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GER**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1 Product identifier****Trade name****R600a - Isobutane 2.5; Tegan®600a, Isobutane 2.5**

Substance name	isobutane
REACH registration no.	01-2119485395-27

Identification numbers

CAS no.	75-28-5
EC no.	200-857-2
Index no.	601-004-00-0

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture**

Industrial Use
Professional use
Formulation of mixtures

Aerosol
Propellant
blowing agent
Initial product for chemical reactions
Intermediate
Fuel
Consumer use
Refrigerant

Uses advised against

No other use is recommended.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**Address**

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification**2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)**

Flam. Gas 1A; H220
Press. Gas liq.; H280

Classification information

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This product is assessed and classified using the methods and criteria below referred to in Article 9 of Regulation (EC) n° 1272/2008:

Physical hazards: determined through assessment data based on the methods or standards referred to in part 2 of Annex I to CLP

Health hazards and environmental hazards: determined through toxicological and ecotoxicological assessment data based on the methods or standards referred to in Part 3 and 4 of Annex I to CLP.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP Regulation)

Product identifier

75-28-5 (isobutane)

Hazard pictograms



GHS02



GHS04

Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H220

Extremely flammable gas.

H280

Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

Precautionary statement(s)

P210

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

P377

Leaking gas fire: Do not extinguish, unless leak can be stopped safely.

P381

In case of leakage, eliminate all ignition sources.

P403

Store in a well-ventilated place.

2.3 Other hazards

Contact with the liquid can cause cold burns or frostbite.

PBT assessment

The product is not considered to be a PBT.

vPvB assessment

The product is not considered to be a vPvB.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

Chemical characterization

Substance name isobutane

Formula C₄H₁₀

Molecular weight 58,12

Identification numbers

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EC no. 200-857-2

Index no. 601-004-00-0

Other information

Note	Specific concentration limits	M-factor (acute)	M-factor (chronic)
C, U	-	-	-

Full text for the notes: pls. see section 16 "Notes relating to the identification, classification and labelling of substances ((EC) No 1272/2008, Annex VI)".

3.2 Mixtures

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Not applicable. The product is not a mixture.

SECTION 4: First aid measures**4.1 Description of first aid measures****General information**

In high concentrations may cause asphyxiation. Symptoms may include loss of mobility/consciousness. Victim may not be aware of asphyxiation. Remove affected person from danger area, lay him down. Seek medical advice immediately.

After inhalation

Remove affected persons from dangerous area by observing suitable respiratory protection measures. Ensure supply of fresh air. Irregular breathing/no breathing: artificial respiration. Call a doctor immediately.

After skin contact

In case of contact with skin wash off immediately with soap and water. In case of frostbite, rinse with plenty of water. Do not remove clothing.

After eye contact

Remove contact lenses. Rinse eye thoroughly under running water keeping eyelids wide open and protecting the unaffected eye (at least 10 to 15 minutes).

After ingestion

Rinse the mouth thoroughly with water. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**Symptoms**

Shortness of breath; Frostbite; respiratory arrest. Unconsciousness

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**5.1 Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing media**

Extinguishing powder; Water spray jet; Water mist; Foam

Unsuitable extinguishing media

High power water jet; Carbon dioxide

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

In the event of fire, the following can be released: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide; May explode if exposed to heat. Liquefied gas: Spilled liquid can cause cold burns. This gas is heavier than air and may accumulate in low areas.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Use self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear full protective suit. Containers close to fire should be transferred to a safe place. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water. Pressure increase, bursting and explosion hazard during heating. Fire residues and contaminated firefighting water must be disposed of in accordance with the local regulations.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures****For non-emergency personnel**

Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from ignition sources. Do not breathe gas. Cordon and mark contaminated area. Remove persons to safety. Risk of explosion.

For emergency responders

No data available. Personal protective equipment (PPE) - see Section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Avoid release in the environment. Suppress gases/vapours/mists with water spray jet.

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Ensure adequate ventilation. Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with the regulations.

6.4 Reference to other sectionsInformation regarding safe handling, see section 7. Information regarding personal protective measures, see section 8.
Information regarding waste disposal, see section 13.**SECTION 7: Handling and storage****7.1 Precautions for safe handling****Advice on safe handling**

Only qualified and trained persons are authorised to handle. Provide good ventilation at the work area (local exhaust ventilation, if necessary). To be used only according to instructions for use. Do not pressurize, cut, weld, braze, solder, drill, grind, or expose containers heat or sources of ignition. In case of accidental release: danger due to low temperature of the liquid product. The product should only be used in areas from which all naked lights and other sources of ignition have been excluded. Prevent the creation of flammable or explosive concentrations of vapour in air and avoid vapour concentration higher than the occupational exposure limits. Pressurized container: protect from sunlight and do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50 °C. Do not pierce or burn, even after use. Comply with the health and safety at work laws.

