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# Safety Data Sheet

## Section 1: Product and Company Identification

### Product Identifier and Other Means of Identification

**Product Identifier:** HFE Electronics Cleaner**Other Means of Identification:** HFE Nettoyant Pour Électronique**Related Part #** 411-300G

### Recommended Use and Restriction on Use

**Use:** Precision electronic cleaner**Uses Advised Against:** For industrial use only; Not for use as a medical device or drug

### Details of Manufacturer or Importer

**Manufacturer**MG Chemicals  
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### Emergency Phone Number


**For hazardous material incidents ONLY** (leaks, spills, fires, exposures or accidents)  
USA or CANADA—Call Verisk 3E at **+1-866-519-4752** or **+1-760-476-3962**  
(Service access code: 335388)**For emergencies involving the transport of dangerous goods;** 24/7 service  
CANADA—Call CANUTEC collect at **+1-613-996-6666** or **\*666** on cellular phones

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**Section 2: Hazards Identification**
**Classification of Hazardous Chemical**
**GHS Categories**

| Criteria                             | Category      | Signal Word | Pictograms   |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|
| Aerosol                              | 3             | Warning     | None         |
| Gas under pressure                   | Liquefied gas | 1           | Warning      |
| Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment | Chronic       | 4           | none         |
|                                      |               |             | Gas cylinder |
|                                      |               |             | None         |

*Note:* The degree of severity is ranked within each hazard class from 1 (Highest Severity) to up to 5 (Lowest Severity), which is opposite to HMIS and NFPA conventions. Severity category rankings do not allow comparisons between classes.

**Label Elements**

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| <b>Signal Word</b>  | <b>WARNING</b>   |
| <b>Pictograms</b>   | <b>Hazard Statements</b>   |
|  | H280: Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated   |
| No Symbol Mandated  | H413: May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life   |
| <b>Prevention</b>   | <b>Precautionary Statements</b>  |
| P102  | Keep out of reach of children.   |
| P210  | Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames, and other ignition sources. No smoking.                  |
| P251  | Do not pierce or burn, even after use.   |
| P273  | Avoid release to the environment.  |
| <b>Storage</b>  | <b>Precautionary Statements</b>  |
| P410 + P412,<br>P403  | Protect from sunlight. Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50 °C [122 °F]. Store in a well-ventilated place. |
| <b>Disposal</b>   | <b>Precautionary Statements</b>  |
| P501  | Dispose of contents in accordance to local, regional, national, and international regulations.                   |

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**Hazards Not Otherwise Classified**

| Other Criteria    | Hazard Statements/Precautionary Statement        | Signal Word | Pictograms |
|-------------------|--|-------------|------------|
| Simple Asphyxiant | May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation. | Warning     | None       |

**Section 3: Hazardous Ingredients**

| CAS #       | Chemical Name                   | %(weight) |
|-------------|---------------------------------|-----------|
| 163702-08-7 | methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether | 35-40%    |
| 163702-07-6 | methyl nonafluorobutyl ether    | 35-40%    |
| 811-97-2    | 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane       | 30%       |

*Note:* The solvent belongs to the hydrofluoroether (HFE) solvent family. The propellant is commonly referred to as HFC-134a.

**Section 4: First-Aid Measures**

| <i>Exposure Condition</i> | <i>GHS Code: Precautionary Statement</i>  |
|---------------------------|---|
| <b>IF INHALED</b>         | P304 + P340, P312   |
| <b>Immediate Symptoms</b> | In case of severe overexposure: <i>dizziness, drowsiness, heart thumping, light headedness</i>  |
| <b>Response</b>           | Remove person to fresh air (out of the contaminated zone) and keep comfortable for breathing.<br>If feeling unwell: Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor. |
| <b>IF IN EYES</b>         | P305 + P351 + P338  |
| <b>Immediate Symptoms</b> | <i>low toxicity: no symptoms known or expected</i>  |
| <b>Response</b>           | Rinse cautiously with water for 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.                                     |

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| <b>IF ON SKIN</b>         | P302, P332 + P313   |
| <b>Immediate Symptoms</b> | <i>low toxicity: no symptoms known or expected</i>                          |
| <b>Response</b>           | Wash with soap and water.<br>If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice. |
| <b>IF SWALLOWED</b>       | P301 + P330   |
| <b>Immediate Symptoms</b> | <i>low toxicity: no symptoms known or expected</i>                          |
| <b>Response</b>           | Rinse mouth.  |

**Advice to Doctors**

Avoid giving catecholamine drugs (such as adrenaline) because of possible heart problems. Treat symptomatically.

**Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures**

|                            |   |
|----------------------------|---|
| <b>Extinguishing Media</b> | In case of fire: Use extinguishing media suitable for surrounding material.<br>Use water spray to cool container.   |
| <b>Specific Hazards</b>    | Aerosol container may erupt with force at temperatures above 50 °C [122 °F].<br>Produces toxic smoke in fires or in contact with hot surfaces. Thermal decomposition may start above 150 °C.<br>Prevent fire-fighting wash from entering waterway or sewer system.  |
| <b>Combustion Products</b> | Produces carbon oxides (CO, CO <sub>2</sub> ), fluorinated compounds, hydrogen fluoride, perfluoroisobutylene (PFIB), and toxic smoke.<br>Under excessive heat, the hydrogen fluoride formation is one thousand times more likely than for PFIB. In sealed vessels above 300 °C, the PFIB may accumulate to dangerous levels.<br>Hydrogen fluoride has the following exposure limits: ACGIH TWA 3 ppm; OSHA PEL 3 ppm; and OSHA STEL 6 ppm. Its odor threshold is 0.04 ppm, providing an early warning. |
| <b>Fire-Fighter</b>        | Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full fire-fighting turn-out gear.   |

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**(AEROSOL)****Section 6: Accidental Release Measures**

|                                  |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| <b>Personal Protection</b>       | See personal protection recommendations in Section 8.<br><br>For very large spills, wear self-contained breathing apparatus before approaching the spill.  |
| <b>Precautions for Response</b>  | For aerosol can spills in confined or low lying space, leave the immediate spill area.<br><br>If it can safely be done, extinguish open flames or remove high temperature sources to avoid producing toxic decomposition products. |
| <b>Environmental Precautions</b> | Avoid releasing to the environment.  |
| <b>Containment Methods</b>       | Not applicable   |
| <b>Cleaning Methods</b>          | Collect liquid in a sealable, solvent-resistant container. Sprinkle inert absorbent compound onto spill, then sweep into the container. Wipe up further residue with paper towels or rags and place dirty materials in container.  |
| <b>Disposal Methods</b>          | Dispose of spill waste according to Section 13.  |

**Section 7: Handling and Storage**

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|-------------------|--|
| <b>Prevention</b> | Keep out of reach of children.<br><br>Avoid breathing gas, mist or spray. In cases of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.<br><br>Do not pierce or burn, even after use.<br><br>Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames, and other ignition sources. No smoking. Avoid heated surfaces exceeding 50 watts/inch <sup>2</sup> .<br><br>Avoid release to the environment. |
| <b>Handling</b>   | Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection.   |
| <b>Storage</b>    | Protect from sunlight. Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50 °C [122 °F].<br><br>Do not store below -26 °C [-15 °F], which can crush the can due to the propellant liquefaction.  |

**Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**
**Substances with Occupational Exposure Limit Values**

| Chemical Name                   | Country                           | Long Term Exposure Limits (PEL) | Short Term Exposure Limits (STEL) |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether | AIHA WEEL (TWA)                   | 750 ppm                         | Not established                   |
|                                 | ACGIH                             | Not established                 | Not established                   |
|                                 | U.S.A. OSHA PEL                   | Not established                 | Not established                   |
|                                 | Canada                            | Not established                 | Not established                   |
| methyl nonafluorobutyl ether    | AIHA WEEL (TWA)                   | 750 ppm                         | Not established                   |
|                                 | ACGIH                             | Not established                 | Not established                   |
|                                 | U.S.A. OSHA PEL                   | Not established                 | Not established                   |
|                                 | Canada                            | Not established                 | Not established                   |
| 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane       | <i>MG Chemicals</i> <sup>a)</sup> | 1 000 ppm                       | Not established                   |
|                                 | ACGIH                             | Not established                 | Not established                   |
|                                 | U.S.A. OSHA PEL                   | Not established                 | Not established                   |
|                                 | Canada                            | Not established                 | Not established                   |

