

Section 1 Chemical Product and Company Identification

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For laboratory use only.
Not for drug, food or household use.

Product	IODINE
Synonyms	N/A

Section 2 Hazards Identification

Signal word: WARNING**Pictograms:** GHS07 / GHS09**Target organs:** Skin, Eyes, Respiratory system, Central nervous system, Cardiovascular system**GHS Classification:**

Acute toxicity, dermal (Category 4)

Acute toxicity, inhalation (Category 4)

Aquatic Acute (Category 1)

GHS Label information: Hazard statement(s):

H312: Harmful in contact with skin.

H332: Harmful if inhaled.

H400: Very toxic to aquatic life.

Precautionary statement(s):

P261: Avoid breathing mist/vapours/spray.

P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P273: Avoid release to the environment.

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P302+P352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap.

P312: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell.

P362+P364: Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

P304+P340: IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P312: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell.

P391: Collect spillage.

P501: Dispose of contents/container to a licensed chemical disposal agency in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

Ca Prop 65 - This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Iodine	7553-56-2	100%	231-442-4

Section 4 First Aid Measures

INGESTION: Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.**INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.**EYE CONTACT:** Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.**SKIN ABSORPTION:** Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use any media suitable for extinguishing supporting fire**Protective Actions for Fire-fighters:** In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.**Specific Hazards:** During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Sublimes at ordinary temperatures yielding toxic iodine fumes.

Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.**Containment and Cleanup:** Recover for use if not contaminated. Sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

Precautions for Safe Handling: Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale dusts. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

Conditions for Safe Storage: Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Light sensitive. Protect from light and moisture.

Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Iodine	TWA: 0.01 ppm ^(IFV) / STEL: 0.1 ppm ^(V)	STEL: C 0.1 ppm/C 1 mg/m ³	STEL: C 0.1 ppm/C 1 mg/m ³

Engineering controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Respiratory protection: None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If dusty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

Section 9 Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance: Blue-black crystals with a metallic luster.	Evaporation rate (= 1): Data not available	Partition coefficient: (n-octanol / water): 2.49
Odor: Characteristic odor.	Flammability (solid/gas): Data not available.	Auto-ignition temperature: Data not available
Odor threshold: Data not available	Explosion limits: Lower / Upper: Data not available	Decomposition temperature: Data not available.
pH: Data not available	Vapor pressure (mm Hg): 0.3 mm	Viscosity: Data not available.
Melting / Freezing point: 113.5°C (235°F)	Vapor density (Air = 1): 1.003 @ 37°C	Molecular formula: I ₂
Boiling point: 184°C (363°F)	Relative density (Specific gravity): 4.93	Molecular weight: 253.80
Flash point: Not flammable	Solubility(ies): 0.03 g/100 ml water @ 20°C	

Section 10 Stability & Reactivity

Chemical stability: Stable

Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid: Stable under recommended storage conditions. Excessive temperatures and heat. Protect from light and moisture.

Incompatible materials: Metals or unsaturated organic compounds, ammonia solutions or alkaline solutions of ammonia salts. Will form explosive nitrogen iodides when reacted with gaseous ammonia.

Hazardous decomposition products: Toxic iodide fumes.

Section 11 Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity: Oral-Rat LD50: 14,000 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation: Data not available

Serious eye damage/irritation: Data not available

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Data not available

Germ cell mutagenicity: Data not available

Carcinogenicity: Data not available

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Reproductive toxicity: Data not available

STOT-single exposure: Data not available

STOT-repeated exposure: Data not available

Aspiration hazard: Data not available

Potential health effects:

Inhalation: The substance is severely irritating to the respiratory tract. Symptoms include cough, wheezing, and labored breathing. Symptoms may be delayed.

Ingestion: Causes abdominal pain, diarrhea, nausea, and vomiting. Ingestion of levels of 2-3 grams may cause death.

Skin: The substance is irritating to the skin. Contact may cause redness and pain. Repeated or prolonged contact may cause skin sensitization in rate cases.

Eyes: Lachrymator. The substance is severely irritating to the eyes. Contact causes watering of the eyes, redness and pain.

Signs and symptoms of exposure: The substance may have effects on the thyroid. Exercise appropriate procedures to minimize potential hazards.

Additional information: RTECS #: NN1575000

Section 12 Ecological Information

Toxicity to fish: Very toxic to aquatic life.

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: No data available

Toxicity to algae: No data available

Persistence and degradability: No data available

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available

Mobility in soil: No data available

PBT and vPvB assessment: No data available

Other adverse effects: An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Section 13 Disposal Considerations

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

Section 14 Transport Information (US DOT / CANADA TDG)

UN/NA number: UN3495

Shipping name: Iodine

Hazard class: 8,(6.1)

Packing group: III

Reportable Quantity: No

Marine pollutant: No

Exceptions: Limited quantity equal to or less than 5 Kg

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Section 15 Regulatory Information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

Component	TSCA	CERCLA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL
Iodine	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed

Section 16 Other Information

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