

ICI AMERICAS INC, FIRE FIGHTING CHEMICALS DIV -- BCF, HALON 1211 -- 4210-01-297-5641

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

Product ID:BCF, HALON 1211

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=== Responsible Party ===

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===== Composition/Information on Ingredients =====

Ingred Name:BROMOCHLORODIFLUOROMETHANE

CAS:353-59-3

RTECS #:PA5270000

Fraction by Wt: 100%

Other REC Limits:NONE SPECIFIED

===== Hazards Identification =====

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LD50 LC50 Mixture:LC50 INH RAT 211 MG/L

Routes of Entry: Inhalation:YES Skin:YES Ingestion:YES

Reports of Carcinogenicity:NTP:NO IARC:NO OSHA:NO

Health Hazards Acute and Chronic:INHALATION: VAPOR IS HEAVIER THAN AIR AND CAN CAUSE SUFFOCATION BY REDUCING OXYGEN AVAILABLE FOR BREATHING. BREATHING HIGH CONCENTRATIONS OF VAPOR MAY CAUSE LIGHT-HEADEDNESS, GIDDINESS, SHORTNESS OF BREATH, AND MAY LEAD TO NARCOSIS, CARDIAC IRREGULARITIES, UNCONSCIOUSNESS OF DEATH. SK

IN/EYE: LIQUID CAN DEFAT TISSUE.

Explanation of Carcinogenicity:THIS COMPOUND IS NOT LISTED AS A CARCINOGEN BY IARC, NTP OR OSHA.

Effects of Overexposure:BREATHING HIGH CONCENTRATIONS OF VAPOR MAY CAUSE LIGHT-HEADEDNESS, GIDDINESS, SHORTNESS OF BREATH, AND MAY LEAD TO NARCOSIS, CARDIAC IRREGULARITIES, UNCONSCIOUSNESS OR DEATH. LIQUID IS NOT CORROSIVE OR AN IRRITANT, BUT CAN CAUSE DEFATTING OF TISSUE.

Medical Cond Aggravated by Exposure:IN SUSCEPTIBLE INDIVIDUALS, CARDIAC

SENSITIZATION TO CIRCULATING EPINEPHRINE COMPOUNDS CAN RESULT IN POTENTIALLY FATAL HEART ARRHYTHMIAS.

===== First Aid Measures =====

First Aid:INHALATION: REMOVE TO FRESH AIR, CALL A PHYSICIAN. IF NOT BREATHING, GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION.IF BREATHING IS DIFFICULT, GIVE OXYGEN. DO NOT GIVE EPINEPHRINE OR SIMILAR DRUGS. EYE: FLUSH WITH WATER . SKIN: FLUSH WITH WATER. IF IRRITATIONPERSISTS, GET MEDICAL ATTENTION. ORAL: GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING AS THE HAZARD OF ASPIRATING INTO THE LUNGS IS TOO GREAT.

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

Extinguishing Media:USE WATER FOG, CARBON DIOXIDE, FOAM, OR DRY CHEMICAL AS APPROPRIATE FOR SURROUNDINGS. MATERIAL IS AN EXTINGUISHER.

Fire Fighting Procedures:WEAR FIRE FIGHTING PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND A FULL FACED SELF CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS. EVACUATE AREA. COOL FIRE EXPOSED CONTAINERS WITH WATER

SPRAY.  
Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazard:COMBUSTION OR HEAT OF FIRE MAY PRODUCE  
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS AND VAPORS INCLUDING HYDROGEN  
HALIDES AND HALOGENS.

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

Spill Release Procedures:VENTILATE ENCLOSED AREAS IN CASE OF  
INADVERTENT OR DELIBERATE DISCHARGE OF HALON 1211.  
Neutralizing Agent:NONE

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

Handling and Storage Precautions:STORE IN A CLEAN,  
COOL, DRY AND WELL-  
VENTILATED AREA OF LOW FIRE RISK. PROTECT CONTAINERS FROM PHYSICAL  
DAMAGE AND KEEP CLOSED.  
Other Precautions:AVOID BREATHING VAPOR, LIQUID CONTACT WITH EYES, SKIN  
OR CLOTHING. TANK-CLEANING PERSONNEL SHOULD USE ONLY FORMAL TANK  
ENTRY PROCEDURE BASED ON RECOGNIZED SAFETY PRINCIPLES. EMPTY  
CONTAINERS MAY CONTAIN PRODUCT RESIDUES/VAPORS.

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

Respiratory Protection:NONE REQUIRED FOR ADEQUATELY  
VENTED WORK  
SITUATIONS. FOR ACCIDENTAL OR NON-VENTILATED SITUATIONS, USE A  
SELF- CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS OR SUPPLIED-AIR RESPIRATOR,  
APPROVED BY NIOSH.  
Ventilation:PROVIDE LOCAL EXHAUST AT FILLING ZONES AND OTHER OPERATING  
SPACES WHERE LEAKAGE IS PROBABLE. MECHANICAL FOR OTHER.  
Protective Gloves:NONE SPECIFIED BY MANUFACTURER.  
Eye Protection:NONE SPECIFIED BY MANUFACTURER.  
Other Protective Equipment:USE IMPERVIOUS CLOTHING IF THERE IS REPEATED  
OR PROLONGED CONTACT WITH  
LIQUID.  
Work Hygienic Practices:REMOVE AND WASH CLOTHING PROMPTLY UPON  
CONTAMINATION. USE ORDINARY GOOD HYGIENE AND GOOD HOUSEKEEPING.  
Supplemental Safety and Health  
AVOID DIRECT CONTACT.

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

HCC:N1  
Boiling Pt:B.P. Text:26  
Vapor Pres:778 @60F  
Vapor Density:5.7  
Spec Gravity:1.83  
Solubility in Water:INSOLUBLE  
Appearance and Odor:COLORLESS GAS AND LIQUID WITH VERY FAINT SWEET ODOR

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

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Stability Indicator/Materials to Avoid: YES

STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS, MATERIAL CONTAINING OXYGEN, ACTIVE METALS,  
FIRES OF METAL HYDRIDES.

Stability Condition to Avoid: HIGH HEAT, OPEN FLAMES AND OTHER SOURCES  
OF IGNITION

Hazardous Decomposition Products: DECOMPOSED BY HIGH TEMPERATURES (OPEN  
FLAMES, GLOWING METAL SURFACES, ETC.) FORMING HYDROCHLORIC AND  
HYDROFLUORIC ACIDS.

===== Disposal Considerations =====

Waste Disposal Methods:

COMPLY WITH FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL  
REGULATIONS. REMOVE TO A PERMITTED WASTE DISPOSAL FACILITY.  
MATERIAL USUALLY DISPERSES IN THE ATMOSPHERE.

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