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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### Product identifier

Product Name **KC-542**

### Other means of identification

Product Code 20627

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use Chlorinated alkaline cleaner

Uses advised against Follow the directions for use on the label when applying this product

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Manufacturer Address

Safe Foods Chemical Innovations

1501 E. 8<sup>th</sup> Street

North Little Rock, AR 72114

### Emergency telephone number

Company Phone Number 501-758-8500

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

#### OSHA Regulatory Status

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1

### Label elements

#### Emergency Overview

#### Danger

#### Hazard statements

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage



**Appearance** Aqueous solution **Physical state** Liquid **Odor** Chlorine

#### Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Do not breathe dusts or mists

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

#### Precautionary Statements - Response

Immediately call a poison center or doctor

Specific treatment (see Section 4 on SDS)

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Immediately call a poison center or doctor

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting

#### Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store locked up

#### Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not Applicable

### Other Information

- May be harmful if swallowed
- Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	weight-%
Water	7732-18-5	71-77
Potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	12-20
Trade Secret 1	Proprietary	2-7
Sodium hypochlorite	7681-52-9	1-4
Trade Secret 2	Proprietary	1-3
Trade Secret 3	Proprietary	< 1
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	< 0.2

\*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### First aid measures

##### **Eye contact**

Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Seek immediate medical attention/advice.

##### **Skin contact**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Wash contaminated clothing and shoes before reuse. For severe burns, immediate medical attention is required.

##### **Inhalation**

Remove to fresh air. Administer oxygen if breathing is difficult. Call a physician immediately.

##### **Ingestion**

Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician immediately.

#### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

##### **Symptoms**

See Section 11 for symptom information.

#### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

##### **Note to physicians**

Treat symptomatically.

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Dry chemical. Water spray (fog). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Foam.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** No information available.

#### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

No information available.

##### **Hazardous combustion products**

Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Chlorine gas released on contact with acids, or during thermal decomposition.

##### Explosion data

##### **Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact**

None.

##### **Sensitivity to Static Discharge**

None.

#### Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after fire is out. Non-combustible, substance itself does not burn but may decompose upon heating to produce corrosive and/or toxic fumes.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

##### **Personal precautions**

Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

##### **For emergency responders**

Isolate area. Keep unnecessary personnel away.

#### Environmental precautions

##### **Environmental precautions**

Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

#### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

##### **Methods for containment**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see Section 13).

##### **Methods for cleaning up**

Collect spillage. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling

##### **Advice on safe handling**

Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use only in well-ventilated areas. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Wash thoroughly after handling. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

<b>Storage Conditions</b>	Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep from freezing. Do not reuse container.
<b>Incompatible materials</b>	Acids. Amphoteric metals (aluminum, copper, zinc).

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

### Exposure Guidelines

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	(vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Controls** Showers, eyewash stations, ventilation system.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Splash proof chemical goggles and face shield.

**Skin and body protection** Wear protective Neoprene™ gloves or rubber gloves. Wear suitable protective clothing. Rubber boots recommended.

**Respiratory protection** If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

**General Hygiene Considerations** Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing and shoes before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

<b>Physical state</b>	Liquid	<b>Odor</b>	Chlorine
<b>Appearance</b>	Aqueous solution	<b>Odor threshold</b>	No information available
<b>Color</b>	Clear light yellow	<b>Remarks • Method</b>	
<b>Property</b>	<b>Values</b>		
<b>pH</b>	12.5		±1 @ 21°C (2% solution)
<b>Melting point/freezing point</b>	< -2 °C / < 28 °F		
<b>Boiling point / boiling range</b>	99-105 °C / 210-220 °F		
<b>Flash point</b>	Not flammable		
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	< 1		
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	No information available		
<b>Flammability Limit in Air</b>			
<b>Upper flammability limit:</b>	No information available		
<b>Lower flammability limit:</b>	No information available		
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	No information available		
<b>Vapor density</b>	> 1		
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	1.231 g/cc		
<b>Water solubility</b>	Miscible in water		
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available		
<b>Partition coefficient</b>	No information available		
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	No information available		
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	No information available		
<b>Kinematic viscosity</b>	No information available		
<b>Dynamic viscosity</b>	No information available		
<b>Explosive properties</b>	No information available		
<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	No information available		
<b>VOC Content (%)</b>	0.00%		

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

No data available

### Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions. This product will gradually lose some of its oxidizing power over time. Elevated temperatures and contaminants can rapidly accelerate decomposition, possible leading to a hazardous condition.

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

### Conditions to avoid

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

### Incompatible materials

Acids. Amphoteric metals (aluminum, copper, zinc).

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Chlorine gas released on contact with acids, or during thermal decomposition.

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Information on likely routes of exposure****Product Information****Inhalation**

Inhalation of vapors in high concentration may cause irritation of respiratory system. Vapors may be irritating to eyes, nose, throat, and lungs.

**Eye contact**

Risk of serious damage to eyes. Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage including blindness.

**Skin Contact**

Corrosive. Contact causes severe skin irritation and possible burns.

**Ingestion**

Harmful if swallowed. Can burn mouth, throat, and stomach. Ingestion causes burns of the upper digestive and respiratory tracts.

**Chemical Name**

**Persistence and degradability**

No information available.

**Bioaccumulation**

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	0.65 0.83

**Mobility**

Miscible in water.

**Other adverse effects** No information available**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Waste treatment methods****Disposal of wastes** Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.**Contaminated packaging** Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status	
Potassium hydroxide - 1310-58-3	Toxic	Corrosive
Sodium hydroxide - 1310-73-2	Toxic	Corrosive

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION****DOT**

UN/ID No. 1760  
 Proper shipping name Corrosive liquids, n.o.s. (contains potassium hydroxide and sodium hypochlorite)  
 Hazard Class 8  
 Packing Group II  
 Emergency Response Guide Number 154

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION****International Inventories**

TSCA Complies  
 DSL/NDSL Complies  
 EINECS/ELINCS Does not comply

**Legend:**

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**US Federal Regulations****SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Acute health hazard Yes  
 Chronic Health Hazard No  
 Fire hazard No  
 Sudden release of pressure hazard No  
 Reactive Hazard No

**CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	1000 lb	-	-	X
Sodium hypochlorite 7681-52-9	100 lb	-	-	X
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	1000 lb	-	-	X

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	1000 lb	-	RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

Sodium hypochlorite 7681-52-9	100 lb	-	RQ 100 lb final RQ RQ 45.4 kg final RQ
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	1000 lb	-	RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

**US State Regulations****California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

<b>Chemical Name</b>	<b>New Jersey</b>	<b>Massachusetts</b>	<b>Pennsylvania</b>
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	X	X	X
Sodium hypochlorite 7681-52-9	X	X	X
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	X	X	X