

SAFETY DATA SHEET R-32

Commission Regulation (EU) 2020/878 of 18 June 2020.
According to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Annex II, as amended.
According to the REACH etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 No. 1577, as amended.

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product name R-32

Chemical name Difluoromethane

CAS number 75-10-5 **EC number** 200-839-4

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses Refrigerant.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Pront Soğutma Dış Ticaret LTD. ŞTİ.

Acarlar Mahallesi 3. Cadde 15. Sokak No:29 T13/1

Beykoz, Istanbul - Turkey

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone +90 216 759 2396

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (SI 2019 No. 720) / EU 1272/ 2008

Physical hazards Flam. Gas 1A - H220 Press. Gas (Liq.) - H280

Health hazards Not Classified

Environmental hazards Not Classified

2.2. Label elements

EC number 200-839-4

Hazard pictograms





Signal word Danger

Hazard statements H220 Extremely flammable gas.

H280 Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

Precautionary statements P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

P377 Leaking gas fire: Do not extinguish, unless leak can be stopped safely.

P381 In case of leakage, eliminate all ignition sources.

P410+P403 Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place.

Labelling notes EIGA0783: Contains fluorinated greenhouse gases.



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2.3. Other hazards

Vapours are heavier than air and can cause suffocation by reducing oxygen available for breathing. Misuse or intentional inhalation abuse may cause death without warning symptoms, due to cardiac effects Rapid evaporation of the product may cause frostbite. May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Product name R-32

Chemical name Difluoromethane

CH2F2

 CAS number
 75-10-5

 EC number
 200-839-4

Amount w/w > 99.50 %

3.2. Mixtures

Chemical formula

Description Not applicable.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General information Get medical attention immediately. Show this Safety Data Sheet to the medical personnel.

InhalationRemove affected person from source of contamination. Move affected person to fresh air and keep warm and at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing such as

collar, tie or belt. When breathing is difficult, properly trained personnel may assist affected person by administering oxygen. Place unconscious person on their side in the recovery position and ensure

breathing can take place.

Ingestion Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Remove any dentures. Stop if the affected person feels sick as

vomiting may be dangerous. Do not induce vomiting unless under the direction of medical personnel. If vomiting occurs, the head should be kept low so that vomit does not enter the lungs. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Move affected person to fresh air and keep warm and at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Place unconscious person on their side in the recovery position and ensure breathing can take place. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing such as collar, tie or belt.

Skin contact Rinse with water. Get medical attention if symptoms are severe or persist after washing.

Eye contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Remove any contact lenses and open eyelids wide apart.

Continue to rinse for at least 10 minutes.

Protection of first aiders First aid personnel should wear appropriate protective equipment during any rescue.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

General information See Section 11 for additional information on health hazards. The severity of the symptoms described will

vary dependent on the concentration and the length of exposure.

Inhalation May cause respiratory irritation.

Ingestion Due to the physical nature of this product, it is unlikely that ingestion will occur.

Skin contact No specific symptoms known.

Eye contact No specific symptoms known. May be slightly irritating to eyes.



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4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes for the doctor Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Flam. Gas = Flammable gas Extinguish with foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder or water fog. Use fire-

extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing media Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards Containers can burst violently or explode when heated, due to excessive pressure build-up.

Hazardous combustion products Hydrocarbons. Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2).

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during firefighting

Avoid breathing fire gases or vapours. Evacuate area. If involved in a fire, shut off flow if it can be done without risk. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion. Cool containers exposed to heat with water spray and remove them from the fire area if it can be done without risk. Cool containers exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out. If a leak or spill has not ignited, use water spray to disperse vapours and protect men stopping the leak. Control run-off water by containing and keeping it out of sewers and watercourses. If risk of water pollution occurs, notify appropriate authorities.

Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective clothing.

Firefighter's clothing will provide a basic level of protection for chemical incidents.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions

No action shall be taken without appropriate training or involving any personal risk. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel away from the spillage. Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Follow precautions for safe handling described in this safety data sheet. Wash thoroughly after dealing with a spillage. Ensure procedures and training for emergency decontamination and disposal are in place. Do not touch or walk into spilled material. Evacuate area. Risk of explosion. Provide adequate ventilation. No smoking, sparks, flames or other sources of ignition near spillage. Promptly remove any clothing that becomes contaminated.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions

Exposure to aquatic environment unlikely. Large Spillages: Inform the relevant authorities if environmental pollution occurs (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up

Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Clear up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so. No smoking, sparks, flames or other sources of ignition near spillage. Do not allow material to enter confined spaces, due to the risk of explosion. Approach the spillage from upwind. Flush contaminated area with plenty of water. Wash thoroughly after dealing with a spillage. Following dilution, discharge to the sewer with plenty of water may be permitted. The requirements of the local water authority must be complied with if contaminated water is flushed directly to the sewer. Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of the local Waste Disposal Authority.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections

For personal protection, see Section 8. See Section 11 for additional information on health hazards. See Section 12 for additional information on ecological hazards. For waste disposal, see Section 13.



