

**Safety Data Sheet**  
according to OSHA HCS

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**1 Identification**

- **Product name**
- **Trade name:** Lead sulfide StremDots™ quantum dot (PbS core - ~4.5nm), 10 mg/mL in toluene, 1200nm peak emission
- **Item number:** 82-1083
- **CAS Number:**  
1314-87-0
- **EC number:**  
215-246-6
- **Index number:**  
082-001-00-6
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
Strem Chemicals, Inc.  
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NEWBURYPORT, MA 01950  
USA  
info@strem.com
- **Information department:** Technical Department
- **Emergency telephone number:**  
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During normal opening times: +1 (978) 499-1600

**2 Hazard(s) identification**

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS08 Health hazard

Repr. 1A H360 May damage fertility or the unborn child.

STOT RE 2 H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.



GHS07

Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Acute Tox. 4 H332 Harmful if inhaled.

- **Label elements**

- **GHS label elements**

The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS07



GHS08

- **Signal word** Danger

- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**

lead sulphide

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· **Precautionary statements**

- P262 Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
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- P235+P410 Keep cool. Protect from sunlight.
- P305+P351+P338 If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
- P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
- P411 Store at temperatures not exceeding 4°C.
- P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **Classification system:**

· **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



· **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



· **Other hazards**

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

**3 Composition/information on ingredients**

· **Chemical characterization: Substances**

· **CAS No. Description**

1314-87-0 lead sulphide

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**4 First-aid measures**

· **Description of first aid measures**

· **General information:**

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

· **After inhalation:**

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.

In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

· **After skin contact:** Immediately rinse with water.

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- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:** Immediately call a doctor.
- **Information for doctor:**
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**  
No further relevant information available.

**5 Fire-fighting measures**

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**  
CO2, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Mouth respiratory protective device.

**6 Accidental release measures**

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Not required.
- **Environmental precautions:**  
Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.  
Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.  
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).  
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.  
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **Reference to other sections**  
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.  
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.  
See Section 13 for disposal information.
- **Protective Action Criteria for Chemicals**

· **PAC-1:**

0.17 mg/m3

· **PAC-2:**

140 mg/m3

· **PAC-3:**

810 mg/m3

**7 Handling and storage**

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling**  
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.  
Prevent formation of aerosols.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:** Keep cool.

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- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**  
Keep receptacle tightly sealed.  
**DO NOT FREEZE**
- **Recommended storage temperature:** Store at temperatures not exceeding 4 °C. Keep cool.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

**8 Exposure controls/personal protection**

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Control parameters**

· **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

**1314-87-0 lead sulphide**

PEL	Long-term value: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> as Pb; See 29 CFR 1910.1025
REL	Long-term value: 0.05* mg/m <sup>3</sup> as Pb; *8-hr TWA; See Pocket Guide App. C
TLV	Long-term value: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> as Pb; BEI

· **Ingredients with biological limit values:**

**1314-87-0 lead sulphide**

BEI	30 µg/100 ml Medium: blood Time: not critical Parameter: Lead
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- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**  
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.  
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.  
Store protective clothing separately.
- **Breathing equipment:** A NIOSH approved respirator in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.134.
- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.  
Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

· **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

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· **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

· **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

**9 Physical and chemical properties**

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

Form: Suspension

Color: Black

· **Odor:** Unpleasant

· **Odor threshold:** Not determined.

· **pH-value:** Not determined.

· **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range: Undetermined.

Boiling point/Boiling range: 110 °C (230 °F)

· **Flash point:** 4 °C (39 °F)

· **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Not determined.

· **Ignition temperature:**

Decomposition temperature: Not determined.

· **Auto igniting:** Not determined.

· **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· **Explosion limits:**

Lower: 1.2 Vol %

Upper: 7 Vol %

· **Vapor pressure at 20 °C (68 °F):** 21.8 hPa (16 mm Hg)

· **Density at 20 °C (68 °F):** 0.868 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (7.24346 lbs/gal)

· **Relative density:** Not determined.

· **Vapor density:** Not determined.

· **Evaporation rate:** Not determined.

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

Water: Not miscible or difficult to mix.

· **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** Not determined.

· **Viscosity:**

Dynamic: Not determined.

Kinematic: Not determined.

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- **Solvent content:**
- Organic solvents:** 0.0 %
- VOC content:** 0.0 g/l / 0.00 lb/gl
- **Solids content:** 100.0 %
- **Other information** No further relevant information available.

**10 Stability and reactivity**

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

**11 Toxicological information**

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
- **Carcinogenic categories**

· **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

2A

· **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

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· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

Substance is not listed.

**12 Ecological information**

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
- Water hazard class 2 (Self-assessment): hazardous for water
- Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
- Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground.

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- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

**13 Disposal considerations**

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:**  
Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

**14 Transport information**

- **UN-Number**
- **DOT, IMDG, IATA** UN1993
- **UN proper shipping name**
- **DOT** Flammable liquids, n.o.s.
- **IMDG, IATA** FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.
- **Transport hazard class(es)**
- **DOT**
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- **Class** 3 Flammable liquids
- **Label** 3
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- **Label** 3
- **Packing group**
- **DOT, IMDG, IATA** I
- **Environmental hazards:**
- **Marine pollutant:** No
- **Special precautions for user** Warning: Flammable liquids
- **EMS Number:** F-E,S-E
- **Stowage Category** E
- **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code** Not applicable.

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**· Transport/Additional information:**

**· DOT**

**· Quantity limitations**

On passenger aircraft/rail: 1L

On cargo aircraft only: 30L

**· UN "Model Regulation":**

UN 1993 FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS, N.O.S., 3, I

**15 Regulatory information**

**· Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

**· Sara**

**· Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

Substance is not listed.

**· Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

Substance is listed.

**· TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

Substance is listed.

**· Proposition 65**

**· Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

Substance is listed.

**· Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

Substance is not listed.

**· Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

Substance is not listed.

**· Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

Substance is not listed.

**· Carcinogenic categories**

**· EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

B2

**· TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

A3

**· NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

Substance is not listed.

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**· Signal word Danger**

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· **National regulations:**

· **Water hazard class:** Water hazard class 2 (Self-assessment): hazardous for water.

· **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

**16 Other information**

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· **Department issuing SDS:** Technical Department.

· **Contact:** Technical Director

· **Date of preparation / last revision** 07/19/2021 / -

· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety

OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

BEI: Biological Exposure Limit

Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4

Repr. 1A: Reproductive toxicity – Category 1A

STOT RE 2: Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) – Category 2