

# Safety Data Sheet

### **Section 1: Product and Company Identification**

Absolute Accuracy 4591 S Wayside Dr

Houston, TX 77087 (832) 571-2387

Product Code: 790

Synonyms: N/A

Recommended Use: CALIBRATION GAS

Usage Restrictions: INDUSTRIAL CALIBRATION GAS ONLY

### **Section 2: Hazards Identification**



Hazard Classification: Gases Under Pressure

**Hazard Statements:** 

Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated

**Precautionary Statements** 

Storage:

Protect from sunlight. Store in well-ventilated place.

### **Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients**

|                 | CAS #     | Concentration |
|-----------------|-----------|---------------|
| Carbon Monoxide | 630-08-0  | 500PPM        |
| Oxygen          | 7782-44-7 | %20.9         |
| Nitrogen        | 7727-37-9 | BALANCE       |

|                    | Chemical Substance          | Chemical Family | Trade Names   |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|---|
| Carbon<br>Monoxide | CARBON MONOXIDE             | Inorganic gases | CARBON OXIDE; CARBON OXIDE (CO); UN 1016; CO  |
| Oxygen             | OXYGEN, COMPRESSED GAS      | Inorganic gases | OXYGEN; DIOXYGEN; MOLECULAR OXYGEN;<br>OXYGEN MOLECULE; PURE OXYGEN; UN<br>1072; O2   |
| Nitrogen           | NITROGEN, COMPRESSED<br>GAS | Inorganic gases | DIATOMIC NITROGEN; DINITROGEN;<br>NITROGEN; NITROGEN-14; NITROGEN GAS;<br>UN 1066; N2 |

# **Section 4: First Aid Measures**

|                        | Skin Contact   | Eye Contact  | Ingestion  | Inhalation   | Note to Physicians               |
|------------------------|--|--|--|--|----------------------------------|
| Carbon<br>Monoxi<br>de | Wash skin with soap and water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention, if needed. Thoroughly clean and dry contaminated clothing and shoes before reuse. | Flush eyes with plenty<br>of water for at least 15<br>minutes. Then get<br>immediate medical<br>attention. | If a large amount is swallowed, get medical attention.       | If adverse effects occur, remove to uncontaminated area. Give artificial respiration if not breathing. If breathing is difficult, oxygen should be administered by qualified personnel. Get immediate medical attention. | For inhalation, consider oxygen. |
| Oxygen                 | None expected  | None expected  | Not likely route of exposure                                 | If adverse effects occur, remove to uncontaminated area. Give artificial respiration if not breathing. Get immediate medical attention.  | None                             |
| Nitroge<br>n           | Wash exposed skin with soap and water.   | Flush eyes with plenty of water.   | If a large amount is<br>swallowed, get<br>medical attention. | If adverse effects occur, remove to uncontaminated area. Give artificial respiration if not breathing. If breathing is difficult, oxygen should be administered by qualified personnel. Get immediate medical attention. | For inhalation, consider oxygen. |

# **Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures**

|                        | Suitable<br>Extinguishing Media   | Products of Combustion     | Protection of Firefighters   |
|------------------------|---|----------------------------|--|
| Carbon<br>Monoxi<br>de | Carbon dioxide, regular dry chemical Large fires: Use regular foam or flood with fine water spray.  | Carbon dioxide             | <ul> <li>Any supplied-air respirator with full facepiece and operated in a pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode in combination with a separate escape supply.</li> <li>Any supplied-air respirator with full facepiece and operated in a pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode in combination with a separate escape supply.</li> </ul> |
| Oxygen                 | Non-flammable. Use extinguishing agent appropriate for the material which is burning. Use water in large quantities for fires involving oxygen. | Oxides of burning material | <ul> <li>Respiratory protection may be needed for frequent or heavy exposure.</li> <li>None</li> </ul>   |

|              | Suitable<br>Extinguishing Media  | Products of Combustion | Protection of Firefighters   |
|--------------|--|------------------------|--|
| Nitroge<br>n | Non-flammable. Use suitable extinguishing media for surrounding fire. Cylinders may rupture or explode if exposed to heat. | Non-flammable          | <ul> <li>Respiratory protection may be needed for frequent or<br/>heavy exposure.</li> </ul> |