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SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions

Read and follow manufacturer's recommendations. Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. The product is flammable. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Do not handle broken packages without protective equipment. Do not reuse empty containers.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. Take off contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Change work clothing daily before leaving workplace.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions

Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10). Store in accordance with local regulations. Eliminate all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Earth container and transfer equipment to eliminate sparks from static electricity. Keep away from oxidising materials, heat and flames. Keep only in the original container. Keep container tightly closed, in a cool, well ventilated place. Keep horizontal design tube/drum/tanks horizontal, vertical design tube/drum/tank upright. Protect containers from damage. Protect from sunlight. Bund storage facilities to prevent soil and water pollution in the event of spillage. The storage area floor should be leak-tight, jointless and not absorbent.

Storage class Flammable compressed gas storage.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s) The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/Personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): WEL 1000 ppm 4240 mg/m³

WEL = Workplace Exposure Limit.

8.2. Exposure controls

Protective equipment









Appropriate engineering controls

Provide adequate ventilation. Personal, workplace environment or biological monitoring may be required to determine the effectiveness of the ventilation or other control measures and/or the necessity to use respiratory protective equipment. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls as the primary means to minimise worker exposure. Personal protective equipment should only be used if worker exposure cannot be controlled adequately by the engineering control measures. Ensure control measures are regularly inspected and maintained. Ensure operatives are trained to minimise exposure. The engineering controls also need to keep gas, vapour or dust concentrations below any lower explosive limits. Use explosion-proof ventilating equipment.

Eye/face protection

Eyewear complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates eye contact is possible. Personal protective equipment that provides appropriate eye and face protection should be worn. Unless the assessment indicates a higher degree of protection is required, the following protection should be worn: Tight-fitting safety glasses.



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Hand protection Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk

assessment indicates skin contact is possible. The most suitable glove should be chosen in consultation with the glove supplier/manufacturer, who can provide information about the breakthrough time of the glove material. To protect hands from chemicals, wear gloves that are proven to be impervious to the chemical and resist degradation. To protect hands against cold burns, gloves must comply with the EN 511 standard. Considering the data specified by the glove manufacturer, check during use that the gloves are retaining their protective properties and change them as soon as any deterioration is detected.

Frequent changes are recommended.

Other skin and body protection Appropriate footwear and additional protective clothing complying with an approved standard should be

worn if a risk assessment indicates skin contamination is possible.

Hygiene measures Provide eyewash station and safety shower. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the

workplace. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Clean equipment and the work area every day. Good personal hygiene procedures should be implemented. Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Preventive industrial medical examinations should be carried out. Warn cleaning personnel of any hazardous properties of the

product.

Respiratory protection Respiratory protection complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment

indicates inhalation of contaminants is possible. Ensure all respiratory protective equipment is suitable for its intended use and is 'UKCA'-marked. Check that the respirator fits tightly and the filter is changed regularly. Gas and combination filter cartridges suitable for intended use should be used. Full face mask respirators with replaceable filter cartridges suitable for intended use should be used. Half mask and quarter mask respirators with replaceable filter cartridges suitable for intended use should be used.

Environmental exposure controls Keep container tightly sealed when not in use.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Gas.

Colour Colourless.
Odour Mild Ether

Odour thresholdNo information available.pHNo information available.Melting pointNo information available.

Freezing Point -136°C (-212°F)
Initial boiling point and range -51,7°C/-61°F
Flash point Not applicable.

Evaporation rate

No information available.

Evaporation factor

No information available.

Flammability (solid, gas) Flammable.

Upper/lower flammability or

explosive limits

Lower flammable/explosive limit: 14 % Upper flammable/explosive limit: 31 %

Vapour pressure 17,01 bar @ -°C

Vapour density

No information available.

Relative density

No information available.



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Bulk density No information available.

Solubility(ies) Insoluble in water.

Partition coefficient : 0,21 @ 25°C

Auto-ignition temperature 530°C

Decomposition TemperatureNo information available.ViscosityNo information available.Explosive propertiesNo information available.Oxidising propertiesNo information available.

Particle characteristics Not applicable.

Specific Gravity 1.002 @ 26.7°C (Su=1.0)

9.2. Other information

% Moisture <0.0010 **Acidity** <0.00001

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity See the other subsections of this section for further details.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stability Stable at normal ambient temperatures and when used as recommended. Stable under the prescribed

storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions The following materials may react strongly with the product: Oxidising agents.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid Avoid heat, flames and other sources of ignition. Containers can burst violently or explode when heated,

 $\hbox{due to excessive pressure build-up. Do not pressurise, cut, weld, drill, grind or otherwise expose}$

containers to heat or sources of ignition.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid No specific material or group of materials is likely to react with the product to produce a hazardous

situation.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition Does not decompose when used and stored as recommended. Thermal decomposition or combustion

products may include the following substances: Harmful gases or vapours.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute toxicity - oral

products

Notes (oral LD₅₀) Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.



