

## Iodine

### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name:** Iodine

**Synonyms/Generic Names:** None

**SDS Number:** 357.00

**Product Use:** For Educational Use Only

**Manufacturer:** Columbus Chemical Industries, Inc.  
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**In Case of Emergency Call:** CHEMTREC - 800-424-9300 or 703-527-3887 (24 Hours/Day, 7 Days/Week)

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**OSHA Hazards:** Target organ effect, Toxic by inhalation, Harmful by skin absorption, Skin sensitizer, Corrosive

**Target Organs:** Thyroid, Kidneys, Endocrine system, Skin, Eyes, Reproductive system, Central nervous system

**Signal Word:** Danger

**Pictograms:**



**GHS Classification:**

Acute toxicity, Inhalation	Category 4
Acute toxicity, Dermal	Category 4
Skin corrosion	Category 1C
Serious eye damage	Category 1
Skin sensitization	Category 1
Acute aquatic toxicity	Category 1

## GHS Label Elements, including precautionary statements:

### Hazard Statements:

H312+H332	Harmful in contact with skin or if inhaled.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.

### Precautionary Statements:

P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

### Potential Health Effects

<b>Eyes</b>	Causes eye burns.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Toxic if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.
<b>Skin</b>	Causes skin burns.
<b>Ingestion</b>	May be harmful if swallowed.

### NFPA Ratings

<b>Health</b>	3
<b>Flammability</b>	0
<b>Reactivity</b>	0
<b>Specific hazard</b>	Not Available

### HMIS Ratings

<b>Health</b>	3
<b>Fire</b>	0
<b>Reactivity</b>	0
<b>Personal</b>	J

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	Weight %	CAS #	EINECS# / ELINCS#	Formula	Molecular Weight
Iodine	100	7553-56-3	231-422-4	I <sub>2</sub>	253.81 g/mol

## 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

<b>Eyes</b>	Rinse with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and seek medical attention immediately.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Move casualty to fresh air and keep at rest. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately.
<b>Skin</b>	Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and wash using soap. Get medical attention immediately.
<b>Ingestion</b>	<b>Do Not Induce Vomiting!</b> Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If conscious, wash out mouth with water. Get medical attention.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

<b>Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media</b>	Product is not flammable. Use appropriate media for adjacent fire. Cool unopened containers with water.
<b>Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters</b>	Wear self-contained, approved breathing apparatus and full protective clothing, including eye protection and boots.
<b>Specific hazards arising from the chemical</b>	Emits toxic fumes (hydrogen iodide) under fire conditions. (See also Stability and Reactivity section).

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## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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<b>Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures</b>	See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment.
<b>Environmental precautions</b>	Prevent spillage from entering drains. Any release to the environment may be subject to federal/national or local reporting requirements.
<b>Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up</b>	Sweep up and place in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Clean surfaces thoroughly with water to remove residual contamination. Dispose of all waste and cleanup materials in accordance with regulations.

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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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### Precautions for safe handling

See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment. Use with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after using. Keep container closed when not in use. Avoid formation of dusts.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in cool, dry well ventilated area. Keep away from incompatible materials (see section 10 for incompatibilities).

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## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

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### Occupational exposure controls:

Component	Exposure Limits	Basis	Entity
Iodine	0.01 ppm 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TLV	ACGIH
	0.1 ppm 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL	ACGIH
	0.1 ppm 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL	OSHA
	0.1 ppm 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL	NIOSH

TWA: Time Weighted Average over 8 hours of work.

TLV: Threshold Limit Value over 8 hours of work.

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit during x minutes.

