



MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

LPS[®] PF[®] -200

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Section 1 – Identification

Product Name: LPS[®] PF[®] -200

Part Number: 62316, C62316

Chemical Name: Chlorinated Hydrocarbons

Product Use: A non-flammable solvent agent designed for removing semi-conductive particles and other residues from primary insulation of medium to high voltage cables.

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PLAIN LANGUAGE HAZARD SUMMARY

Material Safety Data Sheets can be confusing. Federal and State laws require us to include a great deal of technical information that probably won't help the non-professional. LPS includes this "PLAIN LANGUAGE HAZARD SUMMARY" to address the questions and concerns of the average worker. If you have additional health, safety or product questions, don't hesitate to call us at 800/241-8334.

Worker Toxicity

LPS[®] PF[®]-200 is a non-flammable industrial solvent designed for removing semi-conductive particles and other residues from primary insulation of medium to high voltage cables. It contains trichloroethylene which can be irritating to skin. We suggest you wear chemically resistant gloves and avoid extended exposure to unprotected skin. Don't get it in your eyes (it stings), or breath large amounts of the vapor, (it will dry out your nasal passages and if you breathe large amounts in poorly ventilated areas it can make you dizzy and cause aesthetic effects). Don't spray LPS[®] PF[®] -200 for extended periods without adequate ventilation. If you're going to perform work involving a lot of product in a poorly ventilated area, use of a respirator or even a self-contained breathing apparatus may be necessary. For more exposure and first aid information, refer to MSDS Sections 2, 8 and 11.

Flammability

LPS[®] PF[®]-200 has no flash point and can be used safely around live electrical systems and other ignition sources without any flammability issues, but if it is sprayed directly onto red-hot surfaces or into intense flames, it can be forced to burn. LPS[®] PF[®]-200 that is forced to burn in such a manner will produce a highly irritating and potentially dangerous smoke.

Disposal

If you spill LPS[®] PF[®]-200, notify the proper environmental or safety department at your company right away. LPS[®] PF[®]-200 "as sold" is a hazardous waste under EPA definitions and has waste codes D003 (aerosol only), D040, and U228. Always dispose of spent material properly. See section 13 for more details.



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Section 2 • Hazards Identification

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

Emergency Overview: DANGER: Harmful or fatal if swallowed. Vapor Harmful. Contents under Pressure.

Primary route(s) of entry: Skin and Eye contact. Inhalation.

Potential Acute Health Effects:

- Eyes:** Liquid in eyes produces pain and irritation with mild temporary damage possible. Vapor can irritate eyes.
- Skin:** Prolonged or repeated contact of liquid can cause skin irritation, defatting of skin, and dermatitis. Absorption of liquid through intact skin is possible, causing systemic poisoning, but this is an unlikely route of significant toxic exposure.
- Inhalation:** High concentrations of vapor, in excess of the occupational exposure limit, will lead to adverse effects on the central nervous system, causing nausea, headaches, dizziness and lightheadedness (concentrations in excess of 300ppm). Higher concentrations, around 5000ppm and above, will cause anesthetic effects, leading to unconsciousness and in extreme cases, coma and death. Very high exposures may cause an abnormal heart rhythm and prove suddenly fatal.
- Ingestion:** Product has a low order of acute oral toxicity, but ingestion of large quantities may cause nausea, vomiting, and gastrointestinal irritation. May cause injury if aspirated into lungs causing adverse health effects as described in the inhalation section above.

Potential Chronic Health Effects:

Carcinogenic Effects: See Section 11

NTP: Suspect Carcinogen **IARC:** Group 2A **OSHA:** No

Mutagenic Effects: Has been linked to mutagenic effects in humans.

Teratogenic Effects: Did not cause birth defects in laboratory animals. Has been toxic to the fetus in lab animals at levels toxic to the mother.

Target Organs:

In animals, effects have been reported on the following organs: Kidney, Liver, Central nervous system, Peripheral nervous system.

