



# Hydragenix® ProKleen (AFCO 5756)

## Safety Data Sheet

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## SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION

### Product Identifier

**Product Form:** Mixture

**Product Name:** Hydragenix® ProKleen

**Product Code:** AFCO 5756

### Intended Use of the Product

**Use of the Substance/Mixture:** Concentrated heavy-duty, alkaline cleaner and degreaser. For professional use only.

### Name, Address, and Telephone of the Responsible Party

#### Company

AFCO

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### Emergency Telephone Number

**Emergency Number** : 1-800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC)

## SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification of the Substance or Mixture

#### Classification (GHS-US)

Acute Tox. 4 (Dermal) H312

Skin Corr. 1A H314

Eye Dam. 1 H318

### Label Elements

#### GHS-US Labeling

##### Hazard Pictograms (GHS-US)

:



GHS05

##### Signal Word (GHS-US)

: Danger.

##### Hazard Statements (GHS-US)

: H312 - Harmful in contact with skin  
H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage  
H318 - Causes serious eye damage

##### Precautionary Statements (GHS-US)

: P234 - Keep only in original container.  
P260 - Do not breathe vapours, dust.  
P264 - Wash hands, forearms, and other exposed areas thoroughly after handling.  
P280 - Wear protective glove, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection.  
P301+P330+P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.  
P303+P361+P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.  
P304+P340 - IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.  
P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.  
P321 - Specific treatment (see section 4).  
P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.  
P370+P378 - In case of fire: Use appropriate media for extinction.  
P406 - Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner.

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P501 - Dispose of contents/container according to local, regional, national, territorial, provincial, and international regulations.

### Other Hazards

**Other Hazards Not Contributing to the Classification:** Exposure may aggravate those with pre-existing eye, skin, or respiratory conditions.

**Unknown Acute Toxicity (GHS-US):** Not available.

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### Substances

#### Mixture

Name	Product identifier	% (w/w)	Classification (GHS-US)
Sulfonic acids, C14-16-alkane hydroxy and C14-16-alkene, sodium salts	(CAS No) 68439-57-6	5-10	Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Dam. 1, H318 Aquatic Acute 2, H401
Sodium metasilicate	(CAS No) 6834-92-0	1-5	Met. Corr. 1, H290 Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 STOT SE 3, H335
Sodium xylene sulfonate	(CAS No) 1300-72-7	1-5	Eye Irrit. 2A, H319
Sodium hydroxide	(CAS No) 1310-73-2	1-5	Met. Corr. 1, H290 Skin Corr. 1A, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 Aquatic Acute 3, H402
Sodium propionate	(CAS No) 137-40-6	1-5	Acute Tox. 4 (Dermal), H312 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318

The exact percentage of composition are withheld as a trade secret [29 CFR § [1910.1200 App E](#)].

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16.

## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### Description of First Aid Measures

**General:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

**Inhalation:** When symptoms occur: go into open air and ventilate suspected area. Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Obtain medical attention if breathing difficulty persists.

**Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing. Drench affected area with water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention if irritation persists. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Eye Contact:** Rinse immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Protect unharmed eye. Continue rinsing. Obtain medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

**Ingestion:** Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

### Most Important Symptoms and Effects Both Acute and Delayed

Effects are immediate and delayed. Symptoms may include blistering, irritation, burns, and pain. Effects are dependent on exposure (dose, concentration, contact time). Small amounts splashed into eyes can cause irreversible tissue damage and blindness. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

### Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

Treat symptomatically. Symptoms may be delayed.

## SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### Extinguishing Media

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, or dry chemical.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:** Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

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### Special Hazards Arising From the Substance or Mixture

**Fire Hazard:** Not flammable.

**Explosion Hazard:** Product is not explosive.

### Advice for Firefighters

**Precautionary Measures Fire:** Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.

**Firefighting Instructions:** Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers.

**Protection During Firefighting:** Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** Carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>). Sulfur oxides (SO<sub>x</sub>). Phosphorus compounds.

