



# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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# 1 Identification of the substance or preparation and of the company/undertaking

Product Name: LUCIENNE BUTANE

Use of the substance/preparation: Compressed gas Name of Supplier: Keen (Private Label) Limited Address of Supplier: 1 Northbrook Street, Newbury

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# 2 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical Name	R Phrases*	Symbols
Blend of hydrocarbons consisting primarily	12	F+
of propane, iso-butane and n-butane		

<sup>\*</sup>See Section 16

## 3 Hazards identification

Odour: Odourless

Appearance: Liquefied pressure gasContact with eyes: See Section 11

# 3 Hazards identification (....)

- Contact with skin: Possible frost-bite of affected areas
- Inhalation: May cause dizziness, confusion, headache or stupor, In cases of severe exposure, anaesthesia may develop
- Ingestion: Not regarded as a potential route of exposure



Extremely Flammable

## 4 First aid measures

#### Contact with skin

- In case of contact with liquid, thaw frosted parts with water. Do not attempt to remove clothing which has stuck to the skin
- Burns must be treated by a physician

## Contact with eyes

- If substance has got into eyes, immediately wash out with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes
- Obtain immediate medical attention

#### Ingestion

Not regarded as a potential route of exposure

## Inhalation

- · Remove patient to fresh air
- Apply artificial respiration only if patient is not breathing
- When in doubt or symptoms persist, seek medical attention

#### General

 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible) (S45)

## **Notes to Physicians**

Do not give andrenalin or equivalent medicines

# 5 Fire-fighting measures

- Auto-ignition point 365 deg C at 760 mm Hg
- Extremely Flammable (R12), Lower flammability limit 1.7%(in air), Upper flammability limit 9.5%(in air)
- Decomposition products may include carbon oxides
- Do not extinguish a leaking gas flame unless absolutely necessary. Explosive re-ignition may occur
- In the event of an adjacent fire, cool containers with water spray
- Vapours are heavier than air and may travel considerable distances to a source of ignition and flashback
- Inform Fire Brigade of potential danger of exploding and rocketing cylinders

## 6 Accidental release measures

#### **Personal Precautions**

- Shut off all ignition sources
- Shut off source of leak if safe to do so
- In poorly ventilated areas or confined spaces, use an airline respirator or self-contained breathing apparatus
- Vapours are heavier than air and may travel considerable distances to a source of ignition and flashback

## **Environmental Precautions**

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## **Clean Up Actions**

- Shut off source of leak if safe to do so
- Allow product to evaporate
- Ventilate area

# 7 Handling and storage

### Handling

- Use only in well ventilated areas (S51)
- Do not spray on naked flame or any incandescent material

## Storage

- Keep in a cool, dry, well ventilated place
- Do not store above 45 °C

# 8 Exposure controls and personal protection

# **Exposure Limits**

• TLV (TWA) 1430 mg/m3 (Butane)

## **Exposure controls**

No special precautions are required for this product

## Occupational exposure controls

Wear flameproof clothing





# 9 Physical and chemical properties

- Odour: Odourless
- Appearance: Liquefied pressure gas
- pH not applicable
- Insoluble in water
- Density not applicable

# 9 Physical and chemical properties (....)

- Extremely Flammable (R12), Lower flammability limit 1.7%(in air), Upper flammability limit 9.5%(in air)
- Auto-ignition point 365 deg C at 760 mm Hg
- Upper explosive limit 8.5 % (in air)
- Lower explosive limit 1.3 % (in air)

# 10 Stability and reactivity

- This article is considered stable under normal conditions
- Avoid overheating, Keep away from naked flames, incandescent or hot surfaces

# 11 Toxicological information

# **Toxicological information**

Asphyxiant

#### Inhalation

- In cases of severe exposure, shortness of breath may develop
- Asphyxiant

#### Contact with skin

May cause frost-bite

## Contact with eyes

May cause frost-bite

#### Ingestion

Not regarded as a potential route of exposure.

### Carcinogenicity

No evidence of carcinogenic effects

# 12 Ecological information

### **Ecotoxicity**

On available data, substance is not harmful to aquatic life

#### Mobility

• This substance is volatile

## **Bioaccumulation Potential**

Bioaccumulation is insignificant

# 13 Disposal considerations

### Classification

• This material and/or its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste

#### Disposal considerations

Disposal should be in accordance with local, state or national legislation

# 14 Transport information



UN

Proper Shipping Name: RECEPTACLES, SMALL, CONTAINING GAS

UN No.: 2037

Hazard Class: 2.1 Packing Group: N/A

Road/Rail (ADR/RID)

Proper Shipping Name: RECEPTACLES, SMALL, CONTAINING GAS

ADR UN No.: 2037

ADR Hazard Class: 2.1 Tremcard: 20G5F

**DOT / CFR (US Department of Transportation** 

DOT Proper Shipping Name: RECEPTACLES, SMALL, CONTAINING GAS

Hazardous Material: BUTANE

Hazard Class: 2.1 Identification Number: UN 2037

Product RQ (lbs): N/A DOT subrisk: N/A DOT Labels: 2 DOT Flashpoint: N/A

# 15 Regulatory information



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### **Risk Phrases**

• Extremely Flammable (R12)

## **Safety Phrases**

- Keep container in a well ventilated place (S9)
- Keep away from sources of ignition No Smoking (S16)
- Take precautionary measures against static discharges (S33)

## 16 Other information

Text of R and S phrase codes used in this safety data sheet:- R12: Extremely Flammable.

The information provided about the product on this Safety Data Sheet has been compiled from knowledge of the individual constituents

The data given here is based on current knowledge and experience. This Safety Data Sheet describes the product in terms of safety requirements and does not signify any warranty with regard to the product's properties

The data given here only applies when product used for proper application(s). The product is not sold as suitable for other applications - usage in such may cause risks not mentioned in this sheet. Do not use for other application(s) without seeking advice from manufacturer

