

What to do when a spill occurs

Suggestions for the use of Spill Kits

Identify spilled product. If you are NOT familiar with the liquid and its chemical properties, vacate the area and contact proper authorities.

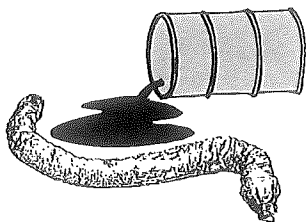


1. Risk Assessment

Evaluate the type of material spilled and identify the source.

2. Protective Clothing

Wear the appropriate protective gear for the situation. If the source or the material are not identifiable assume the worst.



3. Containment

Contain the liquid and seal drains

4. Stop the Source

Close valves, rotate punctured drums and plug leaks where it is possible and safe to do so.



5. Begin Clean Up

Use sorbents to absorb spilt liquids.

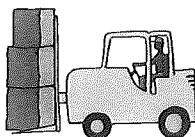
6. Contact Authorities

Report the spill to the proper legal authorities in your community. Be sure to fill out all necessary reports in accordance with local laws.



7. Disposal of Used Material

Absorbent materials take on the characteristics of whatever they absorb. Be sure to dispose of used absorbents and spilt liquids in accordance with local laws



8. Decontaminate

Clean all tools and reusable materials properly before reuse.

9. Restock Materials

Replace absorbent materials and safety equipment used in any clean up operation.



10. Review Contingency Plans and Procedures!

PLEASE NOTE: THE SPILL KIT IS A STOP-GAP MEASURE FOR MINOR SPILL CLEAN-UP. IF A SERIOUS SPILL OCCURS, CONTACT LOCAL AUTHORITIES FOR DIRECTION AND ASSISTANCE FOR THE PROBLEM. DUE TO THE POSSIBLE TOXIC AND HAZARDOUS FLUIDS ABSORBED, DOES NOT RECOMMEND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES.