
Subject: Aqua Regia

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Heck, I mix concentrated HCL and HNO₃ with 30% H₂O₂ every day to dissolve animal feed samples for mineral and metal analysis. Heat it up to 125 deg. C and cook it. It isn't that bad if you have a fume hood. H₂O₂ mixed with HCL can be nasty stuff without one. Now Hydrofluoric Acid is what makes me nervous! I triple glove with that stuff.
