

# **HMBP 101**

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# **Introductions**









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# Question

 How many years have people been a CUPA inspector or in industry?

A)o-1 years

B)2-5

C)5-10

D)10+



# **Key Points**

**Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act** 

Statutes and Regulations

**Hazardous Materials** 

Hazardous Material Business Plan

Release Reporting



# Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know (EPCRA)







# Bhopal, India

#### Worst industrial accident to ever occur

- Dec, 2, 1984
- Union Carbide Pesticide Plant
- Over 500,000 people exposed
- 45 tons of toxic methyl isocyanate gas
- 15,000+ died





Dec, 2-3 1984

# Bhopal, India

## Cause Cause and After Effects

- Substandard operating and safety procedures
- Understaffed facility
- Training deficiencies

#### **After Effects**

Creation of the EPCRA

#### **Documentary**

 Netflix: The Railway Men - The Untold Story Of Bhopal 1984





# **Emergency Planning & Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA) - 1986**

Goal: To help communities plan for chemical emergencies

- Protect
  - Regulate industry storage and incident reporting
- Educate
  - Increase the public's knowledge of the presence and threat of hazardous chemicals
- Prepare
  - Establishment of state and local committees to prepare communities and emergency response plans
- Respond
  - Help communities prepare to respond in the event of a chemical emergency



Authorized by Title III of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act (SARA)



# **Important EPCRA sections**

#### Section 301-303

- Establishes emergency planning requirements
- Requires notifying authorities of the presence of Extremely Hazardous Substances

#### Section 304

Requires notifying authorities when chemicals are released



# Important EPCRA sections

#### Section 311- 312

Requires facilities to report hazardous chemicals that are used and stored

#### Section 313

Establishes the Toxic Release Inventory Program

#### Section 322

Requires Facilities to submit forms to support any claims of trade secrecy



# **Government Agencies**

#### **FEDERAL**

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

#### **CALIFORNIA**

- California EPA (Cal EPA)
- State Emergency Response Committee (SERC)
- Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPPC)
- Certified Unified Program Agency (CUPA)



# Statues and Regulations



# Question 2

# What's the difference between a statute and regulation?

- A)Statutes are guidelines and regulations are laws
- B)Regulations are laws and statutes are rules
- C)Statutes are laws and regulations are rules
- D)Both are guidelines and you don't have to follow them



# **Federal**

#### **United States Code (USC)**

- Emergency and Hazardous Chemical Inventory Forms
  - Title 42, Section 11022

#### **Code of Federal Regulations (CFR)**

- Hazardous Chemical Reporting: Community Right-to-Know
  - Title 40, Part 370



# **California**

#### **HSC Chapter 6.95**

Article 1 Section 25500-25519

#### **Code California of Regulation (CCR)**

- Title 8, Section 339
- Title 19, Division 2 Chapter 4, Article 4
   Section 2620-2734



# Health and Safety Code - Division 20

Chapter 6.95: Hazardous Material Release Response Plan and Inventory [25500 – 25546.5]

- Article 1: [25500-25519]
  - Business Area plan
- Article 2 : [25531-25543.3]
  - Hazardous Materials Management
- Article 3: [25545]
  - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986
- Article 4 : [2546 -25546.5]
  - California Toxic Release Inventory Program



# **Related Laws**

• California Fire Code: Title 24, Part 9, Chapter 27

• § 2701.5.1 Hazardous Materials Management Plans (HMMP)

• § 2701.5.2 Hazardous Materials Inventory Statement (HMIS)





# Hazardous Materials





# What is a Hazardous *Material*?

"Hazardous material" is any material that, because of its

- Quality
- Concentration
- Physical or chemical characteristics

Poses a significant present or potential hazard to human health and safety or to the environment if released into the workplace or the environment, or material specified in an ordinance.



# What is a Hazardous Substance?

A substance, material, or mixture which by reason of being

- Explosive or flammable
- Poisonous
- Corrosive or oxidizing
- An irritant or otherwise harmful

Basically, a hazardous substance is likely to cause injury or illness.

#### Additional Hazardous Substance definitions:

- 5192(a)(3) Hazardous Wates Operations purposes only
- 5194(c) Hazardous Communications purposes only



## **Hazardous Substance**

- Manufacturer/ Producer is required to prepare a Safety Data Sheet (SDS)
- Listed as a hazardous substance:
  - 10 CFR, Part 30, Appendix B as a radioactive material
  - 49 CFR
  - 8 CCR §339
  - HSC §25115,25117, and 25316 as a hazardous waste



### **List of Hazardous Materials**

- List of Lists: a consolidated list of chemicals subjected to:
  - EPCRA
    - Section 302 & 304 Extremely Hazardous
    - Section 313 Toxic Chemicals
  - Substances (EHS) TPQ and RQ
  - CERCLA Hazardous Substances RQ
  - CAA112(r) Regulated Substances (RS) for accidental release prevention