Medical conditions aggravated by exposure:

Repeated exposure to high levels produces adverse effects on the liver and, to a lesser extent on the kidney. A condition known as 'Degreaser's Flush', a pronounced redness of the skin, may occur on the face, hands, arms, feet and trunk of some individuals following repeated exposure to trichloroethylene and the consumption of alcohol. This effect can intensify over a 30 minute period but usually disappears completely after 1 hour. These symptoms may occur up to 6 weeks after the last exposure to trichloroethylene and can reoccur if exposure continues.

Interactions with other chemicals which enhance toxicity: Consumption of alcoholic beverages may increase potential for development of toxic effects resulting from exposure to this product.

Signs and Symptoms:

Stinging in eyes. Repeated or prolonged skin contact can cause redness, irritation, and scaling of the skin (dermatitis). Breathing of high vapor concentrations may cause headaches, stupor, irritation of throat and eyes, and kidney effects.



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Section 3 – Composition / Information on Ingredients

Component	CASRN	Weight Percent
Trichloroethylene	79-01-6	95 - 98%
Carbon Dioxide Propellant	124-38-9	2 - 5%

Section 4 – First Aid Measures

- Eyes:** Check for and remove contact lenses. If irritation or redness develops, flush eyes with cool, clean, low pressure water for at least 15 minutes. Hold eyelids apart to ensure complete irrigation of the eye and eyelid tissue. Do not use eye ointment. Seek medical attention immediately.
- Skin:** Remove contaminated shoes and clothing. Clean affected area thoroughly with mild soap and water. Do not use ointments. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.
- Inhalation:** Immediately move victim to fresh air. If victim is not breathing, immediately begin rescue breathing. If heart has stopped, immediately begin cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). If breathing is difficult, seek medical attention immediately.
- Ingestion:** Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If spontaneous vomiting is about to occur, place victim's head below knees. If victim is drowsy or unconscious, place on the left side with head down. Do not leave victim unattended. Seek medical attention immediately.
- Notes to Physician:** Chlorinated hydrocarbons may sensitize the heart to epinephrine and other circulating catecholamines so that arrhythmias may occur. Careful consideration of this potential adverse effect should precede administration of epinephrine or other cardiac stimulants and the selection of bronchodilators. Do not allow exposed person to exercise vigorously for 24 hours following potentially toxic exposure. Gastric lavage may be effective within four hours of ingestion.

Section 5 – Fire Fighting Measures

Flash point: TCC CLOSED CUP: None

Flammable limits: LOWER: 8% UPPER: 10.5% **Auto ignition Temperature:** >420 °C (788°F)

Products of Combustion: Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, chlorine, hydrogen chloride and traces of phosgene.

Firefighting media: SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder.

LARGE FIRE: Use water spray, fog or foam. Cool containing vessels with water jet in order to prevent pressure build-up, auto ignition or explosions.

Sensitivity to Impact: None. **Sensitivity to Static Discharge:** None

Protection Clothing (Fire): Concentrated vapors can be ignited by high intensity ignition source. Firefighters should wear self-contained, positive pressure breathing apparatus and full protective clothing due to thermal decomposition products.

Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards: Explosive mixtures of trichloroethylene and air can be formed, but are difficult to ignite and require high intensity sources of heat, such as welding arcs, sparks and flames or high temperatures and pressures; addition of small amounts of flammable substances to trichloroethylene (such as flammable liquids or gases) and / or an increase in the oxygen content of the local atmosphere, may strongly enhance these effects. Welding or cutting should not be carried out on any vessel likely to contain solvent because of the risk of explosion. Thermal decomposition will evolve toxic and corrosive vapors of hydrogen chloride and phosgene. Containers may burst if overheated due to thermal expansion of the contents.



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Section 6 – Accidental Release Measures

Containment Procedures**Small Spill and Leak:**

This product is a hermetically sealed pressurized aerosol unit and accidental spillage is unlikely. If the can is ruptured, allow contents to discharge while removing all ignition sources from the area and ensuring maximum ventilation. Absorb with an inert material and dispose of properly. For transportation accidents, call CHEMTREC at 800-424-9300.

Large Spill and Leak:

For large spills, secure the area and control access. Dike far ahead of a liquid spill to ensure complete collection. Pick up free liquid for disposal using absorbent pads, sand, or other inert absorbent materials. Place into appropriate waste containers for later disposal.

