

MG INDUSTRIES -- SULFUR HEXAFLUORIDE -- 6830-00-985-7283

===== Product Identification =====

Product ID:SULFUR HEXAFLUORIDE

MSDS Date:06/01/2000

FSC:6830

NIIN:00-985-7283

Status Code:A

MSDS Number: CLCSZ

=== Responsible Party ===

Company Name:MG INDUSTRIES

Address:3 GREAT VALLEY PKY

City:MALVERN

State:PA

ZIP:19355-1424

Country:US

Info Phone Num:610-695-7400 / 610-695-7449

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Resp. Party Other MSDS Num.:MSDS # 22300. MG122300

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CAGE:08772

=== Contractor Identification ===

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State:CA

ZIP:94104

Country:US

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Contract Num:SP0450-99-M-JA62

CAGE:0YCT7

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Box:City:MENTOR

State:OH

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Country:US

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Contract Num:SP0450-01-M-ZB16-

CAGE:1SAT6

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Composition/Information on Ingredients  
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Ingred Name:SULPHUR HEXAFLUORIDE

CAS:2551-62-4

RTECS #:WS4900000

= Wt:100.

OSHA PEL:6000 MG/M3;1000 PPM

ACGIH TLV:5970 MG/M3;1000 PPM

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Hazards Identification  
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LD50 LC50 Mixture:INTERVENOUS-RABBIT, LD50: 5790 MG/KG.

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ports of Carcinogenicity:NTP:NO IARC:NO OSHA:NO

Health Hazards Acute and Chronic:ACUTE: INHALATION: SHORT TERM

EXPOSURE: SUFFOCATION. LONG TERM EXPOSURE: NO INFORMATION ON  
SIGNIFICANT ADVERSE EFFECTS. SKIN CONTACT: SHORT TERM EXPOSURE:  
FROSTBITE. LONG TERM EXPOSURE: NO INFORMATION AVAILABLE. EYE  
CONTACT: SHORT TERM EXPOSURE: FROSTBITE. LONG TERM EXPOSURE: NO  
INFORMATION AVAILABLE. INGESTION: SHORT TERM EXPOSURE: FROSTBITE.  
LONG TERM EXPOSURE: NO INFORMATION AVAILABLE

Explanation of Carcinogenicity:NONE.

Effects of Overexposure:INHALATION: PERIPHERAL TINGLING, MILD

EXCITEMENT, ALTERED HEARING, FLUOROSIS WITH WEIGHT LOSS, BRITTLE  
BONES, ANEMIA, WEAKNESS, GENERAL ILL HEALTH, STIFF JIONTS,  
DISCOLORATION OF TEETH, BREATHING DIFF ICULTIES, HEADACHE,  
DIZZINESS, UNCONSCIOUSNESS, DEATH.INGESTION: FROSTBITE DAMAGE TO  
LIPS, MOUTH, AND MUCOUS MEMBRANES. EYE AND SKIN: FROSTBITE.

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First Aid Measures  
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First Aid:INHALATIONL REMOVE FROM EXPOSURE. USE BAG VALVE MASK OR SIMILAR DEVICE TO PERFORM ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION IF NEEDED. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION. SKIN CONTACT: IF FROSTBITE, FREEZING, OR CRYOGENIC BURNS OCCU R, WARM AREA IN WARM WATER. IF NOT AVAILABLE, GENTLY WRAP PARTS IN BLANKETS. ALLOW CIRCULATION TO RETURN NATURALLY. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION. EYE CONTACT: UNLIKELY TREATMENT REQUIRED. WASH WITH LARGE AM OUNTS OF WATER OR NORMAL SALINE . GET MEDICAL ATTENTION. ING ESTION: UNLIKELY THAT TREATMENT REQUIRED. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

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===== Fire Fighting Measures =====

Flash Point:NONFLAMMABLE  
Lower Limits:NOT RELEVANT  
Upper Limits:NOT RELEVANT  
Extinguishing Media:CARBON DIOXIDE, REGULAR DRY CHEMICAL. LARGE FIRES: USE REGULAR FOAM OR FLOOD WITH FINE WATER SPRAY.  
Fire Fighting Procedures:MOVE CONTAINER FROM FIRE AREA IF WITHOUT RISK. COOL CONTAINERS WITH WATER SPRAY UNTIL WELL AFTER FIRE IS OUT. STAY AWAY FROM E  
NDS OF TANKS. WITHDRAW IMMEDIATELY IN CASE OF RISING SOUND FROM VENTING SA FETY DEVICE OR DISCOLORATION OF TANKS. FOR TANK, RAIL CAR OR TANK TRUCK, EVACUATION RADIUS: 800 METERS (1/2 MILE).  
Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazard:NEGLIGIBLE FIRE HAZARD.

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===== Accidental Release Measures =====

Spill Release Procedures:STOP LEAK IF POSSIBLE WITHOUT PERSONAL RISK  
KEEP UNNECESSARY PEOPLE AWAY, ISOLATE HAZARD AREA. STAY UPWIND AND KEEP OUT OFLOW AREAS.  
Neutral  
izing Agent:NOT RELEVENT.

