


**1. IDENTIFICATION**

<b>Product Identifier</b>	NATURAL GAS LIQUIDS
<b>Synonyms</b>	NGL, LPG, Liquid Petroleum Gas
<b>Chemical Description</b>	Liquids and gases extracted from natural gas production.
<b>Product Use</b>	Feedstock, fuel
<b>Manufacturer/ Supplier</b>	CENOVUS ENERGY INC. 500 Centre Street SE, PO Box 766 Calgary, AB T2P 0M5
<b>Prepared By</b>	Cenovus Energy Inc. Health and Safety
<b>Phone Number</b>	1-403-766-2000
<b>Emergency Telephone</b>	Cenovus 1-877-458-8080 CANUTEC 1-613-996-6666 (Canada); 1-888-226-8832 (Toll Free) CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300

**2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

<b>Hazard Classifications</b>	Flammable Gases – Category 1 Gases Under Pressure – Liquefied Gas Acute Toxicity – Inhalation – Category 2 Carcinogenicity – Category 1 Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure) – Category 3 Aspiration Hazard – Category 1 Simple Asphyxiant – Category 1
<b>Hazard Pictogram(s)</b>	
<b>Signal Word</b>	<b>Danger</b>
<b>Label Elements</b>	<b>Hazard Statement(s)</b> Fatal if inhaled. Extremely flammable gas. Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated. Benzene component of this substance may cause cancer. May cause drowsiness or dizziness. May be fatal if swallowed and enters airway. May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation. <i>Sulfur compounds in this material may decompose to release hydrogen sulfide gas which may accumulate to potentially lethal concentrations in enclosed air spaces.</i>
	<b>Prevention</b> Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wear protective equipment. In case of inadequate ventilation, wear respiratory protection. Do not breathe gas or vapours. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
	<b>Response</b> If exposed or concerned: get medical advice. If swallowed: immediately call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell. Do not induce vomiting. If inhaled: remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call emergency medical service if unwell. Leaking gas fire: do not extinguish, unless leak can be stopped safely. In case of leakage, eliminate all ignition sources.

<b>Storage</b>	Store locked up. Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
<b>Disposal</b>	Dispose of container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations.

**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Hazardous Ingredients	CAS Number	Approximate Concentration (% w/w)
Natural gas condensates	64741-48-6	100
<b>which contains:</b>		
Butane	106-97-8	5– 40
Propane	74-98-6	0 – 20
Pentane	109-66-0	10 - 25
Hexanes (all isomers)	Not available	10 – 20
Heptanes +	Not available	20 – 70
Benzene	71-43-2	Up to 2.5
Hydrogen Sulfide	7783-06-04	up to 50 ppm

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

<b>Inhalation</b>	Be aware of potential hydrogen sulfide – ensure own safety. Don appropriate PPE including SCBA (Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus) or SABA (Supplied Air Breathing Apparatus) before assisting the victim. Remove person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, give artificial respiration. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. If necessary, give additional oxygen once breathing is restored if trained to do so. Get prompt medical attention.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	Flush eyes with large amounts of lukewarm water for 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower lids at intervals. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	If freezing occurs, gently bathe affected area in luke warm water. Do not rub. Do not try to remove clothing if it is frozen to the skin. If burning occurs, immediately cool affected skin for as long as possible with cold water. Do not remove clothing if adhering to skin. Remove and isolate contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Not a significant route of exposure.
<b>Most Important Symptoms</b>	Fatal at high concentrations due to hydrogen sulfide. Induces unconsciousness at high concentrations. Displaces available oxygen at high concentrations.

**5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

<b>General Fire Hazards</b>	See <a href="#">Section 9</a> for Flammability Properties. Extremely flammable. Easily ignited by heat, sparks or flames. Will form explosive mixtures with air. Do not extinguish a leaking gas fire unless leak can be stopped. Exercise caution against a Boiling Liquid Expanding Vapour Explosion (BLEVE).
<b>Hazardous Combustion Products</b>	Carbon monoxide, nitrogen oxides, methane.

<b>Extinguishing Media</b>	Foam, CO <sub>2</sub> , dry chemical.
<b>Firefighting Equipment/Instructions</b>	Explosive accumulations can build up in areas of poor ventilation. Use water spray to cool fire-exposed containers, and to disperse gas if leak has not ignited. If safe to do so, cut off fuel and allow flame to burn out.