# **List of Hazardous Materials**

# Appendix A

	NAME	CAS/313 Category Codes	Section 302 (EHS) TPQ	Section 304 EHS RQ	CERCLA RQ		RCRA CODE	
	Abamectin	71751-41-2				313		
	Acenaphthene	83-32-9			100			
	Acenaphthylene	208-96-8			5,000			
	Acephate	30560-19-1				313		
	Acetaldehyde	75-07-0			1,000	313	U001	10,000
	Acetaldehyde, trichloro-	75-87-6			5,000		U034	
	Acetamide	60-35-5			100	313		
	Acetic acid	64-19-7			5,000			
	Acetic acid, (2,4-dichlorophenoxy)-	94-75-7			100	X	U240	
	Acetic acid ethenyl ester	108-05-4	1,000	5,000	5,000	X		15,000
	Acetic anhydride	108-24-7			5,000			
	Acetone	67-64-1			5,000		U002	
	Acetone cyanohydrin	75-86-5	1,000	10	10	X	P069	
	Acetone thiosemicarbazide	1752-30-3	1,000/10,000	1,000				
	Acetonitrile	75-05-8			5,000	313	U003	
	Acetophenone	98-86-2			5,000	313	U004	
	2-Acetylaminofluorene	53-96-3			1	313	U005	
EPA.Gov	Acetyl bromide	506-96-7			5,000			
	Acetyl chloride	75-36-5			5,000		U006	



# **Hazardous Material**

**Hazardous Materials** 

**Hazardous Substance** 

**Hazardous Waste** 



# Question #3

All Hazardous waste is a hazardous material

- 1.True
- 2.False



# **Excluded Chemicals**

#### **Federal Definitions**

- Any food, food additive, color additive, drug, or cosmetic regulated by the FDA.
- Any substance present as a *solid* in any manufactured item that the extend *exposure to the substance does not occur under normal condition of use*.
- Any substance to the extent it is used for personal, family, or household purposes, or is
  present in the same form and concentration as a product packaged for distribution and use
  by the general public.
- Any substance to the extent it is used in a research laboratory/hospital/other medical facility under the direct supervision of technically qualified individual.
- Any substance to the extent it is used in routine agricultural operations or is a fertilizer held
  for sale by a retailer to the ultimate customer.





# Hazardous Material Classification



# **Hazardous Materials Classification**







# Question #4

# How many hazardous materials classes are put forth by DOT?

- a) 9
- b) 5
- c)7
- d) 11



# Department of Transportation (DOT)

Hazard class of dangerous goods is indicated by its class number or name.

#### 9 DOT Classes:

- Class 1: Explosive
- Class 2: Gases
- Class 3: Flammable Liquid and Combustible Liquid
- Class 4: Flammable Solid, Spontaneously Combustible, and Dangerous when Wet
- Class 5: Oxidizer and Organic Peroxide
- Class 6: Poison (Toxic) and Poison Inhalation Hazard
- Class 7: Radioactive
- Class 8: Corrosive
- Class 9: Miscellaneous





# **National Fire Protection Association**

- Defines hazardous material as:
  - A chemical or substance that is classified as a physical hazard material or a health hazard material, whether the chemical or substance is in usable or waste condition
- Physical Hazard Material
  - Explosive, Flammable cryogen, Flammable gas, Flammable solid, Ignitable liquid, Organic peroxide, Oxidizer, Oxidizing Cryogen, Pyrophoric, Unstable(reactive), Water-reactive
    - Health Hazard Material
      - Toxic
      - Highly Toxic
      - Corrosive

**NFPA 400** 



# Question #5

#### What is the difference between NFPA 400 and the DOT classes?

- A) NFPA is for when the chemical is being transported and DOT is for storage
- B) They are exactly same but have different pictures
- C) DOT is for when the chemical is being transported and NFPA is for storage
- D) Only the Fire Department uses DOT



# **OSHA - HazCom Standard - Physical**

#### **Fire Hazards**

- Combustible Liquid
- Flammable Liquid
- Flammable Aerosol
- Flammable Gas
- Flammable Solid
- Oxidizer
- Pyrophoric

#### **Reactive Hazards**

- Organic Peroxide
- Unstable (reactive)
- Water-reactive

#### **Explosion Hazards**

- Compressed Gas
- Explosive



#### **OSHA - HazCom Standard - Health**

#### **Systemic Effects**

- Carcinogen
- Toxic Agent
- Highly Toxic Agent
- Corrosive
- Irritant
- Sensitizer

