

# SAFETY DATE SHEET

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## 1 PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION English

- (1.) Trade Name: **SERUM 1000 ACCELERATOR**
- (2.) Chemical Name: Potassium Hydroxide (3.) Product Number: 5-730-12
- (4.) Chemical Family: alkaline reagent
- (5.) Chemical Formula: Proprietary
- Manufacturer: Serum Products, LLC  
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- (8.) **Emergency Phone Number:** Medical: (866)-477-6078 Transportation: **(800)-535-5053**



## 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

- (1.) Hazardous Classification: Corrosive Liquid, GHS Classification: Acute Toxicity Oral (Category 3), Skin Corrosion (Category 1A), Serious eye damage (Category 2A), Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 3)
- (2.) Signal Word: Danger
- (3.) Hazardous Statement: H301: Toxic if swallowed. H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. H315: Causes skin. H319: Causes eye irritation.
- (4.) Precautionary Labeling: Harmful or fatal if swallowed. Causes severe eye injury. Avoid contact with skin causes skin irritation and/or blistering. Do not ingest. Keep out of reach of children. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Store container in cool dry areas. Store at temperatures below 100° F. Do not dispose of the unused portions in water courses, streams, rivers, estuaries and oceans. Do not reuse empty containers. Do not return unused in original packaging material.
- (5.) Description Other Hazards: not applicable
- (6.) Unknown Toxicity: not applicable

HAZARD CLASS  
**8**

UN NUMBER  
**UN-1814**

EMERGENCY PHONE  
**(800)-535-5053**

## 3 COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Note: the list of all hazardous substances or CERCLA greater 1% and carcinogens at 0.1% or greater.

(1.) Ingredient:	(2.) SARA Nota 313	(3.) CAS #:	(4.) % range:	(5.) PEL:	(6.) LD50:	(7.) TLV:
Potassium Hydroxide Liquid	No	1310-58-3	1-45	n/d	214mg/kg	n/d
Water	No	7732-18-5	55-99	n/d	n/d	n/d

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Balance Nonhazardous

Note:

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## FIRST AID MEASURES

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- (1.) Main entry routes into the body(s): \_\_\_\_\_ (2.) Eyes: X (3.) Skin: X (4.) Inhalation: \_\_\_\_\_ (5.) Ingestion: \_\_\_\_\_
- (6.) Acute Effects:
- (7.) Eyes: Immediately flush eyes with a directed stream of water for at least 15 minutes, forcibly holding eyelids apart to ensure complete irrigation of all eye and lid tissues. Washing eyes within several seconds is essential to achieve maximum effectiveness. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.
- (8.) Skin: Immediately flush contaminated areas with water. Remove contaminated clothing, jewelry and shoes. Wash contaminated areas with soap and water. Thoroughly clean and dry contaminated clothing before reuse.
- (9.) Inhalation: If adverse effects occur, remove to uncontaminated area. Give artificial respiration if not breathing. If breathing is difficult, oxygen should be administered by qualified personnel. Seek Immediate medical attention.
- (10.) Ingestion: DO NOT induce vomiting. Loosen tight clothing. Give victim plenty of water to dilute stomach contents. Seek immediate medical attention.
- (11.) Acute Symptoms: Risk of permanent corneal injury and possible blindness if splashed in the eyes
- (12.) Note to Physician:  
The absence of visible signs or symptoms of burns does NOT reliably exclude the presence of actual tissue damage. Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

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## FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

- (1.) Flammable Properties: Non-combustible, substance itself does not burn but may decompose upon heating to produce corrosive and/or toxic fumes. May react with chemically reactive metals such as aluminum, zinc, magnesium, copper, etc. to release hydrogen gas which can form explosive mixtures in air.

### *Extinguishing media*

- (2.) Suitable Extinguishing Media:  
Use extinguishing agents appropriate for surrounding fire.

- (3.) Unsuitable extinguishing media:  
Do not use dry chemicals, CO<sub>2</sub>, Halon, foam or fire blanket

### *Protection of Fire Fighters*

- (4.) Protective Equipment:  
Wear NIOSH approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus operated in pressure demand mode. Avoid contact with skin.
- (5.) Specific Hazards:  
Move container from fire area if it can be done without risk. Cool containers with water.

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**6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES** English

- (1.) Personal Precautions: Avoid contact with skin.
- (2.) Environmental Precautions: Wear appropriate personal protective equipment recommended in Section 8 of the SDS. Completely contain spilled material with dikes, sandbags, etc. Keep out of water supplies and sewers. Liquid material may be removed with a vacuum truck. Flush spill area with water, if appropriate. This material is alkaline and may raise the pH of surface waters with low buffering capacity. Releases should be reported, if required, to appropriate agencies.
- (3.) Waste Disposal Method: The use of a low grade acid will accelerate the neutralization process. Solution should be neutralized to pH 7.0. Follow local, state and federal regulations for disposal.

