

# GC 42

## Safety Data Sheet

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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Name GC 42  
Product code BU Direct Fastening



#### 1.2. Other means of identification

No additional information available

#### 1.3. Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use For professional use only, Propellant for direct fastening tools.

#### 1.4. Supplier's details

##### Supplier

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#### 1.5. Emergency phone number

Emergency number Schweizerisches Toxikologisches Informationszentrum – 24h Service  
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### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Physical hazards Flammable gases, Category 1A  
Gases under pressure : Compressed gas

#### 2.2. GHS label elements including precautionary statements

##### Hazard pictograms (GHS SG)



##### Signal word (GHS SG)

Danger

##### Hazard statements (GHS SG)

H220 : Extremely flammable gas.  
H280 : Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

##### Precautionary statements

###### General

P102 : Keep out of reach of children.

###### Prevention

P210 : Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. heat, hot surfaces, open flames, sparks  
P211 : Do not spray on an open flame or other ignition source.  
P251 : Do not pierce or burn, even after use.

###### Response

P381 : Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so.

###### Storage

P403 : Store in a well-ventilated place.  
P410+P412 : Protect from sunlight. Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 50 °C/122 °F.

#### 2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

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### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Name	Synonyms	Concentration (%)	Formula	Product identifier
isobutane	-	55 - <65	C4H10	CAS-No.: 75-28-5 EC-No.: 200-857-2 EC Index-No.: 601-004-00-0
propene	-	20 - <30	C3H6	CAS-No.: 115-07-1 EC-No.: 204-062-1 EC Index-No.: 601-011-00-9
propane	-	5 - <15	C3H8	CAS-No.: 74-98-6 EC-No.: 200-827-9 EC Index-No.: 601-003-00-5

### SECTION 4: First-aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of necessary first aid measures

First-aid measures general	Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.
Inhalation	Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
Skin contact	Gently wash with plenty of soap and water.
Eye contact	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical advice/attention.
Ingestion	Immediately consult a doctor/medical service.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

No additional information available

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

Other medical advice or treatment	Treat symptomatically.
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### SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

#### 5.1. Suitable extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Dry powder. Alcohol resistant foam.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not use a heavy water stream.

#### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Explosion hazard	Heat may build pressure, rupturing closed containers, spreading fire and increasing risk of burns and injuries.
Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire	On burning: release of (highly) toxic gases/vapours. Thermal decomposition generates : Carbon dioxide. Carbon monoxide.

#### 5.3. Special protective actions for fire fighters

Precautionary measures fire	Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion.
Firefighting instructions	DO NOT fight fire when fire reaches explosives. Evacuate area.
Protection during firefighting	Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection. Self-contained breathing apparatus.
Other information	EN 12942. EN 12941.

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### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures Evacuate area. Remove ignition sources.

##### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures Ventilate spillage area. Evacuate area. No open flames, no sparks, and no smoking.

##### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Breathing apparatus.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Prevent entry to sewers and public waters.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Do not flush with water.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Additional hazards when processed Flammable gas. Do not pierce or burn, even after use. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

Precautions for safe handling Do not spray on an open flame or other ignition source. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not breathe vapours. Prevent the build-up of electrostatic charge.

Hygiene measures Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed.

Storage conditions Keep cool. Protect from sunlight. Keep in fireproof place. Store in dry protected location to prevent any moisture contact.

Incompatible materials Heat sources. Direct sunlight. Sources of ignition.

Storage temperature 5 – 25 °C

Heat and ignition sources Keep away from heat and direct sunlight. Keep away from ignition sources.

Information on mixed storage Do not store with DX powder cartridges.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters/Occupational exposure limits

No additional information available

#### 8.2. Monitoring

No additional information available

#### 8.3. Appropriate engineering control measures

Appropriate engineering controls Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

#### 8.4. Personal protection

Hand protection In case of repeated or prolonged contact wear gloves

Type	Material	Permeation	Thickness (mm)	Penetration	Standard
Disposable gloves	Nitrile rubber (NBR)	3 (> 60 minutes)	0,12		EN ISO 374

Eye protection Chemical goggles or safety glasses. EN 166. EN 170

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Skin and body protection

Respiratory protection

When using cartridge operated tools, sufficient ear protection must be worn.