#### **Target Organ Effects**

- Hepatotoxin
- Nephrotoxin
- Neurotoxin
- Blood/hematopoietic Toxin
- Reproductive Toxin
- Cutaneous Hazard
- Eye Hazard



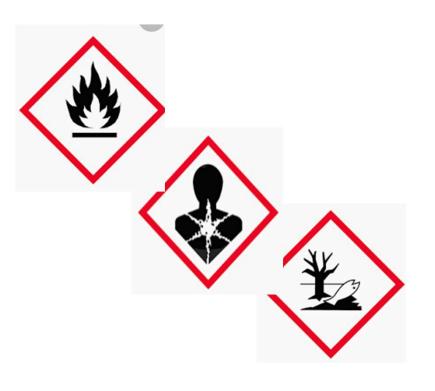
# **Global Harmonized System**

#### **Classification & Labeling of Chemicals**

Includes criteria for classification of

- Health
- Physical
- Environment health

Classification of chemicals by types of hazard and proposes harmonized hazard communication elements.





# **Global Harmonized System**

#### **Classification & labeling of Chemicals**



#### Exploding bomb

(for explosion or reactivity hazards)



#### Flame

(for fire hazards)



#### Flame over circle

(for oxidizing hazards)



#### Gas cylinder

(for gases under pressure)



#### Corrosion

(for corrosive damage to metals as well as skin, eyes)



#### Skull and crossbones

(can cause death or toxicity with short exposure to small amounts)



#### **Health hazard**

(may cause or suspected of causing serious health effects)



#### Exclamation mark

(may cause less serious health effects or damage the ozone layer\*)



#### Environment\*

(may cause damage to the aquatic environment)



# **Safety Data Sheet**

### **SDS**

- Formerly known as Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)
- User-friendly 16 section format is now required
- Includes information
  - Properties of each chemical
  - Physical health
  - Environmental health hazards
  - Protective measures
  - Safety precautions for handling
  - Storing and transporting chemical





# **Safety Data Sheet**

### **SDS**

### **Section 1-8**

- General info about the chemicals
- ID
- Hazard
- Composition
- Safety handling practices
- Emergency control measures

### Section 9- 11 &16

Other technical and scientific info such as:

- Physical and chemical properties
- Stability and reactivity
- Toxicology
- Exposure control

### **Section 12-15**

To be consistent with UN GHS but not OSHA enforced



# SDS example

### SAFETY DATA SHEET

Revision Date June 12, 2015 Issuing Date January 5, 2015 Revision Number 1

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

Product identifier

XXXXX Regular-Bleach

Other means of identification

**EPA Registration Number** 5813-100

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Household disinfecting, sanitizing, and laundry bleach Recommended use

Uses advised against No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

The XXXXX Company

1221 Broadway Oakland, CA 94612 Phone: 1-510-XXX-XXXX

Emergency telephone number

**Emergency Phone Numbers** 

For Medical Emergencies, call: 1-800-446-1014 For Transportation Emergencies, call Chemtrec: 1-800-424-9300

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### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

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

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

### GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

### **Emergency Overview**

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage Causes serious eye damage



Physical State Thin liquid Odor Bleach

Presautionary Statements - Prevention
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.
Wear protective gloves, protective ciching, face protection, and eye protection such as safety glasses.

Precautionary Statements - Response

Immediately call a poison center or doctor. If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water.

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

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

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Precautionary Statements - Storage Store locked up.

Precautionary Statements - Disposal
Dispose of contents in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local regulations

Hazards not otherwise classified (HMOC)
Although not expected, heart conditions or chronic respiratory problems such as asthma, chronic bronchitis, or obstructive lung disease may be aggravated by exposure to high concentrations of vapor or mist.

Product contains a strong oxidizer. Always flush drains before and after use.

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Unknown Toxicity

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Other information

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Interactions with Other Chemicals
Reacts with Other hospital dichemicals such as tollet bowl cleaners, rust removers, acids, or products containing ammonia to produce hazardous irritating gases, such as chlorine and other chlorinated compounds.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

**Eve Contact** 

Skin Contact

General Advice Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Show this safety

Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 - 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

Move to fresh air. If breathing is affected, call a doctor.

Have person sip a glassful of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to a unconscious person. Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment

Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required.

Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8).

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Most Important Symptoms and Burning of eyes and skin

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically. Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric

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5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media

The extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media
CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical
This product causes burns to syes, skin, and mucous membranes. Thermal decomposition can release sodium chlorate and irritating gases and vigors.

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

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. For spills of multiple products, responders should evaluate the MSDSs of the products for incompatibility with sodium hypochlorite. Breathing protection should be worn in enclosed and/or poorly-ventilated areas until hazard assessment is

Other Information Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8

Environmental precautions

This product is toxic to fish, aquatic invertebrates, oysters, and shrimp. Do not allow product to enter storm drains, takes, or streams. See Section 12 for ecological Information.