**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

<b>Notification Procedures</b>	In the event of a spill or accidental release, notify relevant authorities in accordance with applicable regulations (see <a href="#">Section 15</a> ).
<b>Personal precautions and Protective Equipment</b>	Avoid direct contact with material. Stay upwind of release. Isolate the immediate hazard area and keep unnecessary and unprotected people away. Response and clean-up crews must be properly trained and must utilize proper protective equipment (see <a href="#">Section 8</a> ). Eliminate all sources of ignition. Provide explosion-proof clearing ventilation, if possible.
<b>Environmental precautions</b>	Prevent material from entering soil, waterways, drains, sewers, or confined areas.
<b>Cleanup measures</b>	If safe to do so, stop gas flow. Remove all ignition sources. Provide clearing ventilation if possible. Prevent from entering confined spaces. In case of soil contamination, remove contaminated soil for remediation and disposal in accordance with local regulations (see <a href="#">Section 13</a> ). Notify the appropriate regulatory authorities of reportable releases.

**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

<b>Handling</b>	Handle under adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with the liquid or liquid-cooled equipment. Avoid inhalation. Extremely flammable gas. Bond and ground transfers to prevent static discharge. Avoid sparking conditions. Never subject a cylinder to severe mechanical shock. Review grounding and bonding requirements in NFPA-70 and/or API RP 2003.
<b>Storage</b>	Store in a dry, well-ventilated place away from heat, strong sunlight, and ignition sources. Keep cool. Use approved containers only. Follow regulatory requirements and best practices for container storage. Empty product containers or vessels may contain explosive vapours. Do not pressurize, cut, heat, weld or expose such containers to sources of ignition. Use non-sparking tools. Separate from incompatible material (see <a href="#">Section 10</a> ). This material can displace available oxygen for breathing (see <a href="#">Section 11</a> ).
<b>Caution</b>	Hydrogen sulfide may accumulate in headspaces of tanks and other equipment, even when concentrations in the liquid product are low. Factors increasing this hazard potential include heating, agitation and contact of the liquid with acid or acid salts. Assess the exposure risk by gas monitoring. Wear air supplying breathing apparatus if necessary. Overexposure to hydrogen sulfide may cause dizziness, headache, nausea and possibly unconsciousness and death.

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**Occupational Exposure Limits**  
(8-hour TWA unless otherwise noted)

Hazardous Ingredients	Alberta	Saskatchewan	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV
Butane (C4)	1,000 ppm (C2-C4)	1,000 ppm (C1-C4)	-	Maintain minimum ambient oxygen partial pressure of 132 torr, or 18% depending on
Propane (C3)		1,250 ppm STEL (C1-C4)	1,000 ppm	

				altitude and weather
Pentane	600 ppm	600 ppm	1000 ppm	1000 ppm
Hexanes	500 ppm 50 ppm (n-hexane)	500 ppm 50 ppm (n-hexane)	500 ppm (n-hexane)	500 ppm 50 ppm (n-hexane)
Benzene	0.5 ppm; 2.5 ppm STEL, Skin	--	1 ppm; 5 ppm STEL; Petroleum Industry: 10 ppm; 25 ppm (C)	0.5 ppm 2.5 ppm STEL
Hydrogen Sulfide	10 ppm; 15 ppm (C)	--	20 ppm (C)	1 ppm 5 ppm STEL

**Engineering Controls** Use only in well-ventilated areas. Local exhaust ventilation required in confined areas. Use explosion-proof equipment and non-sparking tools where conditions may generate an explosive atmosphere.

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices. Do not smoke. Avoid skin exposure. Avoid breathing in the vapour. Wash hands with soap and water before eating, drinking, smoking, or using toilet facilities. Routinely launder PPE to remove contamination. Use care when laundering to prevent the formation of flammable vapours which could ignite via washer or dryer.

**Respirator** Where concentrations may exceed exposure limits, use full-face, positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA); or supplied-air breathing apparatus (SABA).

**Gloves** Wear protective gloves appropriate to the risk of handling the container or material. Cold-Insulating gloves may be required.