### **Section 6: Accidental Release Measures**

|                        | Personal Precautions   | Environmental Precautions  | Methods for Containment  |
|------------------------|--|--|--|
| Carbon<br>Monoxi<br>de | Keep unnecessary people away, isolate hazard area and deny entry. Ventilate closed spaces before entering. | Avoid heat, flames, sparks and other sources of ignition. Keep out of water supplies and sewers. | Stop leak if possible without personal risk.<br>Reduce vapors with water spray. Remove<br>sources of ignition. |
| Oxygen                 | Keep unnecessary people away, isolate hazard area and deny entry. Ventilate closed spaces before entering. | Avoid contact with combustible materials.  | Stop leak if possible without personal risk.   |
| Nitroge<br>n           | Keep unnecessary people away, isolate hazard area and deny entry. Stay upwind and keep out of low areas.   | No significant effects from contamination expected.  | Stop leak if possible without personal risk.   |

|                 | Methods for Cleanup                                  | Other Information   |
|-----------------|--|---|
| Carbon Monoxide | Stop leak, evacuate area. Wear protective equipment. | Subject to California Safe Drinking Water<br>and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986<br>(Proposition 65). |
| Oxygen          | Stop leak and ventilate                              | None  |
| Nitrogen        | N/A  | N/A   |

### **Section 7: Handling and Storage**

|                 | Handling  | Storage   |
|-----------------|---|---|
| Carbon Monoxide | Keep separated from incompatible substances.  | Store and handle in accordance with all current regulations and standards. Grounding and bonding required. Subject to storage regulations: U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.101. |
| Oxygen          | Store and handle in accordance with all current regulations and standards. Subject to storage regulations: U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.101. | Keep separated from incompatible substances.  |
| Nitrogen        | Store and handle in accordance with all current regulations and standards. Subject to storage regulations: U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.101. | Keep separated from incompatible substances.  |

# Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

|                 | Exposure Guidelines   |
|-----------------|---|
| Carbon Monoxide | CARBON MONOXIDE: 50 ppm (55 mg/m3) OSHA TWA 35 ppm (40 mg/m3) OSHA TWA (vacated by 58 FR 35338, June 30, 1993) 200 ppm (229 mg/m3) OSHA ceiling (vacated by 58 FR 35338, June 30, 1993) 25 ppm ACGIH TWA 35 ppm (40 mg/m3) NIOSH recommended TWA 10 hour(s) 200 ppm (229 mg/m3) NIOSH recommended ceiling |
| Oxygen          | OXYGEN, COMPRESSED GAS: No occupational exposure limits established.  |
| Nitrogen        | NITROGEN, COMPRESSED GAS:<br>NITROGEN: ACGIH (simple asphyxiant)  |

|                    | Eye Protection                                | Skin Protection                      | Respiratory Protection   |
|--------------------|---|--------------------------------------|--|
| Carbon<br>Monoxide | Eye protection not required, but recommended. | Protective clothing is not required. | Any supplied-air respirator with full facepiece and operated in a pressuredemand or other positive-pressure mode in combination with a separate escape supply. |
| Oxygen             | Eye protection not required, but recommended. | Protective clothing is not required. | Respiratory protection may be needed for frequent or heavy exposure.   |
| Nitrogen           | Eye protection not required, but recommended. | Protective clothing is not required. | Respiratory protection may be needed for frequent or heavy exposure.   |

#### **General Hygiene considerations**

- Avoid breathing vapor or mist
- Avoid contact with eyes and skin
- Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or drinking

### **Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

|                            | Physical State | Appearance | Color     | Change in<br>Appearance | Physical Form | Odor     | Taste     |
|----------------------------|----------------|------------|-----------|-------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|
| Carbo<br>n<br>Mono<br>xide | Gas            | Colorless  | Colorless | N/A                     | Gas           | Odorless | Tasteless |
| Oxyg<br>en                 | Gas            | Clear      | Colorless | N/A                     | Gas           | Odorless | Tasteless |
| Nitro<br>gen               | Gas            | Clear      | Colorless | N/A                     | Gas           | Odorless | Tasteless |

|                            | Flash Point   | Flammability  | Partition Coefficient  | Autoignitio<br>n<br>Temperatur<br>e | Upper Explosive<br>Limits | Lower Explosive<br>Limits |
|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Carb<br>on<br>Mono<br>xide | Flammable     | Not available | 1479.11 (log = 3.17)<br>(estimated from water<br>solubility) | 1128-1202 F<br>(609-650 C)          | 0.74                      | 12.0-12.5%                |
| Oxyg<br>en                 | Not flammable | Not available | Not available  | Nonflammable                        | Nonflammable              | Nonflammable              |
| Nitro<br>gen               | Not flammable | Not available | Not available  | Nonflammable                        | Nonflammable              | Nonflammable              |

