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### SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Freon<sup>™</sup> 407C refrigerant Suva<sup>™</sup> 9000 Product name

Tradename/Synonym

R-407C

Suva<sup>™</sup> R-407C

407C **HFC 407C** 

Product Grade/Type ASHRAE Refrigerant number designation: R-407C

Product Use Refrigerant, For professional users only.

Restrictions on use Do not use product for anything outside of the above specified uses

Manufacturer/Supplier The Chemours Company FC, LLC

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Product Information : 1-844-773-CHEM (outside the U.S. 1-302-773-1000) 1-866-595-1473 (outside the U.S. 1-302-773-2000) Medical Emergency

Transport Emergency CHEMTREC: +1-800-424-9300 (outside the U.S. +1-703-527-3887)

### **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Product hazard category

Gases under pressure Liquefied gas



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Label content

Pictogram :



Signal word : Warning

Hazardous warnings : Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

Hazardous prevention

measures

: Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place.

### Other hazards

Misuse or intentional inhalation abuse may lead to death without warning.

Vapours are heavier than air and can cause suffocation by reducing oxygen available for breathing.

Rapid evaporation of the liquid may cause frostbite.

### **SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Component	CAS-No.	Concentration
1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane (HFC-134a)	811-97-2	52 %
Pentafluoroethane (HFC-125)	354-33-6	25 %



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Difluoromethane (HFC-32)	75-10-5	23 %

### **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

General advice : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. When symptoms

persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.

Inhalation : Remove from exposure, lie down. Move to fresh air. Keep patient warm and at

rest. Artificial respiration and/or oxygen may be necessary. Consult a physician.

Skin contact : Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Flush area with

lukewarm water. Do not use hot water. If frostbite has occurred, call a

physician.

Eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

Ingestion : Is not considered a potential route of exposure.

Most important

symptoms/effects, acute

and delayed

: Anaesthetic effects Light-headedness irregular heartbeat with a strange sensation in the chest, heart thumping, apprehension, feeling of fainting,

dizziness or weakness

Protection of first-aiders : If potential for exposure exists refer to Section 8 for specific personal protective

equipment.

Notes to physician : Because of possible disturbances of cardiac rhythm, catecholamine drugs,

such as epinephrine, that may be used in situations of emergency life support

should be used with special caution.

## SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES



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Suitable extinguishing media : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and

the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

: No applicable data available.

Specific hazards : Cylinders are equipped with pressure and temperature relief devices, but may

still rupture under fire conditions. Decomposition may occur. Contact of welding or soldering torch flame with high concentrations of refrigerant can result in visible changes in the size and colour of the torch flame. This flame

effect will only occur in concentrations of product well above the recommended exposure limit. Therefore stop all work and ventilate

recommended exposure limit. Therefore stop all work and ventilate to disperse refrigerant vapors from the work area before using any open flames. This substance is not flammable in air at temperatures up to 100 deg. C (212 deg. F) at atmospheric pressure. However, mixtures of this substance with high concentrations of air at elevated pressure and/or temperature can become combustible in the presence of an ignition source. This substance can also become combustible in an oxygen enriched environment (oxygen concentrations greater than that in air). Whether a mixture containing this substance and air, or this substance in an oxygen enriched atmosphere become combustible depends on the inter-relationship of 1) the temperature 2) the pressure, and 3) the proportion of oxygen in the mixture. In general, this substance should not be allowed to exist with air above atmospheric pressure or at high temperatures; or in an oxygen enriched environment. For

example this substance should NOT be mixed with air under pressure for leak testing or other purposes. Experimental data have also been reported which

indicate combustibility of this substance in the presence of certain

concentrations of chlorine.

Special protective equipment

for firefighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Use personal protective equipment. Wear neoprene gloves during cleaning up work after a

fire.

Further information : Cool containers/tanks with water spray. Self-contained breathing apparatus

(SCBA) is required if containers rupture and contents are released under fire

conditions.

Water runoff should be contained and neutralized prior to release.



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### **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

NOTE: Review FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES and HANDLING (PERSONNEL) sections before proceeding with clean-up. Use appropriate PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT during clean-up.

Safeguards (Personnel) : Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Ventilate area, especially low or enclosed

places where heavy vapours might collect. Refer to protective measures

listed in sections 7 and 8.

Environmental precautions : Should not be released into the environment.

In accordance with local and national regulations.

Spill Cleanup : Evaporates.

Ventilate area using forced ventilation, especially low or enclosed places

where heavy vapors might collect.

Accidental Release Measures : Avoid open flames and high temperatures. Self-contained breathing

apparatus (SCBA) is required if a large release occurs.

#### **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Handling (Personnel) : Avoid breathing vapours or mist. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. For personal

protection see section 8.

Handling (Physical Aspects) : The product should not be mixed with air for leak testing or used with air for

any other purpose above atmospheric pressure. Contact with chlorine or

other strong oxidizing agents should also be avoided.

