# **Safety Data Sheet**



according to Regulation (EU) 2015/830

# Phosphine

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

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Trade name : Phosphine SDS no : ALM/SDS/83 Chemical description : Phosphine

CAS-No.: 7803-51-2 EC-No.: 232-260-8

EC Index-No.: 015-181-00-1

Registration-No. : 01-2119462840-39

Chemical formula : PH3

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

Relevant identified uses : Test gas/Calibration gas.

Chemical reaction / Synthesis.

Use for manufacture of electronic/photovoltaic components.

Laboratory use.

Industrial and professional. Perform risk assessment prior to use.

Contact supplier for more information on uses.

Uses advised against : Consumer use.

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company identification : AIR LIQUIDE MALAYSIA SDN. BHD.

Lot PT 2317, No. 21, Jalan PTB 1 Kawasan Perindustrian Tangga Batu, Mukim Sungai Udang,

76400 Melaka - Malaysia

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number : +606-3513512

# **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

# 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Physical hazards Flammable gases, Category 1 H220

Gases under pressure : Liquefied gas H280
Acute toxicity (inhalation:gas) Category 1 H330

Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1B H314

Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1 H318

Environmental hazards Hazardous to the aquatic environment — Acute Hazard, H400

Category 1

#### 2.2. Label elements

Health hazards

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### Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP)











Signal word (CLP) : Danger

Hazard statements (CLP) : H220 - Extremely flammable gas.

H280 - Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H330 - Fatal if inhaled.

H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life.

EUH071 - Corrosive to the respiratory tract.

Precautionary statements (CLP)

- Prevention : P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No

smoking.

P260 - Do not breathe gas, vapours. P273 - Avoid release to the environment.

P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection.

- Response : P303+P361+P353+P315 - IF ON SKIN : (or hair) Take off immediately all contaminated

clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower. Get immediate medical advice.

P304+P340+P315 - IF INHALED : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for

breathing. Get immediate medical advice.

P305+P351+P338+P315 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get immediate medical

advice.

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

P381 - In case of leakage, eliminate all ignition sources.

- Storage: P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place.

P405 - Store locked up.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

: May ignite spontaneously in contact with air.

### **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

#### 3.1. Substances

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
Phosphine	(CAS-No.) 7803-51-2 (EC-No.) 232-260-8 (EC Index-No.) 015-181-00-1 (Registration-No.) 01-2119462840-39	100	Flam. Gas 1, H220 Press. Gas (Liq.), H280 Acute Tox. 1 (Inhalation:gas), H330 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 Aquatic Acute 1, H400

Contains no other components or impurities which will influence the classification of the product.

3.2. Mixtures : Not applicable

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### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

- Inhalation : Remove victim to uncontaminated area wearing self contained breathing apparatus. Keep

victim warm and rested. Call a doctor. Perform cardiopulmonary resuscitation if breathing

stopped.

- Skin contact : Remove contaminated clothing. Drench affected area with water for at least 15 minutes.

In case of frostbite spray with water for at least 15 minutes. Apply a sterile dressing. Obtain

medical assistance.

- Eye contact : Immediately flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes.

- Ingestion : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

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

: May cause severe chemical burns to skin and cornea. Suitable first-aid treatment should be

immediately available. Seek medical advice before using product.

Material is destructive to tissue of the mucuous membranes and upper respiratory tract. Cough,

shortness of breath, headache, nausea.

Delayed adverse effects possible

Refer to section 11.

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

: Obtain medical assistance.

Treat with corticosteroid spray as soon as possible after inhalation.

### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Shutting off the source of the gas is the preferred method of control.

Water spray or fog.

Dry powder.

- Unsuitable extinguishing media : Carbon dioxide.

Do not use water jet to extinguish.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards : Exposure to fire may cause containers to rupture/explode.

Escaping gas cannot be extinguished.

Hazardous combustion products : Phosphorus oxides/acids.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Specific methods : Do not extinguish a leaking gas flame unless absolutely necessary. Spontaneous/explosive re-

ignition may occur. Extinguish any other fire.

Use fire control measures appropriate for the surrounding fire. Exposure to fire and heat radiation may cause gas receptacles to rupture. Cool endangered receptacles with water spray jet from a protected position. Prevent water used in emergency cases from entering sewers and

drainage systems.

If possible, stop flow of product.

Use water spray or fog to knock down fire fumes if possible.

Move containers away from the fire area if this can be done without risk.

Special protective equipment for fire fighters : Wear gas tight chemically protective clothing in combination with self contained breathing

apparatus.

Standard EN 943-2: Protective clothing against liquid and gaseous chemicals, aerosols and

solid particles. Gas-tight chemical protective suits for emergency teams.

Standard EN 137 - Self-contained open-circuit compressed air breathing apparatus with full

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face mask.