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

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store away from children. Reclose cap tightly after each use. Store this product upright in a cool, dry area, away from direct sunlight and heat to avoid deterioration. Do not contaminate food or feed by storage of this product. Toilet bowl cleaners, rust removers, acids, and products containing ammonia. 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION Control parameters Exposure Guidelines Chemical Name ACGIH TLV OSHA PEL

Sodum hypochio. 7681-52-9 None None

Respiratory Protection

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Eyewash stations Ventilation systems

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

If splashes are likely to occur: Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles) or face

Skin and Body Protection Wear rubber or neoprene gloves and protective clothing such as long-sleeved shirt.

If 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

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands after direct contact. Do not wear product-contaminated clothing for prolonged periods. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product.

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XXXXX Regular-Bleach 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES Odor Odor Threshold Remarks/ Method None known None known None known None known None known None known Values ~12 Property No data available No data available Not flammable No data available No data available Melting/freezing point Boiling point / boiling range Flash Point Flash Point Evaporation rate Flammability (solid, gas) Flammability Limits in Air Upper flammability limit Lower flammability limit Vapor pressure Vapor density Specific Gravity Water Solubility No data available None known No data available No data available No data available ~1.1 Soluble No data available Water Solubility
Solubility in other solvents
Partition coefficient: n-octar
Autoignition temperature
Decomposition temperature
Kinematic viscosity No data available Not explosive No data available Other Information Softening Point VOC Content (%) Particle Size Particle Size Distributi 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY Reactivity
Reacts with other household chemicals such as tolled bowl cleaners. rust removers, acids, or products containing ammonia to produce hazardous inflating gases, such as chlorine and other chlorinated compounds. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions Conditions to avoid

None known based on information supplied. Incompatible materials
Toilet bowl cleaners, rust re emovers, acids, and products containing ammonia Hazardous Decomposition Products Page 6/10

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# SDS example

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11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure Product Information

Exposure to vapor or mist may irritate respiratory tract and cause coughing. Inhalation of high concentrations may cause pulmonary edema.

Corrosive. May cause severe damage to eyes. Eye Contact

Skin Contact May cause severe irritation to skin. Prolonged contact may cause burns to skin.

Ingestion may cause burns to gastrointestinal tract and respiratory tract, nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea.

Chemical Name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Sodium hypochlorite 7681-52-9	8200 mg/kg (Rat)	>10000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	

Information on toxicological effects

May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. May cause burns to eyes. May cause redness

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

No information available

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Sodium hypochlorite 7681-52-9		Group 3		

Reproductive Toxicity No information available

STOT - repeated exposure Chronic Toxicity Target Organ Effects No information available. Carcinogenic potential is unknown. Respiratory system, eyes, skin, gastrointestinal tract (GI).

No information available

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ATEmix (oral)

54 g/kg ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)

12 FCOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This product is toxic to fish, aquatic invertebrates, cysters, and shrimp. Do not allow product to enter storm drains, lakes, or streams.

Persistence and Degradability

Other adverse effects

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Not restricted

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Disposal methods
Dispose of in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local regulations. Do not contaminate food or feed by disposal of this

Contaminated Packaging

Do not reuse empty containers. Dispose of in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

TDG Not restricted for road or rail

ICAO Not restricted, as per Special Provision A197, Environmentally Hazardous Substance

Not restricted, as per Special Provision A197, Environmentally Hazardous Substance exception.

Not restricted, as per IMDG Code 2.10.2.7, Marine Pollutant exception

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### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

All components of this product are either on the TSCA 8(b) Inventory or otherwise exempt

from listing.
All components are on the DSL or NDSL.

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory DSLNDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances ListNon-Domestic Substances List

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

Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire Hazard	No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

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
Sodium hypochlorite 7681,52.9	100 lb			x

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	Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs	RQ
Sodium hypochlorite 7681-52-9	100 lb	-	RQ 100 lb final RQ RQ 45.4 kg final RQ

EPA Statement
This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safely data sheets and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. Following is the hazard information as required on the

DANGER: CORROSIVE. Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns. Harmful if swallowed. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on dothing. Wear protective eyewear and nubber gloves when handling mits product. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, dinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the restroom. Avoid breathing vapors and use only in a well-ventilated area.

