measures				
FLAMMABLE : No. IF YES, UNDER WHAT Not applicable.   CONDITIONS? Not applicable.			Not applicable.	
FLASH POINT (test method) Not applicable. AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE Not applicable.				
FLAMMABLE LIMITS IN AIR, % by volume:LOWER:Not applicable.			UPPER: Not applicable.	

# **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:**

Vigorously accelerates combustion. Use media appropriate for surrounding fire. Water (i.e. safety shower) is the preferred extinguishing media for clothing fires.

## **SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:**

**WARNING** Evacuate all personnel from danger area. Immediately cool containers with water spray from maximum distance until cool, then move containers away from fire area if without risk.

## UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD:

Oxidizing agent, vigorously accelerate combustion. Contact with flammable materials may cause fire or explosion. Container may rupture due to heat of fire. No part of a container should be subjected to a temperature higher than 52 C. Most containers are provided with a pressure relief device designed to vent contents when they are exposed to elevated temperature. Smoking, flames and electric sparks in the presence of enriched oxygen atmospheres are potential explosion hazards.

#### **HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS:**

None.

#### **SENSITIVITY TO IMPACT:**

Avoid impact against container.

#### **SENSITIVITY TO STATIC DISCHARGE:**

Not available.

# 6. Accidental Release Measures

#### STEPS TO BE TAKEN IF MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED:

**WARNING!** Shut off leak if without risk. Ventilate area of leak or move leaking container to well-ventilated area. Remove all flammable materials from vicinity. Gas mixture must never be permitted to strike an oily surface, greasy clothes, or other combustible material.

#### WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:

Prevent waste from contaminating the surrounding environment. Keep personnel away. Discard any product, residue, disposable container, or liner in an environmentally acceptable manner, in full compliance with federal, provincial, and local regulations. If necessary, call your local supplier for assistance.

# 7. Handling and Storage

## PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN STORAGE:

Store and use with adequate ventilation. Firmly secure cylinders upright to keep them from falling or being knocked over. Screw valve protection cap firmly in place by hand. Store only where temperature will not exceed 52 C. Store full and empty cylinders separately. Use a first-in, first-out inventory system to prevent storing full cylinders for long periods.

#### **PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING:**

Protect cylinders from damage. Use a suitable hand truck to move cylinders; do not drag, roll, slide, or drop. Never attempt to lift a cylinder by its cap; the cap is intended solely to protect the valve. Never insert an object (e.g., wrench, screwdriver, pry bar) into cap openings; doing so may damage the valve and cause a leak. Use an adjustable strap wrench to remove over-tight or rusted caps. Open valve slowly. If valve is hard to open, discontinue use and contact your supplier.

For additional information on stroage and handling, refer to Compressed Gas Association (CGA) pamphlet P-1, *Safe Handling of Compressed Gases in Containers*, available from the CGA. Refer to Section 16 for the address and phone number along with a list of other available publications.

# OTHER HAZARDOUS CONDITIONS OF HANDLING, STORAGE, AND USE:

Carbon Dioxide/Oxygen

**Oxidizing Mixture** 

Product Name:

HIGH-PRESSURE, OXIDIZING GAS Use piping and equipment adequately designed to withstand pressures to be encountered. Vigorously accelerates combustion. Keep oil, grease, and combustibles away. Store and use with adequate ventilation. Close valve after each use; keep closed even when empty. Never work on a pressurized system. If there is a leak, close the cylinder valve. Blow the system down in an environmentally safe manner in compliance with all federal, provincial, and local laws, then repair the leak. Never allow a compressed gas cylinder to become part of an electrical circuit. Electric arcs weaken cylinder metal and can cause catastrophic failure.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection				
VENTILATION/ENGINEERING CONTROLS:				
LOCAL EXHAUST: Not applicable.				
MECHANICAL (general): Acceptable.				
SPECIAL: Not applicable.				
OTHER: Not applicable.				
PERSONAL PROTECTION:				

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: For concentrations up to 10 times the applicable exposure limit any NIOSH/MSHA approved supplied air respirator is recommended. Up to 50 times the TLV, a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator with a full-face piece or self-contained breathing apparatus is recommended. For higher concentration us only self-contained breathing apparatus operated in the pressure demand mode.. Selection should also be based on the current CSA standard Z94.4, "Selection, Care and Use of Respirators". Respirators should also be approved by NIOSH and MSHA.