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### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

: Try to stop release.

Evacuate area.

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus when entering area unless atmosphere is proved to

be safe.

Use chemically protective clothing.

Ensure adequate air ventilation.

Monitor concentration of released product.

Consider the risk of potentially explosive atmospheres.

Eliminate ignition sources.

Prevent from entering sewers, basements and workpits, or any place where its accumulation

can be dangerous.

Act in accordance with local emergency plan.

Stay upwind.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

: Reduce vapour with fog or fine water spray.

Try to stop release.

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

: Hose down area with water.

Wash contaminated equipment or sites of leaks with copious quantities of water.

Keep area evacuated and free from ignition sources until any spilled liquid has evaporated

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(ground free from frost).

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

: See also sections 8 and 13.

### **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling



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Safe use of the product

Safe handling of the gas receptacle

: Installation of a cross purge assembly between the cylinder and the regulator is recommended.

Purge system with dry inert gas (e.g. helium or nitrogen) before gas is introduced and when system is placed out of service.

Assess the risk of potentially explosive atmospheres and the need for explosion-proof equipment.

Purge air from system before introducing gas.

Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

Keep away from ignition sources (including static discharges).

Consider the use of only non-sparking tools.

Ensure equipment is adequately earthed.

Avoid exposure, obtain special instructions before use.

Gas cabinets, rooms or indoor areas where product is stored or used shall be protected by an automatic sprinkler system.

The product must be handled in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures.

Only experienced and properly instructed persons should handle gases under pressure.

Consider pressure relief device(s) in gas installations.

Ensure the complete gas system was (or is regularily) checked for leaks before use.

Do not smoke while handling product.

Use only properly specified equipment which is suitable for this product, its supply pressure and temperature. Contact your gas supplier if in doubt.

Avoid suck back of water, acid and alkalis.

Do not breathe gas.

Avoid release of product into work area.

Refer to supplier's container handling instructions.

Do not allow backfeed into the container.

Protect cylinders from physical damage; do not drag, roll, slide or drop.

When moving cylinders, even for short distances, use a cart (trolley, hand truck, etc.) designed to transport cylinders.

Leave valve protection caps in place until the container has been secured against either a wall or bench or placed in a container stand and is ready for use.

If user experiences any difficulty operating cylinder valve discontinue use and contact supplier.

Never attempt to repair or modify container valves or safety relief devices.

Damaged valves should be reported immediately to the supplier.

Keep container valve outlets clean and free from contaminants particularly oil and water.

Replace valve outlet caps or plugs and container caps where supplied as soon as container is disconnected from equipment.

Close container valve after each use and when empty, even if still connected to equipment.

Never attempt to transfer gases from one cylinder/container to another.

Never use direct flame or electrical heating devices to raise the pressure of a container.

Do not remove or deface labels provided by the supplier for the identification of the cylinder contents.

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Suck back of water into the container must be prevented.

Open valve slowly to avoid pressure shock.

# 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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: Segregate from oxidant gases and other oxidants in store.

All electrical equipment in the storage areas should be compatible with the risk of a potentially explosive atmosphere.

Observe all regulations and local requirements regarding storage of containers.

Containers should not be stored in conditions likely to encourage corrosion.

Container valve guards or caps should be in place.

Containers should be stored in the vertical position and properly secured to prevent them from falling over.

Stored containers should be periodically checked for general condition and leakage.

Keep container below 50°C in a well ventilated place.

Store containers in location free from fire risk and away from sources of heat and ignition.

Keep away from combustible materials.

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

: None.

## **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### 8.1. Control parameters

Phosphine (7803-51-2)				
OEL : Occupational Exposure Limits				
ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (ppm)	0.05 ppm		
	ACGIH Ceiling (ppm)	0.15 ppm		
	Remark (ACGIH)	Resp tract irr; lung edema; cardiac toxicity; A4 (Not classifiable as a Human Carcinogen: Agents which cause concern that they could be carcinogenic for humans but which cannot be assessed conclusively because of a lack of data. In vitro or animal studies do not provide indications of carcinogenicity which are sufficient to classify the agent into one of the other categories)		
	Regulatory reference	ACGIH 2017		

Phosphine (7803-51-2)				
DNEL: Derived no effect level (Workers)				
Acute - systemic effects, inhalation	0.28 mg/m³			
Long-term - systemic effects, inhalation	0.14 mg/m³			

PNEC (Predicted No-Effect Concentration) : None established

### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### 8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

: Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation.

Consider the use of a work permit system e.g. for maintenance activities.

Product to be handled in a closed system and under strictly controlled conditions.

Preferably use permanent leak-tight installations (e.g. welded pipes). Gas detectors should be used when toxic gases may be released.

Systems under pressure should be regularily checked for leakages.

