# **PRODUCT** INFORMATION



**IBTP** (iodide)

Item No. 18802

CAS Registry No.:	159085-21-9	$\sim$
Formal Name:	(4-iodobutyl)triphenyl-phosphonium,	
	monoiodide	
MF:	C <sub>22</sub> H <sub>23</sub> IP • I	
FW:	572.2	
Purity:	≥98%	
Supplied as:	A solid	
Storage:	-20°C	• [
Stability:	≥4 years	$\sim$
Special Conditions: Light sensitive, store in dark in desiccating conditions		

Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.

## Laboratory Procedures

IBTP (iodide) is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the IBTP (iodide) in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. IBTP (iodide) is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol and DMSO. The solubility of IBTP (iodide) in these solvents is approximately 50 and 100 mM, respectively.

## Description

IBTP is a lipophilic cation that is accumulated in mitochondria and forms stable thioether adducts in a thiol-specific manner.<sup>1</sup> As a result, mitochondrial proteins that have changed thiol redox state following oxidative stress are selectively tagged with IBTP and can be separated by two-dimensional electrophoresis and isolated.<sup>1</sup> IBTP-tagged proteins can also be evaluated by immunoblotting using an antibody directed against the triphenylphosphonium moiety of the IBTP molecule.<sup>2</sup> IBTP has also been used as a mitochondria-targeted soft electrophile to inhibit mitochondrial oxidative phosphorylation.<sup>3</sup>

## References

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WARNING THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

### SAFFTY DATA

This material should be considered hazardous until further information becomes available. Do not ingest, inhale, get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Before use, the user must review the complete Safety Data Sheet, which has been sent via email to your institution.

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