**Eyewear** Wear protective eyewear appropriate to the risk of handling the container or material.

**Footwear** As per safety policy.

**Clothing** As per fire protection policy.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Physical State:</b>	Liquified gas	<b>Appearance:</b>	Colourless
<b>Odour:</b>	Rotten eggs (Hydrogen sulfide)	<b>Odour Threshold (ppm):</b>	Not available
<b>Specific Gravity:</b>	0.6 – 0.7	<b>pH:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Vapour Pressure (mmHg, 38°C):</b>	Not available	<b>RVP (kPa):</b>	Not available
<b>Vapour Density (air=1):</b>	Not available	<b>Evaporation Rate:</b>	Not available
<b>Boiling Range (°C, D-7169):</b>	Not available	<b>Initial Boiling Pt. (°C):</b>	42 (as propane)
<b>Flash Point (°C) &amp; Method:</b>	-7 (as hexane)	<b>Freezing Pt. (°C):</b>	-180
<b>Upper Explosive Limit (% v/v):</b>	10 (as propane)	<b>Lower Explosive Limit (% v/v):</b>	1 (as hexane)
<b>Auto-Ignition Temp. (°C):</b>	220 (as hexane)		
<b>Sensitivity to Impact:</b>	No	<b>Sensitivity to Static Discharge:</b>	Yes, may ignite
<b>Octanol/Water Coefficient:</b>	Not available	<b>Solubility in Water</b>	Slight

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Chemical Stability** Stable under normal, ambient conditions.

<b>Hazardous Reactions</b>	Not known to occur.
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	High temperatures, open flames, sparks, welding, smoking and other ignition sources.
<b>Incompatibility</b>	Incompatible with strong oxidizing agents.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	Oxides of carbon.
<b>Synergistic Materials/Products</b>	None reported.

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Acute Exposure** Initial detection of H<sub>2</sub>S odour at about 0.1 ppm. Irritation of eyes, nose and throat occurs. Hydrogen sulfide may cause loss of sense of smell at about 100 ppm H<sub>2</sub>S. At higher concentrations lung irritation, drowsiness, unconsciousness, respiratory failure, and possible death can occur. Eye contact may cause irritation and swelling. Rapidly expanding gas or vaporized liquid may cause frostbite to skin and eyes. Evidence exists that propane and butane may cause drowsiness and even unconsciousness at concentrations far below those required for oxygen deficiency, for example 10% LEL and above.

Hazardous Ingredients	Result	Species	Dose	Exposure
Natural Gas (petroleum), raw liquid mix	LD50 Oral	Rat	5,000 mg/kg	-
	LD50 Dermal	Rat	2,000 m/gkg	-
Propane	LC50	Rat	>800,000 ppm	15 min
	EC50 (CNS)		280,000 ppm	10 min
Butane	LC50	Mouse	520,400 ppm	2 hr
Pentane	LD50 Oral	Rat	>2000 mg/kg	-
	LC50	Rat	>25.3 mg/L	4 hr
n-Hexane	LD50	Old Rat	24 mL/kg	-
		Young	49 mL/kg	
		Adult Rat		
Benzene	LD50 Oral	Rat	1620 mg/kg	-
	LD50 Dermal	Rabbit	>8260 mg/kg	-
	LC50 Inhalation	Rat	14000 ppm	4 hours
Hydrogen Sulfide	LC50 Inhalation	Rat	444 ppm/ 0.701 mg/L	4 hours
	LC50 Inhalation	Mouse	335 ppm	4 hours

**Chronic Exposure** H<sub>2</sub>S may cause fatigue, headache, dizziness, and bronchitis. Due to presence of benzene, long term exposure may increase the risk of anemia and leukemia. Repeated skin contact may increase the risk of skin cancer.

<b>Health Effects</b>	<b>Irritant:</b> Not available	<b>Reproductive Toxicity:</b> Not available
	<b>Skin Sensitization:</b> No	<b>Teratogenicity:</b> Not available
	<b>Respiratory Sensitization:</b> No	<b>Mutagenicity:</b> Possibly
	<b>Carcinogenicity:</b> Yes	

**Carcinogenicity** **Benzene**  
ACGIH A1-Confirmed Human Carcinogen

IARC, OSHA, US NTP – There is sufficient evidence that benzene is carcinogenic to man.