*Note:* Ingredients are listed in descending weight contribution order (from greatest to least). The ACGIH<sup>1</sup>, OSHA (Table Z-1), and Canadian provinces exposure limits were consulted. Limits from the RTECS database<sup>2</sup> and from suppliers' SDSs were also consulted. Short term exposure limits (STEL) are usually for 15 min and long term permissible exposure limits (PEL) for 8 h.

a) MG Chemicals recommended limit corresponding to prevalent international threshold values

**Engineering Controls**
**Ventilation**

Keep airborne concentrations below the occupational exposure limits (OEL).

**Personal Protective Equipment**
**Eye protection**

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Use safety glasses with lateral protection (side shields).

**Skin Protection**

Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin contact.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Use of protective gloves in butyl rubber, nitrile rubber, or other chemically resistant gloves.

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**Respiratory Protection** Not required under normal use conditions. In high exposure scenarios, use a full-face respirator with multipurpose combination of (US) or type AXBEK (EN 13387) to supplement engineering control. For extreme exposures and for exposures where thermal decomposition is possible (>150 °C), use full-face, self-contained breathing apparatus or supplied by air.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Consult your local safety supply store to ensure that your respirator has a NIOSH (U.S.) approved filter cartridges appropriate for the ingredients listed in Section 3. The respirator should be fitted to the employee by a professional. Ensure vapor cartridges are stored in sealed plastic bags when not being used.

### General Hygiene Considerations

Wash hands thoroughly with water and soap after handling.

### Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

|                               |                                  |  |                   |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-------------------|
| <b>Physical State</b>         | Liquefied gas, in aerosol format | <b>Lower Flammability Limit</b>              | Not applicable    |
| <b>Appearance</b>             | Colorless                        | <b>Upper Flammability Limit</b>              | Not applicable    |
| <b>Odor</b>                   | Slight, ether-like               | <b>Vapor Pressure @20 °C</b>                 | 27 kPa [202 mmHg] |
| <b>Odor Threshold</b>         | Not available                    | <b>Vapor Density</b>                         | 8.6 (Air =1)      |
| <b>pH</b>                     | Not available                    | <b>Relative Density @20 °C</b>               | 1.5               |
| <b>Freezing/Melting Point</b> | -135 °C [-221 °F]                | <b>Solubility in Water</b>                   | <12 ppm           |
| <b>Initial Boiling Point</b>  | 60 °C [140 °F]                   | <b>Partition Coefficient n-octanol/water</b> | 3.9               |
| <b>Flash Point</b>            | Not applicable                   | <b>Auto-ignition Temperature</b>             | 405 °C [761 °F]   |
| <b>Evaporation Rate</b>       | 49 (ButAc = 1)                   | <b>Decomposition Temperature</b>             | Not available     |
| <b>Flammability</b>           | Non Flammable                    | <b>Viscosity @23 °C</b>                      | 0.6 cP            |

*Note:* Values are based mostly on the HFE solvent properties.

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**Section 10: Stability and Reactivity**

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>Reactivity</b>          | Not applicable   |
| <b>Stabilities</b>         | Chemically stable at normal temperatures and pressures   |
| <b>Conditions to Avoid</b> | Ignition sources, temperatures well above 50 °C [122 °F] and incompatible substances.  |
| <b>Incompatibilities</b>   | Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids, strong bases, alkali earth metals, powdered aluminum, zinc, magnesium, and beryllium. |
| <b>Polymerization</b>      | Will not occur   |
| <b>Decomposition</b>       | Will not decompose under normal conditions. For thermal decomposition, see combustion products in Section 5.                 |

