

Safety data sheet

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1 Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

· 1.1. Product identifier

· Trade name: Solution C for Silver Staining Kit

· Article number: 43811

· 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

· Application of the substance / the preparation Laboratory chemicals

· 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

· Manufacturer/Supplier:

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2 Hazards identification

· 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

· Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008



GHS05

Skin Corr. 1B H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.



GHS09

Aquatic Acute 1 H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

Aquatic Chronic 1 H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

· Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC



C; Corrosive

R34: Causes burns.



N; Dangerous for the environment

R50/53: Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

· Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:

The product has to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.

· Classification system:

The classification was made according to the latest editions of the EU-lists, and expanded upon from company and literature data.

· 2.2. Label elements

· Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

The product is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.

· Hazard pictograms GHS05, GHS09

· Signal word Danger

· Hazard-determining components of labelling:

silver nitrate

· Hazard statements

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

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H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

· **Precautionary statements**

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P303+P361+P353 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+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P301+P330+P331 IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

· **2.3. Other hazards**

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** PBT - assessment not available.

· **vPvB:** vPvB - assessment not available.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

· **3.2. Chemical characterization: Mixtures**

· **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with harmless additions.

· **Dangerous components:**




CAS: 7761-88-8

silver nitrate

5-15%

EINECS: 231-853-9

 C R34;  N R50/53

 Ox. Sol. 2, H272;  Skin Corr. 1B, H314;  Aquatic Acute 1, H400; Aquatic Chronic 1, H410

· **Additional information** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

4 First aid measures

· **4.1. Description of first aid measures**

· **After inhalation** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.

· **After skin contact** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

· **After eye contact**

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Remove present contact lenses, if easy to do, and continue rinsing.

· **After swallowing** Drink copious amounts of water and provide fresh air. Call for doctor immediately.

· **Information for doctor**

· **4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

No further relevant information available.

· **4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No further relevant information available.

5 Firefighting measures

· **5.1. Extinguishing media**

· **Suitable extinguishing agents**

CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

· **5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.

· **5.3. Advice for firefighters**

· **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

· **Additional information**

Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter the sewage system.

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6 Accidental release measures

- **6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
- **6.2. Environmental precautions:**
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.
- **6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
- **6.4. Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling**
- **7.1. Precautions for safe handling** Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.
- **7.3. Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **8.1. Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**
The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.
- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **8.2. Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures**
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
- **Breathing equipment:**
Short term filter device:
Filter P3.
- **Protection of hands:**
Protective gloves.
The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.
Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

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- **Material of gloves**

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- **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

- **For the permanent contact of a maximum of 15 minutes gloves made of the following materials are suitable:**

Natural rubber, NR

Nitrile rubber, NBR

- **Eye protection:** Tightly sealed goggles.

- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

9 Physical and chemical properties

- **9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

- **General Information**

- **Appearance:**

Form:	Solution
Colour:	Colourless
· Odour:	Odourless
· Odour threshold:	Not determined.

- **pH-value:** Not applicable.

- **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range:	undetermined
Boiling point/Boiling range:	undetermined

- **Flash point:** Not applicable

- **Flammability (solid, gaseous)** Not determined.

- **Ignition temperature:**

Decomposition temperature: Not determined.

- **Self igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

- **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

- **Explosion limits:**

Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.

- **Vapour pressure:** Not applicable.

· Density:	Not determined
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not applicable.
· Evaporation rate	Not applicable.

- **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

Water: Soluble

- **Segregation coefficient (n-octanol/water):** Not determined.

- **Viscosity:**

dynamic: Not applicable.

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kinematic:	Not applicable.
· Solvent content:	
Organic solvents:	0.0 %
· VOC %:	0.00 %
· Solids content:	100.0 %
· 9.2. Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

- **10.1. Reactivity** No further relevant informations available
- **10.2. Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known
- **10.4. Conditions to avoid exposure to the light**
- **10.5. Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6. Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known

11 Toxicological information

- **11.1. Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**

- **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

7761-88-8 silver nitrate

Oral	LD50	50 mg/kg (Maus)
		1173 mg/kg (rat)
	LC50/96h	0.0085 mg/l (Fish)

- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** Caustic effect on skin and mucous membranes.
- **on the eye:** Causes serious eye damage.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
The product shows the following dangers according to the calculation method of the General EU Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version:
Corrosive

12 Ecological information

- **12.1. Toxicity**

- **Acquatic toxicity:**

7761-88-8 silver nitrate

EC50/48h	0.0006 mg/l (Daphnia magna)
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- **12.2. Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behaviour in environmental systems:**
- **12.3. Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4. Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Ecotoxicological effects:**
- **Remark:** Toxic for fish
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Water danger class 3 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): extremely hazardous for water.
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system, even in small quantities.

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- Must not reach sewage water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralized.
Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground.
Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies.
Toxic for aquatic organisms
- **12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
 - **PBT:** PBT - assessment not available.
 - **vPvB:** vPvB - assessment not available.
 - **12.6. Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

- **13.1. Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14 Transport information

- **14.1. UN-Number**
· **ADR, IMDG, IATA** UN3082
- **14.2. UN proper shipping name**
· **IMDG** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (SILVER NITRATE SOLUTION)
· **IATA** Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s., (Silver nitrate solution)
- **14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**
· **ADR, IMDG, IATA**

 - **Class** 9 Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles.
 - **Label** 9
- **14.4. Packing group**
· **ADR, IMDG, IATA** III
- **14.5. Environmental hazards:** Product contains environmentally hazardous substances: Silver nitrate solution
· **Marine pollutant:** Yes
Symbol (fish and tree)
· **Special marking (ADR):** Symbol (fish and tree)
· **Special marking (IATA):** Symbol (fish and tree)
- **14.6. Special precautions for user** Warning: Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles.
· **Danger code (Kemler):** 90
· **EMS Number:** F-A,S-F
· **Segregation groups** Heavy metals and their salts (including their
- **14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code** Not applicable.

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· **Transport/Additional information:**

· **ADR**

· **Tunnel restriction code**

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· **UN "Model Regulation":**

UN3082, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS
SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S., solution, 9, III

15 Regulatory information

- **15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **National regulations**
- **Water hazard class:** Water danger class 3 (Self-assessment): extremely hazardous for water.
- **15.2. Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· **Relevant phrases**

H272 May intensify fire; oxidiser.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

R34 Causes burns.

R50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

· **Department issuing MSDS:** Product safety department

· **Contact:** +49 6221 13840-35

· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

PBT: persistent, bioaccumulative, toxic substance (REACH)

vPvB: very persistent, very bioaccumulative substance (REACH)

REACH: Regulation concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals

CLP: Regulation on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

· *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**