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### US State Regulations

### California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

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

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania	Rhode Island	Illinois
Sodium hypochlorite 7681-52-9	×	×	x	×	
Sodium chlorate 7775-09-9	×	x	x		

### International Regulations

Canada WHMIS Hazard Class



			16. (	OTHER	RINFORMAT	ION			
NFPA	Health Hazard	3	Flammability	0	Instability	0		Physical and Chemical Hazards	
HMIS	Health Hazard	3	Flammability	0	Physical H	azard	0	Personal Protection B	
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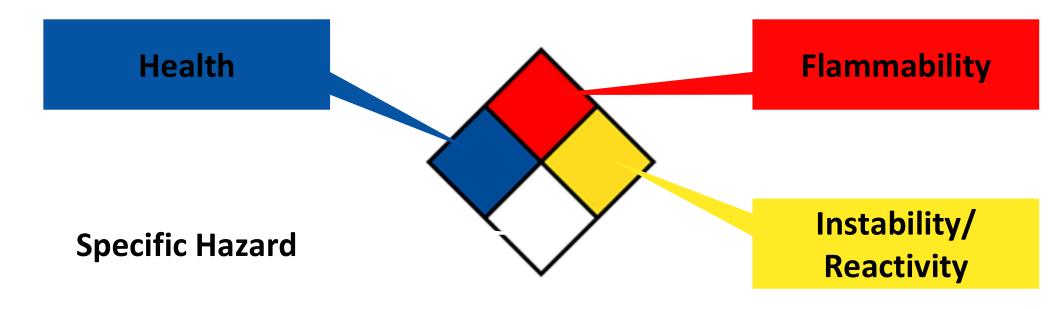
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## NFPA 704 "Fire Diamond"

Standard system for the identification of the hazards of materials for emergency response





### NFPA 704 "Fire Diamond"



- **3- Serious Hazard**
- 2- Moderate Hazard
- 1 Slight Hazard
- 0 Minimal Hazard

₩ - Avoid use of water

OX – Oxidizer

**SA – Simple Asphyxiant** 

4- Flammable Lq., Volatile Lq., Pyrophoric Material

- 3- Ignites at ambient Temp
- 2- Ignites when moderately heated
- 1 Must be preheated to burn
- 0 Will not burn



- 3- Capable of detonation or explosion
- 2- Violent chemical change possible at elevated Temp and Pressure
- 1 Normally stable but becomes unstable if heated

0 - Normally Stable



# **Flammability**

- o Materials that will NOT burn in air when exposed to a temperature of 1,500 °F (820 °C) for a period of 5-minutes. (e.g. Carbon Tetrachloride)
- 1 Flash Point at or above 200 °F (93 °C). (e.g. Mineral Oil)
- 2 Flash Point between 100 200 °F (38 93 °C). (e.g. Diesel Fuel)
- 3 Flash Point below 73 °F (23 °C) and having a boiling point at or above 100 °F (38 °C) or having a flash point between 73 100 °F (23-38 °C). (e.g. Gasoline, Acetone)
- 4 Flash Point below 73 °F (23 °C). (e.g. Acetylene)



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# Question #6

- Which flammability number does propane fall under?
- a) 4
- b) 3
- c) 2
- d) 1



### Health

- 0 Poses NO health hazard, no precautions necessary and would offer no hazard beyond that of ordinary combustible material. (e.g. Wood)
- 1 Exposure would cause irritation with only minor residual injury. (e.g. Acetone)
- 2 Intense or continued but not chronic exposure could cause temporary incapacitation or possible residual injury. (e.g. Diethyl Ether)
- 3 Short exposure could cause serious temporary or moderate residual injury. (e.g. Chlorine)
- 4 Very short exposure could cause death or major residual injury. (e.g. Hydrofluoric Acid)





# **Questions #7**

Which chemical would not be considered a 4 for health?

- **A)**Acetone
- B)Hydrogen cyanide
- C) Phosgene
- D) Hydrofluoric Acid



# Instability / Reactivity

- o Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions and is NOT reactive with water. (e.g. Helium)
- 1 Normally stable but can become unstable at elevated temperatures and pressure. (e.g. Phosphorous)
- 2 Undergoes violent chemical changes at elevated temperatures and pressures, reacts violently with water, or may form explosive mixtures with water. (e.g. Calcium Metal)
- 3 Capable of detonation or explosive decomposition but requires a strong initiating source, must be heated under confinement before initiation, reacts explosively with water, or will detonate if severely shocked (e.g. Ammonium Nitrate\_
- 4 Readily capable of detonation or explosive decomposition at normal temperature and pressures. (e.g. Nitroglycerin)



# Question #8

# Which of the following chemicals would be a 0 for reactivity?

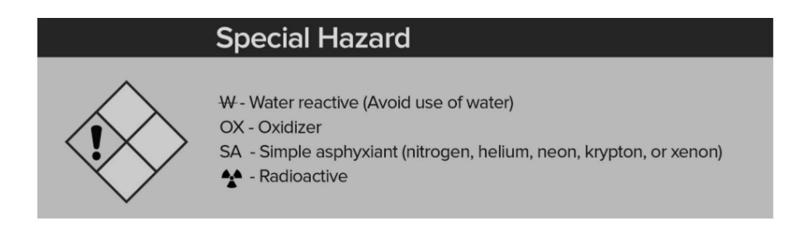
- A) Carbonic acid
- B) Sodium
- C) Chlorine dioxide
- D) Helium



