



## VAPCO PRODUCTS, INC.

### Safety Data Sheet R-290

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#### SECTION 1: Identification

##### 1.1 GHS Product identifier

Product name	R-290
Product number	R290-8OZ, R290-7/16-8OZ, R290-12LB, R290-20LB, R290-30LB
Brand	Vapco

##### 1.3 Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Refrigerant

##### 1.4 Supplier's details

Name	Vapco Products, Inc.
Address	401 Marshall Road Valley Park, Missouri 63088 United States
Telephone	(636) 923-2121
Fax	(636) 923-3002
email	Info@VapcoProducts.com

##### 1.5 Emergency phone number

(800) 255-3924

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#### SECTION 2: Hazard identification

##### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

**GHS classification in accordance with: OSHA (29 CFR 1910.1200, 2024)**

- Flammable gases, Cat. 1
- Gases under pressure, liquefied gas

##### 2.2 GHS label elements, including precautionary statements

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## Pictograms



## Signal word

**Danger**

## Hazard statement(s)

H220

Extremely flammable gas

H280

Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated

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May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation

## Precautionary statement(s)

P210

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.

P377

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

P381

Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so.

P403

Store in a well-ventilated place.

P410+P403

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

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2 Mixtures

#### Hazardous components

##### 1. LPG (liquified petroleum gas)

Concentration

100 % (weight)

EC no.

270-704-2

CAS no.

68476-85-7

Index no.

649-202-00-6

## SECTION 4: First-aid measures

### 4.1 Description of necessary first-aid measures

General advice

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

If inhaled

First, take proper precautions to ensure your own safety before attempting rescue (e.g. wear appropriate respiratory protective equipment, use the buddy system), then remove the exposed person to fresh air. Keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Get medical advice/attention.

In case of skin contact

Immediately drench affected area with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing immediately. Obtain medical attention if irritation develops or persists. If frostbite or freezing occurs, immediately flush with plenty of lukewarm water to GENTLY warm the affected area. Do not use hot water. Do not rub affected area.

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In case of eye contact	Immediately rinse with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Obtain medical attention if irritation develops or persists.
If swallowed	Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention.

### 4.2 Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

**Symptoms/Injuries:** Gas can be as toxic as a simple asphyxiant by displacing oxygen from the air. Refrigerated liquified gas. Contact with product may cause cold burns or frostbite.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Inhalation:** Asphyxiant gas.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Skin Contact:** May cause frostbite.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Eye Contact:** Contact with the liquified gas causes frostbite.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Ingestion:** Ingestion is an unlikely route of exposure for a gas.

### 4.3 Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

If exposed or concerned, get medical advice and attention. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

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## SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

### 5.1 Suitable extinguishing media

Dry chemical powder, alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Unsuitable Media: Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

### 5.2 Specific hazards arising from the chemical

**Fire Hazard:** Flammable gas.

**Explosion Hazard:** Container may explode in heat of fire. Heat may build pressure, rupturing closed containers, spreading fire and increasing risk of burns and injuries. Vapors are heavier than air and may travel considerable distance to an ignition source and flash back to source of vapors.

**Reactivity:** Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated. Reacts with oxidants causing fire/explosion hazard.

### 5.3 Special protective actions for fire-fighters

**Precautionary Fire Measures:** Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.

**Firefighting Instructions:** Use dry chemical, foam, or carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Do not breathe fumes from fire or vapors from decomposition. Do NOT fight fire when fire reaches containers. Evacuate area. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion. Shut off all sources of ignition. Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers.

**Protection During Firefighting:** Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection. Wear NIOSH-approved Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus with a full face piece operated in a positive pressure demand mode with full body protective clothing when fighting fires.

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** Carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>).

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## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**General Measures:** Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe vapors, spray, mist, gas. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames, and other ignition sources. No smoking.

**For Emergency Personnel**

**Protective Equipment:** Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

**Emergency Procedure:** Eliminate ignition sources first, then ventilate the area. Evacuate unnecessary personnel, isolate, and ventilate area. Upon arrival at the scene, a first responder is expected to recognize the presence of

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dangerous goods, protect oneself and the public, secure the area, and call for the assistance of trained personnel as soon as conditions permit.

### **For Non-Emergency Personnel**

**Protective Equipment:** Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE).

**Emergency Procedures:** Evacuate unnecessary personnel. Stop leak if safe to do so.

### **6.2 Environmental precautions**

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Avoid release to the environment.

### **6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

**For Containment:** Ventilate the area. Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent further migration and entry into sewers or streams. As an immediate precautionary measure, isolate spill or leak area in all directions.

**Methods for Cleaning Up:** ~~Clean up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Eliminate all ignition sources.~~ Ventilate area. Stop the ignition source of the release, if safe to do so. Consider the use of water spray to disperse vapors. Isolate the area until gas has dispersed. Ventilate and gas test area before entering. Take up liquid spill into absorbent material. Transfer spilled material to a suitable container for disposal. Contact competent authorities after a spill.

**Waste Disposal:** Dispose of in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations. Containers may be hazardous when empty. Do not flame cut, braze, or weld. Product should be fully characterized prior to disposal (40 CFR 261).

### **Reference to other sections**

See Section 8 for exposure controls and personal protection and Section 13 for disposal considerations.

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## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

**Precautions for Safe Handling:** Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not breathe gas, mist, spray, vapors. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Do not spray on open flame or other ignition source.

**Additional Hazards When Processed:** Do not pressurize, cut, or weld containers. Ruptured cylinders may rocket. Pressurized container: May burst if heated. Do not pierce or burn, even after use.