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Acute toxicity - dermal

Notes (dermal LD₅₀) Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Acute toxicity - inhalation

Notes (inhalation LC50) Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

LC50 567000 ppm, Inhalation, Rat

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin corrosion/irritation Based on available data the classification criteria are not met

Serious eye damage/irritation

Serious eye damage/irritation Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Respiratory sensitisation

Respiratory sensitisation Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Skin sensitisation

Skin sensitisation Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity - in vitro Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity

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

IARC carcinogenicity None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - fertility Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Reproductive toxicity -

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

development

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

STOT - single exposure Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after a single exposure.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after repeated exposure. STOT - repeated exposure

Aspiration hazard

Aspiration hazard Not relevant. Gas.

The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependent on the concentration and the length of General information

exposure.

Inhalation Shortness of breath. Lung oedema.

Ingestion Due to the physical nature of this product, it is unlikely that ingestion will occur.

Skin contact Frostbite

Eye contact No specific symptoms known.

Route of exposure Inhalation Skin and/or eye contact

Target organs No specific target organs known.

11.2. Information on other hazards

Information on other hazards This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.



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SECTION 12: Ecological information

Ecotoxicity Not regarded as dangerous for the environment. However, large or frequent spills may have hazardous

effects on the environment.

12.1. Toxicity

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

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability The degradability of the product is not known.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potentialNo data available on bioaccumulation.

Partition coefficient : 0,21 @ 25°C

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility Insoluble in water.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT and vPvB

assessment

This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB according to current UK criteria.

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

Endocrine disrupting properties The product does not contain any endocrine disrupting substance.

12.7. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects None known.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

General information The generation of waste should be minimised or avoided wherever possible. Reuse or recycle products

wherever possible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Disposal of this product, process solutions, residues and by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any local authority requirements. When handling waste, the safety precautions applying to handling of the product should be considered. Care should be taken when handling emptied containers that have not been thoroughly cleaned or rinsed out. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues and hence be potentially hazardous.

Disposal methodsDo not empty into drains. Dispose of surplus products and those that cannot be recycled via a licensed

waste disposal contractor. Waste, residues, empty containers, discarded work clothes and contaminated cleaning materials should be collected in designated containers, labelled with their contents. Waste packaging should be collected for reuse or recycling. Incineration or landfill should only be considered

when recycling is not feasible.

Waste class 14 06 01* chlorofluorocarbons, HCFC, HFC

SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1. UN number or ID number

UN No. (ADR/RID) 3252

UN No. (IMDG) 3252



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UN No. (ICAO) 3252 UN No. (ADN) 3252

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper shipping name (ADR/RID)DIFLUOROMETHANE (REFRIGERANT GAS R32)Proper shipping name (IMDG)DIFLUOROMETHANE (REFRIGERANT GAS R32)Proper shipping name (ICAO)DIFLUOROMETHANE (REFRIGERANT GAS R32)Proper shipping name (ADN)DIFLUOROMETHANE (REFRIGERANT GAS R32)

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID class 2.1

ADR/RID classification code 2F

ADR/RID label 2.1

IMDG class 2.1

ICAO class/division 2.1

ADN class 2.1

Transport labels



14.4. Packing group

Not applicable.

14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant

No.

14.6. Special precautions for user

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ADR transport category 2

Emergency Action Code 2YE

Hazard Identification Number 23

(ADR/RID)

Tunnel restriction code (B/D)

according to IMO instruments

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Maritime transport in bulk Not applicable.

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SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 (as amended). National regulations

The Carriage of Dangerous Goods and Use of Transportable Pressure Equipment Regulations 2009 (SI

2009 No. 1348) (as amended) ["CDG 2009"]. EH40/2005 Workplace exposure limits.

Commission Regulation (EU) 2020/878 of 18 June 2020.

Commission Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the

Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH)

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on

classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (as amended).

Authorisations (SI 2020 No. 1577 Annex XIV) and REACH 1907/2006, Annex XIV

No specific authorisations are known for this product.

Restrictions (SI 2020 No. 1577 Annex XVII) and REACH 1907/2006, Annex XVII

No specific restrictions on use are known for this product.

Seveso Directive - Control of major accident hazards

Lower-tier 10 tonnes Upper-tier 50 tonnes.

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

in the safety data sheet

Abbreviations and acronyms used ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road.

ADN: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland

RID: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail.

IATA: International Air Transport Association.

ICAO: Technical Instructions for the Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air.

IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods.

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service. ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate.

LC50: Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population.

LD50: Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose).

EC50: 50% of maximal Effective Concentration. PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance.

vPvB: Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative.

Classification abbreviations and

acronyms

Flam. Gas = Flammable gas

Press. Gas (Liq.) = Gas under pressure: Liquefied gas

Key literature references and

sources for data

Source: European Chemicals Agency, http://echa.europa.eu/

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Classification procedures

Flam. Gas 1 - H220: Press. Gas (Liq.) - H280: : Expert judgement.

according to SI 2019 No. 720

Read and follow manufacturer's recommendations. Only trained personnel should use this material.

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Hazard statements in full

H220 Extremely flammable gas.

H280 Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

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