# SAFETY DATA SHEET



**SDS ID NO.**: 0101MAR019 **Revision date** 09/30/2020

# 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Name Marathon Petroleum Propane - All Grades

Synonym Deodorized LPG; Unstenched Propane; Unstenched Propane Tfr; Liquified Petroleum Gas;

Odorized Propane; Propane HD-5; 0100MAR019

Product code 0101MAR019 Chemical family Hydrocarbon Gas

**Recommended use** Fuel and Feedstock.

Restrictions on use All others.

Manufacturer, Importer, or Responsible Party Name and

Address

MARATHON PETROLEUM COMPANY LP

539 South Main Street Findlay, OH 45840

**SDS Information** 1-419-421-3070 (M-F; 8-5 EST)

24 Hour Emergency Telephone CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (CCN# 13740)

# 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

### Classification

Flammable gases Category 1	
Gases under pressure	Liquefied Gas
Simple asphyxiant	-
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3

### Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)

Static accumulating flammable liquid Liquid product may cause freeze burn

#### **Label Elements**

### Danger

Extremely flammable gas

Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated May accumulate electrostatic charge and ignite or explode

May displace oxygen and cause rapid suffocation

May cause drowsiness or dizziness

Contact with liquid product may cause freeze burn.

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Appearance Colorless Liquefied Gas

Physical State Liquefied Gas

Odor Odorless to rotten egg like.

### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking Avoid breathing fume/gas/vapors
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Leaking gas fire: Do not extinguish, unless leak can be stopped safely Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so

If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell

### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed Protect from sunlight Store locked up

### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container at an approved waste disposal plant

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Propane is an aliphatic petroleum hydrocarbon. Propane shipped from Catlettsburg may contain trace amounts of benzene.

### **Composition Information**

Name	CAS Number	% Concentration
Propane	74-98-6	94-100
Propylene	115-07-1	0-3.5
Isobutane	75-28-5	0-2.5
n-Butane	106-97-8	0-2.5
Ethane	74-84-0	0-2
Methane	74-82-8	0-1.5
Sulfur containing compounds	7704-34-9	0-0.01

All concentrations are percent by weight unless material is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### First aid measures

General advice In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show directions

for use or safety data sheet if possible).

Inhalation Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, utilize bag valve mask or other form of barrier device

to institute rescue breathing. If breathing is difficult, ensure airway is clear, give oxygen and continue to monitor. If heart has stopped, immediately begin cardiopulmonary resuscitation

(CPR). Get immediate medical attention.

**Skin contact** Immediately wash exposed skin with plenty of soap and water while removing contaminated

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clothing and shoes. If frostbite is expected thaw frostbitten areas slowly with lukewarm water or by wrapping affected areas with blankets. Do not rub affected areas. Let circulation reestablish itself naturally. Get immediate medial attention.

Eye contact Flush with large amounts of tepid water for at least 15 minutes. Eyelids should be held

away from the eyeball to ensure thorough rinsing. Gently remove contacts while flushing. Get medical attention if irritation persists. If frostbite is suspected (cloudy lens or greyish

white tissue around the eye), get immediate medical attention.

Ingestion not likely. If swallowed, immediately call a poison control center or physician. Ingestion

Most important signs and symptoms, both short-term and delayed with overexposure

Adverse effects Contact with liquid product may cause freeze burn. Asphyxiant gas. High concentrations in

the immediate area can displace oxygen causing the feeling of suffocation and can cause headache, drowsiness, dizziness, loss of coordination, disorientation and fatigue from

oxygen deprivation.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically. Administer supplemental oxygen as needed. Epinephrine and other Notes to physician

sympathomimetic drugs may initiate cardiac arrhythmias in individuals exposed to this

material. Administration of sympathomimetic drugs should be avoided.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

For small fires, Class B fire extinguishing media such as CO2 or dry chemical can be used. Suitable extinguishing media

For large fires use water spray or fog. Firefighting should be attempted only by those who are adequately trained and equipped with proper protective equipment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media DO NOT EXTINGUISH A LEAKING GAS FIRE UNLESS LEAK CAN BE STOPPED.

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

This product has been determined to be an extremely flammable gas per the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard and should be handled accordingly. May accumulate electrostatic charge and ignite or explode. Sealed containers may rupture when heated. A phenomena known as boiling liquid expanding vapor explosions (Bleve) can occur when a liquid in a pressurized container comes in close proximity to a fire and reaches a temperature well above its boiling point. A catastrophic failure of the vessel can occur, resulting in flying equipment fragments, a shock wave and a fireball causing serious damage and death. For additional fire related information see NFPA 30 or the Emergency Response Guidebook

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**Hazardous combustion products** Smoke, carbon monoxide, and other products of incomplete combustion.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical

impact:

Sensitivity to static discharge:

No.

