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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product Code(s) PN002571

Product Name Alkaline Pre-treatment Reagent

Synonyms Fungitell Pre-treatment Reagent

Pure substance/mixture Mixture

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended use Laboratory reagent

Uses advised against No information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier

Associates of Cape Cod, Intl, Inc.
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Moorgate Road
Liverpool L33 7RX
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For further information, please contact

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone Chemtel
(International) +1-360-256-7365
(North America) +1-800-704-9215

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2 - (H315)
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2 - (H319)

2.2. Label elements

**Signal word**

Warning

Hazard statements

H315 - Causes skin irritation.

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements

P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

P280 - Wear protective gloves and eye/face protection.

P321 - Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label).

P332 + P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

P337 + P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

P362 + P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Unknown aquatic toxicity

Contains 0.75 % of components with unknown hazards to the aquatic environment.

2.3. Other hazards

The product does not contain any substance(s) classified as PBT or vPvB.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**3.1 Substances**

Not applicable

3.2 Mixtures

Chemical name	Weight-%	EC No (EU Index No)	UK REACH registration number	Classification according to GB CLP (SI 2020/1567 as amended)	Specific concentration limit (SCL)	M-Factor	M-Factor (long-term)
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	>0.5-<1	(019-002-00-8) 215-181-3	-	Acute Tox. 4 (H302) Skin Corr. 1A (H314)	Eye Irrit. 2 :: 0.5%<=C<2% Skin Corr. 1A :: C>=5% Skin Corr. 1B :: 2%<=C<5% Skin Irrit. 2 :: 0.5%<=C<2%	-	-

Full text of H- and EUH-phrases: see section 16This product does not contain candidate substances of very high concern at a concentration $\geq 0.1\%$ (UK REACH Article 59)**SECTION 4: First aid measures**

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General advice	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.
Eye contact	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
Skin contact	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a doctor.
Self-protection of the first aider	Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8).

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms	May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Burning sensation.
Effects of Exposure	No information available.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to doctors	Treat symptomatically.
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SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**5.1. Extinguishing media**

Suitable Extinguishing Media	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	None known based on information supplied.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards arising from the chemical	No information available.
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5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters	Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.
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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Personal precautions	Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required.
Other information	Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

For emergency responders Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Pick up and transfer to properly labelled containers.

Prevention of secondary hazards Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections See section 8 for more information. See section 13 for more information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

General hygiene considerations Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific use(s) No information available.

Risk Management Methods (RMM) The information required is contained in this Safety Data Sheet.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Exposure Limits

Chemical name	United Kingdom
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	STEL: 2 mg/m ³

Biological occupational exposure limits This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) - Workers

Chemical name	Oral	Dermal	Inhalation

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Potassium Chloride 7447-40-7		303 mg/kg bw/day [4] [6] 910 mg/kg bw/day [4] [7]	1064 mg/m ³ [4] [6] 5320 mg/m ³ [4] [7]
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3			1 mg/m ³ [5] [6]

Notes

[4]	Systemic health effects.
[5]	Local health effects.
[6]	Long term.
[7]	Short term.

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) - General Public

Chemical name	Oral	Dermal	Inhalation
Potassium Chloride 7447-40-7	91 mg/kg bw/day [4] [6] 455 mg/kg bw/day [4] [7]	910 mg/kg bw/day [4] [6] 910 mg/kg bw/day [4] [7]	273 mg/m ³ [4] [6] 1365 mg/m ³ [4] [7]
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3			1 mg/m ³ [5] [6]

Notes

[4]	Systemic health effects.
[5]	Local health effects.
[6]	Long term.
[7]	Short term.

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

Chemical name	Freshwater	Freshwater (intermittent release)	Marine water	Marine water (intermittent release)	Air
Potassium Chloride 7447-40-7	0.1 mg/L	1 mg/L	0.1 mg/L		

Chemical name	Freshwater sediment	Marine sediment	Sewage treatment	Soil	Food chain
Potassium Chloride 7447-40-7			10 mg/L		

8.2. Exposure controls**Engineering controls**

Showers
Eyewash stations
Ventilation systems.

Personal protective equipment**Eye/face protection**

If splashes are likely to occur, wear safety glasses with side-shields. Eye protection must conform to standard EN 166.

Hand protection

Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves. Gloves must conform to standard EN 374.

Skin and body protection

Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing.

Respiratory protection	No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.
General hygiene considerations	Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance		
Physical state	Liquid	
Colour	Colourless	
Odour	No information available	
Odour threshold	No information available	
<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
Melting point / freezing point		No data available
Initial boiling point and boiling range		No data available
Flammability		No data available
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability or explosive limits		No data available
Lower flammability or explosive limits		No data available
Flash point		No data available
Autoignition temperature		No data available
Decomposition temperature		No data available
pH	12.7	
pH (as aqueous solution)		No data available
Kinematic viscosity		No data available
Dynamic viscosity		No data available
Water solubility		No data available
Solubility(ies)		No data available
Partition coefficient		No data available
Vapour pressure		No data available
Relative density	1.01 @ 20°C	
Bulk density		No data available
Liquid Density		No data available
Vapour density		No data available
Particle characteristics		
Particle Size		No data available
Particle Size Distribution		No data available
Explosive properties	No information available.	
Oxidising properties	No information available.	