**Hydrogen Sulfide**

Hydrogen sulfide is not considered to be mutagenic or a reproductive or developmental toxicant.

ACGIH, IARC, OSHA, US NTP – Hydrogen sulfide is not listed as a carcinogen.

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

<b>Ecotoxicity</b>	Expected to be harmful to aquatic organisms. May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. Keep out of sewers, drainage areas and waterways. Report spills and releases, as applicable, under Federal and State regulations.
<b>Biodegradation</b>	Inherently biodegradable in water.
<b>Bioaccumulation</b>	Has the potential to bioaccumulate (aquatic / sediment).
<b>Atmospheric Oxidation</b>	More volatile component expected to degrade rapidly in air.
<b>Photolysis</b>	More water soluble component expected to degrade at a moderate rate in water when exposed to sunlight.
<b>Mobility</b>	More volatile component, highly volatile, will partition rapidly to air. Not expected to partition to sediment and wastewater solids. Less volatile component, low solubility and floats and is expected to migrate from water to the land. Expected to partition to sediment and wastewater solids.

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

<b>Disposal</b>	Dispose of contents/container/contaminated soil in accordance with local, regional, national, and/or international regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain a residue and can be dangerous. Do not attempt to refill or clean containers without proper instructions. Empty drums should be completely drained and safely stored until appropriately reconditioned or disposed.
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**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Regulatory Information	UN Number	Proper Shipping Name	Class	PG	Label	Additional Information
<b>TDG</b>	UN1075	LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS, Not Odorized	2.1	-	LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS	
<b>DOT</b>	UN1075	LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS, Not Odorized	2.1	-	LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS	49 CFR 173.302, 173.306
<b>IMDG</b>	UN1075	LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS, Not Odorized	2.1	-	LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS	EMS:F-D, S-UE
<b>ICAO/IATA</b>	UN1075	LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS, Not Odorized	2.1	-	LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS	Forbidden, Cargo Aircraft Only ERG Code: 10L

**North American Emergency Response Guide Number:** 115

**Emergency Response Assistance Plan (ERAP) Number:** ERP2-0010-302; 1-800-265-0212

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**Canadian Classification**

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Hazardous Products Regulation (HPR) and the SDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

**WHMIS 1988 Classification: A, B1, B2, D2A**

Canada. Domestic Substances List (DSL), as amended through December 14, 2016

Hydrogen sulfide (H2S)

Butane

Propane

Benzene

: Pentane

Hexane

**US Federal and State Regulations**

The contents of this SDS comply with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

EPCRA (SARA Title III) Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substance (EHS) (40 CFR 355, Appendix A)

HYDROGEN SULFIDE

The EHS Reportable Quantity (RQ) is 100 lbs.

Threshold Planning Quantity is 500 lbs

EPCRA (SARA Title III) Section 313 Toxic Chemical Release Inventory (TRI) Reporting for RY 2015 (as amended December 2015)

HYDROGEN SULFIDE

De Minimis Concentration for Section 313 is 1.0 %.

Reporting threshold for manufacturing and processing: 25000 lbs

Reporting threshold for other uses: 10000 lbs

BENZENE

De Minimis Concentration for Section 313 is 0.1 %.

Reporting threshold for manufacturing and processing: 25000 lbs

Reporting threshold for other uses: 10000 lbs

N-HEXANE

De Minimis Concentration for Section 313 is 1.0 %.

Reporting threshold for manufacturing and processing: 25000 lbs

Reporting threshold for other uses: 10000 lbs

CERCLA Hazardous Substances [other than radionuclides] (40 CFR 302.4) (as amended by 75 FR 78918, Dec. 17, 2010)

CAS RN: 7783-06-4

Name: HYDROGEN SULFIDE

The Reportable Quantity (RQ) is 100 lbs.

CAS RN: 106-97-8

Name: Butane

The Reportable Quantity (RQ) is 100 lbs.

CAS RN: 74-98-6

Name: Propane

The Reportable Quantity (RQ) is 100 lbs.

CAS RN: 71-43-2

Name: BENZENE

The Reportable Quantity (RQ) is 10 lbs.

