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

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## SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

## **Lead Nitrate Solution**

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

#### Pictograms





#### **SECTION 2 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Hazard class: Acute toxicity, oral and inhalation (Category 4). Harmful if swallowed or inhaled (H302+H332). Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product (P270). Avoid breathing mist, vapors or spray (P261).

Hazard class: Carcinogenicity (Category 1B). May cause cancer (H350). Obtain special instructions before use (P201). Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood (P202). Use personal protective equipment as required (P281). Inorganic lead compounds are probable human carcinogens (IARC -2A, NTP reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen).

Hazard class: Reproductive toxicity (Category 1A). May damage fertility or the unborn child (H360).

Hazard class: Specific target organ toxicity, repeated exposure (Category 2). May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure (H373).

SECTION 3 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component Name	CAS Number	Formula	Formula Weight	Concentration
Lead nitrate Nitric acid Water	10099-74-8 7697-37-2 7732-18-5	Pb(NO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> HNO <sub>3</sub> H <sub>2</sub> O	331.20 63.00 18.00	33% or less <1% 97% or more

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

**If exposed or concerned:** Get medical advice or attention (P308+P313).

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.

If on skin: Rinse with plenty of water.

If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell (P302+P301+P312).

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

Nonflammable, noncombustible solution.

**In case of fire:** Use a tri-class dry chemical fire extinguisher.

NFPA CODE

None established

## <u>SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES</u>

Ventilate area. Contain the spill with sand or absorbent material and deposit in a sealed bag or container. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

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ORL-GPIG LDL<sub>0</sub>: 500 mg/kg (as lead nitrate)

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

SKN-RBT LD<sub>50</sub>: N.A.

## SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Inorganic #3. Store with amides, nitrates, nitrites, and azides. Use only in a hood or in a well-ventilated area (P271).

## SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection. Wash thoroughly after handling (P264). Use only in a hood or in a well-ventilated area (P271).

Exposure guidelines: (lead nitrate) PEL/TLV 0.05 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (OSHA, ACGIH)

## SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Clear, colorless liquid. Odorless.

#### **SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

When heated to decomposition, emits toxic fumes of Pb and NO<sub>x</sub>.

Shelf life: Indefinite, if stored properly.

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

Acute effects: Convulsions, seizures, weakness, muscle cramps,

methemoglobinemia.

Chronic effects: Anemia, reproductive hazard, probable carcinogen.

Target organs: Nerves, brain, blood, kidneys, female/male

reproductive system

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

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

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

## **SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

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

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #27f 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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