

# VHG Mercury Standard in Nitric Acid at 10 ppm

INGREDIENTS	CAS NO	%	8HR OEL
mercury (elemental)	7439-97-6	<0.1	0.025 mg/m3
nitric acid	7697-37-2	5	5.2 mg/m3
water	7732-18-5	>90	•



UN No: 3264 Hazchem Code: 2X DG Class: 8

Subsidiary Risk: Not Applicable

Packing Group: III

Poisons Schedule: Not Applicable



#### NFPA Rating:

- ▶ 0: Minimum
- ▶ 2: Moderate
- ▶ 3: High
- ▶ 4: Extreme

Liquid.

#### **HEALTH HAZARD INFORMATION**













**Acute Health** Effects: Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if

swallowed Causes burns.

Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Chronic **Health Effects:**  Danger of cumulative effects.

\* - limited evidence

### PRECAUTIONS FOR USE





**Appropriate** 

Fire/Explosion

Hazard:









engineering controls:	General Exhaust Ventilation adequate.
Glasses:	Consider full face-shield.
Gloves:	1.HYPALON 2.NEOPRENE/NATURAL
Respirator:	Type AEHG-P Filter of sufficient capacity. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 & 149:2001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)
Storage and Transportation:	Store in cool, dry, protected area. Restrictions on Storage apply. Refer to Full Report. Use only in well ventilated areas. Dispose of this material and its container at hazardous or special waste collection point. Keep locked up. Keep out of reach of children. Keep away from living quarters. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.
Fire/Explosion	Toxic smoke/fumes in a fire. Attacks metals to liberate hydrogen.

Use only in well ventilated areas.

Dispose of this material and its container at hazardous or special waste collection point.

## **PROPERTIES**







Mixes with water. Corrosive.

Acid.Does not burn.

# **EMERGENCY**









# **FIRST AID**

Swallowed:	Give water (if conscious). URGENT MEDICAL ATTENTION.
Eye:	Wash with running water (15 mins). Medical attention.
Skin:	Flood body with water. Remove contaminated clothing. Wash with water
Inhaled:	Fresh air. Rest, keep warm. If breathing shallow, give oxygen. Medical attention.
Advice To Doctor:	Airway problems - 100% O2. Treat burns as thermal. Retract eyelids - irrigate 30 mins. Retract eyelids/ Irrigate 30 mins.
Fire Fighting:	Keep surrounding area cool. Water spray/fog.
	Prevent from entering drains. Contain spillage by any means. Absorb with dry agent.

Neutralize with soda ash/ lime. Stop leak if safe to do so. Spills and Use only in well ventilated areas. Dispose of this material and its container at Disposal:

hazardous or special waste collection point.

This material and its container must be disposed of

in a safe way.

To clean the floor and all objects contaminated by

this material, use water.

# SAFE STORAGE WITH OTHER CLASSIFIED CHEMICALS





Explosive Radioactive

- Must not be stored together