



LTS Research Laboratories, Inc.  
Safety Data Sheet  
Iodine

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1. Product and Company Identification

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Trade Name: Iodine  
Chemical Formula: I<sub>2</sub>  
Recommended Use: Scientific research and development

Manufacturer/Supplier: LTS Research Laboratories, Inc.  
Street: 37 Ramland Road  
City: Orangeburg  
State: New York  
Zip Code: 10962  
Country: USA  
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+1-703-527-3887 (International)

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2. Hazards Identification

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Signal Word: Danger



Hazard Statements: H312 + H332: Harmful in contact with skin or if inhaled.  
H315: Causes skin irritation.  
H319: Causes serious eye irritation.  
H335: May cause respiratory irritation.  
H372: Causes damage to organs (Thyroid) through prolonged or repeated exposure if swallowed.  
H400: Very toxic to aquatic life.

Precautionary Statements: P260: Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray.  
P264: Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
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 + P312: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell.  
P304 + P340 + P312: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell.  
P305 + P351 + P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P314: Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell.  
P332 + P313: If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.  
P337 + P313: If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.  
P362: Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.  
P391: Collect spillage.

P403 + P233: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

P405: Store locked up.

P501: Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

HMIS Health Ratings (0-4):

Health:	2
Flammability:	0
Physical:	2

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### 3. Composition

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Chemical Family:	Nonmetal
Additional Names:	N/A

Iodine (I <sub>2</sub> ):	
Percentage:	100 wt%
CAS #:	7553-56-2
EC #:	231-442-4

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### 4. First Aid Procedures

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General Treatment:	Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.
Special Treatment:	None
Important Symptoms:	None

Inhalation:	Remove victim to fresh air. Supply oxygen if breathing is difficult. Seek immediate medical attention.
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Ingestion:	Seek immediate medical attention.
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Skin:	Wash affected area with mild soap and water. Remove any contaminated clothing. Take victim immediately to hospital. Seek immediate medical attention. Seek immediate medical attention.
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Eyes:	Flush eyes with water, blinking often for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Seek medical attention.
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### 5. Firefighting Measures

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Flammability:	Non-flammable
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Extinguishing Media:	No special restrictions – use suitable extinguishing agent for surrounding material and type of fire.
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Spec. Fire Fighting Procedure:	Use full-face, self-contained breathing apparatus with full protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes. See section 10 for decomposition products.
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### 6. Accidental Release Measures

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If Material Is Released/Spilled:	Wear appropriate respiratory and protective equipment specified in special protection information. Isolate spill area and provide ventilation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Vacuum up spill using a high efficiency particulate absolute (HEPA) air filter and place in a closed container for disposal. Take care not to raise dust. Keep unprotected personnel away.
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Environmental Precautions:	Isolate runoff to prevent environmental pollution.
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### 7. Handling and Storage

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Handling Conditions:	Wash thoroughly after handling.
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Storage Conditions:	Store in a cool dry place in a tightly sealed container. Store apart from materials and conditions listed in section 10.
Work/Hygienic Maintenance:	Do not use tobacco or food in work area. Wash thoroughly before eating and smoking. Do not blow dust off clothing or skin with compressed air.
Ventilation:	Provide sufficient ventilation to maintain concentration at or below threshold limit.

### 8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

Permissible Exposure Limits:	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> as I <sub>2</sub> , long-term value
Threshold Limit Value:	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> as I <sub>2</sub> , long-term value
Special Equipment:	None
Respiratory Protection:	Dust Respirator (type N99 (US) or type P2 (EN 143))
Protective Gloves:	Nitrile rubber gloves, with minimum layer thickness of 0.11 mm
Eye Protection:	Safety glasses or goggles. Wear appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).
Body Protection:	Protective work clothing. Wear close-toed shoes and long sleeves/pants.

