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SAFETY DATA SHEET

Section 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: FM-200 ®

Other Identifiers: FE-227, Pressurized Extinguisher, 2-

Hydrofluoropane, 1,1,1,2,3,3,3- Heptafluoro-,

HFC-227eaHP, R-227, HFC-227ea

Product Use: Fire extinguisher agent
Manufacturer: AMEREX CORPORATION

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Section 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS - Classification

Health	Environmental	Physical
Acute Toxicity: None	None	None
Skin Corrosion/Irritation: None	None	None
Skin Sensitization: None	None	None
Eye: None	None	None
Carcinogen: None	None	None

GHS – Label Symbol(s): Gas Under Pressure

GHS – Signal Word(s): Gas Under Pressure: Warning

Other Hazards Not Resulting in Classification: Simple asphyxiant. May displace oxygen and

cause rapid suffocation.

May cause frostbite in contact with skin or

eyes.

GHS - Hazard Phrases

GHS Hazard	GHS Codes(s)	Code Phrase(s)			
Physical	H280	*- Contents under pressure; may explode if heated.			
	281	Contains refrigerated gas; may cause cryogenic burns or injury.			
Health	H313	May be harmful in contact with skin.			
Environmental	None				
Precautionary:					
General	P101	If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.			
Prevention	P251	Do not pierce or burn, even after use.			
	261	Avoid breathing gas.			
	271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.			
	280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.			
Response	P312	Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.			
	321	Specific treatment (see Section 4. First Aid Measures)			
	336	Thaw frosted parts with lukewarm water. Do not rub affected areas.			
	304+340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.			
	305+351+338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if			
		present and easy to do – continue rinsing.			
	313+333	May be harmful in contact with skin or if inhaled.			
Storage	P410+403	*- Protect from sunlight. Store in well-ventilated place.			
Disposal	P501	Dispose of contents/container through a licensed disposal company in accordance with			
		local/state/national regulations.			

^{*-} If under pressure

Section 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	EC No.	REACH Reg. No.	CAS-No.	Weight %
1,1,1,2,3,3,3-Heptafluoropropane	207-079-2	NA	431-89-0	100

Adverse health effects and symptoms: None in normal quantities

Section 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Exposure: Liquid or cold gas can cause freezing injury to eyes.

Flush eyes with cool water for 15 minutes. Seek

medical attention immediately.

Skin Exposure: May cause cold burns or frostbite. Remove

contaminated clothing and flush affected areas with lukewarm (NOT HOT) water. Seek medical attention immediately if blistering of the dermal surface or if

deep tissue freezing occurs

Inhalation: May cause coughing. If respiratory irritation or

distress occurs, remove victim to fresh air. Seek

medical attention if problems persists.

Ingestion: None under normal conditions

Medical conditions possibly

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aggravated by exposure: None

Section 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties: Not flammable

Flash Point: None

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Non-combustible. Use extinguishing media suitable

for surrounding conditions. Cool fire-exposed cylinders until flames are extinguished. Damaged cylinders should be handled only by specialists.

Hazardous Combustion Products: None

Explosion Data:

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact: Not sensitive Sensitivity to Static Discharge: Not sensitive

Unusual fire/explosion hazards: Cylinders could rupture under heat of fire. Protective Equipment and

Precautions for Firefighters: 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

Personal Precautions: Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Ensure adequate

ventilation, especially in confined areas. Monitor

oxvaen level.

Personal Protective Equipment: None unless there is a chance of direct contact with

the chemical. Wear self-contained breathing

apparatus when entering area unless atmosphere is proved safe. Wear appropriate PPE for the situation. Handle in accordance with good health and safety

Emergency Procedures: Handle in accordance with good health and safety

practices.

Methods for Containment: Stop the flow of gas or remove cylinder to outdoor

location if this can be done without risk. If leak is in container or container valve, contact the appropriate emergency telephone number in Section 1or call your

closest supplier location.

Methods for Clean Up: Return cylinder to authorized distributor. Environmental Precautions: Prevent spreading of vapors through sewers,

ventilation systems and confined areas.

Other: If product is contaminated, use PPE and containment

appropriate to the nature of the most toxic

chemical/material in the mixture.

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Section 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Personal Precautions: Put on appropriate personal protective equipment

Contains gas under pressure. Do not get in eyes or on skin or clothing. Avoid breathing gas. Empty containers retain product residue and can be hazardous. Do not puncture or incinerate container.

Close valve after each use and when empty.

Conditions for Safe Storage/Handling: If pressurized – Protect from sunlight and store in a

well-ventilated place. Protect cylinders from physical

damage; do not drag, roll, slide, or drop. Use a suitable hand truck for cylinder movement. ... Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing

and protective equipment before entering eating

areas.