|                                | Boiling<br>Point        | Freezing<br>Point   | Vapor<br>Pressure   | Vapor<br>Density | Specific<br>Gravity | Water<br>Solubility | рН                    | Odor<br>Threshol<br>d | Evaporati<br>on Rate | Viscosi<br>ty           |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|---|------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Car<br>bon<br>Mo<br>nox<br>ide | -312.7 F (-<br>191.5 C) | -326 F (-<br>199 C) | 760 mmHg<br>@ -191 C<br>gas; cannot<br>be liquefied<br>at room<br>temperature | 0.968<br>(Air=1) | Not<br>applicable   | 2.3% @ 20<br>C      | Not<br>applic<br>able | Not<br>available      | Not<br>applicable    | 0.01657<br>cP @ 0<br>C  |
| Ox<br>yge<br>n                 | -297 F (-<br>183 C)     | -360 F (-<br>218 C) | 760 mmHg<br>@ -183 C  | 1.1 (Air=1)      | Not<br>applicable   | 3.2% @ 25<br>C      | Not<br>applic<br>able | Not<br>available      | Not<br>applicable    | 0.02075<br>cP @ 25<br>C |
| Nit<br>rog<br>en               | -321 F (-<br>196 C)     | -346 F (-<br>210 C) | 760 mmHg<br>@ -196 C  | 0.967<br>(Air=1) | Not<br>applicable   | 1.6% @ 20<br>C      | Not<br>applic<br>able | Not<br>available      | Not<br>applicable    | 0.01787<br>cP @ 27<br>C |

|                                | Molecular<br>Weight | Molecular<br>Formula | Density            | Weight per<br>Gallon | Volatility by<br>Volume | Volatility        | Solvent<br>Solubility   |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Carb<br>on<br>Mon<br>oxid<br>e | 28.01               | C-O                  | 1.250 g/L<br>@ 0 C | Not available        | 100%                    | Not<br>applicable | Soluble: Alcohol,<br>benzene, acetic<br>acid, ethyl<br>acetate,<br>chloroform,<br>cuprous chloride<br>solutions |

|       | Molecular<br>Weight | Molecular<br>Formula | Density    | Weight per<br>Gallon | Volatility by<br>Volume | Volatility | Solvent<br>Solubility |
|-------|---------------------|----------------------|------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------|-----------------------|
| Oxyg  | 31.9988             | O2                   | 1.309 g/L  | Not available        | Not applicable          | Not        | Soluble: Alcohol      |
| en    |                     |                      | @ 25 C     |                      |                         | applicable |                       |
| Nitro | 28.0134             | N2                   | 1.2506 g/L | Not available        | 100%                    | 1          | Soluble: Liquid       |
| gen   |                     |                      |            |                      |                         |            | ammonia               |

# Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

|                    | Stability                                   | Conditions to Avoid                         | Incompatible Materials  |
|--------------------|---|---|---|
| Carbon<br>Monoxide | Stable at normal temperatures and pressure. | Stable at normal temperatures and pressure. | Oxidizing materials, halogens, metal oxides, metals, combustible materials, lithium   |
| Oxygen             | Stable at normal temperatures and pressure. | Stable at normal temperatures and pressure. | Combustible materials, halo carbons, metals, bases, reducing agents, amines, metal salts, oxidizing materials, alkaline earth and alkali metals |
| Nitrogen           | Stable at normal temperatures and pressure. | Stable at normal temperatures and pressure. | Metals, oxidizing materials   |

|                 | Hazardous Decomposition Products     | Possibility of Hazardous Reactions |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Carbon Monoxide | Oxides of carbon                     | Will not polymerize.               |
| Oxygen          | Miscellaneous decomposition products | Will not polymerize.               |
| Nitrogen        | Oxides of nitrogen                   | Will not polymerize.               |