General protective and hygiene measures

Wash hands before breaks and after work. Do not inhale gases. Do not eat, drink or smoke during work time. Keep away from foodstuffs and beverages. Have emergency shower available.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Vapours can form an explosive mixture with air. Isolate from sources of heat, sparks and open flame. Take precautionary measures against electrostatic loading (earthing necessary during loading operations). Use explosion-proof equipment/fittings and non-sparking tools. Electrical equipment should be protected to the appropriate standard.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**Technical measures and storage conditions**

Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place, open and handle carefully. Protect from heat and direct sunlight.

Recommended storage temperature

Value < 50 °C

Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Containers which are opened must be carefully closed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Always keep in containers of same material as the original.

Incompatible products

Do not store together with: combustible materials; oxidizing agents; oxidizing substances; spontaneously combusting substances; explosive substances

Storage Class according TRGS 510

2A Gases (except aerosol dispensers and lighters)

7.3 Specific end use(s)

No data available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**8.1 Control parameters****Occupational exposure limit values**

No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.
1	isobutane	75-28-5	200-857-2
	TRGS 900		
	Isobutan		
	WEL long-term (8-hr TWA reference period)	2400	mg/m ³ 1000 ml/m ³
	Ceiling Limit	4(II)	

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8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Ensure adequate ventilation, local exhaust at the work station if necessary. If these are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of particulates and solvent vapour below the OEL, suitable respiratory protection must be worn.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection

Self-contained breathing apparatus. In case of insufficient ventilation or long-term effect use breathing apparatus.

Respiratory filter (gas) : AX

Eye / face protection

Tightly fitting safety glasses (EN 166).

Hand protection

Low-temperature-resistant gloves (EN 511). Sufficient protection is given wearing suitable protective gloves checked according to i.e. EN 374, in the event of risk of skin contact with the product. Before use, the protective gloves should be tested in any case for its specific work-station suitability (i.e. mechanical resistance, product compatibility and antistatic properties). Adhere to the manufacturer's instructions and information relating to the use, storage, care and replacement of protective gloves. Protective gloves shall be replaced immediately when physically damaged or worn. Design operations thus to avoid permanent use of protective gloves.

Appropriate Material Leather

Other

Chemical-resistant work clothes. Fire-resistant antistatic protective clothing. Protective shoes.

Environmental exposure controls

No data available.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

State of aggregation	
gas	
Form	
liquified gas	
Colour	
colourless	
Odour	
petrol-like	
pH value	
No data available	
Boiling point / boiling range	
Value	-12 °C
Melting point/freezing point	
Value	-159,4 °C
Decomposition temperature	
No data available	
Flash point	
Value	-88,6 °C
Ignition temperature	
No data available	
Auto-ignition temperature	
Value	460 °C

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May form explosive gas-air mixtures.

Flammability

highly flammable

Lower explosion limit

Value 1,5 % vol

Upper explosion limit

Value 9,5 % vol

Vapour pressure

Value 347,97 kPa

Reference temperature 25 °C

Relative vapour density

Value 2,01

Comments Air = 1

Relative density

Value 0,59

Reference temperature -12 °C

Density

No data available

Solubility in water

Value 54 mg/l

Solubility

No data available

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)

No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.
1	isobutane	75-28-5	200-857-2

log Pow 2,80

Reference temperature 20 °C

with reference to pH 7
Source ECHA**Kinematic viscosity**

Value 0,238 mPa*s

Reference temperature -10 °C

Type dynamic

Particle characteristics

No data available

9.2 Other information**Other information**

No data available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**10.1 Reactivity**

Dangerous reactions are not expected if the product is handled according to its intended use.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage and handling conditions (See section 7).

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

May ignite when exposed to strong oxydising agents. Risk of formation of explosive gas mixtures in air.

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T > 48 °C; Heat, naked flames and other ignition sources.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agents; humidity

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

None, if handled according to intended use.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information**11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Acute oral toxicity			
No data available			
Acute dermal toxicity			
No data available			
Acute inhalational toxicity			
No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.
1	isobutane	75-28-5	200-857-2
LC50		520400	ppmV
Duration of exposure		2	h
State of aggregation	Gas		
Species	mouse		
Source	ECHA		
Evaluation/classification	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.		
Skin corrosion/irritation			
No data available			
Serious eye damage/irritation			
No data available			
Respiratory or skin sensitisation			
No data available			
Germ cell mutagenicity			
No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.
1	isobutane	75-28-5	200-857-2
Type of examination	in vitro gene mutation study in bacteria		
Species	Salmonella typh. TA98, TA100, TA1535, TA1537, TA1538		
Method	Value taken from the literature		
Source	ECHA		
Evaluation/classification	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.		
Reproduction toxicity			
No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.
1	isobutane	75-28-5	200-857-2
Route of exposure	inhalational		
NOAEC		9000	ppm
Type of examination	Combined Repeated Dose Toxicity Study with the Reproduction/Developmental Toxicity Screening Test		
Species	rat		
Method	OECD 422		
Source	ECHA		
Evaluation/classification	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.		
Carcinogenicity			
No data available			
STOT - single exposure			

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No data available

STOT - repeated exposure

No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.
1	isobutane	75-28-5	200-857-2
Route of exposure		inhalational	
		9000	ppm
Species		rat	
Method		OECD 422	
Source		ECHA	
Evaluation/classification		Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.	

