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### SAFETY DATA SHEET

## **SECTION 01 - PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product Identifier			Product Use			
SILVER NITRATE (2.82N/M)				Laboratory use		
Chemical formula				Product code	Molar weig	ght
AgNO <sub>3</sub>				AS-0582		169,88
Chemical name / Commercial name / Synonymous SILVER NITRATE, NITRIC ACID SILVER SALT, LUNAR CAUSTIC, S			ILBERNITRAT			
Supplier's name			Address-Street			
Laboratoire MAT			610, Adanac Street			
City		Province				
Québec		Québec				
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### **SECTION 02 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Classification WHIMS / GHS				
Classification Williams / Cris	Oxidizing liquids o	ategory 3		
	Corrosive to metal	s-Category 1		
	Serious eye dama	ge/eye irritation - Serious eye damage category 1		
	Skin corrosion/irritation - Skin corrosion category 1			
Signal Word	DANGER			
Hazards statements (H)	H272 May intensit	fy fire- oxidiser		
	H290 May be cor			
		ere skin burns and eye damage.		
	H318 Causes serio	, -		
Precautionary statements (P)	P210	Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. — No smoking.		
	P220	Keep/Store away from clothing and combustible materials.		
	P234	Keep only in original container.		
	P260	Do not breathe dust / fume / gas / mist / vapors / spray.		
	P264	Wash the areas of the body that have been in contact with the product after handling.		
	P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.		
	P301 + P330 + P	331 IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.		
		353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.		
	P304 + P340	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.		
	P305 + P351 + P	338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.		
	P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.		
	P321	Specific treatment (see section 4 of the SDS and on this label).		
	P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.		
	P370 + P378	In case of fire: Use water (not dry agents) for extinction.		
	P390	Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.		
	P405	Store locked up.		
	P406	Store in a corrosion resistant container $/$ or a container with corrosion resistant liner.		
	P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local / regional / national / international regulations or contact a specialist waste disposal company.		
PICTOGRAMS				
Other dangers	N	FPA (Risk: 0=No risk; 1=Slight; 2=Moderate; 3=Signifiant; 4=Extreme)		
	Health 2			
	Fire 0			
	Reactivity 1			
	Special danger O	X		
	Special danger	^		
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# **SECTION 03 - COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Ingrédients (Dénomination chimique / synonymes)	Numéro CAS et tout identificateur unique	Concentration (%)
Nitrate d'araent	7761-88-8	32

#### **SECTION 04 - FIRST AID MEASURES**

Eye contact	Wash eyes with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes while holding eyelids apart to rinse eyes. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.
Skin contact	Wash skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove soiled clothing. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.
Inhalation	Move the unwell person to the fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Consult a physician.
Ingestion	If the person is conscious, give water to drink. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Consult a physician.
Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)	Main symptoms of high exposure: Skin, eye and respiratory system irritation. Argyria (gray-blue discoloration of the skin, mucous membranes and eyes) if inhaled. Ref. section 11.
Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary	In case of medical consultation, keep this sheet available.
General advice	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### **SECTION 05 - FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Flammability	No
Ignition conditions	Risk of fire or explosion if heated or crushed in presence of combustible products.
Suitable extinguishing media	Use water to extinguish the fire
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not use dry chemicals or foam. CO2 or halon can provide limited control.
Dangerous fumes - combustion	When heated to decomposition, silver nitrate gives off toxic vapors of nitrogen oxides.
Hazardous combustion products	Hazardous combustion products formed under fire conditions: - Silver/silver oxides - nitrogen oxides (NOx).
Special fire and explosion hazards	In the event of a fire, the water in the solution will evaporate, and the oxidizing base product will fuel the fire. Strong oxidizer Silver nitrate solutions mixed with ammonia alone or sodium carbonate combined with sodium hydroxide can cause an explosion. An explosion can occur by stirring silver nitrate which has been previously recrystallized with a mixture of water and ethanol. May react violently with incompatible products (Ref Section 10).
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Discard incompatible substances if this can be done without risk. Firefighters should be equipped with standard protective equipment, fireproof clothing, face mask, gloves, protective boots and, where appropriate, self-contained breathing apparatus.

### **SECTION 06 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

containment and cleaning up /	Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use a respirator as needed. Absorb the product with sand or vermiculite. Dilute residues with water, clean and rinse. Ensure a good ventilation of the premises. Dispose
equipment	of residues in a container for disposal of hazardous materials. When handling, wear suitable safety equipment. Use breathing apparatus if necessary. Do not use cellulose-based absorbent. Do not let product enter drains.

### **SECTION 07 - HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Conditions for safe storage	Store in a cool, dry place. Keep container tightly closed and store away from heat, moisture, combustible and organic products. Protect from sunlight and light. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Light sensitive.
Methods of handling	Bottle in amber glass containers. This product attacks certain plastics, rubbers and coatings. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust or vapor is formed. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Wear personal protective equipment when handling. Always ensure good ventilation. Transport according to TDG (ref Section 14)

## **SECTION 08 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### Workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Silver nitrate	<i>7</i> 761-88-8	TWA	0.010000 mg/m3	Canada. Alberta, Occupational Health and Safety Code (table 2: OEL)
Remarks				
		TWAEV	0.010000 mg/m3	Québec. Regulation respecting occupational health and safety, Schedule 1, Part 1: Permissible exposure values for airborne contaminants
		TWA	0.010000 mg/m3	Canada. British Columbia OEL
		STEL	0.030000 mg/m3	Canada. British Columbia OEL
		TWA	0.01 mg/m3	Canada. Alberta, Occupational Health and Safety Code (table 2: OEL)
		TWAEV	0.01 mg/m3	Québec. Regulation respecting occupational health and safety, Schedule 1, Part 1: Permissible exposure values for airborne contaminants
		TWA	0.01 mg/m3	Canada. British Columbia OEL
		STEL	0.03 mg/m3	Canada. British Columbia OEL
		TWA	0.010000 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
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Data source	Sigma-Aldrich (Millipore Sigma)
Ventilation	Fan.
Respiratory	If the permissible levels are exceeded, use a mechanical filter / cartridge against NIOSH vapors or a respirator with air supply.
Gloves	Handle with gloves.
Eyes	Safety goggles with safety shutters.
Shoes	Use safety shoes.
Clothing	Labcoat. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.
Engineering control	Have safety showers and eyewash stations in the workplace in case of an emergency and a ventilation system to maintain the level of concentrations in the air below the exposure limit values.