Yes.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Firefighters should wear full protective clothing and positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece, as appropriate, Isolate hazard area. If safe to do so, stop the flow of gas and allow fire to burn out. Extinguishing the flame before shutting off the supply can cause the formation of explosive mixtures. In some cases it may be preferred to allow the flame to continue to burn. Use extreme caution when fighting liquefied petroleum gas fires. Keep surrounding area cool with water spray from a distance and prevent further ignition of combustible material. Avoid use of solid water streams.

Contact with water and liquefied product can cause increased vaporization.

Additional firefighting tactics FIRES INVOLVING TANKS OR CAR/TRAILER LOADS: Fight fire from maximum distance or use unmanned hose holders or monitor nozzles. Cool containers with flooding quantities

of water until well after the fire is out. Do not direct water at source of leak or safety devices;

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or discoloration of tank. ALWAYS stay away from tanks engulfed in fire. For massive fire, use unmanned hose holders or monitor nozzles: if this is impossible, withdraw from area and let fire burn.

EVACUATION: Consider initial downwind evacuation for at least 1000 feet. If tank, rail car or tank truck is involved in a fire, ISOLATE for 5280 feet (1 mile) in all directions; also, consider initial evacuation of 5280 feet (1 mile) in all directions.

**NFPA** Health 1 Flammability 4 Instability 0 Special Hazard -

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Isolate and evacuate area. Shut off source Personal precautions

if safe to do so. Distant ignition and flashback are possible. Eliminate all ignition sources. Use grounded and bonded, explosion-proof equipment. Monitor area for flammable or explosive atmosphere. Before entry, especially into confined areas, check atmosphere with

an appropriate monitor.

Protective equipment Use personal protection measures as recommended in Section 8.

**Emergency procedures** Advise authorities and National Response Center (800-424-8802) if the product has

entered a water course or sewer. Notify local health and pollution control agencies, if

appropriate.

If leaking, take appropriate steps to disperse gas. **Environmental precautions** 

Methods and materials for

containment

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods and materials for cleaning up

Shut off gas supply, if safe to do so. Allow equipment to depressurize. Isolate area until gas has dispersed.

### HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Safe handling precautions

Avoid breathing gas or mists. Use only with adequate ventilation. Do not expose to heat, open flames, strong oxidizers or other sources of ignition. Gas and/or vapors may accumulate along the ground, settle in low lying areas or be moved by ventilation and ignited by many sources such as pilot lights, sparks, electric motors, static discharge, or other ignition sources at locations distant from material handling. Flashback may occur along vapor trails. Use only non-sparking tools. Use appropriate grounding and bonding practices. Bonding and grounding may be insufficient to eliminate the hazard from static electricity. Do not cut, drill, grind or weld on empty containers since explosive residues may remain. Comply with all applicable EPA, OSHA, NFPA and consistent state and local requirements.

Components of this product are basically non-conductors of electricity and can become electrostatically charged during mixing, filtering or pumping at high flow rates. If this charge reaches a sufficiently high level, sparks can form that may ignite the vapors of flammable liquids. Sudden release of hot organic vapors or mists from process equipment operating at elevated temperature and pressure, or sudden ingress of air into vacuum equipment, may result in ignitions without the presence of obvious ignition sources.

Storage conditions

Product is stored as a liquid but used in the gaseous state. Store in properly closed containers that are appropriately labeled and in a cool, well-ventilated area. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition. Do not puncture or incinerate

container.

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.

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# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Control parameters**

Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PELS	NIOSH IDLH
Propane 74-98-6	Simple asphyxiant	TWA: 1000 ppm TWA: 1800 mg/m³	2100 ppm
Propylene 115-07-1	500 ppm TWA	-	3400 ppm
Isobutane 75-28-5	1000 ppm STEL	-	-
n-Butane 106-97-8	1000 ppm STEL	-	1600 ppm
Ethane 74-84-0	Simple asphyxiant	-	-
Methane 74-82-8	Simple asphyxiant	-	-

**Notes:** No further information available.

Engineering measures Local or general exhaust required in an enclosed area or when there is inadequate

ventilation. Use mechanical ventilation equipment that is explosion-proof. Monitor

atmospheric oxygen levels.

