

Only Type IV Certified Technicians at the University of Chicago can purchase refrigerant intended for use with stationary refrigeration and air conditioning equipment.

Employers of a Certified Technician can generally buy any type of ozone-depleting or substitute refrigerant - only if the employer provides the wholesaler with written evidence that they employ at least one certified technician.

The following table provides links to the EPA website, which describes the current phase-out status of Class I and Class II refrigerants and approved substitutes for refrigerants that have been phased out.

Site	Notes	Link
<u>Class I</u> Controlled Substances	All Class I Controlled Substances were completely phased out of production and importation by January 1, 2000.	https://www.epa.gov/ods-phaseout/phaseout-class-i-ozone-depleting-substances
<u>Class II</u> Controlled Substances	- HCFC-22 (R-22) was completely phased out of production and importation by January 1, 2020. - HCFC-123 was phased out of production by January 1, 2020 and will be phased out of importation by January 1, 2030. - HCFC-124 and all other HCFCs will be phased out of production and importation by January 1, 2030.	https://www.epa.gov/ods-phaseout/phaseout-class-ii-ozone-depleting-substances#:~:text=%E2%80%9D%9CClass%20II%E2%80%9D%20ozone%2Ddepleting,%2C%20chlorobromomethane%2C%20and%20methyl%20chloroform
Significant New Alternatives Policy (SNAP): Substitutes in Refrigeration and Air Conditioning	List of approved and unapproved substitutes for Class I and Class II controlled substances reviewed by the EPA for use in refrigeration and air conditioning appliances	https://www.epa.gov/snap/substitutes-refrigeration-and-air-conditioning