Clean-Up Procedures

Recover free product and place in suitable container for disposal. Do not allow to enter drains, sewers or waterways. Spillages or uncontrolled discharges into waterways must be alerted to the Environment Agency or other appropriate regulatory body.

Evacuation Procedures

Ventilate area of leak or spill. Keep unnecessary and unprotected people away.

Special Procedures

Ventilate area. Wear appropriate protective equipment during cleanup.

Section 7 – Handling and Storage

Handling: Do not breathe vapor. Use only in well ventilated areas. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid contact with naked flames and hot surfaces as toxic and corrosive decomposition products (hydrogen chloride) can be formed. The vapor is heavier than air and may reach dangerously high concentrations in pits, tanks, and other confined spaces. In such cases provide adequate ventilation or wear suitable respiratory protective equipment with positive air supply. When using, do not smoke. When welding metals degreased with trichloroethylene, special care is needed to ensure all solvent has evaporated from the components. Separate cleaning and welding areas. Ensure vapors from degreasing operations do not enter welding areas - welding arcs can cause trichloroethylene vapors to break down producing toxic vapors.

Storage: Keep container dry. Keep in a cool, well ventilated place. Keep away from direct sunlight. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Section 8 – Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure Guidelines:

Component	CASRN	OSHA TWA-PEL	OSHA STEL	ACGIH-TLV	ACGIH-STEL	NIOSH REL
Trichloroethylene	79-01-6	100 ppm	200 ppm	50 ppm	100 ppm	Not Established
Carbon Dioxide	124-38-9	5,000 ppm	Not Established	5,000 ppm	30,000 ppm	5000ppm 3000 ppm STEL



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Engineering measures

Provide general and/or local exhaust ventilation to keep exposures below the exposure guidelines listed above. Lethal concentrations may exist in areas with poor ventilation.

Personal protective equipment

Eye protection

Safety glasses with side shields conforming to appropriate regulations. Eye wash fountain and emergency shower facilities are recommended.

Hand protection

Use laminate gloves chemically resistant to this material and conforming to appropriate regulations. Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time that are provided by the supplier of the gloves. Take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion and the contact time.

Respiratory protection

Typical use of this product under normal conditions does not require the use of respiratory protection. If airborne concentrations are above the applicable exposure limits (listed above), use NIOSH approved respiratory protection.

Section 9 – Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:	Clear liquid.	Colour:	Clear, Colorless
Odour/Taste:	Mildly sweet	Evaporation Rate:	0.1 (BuAc =1)
Solubility Description:	0.1% by weight.	Flash Point (°C):	None
Odour Threshold:	Not Determined.	Decomposition Temperature:	Not Determined.
Boiling Point (°C):	188°F(87°C)	Auto Ignition Temperature:	>420°C (788°C)
Specific Gravity (Water=1):	1.45 @ 20 °C	Partition Coefficient (octanol/water):	2.64
Vapour Density (Air=1):	4.5	Volatiles:	100%
Vapour Pressure @ 20 °C:	58 mmHg	V.O.C. content	97%, 1450 g/L, 12.1 #/gal per CARB definition
pH:	Not applicable	Viscosity:	<3 mm ² /sec. @ 25°C
Flammable limits (estimated):	LOWER: 8% UPPER:10.5%	Melting Point (°C):	Not Applicable

Section 10 – Chemical Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability:	Product is stable under recommended storage conditions.
Conditions to Avoid:	Keep away from red hot surfaces, sparks or naked flames which may generate toxic fumes of phosgene and hydrogen chloride. Prolonged contact with aluminum or light alloys may cause a reaction resulting in the generation of hydrogen chloride gas and heat. Avoid strong alkalis, oxidizers, barium, lithium, magnesium and titanium
Incompatibility:	Extremely reactive or incompatible with oxidizing agents. Reacts violently with sodium, potassium, barium metal. Reacts with finely divided aluminum, zinc and magnesium.
Hazardous Decomposition:	Combustion will generate smoke, possibly thick and choking, resulting in zero visibility and combustion products include hydrogen chloride and traces of phosgene gas.
Hazardous Polymerization:	Will not occur.