CAS RN: 109-66-0



Name: Pentane  
The Reportable Quantity (RQ) is 100 lbs.  
CAS RN: 110-54-3  
Name: HEXANE  
The Reportable Quantity (RQ) is 5000 lbs.

Clean Water Act Section 307(a)(1) Toxic Pollutants (40 CFR 401.15)  
CAS RN: 71-43-2  
Name: BENZENE

Clean Air Act Section 111, SOCM I Intermediate or Final Volatile Organic Compounds (40 CFR 60.489)  
CAS RN: 71-43-2  
Name: BENZENE

CAS RN: 109-66-0  
Name: PENTANE

Clean Air Act Section 112(i) High-Risk Hazardous Air Pollutants (40 CFR 63.74)  
CAS RN: 71-43-2  
Name: BENZENE  
Weighting factor is 10

Clean Air Act Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)  
HYDROGEN SULFIDE  
Regulated Toxic Substance  
Threshold Quantity is 10000 lbs.  
Toxic Endpoint is 0.042 mg/L.  
BUTANE, PROPANE, PENTANE  
Regulated Flammable Substance (excludes fuel used or held for sale at a retail facility)  
Threshold Quantity is 10000 lbs.

DHS. Chemical Facility Anti-Terrorism Standards (6 CFR 27, Appendix A) [Final Rule, November 20, 2007]  
HYDROGEN SULFIDE  
Release Minimum Concentration (%; ACG = A Commercial Grade): 1.00  
Release Screening Threshold Quantity (STQ) (lbs): 10000  
Theft Minimum Concentration (%; ACG = A Commercial Grade): 23.73  
Theft Screening Threshold Quantity (STQ) (lbs): 45  
Release - Toxic  
Theft - Weapons of Mass Effect (WME)  
BUTANE  
Release Minimum Concentration (%; ACG = A Commercial Grade): 1.00  
Release Screening Threshold Quantity (STQ) (lbs): 10000  
Release – Flammables  
PROPANE  
Release Minimum Concentration (%; ACG = A Commercial Grade): 1.00  
Release Screening Threshold Quantity (STQ) (lbs): 60000  
Release – Flammables  
PENTANE  
Release Minimum Concentration (%; ACG = A Commercial Grade): 1.00  
Release Screening Threshold Quantity (STQ) (lbs): 10000  
Release - Flammables



Hazardous Organic NESHAP (HON) Hazardous Air Pollutants (40 CFR 63.100-.107, Table 2)

BENZENE

HEXANE

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances in Subpart Z to 29 CFR 1910 Specifications & Labeling (29 CFR 1910.1001-.1053) (Mar. 25, 2016)

Benzene

Hazards to be addressed while classifying: Cancer; Central Nervous System; Blood; Aspiration; Skin; Eye; Respiratory Tract Irritation; Flammability

Year First Listed as Known Carcinogen: 1987

Label elements for shipped and stored containers shall comply with shall comply with appendix C.

See 29 CFR 1910.1028 for specific standard.

USA. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Chemical Substances Inventory (July 2016)

Hydrogen sulfide (H2S)

Butane

Propane

Benzene

Pentane

Hexane

**NFPA 704 Rating:**

Flammability:4, Instability/Reactivity:0, Health:4

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**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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**Guide to Abbreviations:** 15min = 15 minutes; ACGIH = American Conference of Governmental Hygienists; C = Ceiling; CAS = Chemical Abstracts Service Registry; CEPA = Canadian Environmental Protection Act; CERCLA = Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; DOT = Department of Transport; EMS = Environmental Management System; ERG = Emergency Response Guide IARC = International Agency for Research on Cancer; ICAO/IATA = International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association; IMDG = International Marine Dangerous Goods; GHS = Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals; lbs = pounds; mg/L = milligrams per litre; OEL = Occupational Exposure Limit; OSHA = Occupational Safety and Health Administration; PEL = Permissible Exposure Limit; PG = Packing Group; PPE = Personal Protective Equipment; SDS = Safety Data Sheet; Skin = danger of skin absorption; SARA = Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; STEL = Short Term Exposure Limit; TDG = Transportation of Dangerous Goods; TLV = Threshold Limit Value; TSCA = Toxic Substances Control Act; TWA = Time-Weighted Average; TPQ = Threshold Planning Quantity; w/w = weight per weight; WHMIS = Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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