Dust explosion class : Not applicable

Storage : Valve protection caps and valve outlet threaded plugs must remain in place

unless container is secured with valve outlet piped to use point. Do not drag, slide or roll cylinders. Use a suitable hand truck for cylinder movement. Use a pressure reducing regulator when connecting cylinder to lower pressure (<3000 psig) piping or systems. Never attempt to lift cylinder by its cap. Use a



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check valve or trap in the discharge line to prevent hazardous back flow into the cylinder. Cylinders should be stored upright and firmly secured to

prevent falling or being knocked over.

Separate full containers from empty containers. Keep at temperature not exceeding 52°C. Do not store near combustible materials. Avoid area where

salt or other corrosive materials are present.

The product has an indefinite shelf life when stored properly.

Storage period : > 10 yr

Storage temperature : < 52 °C (< 126 °F)

### SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering controls : Use sufficient ventilation to keep employee exposure below recommended

limits. Local exhaust should be used when large amounts are released. Mechanical ventilation should be used in low or enclosed places. Refrigerant Concentration monitors may be necessary to determine vapor concentrations in work areas prior to use of torches or other open flames, or if employees are

entering enclosed areas.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : Under normal manufacturing conditions, no respiratory protection is required

when using this product.

Hand protection : Additional protection: Impervious gloves

Hand protection : Additional protection: The choice of an appropriate glove does not only

depend on its material but also on other quality features and is different from one producer to the other., Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. Also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which

gloves. Also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion, and the contact

time.

Eye protection : Wear safety glasses with side shields. Additionally wear a face shield where

the possibility exists for face contact due to splashing, spraying or airborne

contact with this material.

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Protective measures : Self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) is required if a large release

occurs.

Exposure Guidelines
Exposure Limit Values

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane

No applicable data available.

Pentafluoroethane

No applicable data available.

Difluoromethane

No applicable data available.

## **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance

Physical state : gaseous
Form : Liquefied gas
Color : colourless

Odor : slight, ether-like

Odor threshold : No applicable data available.

pH : No applicable data available.

Melting point/freezing point : Melting point/range

Not available for this mixture.

Boiling point/boiling range : Boiling point

-43.6 °C (-46.5 °F)



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Flash point : does not flash

Evaporation rate : No applicable data available.

Flammability (solid, gas) : No applicable data available.

Upper explosion limit : Method: None per ASTM E681

Lower explosion limit : Method: None per ASTM E681

Vapor pressure : 11,903 hPa at 25 °C (77 °F)

Vapor density : 3.0 at 25°C (77°F) and 1013 hPa (Air=1.0)

Density : 1.136 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F)

(as liquid)

Density : 0.0042 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F) at (1,013 hPa)

Specific gravity (Relative

density)

: 1.14 at 25 °C (77 °F)

Water solubility : not determined

Solubility(ies) : No applicable data available.

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

: No applicable data available.

Auto-ignition temperature : No applicable data available.

Decomposition temperature : No applicable data available.

Viscosity, kinematic : No applicable data available.

Viscosity, dynamic : No applicable data available.

% Volatile : 100 %

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## **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity : Stable at normal ambient temperature and pressure.

Chemical stability : Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

: Polymerization will not occur.

Conditions to avoid : Avoid open flames and high temperatures.

Incompatible materials : No applicable data available.

Hazardous decomposition

products

Decomposition products are hazardous., This material can be decomposed by high temperatures (open flames, glowing metal surfaces, etc.) forming

hydrofluoric acid and possibly carbonyl fluoride., These materials are toxic

and irritating., Avoid contact with decomposition products

### SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane (HFC-134a)

Inhalation 4 h LC50 : > 567000 ppm , Rat

Inhalation No Observed

Adverse Effect Concentration

40000 ppm , Dog

Cardiac sensitization

Inhalation Low Observed

Adverse Effect

Skin irritation

80000 ppm , Dog Cardiac sensitization

Concentration (LOAEC)

: No skin irritation, Rabbit

Eye irritation : No eye irritation, Rabbit

Skin sensitization : Does not cause skin sensitisation., Guinea pig

Does not cause respiratory sensitisation., Rat

Repeated dose toxicity : Inhalation



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Rat

gas

NOAEL: 50000,

No toxicologically significant effects were found.

Carcinogenicity : Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.

Overall weight of evidence indicates that the substance is not

carcinogenic.

Mutagenicity : Animal testing did not show any mutagenic effects.

Tests on bacterial or mammalian cell cultures did not show mutagenic

effects.

Reproductive toxicity : No toxicity to reproduction

No effects on or via lactation

Animal testing showed no reproductive toxicity.

Teratogenicity : Animal testing showed no developmental toxicity.