# **Specific Hazards**

OX – Oxidizers, allows chemicals to burn without an air supply. (e.g. Potassium Perchlorate)

- W Reacts with water in an unusual or dangerous manner. (e.g. Cesium)
- SA Simple Asphyxiant Gas. (e.g. Nitrogen, Helium, Argon)





# BREAK TIME!



Hazardous Material Business Plan (HMBP) 20

# **Hazardous Material Business Plan**

A business shall establish and implement a business plan for emergency response to a release or threatened release of hazardous material

Hazardous Material Business Plan shall include:

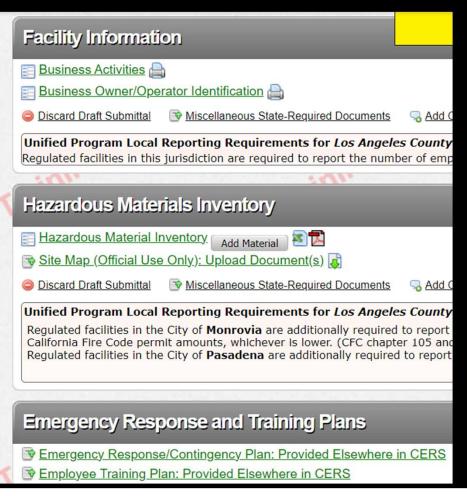
- Inventory
- Site Map
- Emergency Response Plan/ Contingency Plan
- Employee Training

Required to implement within 30-days of becoming subject

Business shall notify, in writing, the owner of the property that the business is subject to the Hazardous Material Program and provide a copy of HMBP 5-days after request.

HCS § 25501.1, 25505, 25508(b)

# **Hazardous Material Business Plan**



Hazardous Material Business Plan shall include:

- Inventory
- Site Map
- Emergency Response Plan/ Contingency Plan
- Employee Training

Required to implement within 30-days of becoming subject

# **Hazardous Material Inventory**

In 1987 states were given flexibility to implement hazardous chemical inventory reporting requirements.

### Requirements:

- Chemical Name
- Extremely Hazardous Substance (EHS)
- Trade Secret
- Mixture Composition
- Physical and Health Hazards (24 Federal Hazardous Categories)
- Max Amount, Avg. Daily Amount, # day's on-site, storage types, conditions, locations



# California Electronic Reporting System

**CERS** 

### **Chemical Inventory**

Chemical Identification and Pl	nysical Properties		
Chemical Name			CERS Chemical Library ID
Lubricating oils, used	-		
Common Name		CAS Number	US EPA SRS ID
Used lubricating oils		70514-12-4	777573
Physical State OSolid OLiquid OGas	Hazardous Material Type  Pure OMixture OWaste		Trade Secret OYes ONo

Chemical Hazard C	lassification————————————————————————————————————	
EHS 🕶	Fire Code Hazard Classes (by priority)	DOT Hazard Class 🕶
OYes ONo		
Radioactive		
OYes ○No	~	State Waste Code 🕶
Curies	View/Edit Additional Firecodes	Lookup Code
Federal Hazard Categor	ries	
PHYSICAL: Flammal	ble	
PHYSICAL: Gas Und	ler Pressure	
PHYSICAL: Explosiv	re	
PHYSICAL: Self-hear	ting	
PHYSICAL: Pyropho	ric	

# California Electronic Reporting System

### **Chemical Inventory**

-Inventory Location and	Quantity———							
Chemical Location			Av	erage Daily Amou	ınt 🕶	Maximu	ım Daily Amount 🥺	Units 🥶
								ogallons
Chemical Location Confidenti	al EPCRA		La	rgest Container		Annual	Waste Amount 🕶	Ocubic feet Opounds
OYes ONo	d # (Ontional)			0"				Otons
Map # (Optional) Grid	d # (Optional)		Da	ys on Site				
Inventory Storage Inform	nation———							
Aboveground Tank	Can	Box	☐ Tani	k Truck, Tank Wag	gon			
Underground Tank	Carboy	Cylinder	☐ Tani	k Car, Rail Car				
Tank Inside Building	Silo	Glass Bottle	Oth	er				
Steel Drum	Fiber Drum	Plastic Bottle						
Plastic/Non-Metallic Drum	Bag	Tote Bin						
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Hazardous Compo	nent Name	CAS Nur	nher	% by Weight @	EH	18	Additional Mixture C	omponents 🕡
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# Trade Secret



### Include, but not limited to

- Formula, plan, pattern, process, tool, mechanism, compound, procedure, production, data, or compiled info NOT patented
- Known only to certain individual(s) w/n a commercial concern
- Used to fabricate, produce, or compound an article of trade
- Provides an opportunity to gain an advantage over competitors

Shall not be disclosed except for official duties from CUPA to contractors if needed for protection of health and safety or medical professionals.

