

# Material Safety Data Sheet



#### **Product**

Name(s) CAS Number

Oxygen; Aviator's Breathing Oxygen; ABO; Diver's Breathing Oxygen; DBO 7782-44-7

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### **Emergency**



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## **Physical and Chemical Characteristics**

State:	Gas
Color:	Colorless
Odor:	Odorless

## **Physical and Chemical Hazards**

## **WARNING:**

Product will vigorously accelerate combustion.

Product greatly increases chance that combustible materials will ignite. Product can cause materials not combustible in normal atmospheres to ignite or explode.



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#### **Health Hazards**

Exposur	re Limits		Carcinogenicity	
OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	NTP	IARC	OSHA
N/A	N/A	Not established	Not established	Not established

#### Signs and Symptoms:

Inhalation may result in: nasal stuffiness, couch, sore throat, chest pain and difficulty breathing. Breathing under pressure may cause lung damage and central nervous system effects such as dizziness, poor co-ordination, visual and hearing disturbances, loss of consciousness and convulsions.

### Safe Handling and Use

Use: Do not puncture or incinerate container. High pressure gas. Use equipment rated for cylinder pressure. Close valve after each use and when empty. Protect cylinders from physical damage; do not drag, roll, slide, or drop. Use a suitable hand truck for cylinder movement. Do not lift cylinders by their cap.

Storage: Cylinders should be stored upright, with valve protection cap in place, and firmly secured to prevent falling or being knocked over. Cylinder temperatures should not exceed 52 C (125 F). Packs of cylinders should be secured in place. Separate from flammable and combustible materials.

More information on the safe handling of cylinders is available from the Compressed Gas Association, in their pamphlet P-1 "Safe Handling of Compressed Gases in Containers".

#### **Control Measures**

Personal protective equipment:

Hand protection:	Wear work gloves whenever dealing with cylinders or packs.	
Eye protection:	Wear safety glasses whenever dealing with high pressure gases.	
Skin and body protection:	Wear appropriate workplace clothing.	



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#### First Aid

Eye contact:	No harm expected.
Skin contact:	No harm expected.
Ingestion:	Product is in gas phase.
Inhalation:	Immediately move to fresh air. If symptoms persist, seek medical help.

## **Emergency Procedures**

If involved in fire, shut off flow immediately if it can be done without risk. Apply water from a safe distance to cool container and protect surrounding area.

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If cylinder temperatures exceed 52 °C (125 °F), they may rupture. Cylinders are fitted with pressure-relief devices that should open if cylinder is exposed to excessive temperatures.

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