MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

PO#: 5035 HACH ORDER#: 460032

MSDS DATE: 2/16/93 CHANGE NO.: 8745 For Assistance, Contact:
Regulatory Affairs Dept.
PO Box 907 Ames, IA 50010
(800) 227-4224

HACH COMPANY PO BOX 907 AMES, IA 50010

Emergency Telephone # Rocky Mountain Poison Ctr. (303) 623-5716

I. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: Silver Nitrate 1.128 ± 0.005N

CAS NO.: NA

CHEMICAL NAME: Not applicable

FORMULA: Not applicable

CHEMICAL FAMILY: Not applicable

II. INGREDIENTS

Silver Nitrate

HAZARD: Very toxic, corrosive

Demineralized Water

PCT: to 100 CAS NO.: 7732-18-5 SARA: NOT LISTED
TLV: Not applicable PEL: Not applicable
HAZARD: None

III. PHYSICAL DATA

STATE: liquid APPEARANCE: Clear and colorless ODOR: None
SOLUBILITY IN: WATER: Miscible ACID: Miscible OTHER: Not determined
BOILING POINT: >100C MELTING PT.: NA SPEC GRAVITY: 1.154 pH: 4.3
VAPOR PRESSURE: Not determined VAPOR DENSITY (air=1): ND
EVAPORATION RATE: 0.51 METAL CORROSIVITY - ALUMINUM: 0.55 in/yr
STEEL: 0.00 in/yr STABILITY: See Conditions to Avoid
STORAGE PRECAUTIONS: Store in a cool place protected from light.

IV. FIRE, EXPLOSION HAZARD AND REACTIVITY DATA

FLASH PT.: Not applicable METHOD: NA
FLAMMABILITY LIMITS - LOWER: NA UPPER: NA
SUSCEPTIBILITY TO SPONTANEOUS HEATING: None
SHOCK SENSITIVITY: None AUTOIGNITION PT.: NA EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: water
FIRE/EXPLOSION HAZARDS: May emit toxic fumes in fire
HAZARDOUS DECOMP. PRODUCTS: May emit toxic fumes of silver and nitrogen
oxides in fire
OXIDIZER: No NFPA Codes: Health: 0 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0
CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Exposure to light

V. HEALTH HAZARD DATA

THIS PRODUCT MAY BE: irritating to eyes and skin.

ACUTE TOXICITY: Moderately toxic

ROUTES OF EXPOSURE: ingestion

TARGET ORGANS: Not determined

CHRONIC TOXICITY: Not determined

ROUTES OF EXPOSURE: Not determined

TARGET ORGANS: Not determined

CANCER INFORMATION: An ingredient of this mixture is an experimental tumorigen.

ROUTES OF EXPOSURE: Not determined

TARGET ORGANS: Not determined

TARGET ORGANS: Not determined

OVEREXPOSURE: May cause irritation, discoloration of skin and eyes on contact. Swellowing may cause severe abdominal pain and irritation of digestive tract.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE: None reported

VI. PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES

Avoid contact with eyes and skin.
Wash thoroughly after handling.
PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: adequate ventilation, lab grade gogglas, disposable
latex gloves

VII. FIRST AID

EYE AND SKIN CONTACT: Immediately flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Call physician. Wash skin with soap and plenty of water. INGESTION: Give large quantities of water. Call physician immediately. INHALATION: Not applicable

VIII. SPILL AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

IN CASE OF SPILL OR RELEASE: Cover the contaminated surface with sodium bicarbonate or a sode ash-slaked lime mixture (50-50). Mix end add water if necessary to form a slurry. Scoop up slurry and wesh the site with sode ash solution. The neutralized slurry may contain sufficient heavy metal concentration to require landfilling or treatment at an EPA approved site.

DISPOSE OF IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL REGULATIONS.

IX. TRANSPORTATION DATA

D.O.T. PROPER SHIPPING NAME: Corrosive liquid, n.o.s.
(Silver Nitrate Solution)

HAZARD CLASS: Corrosive Material ID: UN1760

I.C.A.O. PROPER SHIPPING NAME: Corrosive liquid, n.o.s.
(Sliver Nitrate Solution)
HAZARD CLASS: 8 ID: UN1760 GROUP: III

I.M.O. PROPER SHIPPING NAME: Corrosive liquid, n.o.s.
(Silver Nitrate Solution)

HAZARD CLASS: 8 ID: UN1760 GROUP: III

X. REFERENCES

- TLV's Threshold Limit Values and Biological Exposure Indices for 1988-1989. American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, 1988.
- Air Contaminants, Federal Register, Vol. 54, No. 12, Thursday, January 19, 1989. pp. 2332-2983.
- 3) In-house information
- 4) Technical judgment
- Sax, N. Irving. Dangerous Properties of Industrial Materials, 6th Ed. New York: Van Nostrand Reinhold Co. 1984.

SARA: This product contains a chemical or chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372.

THE INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS BASED ON DATA CONSIDERED TO BE ACCURATE. HOWEVER, NO WARRANTY IS EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED REGARDING THE ACCURACY OF THESE DATA OR THE RESULTS TO BE OBTAINED FROM THE USE THEREOF.