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Section 11 – Toxicological Information

General Product Information: Acute and chronic toxicity studies of this product have not been conducted. Information given in this section relates only to individual constituents contained in this preparation.

Acute Toxicity

Trichloroethylene: 200 ppm causes mild eye irritation. 400 ppm causes slight eye irritation and minimal light-headedness after 3 hours. 1,000 to 1,200 ppm after 6 minutes causes eye and nasal irritation, light-headedness and dizziness. 2,000 ppm cannot generally be tolerated, is irritating to the eyes and respiratory tract and causes drowsiness, dizziness and nausea within 5 minutes. Ventricular arrhythmias and very rapid respiration have been observed in individuals exposed to 15,000 ppm. High concentrations or prolonged overexposure can cause unconsciousness and death.

Component Analysis

Component	CASRN	LC-50	LD-50
Trichloroethylene	79-01-6	8450 ppm/4hour	5650mg/kg/oral rat

Chronic Toxicity

Chronic overexposure to trichloroethylene has caused toxic effects in the liver, lymphatic system (one species), kidney, and cardiovascular system of experimental animals. The finding of chronic toxic effects in laboratory animals may indicate toxicity to humans. Humans exposed to trichloroethylene can become intolerant to ethyl alcohol, with small quantities causing inebriation and skin blotches. Reports have been published associating increased incidences of systemic sclerosis with exposures of trichloroethylene. Overexposure should be avoided, failure to do so could result in illness, injury or even death depending on the level and duration of exposure.

Carcinogenicity

NTP: Suspected carcinogen **IARC:** (2A) probable carcinogen **OSHA:** No

Trichloroethylene has been shown to cause cancer in animals. Mechanistic studies have shown that some of these observations are not relevant for humans. Some experts believe that repeated exposure to high concentrations of trichloroethylene may cause kidney cancer, although the evidence for a causal relationship between these events is far from conclusive. None of the toxic effects of trichloroethylene will occur provided that exposures are kept below the current TLV.

The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) has concluded that with respect to trichloroethylene, there is sufficient evidence of carcinogenicity to experimental animals and limited evidence of carcinogenicity to humans, resulting in a classification in Group 2A as a substance probably carcinogenic to humans. NTP has classified trichloroethylene as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen.

Mutagenicity: Rodent - rat /1000 ppm/4H Brain and Coverings - changes in surface EEG Peripheral Nerve and Sensation - sensory syndrome diagnostic of central lesion Sense Organs and Special Senses (Eye) RTECS# KX4550000. Trichloroethylene has been linked to mutagenic effects in humans. Some studies measuring DNA damage (strand breaks, unscheduled DNA synthesis, in-vitro and in-vivo micronucleus and chromosomal aberrations) have been positive.

Neurotoxicity: Rodent - rat /1000 ppm/4H Brain and Coverings - changes in surface EEG Peripheral Nerve and Sensation - sensory syndrome diagnostic of central lesion Sense Organs and Special Senses (Eye) RTECS# KX4550000.

Reproductive Toxicity: Did not cause birth defects in laboratory animals; has been toxic to the fetus in lab animals at levels toxic to the mother.



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Section 12 – Ecological Information

Mobility: High mobility in soil and sediment **Persistence and degradability:** Not readily biodegradable

Bioaccumulative potential: Minimal bioaccumulation potential

Other adverse effects: Harmful to aquatic organisms; may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. This product has potential for leaching.

Environmental Fate: When released into the soil, trichloroethylene is expected to quickly evaporate, but large spills have potential to leach into groundwater. When released to water trichloroethylene will quickly evaporate, but large spills are expected to be slightly toxic to aquatic life. When released into the air, trichloroethylene is expected to have a half-life between 1 and 10 days.

Environmental Toxicity: The LC50/96-hour values for trichloroethylene in fish are between 10 and 100 mg/l. Trichloroethylene has an experimentally-determined bioconcentration factor (BCF) of less than 100 and is not expected to significantly bioaccumulate.