**Hygiene Measures:** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures.

**Other Precautions:** Keep out of reach of children. Follow label instructions. Vapors may collect in low lying areas.

### **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Technical Measures:** Comply with applicable regulations. Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed.

**Storage Conditions:** Store in a dry, cool place. Keep only in the original container in a cool, well-ventilated place away from ignition sources. Protect from sunlight. Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50°C/122°F.

Keep/Store away from direct sunlight, extremely high or low temperatures and incompatible materials. Store locked up/in a secure area.

**Incompatible Materials:** Heat sources. Oxidizers.

### **Specific end use(s)**

Refrigerant

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### 1. LPG (liquified petroleum gas) (CAS: 68476-85-7)

TWA (Inhalation): 1000 ppm; 1800 mg/m<sup>3</sup>; AU (AU/SWA)

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REL [L.P.G. (Liquified petroleum gas)] (Inhalation): 1000 ppm; US (NIOSH)

### 8.2 Appropriate engineering controls

Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Use explosion-proof equipment. Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed. Use only outdoors or in well-ventilated area. Ensure all local, regional, national, and international regulations are being observed. Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

### 8.3 Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

#### Eye/face protection

Chemical safety goggles. Insufficient ventilation: wear respiratory protection. Respiratory protection of the dependent type.

#### Skin protection

Wear protective gloves and clothing.

#### Body protection

Wear suitable protective clothing. Wear protective gloves. Chemical resistant materials and fabrics. Wear fire/flammable resistant/retardant clothing.

#### Respiratory protection

Use a NIOSH-approved Self-Containing Breathing Apparatus whenever exposure may exceed established Occupational Exposure Limits.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### Basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Gas
Appearance	Clear, colorless gas
Color	Colorless
Odor	Odorless
Odor threshold	N/D
Melting point/freezing point	-152°C (305°F)
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	-47 °C (52°F)
Flammability	Extremely flammable aerosol
Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit	2.15%-9.60%
Flash point	N/D
Auto-ignition temperature	467°C (873°F)

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Decomposition temperature	N/D
pH	N/A
Kinematic viscosity	N/D
Solubility	N/A
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)	N/D
Vapor pressure	862 kPa (125 psi) at 22°C (70°F)
Evaporation rate	N/D
Density and/or relative density	0.5066
Relative vapor density	1.52 at 20°C

### Supplemental information regarding physical hazard classes

Liquified gas

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated. Reacts with oxidants causing fire/explosion hazard.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures. Open flames. Heat. Sparks.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Heat. Strong oxidizers.

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>).

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

Petroleum gases, liquified (68476-85-7)  
LC50 Inhalation - Rat - 658 mg/l - 4 hours

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Not classified.

#### Serious eye damage/irritation

Not classified.

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Not classified.

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified.

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### **Carcinogenicity**

Not classified.

### **Reproductive toxicity**

Not classified.

### **Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - single exposure**

Not classified.

### **Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure**

Not classified.

### **Aspiration hazard**

Not classified.

### **Additional information**

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## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### **Toxicity**

Harmful to aquatic life.

### **Persistence and degradability**

Not classified.

### **Bioaccumulative potential**

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Petroleum gases, liquified (68476-85-7) Log Pow 2.3

### **Mobility in soil**

Not classified.

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## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### **Disposal methods**

#### **Product disposal**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations. Do not pierce or burn, even after use.

#### **Waste treatment**

This material, as supplied, is hazardous waste according to federal regulations (U.S. EPA 40CFR 261). Dispose of in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations.

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### Other disposal recommendations

Container may remain hazardous when empty. Continue to observe all precautions. Do not puncture or incinerate container. Product should be fully characterized prior to disposal.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### DOT (US)

UN Number: UN1075

Class: 2.1

Packing Group: N/A

Proper Shipping Name: Petroleum gases, liquefied or Liquefied petroleum gas

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### IMDG

UN Number: UN1075

Class: 2.1

Packing Group: N/A

EMS Number: N/A

Proper Shipping Name: Petroleum gases, liquefied or Liquefied petroleum gas

### IATA

UN Number: UN1075

Class: 2.1

Packing Group: N/A

Proper Shipping Name: Petroleum gases, liquefied or Liquefied petroleum gas

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

#### Massachusetts Right To Know Components (105 CMR 670)

Chemical name: LIQUIFIED PETROLEUM GAS (L.P.G.)

CAS number: 68476-85-7

#### New Jersey Right To Know Components

Common name: LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS

CAS number: 68476-85-7

#### Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

Chemical name: PETROLEUM GASES, LIQUEFIED

CAS number: 68476-85-7

#### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard, Fire Hazard, Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard

#### US EPA TSCA public inventory

Chemical name: LPG (liquified petroleum gas)

CAS number: 68476-85-7

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## SECTION 16: Other information

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N/A = Not applicable; N/D = Not determined

### 16.1 Further information/disclaimer

To the best of our knowledge, information contained herein is accurate. However there is no assumption of liability for the accuracy or completeness of the information contained herein. Final determination of suitability of any material is the sole responsibility of the user. All materials may present unknown hazards and should be used with caution. Although certain hazards are described herein, we cannot guarantee that these are the only hazard which exists. The information contained in this SDS was obtained from current and reliable sources; however, the data is provided without warranty, expressed or implied, regarding its correctness or accuracy. Since the conditions of handling, storage and disposal of this product are beyond the control of the manufacturer, the manufacturer will not be responsible for loss, injury, or expense arising out of the products improper use. No warranty, expressed or inferred, regarding the product described in this SDS shall be created or inferred by any statement in this SDS. Various government agencies may have specific regulations regarding the transportation, handling, storage, use, or disposal of this product which may not be covered by this SDS. The user is responsible for full compliance.

### 16.2 Preparation information

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