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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION V HEALTH HAZARD DATA

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Threshold Limited Value None established for Lead Nitrate. (ACGIH 1992-93). TWA for Lead [CAS No. 7439-92-1], inorganic dust and fumes, as Pb 0.15 mg/m³.

Effects of Overexposure **INHALATION AND INGESTION:** Acute effects are weakness, fatigue, sleep disturbance, headache, aching bones and muscles, abdominal pains, constipation and decreased appetite. Chronic effects include anemia, pallor, blue "lead line" on the gums, severe headache, convulsions, coma, delirium, kidney injury and possible death.

Emergency and First Aid Procedures **INGESTION:** If swallowed, if conscious, give one or two glasses of water to drink, induce vomiting. Repeat until vomit fluid is clear. Call physician immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. **SKIN:** Flush with water, then wash with mild soap and water. **EYES:** Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids occasionally. If irritation develops, get medical attention. **INHALATION:** If inhaled as dust or mist, remove to fresh air, get medical attention.

SECTION VI REACTIVITY DATA

Stability	Unstable		Conditions to Avoid	Excessive temperature to cause evaporation.
	Stable	X		

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid) Organic materials, reducing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products Thermal decomposition or burning may produce oxides of nitrogen (NO_x), lead fumes.

Hazardous Polymerization	Conditions to Avoid		Not applicable.
	May Occur	Will Not Occur	
		X	

SECTION VII SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

Steps to be taken in case material is released or spilled Absorb spill in vermiculite, sand, earth, paper towel and place in a suitable container. Wash spill area with soap and water.

Waste Disposal Method Discharge, treatment, or disposal may be subject to Federal, State or Local laws. These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only.

Dispose of in an approved chemical landfill or contract with a licensed waste disposal service.

SECTION VIII SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

Respiration Protection (Specify Type) None needed in normal laboratory handling. If misty conditions prevail, work in ventilation hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

Ventilation	Local Exhaust	Not required.	Special	No.
	Mechanical (General)	Not required.	Other	No.

Protective Gloves	Rubber.	Eye Protection	Chemical safety glasses.
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Other Protective Equipment Lab coat, apron, eye wash station, proper gloves.

SECTION IX SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

Precautions to be Taken in Handling & Storing Store in a cool place. Wash thoroughly after handling.
Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

Other Precautions Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals.

Do not take internally. Remove and wash contaminated clothing.

For laboratory use only. Not for drug, food or household use. Keep out of reach of children.

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SECTION I NAME 24 HOUR EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

Product	LEAD NITRATE 0.5 MOLAR AQ. SOL'N	 CHEMTREC 800-424-9300 Day 716-226-6177 NFPA HAZARD RATING LEAST SLIGHT MODERATE HIGH EXTREME 0 1 2 3 4 HMIS *
Chemical Synonyms	Lead Nitrate, Water Solution	
Formula	Mixture. See Section II.	
Unit Size	up to 3.785 Lt.	
C.A.S. No.	Mixture. See Section II.	

SECTION II INGREDIENTS OF MIXTURES

Principal Component(s)	%	TLV Units
Lead Nitrate: (CAS No. 10099-74-8)	16.6%	See Section V.
Water: (CAS No. 7732-18-5)	83.4%	None established.

WARNING! MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

SECTION III PHYSICAL DATA

Melting Point (°F)	Freezes approx. 0°C (32°F)	Specific Gravity (H₂O = 1)	Approx. 1.0
Boiling Point (°F)	Approx. 100°C (212°F)	Percent Volatile by Volume (%)	83.4%
Vapor Pressure (mm Hg)	14 (water).	Evaporation Rate (Water = 1)	Slightly less than 1.
Vapor Density (Air=1)	0.7 (water).		
Solubility in Water	Complete.		
Appearance & Odor	Clear, water white liquid; no odor.		

SECTION IV FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

Flash Point (Method Used)	Non-flammable.	Flammable Limits in Air % by Volume	NA	Lower	Upper
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Extinguisher Media Use any media suitable for extinguishing supporting fire.

SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES

If involved in fire situation, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus. Use flooding amounts of water in early stages of fire.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS

In fire conditions resulting in the evaporation of the water solution, Lead Nitrate is an active oxidizing material. In contact with easily oxidizable substances it may react rapidly enough to cause ignition, violent combustion or explosion. Increases the flammability of any combustible substance. Yields toxic fumes of lead and oxides of nitrogen (NO_x).

D.O.T. NON-REGULATED.

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