

Section 1. Product and Company Identification

Product Name Potassium Iodide
CAS Number 7681-11-0

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Section 2. Hazards Identification

Classification of the substance or mixture
GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302
Skin irritation (Category 2), H315
Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319

GHS Label Elements

Pictograms:



Signal word: WARNING!

Hazard and precautionary statements

Hazard statement(s)

H302 Harmful if swallowed.
H315 Causes skin irritation.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statement(s)

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P280 Wear protective gloves/eye protection/ face protection.
P301 + P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
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.
P321 Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label).



P330 Rinse mouth.
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.
P501 Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS: None

Section 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Common Name Potassium Iodide
Formula IK
CAS Number 7681-11-0

COMPONENT	CAS NUMBER	CONCENTRATION
Potassium Iodide	7681-11-0	≤ 100%

Section 4. First Aid Measures

Description of first aid measures

General advice: Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

If inhaled: If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact: Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact: Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

If swallowed: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling and/or in section 11

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: No data available

Section 5. Firefighting Measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture: Hydrogen iodide, Potassium oxides

Advice for firefighters: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.



Further information: The product itself does not burn.

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust. For personal protection see section 8.

Environmental precautions: Do not let product enter drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up: Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

Reference to other sections: For disposal see section 13.

Section 7. Handling and Storage

Precautions for safe handling: Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities: Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Air, light, and moisture sensitive. Store under inert gas.

Section 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Potassium iodide	7681-11-0	TWA	0.0100 mg/m ³	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
	Remarks	Upper Respiratory Tract irritation Hypothyroidism Not classifiable as a human carcinogen varies		

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection: Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin protection: Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.



Body Protection: Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection: For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Control of environmental exposure: Do not let product enter drains.

Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form: crystalline

Color: white

Odor: No data available

Odor Threshold: No data available

pH: 6.0 - 9 at 166 g/l at 25°C (77°F)

Melting point/freezing point: Melting point/range: 681°C (1,258°F)

Initial boiling point and boiling range: 1,330 °C (2,426 °F)

Flash point: No data available

Evaporation rate: No data available

Flammability (solid, gas): No data available

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits: No data available

Vapor pressure: 1 hPa (1 mmHg) at 745°C (1,373°F)

Vapor density: No data available

Relative density: 3.130 g/cm³

Water solubility: No data available

Partition coefficient: noctanol/water: No data available

Auto-ignition temperature: No data available

Decomposition temperature: No data available

Viscosity: No data available

Explosive properties: No data available

Oxidizing properties: No data available

Other safety information

Bulk density: 1,700 kg/m³



Section 10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity: No data available

Chemical stability: May decompose on exposure to air and moisture. Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions: No data available

Conditions to avoid: Tin/tin oxides

Incompatible materials: Strong reducing agents, Nickel, Strong acids, and its alloys, Steel (all types and surface treatments), Aluminum, Alkali metals, Brass, Magnesium, Zinc, cadmium, Copper

Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products: No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

Section 11. Toxicological Information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Mouse - 1,000 mg/kg

Inhalation: No data available

Dermal: No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: Irritating to skin.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Irritating to eyes. - 24 h

(Draize Test)

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause allergic reactions in certain sensitive individuals.

Germ cell mutagenicity: No data available

Carcinogenicity

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.

Reproductive toxicity: Exposure to excessive amounts of iodine during pregnancy is capable of producing fetal hypothyroidism. Iodine containing drugs have been associated with fetal goiter.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure: No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure: No data available



Aspiration hazard: No data available

Additional Information

RTECS: TT2975000

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.

Liver - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

Section 12. Ecological Information

Toxicity

Toxicity to fish

LC50 - *Oncorhynchus mykiss* (rainbow trout) - 2,190 mg/l - 96 h

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

EC50 - *Daphnia* (water flea) - 2.7 mg/l - 24 h

Persistence and degradability: No data available

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available

Mobility in soil: No data available

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment: PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

Other adverse effects: No data available

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

Waste Treatment Methods: Dispose of product and contaminated packaging in accordance with all local, state, and federal environmental control regulations.

Section 14. Transport Information

DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

IMDG

Not dangerous goods

IATA

Not dangerous goods



Section 15. Regulatory Information

SARA 302 Components: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 Components: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 311/312 Hazards: Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

Massachusetts Right To Know Components

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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New Jersey Right To Know Components

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

HMIS Rating

Health Hazard: 2*

Flammability: 0

Physical Hazard 0

Section 16. Other Information

Disclaimer: The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product.

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