**Other information:** Do not allow run-off from firefighting to enter drains or water courses.

### Reference to Other Sections

Refer to section 9 for flammability properties.

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

**General Measures:** Do not breathe (vapors, dust). Avoid all contact with skin and eyes.

### For Non-Emergency Personnel

**Protective Equipment:** Use appropriate personal protection equipment (PPE).

**Emergency Procedures:** Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

### For Emergency Personnel

**Protective Equipment:** Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

**Emergency Procedures:** Ventilate area. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

### Environmental Precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Avoid release to the environment.

### Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

**For Containment:** Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams.

**Methods for Cleaning Up:** Neutralise with acid. Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Contact competent authorities after a spill.

### Reference to Other Sections

See heading 8, Exposure Controls and Personal Protection.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for Safe Handling

**Additional Hazards When Processed:** Do not breathe vapours/dust. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. To avoid spills during handling, keep bottle on a metal tray.

**Hygiene Measures:** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, or smoking and again when leaving work. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands and forearms thoroughly after handling.

### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities

**Technical Measures:** Comply with applicable regulations.

**Storage Conditions:** Store in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Keep/Store away from extremely high or low temperatures, incompatible materials.

**Incompatible Materials:** Acids. Oxidizing agents.

**Special Rules on Packaging:** Keep only in original container.

**Specific End Use(s):** For professional use only.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control Parameters

Sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2)		
Mexico	OEL Ceiling (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
USA ACGIH	ACGIH Ceiling (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
USA OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
USA NIOSH	NIOSH REL (ceiling) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
USA IDLH	US IDLH (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

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Ontario	OEL Ceiling (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Québec	PLAFOND (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

### Exposure Controls

**Appropriate Engineering Controls:** Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Ensure all national/local regulations are observed. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. If user operations generate fumes, vapor, spray, or mist use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or statutory limits.

**Personal Protective Equipment:** Protective goggles. Faceshield with Protective goggles/glasses. Protective clothing. Gloves.



**Materials for Protective Clothing:** Chemically resistant materials and fabrics. Corrosionproof clothing.

**Hand Protection:** Wear chemically resistant protective gloves.

**Eye Protection:** Chemical goggles &/or face shield with protective goggles.

**Skin and Body Protection:** Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Respiratory Protection:** A respirator is not needed under normal and intended conditions of use.

**Other Information:** When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State	: Liquid.
Appearance	: Clear, green.
Odor	: Mild.
Odor Threshold	: Not available.
pH	: 13.0 – 13.5
Relative Evaporation Rate (butylacetate=1)	: 1
Melting Point	: Not available.
Freezing Point	: Not available.
Boiling Point	: 104.44°C (219.992°F)
Flash Point	: Does not flash.
Auto-ignition Temperature	: Not determined.
Decomposition Temperature	: Not available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Not flammable.
Lower Flammable Limit	: Not available.
Upper Flammable Limit	: Not available.
Vapor Pressure	: Not available.
Relative Vapor Density at 20°C	: Not available.
Specific Gravity	: 1.109
Solubility	: Soluble in water.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: Not available.
Viscosity, kinematic	: 6.1 mm <sup>2</sup> /s (20°C)
Explosion Data – Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact	: Not available.
Explosion Data – Sensitivity to Static Discharge	: Not available.

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### SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Reactivity:** Stable.

**Chemical Stability:** Stable under normal conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:** No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Extremely high or low temperatures. Incompatible materials.

**Incompatible Materials:** Strong oxidizing agents. Metals. Acids. Reducing agents.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>). Sulfur oxides (SO<sub>x</sub>).

### SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on Toxicological Effects

##### Acute Toxicity - Components:

###### Sodium metasilicate (6834-92-0):

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 Rat: 1,153 mg/kg

###### Sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2):

Acute dermal toxicity: Acute toxicity estimate Rabbit: 1,350 mg/kg

##### Acute Toxicity - Product:

Acute oral toxicity estimate: >5,000 mg/kg

Method: Calculation method

Acute dermal toxicity estimate: >5,000 mg/kg

Method: Calculation method

**Skin Corrosion/Irritation:** Extremely corrosive and destructive to tissue.

**Serious Eye Damage/Irritation:** May cause irreversible eye damage.

**Respiratory or Skin Sensitization:** No data available.

**Germ Cell Mutagenicity:** No data available.

**Teratogenicity:** Not available.

**Carcinogenicity:** No data available.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure):** No data available.

**Reproductive Toxicity:** No data available.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure):** No data available.

**Aspiration Hazard:** No data available.

#### Information on Toxicological Effects - Ingredient(s)

##### LD50 and LC50 Data:

Sodium xylene sulfonate (1300-72-7)	
LD50 Oral Rat	1,000 mg/kg
Sodium propionate (137-40-6)	
LD50 Oral Rat	>2,000 mg/kg
LD50 Dermal Rabbit	>2,000 mg/kg
Sodium metasilicate (6834-92-0)	
LD50 Oral Rat	600 mg/kg
Sulfonic acids, C14-16-alkane hydroxy and C14-16-alkene, sodium salts (68439-57-6)	
ATE	>5,000 mg/kg

### SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Toxicity

**Ecology - General:** No data available.

Sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2)	
LC50 Fish 1	40 mg/l
Sodium metasilicate (6834-92-0)	
LC50 Fish 1	210 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Brachydanio rerio [semi-static])
LC50 Fish 2	210 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Brachydanio rerio)
Sodium propionate (137-40-6)	
LC50 Fish 1	4,740 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Pimephales promelas [flow-through])

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EC50 Other Aquatic Organisms 1	100 mg/l (Exposure time: 48 h)
<b>Sulfonic acids, C14-16-alkane hydroxy and C14-16-alkene, sodium salts (68439-57-6)</b>	
LC50 Fish 1	5.6 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Cyprinus carpio [flow-through])
EC50 Daphnia 1	5.2 mg/l (Exposure time: 48 h - Species: Daphnia magna)
LC50 Fish 2	1.67 mg/l (Exposure time: 96h - Species: Lepomis macrochirus)

### Persistence and Degradability

<b>Hydragenix® ProKleen (AFCO 5756)</b>	
Persistence and Degradability	No data available.

### Bioaccumulative Potential

<b>Hydragenix® ProKleen (AFCO 5756)</b>	
Bioaccumulative Potential	No data available.

**Mobility in Soil** No data available.

### Other Adverse Effects

**Other Information:** Avoid release to the environment.

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste Disposal Recommendations:** Dispose of waste material in accordance with all local, regional, national, provincial, territorial and international regulations.

**Ecology - Waste Materials:** This material is hazardous to the aquatic environment. Keep out of sewers and waterways. Do not re-use empty containers.

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### 14.1 In Accordance with DOT

Proper Shipping Name	: CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide)
Hazard Class	: 8
Identification Number	: UN3266
Label Codes	: 8
Packing Group	: II
EGR Number	: 154



### 14.2 In Accordance with IMDG

Proper Shipping Name	: CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide)
Hazard Class	: 8
Identification Number	: UN3266
Packing Group	: II
Label Codes	: 8



### 14.3 In Accordance with IATA

Proper Shipping Name	: CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide)
Packing Group	: II
Identification Number	: UN3266
Hazard Class	: 8
Label Codes	: 8
ERG Code (IATA)	: 8L



### 14.4 In Accordance with TDG

Proper Shipping Name	: CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide)
Packing Group	: II
Hazard Class	: 8
Identification Number	: UN3266
Label Codes	: 8



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### SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### US Federal Regulations

<b>Hydragenix® ProKleen (AFCO 5756)</b>	
<b>SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes</b>	Immediate (acute) health hazard. Skin corrosion or irritation. Serious eye damage or eye irritation.
<b>Sulfonic acids, C14-16-alkane hydroxy and C14-16-alkene, sodium salts (68439-57-6)</b>	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory.	
<b>Sodium metasilicate (6834-92-0)</b>	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory.	
<b>Sodium xylene sulfonate (1300-72-7)</b>	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory.	
<b>Sodium propionate (137-40-6)</b>	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory.	
<b>Sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2)</b>	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory.	

