# FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC. Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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### SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

# Silver Nitrate Solution, 0.3M - 1M

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CHEMTREC Emergency Phone Number: (800) 424-9300 Signal Word DANGER

Pictograms

#### SECTION 2 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard class: Corrosive to metals (Category 1). May be corrosive to metals (H290).

Hazard class: Skin corrosion or irritation (Category 1). Causes severe skin burns and eye damage (H314). Do not breathe mist, vapors or spray (P260).

SECTION 3 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component Name	CAS Number	Formula	Formula Weight	Concentration
Silver nitrate	7761-88-8	$AgNO_3$	169.87	5-17%
Water	7732-18-5	$H_2O$	18.00	83-95%

#### **SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES**

Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell.

If inhaled: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing (P304+P340).

**If in eyes:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing (P305+P351+P338).

If on skin (or hair): Immediately remove all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water (P303+P361+P353).

**If swallowed:** Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting (P301+P330+P331).

## **SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Nonflammable, noncombustible solution.

Reacts with NH<sub>3</sub> to form shock sensitive compounds. When heated to decomposition, may emit toxic fumes.

**In case of fire: Flood with water.** Do NOT use tri-class dry chemical, carbon dioxide or halon fire extinguisher.

NFPA CODE

None established

## **SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Ventilate area. Contain spill with sand or absorbent material; deposit in sealed bag or container. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information. Absorb spills to prevent material damage (P390).

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#### **SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Inorganic #3. Store with amides, nitrates, nitrites, and azides. Light sensitive. Store in a Flinn Chem-Saf<sup>TM</sup> bag, and lock up in a poison cabinet. Keep only in original container (P234).

### SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection (P280). Wash thoroughly after handling (P264). Exposure guidelines: (as silver nitrate) PEL/TLV 0.01 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (OSHA, ACGIH)

### **SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Colorless liquid. Odorless.

# **SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Shelf life: Indefinite, but light sensitive. See Section 7 for further information.

#### **SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute effects: Diarrhea, cyanosis

ORL-RAT LD<sub>50</sub>: 1173 mg/kg as silver nitrate
Chronic effects: Argyrosis

IHL-RAT LC<sub>50</sub>: N.A.

Chronic effects: Argyrosis IHL-RAT  $LC_{50}$ : N.A. Target organs: N.A. SKN-RBT  $LD_{50}$ : N.A.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

#### **SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Toxic to aquatic species.

### **SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply before proceeding.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #11 is one option.

# **SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Shipping name: Not regulated. Hazard class: N/A. UN number: N/A.

N/A = Not applicable

# **SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Not listed.

## **SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION**

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