9.2. Other information

VOC	No information available
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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity	No information available.
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10.2. Chemical stability

Stability Stable under normal conditions.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None.

Sensitivity to static discharge None.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid None known based on information supplied.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Incompatible materials Ketones, Strong acids, Strong bases, Strong oxidising agents.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information**11.1. Toxicological information****Information on likely routes of exposure****Product Information**

Inhalation	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
Eye contact	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes serious eye irritation. (based on components). May cause redness, itching, and pain.
Skin contact	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes skin irritation. (based on components).
Ingestion	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Symptoms Redness. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes.

Acute toxicity**Numerical measures of toxicity**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

ATEmix (oral) >2,000.00 mg/kg

Component Information

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Potassium hydroxide	= 284 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation	Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes skin irritation.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes serious eye irritation.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Germ cell mutagenicity	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Carcinogenicity	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Reproductive toxicity	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
STOT - single exposure	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
STOT - repeated exposure	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Aspiration hazard	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Other adverse effects	No information available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity

Unknown aquatic toxicity Contains 0.75 % of components with unknown hazards to the aquatic environment.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability No information available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation

Component Information

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
Potassium hydroxide	0.83

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility in soil No information available.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT and vPvB assessment The product does not contain any substance(s) classified as PBT or vPvB.

Chemical name	PBT and vPvB assessment
Potassium hydroxide	The substance is not PBT / vPvB

12.6. Other adverse effects

No information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**13.1. Waste treatment methods**

Waste from residues/unused products Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse empty containers.

SECTION 14: Transport information**IMDG**

Not regulated
 14.1 UN number or ID number Not regulated
 14.2 UN proper shipping name Not regulated
 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) Not regulated
 14.4 Packing group Not applicable
 14.5 Environmental hazards Not applicable
 14.6 Special Precautions for Users
 Special Provisions None
 14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments No information available

RID

Not regulated
 14.1 UN number Not regulated
 14.2 UN proper shipping name Not regulated
 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) Not regulated
 14.4 Packing group Not applicable
 14.5 Environmental hazards Not applicable
 14.6 Special Precautions for Users
 Special Provisions None

ADR

Not regulated
 14.1 UN number or ID number Not regulated
 14.2 UN proper shipping name Not regulated
 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) Not regulated
 14.4 Packing group Not applicable
 14.5 Environmental hazards Not applicable
 14.6 Special Precautions for Users
 Special Provisions None

IATA

Not regulated
 14.1 UN number or ID number Not regulated
 14.2 UN proper shipping name Not regulated

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not applicable
14.5 Environmental hazards	Not applicable
14.6 Special Precautions for Users	
Special Provisions	None
Note:	None

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

National regulations

Authorisations and/or restrictions on use:

This product does not contain substances subject to authorisation (UK REACH - Annex XIV). This product does not contain substances subject to restriction (UK REACH - Annex XVII).

Persistent Organic Pollutants

Not applicable

Export Notification requirements

Not applicable

Named dangerous substances per COMAH Regulations 2015 (as amended)

Not applicable

The Ozone-Depleting Substances Regulations 2015

Not applicable

The Biocidal Products Regulations 2001 (as amended)

Not applicable

The Water Environment (Water Framework Directive) (England and Wales) Regulations 2017 (as amended)

Not applicable

Poisons Act 1972 (Explosive Precursors) Regulations (as Amended)

Chemical name	Poisons and Explosive Precursors
Potassium hydroxide	Poison, Reportable 17 % of total caustic alkalinity

International Inventories

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Chemical Safety Report

Chemical safety assessments for substances in this mixture were not carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Full text of H-Statements referred to under section 3

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Legend

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation:

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Maximum limit value	*	Skin designation
+	Sensitisers	SCBA	Self-contained breathing apparatus

Classification procedure	
Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]	Method Used
Acute oral toxicity	Calculation method
Acute dermal toxicity	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - gas	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - vapour	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - dust/mist	Calculation method
Skin corrosion/irritation	Calculation method
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Calculation method
Respiratory sensitisation	Calculation method
Skin sensitisation	Calculation method
Mutagenicity	Calculation method
Carcinogenicity	Calculation method
Reproductive toxicity	Calculation method
STOT - single exposure	Calculation method
STOT - repeated exposure	Calculation method
Acute aquatic toxicity	Calculation method
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Calculation method
Aspiration hazard	Calculation method
Ozone	Calculation method

Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database
 European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)
 European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) Committee for Risk Assessment (ECHA_RAC)
 European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) (ECHA_API)
 EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)
 Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals
 Food Research Journal
 Hazardous Substance Database
 International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)
 National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)
 Australian National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)
 NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)
 National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)
 National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)
 National Toxicology Program (NTP)
 New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)
 Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications
 Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Programme
 Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set
 World Health Organization

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This material safety data sheet complies with the requirements of UK REACH

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

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