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Product Name : **SODIUM IODIDE**

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**1. Identification**

**GHS Product Identifier** SODIUM IODIDE

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**Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use** Photography, solvent for iodine, organic chemicals, laboratory reagent, medicine, feed additive, cloud seeding, scintillation (thallium-activated form) and expectorant.

**Other Names****Name****Product Code**

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**Other Information**

Chem-Supply Pty Ltd does not warrant that this product is suitable for any use or purpose. The user must ascertain the suitability of the product before use or application intended purpose. Preliminary testing of the product before use or application is recommended. Any reliance or purported reliance upon Chem-Supply Pty Ltd with respect to any skill or judgement or advice in relation to the suitability of this product of any purpose is disclaimed. Except to the extent prohibited at law, any condition implied by any statute as to the merchantable quality of this product or fitness for any purpose is hereby excluded. This product is not sold by description. Where the provisions of Part V, Division 2 of the Trade Practices Act apply, the liability of Chem-Supply Pty Ltd is limited to the replacement of supply of equivalent goods or payment of the cost of replacing the goods or acquiring equivalent goods.

**2. Hazard Identification**

**GHS classification of the substance/mixture** Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment - Acute Hazard: Category 1  
Eye Damage/Irritation: Category 2  
Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Category 2

**Signal Word (s)** WARNING

**Hazard Statement (s)** H315 Causes skin irritation.  
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.  
H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

**Pictogram (s)** Environment, Exclamation mark

**Precautionary statement – Prevention**  
**Precautionary statement – Response**

P264 Wash thoroughly after handling.  
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 soap and water.  
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
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.  
P501 Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

**Precautionary statement – Disposal****3. Composition/information on ingredients**

**Chemical Characterization** Solid



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Sodium Iodide	7681-82-5	100 %
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**4. First-aid measures**

<b>Inhalation</b>	If inhaled, remove from contaminated area to fresh air immediately. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid if cough or other symptoms appear.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Rinse mouth thoroughly with water immediately, repeat until all traces of product have been removed. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Seek medical advice if effects persist.
<b>Skin</b>	Wash affected areas with copious quantities of water. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before re-use. Seek medical advice if effects persist.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Immediately irrigate with copious quantity of water for at least 15 minutes. Eyelids to be held open. Seek medical advice if effects persist.
<b>First Aid Facilities</b>	Maintain eyewash fountain and safety shower in work area.
<b>Advice to Doctor</b>	Treat symptomatically based on judgement of doctor and individual reactions of the patient.
<b>Other Information</b>	For advice, contact the National Poisons Information Centre (Phone Australia 13 11 26; New Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor.

**5. Fire-fighting measures**

<b>Hazards from Combustion Products</b>	May liberate toxic fumes in fire (hydrogen iodide).
<b>Specific Methods</b>	Use extinguishing media most appropriate for the surrounding fire. No limitations to the type of extinguishing media. Small fire: Use dry chemical, CO <sub>2</sub> , water spray or foam. Large fire: Use water spray, fog or foam.
<b>Specific hazards arising from the chemical</b>	Material does not burn. Fire or heat will produce irritating, poisonous and/or corrosive gases. Runoff may pollute waterways.
<b>Hazchem Code</b>	2X
<b>Precautions in connection with Fire</b>	Wear SCBA and structural firefighter's uniform.

**6. Accidental release measures**

<b>Spills &amp; Disposal</b>	Do NOT touch or walk through this product. Stop leak if safe to do so. Prevent entry into waterways, drains, confined areas. Prevent dust cloud. Use clean non-sparking tools to collect material and place it into loosely-covered plastic containers for later disposal.
<b>Personal Precautions</b>	Evacuate the area of all non-essential personnel. Avoid inhalation, contact with skin, eyes and clothing.
<b>Personal Protection</b>	Wear protective clothing specified for normal operations (see Section 8)
<b>Clean-up Methods - Small Spillages</b>	Sweep up (avoid generating dust) and remove to a suitable, clearly labelled container for disposal in accordance with local regulations.
<b>Environmental Precautions</b>	Prevent contamination of soil and water. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

**7. Handling and storage**

<b>Precautions for Safe Handling</b>	Avoid generation or accumulation of dusts. Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure. Wash hands and face thoroughly after working with material.
<b>Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities</b>	Keep container tightly closed. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area, out of direct sunlight. Store away from incompatible substances.
<b>Corrosiveness</b>	Corrosive when in presence of steel, aluminium, zinc and copper.

**8. Exposure controls/personal protection**

<b>Other Exposure Information</b>	No exposure standards have been established for this product by Safe Work Australia, however, the TWA exposure standard for dusts/mists not otherwise specified is 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> . All atmospheric contamination should be kept to as low a level as is workable.
<b>Appropriate engineering controls</b>	In industrial situations maintain the concentrations values below the TWA. This may be achieved by process modification, use of local exhaust ventilation, capturing substances at the source, or other methods. These methods should be used in preference to personal protective equipment.