**Section 11: Toxicological Information****Summary of Effects and Symptoms by Routes of Exposure**

|                   |  |
|-------------------|--|
| <b>Eyes</b>       | Low toxicity: no symptoms known or expected  |
| <b>Skin</b>       | Low toxicity: no symptoms known or expected  |
| <b>Inhalation</b> | In case of severe overexposure: dizziness, drowsiness, heart thumping, and light headedness. |
| <b>Ingestion</b>  | Low toxicity: no symptoms known or expected  |
| <b>Chronic</b>    | Not applicable   |

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**Acute Toxicity (Lethal Exposure Concentrations)**

| <b>Chemical Name</b>            | <b>LD50 oral</b>             | <b>LD50 dermal</b>          | <b>LC50 inhalation</b>                |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether | >5 g/kg<br>Rat <sup>a)</sup> | Not available <sup>b)</sup> | >100 000 ppm<br>4 h Rat <sup>a)</sup> |
| methyl nonafluorobutyl ether    | >5 g/kg<br>Rat <sup>a)</sup> | Not available <sup>b)</sup> | >100 000 ppm<br>4 h Rat <sup>a)</sup> |
| 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane       | Not available                | Not available               | 1 500 g/m <sup>3</sup><br>4 h Rat     |

*Note:* Toxicity data from the RTECS<sup>2</sup> and ECHA databases were consulted. The data from supplier SDSs were also consulted.

a) Data from supplier SDS

b) Dermal absorption not significant route of exposure (5 daily applications in rabbits).

**Other Toxicological Effects**
**Skin corrosion/irritation**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Serious eye damage/irritation**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Sensitization**  
 (allergic reactions)

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. No signs of cardiac sensitization at up to 100 000 ppm.

**Carcinogenicity**  
 (risk of cancer)

Not classified or listed as a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, CA Prop 65, or NTP.

**Mutagenicity**  
 (risk of heritable genetic effects)

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Reproductive Toxicity** (risk to sex functions)

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Teratogenicity**  
 (risk of fetus malformation)

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**STOT-single exposure**

The HFC propellant can affect the central nervous system and cardiovascular systems by inhalation at extreme doses that do not give rise to classification

**STOT-repeated exposure**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Aspiration hazard**

The liquid content does not meet the aspiration hazard criteria. The mixture doesn't contain category 1 substances.

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**Section 12: Ecological Information**

Ecological classifications are based on the IMDG/GHS criteria in conjunction with ecotoxicological data from our suppliers, the European Chemical Agency database (<http://echa.europa.eu>), and other reliable sources.

The HFE mixture has a LC50 of >7.9 mg/L for flathead minnow (*Pimephales promelas*) 96 h, >8.9 mg/L for green algae (*Selenastrum capricornutum*) 96 h, and >10 mg/L water flea (*Daphnia magna*). It is unlikely bioconcentrate in water or soil due to volatility.

The 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane substance is not classifiable as an environmental toxicant.

**Acute Ecotoxicity**

See chronic ecotoxicity.

**Chronic Ecotoxicity**

Category 4

May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life

Avoid release to the environment.

**Biodegradability**

Partially biodegradable

Biological Oxygen Demand—28 days, OECD 310D Close bottle test= 22% (w/w)

**Bioaccumulative Potential**

Not available

**Mobility in Soil**

Not available

**Other Effects**

Not available

*Commercial Products—Regulated Volatile Organic Content*

Canadian WHMIS and US EPA-VOC = VOC-exempted

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**Section 13: Disposal Information**

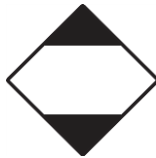
Dispose of contents in accordance with all local, regional, national, and international regulations.

**Section 14: Transport Information**

**Ground**

**Refer to TDG** (Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods regulations) **and** USA DOT 49 CFR (Parts 100 to 185) Regulations.

Sizes 1 L and under  
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**Limited Quantity**



**Air**

**Refer to ICAO-IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations.**

Sizes 1 L and under  
411-300G  
**Limited Quantity**  
Max Net Qty/Pkg  
30 kg Gross



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**UN number:** UN1950  
**Shipping Name:** Aerosols, non-flammable  
**Class:** 2.2  
**Packing Group:** Not applicable  
**Marine Pollutant:** No

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Sea

Refer to IMDG Regulation.