# Section 11: Toxicology Information

#### **Acute Effects**

|                        | Oral LD50                                    | Dermal LD50     | Inhalation   |
|------------------------|--|-----------------|--|
| Carbon<br>Monoxid<br>e | LC50 Inhalation Gas. Rat 1807<br>ppm 4 hours | Not available   | Changes in body temperature, changes in blood pressure, nausea, vomiting, chest pain, difficulty breathing, irregular heartbeat, headache, drowsiness, dizziness, disorientation, hallucinations, pain in extremities, tremors, loss of coordination, hearing loss, visual disturbances, eye damage, suffocation, blood disorders, convulsions, coma |
| Oxygen                 | Not established                              | Not established | Irritation, changes in body temperature, nausea, difficulty breathing, irregular heartbeat, dizziness, disorientation, hallucinations, mood swings, pain in extremities, tremors, lung congestion, convulsions   |
| Nitroge<br>n           | Not available                                | Not available   | Nausea, vomiting, difficulty breathing, headache, drowsiness, dizziness, tingling sensation, loss of coordination, convulsions, coma   |

|                        | Eye Irritation  | Skin Irritation                               | Sensitization   |
|------------------------|---|---|---|
| Carbon<br>Monox<br>ide | No information on significant adverse effects                   | No information on significant adverse effects | Acute toxicity, Category 3, inhalation; H331: Toxic if inhaled. Reproductive toxicity, Category 1A; H360D: May damage the unborn child. Specific Target Organ Toxicity (repeated exposure), Category 1; H372: Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. |
| Oxyge<br>n             | No information on significant adverse effects                   | No information on significant adverse effects | No significant target effects reported.   |
| Nitrog<br>en           | Contact with rapidly expanding gas may cause burns or frostbite | No information on significant adverse effects | Difficulty breathing  |

#### **Chronic Effects**

|                        | Carcinogenicity | Mutagenicity | Reproductive Effects | Develo<br>pmenta<br>I<br>Effects |
|------------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| Carbon<br>Monoxi<br>de | Not available   | Available.   | Available.           | No data                          |
| Oxygen                 | Not known.      | Available.   | Available.           | No data                          |

|         | Carcinogenicity | Mutagenicity  | Reproductive Effects | Develo<br>pmenta<br>I<br>Effects |
|---------|-----------------|---------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| Nitroge | Not hazardous   | Not available | Not available        | No data                          |
| l n     |                 |               |                      |                                  |

# **Section 12: Ecological Information**

**Fate and Transport** 

|                            | nd Transport  Eco toxicity  | Persistence / Degradability   | Bioaccumulation /<br>Accumulation | Mobility in Environment                                 |
|----------------------------|---|---|-----------------------------------|---|
| Carbo<br>n<br>Mono<br>xide | Fish toxicity: 75000 ug/L 1 day(s) LC100 (Mortality) Orangespotted sunfish (Lepomis humilis) Invertibrate toxicity: Not available Algal toxicity: Not available Phyto toxicity: Not available Other toxicity: Not available | Relatively non-persistent in the environment. Highly volatile from water. | Not available                     | Not expected to leach through the soil or the sediment. |
| Oxyg<br>en                 | Fish toxicity: Not available Invertibrate toxicity: Not available Algal toxicity: Not available Phyto toxicity: Not available Other toxicity: Not available   | Not available   | Low bioaccumulation               | Not available   |
| Nitro<br>gen               | Fish toxicity: Not available Invertibrate toxicity: Not available Algal toxicity: Not available Phyto toxicity: Not available Other toxicity: Not available   | Not available   | Not available                     | Not available   |

# **Section 13: Disposal Considerations**

| Carbon Monoxide | Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. Subject to disposal regulations: U.S. EPA 40 CFR 262. Hazardous Waste Number(s): D001. |  |
|-----------------|---|--|
| Oxygen          | Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. Subject to disposal regulations: U.S. EPA 40 CFR 262. Hazardous Waste Number(s): D001. |  |
| Nitrogen        | Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.  |  |

# **Section 14: Transportation Information**

U.S. DOT 49 CFR 172.101

#### **DOT Information For This Mixture**

| Shipping Name | Compressed gas, n.o.s. (Nitrogen, Oxygen) |
|---------------|---|
| UN Number     | UN1956                                    |

| Hazard Class       | 2.2               |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| Hazard Information | Non-Flammable Gas |
|                    |                   |
|                    |                   |