CERCLA Reportable Quantity (RQ)	
<b>Sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2)</b>	
<i>Component RQ (lbs)</i>	<i>Calculated product RQ (lbs)</i>
1000	*

\*: Calculated RQ exceeds reasonably attainable upper limit.

#### US State Regulations

<b>Sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2)</b>
U.S. - California - SCAQMD - Toxic Air Contaminants - Non-Cancer Acute U.S. - California - Toxic Air Contaminant List (AB 1807, AB 2728) U.S. - New Jersey - Discharge Prevention - List of Hazardous Substances U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List U.S. - New Jersey - Special Health Hazards Substances List U.S. - New York - Occupational Exposure Limits - TWAs U.S. - New York - Reporting of Releases Part 597 - List of Hazardous Substances U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term
<b>Sodium propionate (137-40-6)</b>
U.S. - California - SCAQMD - Toxic Air Contaminants - Non-Cancer Chronic U.S. - California - Toxic Air Contaminant List (AB 1807, AB 2728) U.S. - New Jersey - Discharge Prevention - List of Hazardous Substances U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List U.S. - New Jersey - Special Health Hazards Substances List U.S. - New York - Occupational Exposure Limits - TWAs U.S. - New York - Reporting of Releases Part 597 - List of Hazardous Substances U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term
<b>Sodium xylene sulfonate (1300-72-7)</b>
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term

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U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term

### Canadian Regulations

#### Sodium metasilicate (6834-92-0)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.

#### Sulfonic acids, C14-16-alkane hydroxy and C14-16-alkene, sodium salts (68439-57-6)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.

#### Sodium xylene sulfonate (1300-72-7)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.

#### Sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.

#### Sodium propionate (137-40-6)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the SDS contains all of the information required by CPR.

### SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OR LAST REVISION

Revision date : 03/07/2025

Other Information : This document has been prepared in accordance with the SDS requirements of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

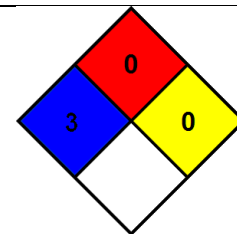
#### GHS Full Text Phrases:

Acute Tox. 4 (Dermal)	Acute toxicity (Dermal) Category 4.
Aquatic Acute 2	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute Hazard Category 2.
Aquatic Acute 3	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute Hazard Category 3.
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 1.
Eye Irrit. 2A	Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A.
Skin Corr. 1A	Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1A.
Skin Corr. 1B	Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1B.
Skin Irrit. 2	Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2.
STOT SE 3	Specific target organ toxicity single exposure Category 3.
H290	May be corrosive to metals.
H312	Harmful in contact with skin.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H335	Peut irriter les voies respiratoires.
H401	Toxic to aquatic life.
H402	Harmful to aquatic life.

NFPA Health Hazard : 3 - Short exposure could cause serious temporary or residual injury even though prompt medical attention was given.

NFPA Fire Hazard : 0 - Materials that will not burn.

NFPA Reactivity : 0 - Materials that are normally stable, even under fire conditions and are not reactive with water.



#### HMIS III Rating

Health : 3 Serious Hazard - Major injury likely unless action is taken, and medical treatment is given.

Flammability : 0 - Minimal Hazard.

Physical : 0 - Minimal Hazard.



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### Party Responsible for the Preparation of This Document

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