Further information : Cardiac sensitisation threshold limit : 334000 mg/m3

Pentafluoroethane (HFC-125)

Inhalation 4 h LC50 : > 800000 ppm , Rat

Inhalation No Observed

Adverse Effect Concentration

Cardiac sensitization

: 75000 ppm, Dog

Inhalation Low Observed

Adverse Effect

: 100000 ppm, Dog

ffect Cardiac sensitization

Concentration (LOAEC)

Skin sensitization

: Does not cause respiratory sensitisation., human

Repeated dose toxicity : Inhalation

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No toxicologically significant effects were found.

Carcinogenicity : Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.



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Overall weight of evidence indicates that the substance is not

carcinogenic.

Mutagenicity : Animal testing did not show any mutagenic effects.

Evidence suggests this substance does not cause genetic damage in

cultured mammalian cells.

Did not cause genetic damage in cultured bacterial cells.

Reproductive toxicity : No toxicity to reproduction

Animal testing showed no reproductive toxicity.

Teratogenicity : Animal testing showed no developmental toxicity.

Further information : Cardiac sensitisation threshold limit : 490000 mg/m3

: > 350000 ppm , Dog Cardiac sensitization

: 350000 ppm, Dog

Cardiac sensitization

Difluoromethane (HFC-32)

Inhalation 4 h LC50 : > 520000 ppm , Rat

Inhalation Low Observed

Adverse Effect

Concentration (LOAEC)

Inhalation No Observed

Adverse Effect Concentration Skin irritation

oncentration

Not expected to cause skin irritation based on expert review of the

properties of the substance.

No skin irritation, Not tested on animals

Eye irritation : No eye irritation, Not tested on animals

Not expected to cause eye irritation based on expert review of the

properties of the substance.

Skin sensitization : Does not cause skin sensitisation., Not tested on animals

Not expected to cause sensitization based on expert review of the

properties of the substance.

There are no reports of human respiratory sensitization.

Repeated dose toxicity : Inhalation

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No toxicologically significant effects were found.

Mutagenicity : Animal testing did not show any mutagenic effects.

Tests on bacterial or mammalian cell cultures did not show mutagenic

effects.

Reproductive toxicity : No toxicity to reproduction

Animal testing showed no reproductive toxicity.

Information given is based on data obtained from similar substances.

Teratogenicity : Animal testing showed no developmental toxicity.

Further information : Cardiac sensitisation threshold limit : > 735000 mg/m3

### Carcinogenicity

The carcinogenicity classifications for this product and/or its ingredients have been determined according to HazCom 2012, Appendix A.6. The classifications may differ from those listed in the National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens (latest edition) or those found to be a potential carcinogen in the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) Monographs (latest edition).

None of the components present in this material at concentrations equal to or greater than 0.1% are listed by IARC, NTP, or OSHA, as a carcinogen.

### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Aquatic Toxicity** 

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane (HFC-134a)

96 h LC50 : Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) 450 mg/l

96 h ErC50 : Algae 142 mg/l

Information given is based on data obtained from similar substances.

72 h NOEC : Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) 13.2 mg/l

Information given is based on data obtained from similar substances.

48 h EC50 : Daphnia magna (Water flea) 980 mg/l



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Pentafluoroethane (HFC-125)

96 h LC50 : Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) 450 mg/l

Information given is based on data obtained from similar substances.

96 h ErC50 : Algae 142 mg/l

Information given is based on data obtained from similar substances.

72 h NOEC : Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) 13.2 mg/l

Information given is based on data obtained from similar substances.

48 h EC50 : Daphnia magna (Water flea) 980 mg/l

Information given is based on data obtained from similar substances.

Difluoromethane (HFC-32)

96 h LC50 : Fish 1,507 mg/l

96 h EC50 : Algae 142 mg/l

48 h EC50 : Daphnia (water flea) 652 mg/l

30 d : NOEC Fish (unspecified species) 65.8 mg/l

**Environmental Fate** 

Difluoromethane (HFC-32)

Biodegradability : 5 % OECD Test Guideline 301D

Not readily biodegradable.

### **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste disposal methods -

Product

: Can be used after re-conditioning. Recover by distillation or remove to a permitted waste disposal facility. Comply with applicable Federal,

State/Provincial and Local Regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Empty pressure vessels should be returned to the supplier.



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### **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

DOT UN number : 3340

Proper shipping name : Refrigerant gas R 407C

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Proper shipping name : Refrigerant gas R 407C

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Proper shipping name : REFRIGERANT GAS R 407C

Class : 2.2 Labelling No. : 2.2

### **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

TSCA : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

SARA 313 Regulated

Chemical(s)

**IMDG** 

: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established

by SARA Title III, Section 313.

PA Right to Know

Regulated Chemical(s)

: Substances on the Pennsylvania Hazardous Substances List present at a concentration of 1% or more (0.01% for Special Hazardous Substances):

Difluoromethane

NJ Right to Know Regulated Chemical(s) : Substances on the New Jersey Workplace Hazardous Substance List present

at a concentration of 1% or more (0.1% for substances identified as

carcinogens, mutagens or teratogens): Difluoromethane



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California Prop. 65 : Chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or

any other harm: none known

### **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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