Personal protective equipment

**Eye protection** Goggles or faceshield may be needed when handling pressurized gases.

**Skin and body protection** Wear insulated gloves when handling pressurized gases to prevent skin contact and

frostbite or freeze burn. Contact the glove manufacturer for specific advice on glove

selection and breakthrough times.

**Respiratory protection**Use atmosphere supplying respirators in the event of oxygen deficiency, when material

produces vapors that exceed permissible limits, or when excessive vapors are generated. Observe respirator assigned protection factors (APFs) criteria cited in federal OSHA 29

CFR 1910.134.

Note: Air purifying respirators are not to be used in atmospheres that exceed the maximum use concentration (as directed by regulation or the manufacturers instructions), in oxygen deficient atmospheres, (less than 19.5% oxygen) or under conditions that are immediately

dangerous to life and health (IDLH).

Hygiene measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with

skin, eyes and clothing. Do not smoke while handling.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Colorless Liquefied Gas

Physical State Liquefied Gas Color Colorless

Odorless to rotten egg like.

Odor Threshold No data available.

Property
pH
Not applicable
Melting Point / Freezing Point
Initial Boiling Point / Boiling Range

Values (method)
Not applicable
-187.8 °C / -306 °F
-42 °C / -43.8 °F

**Flash Point** -104 °C / -155 °F

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**Evaporation Rate**No data available. **Flammability (solid, gas)**No data available gas

Flammability Limit in Air (%):

Upper Flammability Limit: 9.5 Lower Flammability Limit: 2.0

Explosion LimitsNo data available.Vapor Pressure105 psi @ 15°CVapor Density1.55 (Air = 1)

Specific Gravity / Relative Density 0.5

Water Solubility 3.2 x 10-5 mole fraction @ 15 °C

Partition Coefficient
Autoignition Temperature
Decomposition Temperature
Kinematic Viscosity
VOC Content (%)
Density

No data available.

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Reactivity** The product is non-reactive under normal conditions.

Chemical stability The material is stable at 70°F (21°C), 760 mmHg pressure.

Possibility of hazardous reactions 
None under normal processing.

**Hazardous polymerization** Does not polymerize except under special conditions (extreme temperatures, pressure,

oxidizers).

**Conditions to avoid** Sources of heat or ignition.

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products None known under normal conditions of use.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Potential short-term adverse effects from overexposures

**Inhalation** May cause central nervous system depression with nausea, headache, dizziness, vomiting,

and incoordination. In high concentration the gas may cause suffocation. Victim may not be

aware of asphyxiation.

Eye contact Gas or vapor is generally non-irritating to eyes. Direct contact with liquefied product can

cause freeze burn or frostbite.

**Skin contact**Gas or vapor is generally non-irritating to skin. Direct contact with liquefied product can

cause freeze burn or frostbite.

**Ingestion** Ingestion not likely.

### Acute toxicological data

Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Propane	-	-	> 1,464 mg/L (Rat) 15 min
74-98-6			
Propylene	-	-	658 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
115-07-1			
Isobutane	-	-	570,000 ppm (Rat) 15 min

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75-28-5			
n-Butane	-	-	658 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
106-97-8			
Ethane	-	=	658 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
74-84-0			
Methane	-	-	326 mg/m³ (Mouse) 2 h
74-82-8			

### Immediate and delayed effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

PROPANE: Laboratory animal studies indicate exposure to extremely high levels of propane (1 to 10 vol.% in air) may cause cardiac arrhythmias (irregular heartbeats) which may be serious or fatal.

PROPYLENE: At extremely high levels propylene gas acts as a general anesthetic and central nervous system depressant. Studies in laboratory animals indicate evidence of mild, reversible hydrocarbon nephropathy in male rats exposed to levels of 1000-4,500 ppm propylene for 90-days.

BUTANES: Laboratory animal studies indicate exposure to extremely high levels of butanes (1-10 vol% or higher in air) may cause cardiac arrhythmias (irregular heartbeats) which may be serious or fatal.

METHANE and ETHANE: Exposure to high levels of these gases produce weak central nervous system (CNS) depressant effects without significant potential for systemic toxicity. At very high levels they act as asphyxiant gases by diluting and displacing oxygen. Symptoms of persons exposed to oxygen deficient atmospheres include headache, dizziness, incoordination, cyanosis and narcosis. Extremely high concentrations can produce unconsciousness followed by death.