SKIN PROTECTION: Insulated Neoprene.			
EYE PROTECTION:	Select in accordance with the current CSA standard Z94.3, "Industrial Eye and Face Protection", and any provincial regulations, local bylaws or guidelines.		
OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:	Metatarsal shoes for cylinder handling. Protective clothing where needed. Cuffless trousers should be worn outside the shoes. Select in accordance with the current CSA standard Z195, "Protective Foot Wear", and any provincial regulations, local bylaws or guidelines.		

9. Physical and Chemical Properties					
PHYSICAL STATE:	Gas.	FREEZING POINT:	Not available.	pH:	Not available.
BOILING POINT	Not available.	VAPOUR PRESSURE		MOLECULAR WEIGHT:	Not available.
		TRESSURE	Not available.		
SPECIFIC GRAVITY: LIQUID ( Water = 1)	Not available.	SOLUBILITY IN WATER,	Not available.		
SPECIFIC GRAVITY: VAPOUR (air = 1)	Not available.	EVAPORATION RATE (Butyl Acetate=1):	Not available.	COEFFICIENT OF WATER/OIL DISTRIBUTION:	Not available.
VAPOUR DENSITY:	Not available.	% VOLATILES BY VOLUME:	Not available.	ODOUR THRESHOLD:	Not available.
APPEARANCE & ODOUR: Colourless gas at Odourless. normal temperature and pressure.					
		10. Stability a	nd Reactivity		
STABILITY: The product is stable.					
CONDITIONS OF CHEMICAL INSTABILITY: See Section 7.					
INCOMPATIBILITY (materials to avoid):			rr A	Combustible materials, as naterials, especially oils a Ikali metals, alkline earth cetylides.	and greases.
HAZARDOUS DE	ECOMPOSITION PROD	JCTS:	N	lone.	
HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:			V	Vill not occur.	
CONDITIONS OF	CONDITIONS OF REACTIVITY:				
11. Toxicological Information					
See section 3					

See section 3.

Carbon Dioxide Component: Carbon dioxide is an asphyxiant. It initially stimulates respiration and then causes respiratory depression. High concentrations result in narcosis. Symptoms in humans are as follows:

EFFECTS: Breathing rate increases slightly.	<u>CO₂</u> CONCENTRATION: 1%
Breathing rate increases to 50% above normal level. Prolonged exposure can cause headache, tiredness.	2%
Breathing increases to twice normal rate and become labored. Weak narcotic effect. Impaired hearing, headache, increased blood pressure and pulse rate.	3%
Breathing increases to approximately four times normal rate, symptoms of intoxication become evident, and slight choking may be felt.	4 - 5%
Characteristic sharp odor noticeable. Very labored breathing, headache, visual impairment, and ringing in the ears. Judgment may be impaired, followed within minutes by loss of consciousness.	5 - 10%

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50 - 100%

Unconsciousness occurs more rapidly above 10% level. Prolonged exposure to high concentrations may eventually result in death from asphyxiation.

# **12. Ecological Information**

No adverse ecological effects expected. This product does not contain any Class I or Class II ozone-depleting chemicals. The components of this mixture are not listed as marine pollutants by TDG Regulations.

# **13. Disposal Considerations**

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD: Do not attempt to dispose of residual or unused quantities. Return cylinder to supplier.