**7 HANDLING AND STORAGE**

- (1.) Storage: Store and handle in accordance with all current regulations and standards. Keep container tightly closed and properly labeled. Do not store in aluminum containers or use aluminum fittings or transfer lines, as flammable hydrogen gas may be generated. Keep separated from incompatible substances (see Section 10 of SDS)
- (2.) Handling: Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. When mixing, slowly add to water to minimize heat generation and spattering.
- (3.) Precautionary Labeling: Harmful or fatal if swallowed. Causes severe eye injury. Avoid contact with skin causes skin irritation and/or blistering. Do not ingest. Keep out of reach of children. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Store container in cool dry areas. Store at temperatures below 100<sup>0</sup> F. Do not dispose of the unused portions in water courses, streams, rivers, estuaries and oceans. Do not reuse empty containers. Do not return unused in original packaging material.

**8 Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

- (1.) **Ventilation:** (2.) Local Exhaust:      (3.) General Exhaust: X (4.) None Required:
- (5.) **Personal Protection Equipment:**  
(6.) **Respirator Type:** (7.) Full Face Respirator:      (8.) Half Face Respirator:      (9.) Dust Particle Filter: X
- Note:
- (10.) **Gloves:** (11.) Natural rubber:      (12.) Plastic: X (13.) Nitril: X (14.) Neoprene: X (15.) Butyl:       
(16.) Other:
- (17.) **Eye Protection:** (18.) Glasses With Side Shields: X (19.) Full Face Shield:      (20.) Chemical Splash Goggles: X  
(21.) Other: None

(22.) **Symbols Of PPE Required:**



CHEMICAL NAME:	ACGIH	OSHA
Potassium Hydroxide	2mg/m <sup>3</sup>	2mg/m <sup>3</sup>

(23.) **Engineering Controls:**

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### PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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- (1.) Physical State: Liquid
- (2.) Appearance: Clear
- (3.) Odor: None
- (4.) Boiling Point: 289 °F 143 °C
- (5.) Freeze Point: -20 °F -29 °C
- (6.) Flash Point: No inflamable °F
- (7.) Specific Gravity: 1.45
- (8.) Density: 12.67 lbs./Gal.
- (9.) pH Neat: 13.5
- (10.) pH 1%: 13.0
- (11.) % Solids: 45.0%
- (12.) % Volatiles: 55.0%
- (13.) Solubility In Water: Complete
- (14.) Vapor Pressure: n/d
- (15.) Vapor Density: n/d
- (16.) Evaporation Rate: > 1 (butyl acetate = 1)
- (17.) VOC Less Exempt: 0.0
- (18.) VOC As Packaged: 0.0
- (19.) Viscosity: 500

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### CHEMICAL STABILITY & REACTIVITY INFORMATION

- (1.) Thermal Stability: Stable
- (2.) Chemical Stability: Stable
- (3.) Condition To Avoid: Mixing with water, acid or incompatible materials may cause splattering and release of large amounts of heat. Will react with some metals forming flammable hydrogen gas. Carbon monoxide gas may form upon contact with reducing sugars, food and beverage products in enclosed spaces
- (4.) Hazardous Decomposition Products: None known
- (5.) Hazardous Polymerization: (A) May Occur:      (B) Will not occur: X
- (6.) Materials To Avoid: Acids, Flammable liquids, Halogenated compounds, prolonged contact with aluminum, brass, bronze, copper, lead, tin, zinc or other alkali sensitive metals or alloys.
- (7.) Corrosive Action On Materials: severe on aluminum
- (8.) Avoid: Aluminum

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### TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- (1.) Routs(s) of entry into the body: (2.) Eyes: X (3.) Skin: X (4.) Inhalation:      (5.) Ingestion:
- (2.) Eyes: Contact with the eyes from this product could result into severe damage and possibly blindness.
- (3.) Inhalation: Short term: difficulty in breathing with nausea. Long term: Asphyxiation could occur.
- (4.) Skin: **Incidental contact:** will cause skin burning. **Long Term Contact:** may cause blistering and skin damage.
- (5.) Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed. Large exposure could be fatal.
- (6.) Toxicity Data: When in solution, this material will affect all tissues with which it comes in contact. The severity of the tissue damage is a function of its concentration, the length of tissue contact time, and local tissue conditions. After exposure there may be a time delay before irritation and other effects occur. This material is a strong irritant and is corrosive to the skin, eyes and mucous membranes. This material may cause severe burns and

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### (7.) Summary Of Health Effects:

**SKIN:** Immediate burning and possible blistering, Long-term damage to the epidermis or dermis could be possible. The  
**EYES:** Potassium Hydroxide can cause permanent corneal damage resulting in severe damage and possibly blindness.  
This product is not classified as a carcinogen by NTP, IARC or OSHA

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### ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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#### (1.) Environment:

**Aquatic Toxicity:** This material is alkaline and may raise the pH of surface waters with low buffering capacity. This material has exhibited moderate toxicity to aquatic organisms.

