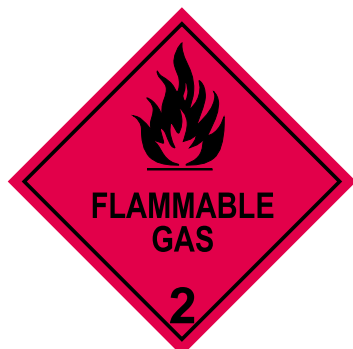


**EMERGENCY PROCEDURE GUIDE — TRANSPORT**

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**FLAMMABLE,  
COMPRESSED GAS**

NAME	UN No	HAZCHEM
NAME*		
TRADE NAME†		

\*As described in the ADG Code.

†Trade or common name on label.

**EMERGENCY CONTACTS**

**POLICE OR FIRE BRIGADE: DIAL 000—IF INEFFECTIVE DIAL 1100 (EXCHANGE)**  
**POISONS INFORMATION CENTRE: 13 11 26**

Organization	Location	Telephone	Ask for
		Include area code in brackets	

**HAZARDS**

<b>FIRE</b>	<p><b>HIGHLY FLAMMABLE:</b> will be easily ignited by heat, sparks or flames. Will form explosive mixtures with air. Vapours may travel to source of ignition and flash back. Containers may explode when heated. Heat may cause safety device to operate and release contents. The cylinder may rupture before safety device operates. Ruptured cylinders may rocket. Leaks of high pressure gas may ignite without apparent source of ignition.</p>
<b>HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT</b>	<p>High concentration of gas may cause asphyxiation without warning. In confined spaces and at high concentrations, gas may cause dizziness, drowsiness and asphyxiation. Gas may be irritating in high concentrations. Container damage from impact, fire or chemical attack may lead to explosive release of contents. Many gases are heavier than air and will collect in low or confined areas (drains, basements, tanks)</p>

**PROTECTIVE CLOTHING**

<b>EMERGENCY RESPONDERS</b>	<p>Wear SCBA and fully-encapsulating, gas-tight suit when handling leaking or damaged cylinders and equipment. Structural firefighters' uniform will provide limited protection. If the gas has toxic properties and there is a risk of fire, structural firefighters' uniform and SCBA should be worn. Protect against cold burns.</p>
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