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 **Light-sensitive color photographic material.**

 There is disclosed a silver halide light-sensitive color photographic material which comprises a support and coated thereon a light-sensitive layer containing a compound which, upon reaction with an oxidized color developing agent, is capable of releasing a diffusible development inhibitor and a negative type light-sensitive silver halide emulsion containing light-sensitive silver halide crystals essentially consisting of mono-dispersed silver halide crystals of which size distribution satisfies the following relation:

$$S/r \leq 0.15$$

wherein

$$S = \Sigma \sqrt{(r-r_i)^2 n_i^2} / \Sigma n_i \text{ and}$$

$$\bar{r} = \Sigma n_i r_i / \Sigma n_i \text{ in which}$$

r_i represents the crystal size of individual silver halide crystals and n_i represents the number of crystals.

The light-sensitive color photographic material of the present invention provides an image of remarkably improved sharpness.



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