Aspiration hazard

No data available

Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available

11.2 Information on other hazards**Other information**

No data available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information**12.1 Toxicity****Toxicity to fish (acute)**

No data available

Toxicity to fish (chronic)

No data available

Toxicity to Daphnia (acute)

No data available

Toxicity to Daphnia (chronic)

No data available

Toxicity to algae (acute)

No data available

Toxicity to algae (chronic)

No data available

Bacteria toxicity

No data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability**Biodegradability**

No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.
1	isobutane	75-28-5	200-857-2
Type		aerobic biodegradation	
Value		50	%
Duration		3,1	d
Method		QSAR	
Source		ECHA	
Evaluation		readily biodegradable	

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)**

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log Pow	2,80	
Reference temperature	20	°C
with reference to	pH 7	
Source	ECHA	

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	
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PBT assessment	The product is not considered to be a PBT.
vPvB assessment	The product is not considered to be a vPvB.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available.

12.7 Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects
Global warming potential within 100 years: 0

12.8 Other information

Other information
Do not discharge product unmonitored into the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**13.1 Waste treatment methods****Product**

dispose of in accordance with local regulation.

Allocation of a waste code number, according to the European Waste Catalogue, should be carried out in agreement with the regional waste disposal company.

Packaging

Compressed gas packaging under pressure. Do not open by force. Do not heat above 50°C. Dispose of compressed gas packagings only if completely discharged. Do not burn empty compressed gas packagings. Do not pierce, cut or weld uncleaned containers.

SECTION 14: Transport information**14.1 UN number or ID number**

ADR/RID/ADN	UN1969
IMDG	UN1969
ICAO-TI / IATA	UN1969

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID/ADN	ISOBUTANE
IMDG	ISOBUTANE
ICAO-TI / IATA	Isobutane

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID/ADN - Class	2
Label	2.1 RID: (+13)
Classification code	2F
Tunnel restriction code	B/D
Hazard identification no.	23
IMDG - Class	2.1
Label	2.1

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ICAO-TI / IATA - Class	2.1
Label	2.1

14.4 Packing group

ADR/RID/ADN	-
IMDG	-
ICAO-TI / IATA	-

14.5 Environmental hazards

EmS	F-D, S-U
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14.6 Special precautions for user

To be transported always in closed, upright and safe containers. Make sure that persons handling these containers are aware of the rules of conduct in case of incident or spillage.

14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not relevant

SECTION 15: Regulatory information**15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****EU regulations****Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) Annex XIV (List of substances subject to authorisation)**

In accordance with the REACH regulation (EC) 1907/2006, the product does not contain any substances that are considered as subject to listing in annex XIV, inventory of substances requiring authorisation.

REACH candidate list of substances of very high concern (SVHC) for authorisation

In accordance with article 57 and article 59 of the Reach regulation (EC) 1907/2006, this substance is not considered as subject to listing in annex XIV, inventory of substances requiring authorisation ("Authorization list").

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) Annex XVII: RESTRICTIONS ON THE MANUFACTURE, PLACING ON THE MARKET AND USE OF CERTAIN DANGEROUS SUBSTANCES, MIXTURES AND ARTICLES

The product is considered being subject to REACH regulation (EC) 1907/2006 annex XVII.	No 40
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Directive 2012/18/EU on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances

This product is subject to Part I of Annex I, risk category:	P2
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Other regulations

Adhere to the national sanitary and occupational safety regulations when using this product.

National regulations**Water Hazard Class (Germany)**

Class	nwg
Identification number	562
Source	Classification according to AwSV (Regulation on facilities for handling substances that are hazardous to water).

Other regulations

Take into account: TRGS 510 "Storage of hazardous substances in non-stationary containers"

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

A chemical safety assessment has been carried out for this substance.

SECTION 16: Other information**Sources of key data used to compile the data sheet:**

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), 1272/2008 (CLP) as amended in each case.

Directives 2000/39/EC, 2006/15/EC, 2009/161/EU, (EU) 2017/164.

National Threshold Limit Values of the corresponding countries as amended in each case.

Transport regulations according to ADR, RID, IMDG, IATA as amended in each case.

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The data sources used to determine physical, toxic and ecotoxic data, are indicated directly in the corresponding section.

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- C Some organic substances may be marketed either in a specific isomeric form or as a mixture of several isomers. In this case the supplier must state on the label whether the substance is a specific isomer or a mixture of isomers.
- U When put on the market gases have to be classified as 'Gases under pressure', in one of the groups compressed gas, liquefied gas, refrigerated liquefied gas or dissolved gas. The group depends on the physical state in which the gas is packaged and therefore has to be assigned case by case.

Creation of the safety data sheet

UMCO GmbH

This information is based on our present knowledge and experience.

The safety data sheet describes products with a view to safety requirements.

It does not however, constitute a guarantee for any specific product properties and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

Alterations/supplements:

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