Sizes 1 L and under  
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**Limited Quantity**



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**UN number:** UN1950

**Shipping Name:** Aerosols, non-flammable

**Class:** 2.2

**Packing Group:** Not applicable

**Marine Pollutant:** No

**Note: Shipper must be appropriately trained and certified before involvement with the transport of dangerous goods.**

### Section 15: Regulatory Information

Canada

**Domestic Substance List (DSL) / Non-Domestic Substance Lists (NDSL)**

All hazardous ingredients are listed on the DSL/NDSL.

**Hazardous Products Act (R.S.C., 1985, c. H-3)**

The safety data sheet and label comply with the Hazardous Product Act and WHMIS 2015.

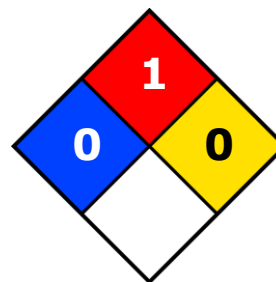
USA

Other Classifications

**HMIS® RATING**

|                             |          |          |
|-----------------------------|----------|----------|
| <b>HEALTH:</b>              | <b>*</b> | <b>0</b> |
| <b>FLAMMABILITY:</b>        |          | <b>1</b> |
| <b>PHYSICAL HAZARD:</b>     |          | <b>0</b> |
| <b>PERSONAL PROTECTION:</b> |          |          |

**NFPA® 704 CODES**



*Approximate HMIS and NFPA Risk Ratings Legend:*

0 (Low or none); 1 (Slight); 2 (Moderate); 3 (Serious); 4 (Severe)

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This product does not contain any class 1 ozone depleting substances.

This product does not contain any class 2 ozone depleting substances.

This product does not contain substances that are listed as hazardous air pollutants.

**EPCRA** (Emergency Planning and Right to Know Act, USA, 40 CFR 372.45)

This product does not contain ingredients that are subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 Title III of the SARA of 1986 and 40 CFR part 372.

**TSCA** (Toxic Substances Control Act of 1976, USA)

All substances are TSCA listed.

**California Proposition 65** (Chemicals known to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity, USA).

This product does not contain any of the listed substances.

**Europe****RoHS** (Restriction of Hazardous Substance Directive)

This product does not contain any lead, cadmium, mercury, hexavalent chromium, PBB's, PBDE's, DEHP, BBP, DBP, or DIBP and complies with European RoHS regulations.

**WEEE** (Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment Directive)

This product is not a piece of electrical or electronic equipment and is therefore not governed by this regulation.

**Section 16: Other Information**

**SDS Prepared by** MG Chemicals' Regulatory Department

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**Reason for Changes:** Update to the emergency phone number.

**References**

1) ACGIH 2017 TLVs and BEIs: Based on the documentation of the threshold limit values for chemical substances and physical agents & biological exposure indices, American Conference of Governmental of Industrial Hygienist Cincinnati, OH (2017).

2) All toxicological data were checked against the RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances®)

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**411****(AEROSOL)****Abbreviations**

|       |   |
|-------|---|
| ACGIH | American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)       |
| ECHA  | European Chemicals Agency   |
| EU    | European Union  |
| EC50  | Half maximal effective concentration                                  |
| EL50  | Half maximal effective loading  |
| IARC  | International Agency for Research on Cancer                           |
| NOELR | No observable effect loading ratio                                    |
| NTP   | National Toxicology Program   |
| GHS   | Globally Harmonized System of Classification of Labeling of Chemicals |
| LC50  | Lethal Concentration 50%  |
| LCLo  | Lowest published lethal concentration                                 |
| LD50  | Lethal Dose 50%   |
| OEL   | Occupational Exposure Limit   |
| PEL   | Permissible Exposure Limit  |
| SDS   | Safety Data Sheet   |
| STEL  | Short-Term Exposure Limit   |
| TCLo  | Lowest published toxic concentration                                  |
| TWA   | Time Weighted Average   |
| VOC   | Volatile Organic Content  |

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