CARBON MONOXIDE: Chemical asphyxiant with no warning properties (such as odor). At 400-500 ppm for 1 hour headache and dyspnea may occur. If activity is increased, symptoms of overexposure may include nausea, irritability, increased respiration, tinnitus, sweating, chest pain, confusion, impaired judgement, dizziness, weakness, drowsiness, ataxia, irregular heart beat, cyanosis and pallor. Levels in excess of 1000 ppm can result in collapse, loss of conciousness, respiratory failure and death. Extremely high concentrations (12,800 ppm) can cause immediate unconsciousness and death in 1-3 minutes. Repeated anoxia can lead to central nervous system damage and peripheral neuropathy, with loss of sensation in the fingers, amnesia, and mental deterioration and possible congestive heart failure. Damage may also occur to the fetus, lung, liver, kidney, spleen, cardiovascular system and other organs.

### Adverse effects related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Signs and symptoms Contact with liquid product may cause freeze burn. Asphyxiant gas. High concentrations in

the immediate area can displace oxygen causing the feeling of suffocation and can cause headache, drowsiness, dizziness, loss of coordination, disorientation and fatigue from

oxygen deprivation.

Acute toxicity None known.

Skin corrosion/irritation None known.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation None known.

Sensitization None known.

Mutagenic effects None known.

Carcinogenicity None known.

Reproductive toxicity None known.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity** 

(STOT) - single exposure

May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure

None known.

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Aspiration hazard Not applicable.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity** Not classified in terms of aquatic toxicity.

**Bioaccumulation** Not expected to bioaccumulate in aquatic organisms.

**Mobility in soil** Expected to rapidly partition to air.

Other adverse effects The aquatic 96 hour TLM for propane is >100 ppm.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Description of waste residues**No information available.

Safe handling of wastes Handle in accordance with applicable local, state, and federal regulations. Use personal

protection measures as required. Use appropriate grounding and bonding practices. Use only non-sparking tools. Do not expose to heat, open flames, strong oxidizers or other

sources of ignition. No smoking.

Disposal of wastes / methods of

disposal

The user is responsible for determining if any discarded material is a hazardous waste (40

CFR 262.11). Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

**Contaminated packaging disposal** Empty containers should be completely drained and then discarded or recycled, if possible.

Do not cut, drill, grind or weld on empty containers since explosive residues may be

present. Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

UN/Identification No:
UN 1978
UN Proper Shipping Name:
Propane
Transport Hazard Class(es):
2.1

Packing Group: Not applicable

NOTE: UN1075 may be substituted for the UN number shown above for domestic transport, as long as the substitution is consistent on package markings, shipping papers, and emergency response information. See 49 CFR 172.102 Special Provision 19.

IATA

UN/Identification No: UN 1978
UN Proper Shipping Name: Propane
Transport Hazard Class(es): 2.1

Packing Group: Not applicable

ERG code: 10L

<u>IMDG</u>

UN/Identification No: UN 1978
UN Proper Shipping Name: Propane
Transport Hazard Class (sa):

Transport Hazard Class(es): 2.1

Packing Group:Not applicableEmS No:F-D, S-UMarine Pollutant:No

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

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Not applicable

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Regulatory Information

**US TSCA Chemical Inventory**This product and/or its components are listed on the TSCA Chemical Inventory or are

exempt.

Canada DSL/NDSL Inventory

This product and/or its components are listed either on the Domestic Substances List (DSL)

or are exempt.

EPA Superfund Amendment & Reauthorization Act (SARA)

SARA Section 302 This product does not contain any component(s) included on EPA's Extremely Hazardous

Substance (EHS) List above the de minimis threshold.

SARA Section 304 This product does not contain any component(s) identified as an EHS or a CERCLA

Hazardous substance above the de minimis threshold.

SARA Section 311/312 The following EPA hazard categories apply to this product:

Flammable

Gas under pressure

Hazard Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)-Physical

Specific target organ toxicity

Simple asphyxiant

Hazard Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)-Health

SARA Section 313 This product may contain component(s), which if in exceedance of the de minimus

threshold, may be subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III Section 313 Toxic

Release Reporting (Form R).

Name	CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting
Propylene	1.0 % de minimis concentration
115-07-1	

#### U.S. State Regulations

California Proposition 65 Chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other

reproductive harm are created by the combustion of propane.

For more information, go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

State Right-To-Know Regulations The following component(s) of this material are identified on the regulatory lists below:

Name	New Jersey Right-To-Know	Pennsylvania Right-To-Know	Massachusetts Right-To Know
Propane 74-98-6	Listed	Listed	Listed
Propylene 115-07-1	Listed	Listed	Listed
Isobutane 75-28-5	Listed	Listed	Listed
n-Butane 106-97-8	Listed	Listed	Listed
Ethane 74-84-0	Listed	Listed	Listed
Methane	Listed	Listed	Listed

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# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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