### **SECTION 09 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Physical state	Liquid.
Appearance	Liquide incolore.
Odour	Inodore.
Odour threshold	Data not available
pH	Solution aqueuse = $pH \sim 6$ (neutre).
Melting point / Freezing point	Data not available
Initial boiling point	Data not available
Boiling range	Data not available
Flash point	Data not available
Evaporation rate	Data not available
Flammability	No
Lower flammable / Explosive limit	Data not available
Upper flammable / Explosive limit	Data not available
Vapour pressure	Data not available
Solubility	Très soluble dans l'eau (2340g/L à 25°C AgNO3).
Vapour density	Data not available
Relative density	Data not available
Partition coefficient water/n-octanol	Data not available
Auto-ignition temperature	Data not available
Decomposition temperature	Data not available
Viscosity	Data not available

### **SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity	Oxidizer: risk of fire in case of contact with combustible / organic substance.	
Chemical stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions. Decomposes on exposure to light.	
Possibility of hazardous reactions	May react violently with incompatible substances.	
Conditions of instability (Including sensitivity to shock / static discharge / vibration)	This product may decompose if exposed to light. This product may darken if exposed to light. Sensitive to the air.	
Incompatible material	Strong reducing agents, acetaldehyde, acetylene, chlorosulfonic acid, tannic acid, alkalis, alcohols, ammonia, strong bases, bromides, carbonates, coal, chlorides, formaldehyde, oils, hydrazine, hypophosphites, iodides, magnesium, phosphates, ferrous salts, sugars, tartrates, thiocyanates and light.	
Hazardous decomposition products	Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. Toxic vapors of nitrogen oxides Silver/silver oxides	

## **SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **SILVER NITRATE**

Routes of exposure	Ingestion, inhalation, skin and eyes.
Acute exposition effects / symptoms:	By exposure route below.
- Eyes	Irritation and may result in opacification of the cornea due to argyria (the epidermis and subcutaneous tissues become slate-gray due to silver albuminate deposits)
- Skin	Irritation and can cause argyria.
- Inhalation	Spasms, irritation and inflammation of the nose, throat and lungs. Edema of the larynx and bronchi. Chemical pneumonitis and pulmonary edema that can lead to death. Argyria (gray-blue discoloration of the skin, mucous membranes and eyes) if inhaled.
Acute toxicity (Ingestion)	Irritation and inflammation of the mouth, throat, esophagus and abdominal wall. Abdominal pain, blackening of the mucous membranes, cramps, diarrhea, salivation, nausea and vomiting, anuria, convulsions, hypotension, circulatory collapse, unconsciousness, coma and can lead to death
Chronic exposure effects / symptoms	Burning sensation, argyria, nervous disorders, chest pain, cough, dyspnoea, laryngitis, chronic bronchitis, headache, dizziness, irritability, sweating, salivation, fatigue, fever, weight loss and loss of appetite, convulsions, nausea and vomiting.
DL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LD50 - Rat (Oral): 1173 mg / kg LD50 Dermal - Data not available.
CL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LC50 - Inhalation - Data not available.

### **SUMMARY**

Acute exposure effects / Symptoms:	By exposure routes below.
Ingestion	To our knowledge, the product has not been fully evaluated
Inhalation	To our knowledge, the product has not been fully evaluated
Skin	To our knowledge, the product has not been fully evaluated
Eyes	To our knowledge, the product has not been fully evaluated
Chronic exposure effects / Symptoms:	To our knowledge, the product has not been fully evaluated
ETA Mix (Estimated Acute Toxicity)	LD50 Oral: 3622 mg/kg - Rat LD50 Dermal: No data available LC50 Inhalation: No data available

#### **SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Ecotoxicity	Silver nitrate: Toxicity to fish: Semi-static test LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 0.0012 mg/l -96 h Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: Static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea): 0.00121 mg/l - 48 h Toxicity to algae: EC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) - 0.0099 mg/l - 96 h
Persistence and degradability	Soluble in water. Persistence is unlikely based on the information provided.
Bioaccumulative potential	Bioaccumulation Cyprinus carpio (Carp) - 41 d Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 70.
Mobility in soil	Probable mobility in the environment due to its solubility in water.
Other adverse effects	Very toxic to aquatic life. An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

#### **SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

	Dispose of contents / container in accordance with local / regional / national / international regulations / or contact a specialist waste disposal company.
Contaminated Packaging	Dispose of as unused product.

#### **SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

UN Number	1493
UN Proper shipping name	NITRATE D'ARGENT EN SOLUTION
Transport hazard class(es)	5.1 Oxidizing substances
Packing group	II .
Limited quantity index	1L
ERAP Index	-
Special precautions	-

#### **SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Oxidizing liquids category 3  Corrosive to metals-Category 1
Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Serious eye damage category 1 Skin corrosion/irritation - Skin corrosion category 1

#### **SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION**

#### **Further information**

The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Laboratoire MAT Inc. shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.

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