Ensure exposure is below occupational exposure limits (where available).

# 8.2.2. Individual protection measures, e.g. personal protective equipment

: A risk assessment should be conducted and documented in each work area to assess the risks related to the use of the product and to select the PPE that matches the relevant risk. The following recommendations should be considered:

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PPE compliant to the recommended EN/ISO standards should be selected.

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• Eye/face protection : Wear goggles and a face shield when transfilling or breaking transfer connections.

Provide readily accessible eye wash stations and safety showers. Standard EN 166 - Personal eye-protection - specifications.

· Skin protection

Hand protection : Wear chemically resistant protective gloves.

Standard EN 374 - Protective gloves against chemicals.

Consult glove manufacturer's product information on material suitability and material thickness. The breakthrough time of the selected gloves must be greater than the intended use period.

Wear cold insulating gloves when transfilling or breaking transfer connections.

Standard EN 511 - Cold insulating gloves.

Wear working gloves when handling gas containers.

Standard EN 388 - Protective gloves against mechanical risk.

- Other : Keep suitable chemically resistant protective clothing readily available for emergency use.

Standard EN943-1 - Full protective suits against liquid, solid and gaseous chemicals.

Consider the use of flame resistant anti-static safety clothing. Standard EN ISO 14116 - Limited flame spread materials. Standard EN 1149-5 - Protective clothing: Electrostatic properties.

Wear safety shoes while handling containers.

Standard EN ISO 20345 - Personal protective equipment - Safety footwear.

• Respiratory protection : Gas filters may be used if all surrounding conditions e.g. type and concentration of the

contaminant(s) and duration of use are known.

Use gas filters with full face mask, where exposure limits may be exceeded for a short-term

period, e.g. connecting or disconnecting containers. Gas filters do not protect against oxygen deficiency.

Standard EN 14387 - Gas filter(s), combined filter(s) and standard EN136, full face masks .

Keep self contained breathing apparatus readily available for emergency use.

Self contained breathing apparatus is recommended, where unknown exposure may be

expected, e.g. during maintenance activities on installation systems.

Standard EN 137 - Self-contained open-circuit compressed air breathing apparatus with full

face mask

Recommended: Filter B (grey).

• Thermal hazards : None in addition to the above sections.

### 8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

: Refer to local regulations for restriction of emissions to the atmosphere. See section 13 for specific methods for waste gas treatment.

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### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

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

Appearance

Physical state at 20°C / 101.3kPa : Gas

Colour : Colourless.

Odour : Garlic like. Odour can persist. Rotten fish. Poor warning properties at low concentrations.

Odour threshold : Odour threshold is subjective and inadequate to warn of overexposure.

pH : Not applicable for gases and gas mixtures.

Melting point / Freezing point : -134 °C Boiling point : -88 °C

Flash point : Not applicable for gases and gas mixtures. Evaporation rate : Not applicable for gases and gas mixtures.



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Flammability (solid, gas) : Extremely flammable gas.

Explosive limits : Pyrophoric.

Vapour pressure [20°C] : 34.6 bar(a)

Vapour pressure [50°C] : 62 bar(a)

Vapour density : Not applicable.

Relative density, liquid (water=1) : 0.74

Relative density, gas (air=1) : 1.2

Water solubility : 300 mg/l

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow) : Not applicable for inorganic products.

Auto-ignition temperature : 38 °C

Decomposition temperature : Not applicable.

Viscosity, kinematic : No reliable data available.

Explosive properties : Not applicable.

Oxidising properties : Not applicable.

9.2. Other information

Molar mass : 34 g/mol Critical temperature [°C] : 51.6 °C

Other data : Gas/vapour heavier than air. May accumulate in confined spaces, particularly at or below

ground level.

### **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

10.1. Reactivity

: No reactivity hazard other than the effects described in sub-sections below.

10.2. Chemical stability

: Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

: Can form explosive mixture with air. May react violently with oxidants.

Can ignite spontaneously in air (fire cannot be put out). Can form spontaneous, violently

explosive mixture in air.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. – No smoking.

Avoid moisture in installation systems.

10.5. Incompatible materials

: Air, Oxidisers.

For additional information on compatibility refer to ISO 11114.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

: Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be

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produced.

### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Fatal if inhaled.

Delayed fatal pulmonary oedema possible.

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LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	10 ppm/4h
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes serious eye damage.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: No known effects from this product.
Germ cell mutagenicity	: No known effects from this product.
Carcinogenicity	: No known effects from this product.
Toxic for reproduction : Fertility	: No known effects from this product.
Toxic for reproduction : unborn child	: No known effects from this product.
STOT-single exposure	: Severe corrosion to the respiratory tract at high concentrations.
	Damage to central nervous system.
	Irritation to the respiratory tract.
STOT-repeated exposure	: No known effects from this product.
Aspiration hazard	: Not applicable for gases and gas mixtures.

### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### 12.1. Toxicity

Assessment : Very toxic to aquatic life.

EC50 48h - Daphnia magna [mg/l] : No data available.
EC50 72h - Algae [mg/l] : No data available.
LC50 96 h - Fish [mg/l] : No data available.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Assessment : Not applicable for inorganic products.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Assessment : No data available.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Assessment : Because of its high volatility, the product is unlikely to cause ground or water pollution.

Partition into soil is unlikely.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Assessment : Not classified as PBT or vPvB.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects : May cause pH changes in aqueous ecological systems.

Effect on the ozone layer : None

Effect on global warming : No known effects from this product.

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

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#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Contact supplier if guidance is required.

Must not be discharged to atmosphere.

Ensure that the emission levels from local regulations or operating permits are not exceeded.

Refer to the EIGA code of practice Doc.30 "Disposal of Gases", downloadable at

http://www.eiga.eu for more guidance on suitable disposal methods.

Toxic and corrosive gases formed during combustion should be scrubbed before discharge to atmosphere.

Gas may be scrubbed in alkaline solution under controlled conditions to avoid violent reaction.

Return unused product in original cylinder to supplier.

List of hazardous waste codes (from Commission Decision 2000/532/EC as : 16 05 04 \*: Gases in pressure containers (including halons) containing hazardous substances.

amended)

#### 13.2. Additional information

: External treatment and disposal of waste should comply with applicable local and/or national regulations.

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# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

#### 14.1. UN number

: 2199 UN-No.

14.2. UN proper shipping name

: PHOSPHINE Transport by road/rail (ADR/RID) Transport by air (ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR) : Phosphine : PHOSPHINE Transport by sea (IMDG)

### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Labelling



2.3: Toxic gases. 2.1: Flammable gases.

Environmentally hazardous substances

### Transport by road/rail (ADR/RID)

Class : 2 Classification code : 2TF

**Tunnel Restriction** : D - Passage forbidden through tunnels of category D and E

Transport by sea (IMDG)

Class / Div. (Sub. risk(s)) : 2.3 (2.1) : F-D Emergency Schedule (EmS) - Fire Emergency Schedule (EmS) - Spillage : S-U

### 14.4. Packing group

Transport by road/rail (ADR/RID) : Not applicable Transport by air (ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR) : Not applicable Transport by sea (IMDG) Not applicable

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

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Transport by road/rail (ADR/RID) : Environmentally hazardous substance / mixture.

Transport by air (ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR) : Environmentally hazardous substance / mixture.

Transport by sea (IMDG) : Marine pollutant

#### 14.6. Special precautions for user

Packing Instruction(s)

Transport by road/rail (ADR/RID) : P200

Transport by air (ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR)

Passenger and Cargo Aircraft : Forbidden.
Cargo Aircraft only : Forbidden.
Transport by sea (IMDG) : P200

Special transport precautions : Avoid transport on vehicles where the load space is not separated from the driver's

compartment.

Ensure vehicle driver is aware of the potential hazards of the load and knows what to do in the

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event of an accident or an emergency.

Before transporting product containers:
- Ensure there is adequate ventilation.
- Ensure that containers are firmly secured.

- Ensure cylinder valve is closed and not leaking.

- Ensure valve outlet cap nut or plug (where provided) is correctly fitted.

- Ensure valve protection device (where provided) is correctly fitted.

### 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

: Not applicable.

### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

### **EU-Regulations**

Restrictions on use : None. Seveso Directive : 2012/18/EU (Seveso III) : Listed.

National regulations

National legislation : Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

: A CSA has not yet been carried out.

### **SECTION 16: Other information**

Indication of changes : Revised safety data sheet in accordance with commission regulation (EU) No 2015/830.

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Abbreviations and acronyms

: ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

CLP - Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

REACH - Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals Regulation (EC)

No 1907/2006

EINECS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS# - Chemical Abstract Service number PPE - Personal Protection Equipment

LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population

RMM - Risk Management Measures

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

STOT- SE: Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure

CSA - Chemical Safety Assessment

EN - European Standard **UN - United Nations** 

ADR - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

IATA - International Air Transport Association

IMDG code - International Maritime Dangerous Goods

RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail

WGK - Water Hazard Class

STOT - RE: Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure

: Users of breathing apparatus must be trained.

Ensure operators understand the flammability hazard. Ensure operators understand the toxicity hazard.

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Training advice

: Before using this product in any new process or experiment, a thorough material compatibility and safety study should be carried out.

Details given in this document are believed to be correct at the time of going to press.

Whilst proper care has been taken in the preparation of this document, no liability for injury or

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damage resulting from its use can be accepted.