

Safety Data Sheet

GMS Stain Kit (OSHA)

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS classification in accordance with: OSHA (29 CFR 1910.1200)

- Sensitization, skin (C.4.7), Cat. 1

2.2 GHS label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



1. Exclamation mark

Signal word

Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H317
H332

May cause an allergic skin reaction
Harmful if inhaled

Precautionary statement(s)

P261
P271
P272
P280
P302+P352
P304+P340
P312
P333+P313
P362+P364
P501

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace.
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.
IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.
If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
Dispose of contents/container to a licensed disposal company.

2.3 Other hazards which do not result in classification

No other hazards identified.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2 Mixtures

Components

Component 1.

1. Silver nitrate

Concentration <= 0.2 % (weight)

Other names / synonyms Argenti nitras; Nitric acid silver(1++) salt;
EC no. 231-853-9
CAS no. 7761-88-8
Index no. 047-001-00-2

- Oxidizing solids (chapter 2.14), Cat. 2
- Skin corrosion/irritation (chapter 3.2), Cat. 1B
- Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute) (chapter 4.1), Cat. 1
- Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic) (chapter 4.1), Cat. 1

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H272	May intensify fire; oxidizer
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

Component 2.

1. Methenamine

Concentration <= 3 % (weight)

Other names / synonyms

1,3,5,7-TETRAAZAADAMANTANE;
1,3,5,7-TETRAAZATRICYCLO[3.3.1.1.SUP 3,7]DECANE;
1,3,5,7-Tetraazatricyclo[3.3.1.1(3,7)]decane;
1,3,5,7-Tetraazatricyclo[3.3.1.1³,7]decane;
1,3,5,7-Tetraazatricyclo[33113,7]decane; ACETO HMT; AMINOFORM;
AMMOFORM; AMMONIOFORMALDEHYDE; CYSTAMIN; CYSTOGEN;
FORMAMINE; FORMIN; HEXA; HEXAFORM; HEXAMETHYLENAMINE;
HEXAMETHYLENEAMINE; HEXAMETHYLENETETRAAMINE;
Hexamethylenetetramine; HEXAMETHYLENETETRAMINE; HEXAMIN;
HEXAMINE; HEXILMETHYLENAMINE; HMT; HMTA; METHAMIN;
METHENEAMINE; PREPARATION AF; RESOTROPIN; UN 1328; URITONE;
UROTROPIN; UROTROPINE

EC no.	202-905-8
CAS no.	100-97-0
Index no.	612-101-00-2

- Flammable solids (chapter 2.7), Cat. 2
- Sensitization - skin (chapter 3.4), Cat. 1

H228	Flammable solid
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction

Component 3.

1. Gold (III) chloride trihydrate

Concentration	<= 0.2 % (weight)
CAS no.	16961-25-4

Component 4.

1. Disodium tetraborate, anhydrous

Concentration	<= 5 % (weight)
EC no.	215-540-4
CAS no.	1303-96-4

Component 5.

1. Sodium bisulfite

Concentration	<= 0.1 % (weight)
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Other names / synonyms	Sodium bisulfite (mixture of NaHSO ₃ and Na ₂ S ₂ O ₅); Sodium bisulfite (NaHSO ₃); sodium bisulphite; Sodium hydrogensulphite; sodium hydrogensulphite; Sulfurous acid, monosodium salt; Sulfurous acid, sodium salt (1:1)
EC no.	231-548-0
CAS no.	7631-90-5
Index no.	016-064-00-8

- Acute toxicity, oral (chapter 3.1), Cat. 4

H302 Harmful if swallowed

SECTION 4: First-aid measures

4.1 Description of necessary first-aid measures

General advice Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact Rinse with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

In case of eye contact Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

If swallowed Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell. If vomiting occurs naturally, have victim lean forward to reduce the risk of aspiration. Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Acute and delayed symptoms and effects: May cause gastrointestinal irritation. Signs/symptoms may include abdominal pain, stomach upset, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

Personal protective equipment for first-aid responders

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. For personal protection see section 8.

4.2 Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

4.3 Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

No data available

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1 Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

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5.2 Specific hazards arising from the chemical

No data available.

5.3 Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

Further information

No data available.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas. For personal protection see section 8.