Incompatible Products: None

Section 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Chemical Name	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	DFG MAK *	EU BLV
1,1,1,2,3,3,3-Heptafluoropropane	NR	NR	NR	NA

NR = Not Regulated.

Engineering Controls: None

Personal Protective Equipment Safety glasses

Section 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Colorless gas
Molecular Weight: 170.03 g/mole
Odor: Light, etherial

Odor Threshold:

Decomposition Temperature ^oC:

No information available

No information available

Freezing Point ^oC: 129.5 Initial Boiling Point ^oC: -17.3 Physical State: Gas

pH: No information available

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Flash Point °C:

Auto-ignition Temperature °C:

Boiling Point/Range °C:

Melting Point/Range °C:

17.3

Melting Point/Range °C:

129.5

Flammability: Not Flammable

Flammability Limits in Air ^oC: Upper – Not Flammable; Lower-Not Flammable

Explosive Properties:

Oxidizing Properties:

None

None

Volatile Component (%vol)

Evaporation Rate:

Density:

Vapor Pressure:

Specific gravity at 25 C:

Solubility (in water):

Partition Coefficient: octanol/water

Not Applicable

7.59 g/cc (at 20°C)

400 kPa (at 20°C)

Not Applicable

0.1 g/L (at 20°C)

2.29 (Log Pow)

Section 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: This material may be reactive with certain agents

under certain conditions - see the remaining headings

in this section.

Chemical Stability: Stable under recommended storage and handling

conditions.

Incompatibles: Light and/or alkaline metals, alkaline earth metals,

powdered metals, oxidizing agents.

Conditions to Avoid: Heat

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Gaseous hydrogen fluoride (HF), fluorophosgene

The release of other hazardous decomposition

products is possible.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Strong oxidizers, alkali metals and alkaline earth

metals may cause fires or explosions.

Hazardous Polymerization Does not occur

Section 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely Routes of Exposure: Inhalation, skin, and eye contact.

Symptoms:

Immediate:

Inhalation: Coughing.

Eyes: None (unless freezing gas causes burns or frostbite)
Skin: None (unless freezing gas causes burns or frostbite)

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Delayed: Symptoms appear to be relatively immediate

Acute Toxicity: Non-toxic.

Chronic Toxicity:

Short-term Exposure: None known. Long-term Exposure: None known.

Acute Toxicity Values - Health

Chemical Name	L	LC50 (Inhalation)	
	Oral Dermal		
1,1,1,2,3,3,3-Heptafluoropropane	800,000 ppm (Rat/4h)	Not available	Not available

Reproductive Toxicity: This product's ingredients are not known to have

reproductive or teratogenic effects.

Target Organs and Effects (TOST): None

Other Toxicity Categories

Chemical Name	Germ Cell	Carcino-	Repro-	TOST	TOST	Aspiration
	Mutagenicity	genicity	ductive	Single Exp	Repeated Exp	
1,1,1,2,3,3,3-Heptafluoropropane	None	None	None	None	None	None

Section 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity: Low risk.

Persistence/Degradability: Degrades slowly Probability of rapid biodegradation: -0.3742 (Low) Anaerobic biodegradation probability: 0.6702 (Rapid)

Bioaccummulation: 33.36

Bioconcentration factor: 21.15 L/kg (Not bioaccumulative)

Mobility in soil (Log Koc-MCI Method)

Log Octanol-Water Partition Coefficient (KOWWIN)

Log Kow (KOWWIN) 2.51

Koc (Kow Method): 150.7 L/kg (Low mobility in soil)

Log Koa: -0.306 Log Kaw (HenryWin estimate): 2.816

Fraction sorbed to airborne particulates (Mackay model): 5.28E-010

Water Solubility: 79.5 at 25 °C

Atmospheric oxidation half-life:

Level III Fugacity Model: 0.426% soil, 47.8% water, 1.73% sediment, 50% air

Other Adverse Ecological Effects: No other known effects at this time

Aquatic Toxicity Values - Environment - Research

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Chemical Name	Acute (LC50)	Chronic (EC50)
1,1,1,2,3,3,3-Heptafluoropropane	>100 mg/L 96h Brachydanio rerio (zebra fish)	>114 mg/L 72h Pseudokirchneriella
	>100 mg/L 48h Daphnia magna	subcapitata

Aquatic Toxicity Values – Environment – Estimates

Chemical Name	Acute (LC50)	EC50
1,1,1,2,3,3,3-Heptafluoropropane	N/A	N/A

Section 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Safe Handling None.

