

Bromine

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Discovered in 1826



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Bromine was the
first element to be
extracted from
seawater



The name is
deerived from the
Greek 'bromos'
meaning stench

Halon fire extinguishers includes
organobromides are used to fight fires
in places like museums and
aeroplanes.