

**PRODUCT NAME AIR (MEDICAL)**

**1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER**

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**Synonym(s)** 10822002 - MSDS NUMBER  
**Use(s)** MEDICAL APPLICATIONS  
**MSDS Date** 18 July 2008

**2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**NOT CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO NOHSC CRITERIA**

**CLASSIFIED AS A DANGEROUS GOOD BY THE CRITERIA OF THE ADG CODE**

<b>UN No.</b>	1002	<b>DG Class</b>	2.2	<b>Subsidiary Risk(s)</b>	None Allocated
<b>Pkg Group</b>	None Allocated	<b>Hazchem Code</b>	2T	<b>EPG</b>	2C1

**3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Ingredient	Formula	CAS No.	Content
AIR	Not Available	Not Available	100%

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

**Eye** Exposure is considered unlikely.

**Inhalation** If inhaled, remove from contaminated area. If other than minor symptoms are displayed, seek immediate medical attention. An inhalation hazard is not anticipated under normal conditions of use.

**Skin** Exposure is considered unlikely. Skin irritation is not anticipated.

**Ingestion** For advice, contact a Poison Information Centre on 13 11 26 (Australia Wide) or a doctor (at once). Due to product form and application, ingestion is considered unlikely.

**Advice to Doctor** Treat symptomatically

**5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

**Flammability** Non flammable.

**Fire and Explosion** Non flammable. Temperatures in a fire may cause cylinders to rupture. Call fire brigade. Cool cylinders exposed to fire by applying water from a protected location. Do not approach cylinders suspected of being hot.

**Extinguishing** Non flammable. Use water fog to cool containers from protected area.

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### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Spillage** If the cylinder is leaking, eliminate all potential ignition sources and evacuate area of personnel. Inform manufacturer/supplier of leak. Wear appropriate PPE and carefully move it to a well ventilated remote area, then allow to discharge. Do not attempt to repair leaking valve or cylinder safety devices.

### 7. STORAGE AND HANDLING

**Storage** Do not store near sources of ignition or incompatible materials. Cylinders should be stored below 45°C in a secure area, upright and restrained to prevent cylinders from falling. Cylinders should also be stored in a dry, well ventilated area constructed of non-combustible material with firm level floor (preferably concrete), away from areas of heavy traffic and emergency exits.

**Handling** Before use carefully read the product label. Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation. Observe good personal hygiene, including washing hands before eating. Prohibit eating, drinking and smoking in contaminated areas.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Exposure Stds** No exposure standard(s) allocated.

**Biological Limits** No biological limit allocated.

**Engineering Controls** No special precautions are normally required when handling this product.

**PPE** Wear leather gloves and safety glasses.



### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Appearance</b>	COLOURLESS GAS	<b>Solubility (water)</b>	INSOLUBLE
<b>Odour</b>	ODOURLESS	<b>Specific Gravity</b>	NOT AVAILABLE
<b>pH</b>	NOT RELEVANT	<b>% Volatiles</b>	NOT AVAILABLE
<b>Vapour Pressure</b>	NOT RELEVANT	<b>Flammability</b>	NON FLAMMABLE
<b>Vapour Density</b>	NOT AVAILABLE	<b>Flash Point</b>	NOT RELEVANT
<b>Boiling Point</b>	NOT AVAILABLE	<b>Upper Explosion Limit</b>	NOT RELEVANT
<b>Melting Point</b>	NOT RELEVANT	<b>Lower Explosion Limit</b>	NOT RELEVANT
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	NOT RELEVANT	<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	NOT AVAILABLE

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Chemical Stability** Stable under recommended conditions of storage.

**Conditions to Avoid** Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources.

**Material to Avoid** Compatible with most commonly used materials.

**Decomposition** May evolve toxic gases if heated to decomposition.

**Hazardous Reactions** Polymerization is not expected to occur.

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## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

<b>Health Hazard Summary</b>	Non toxic gas. As the amount of oxygen inhaled is increased, chest tightness, burning pains and coughing spasms will occur. Other symptoms of hyperoxia include cramps, nausea, dizziness, hypothermia, amblyopia (loss of vision), bradycardia, fainting spells and convulsions capable of causing death. Exposure at normal or elevated pressure may cause severe thickening and scarring of lung tissues. Not carcinogenic or mutagenic.
<b>Eye</b>	Non irritant.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Non irritant.
<b>Skin</b>	Non irritant.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Ingestion is considered unlikely due to product form.
<b>Toxicity Data</b>	No LD50 data available for this product.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Environment** No known ecological damage is caused by this product.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

<b>Waste Disposal</b>	Cylinders should be returned to the manufacturer or supplier for disposal of contents.
<b>Legislation</b>	Dispose of in accordance with relevant local legislation.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**Transport** Ensure cylinder is separated from driver and that outlet of relief device is not obstructed.



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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

<b>Poison Schedule</b>	A poison schedule number has not been allocated to this product using the criteria in the Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSDP).
<b>AICS</b>	All chemicals listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS).

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

**Additional Information** APPLICATION METHOD: Gas regulator of suitable pressure and flow rating fitted to cylinder or manifold with low pressure gas distribution to equipment.

ABBREVIATIONS:  
ADB - Air-Dry Basis.  
BEI - Biological Exposure Indice(s)  
CAS# - Chemical Abstract Service number - used to uniquely identify chemical compounds.

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CNS - Central Nervous System.  
EINECS - European INventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances.  
IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer.  
M - moles per litre, a unit of concentration.  
mg/m<sup>3</sup> - Milligrams per cubic metre.  
NOS - Not Otherwise Specified.  
NTP - National Toxicology Program.  
OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration.  
pH - relates to hydrogen ion concentration using a scale of 0 (high acidic) to 14 (highly alkaline).  
ppm - Parts Per Million.  
RTECS - Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances.  
TWA/ES - Time Weighted Average or Exposure Standard.

**HEALTH EFFECTS FROM EXPOSURE:**

It should be noted that the effects from exposure to this product will depend on several factors including: frequency and duration of use; quantity used; effectiveness of control measures; protective equipment used and method of application. Given that it is impractical to prepare a Chem Alert report which would encompass all possible scenarios, it is anticipated that users will assess the risks and apply control methods where appropriate.

**PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT GUIDELINES:**

The recommendation for protective equipment contained within this Chem Alert report is provided as a guide only. Factors such as method of application, working environment, quantity used, product concentration and the availability of engineering controls should be considered before final selection of personal protective equipment is made.

**Report Status**

This document has been compiled by RMT on behalf of the manufacturer of the product and serves as the manufacturer's Material Safety Data Sheet ('MSDS').

It is based on information concerning the product which has been provided to RMT by the manufacturer or obtained from third party sources and is believed to represent the current state of knowledge as to the appropriate safety and handling precautions for the product at the time of issue. Further clarification regarding any aspect of the product should be obtained directly from the manufacturer.

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**End of Report**