# 14. Transport Information

**TDG/IMO SHIPPING**Compressed gas, oxidizing, n.o.s. (Oxygen)**NAME:** 

HAZARD CLASS:	corrosive and r	5.1: Oxidizing	<b>IDENTIFICATION</b> #:	UN 3156	<b>PRODUCT REPORTABLE QUANTITY (PRQ):</b> Any accidental release in a quantity that could pose a danger to public safety or any sustained release of 10 minutes or more
SHIPPING	G LABEL(s):	Special yellow	class 2 oxidizing		
PLACARI required):	N	Special yellow	class 2 oxidizing		

## **SPECIAL SHIPPING INFORMATION:**

Cylinders should be transported in a secure position, in a well-ventilated vehicle. Cylinders transported in an enclosed, non-ventilated compartment of a vehicle can present serious safety hazards.

# **15. Regulatory Information**

The following selected regulatory requirements may apply to this product. Not all such requirements are identified. Users of this product are solely responsible for compliance with all applicable federal, provincial, and local regulations.

DSL (Canada)	This product is on the DSL list
WHMIS (Canada)	CLASS A: Compressed gas. CLASS C: Oxidizing material.

## **International Regulations**

EINECS	Not available.
DSCL (EEC)	$\ensuremath{R8-Contact}$ with combustible material may cause fire.

International Lists No products were found.

# **16. Other Information**

## MIXTURES:

When two or more gases, or liquefied gases are mixed, their hazardous properties may combine to create additional, unexpected hazards. Obtain and evaluate the safety information for each component before you produce the mixture. Consult an Industrial Hygienist, or other trained person when you make your safety evaluation of the end product. Remember, gases and liquids have properties which can cause serious injury or death.

## HAZARD RATING SYSTEM:

#### HMIS RATINGS:

HEALTH 0

FLAMMABILITY 0

PHYSICAL HAZARD 2

## STANDARD VALVE CONNECTIONS FOR U.S. AND CANADA:

THREADED:	CGA-296
PIN-INDEXED YOKE:	Not available.
ULTRA-HIGH-INTEGRITY	Not available.
CONNECTION:	

Use the proper CGA connections. **DO NOT USE ADAPTERS.** Additional limited-standard connections may apply. See CGA pamphlets V-1 and V-7 listed below.

Ask your supplier about free Praxair safety literature as referred to in this MSDS and on the label for this product. Further information about this product can be found in the following pamphlets published by the Compressed Gas Association, Inc. (CGA), 4221 Walney Road, 5th Floor, Chantilly, VA 20151-2923, Telephone (703) 788-2700, Fax (703) 961-1831, website: www.cganet.com.

- AV-1 Safe Handling and Storage of Compressed Gas
- P-1 Safe Handling of Compressed Gases in Containers
- P-14 Accident Prevention in Oxygen-Rich, Oxygen-Deficient Atmospheres
- SB-2 Oxygen-Deficient Atmospheres
- V-1 Compressed Gas Cylinder Valve Inlet and Outlet Connections
- V-7 Standard Method of Determining Cylinder Valve Outlet Connections for Industrial Gas Mixtures
- --- Handbook of Compressed Gases, Fifth Edition

## For more indepth information for each component, refer to the pure product MSDS.

The information contained in this MSDS is generated from technical sources using the Chemmate Mixture MSDS system and the pure-product MSDS for each component. These mixtures are not tested as a whole for chemical, physical, or health effects.

**PREPARATION INFORMATION:** 

DATE:	October 15, 2016
<b>DEPARTMENT:</b>	Safety and Environmental Services
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Carbon Dioxide/Oxygen Oxidizing Mixture

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Praxair Canada Inc. requests the users of this product to study this Material Data Sheet (MSDS) and become aware of product hazards and safety information. To promote safe use of this product, a user should (1) notify its employees, agents and contractors of the information on this MSDS and any product hazards and safety nformation, (2) furnish this same information to each of its customers for the product, and (3) request such customers to notify their employees and customers for the product of the same product hazards and safety information.

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