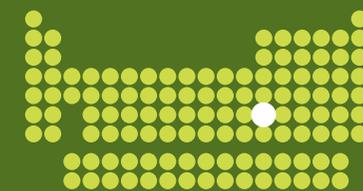


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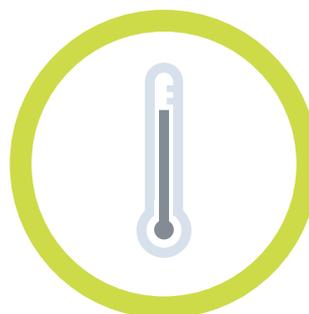


RAT POISON



Thallium sulfate was used to poison rodents, but its use is now prohibited in most countries.

THERMOMETERS



Thallium can be mixed with mercury in thermometers to measure temperatures down to -60°C .

TOXIC



Today, uses of thallium compounds are limited by toxicity; they're mainly used in electronics and optics.