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

WEEL: Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels

CEIL: Ceiling

### Personal Protection

<b>Eyes</b>	Wear chemical safety glasses or goggles.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Provide local exhaust, preferably mechanical. If exposure levels are excessive, use an approved respirator.
<b>Skin</b>	Wear nitrile or rubber gloves, apron or lab coat.
<b>Other</b>	Not Available

### Other Recommendations

Provide eyewash stations, quick-drench showers and washing facilities accessible to areas of use and handling.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance (physical state, color, etc.)	Dark purple solid with metallic luster.
Odor	Pungent.
Odor threshold	Not Available
pH	5.4
Melting point/freezing point	113.7°C (236.7°F)
Initial boiling point and boiling range	184.4°C (363.9°F)
Flash point	Not Flammable
Evaporation rate	Not Available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not Flammable
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limit	Not Explosive
Vapor pressure	0.41 hPa (0.31 mmHg) at 25 °C (77 °F)
Vapor density	8.76 (Air = 1.0)
Density	4.93 (Water = 1)
Solubility (ies)	Easily soluble in diethyl ether. Soluble in methanol. Very slightly soluble in cold water, hot water.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: 2.49
Auto-ignition temperature	Not Available
Decomposition temperature	Not Available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>Chemical Stability</b>	Stable
<b>Possibility of Hazardous Reactions</b>	Will not occur.
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Heat, direct sunlight.
<b>Incompatible Materials</b>	Rubber, plastics, iron and iron salts., sulfur 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, ammonia, acetaldehyde, acetylene, acetaldehyde.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	Hydrogen iodide.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Acute Toxicity

<b>Skin</b>	Not Available
<b>Eyes</b>	Not Available
<b>Respiratory</b>	Not Available
<b>Ingestion</b>	LD50 Oral - rat - 14,000 mg/kg

### Carcinogenicity

<b>IARC</b>	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
<b>ACGIH</b>	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.
<b>NTP</b>	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
<b>OSHA</b>	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

### Signs & Symptoms of Exposure

<b>Skin</b>	Irritation, redness, itchiness, rash.
<b>Eyes</b>	Irritation, redness, watering eyes, itchiness.
<b>Respiratory</b>	Irritation, coughing, wheezing, runny nose.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Irritation, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea.

<b>Chronic Toxicity</b>	Causes damage to the following organs: thyroid. May cause damage to the following organs: blood, kidneys, liver, skin, eyes.
<b>Teratogenicity</b>	Not Available
<b>Mutagenicity</b>	Not Available
<b>Embryotoxicity</b>	Not Available
<b>Specific Target Organ Toxicity</b>	Not Available
<b>Reproductive Toxicity</b>	May cause adverse reproductive effects.
<b>Respiratory/Skin Sensitization</b>	May cause allergic skin reaction.

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## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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### Ecotoxicity

<b>Aquatic Vertebrate</b>	LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 1.7 mg/l - 96.0 h
<b>Aquatic Invertebrate</b>	EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 0.2 mg/l - 48 h
<b>Terrestrial</b>	Not Available

<b>Persistence and Degradability</b>	Not Available
<b>Bioaccumulative Potential</b>	Not Available
<b>Mobility in Soil</b>	Not Available
<b>PBT and vPvB Assessment</b>	Not Available
<b>Other Adverse Effects</b>	Very toxic to aquatic life.

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## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

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<b>Waste Residues</b>	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary before disposing of waste products or residues.
<b>Product Containers</b>	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary before disposing of waste product container.

The information offered in section 13 is for the product as shipped. Use and/or alterations to the product may significantly change the characteristics of the material and alter the waste classification and proper disposal methods.

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## 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

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US DOT	UN1759, Corrosive solids, n.o.s., (iodine), 8, (6.1), pg III
TDG	UN1759, CORROSIVE SOLIDS, N.O.S., (IODINE), 8, (6.1), pg III
IMDG	UN1759, CORROSIVE SOLIDS, N.O.S., (IODINE), 8, (6.1), pg III
Marine Pollutant	No
IATA/ICAO	UN1759, Corrosive solids, n.o.s., (iodine), 8, (6.1), pg III

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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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TSCA Inventory Status	All ingredients are listed on the TSCA inventory.
DSCL (EEC)	All ingredients are listed on the DSCL inventory.
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
SARA 302	Not Listed
SARA 304	Not Listed
SARA 311	Iodine
SARA 312	Iodine
SARA 313	Not Listed
WHMIS Canada	CLASS D-2A: Material causing other toxic effects (VERY TOXIC). CLASS E: Corrosive solid.

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## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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Revision	Date
Revision 1	01/30/2013

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