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===== Handling and Storage =====

Handling and Storage Precautions:STORE AND HANDLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL CURRENT REGULATIONS AND STANDARDS. KEEP SEPARATED FROM INCOMPATIBLE SUBSTANCES.

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===== Exposure Controls/Personal Protection =====

Respiratory Protection:FOR FREQUENT USE OR HEAVY EXPOSURE, RESPIRATORY PROTECTION MAY BE NEEDED. FOR UNKNOWN CONCENTRATIONS OR DANGEROUS TO LIFE OR HEALTH: USE ANY S

APPLIED-AIR RESPIRATOR WITH FULL  
FACEPIECE AND OPERATED IN PRESSURE-DEMAND OR OTHER  
POSITIVE-PRESSURE MODE IN COMBINATION WITH A SEPARATE ESCAPE SUPPLY  
OR ANY SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH A FULL FACEPIECE.

Ventilation:BASED ON AVAILABLE INFORMATION, ADDITIONAL VENTILATION IS  
NOT REQUIRED. ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE EXPOSURE LIMITS.

Protective Gloves:WEAR APPROPRIATE CHEMICAL RESISTANT GLOVES.

Eye Protection:WEAR SPLASH RESISTANT SAFETY GOGGLES.

Other Protective

Equipment:WEAR APPROPRIATE CHEMICAL RESISTANT  
CLOTHING. PROVIDE AN EMERGENCY EYE WASH FOUNTAIN AND A QUICK DRENCH  
SHOWER IN THE IMMEDIATE WORK AREA.

Supplemental Safety and Health

===== Physical/Chemical Properties =====

HCC:G3

NRC/State Lic Num:NOT RELEVANT

Boiling Pt:B.P. Text:NOT AVAILABLE

Melt/Freeze Pt:=-50.5C, -58.9F

Vapor Pres:16498 MMHG@20C

Vapor Density:5.1(AIR=1)

Spec Gravity:1.68 (WATER=1)

Viscosity:NOT RELEVANT

Evaporation Rate & Reference:  
NOT APPLICABLE

Solubility in Water:SLIGHTLY

Appearance and Odor:COLORLESS, ODORLESS GAS.

===== Stability and Reactivity Data =====

Stability Indicator/Materials to Avoid:YES

DISILANE: EXPLODES ON CONTACT. H<sub>2</sub>: REACTS AT 400C. METALS (HOT +  
REACTIVE): INCOMPATIBLE. SODIUM: REACTS ABOVE 150.5C. SULFUR:  
REACTS WITH VAPOR AT 400C.

Stability Condition to Avoid:STABLE AT NORMAL TEMPERATURES AND  
PRESSURE.

Hazardous Decomposition Products:THERMAL DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

HALOGENS, OXIDES OF SULFUR.

Conditions to Avoid Polymerization:WILL NOT POLYMERIZE.

===== Toxicological Information =====

Toxicological Information:TOXICITY DATA: 5790 MG/KG INTRAVENOUS-RABBIT  
LD<sub>50</sub>. ACUTE TOXICITY: INSUFFICIENT DATA. HEALTH EFFECTS:  
INHALATION: EXPOSURE TO 80% SULFUR HEXAFLUORIDE AND 20% OXYGEN FOR  
3 MINUTES PRODUCES PERIPHERAL TINGLING, A MILD EXCITEMENT STAGE  
WITH SOME ALTERED HEARING IN MOST SUBJECTS. REPEATED OR PROLO

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EXPOSURE TO FLUORIDES MAY CAUSE FLUOROSIS WITH WEIGHT LOSS, BRITTLE BONES, ANEMIA, WEAKNESS, GENERAL ILL HEALTH, STIFF JOINTS, AND DISCOLORATION OF TEETH DURING TOOTH FORMATION. SKIN, EYE CONTACT: LIQUID MAY CAUSE FROSTBITE. INGESTION OF GAS IS UNLIKELY. IF LIQUID SWALLOWED, FROSTBITE TO LIPS, MOUTH , MUCOUS MEMBRANES MAY OCCUR.

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Ecological Information  
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Ecological:NOT AVAILABLE.

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Disposal Consideration  
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Waste Disposal Methods:DISPOSE OF IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICIABLE LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL REGULATIONS.

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MSDS Transport Information  
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Transport Information:U.S. DOT PROPER SHIPPING NAME: SULFUR HEXAFLUORIDE; UN 1080; CLASS 2.2; LABE REQUIRED: NONFLAMMABLE GAS.,

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Regulatory Information  
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SARA Title III Information:SECTION 302 (40 CFR355.30): NO. SECTION 304 (40 CFR 355.40

): NO. SECTION 313 (40 CFR 372.65): NO. SARA HAZARD CATEGORIES, SARA SECTIONS 311/312 (40 CFR 370.21): ACUTE: YES; CHRONIC: NO; FIRE: NO; REAC TIVE: NO; SUDDEN RELEASE: YES.

Federal Regulatory Information:TSCA INVENTORY STATUS: YES. TSCA 12(B) EXPORT NOTIFICATION: NOT LISTED. CERCLA SECTION 103 (40 CFR 302.4): NO. OSHA PROCESS SAFETY (29 CFR 1910.119): NO.

State Regulatory Information:CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65: NO.

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Other Information  
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