No respiratory protection needed under normal use conditions

### Personal protective equipment symbol(s)



## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Gas
Colour	Colourless
Odour	Sweet
Odour threshold	No data available
pH	No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	No data available
Melting point	No data available
Freezing point	No data available
Boiling point	No data available
Flash point	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
Decomposition temperature	No data available
Flammability	Extremely flammable aerosol, Extremely flammable gas.
Vapour pressure	8300 hPa
Relative vapour density at 20°C	No data available
Relative density	No data available
Density	0.6 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (DIN 51757)
Solubility	insoluble in water.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	No data available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	No data available
Explosive properties	Product is not explosive. In use, may form flammable/explosive vapour-air mixture.
Oxidising properties	No data available
Explosive limits	1.7 – 11.1 vol %

### 9.2. Other information

Gas group Gases under pressure : Compressed gas

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Extremely flammable aerosol. Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated. Extreme risk of explosion by shock, friction, fire or other sources of ignition.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No additional information available

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Heat. Sparks. Open flame. Direct sunlight. Overheating.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

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### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No additional information available

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Acute toxicity

Acute toxicity (oral)	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Acute toxicity (dermal)	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

#### isobutane (75-28-5)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat [ppm]	> 18000 ppm
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#### propene (115-07-1)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat	> 688 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
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#### propane (74-98-6)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat [ppm]	> 280000 ppm (literature)
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Skin corrosion/irritation	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Serious eye damage/irritation	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Germ cell mutagenicity	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Carcinogenicity	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Reproductive toxicity	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
STOT-single exposure	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
STOT-repeated exposure	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Aspiration hazard	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

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Vaporizer	Container fitted with a sealed spray attachment
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Density	0.6 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (DIN 51757)
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Potential adverse human health effects and symptoms No additional information available.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute)	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic)	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Other information	Avoid release to the environment.

#### isobutane (75-28-5)

LC50 - Fish [1]	24.11 – 147.54 mg/l (Quantitative structure-activity relationship (QSAR))
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EC50 - Crustacea [1]	7.02 – 69.43 mg/l (Quantitative structure-activity relationship (QSAR))
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ErC50 algae	7.71 – 16.5 mg/l (Quantitative structure-activity relationship (QSAR))
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Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	1.09 – 2.8 (20 °C)
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#### propene (115-07-1)

LC50 - Fish [1]	43.3 mg/l (72 h; Oncorhynchus mykiss (Rainbow trout); Quantitative structure-activity relationship (QSAR))
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EC50 - Crustacea [1]	28.2 mg/l (48 h; daphnia; Quantitative structure-activity relationship (QSAR))
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<b>propene (115-07-1)</b>	
EC50 96h - Algae [1]	12.1 mg/l (algae; Quantitative structure-activity relationship (QSAR))
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	1.77 (20 °C)
<b>propane (74-98-6)</b>	

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

<b>GC 42</b>	
Persistence and degradability	No additional information available
<b>isobutane (75-28-5)</b>	
Not rapidly degradable	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable.
<b>propene (115-07-1)</b>	
Not rapidly degradable	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water.
<b>propane (74-98-6)</b>	
Not rapidly degradable	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

<b>GC 42</b>	
Bioaccumulative potential	No additional information available
<b>isobutane (75-28-5)</b>	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	1.09 – 2.8 (20 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Bioaccumulation unlikely.
<b>propene (115-07-1)</b>	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	1.77 (20 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low bioaccumulation potential (Log Kow < 4).
<b>propane (74-98-6)</b>	
Bioaccumulative potential	Low bioaccumulation potential (Log Kow < 4).

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

<b>GC 42</b>	
Mobility in soil	No additional information available
<b>isobutane (75-28-5)</b>	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	1.09 – 2.8 (20 °C)
<b>propene (115-07-1)</b>	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	1.77 (20 °C)

### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Ozone	Not classified
Other adverse effects	No additional information available

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### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.
Product/Packaging disposal recommendations	Container under pressure. Do not drill or burn even after use.
Additional information	Flammable vapours may accumulate in the container.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / RID

ADR	IMDG	IATA	RID
<b>14.1. UN number or ID number</b>			
UN 3150	UN 3150	UN 3150	UN 3150
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>			
HYDROCARBON GAS REFILLS FOR SMALL DEVICES	HYDROCARBON GAS REFILLS FOR SMALL DEVICES	Hydrocarbon gas Refills for small devices	HYDROCARBON GAS REFILLS FOR SMALL DEVICES
<b>Transport document description</b>			
UN 3150 HYDROCARBON GAS REFILLS FOR SMALL DEVICES, 2.1, (D)	UN 3150 HYDROCARBON GAS REFILLS FOR SMALL DEVICES, 2.1	UN 3150 Hydrocarbon gas Refills for small devices, 2.1	UN 3150 HYDROCARBON GAS REFILLS FOR SMALL DEVICES, 2.1
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b>			
2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
			