**Individual Component Information** 

|  | Proper<br>Shipping<br>Name        | ID<br>Number | Hazard Class<br>or Division | Packing<br>Group | Labeling<br>Requiremen<br>ts | Passenger<br>Aircraft or<br>Railcar<br>Quantity<br>Limitations | Cargo<br>Aircraft<br>Only<br>Quantity<br>Limitations | Additional<br>Shipping<br>Descriptio<br>n |
|--|-----------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|--|--|---|
| C<br>a<br>r<br>b<br>o<br>n<br>M<br>o<br>n<br>o<br>xi<br>d<br>e | Carbon<br>monoxide,<br>compressed | UN1016       | 2.3                         | Not applicable   | 2.3; 2.1                     | Forbidden  | 25 kg  | Toxic-<br>Inhalation<br>Hazard Zone<br>D  |
| O<br>x<br>y<br>g<br>e<br>n                                     | Oxygen,<br>compressed             | UN1072       | 2.2                         | Not available    | 2.2; 5.1                     | 75 kg or L   | 150 kg   | N/A                                       |
| N<br>it<br>o<br>g<br>e<br>n                                    | Nitrogen,<br>compressed           | UN1066       | 2.2                         | Not applicable   | 2.2                          | 75 kg or L   | 150 kg   | N/A                                       |

**Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods** 

|                                | Shipping Name               | UN Number | Class    | Packing Group / Risk<br>Group |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------|-------------------------------|
| Car<br>bon<br>Mo<br>nox<br>ide | Carbon monoxide, compressed | UN1016    | 2.3; 2.1 | Not applicable                |
| Oxy<br>gen                     | Oxygen, compressed          | UN1072    | 2.2; 5.1 | Not applicable                |
| Nitr<br>oge<br>n               | Nitrogen, compressed        | UN1066    | 2.2      | Not applicable                |

### **Section 15: Regulatory Information**

**U.S. Regulations** 

|                        | CERCLA Sections | SARA 355.30    | SARA 355.40    |
|------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Carbon<br>Monox<br>ide | Not regulated.  | Not regulated. | Not regulated. |
| Oxyge<br>n             | Not regulated.  | Not regulated. | Not regulated. |
| Nitrog<br>en           | Not regulated.  | Not regulated. | Not regulated. |

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|-----|-------|--------------|-----------|------------|-----------------|
| - 1 | Acute | Chronic      | Fire      | l Reactive | Sudden Release  |
| - 1 | Acute | CHIOHIC      | i File    | I NEALLIVE | Suudeli kelease |

| Carb        | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes |
|-------------|-----|----|-----|----|-----|
| on          |     |    |     |    |     |
| Mon<br>oxid |     |    |     |    |     |
|             |     |    |     |    |     |
| е           |     |    |     |    |     |
| Оху         | No  | No | Yes | No | Yes |
| gen         |     |    |     |    |     |
| Nitr        | Yes | No | No  | No | Yes |
| ogen        |     |    |     |    |     |

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| Carbon Monoxide | Not regulated. |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Oxygen          | Not regulated. |
| Nitrogen        | Not regulated. |

#### **OSHA Process Safety**

| Carbon Monoxide | Not regulated. |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Oxygen          | Not regulated. |
| Nitrogen        | Not regulated. |

**State Regulations** 

| 3               | CA Proposition 65  |
|-----------------|--|
| Carbon Monoxide | WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including Carbon Monoxide, which is known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov. |
| Oxygen          | Not regulated.   |
| Nitrogen        | Not regulated.   |

**Canadian Regulations** 

|                 | WHMIS Classification |
|-----------------|----------------------|
| Carbon Monoxide | A, B1, D1A, D2A.     |
| Oxygen          | A,C                  |
| Nitrogen        | A                    |

**National Inventory Status** 

|                            | US Inventory (TSCA)  | TSCA 12b Export Notification | Canada Inventory (DSL/NDSL) |
|----------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Carb<br>on<br>Mono<br>xide | Listed on inventory. | Not listed.                  | Listed on inventory.        |
| Oxyg<br>en                 | Listed on inventory. | Not listed.                  | Not determined.             |
| Nitro<br>gen               | Listed on inventory. | Not listed.                  | Listed on inventory.        |

# **Section 16: Other Information**

|                 | NFPA Rating                             |
|-----------------|---|
| Carbon Monoxide | HEALTH=2 FIRE=4 REACTIVITY=0            |
| Oxygen          | HEALTH=0 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=0 SPECIAL=OX |
| Nitrogen        | HEALTH=0 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=0 SPECIAL=SA |

0 = minimal hazard, 1 = slight hazard, 2 = moderate hazard, 3 = severe hazard, 4 = extreme hazard