

**SECTION 1: CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION****Company Address:**8125 Cobb Center Drive  
Kennesaw, GA 30152Product Information: 800-TECH-401  
Customer Service: 800-645-5244Emergency: (Chemtec) 800-424-9300  
Revision Date: October 1, 2000**Product Identification****DUSTER****Product Code: ES517, ES1017, ES1217, ES1617, ES517C, ES1017C, ES1217C, ES1617C****SECTION 2: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Chemical Name	CAS#	Wt. % Range
Tetrafluoroethane	811-97-2	100%

**SECTION 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION****Emergency Overview:** Clear, colorless liquefied gas. This product is nonflammable. Exposure to liquid may cause frostbite.**Eyes:** Contact with liquid is irritating and may cause frostbite.**Skin:** Contact causes frostbite; prolonged contact can cause skin irritation.**Ingestion:** Unlikely due to volatile nature of product. Contact with liquid may cause frostbite to mouth and throat tissues.**Inhalation:** Harmful if inhaled. High concentrations of vapors in immediate area can displace oxygen and can cause dizziness, unconsciousness, and even death with longer exposure. Keep people away from such vapors without self-contained breathing apparatus.**Pre-Existing Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure:** Heart, lung, skin, eye.**SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES****Eyes:** Treat for possible frostbite, then flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Have eyes examined and tested by medical personnel if irritation develops or persists.**Skin:** Treat for possible frostbite, then wash skin with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists. Wash clothing separately before reuse.**Ingestion:** Treat for possible frostbite. Swallowing less than an ounce will not cause significant harm. For larger amounts, do not induce vomiting. Get immediate medical attention.**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.**SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES****Flash Point:** None to boiling (TCC)**LEL/UEL:** Nonflammable**Extinguishing Media:** Use alcohol foam, carbon dioxide, or water spray when fighting fires involving this material.**Fire Fighting Instructions:** As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus (pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.**SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES****Large Spills:** Shut off leak if possible and safe to do so. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and appropriate personal protective equipment. Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. dry sand or earth), then place in a chemical waste container for proper disposal. Do not flush to sewer. Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.**Small Spills:** Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. dry sand or earth), then place in a chemical waste container for proper disposal.**SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wash hands before eating. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing product vapor or mist. Do not reuse this container. Store in a cool dry place away from heat, sparks and flame. Keep container closed when not in use. Do not store in direct sunlight.

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.****SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION****Exposure Guidelines:**

CHEMICAL NAME	ACGIH TWA	OSHA PEL	OTHER (DUPONT) AEL
Tetrafluoroethane	NA	NA	1,000 ppm

AEL = Acceptable Exposure Limit

**Work/Hygienic Practices:** Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control airborne levels. Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary to control any air contaminants to within their TLVs during the use of this product. Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles) and rubber or other chemically resistant gloves when handling this material.**NFPA and HMIS Codes:**

	NFPA	HMIS
Health	1	1
Flammability	0	0
Reactivity	1	1
Personal Protection	-	B

**SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES****Physical State:** Clear, colorless liquefied gas**Odor:** Slight ethereal odor**pH:** NA**Vapor Pressure:** 4730 mmHg @ 77°F**Boiling Point:** -15.7F**Percent Volatile:** 100%**Solubility in Water:** 67mg/l @ 77F**Specific Gravity:** (Water =1) 1.21**Evaporation Rate:** >1

(Butyl acetate=1)

**Vapor Density:** 3.18 @ 77F

**SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Stability - This product is stable. Conditions to Avoid: Do not spray near open flames, red hot surfaces or other sources of ignition.

Incompatibility: Do not mix with powdered alkali and alkaline earth metals or strong oxidizing agents.

Products of Decomposition: Thermal decomposition may release hydrofluoric acid vapor.

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

Conditions to Avoid: NA

**SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Inhalation:

Tetrafluoroethane                      Rats ALC                      567,000ppm/4hrs

Information from Dupont.

Cancer Information: No ingredients listed as human carcinogens by NTP or IARC

Reproductive effects: none

Teratogenic effects: none

Mutagenic effects: none

**SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Environmental Impact Information**

Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways. Water runoff can cause environmental damage.

**Environmental Impact Data**

(percent by weight)

CFC	0.0%	VOC	0.0%
HCFC	0.0%	HFC	100.0%
Cl. Solv.	0.0%	ODP	0.00

**REPORTING**

US regulations require reporting spills of this material that could reach any surface waters. The toll free number for the US Coast Guard National Response Center is:

**1-800-424-8802**

**SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Dispose of in accordance with all federal, state and local regulations. Water runoff can cause environmental damage.

**SECTION 14: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**

Proper Shipping Name	UN Number	Hazard Class	Sub. Risk	Pkg. Group	Hazard Label	Pkg. Instr.	Max. Quantity
<u>Air</u> : 1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane	UN 3159	2.2	NA	NA	Nonflammable Gas	200	75kg;150kg
<u>Ground</u> : Consumer Commodity ORM-D	NA	ORM-D	NA	NA	ORM-D	173.306 DOT-E-10232	

**SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION****SECTION 313 SUPPLIER NOTIFICATION**

This product contains the following toxic chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act of 1986 (40 CFR 372).

None

This information should be included on all MSDSs copied and distributed for this material.

**TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT (TSCA)**

All ingredients of this product are listed on the TSCA Inventory.

**WHMIS**: Class A; Class D2B

This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the CPR and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

**SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

Product is a Level 1 aerosol. Do not puncture or incinerate containers. Normal ventilation for standard manufacturing practices is usually adequate. Local exhaust should be used when large amounts are released.

REFERENCES: 29 CFR 1910.1200      40 CFR 300-700      ANSI Z400.1-1998  
NIOSH RTECS provided by CHEM-BANK by SILVERPLATTER  
Guide to Occupational Exposure Values 1997

To the best of our knowledge, the information contained herein is accurate. However, all materials may present unknown hazards and should be used with caution. In particular, improper use of our products and their inappropriate combination with other products and substances may produce harmful results which cannot be anticipated. Final determination of the suitability of any material is the sole responsibility of the user. Although certain hazards are described herein, we cannot guarantee that these are the only hazards that may exist.