<b>14.4. Packing group</b>			
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
<b>14.5. Environmental hazards</b>			
Dangerous for the environment: No	Dangerous for the environment: No Marine pollutant: No	Dangerous for the environment: No	Dangerous for the environment: No
No supplementary information available			

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

#### Overland transport

Classification code (ADR)	6F
Limited quantities (ADR)	0
Excepted quantities (ADR)	E0
Packing instructions (ADR)	P209
Mixed packing provisions (ADR)	MP9
Transport category (ADR)	2
Special provisions for carriage - Loading, unloading and handling (ADR)	CV9
Special provisions for carriage - Operation (ADR)	S2
Tunnel restriction code (ADR)	D

#### Transport by sea

Limited quantities (IMDG)	0
Excepted quantities (IMDG)	E0
Packing instructions (IMDG)	P003
EmS-No. (Fire)	F-D

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EmS-No. (Spillage)	S-U
Stowage category (IMDG)	B
Stowage and handling (IMDG)	SW2
MFAG-No	115

### Air transport

PCA Excepted quantities (IATA)	E0
PCA Limited quantities (IATA)	Forbidden
PCA limited quantity max net quantity (IATA)	Forbidden
PCA packing instructions (IATA)	201
PCA max net quantity (IATA)	1kg
CAO packing instructions (IATA)	201
CAO max net quantity (IATA)	15kg
Special provisions (IATA)	A802
ERG code (IATA)	10L

### Rail transport

Classification code (RID)	6F
Limited quantities (RID)	0
Excepted quantities (RID)	E0
Packing instructions (RID)	P209
Mixed packing provisions (RID)	MP9
Transport category (RID)	2
Special provisions for carriage - Loading, unloading and handling (RID)	CW9
Colis express (express parcels) (RID)	CE2
Hazard identification number (RID)	23

### 14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

Regulation	Component / Mixture
Fire Safety Act/Fire Safety (Petroleum and Flammable Materials) Regulations	Petroleum and Flammable Materials Isobutane; Propylene; Propane
Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore (Dangerous, Petroleum and Explosives) Regulations	Maritime and Port Authority-Dangerous Goods Isobutane; Propylene; Propane

### 15.2. International regulations

No additional information available

### 15.3 Chemical inventory status

No additional information available

## SECTION 16: Other information

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Data sources	Source: European Chemicals Agency, <a href="http://echa.europa.eu/">http://echa.europa.eu/</a> . manufacturer.
Abbreviations and acronyms	CAS-No. - Chemical Abstract Service number ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways ADR - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

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ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate  
 CLP - Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008  
 DNEL - Derived-No Effect Level  
 EC50 - Median effective concentration  
 ED - Endocrine disrupting properties  
 EC-No. - European Community number  
 EN - European Standard  
 IATA - International Air Transport Association  
 IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods  
 IOELV - Indicative Occupational Exposure Limit Value  
 LC50 - Median lethal concentration  
 LD50 - Median lethal dose  
 NOEC - No-Observed Effect Concentration  
 OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development  
 N.O.S. - Not Otherwise Specified  
 OEL - Occupational Exposure Limit  
 PBT - Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic  
 PNEC - Predicted No-Effect Concentration  
 REACH - Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006  
 RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail  
 SDS - Safety Data Sheet  
 STP - Sewage treatment plant  
 TLM - Median Tolerance Limit  
 TRGS - Technical Rules for Hazardous Substances  
 VOC - Volatile Organic Compounds  
 WGK - Water Hazard Class  
 vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative  
 NOAEL - No-Observed Adverse Effect Level  
 NOAEC - No-Observed Adverse Effect Concentration  
 LOAEL - Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level  
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Training advice

Indication of changes			
Section	Changed item	Change	Comments
	General	Modified	
11	Toxicological information	Modified	
12	Ecotoxicological information	Modified	
15	Regulatory information	Added	
8	Personal protective equipment	Modified	
9	Physical and chemical properties	Modified	

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