### 9. Physical and Chemical Characteristics

Color	Black/Violet
Form:	Powder, Granules, Pellets, Sputtering target, Custom parts
Odor:	Pungent/Irritating
Water Solubility:	Insoluble
Boiling Point:	N/A
Melting Point:	184 °C (363 °F)
Flash Point:	N/A
Autoignition Temperature:	N/A
Density:	4.93 g/cc
Molecular weight:	253.81 g/mol



### 10. Reactivity

Stability:	Stable under recommended storage conditions
Reacts With:	Reducing Agents, Alkali Metals, Organic materials.
Incompatible Conditions:	Rubber, Plastics, Iron and iron salts., Sulphur compounds, Ammonia, Magnesium, Zinc, Aluminum, Metals, Alkalis, Antimony salts, Arsenites, bromides, chlorides, iodides, thiocyanates, ferrous salts, hypophosphites, morphine salts, oils, creosote, phosphates, tannins, tartrates. Mixing iodine, antimony, and ammonia resulted in an explosion. A violent reaction occurs between iodine and acetaldehyde., Acetylene, Acetaldehyde, Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Metal oxide fume, Hydrogen iodide

### 11. Toxicological Information

Potential Health Effects:	
Eyes:	Strong Corrosive Effect
Skin:	Corrosive effect on skin and mucous membranes. Harmful when in contact with skin. Danger through skin absorption.
Ingestion:	Swallowing will lead to a strong corrosive effect on mouth and throat and to the danger of perforation of esophagus and stomach.
Inhalation:	Harmful if inhaled
Chronic:	Prolonged exposure to iodides may produce iodism in sensitive individuals. Symptoms of exposure include: skin rash, running nose, headache and irritation of the mucous membrane. For severe cases the

skin may show pimples, boils, hives, blisters and black and blue spots. Iodides are readily diffused across the placenta. Neonatal deaths from respiratory distress secondary to goiter have been reported. Iodides have been known to cause drug-induced fevers, which are usually of short duration.

Signs & Symptoms:

N/A

Aggravated Medical Conditions:

N/A

Median Lethal Dose:

14000 mg/kg for rat by mouth

Carcinogen:

ACGIH A4: Not classifiable as a human carcinogen: Inadequate data on which to classify the agent in terms of its carcinogenicity in humans and/or animals.

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.

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.

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.

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## 12. Ecological Information

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Aquatic Toxicity:

Toxicity to fish LC50 - *Oncorhynchus mykiss* (rainbow trout) - 1.7 mg/l - 96.0 h

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates EC50 - *Daphnia magna* (Water flea) - 0.2 mg/l - 48 h

Toxicity to algae Growth inhibition EC50 - *Desmodesmus subspicatus* (green algae) - 0.13 mg/l (OECD Test Guideline 201)

Persistent Bioaccumulation Toxicity:

N/A

Very Persistent, Very Bioaccumulative:

N/A

Notes:

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. If product is contaminated, dispose of as unused product.

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## 13. Disposal Considerations

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Dispose of in accordance with local, state, national, and international regulations.

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## 14. Transportation Data

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Hazardous:

Hazardous for transportation



Hazard Class:

8 Corrosive Substances

Secondary Class

6.1 Poison

Packing Group:

III

UN Number:

UN 3495

Proper Shipping Name:

Iodine

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### 15. Regulatory Information

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Sec 302 Extremely Hazardous:	No
Sec 304 Reportable Quantities:	N/A
Sec 313 Toxic Chemicals:	No

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### 16. Other Information

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This safety data sheet should be used in conjunction with technical sheets. It does not replace them. The information given is based on our knowledge of this product, at the time of publication. It is given in good faith. The attention of the user is drawn to the possible risks incurred by using the product for any other purpose other than that for which it was intended. This does not in any way excuse the user from knowing and applying all the regulations governing his activity. It is the sole responsibility of the user to take all precautions required in handling the product. The aim of the mandatory regulations mentioned is to help the user to fulfill his obligations regarding the use of hazardous products.

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