Waste Disposal Considerations Dispose in accordance with federal, state, and local

regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Dispose in accordance with federal, state, and local

regulations.

NOTES:

This product is not a RCRA characteristically hazardous or listed hazardous waste. Dispose of according to state or local laws, which may be more restrictive than federal laws or regulations. Used product may be altered or contaminated, creating different disposal considerations.

Section 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN Number: 3296

UN Proper Shipping Name: HEPTAFLUOROPROPANE

Transport Hazard Class: 2
Packing Group: NA
Marine Pollutant?: NO

IATA Not regulated DOT Not regulated

NOTES:

This product is not defined as a hazardous material under U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) 49 CFR 172, or by Transport Canada "Transportation of Dangerous Goods" regulations. This transportation information covers the FM 200 (CAS 431-89-0) fire extinguisher agent as shipped in bulk containers and not when contained in fire extinguishers or fire extinguisher systems.

Special Precautions for Shipping:

If shipped in a stored pressure-type fire extinguisher, and pressurized with a non-flammable, non-toxic inert expellant gas, the fire extinguisher is considered a hazardous material by the US Department of Transportation and Transport Canada. The proper shipping name shall be FIRE EXTINGUISHER and the UN designation is UN 1044. The DOT hazard class/division is LIMITED QUANTITY when pressurized to less than 241 psig and when shipped via highway or rail. UN Class 2.2. Non-Flammable Gas, when shipping via air. Packing Group – N/A

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Section 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventory Status: All ingredients are on the following inventories

Country(ies)	Agency	Status
United States of America	TSCA	Yes
Canada	WHIMS	Yes
Australia	AICS	Listed or Exempt
Europe	EINECS/ELINCS	Not Classified

REACH Title VII Restrictions: No information available

Chemical Name	Dangerous Substances	Organic Solvents	Harmful Substances Whose Names Are to be Indicated on Label	Pollution Release and Transfer Registry (Class II)	Pollution Release and Transfer Registry (Class I)	Poison and Deleterious Substances Control Law
1,1,1,2,3,3,3- Heptafluoropropane	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

Component	ISHA – Harmful Substances Prohibited for Manufacturing, Importing, Transferring, or Supplying	ISHA – Harmful Substances Requiring Permission	Toxic Chemical Classification Listing (TCCL) – Toxic Chemicals	Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) – Group I	Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) – Group II
1,1,1,2,3,3,3- Heptafluoropropane	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

European Risk and Safety phrases:

EU Classification:

R Phrases: 44

S Phrases: 9 Keep in a well-ventilated place.

24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of

water and seek medical advice.

36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face

protection.

In case of insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory

equipment.

In case of accident or if you feel unwell seek medical advice

immediately (show the label where possible).

U.S. Federal Regulatory Information:

SARA 313:

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) - This product does not contain and chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372. None of the chemicals in this product are under SARA reporting requirements or have SARA threshold planning quantities (TPQs) or CERCLA reportable quantities (RQs), or are regulated under TSCA 8(d).

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories:

Acute Health Hazard No
Chronic Health Hazard No
Fire Hazard No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard* Yes
Reactive Hazard No

Clean Water/Clean Air Acts:

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42) or Clean Air Act, Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) (see 40 CFR 61) and Section 112 of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990.

U.S. State Regulatory Information:

Chemicals in this product are covered under specific State regulations, as denoted below:

Alaska - Designated Toxic and Hazardous Substances: None

California – Permissible Exposure Limits for Chemical Contaminants: None

Florida – Substance List: None

Illinois – Toxic Substance List: None Kansas – Section 302/303 List: None

Massachusetts - Substance List: None

Minnesota – List of Hazardous Substances: None

Missouri – Employer Information/Toxic Substance List: None **New Jersey** – Right to Know Hazardous Substance List: None

North Dakota – List of Hazardous Chemicals, Reportable Quantities: None

Pennsylvania – Hazardous Substance List: None **Rhode Island** – Hazardous Substance List: None

Texas – Hazardous Substance List: None

West Virginia – Hazardous Substance List: None **Wisconsin** – Toxic and Hazardous Substances: None

California Proposition 65: No component is listed on the California Proposition 65 list.

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^{* -} Only applicable if material is in a pressurized extinguisher.

Section 16. OTHER INFORMATION

This SDS conforms to requirements under U.S., U.K., Canadian, Australian, and EU regulations or standards, and conforms to the proposed 2003 ANSI Z400.1 format. No modifications of this SDS are authorized by AMEREX Corporation. Questions or comments should be directed to AMEREX Corporation (See Section 1).

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