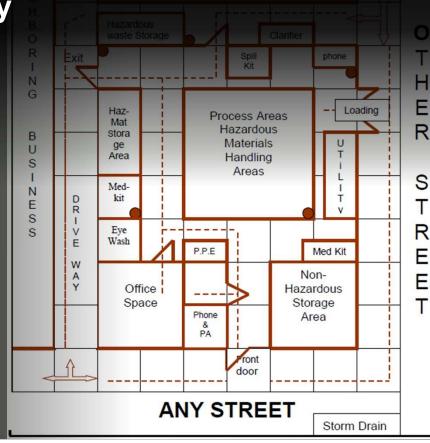
Cal Gov Code § 6254.7

# Site Map

Shall contain the following as well as additional info if CUPA deems

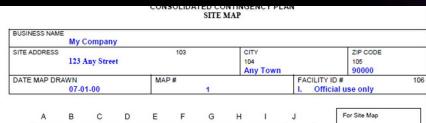
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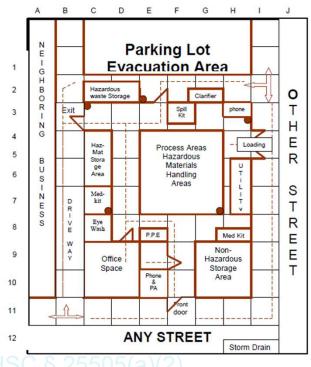
- Required
  - **North Orientation**
  - **Adjacent Streets**
  - Access and Exit Points
  - **Evacuation Staging Area**
  - Hazardous Material Handling/ Storage Area
  - **Emergency Response Equipment**
- If Present
  - **Loading Areas**
  - Internal Roads
  - Storm and Sewer Drains
  - Emergency Shut-offsGas, Electric, Water



HSC§ 25505(a)(2)

# Site Map Example





•	Scale of
	Map
•	Loading

- Areas
- Parking
- Internal Roads
- Storm and Sewer Drains
- Adjacent Property Use
- Locations Names of and Alleys
- Egress Roads
- Primary and



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Item and/or Description	Location Code (LC)
Hazardous materials storage areas.	5-C and 6-C
Hazardous waste storage areas.	3-C and 3-D
Hazardous materials handling areas.	5-EFG, 6-EFG, and 7-EFG
Fire extinguishers.	3-E, 4-C, 4-H, 7-C and 7-G
Spill kit.	4-F
Clarifier.	3-G
Communication equipment.	10-E and 4-H
P.P.E.	8-E
Eye wash.	8-C
Emergency exits.	4-B and 3-F
Loading area.	5-1
Parking lot / Evacuation area.	1-CDEFGH and 2-CDEFGH
First Aid kit.	7-C and 8-H

# **Emergency Response and Contingency Plan**

# In the event of a reportable release o hazardous mat

- Immediate Notification
  - Local Emergency Rescue Personnel (911)
  - Local CUPA
  - Cal OES (800) 852-7550
  - National Response Center (800) 424- 8802
  - Nearest Hospital
- Procedures for mitigation
- Evacuation plans and procedures

CA □ 1. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS: □ 2. HAZARDOUS WASTES . CALLING PUBLIC EMERGENCY RESPONDERS (e.g., 9-1-1) CALLING HAZARDOUS WASTE CONTRACTOR In the event of an emergency involving hazardous materials and/or hazardous waste, all facilities must IMMEDIATELY:

1. Notify facility personnel and evacuate if necessary in accordance with the Emergency Action Plan (Title 8 California Code of Regulations §3220): Notify local emergency responders by calling 9-1-1; Notify the local Unified Program Agency (UPA) at the phone number below; and 4. Notify the State Warning Center at (800) 852-7550. Facilities that generate, treat, store or dispose of hazardous waste have additional responsibilities to notify and coordinate with other response agencies. Whenever the is an imminent or actual emergency situation such as an explosion, fire, or release, the Emergency Coordinator must follow the appropriate requirements for the categor Title 22 California Code of Regulations §66265.56. Emergency Procedures for generators of 1,000 kilograms or more of hazardous waste in any calendar month Title 22 California Code of Regulations §66265.196. Response to Leaks or Spills and Disposition of Leaking or Unfit-for-Use Tank Systems. Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations §302.6. Notification requirements for a release of a hazardous substance equal to or greater than the reportable quantity.