**Freshwater Fish Toxicity:** LC50 (Mosquito fish): 80 mg/L/96 hr (static bioassay in fresh water at 18-19C). LC50 (Fathead Minnow): 179 mg/L/96 hr (static at 22.3-24.7 C)

**Invertebrate Toxicity:** EC50 (Daphnia magna): 60 mg/L/48 hr (static bioassay at 20.3-20.7 C)

**Algae Toxicity:** ErC50 (selenastrum capricornutum): 61 mg/L/96 hr (static bioassay at 23-23.9 C)

**FATE AND TRANSPORT: BIODEGRADATION:** This material will disassociate into ionic form in the aquatic environment. Natural carbon dioxide will slowly neutralize this material.

**BIOCONCENTRATION:** This material will not bioconcentrate.

**ADDITIONAL ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION:** This material has exhibited slight toxicity to terrestrial organisms.

**ECOLOGICAL HAZARDS:** this material has exhibited moderate toxicity to aquatic organisms.

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### DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### (1.) Waste Disposal:

Reuse or reprocess, if possible. Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. May be subject to disposal regulations

#### (2.) Legislation:

N/D

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### TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

(1.) Indicate country agency/regulator that specifies requirements: U.S.A.-DOT

#### (2.) Proper Shipping Description:

Limited Quantity, Item Name: Serum 1000 Accelerator, Item Number: 5-730-12,  
Container: Case, NMFC: 48580-03

(3.) Hazard Class: 8, (4.) Hazard Number: UN-1814, (5.) HazChem Code Number: N/D

(6.) Packaging Group: PG II, (7.) Emergency Response Code: ERG#60,

(8.) Labels Required: Limited Quantity

(9.) Other Requirements: Do not reuse containers. Dispose of according to your local, state and Federal regulations.

(10.) Note: **DO NOT SHIP THIS PRODUCT BY AIR. - SHIP GROUND ONLY**

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## REGULATORY INFORMATION

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(1.) Poison Schedule:

**US REGULATIONS:** OSHA REGULATORY STATUS: This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

**CERCLA SECTIONS 102a/103 HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES (40 CFR 302.4):** If a release is reportable under CERCLA section 103, notify the state emergency response commission and local emergency planning committee. In addition, notify the National Response Center at (800) 424-8802 or (202) 426-2675.

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## OTHER INFORMATION

(1.) Additional Information:

ACRONYMS :

ADB - Air Dry Basis

BEI - Biological Exposure Index ( s )

CAS # - Chemical Abstract Service number - used to uniquely identify chemical compounds

CNS - Central Nervous System

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

M - moles per liter concentration unit

mg/m<sup>3</sup> - Milligrams per cubic meter

NOS - Not specified

pH - relates to hydrogen ion concentration using a scale of 0 ( high acidic) to 14 (very alkaline)

ppm = parts per million

TWA / ES - Time Weighted Average or Exposure Standard .

IBC Code - International Bulk Chemical Code

IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

HEALTH EFFECTS OF EXPOSURE :

Note that the effects of exposure to this product will depend on several factors including : the frequency and duration of use ; amount used ; effectiveness of control measures ; protective equipment used and method of application . Since it is impractical to prepare a Chem Alert report which would encompass all possible scenarios , it is anticipated that users assess the risks and apply control methods where appropriate .

(2) Recommendations:

The recommendation for protective equipment contained within this Chem Alert report is provided as a guide only . Factors such as method of application, working environment , quantity used , product concentration and the availability of engineering controls should be considered before making the final selection of personal protective equipment .

COLOUR RATING SYSTEM : All Chem Alert reports is rated green, amber or red for the sole purpose of providing users with a quick and easy way to determine the dangerousness of a product. Safe handling recommendations are provided in the Chem Alert reports so as to clearly identify how users can control the hazards and hence reduce the risk ( or likelihood ) of adverse effects. As a general guideline , rated Green indicates a low risk , a rating of amber indicates a moderate degree of risk and red indicates a high risk.

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(3) Report Status:

This document has been prepared by whey products manufacturer of the product and serves as the manufacturer's safety data (SDS) .

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