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6.2 Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

CAS: 7631-90-5 (EC: 231-548-0)

Sodium bisulfite

ACGIH: 5 mg/m³ TLV® inhalation; NIOSH: 5 mg/m³ REL-TWA inhalation

8.2 Appropriate engineering controls

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Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

8.3 Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

Pictograms



Eye/face protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Body protection

Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Thermal hazards

No data available

Control banding approach

No data available.

Environmental exposure controls

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties and safety characteristics

Physical state	Liquid
Appearance	Clear
Color	Variable
Odor	Odorless
Odor threshold	No data available.
pH	Variable
Melting point/freezing point	No data available.
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available.
Flash point	No data available.
Evaporation rate	No data available.
Flammability	No data available.
Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit	No data available.
Vapor pressure	No data available.
Relative vapor density	No data available.
Density and/or relative density	No data available.
Solubility	No data available.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)	No data available.

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Auto-ignition temperature	No data available.
Decomposition temperature	No data available.
Kinematic viscosity	No data available.
Explosive properties	No data available.
Oxidizing properties	No data available.

Particle characteristics

No data available.

Supplemental information regarding physical hazard classes

No data available.

Further safety characteristics (supplemental)

No data available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

None under normal use conditions.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal use conditions.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Exposure to moisture.

Avoid storing in direct sunlight and avoid extremes of temperature.

Heat, flames and sparks.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Hexamethylenetetramine: Strong acids, Acids, Strong oxidizing agents

Sodium bisulfite: Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available In the event of fire: see section 5

Hexamethylenetetramine: Other decomposition products

- No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

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Hexamethylenetetramine
LD50 Oral - Rat - > 20,000 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation

Hexamethylenetetramine
LD50 Skin - Rat - > 2,000 mg/kg

Serious eye damage/irritation

Causes eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Based on available data, classification data are not met

Germ cell mutagenicity

Based on available data, classification data are not met

Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Reproductive toxicity

Based on available data, classification data are not met

STOT-single exposure

No data available.

STOT-repeated exposure

No data available.

Aspiration hazard

No data available.

Additional information

No data available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

Toxicity

Hexamethylenetetramine
LC50 - Cyprinodon variegatus (sheepshead minnow) - 49,000 mg/l - 96 h

Hexamethylenetetramine
EC50 - Daphnia magna (water flea) - 36,000 mg/l - 48 h

Persistence and degradability

Hexamethylenetetramine
aerobic - 28 d
Result: 35 % - According to the results of tests of biodegradability this product is not readily biodegradable.
(OECD Test Guideline 301D)

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Bioaccumulative potential

No data available.

Mobility in soil

No data available.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available.

Other adverse effects

No data available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

Disposal methods

Product disposal

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

Packaging disposal

Dispose of as unused product.

Waste treatment

No data available

Sewage disposal

Do not let product enter drains

Other disposal recommendations

Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with the local/regional/national/international regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

IMDG

Not dangerous goods

IATA

Not dangerous goods

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL)

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Chemical name: Nitric acid silver(1++) salt
CAS: 7761-88-8

Chemical name: 1,3,5,7-Tetraazatricyclo[3.3.1.1³,7]decane
CAS: 100-97-0

Chemical name: Sulfurous acid, monosodium salt
CAS: 7631-90-5

Massachusetts Right To Know Components

Chemical name: Silver nitrate
CAS number: 7761-88-8

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Chemical name: Sodium bisulfite
CAS number: 7631-90-5

New Jersey Right To Know Components

Common name: SILVER NITRATE
CAS number: 7761-88-8

Hexamethylenetetramine
CAS-No. 100-97-0

Chemical name: Sodium bisulfite
CAS number: 7631-90-5

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

Chemical name: Nitric acid, silver(1+) salt
CAS number: 7761-88-8

Hexamethylenetetramine
CAS-No. 100-97-0

Chemical name: Sodium bisulfite
CAS number: 7631-90-5

SARA 302 Components

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302

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SARA 311/312 Hazards

Fire Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

Acute Health Hazard

SARA 313 Components

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

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This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

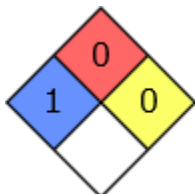
15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

The supplier of this product has not conducted any Chemical Safety Assessment

HMIS Rating

GMS Stain Kit (OSHA)	
HEALTH	1
FLAMMABILITY	0
PHYSICAL HAZARD	0
PERSONAL PROTECTION	B

NFPA Rating



SECTION 16: Other information

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16.1 Further information/disclaimer

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