



LTS Research Laboratories, Inc.  
Safety Data Sheet  
Rubidium Fluoride

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1. Product and Company Identification

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Trade Name: Rubidium Fluoride  
Chemical Formula: RbF  
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: H315 Causes skin irritation  
H319 Causes serious eye irritation  
H301+H311+H331: Toxic if swallowed or in contact with skin or if inhaled  
H335: May cause respiratory irritation

Precautionary Statements: P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/vapor  
P301+P310: IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician  
P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do – continue rinsing  
P361: Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing  
P405: Store locked up  
P501: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations

HMIS Health Ratings (0-4):  
Health: 2  
Flammability: 0  
Physical: 1

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### 3. Composition

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Chemical Family: Salt  
Additional Names: Rubidium(I) fluoride

Rubidium fluoride (RbF):  
Percentage: 100 wt%  
CAS #: 13446-74-7  
EC #: 236-603-2

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### 4. First Aid Procedures

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General Treatment: Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.  
Special Treatment: Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product. Remove breathing apparatus only after contaminated clothing has been completely removed. In case of irregular breathing or respiratory arrest provide artificial respiration.  
Important Symptoms: None  
Inhalation: Remove victim to fresh air. Supply oxygen if breathing is difficult.  
Ingestion: Seek medical attention.  
Skin: Wash affected area with mild soap and water. Remove any contaminated clothing.  
Eyes: Flush eyes with water, blinking often for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

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### 5. Firefighting Measures

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Flammability: Non-flammable  
Extinguishing Media: No special restrictions – use suitable extinguishing agent for surrounding material and type of fire.  
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. 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.  
Environmental Precautions: Isolate runoff to prevent environmental pollution.

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### 7. Handling and Storage

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Handling Conditions: Handle under dry protective gas. Wash thoroughly after handling.  
Storage Conditions: Store in a cool dry place in a tightly sealed container. Store under dry inert gas. 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.

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## 8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

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Permissible Exposure Limits:	2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> as F, long-term value
Threshold Limit Value:	2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> as F, long-term value
Special Equipment:	None
Respiratory Protection:	Dust Respirator
Protective Gloves:	Rubber gloves
Eye Protection:	Safety glasses or goggles
Body Protection:	Protective work clothing. Wear close-toed shoes and long sleeves/pants.

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## 9. Physical and Chemical Characteristics

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Color	White
Form:	Crystalline
Odor:	N/A
Water Solubility:	High, 1306 g/l
Boiling Point:	N/A
Melting Point:	795 °C
Flash Point:	N/A
Autoignition Temperature:	N/A
Density:	6.557 g/cc
Molecular weight:	N/A

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## 10. Reactivity

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Stability:	Stable under recommended storage conditions
Reacts With:	Oxidizing agents
Incompatible Conditions:	Water/moisture
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Metal oxide fume, Hydrogen fluoride

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## 11. Toxicological Information

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Potential Health Effects:	
Eyes:	Causes serious eye damage
Skin:	Causes skin irritation
Ingestion:	May cause irritation
Inhalation:	May cause irritation
Chronic:	N/A
Signs & Symptoms:	N/A
Aggravated Medical Conditions:	N/A
Median Lethal Dose:	N/A
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.

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## 12. Ecological Information

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Aquatic Toxicity:	Low
Persistent Bioaccumulation Toxicity:	No
Very Persistent, Very Bioaccumulative:	No
Notes:	N/A

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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 as powder only.



Hazard Class: 6.1 Toxic substances  
Packing Group: III  
UN Number: UN3288  
Proper Shipping Name: Toxic solid, inorganic, n.o.s. (Rubidium fluoride)

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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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