Ecotoxicology

Effect on Organisms	Component	CASRN	Test	Species	Results
Acute Toxicity on Fishes	Trichloroethylene	79-01-6	LC ₅₀	Pimephales promelas	53,300 ug/L
Acute Toxicity on Daphnia	Trichloroethylene	79-01-6	LC ₅₀	Daphnia magna	18,000 ug/L
Bacterial inhibition	No Data Available				
Growth inhibition of algae	Trichloroethylene	79-01-6	EC ₅₀	Scenedesmus abundans	450,000 ug/L
Bioaccumulation in fish	Trichloroethylene	79-01-6	BCF	Fish species (unidentified)	17

Section 13 – Disposal Considerations

Waste Status: Under 40 CFR 261.7 (U.S.) this material, if disposed of in its received form, carries waste code D003 (aerosol only), D040 and U228.

Disposal: Waste must be disposed of in accordance with national, regional, provincial, and local environmental control regulations.

Note: Chemical additions to, processing of, or otherwise altering this material may make this waste management information inaccurate, incomplete, or otherwise inappropriate. Furthermore, state and local waste disposal requirements may be more restrictive than federal laws and regulations.



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Section 14 – Transportation Information

D.O.T. Ground	Shipping Name:	Consumer Commodity	UN Number:	NA
	Hazard Class:	ORM-D	Technical Name:	NA
	Subclass:	NA	Hazard Label:	ORM-D Already on box
Road/Rail - ADR/RID :	UN no:	1950	ADR Class:	2
	Packing group:	NA	Classification code:	5T
	Name and Description:	AEROSOLS, Toxic	Hazard ID no:	NA
	Labeling:	2.2, 6.1		
IMDG-IMO	UN no:	1950	Class:	2.2
	Shipping Name:	Aerosols	Subsidiary Risk:	6.1
	Packing Instructions:	P003, LP02	Packing group:	NA
	Marine pollutant:	NO	EmS:	F-A, S-A
IATA-ICAO:	UN no:	1950	Class:	2.2
	Shipping Name:	Aerosols, non-flammable, toxic, containing substances in division 6.1, Packing Group III	Subclass	6.1
	Packing instructions:	203, Y203 (Ltd. Qty.)	Packing group:	NA
	Labeling:	Non-flammable Gas & Toxic		

Section 15 – Regulatory Information

U.S. Federal Regulations

RCRA Hazardous Waste No.: D003 (aerosol), D040, U228

Comprehensive Environmental Response and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA): Trichloroethylene 100 lbs

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA):

All components of this product are TSCA inventory listed and/or are exempt.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) Title III

SARA Section 311/312 (40 CFR 370) Hazard Categories: Sudden Release of Pressure, Immediate (Acute) Health Hazard, Delayed (Chronic) Health Hazard

This product contains the following toxic chemical(s) subject to reporting requirements of SARA Section 313 (40 CFR 372): Trichloroethylene 79-01-6

Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs): Trichloroethylene 79-01-6



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State Regulations

California: This product contains chemical(s) known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or reproductive harm.

New Jersey Right to Know:

Trichloroethylene 79-01-6 • Carbon dioxide 124-38-9

International Regulations

Canadian Environmental Protection Act: All of the components of this product are included on the Canadian Domestic Substances list (DSL).

Canadian Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System WHMIS:

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

WHMIS Classification:

Class A, Class D1B



Other Regulations

Montreal Protocol listed ingredients: None.
Stockholm Convention listed ingredients: None.
Rotterdam Convention listed ingredients: None.
RoHS Compliant: Yes.

Section 16 • Other Information

MSDS#162316 Responsible Name: Clea Johnson Regulatory Affairs Coordinator	HMIS 1996		HMIS III		NFPA Flammability Health Reactivity
	Health:	2	Health:	2*	
	Flammability:	1	Flammability:	1	
	Reactivity	0	Physical Hazard:	2	

Notice to Reader:

To the best of our knowledge, the information contained herein is accurate. However, neither the above named supplier nor any of its subsidiaries assumes any liability whatsoever 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 hazards that exist.

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