

Safety Data Sheet

Silver Nitrate

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Section 1 Product Description

Product Name: Silver Nitrate
Recommended Use: Science education applications
Synonyms: Lunar Caustic; , Nitric Acid, Silver (1+) Salt
Distributor: Carolina Biological Supply Company
2700 York Road, Burlington, NC 27215
1-800-227-1150
Chemical Information: 800-227-1150 (8am-5pm (ET) M-F)
Chemtrec: 800-424-9300 (Transportation Spill Response 24 hours)

Section 2 Hazard Identification

Classification of the chemical in accordance with paragraph (d) of §1910.1200;

DANGER



Harmful if swallowed. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

GHS Classification:

Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 1B, Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute Category 1, Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Category 1, Acute Toxicity - Oral Category 4

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS #</u>	<u>%</u>
Silver Nitrate	7761-88-8	100

Section 4 First Aid Measures

Emergency and First Aid Procedures

Inhalation: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
Eyes: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
Skin Contact: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
Ingestion: IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

Section 5 Firefighting Procedures

Extinguishing Media: Water in flooding amounts. Do not use dry chemical, CO₂, or halon.
Fire Fighting Methods and Protection: Firefighters should wear full protective equipment and NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus.
Fire and/or Explosion Hazards: Contact with combustible material may cause fire. Powerful oxidizer.
Hazardous Combustion Products: Nitrogen containing gases

Section 6 Spill or Leak Procedures

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Steps to Take in Case Material Is Released or Spilled:

Exposure to the spilled material may be severely irritating or toxic. Follow personal protective equipment recommendations found in Section 8 of this SDS. Personal protective equipment needs must be evaluated based on information provided on this sheet and the special circumstances created by the spill including; the material spilled, the quantity of the spill, the area in which the spill occurred, and the expertise of employees in the area responding to the spill. Never exceed any occupational exposure limits. Clean up spills immediately using Protective Equipment recommended in Section 8 at a minimum. Prevent the spread of any spill to minimize harm to human health and the environment if safe to do so. Wear complete and proper personal protective equipment following the recommendation of Section 8 at a minimum. Dike with suitable absorbent material like granulated clay. Gather and store in a sealed container pending a waste disposal evaluation. Collect spillage.

Section 7 Handling and Storage

Handling: Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Avoid release to the environment. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Storage: Store locked up. Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.

Storage Code: Yellow - Reactive. Store separate and away from incompatible material.

Section 8 Protection Information

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>ACGIH</u>		<u>OSHA PEL</u>	
	<u>(TWA)</u>	<u>(STEL)</u>	<u>(TWA)</u>	<u>(STEL)</u>
Silver Nitrate	0.01 mg/m ³ TWA (as Ag)	N/A	0.01 mg/m ³ TWA (as Ag)	N/A

Control Parameters

Engineering Measures: Local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls are normally required when handling or using this product to avoid overexposure.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE): Lab coat, apron, eye wash, safety shower.

Respiratory Protection: Conduct air monitoring to determine the effectiveness of ventilation.

Respirator Type(s): None required where adequate ventilation is provided. If airborne concentrations are above the applicable exposure limits, use NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection.

Eye Protection: Wear chemical splash goggles when handling this product. Have an eye wash station available.

Skin Protection: Avoid skin contact by wearing chemically resistant gloves, an apron and other protective equipment depending upon conditions of use. Inspect gloves for chemical break-through and replace at regular intervals. Clean protective equipment regularly. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, and when leaving work.

Gloves: Nitrile

Section 9 Physical Data

Formula: AgNO ₃	Vapor Pressure: N/A
Molecular Weight: 169.87	Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1): N/A
Appearance: White Solid	Vapor Density (Air=1): N/A
Odor: No data available	Specific Gravity: 5.35
Odor Threshold: No data available	Solubility in Water: Soluble
pH: 6	Log Pow (calculated): No data available
Melting Point: 208 - 210 C	Autoignition Temperature: No data available
Boiling Point: > 440 C	Decomposition Temperature: 440 C
Flash Point: No data available	Viscosity: No data available
Flammable Limits in Air: N/A	Percent Volatile by Volume: N/A

Section 10 Reactivity Data

Reactivity: Not generally reactive under normal conditions.

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid: contact with flammable materials Visible light

Incompatible Materials: Strong alkalis, Strong reducing agents, Magnesium, Phosphates, Halides, Carbonates, Sulfur, Charcoal, flammable liquids

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Nitrogen containing gases

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Hazardous Polymerization:

Will not occur

Section 11 Toxicity Data

Routes of Entry: Inhalation, ingestion, eye or skin contact.
Symptoms (Acute): Argyria (Blue to Blue-Grey tissue discoloration)
Delayed Effects: Argyria (Blue to Blue-Grey tissue discoloration)
Impaired Kidney Function

Acute Toxicity:

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Oral LD50
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GUINEA PIG 473
mg/kg
Oral LD50 Mouse
50 mg/kg
Oral LD50 Rabbit
800 mg/kg
Oral LD50 Rat
1173 mg/kg

Dermal LD50
Not determined

Inhalation LC50
Not determined

Carcinogenicity:

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IARC
Not listed

NTP
Not listed

OSHA
Not listed

Chronic Effects:

Mutagenicity: No evidence of a mutagenic effect.
Teratogenicity: No evidence of a teratogenic effect (birth defect).
Sensitization: No evidence of a sensitization effect.
Reproductive: No evidence of negative reproductive effects.
Target Organ Effects:
Acute: No information available
Chronic: Kidneys

Section 12 Ecological Data

Overview: This material is not expected to be harmful to the ecology.
Mobility: This material is expected to have moderate mobility in soil. It absorbs to most soil types.
Persistence: Biodegradation, adsorption to sediment, and bioconcentration to aquatic organisms should not be significant.
Bioaccumulation: Bioconcentration may occur.
Degradability: Does not biodegrade readily.
Other Adverse Effects: No data

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Eco Toxicity
96 HR LC50 PIMEPHALES PROMELAS 0.009 MG/L
48 HR EC50 DAPHNIA MAGNA 0.0006 MG/L

Section 13 Disposal Information

Disposal Methods: Dispose in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and Local regulations. Always contact a permitted waste disposer (TSD) to assure compliance.
Waste Disposal Code(s): Not Determined

Section 14 Transport Information

Ground - DOT Proper Shipping Name:
UN1493
SILVER NITRATE
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Air - IATA Proper Shipping Name:
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Regulatory Information

TSCA Status: All components in this product are on the TSCA Inventory.

Chemical Name	CAS Number	§ 313 Name	§ 304 RQ	CERCLA RQ	§ 302 TPQ	CAA 112(2) TQ
Silver Nitrate	7761-88-8	No	1 lb RQ	1 lb final RQ; 0.454 kg final RQ	No	No

California Prop 65: No California Proposition 65 ingredients

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Additional Information

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Glossary

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists	NTP	National Toxicology Program
CAS	Chemical Abstract Service Number	OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act	PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
DOT	U.S. Department of Transportation	ppm	Parts per million
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer	RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
N/A	Not Available	SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
		TLV	Threshold Limit Value
		TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
		IDLH	Immediately dangerous to life and health