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<b>Respiratory Protection</b>	Where ventilation is not adequate, respiratory protection may be required. Avoid breathing dust, vapours or mists. Respiratory protection should comply with AS 1716 - Respiratory Protective Devices and be selected in accordance with AS 1715 - Selection, Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices. Filter capacity and respirator type depends on exposure levels. In event of emergency or planned entry into unknown concentrations a positive pressure, full-facepiece SCBA should be used. If respiratory protection is required, institute a complete respiratory protection program including selection, fit testing, training, maintenance and inspection.
<b>Eye Protection</b>	The use of a face shield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection as appropriate. Must comply with Australian Standards AS 1337 and be selected and used in accordance with AS 1336.
<b>Hand Protection</b>	Wear gloves of impervious material conforming to AS/NZS 2161: Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and maintenance. Final choice of appropriate glove type will vary according to individual circumstances. This can include methods of handling, and engineering controls as determined by appropriate risk assessments. Avoid skin contact when removing gloves from hands, do not touch the gloves outer surface. Dispose of gloves as hazardous waste.
<b>Personal Protective Equipment</b>	Personal protective equipment should not solely be relied upon to control risk and should only be used when all other reasonably practicable control measures do not eliminate or sufficiently minimise risk. Guidance in selecting personal protective equipment can be obtained from Australian, Australian/New Zealand or other approved standards.
<b>Footwear</b>	Safety boots in industrial situations is advisory, foot protection should comply with AS 2210, Occupational protective footwear - Guide to selection, care and use.
<b>Body Protection</b>	Clean clothing or protective clothing should be worn, preferably with an apron. Clothing for protection against chemicals should comply with AS 3765 Clothing for Protection Against Hazardous Chemicals.
<b>Hygiene Measures</b>	Always wash hands before smoking, eating or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storing or re-using.

**9. Physical and chemical properties**

<b>Form</b>	Solid
<b>Appearance</b>	White powder or colourless to white crystals.
<b>Odour</b>	Odourless.
<b>Melting Point</b>	651-661 °C
<b>Boiling Point</b>	1304 °C
<b>Solubility in Water</b>	Soluble.
<b>Solubility in Organic Solvents</b>	Soluble in alcohol, acetone and glycerol.
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	3.67
<b>pH</b>	~6 - 9 (50 g/l, H <sub>2</sub> O, 20 °C)
<b>Vapour Pressure</b>	1.3 hPa (767 °C)
<b>Vapour Density (Air=1)</b>	> 1 g/l
<b>Flammability</b>	Non combustible material.
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	149.89
<b>Other Information</b>	Slowly becomes brown in air. Deliquescent. Taste: Saline, somewhat bitter taste.

**10. Stability and reactivity**

<b>Chemical Stability</b>	Stable under normal use conditons. Absorbs up to 5% moisture on exposure to air and becomes brown due to liberation of iodine.
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Exposure to moisture. Light. Incompatibles.
<b>Incompatible Materials</b>	Acids, alkali metals, ammonia, bromide trifluoride, chloral hydrate, hydrogen peroxide, iodide, perchloric acid, potassium chlorate, and oxidising agents.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	Hydrogen iodide vapours, sodium and sodium oxides.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	Reacts violently with bromide trifluoride, perchloric acid and oxidisers.



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<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	Will not occur.
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**11. Toxicological Information****Acute Toxicity - Oral** LD50 (rat): 4340 mg/kg.**Ingestion** May be harmful by ingestion. Causes irritation to the gastrointestinal tract. Symptoms may include nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. Ingestion of the material in large amounts may lead to a decrease in blood pressure, vomiting and a fever.**Inhalation** May be harmful if inhaled. Dust causes irritation to the respiratory tract and mucous membranes. Inhalation of dust may cause coughing, choking, headaches, dizziness and weakness. May cause lung edema.**Skin** May cause sensitisation by skin contact. Causes irritation, redness, itching and pain to skin.**Eye** Irritating to eyes. Causes redness and pain.**Carcinogenicity** No evidence of carcinogenic properties.**Chronic Effects** Prolonged or over exposure to iodine compounds may possibly lead to iodism; a toxic, chronic poisoning of iodine or iodides which causes coryza, ptyalism, emaciation weakness and skin eruptions (pimples, boils, hives, blisters as well as black and blue spots). Symptoms of iodism includes of skin rash, running nose, headache and irritation of the mucous membrane. 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. Target organs: Thyroid, blood, bone marrow.**Mutagenicity** No evidence of mutagenic properties.**12. Ecological information****Ecological Information** Very toxic to aquatic life.**Persistence and degradability** Methods for the determination of biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.**Acute Toxicity - Daphnia** EC0 (Daphnia magna): 0.17 mg/l/48h**Other Information** Do not allow to enter drinking water supplies, waste water or soil!**13. Disposal considerations****Disposal Considerations** Whatever cannot be saved for recovery or recycling should be disposed of according to relevant local, state and federal government regulations.**14. Transport information****Transport Information** Class 9 Miscellaneous dangerous goods shall not be loaded in a vehicle with: - Class 1 Explosives - Class 5. 1 Oxidizing agents (when Class 9 substance capable of igniting and burning - Class 5. 2 Organic peroxides (when Cl. 9 capable of igniting/burning)**U.N. Number** 3077**UN proper shipping name** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. - (Contains Sodium Iodide)**Transport hazard class(es)** 9**Hazchem Code** 2X**Packaging Method** 3.8.9**Packing Group** III**EPG Number** 9C1**IERG Number** 47**15. Regulatory information****Regulatory Information** Listed in the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS). Not listed under WHS Regulation 2011, Schedule 10 - Prohibited carcinogens, restricted carcinogens and restricted hazardous chemicals.**Poisons Schedule** Not Scheduled**16. Other Information**



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