

SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Identification

Product form	: Substance
Trade name	: Silver Nitrate
Chemical name	:
CAS-No.	: 7761-88-8
Product code	: 01125
Formula	: Ag.HNO ₃

1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Recommended use	: Use as laboratory reagent, Manufacture of substances
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1.3. Supplier

Supplier

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number	: 24-hour emergency phone number ChemTel 1-800-255-3924
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SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification


2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS US classification

Oxidizing solids Category 3	May intensify fire; oxidizer
Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1B	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 1	Causes serious eye damage

2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

GHS US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS US)	: 
Signal word (GHS US)	: Danger
Hazard statements (GHS US)	: May intensify fire; oxidizer Causes severe skin burns and eye damage Causes serious eye damage
Precautionary statements (GHS US)	: Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking Keep/Store away from clothing and other combustible materials Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

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Name	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
Silver Nitrate (Main constituent)	(CAS-No.) 7761-88-8	≤ 100	Ox. Sol. 3, H272 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First-aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

- First-aid measures general : Call a physician immediately.
- First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
- First-aid measures after skin contact : Rinse skin with water/shower. Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Call a physician immediately.
- First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Call a physician immediately.
- First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Call a physician immediately. Do not induce vomiting.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

- Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Burns.
- Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Serious damage to eyes.
- Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Burns.

4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Dry powder. Foam.

5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

- Fire hazard : May intensify fire; oxidizer.
- Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

- Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Emergency procedures : Only qualified personnel equipped with suitable protective equipment may intervene. No open flames, no sparks, and no smoking. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- For containment : Collect spillage.
- Methods for cleaning up : Mechanically recover the product. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.
- Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

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SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Wear personal protective equipment. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
- Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Storage conditions : Store at room temp. Store locked up. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
- Incompatible materials : Combustible materials.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

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No additional information available

8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

- Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure good ventilation of the work station.
- Environmental exposure controls : Avoid release to the environment.

8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

Hand protection:

Protective gloves

Eye protection:

Safety glasses

Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

Respiratory protection:

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- Physical state : Solid
- Appearance : clear colorless crystals.
- Color : No data available
- Odor : No data available
- Odor threshold : No data available
- pH : No data available
- Melting point : no data
- Freezing point : Not applicable
- Boiling point : 824
- Flash point : not combustible
- Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : No data available
- Flammability (solid, gas) : Non flammable.
- Vapor pressure : no data

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Relative vapor density at 20°C	: 5.8
Relative density	: No data available
Solubility	: Water: 10 %
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosion limits	: Not applicable
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport. May cause or intensify fire; oxidizer.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7). Avoid contact with hot surfaces. Heat. No flames, no sparks. Eliminate all sources of ignition.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Combustible materials.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	: Not classified

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LD50 oral rat	1173 mg/kg mg/Kg
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Causes severe skin burns.
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes serious eye damage.
Respiratory or skin sensitization	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
STOT-single exposure	: Not classified
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Burns.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Serious damage to eyes.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: Burns.

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SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms or to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Disposal methods

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Transport document description : UN1493 Silver nitrate, 5.1, II
UN-No.(DOT) : UN1493
Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Silver nitrate
Class (DOT) : 5.1 - Class 5.1 - Oxidizer 49 CFR 173.128
Packing group (DOT) : II - Medium Danger
Hazard labels (DOT) : 5.1 - Oxidizer



DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 212
DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 242
DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102) : IB8 - Authorized IBCs: Metal (11A, 11B, 11N, 21A, 21B, 21N, 31A, 31B and 31N); Rigid plastics (11H1, 11H2, 21H1, 21H2, 31H1 and 31H2); Composite (11HZ1, 11HZ2, 21HZ1, 21HZ2, 31HZ1 and 31HZ2); Fiberboard (11G); Wooden (11C, 11D and 11F); Flexible (13H1, 13H2, 13H3, 13H4, 13H5, 13L1, 13L2, 13L3, 13L4, 13M1 or 13M2).
IP2 - When IBCs other than metal or rigid plastics IBCs are used, they must be offered for transportation in a closed freight container or a closed transport vehicle.
IP4 - Flexible, fiberboard or wooden IBCs must be sift-proof and water-resistant or be fitted with a sift-proof and water-resistant liner.
T3 - 2.65 178.274(d)(2) Normal..... 178.275(d)(2)
TP33 - The portable tank instruction assigned for this substance applies for granular and powdered solids and for solids which are filled and discharged at temperatures above their melting point which are cooled and transported as a solid mass. Solid substances transported or offered for transport above their melting point are authorized for transportation in portable tanks conforming to the provisions of portable tank instruction T4 for solid substances of packing group III or T7 for solid substances of packing group II, unless a tank with more stringent requirements for minimum shell thickness, maximum allowable working pressure, pressure-relief devices or bottom outlets are assigned in which case the more stringent tank instruction and special provisions shall apply. Filling limits must be in accordance with portable tank special provision TP3. Solids meeting the definition of an elevated temperature material must be transported in accordance with the applicable requirements of this subchapter.
DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 152

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DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail : 5 kg
(49 CFR 173.27)
DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 : 25 kg
CFR 175.75)
DOT Vessel Stowage Location : A - The material may be stowed "on deck" or "under deck" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel.
Emergency Response Guide (ERG) Number : 140
Other information : No supplementary information available.

Transportation of Dangerous Goods

Not applicable

Transport by sea

Transport document description (IMDG) : UN 1493 SILVER NITRATE, 5.1, II, MARINE POLLUTANT/ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS
UN-No. (IMDG) : 1493
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : SILVER NITRATE
Class (IMDG) : 5.1 - Oxidizing substances
Packing group (IMDG) : II - substances presenting medium danger
Limited quantities (IMDG) : 1 kg

Air transport

Transport document description (IATA) : UN 1493 Silver nitrate, 5.1, II, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS
UN-No. (IATA) : 1493
Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : Silver nitrate
Class (IATA) : 5.1 - Oxidizing Substances
Packing group (IATA) : II - Medium danger

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

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Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory
Subject to reporting requirements of United States SARA Section 313

CERCLA RQ	1 lb
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15.2. International regulations

CANADA

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Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

EU-Regulations

National regulations

No additional information available

15.3. US State regulations

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State or local regulations	U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List
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SECTION 16: Other information

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Hazard Rating

- Health : 3 Serious Hazard - Major injury likely unless prompt action is taken and medical treatment is given
- Flammability : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that will not burn
- Physical : 3 Serious Hazard - Materials that may form explosive mixtures with water and are capable of detonation or explosive reaction in the presence of a strong initiating source. Materials may polymerize, decompose, self-react, or undergo other chemical change at normal temperature and pressure with moderate risk of explosion

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