

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Section 1: Product Iden	tification	
Chemical Name:	Silver bromide (99.9%-Ag)	
Product Number:	93-4705	
CAS Registry Number:	7785-23-1	
Formula:	AgBr	
EINECS Number:	232-076-8	
Chemical Family:	metal halide	
Synonym:	Argentous bromide	

Section 2: Compositio	n and Information on	Ingredients			
Ingredient	CAS Number	Percent	ACGIH (TWA)	OSHA (PEL)	
Title Compound	7785-23-1	100%	no data	no data	

Section 3: Hazards Identif	ication
Emergency Overview:	Dust may be irritating to the respiratory tract, skin and eyes. May be harmful if swallowed. Chronic exposure may lead to a skin discoloration.
Primary Routes of Exposure:	Contact with skin and eyes. Inhalation of dust.
Eye Contact:	May be a mild irritant to the eyes.
Skin Contact:	May cause slight to mild irritation of the skin. Contact with the skin can lead to formation of dark blotches (silver staining)
Inhalation:	Inhalation of dust can lead to irritation of the respiratory tract.
Ingestion:	Ingestion may lead to dizziness, abdominal cramps, vomiting, bloody diarrhea, weakness, and convulsions.
Acute Health Affects:	May be irritating to skin, eyes and respiratory tract.
Chronic Health Affects:	Long term exposure to silver and silver salts can lead to the condition known as argyria - a general gray pigmentation of the skin and mucous membranes.
NTP:	No
IARC:	No
OSHA:	No

SECTION 4: First Aid Measures	
Eye Exposure:	Immediately flush the eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 10-15 minutes. A victim may need assistance in keeping their eye lids open. Get immediate medical attention.
Skin Exposure:	Wash the affected area with water. Remove contaminated clothes if necessary. Seek medical assistance if irritation persists.
Inhalation:	Remove the victim to fresh air. Closely monitor the victim for signs of respiratory problems, such as difficulty in breathing, coughing, wheezing, or pain. In such cases seek immediate medical assistance.
Ingestion:	Seek medical attention immediately. Keep the victim calm. Give the victim water (only if conscious). Induce vomiting only if directed by medical personnel.



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SECTION 5: Fire Fighting Meas	sures
Flash Point:	not applicable
Autoignition Temperature:	none
Explosion Limits:	none
Extinguishing Medium:	none required
Special Fire Fighting Procedures:	If involved in a fire, fire fighters should be equipped with a NIOSH approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.
Hazardous Combustion and	none
Decomposion Products:	
Unusual Fire or Explosion Hazards:	No unusual fire or explosion hazards.

### SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures

Spill and Leak Procedures:

To avoid raising dust, small spills may be mixed with diatomaceous earth, sand, vermiculite or other suitable inert material and swept up.

SECTION 7: Handling and Stor	age
Handling and Storage:	Store solid in a tightly sealed container away from light.
SECTION 8. Exposure Controls	s and Personal Protection

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Eye Protection:	Always wear approved safety glasses when handling a chemical substance in the laboratory.
Skin Protection:	Wear protective clothes and gloves. Consult glove manufacturer to determine the proper type of glove.
Ventilation:	If possible, handle the material in an efficient fume hood.
Respirator:	If in form of fine dust and ventilation is not available a respirator should be worn. The use of respirators
	requires a Respirator Protection Program to be in compliance with 29 CFR 1910.134.
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Additional Protection:	No additional protection required.

SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties		
Color and Form:	yellow pwdr.	
Molecular Weight:	187.78	
Melting Point:	432°	
Boiling Point:	no data	
Vapor Pressure:	no data	
Specific Gravity:	6.473	
Odor:	none	
Solubility in Water:	insoluble	

#### SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity

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Stability:	light sensitive
Hazardous Polymerization:	no hazardous polymerization
Conditions to Avoid:	light exposure
Incompatibility:	chlorine and active metals
Decomposition Products:	none



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### **SECTION 11: Toxicological Information**

RTECS Data:	No information available in the RTECS files.
Carcinogenic Effects:	no data
Mutagenic Effects:	no data
Tetratogenic Effects:	no data

#### **SECTION 12: Ecological Information**

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No information available

### **SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations**

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Disposal	

Dispose of according to local, state and federal regulations.

#### **SECTION 14: Transportation**

Shipping Name (CFR):	Non-hazardous
Hazard Class (CFR):	NA
Additional Hazard Class (CFR):	NA
Packaging Group (CFR):	NA
UN ID Number (CFR):	NA
Shipping Name (IATA):	Non-hazardous
Hazard Class (IATA):	NA
Additional Hazard Class (IATA):	NA
Packaging Group (IATA):	NA
UN ID Number (IATA):	NA

TSCA:Listed in the TSCA inventory.SARA (Title 313):Title Compound: See category code N740 for reporting.Second Ingredient:none	
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Third Ingredient: none	

<b>SECTION 16: Other Information</b>				
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