Title 22 California Code of Regulations §66262.34(d)(2) and Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations §262.34(d)(5)(ii) for generators of less than 1000 kilograms hazardous waste in any calendar month. Following notification and before facility operations are resumed in areas of the facility affected by the incident, the Emergency Coordinator shall notify the and the local fire department's hazardous materials program, if necessary, that the facility is in compliance with requirements to 1. Provide for proper storage and disposal of recovered waste, contaminated soil or surface water, or any other material that results from an explosion, fire, or release 2. Ensure that no material that is incompatible with the released material is transferred, stored, or disposed of in areas of the facility affected by the incident until clea procedures are completed EMERGENCY RESPONSE CALIFORNIA STATE WARNING CENTER (CSWC)/CAL OES. 22GCR662.52(g (800) 852-7550 (800) 424-8802 (800) 222-1222 NEAREST MEDICAL FACILITY / HOSPITAL NAME: AGENCY NOTIFICATION PHONE NUMBERS: CALIFORNIA DEPT. OF TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL (DTSC) REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD (RWOCB). (800) 300-2193 U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (US EPA) (916) 358-2900 (202) 267-2180 (916) 263-2800 (916) 323-7390

HSC§ 25505(a)(3) 19 CCR § 2658 22 CCR § 66265.52

# **Employee Training**

- New Employees and Current Employees
  - Safety Procedures in the event of release or threatened release
    - Familiarity with Emergency Response Plan
    - Section 313 

      Toxic Chemicals
  - May take into consideration the position of each employee
  - Documented electronically or by hard copy
  - Available for 3-years



# **Employee Training - CERS**

Upload the template for the Emergency Response/ Contingency Plan

### I. EMPLOYEE TRAINING

Employee training is required for all employees and/or contractors handling hazardous materials and/or hazardous wastes during normal and/or emergency operations. Most facilities will need to submit a separate Training Plan. However, your CUPA may accept this section as the Training Plan for some small facilities. Employee training plans may include the following content:

- Applicable laws and regulations;
- Emergency response plans and procedures;
- Safety Data Sheets;
- Hazard communication related to health and safety;
- Methods for safe handling of hazardous substances;
- Hazards of materials and processes (e.g., fire, explosion, asphyxiation);
- Hazard mitigation, prevention and abatement procedures;
- Coordination of emergency response actions;
- Notification procedures for local emergency responders, CUPA, Cal OES, and onsite personnel;

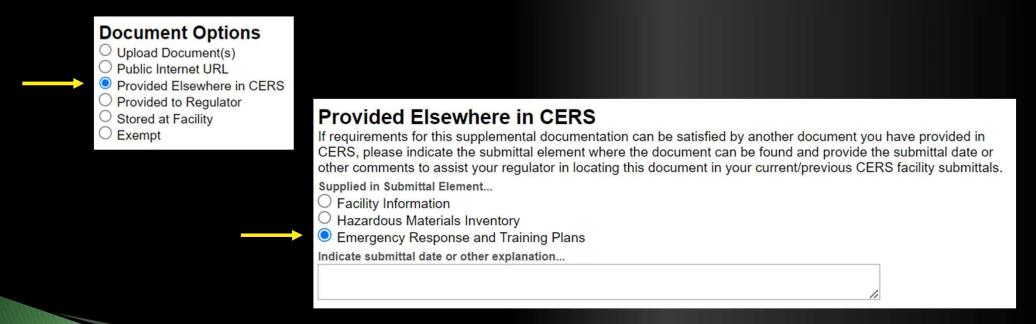
- Communication and alarm systems;
- Personal protective equipment;
- Use and maintenance of emergency response equipment and supplies (e.g. Fire extinguishers, respirators, spill control materials);
- Decontamination procedures;
- Evacuation procedures and evacuation staging locations;
- Identification of facility areas, equipment, and systems vulnerable to earthquakes and other natural disasters.
- OTHER (Specify):

Check the applicable boxes below to indicate how the employee training program is administered.									
<b>1</b> .	FORMAL CLASSROO	M 2.	VIDEOS	3.	SAFETY MEETINGS	<b>4</b> .	STUDY GUIDES / MANUALS	I	
5.	OTHER (Specify):							I.	
	6. NOT APPLICABLE SINCE FACILITY HAS NO EMPLOYEES								
	7. CHECK IF A SEPARATE EMPLOYEE TRAINING PLAN IS USED AND UPLOADED TO CERS AS A PDF DOCUMENT						I		
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# **Employee Training - CERS**

Upload the template for the Emergency Response/ Contingency Plan





# **Annual CERS submittal**

An accurate and complete HMBP is required to be submitted annual to CERS

- Due Date
  - Established by the CUPA
  - Otherwise, March 1st
- Complete CERS
  - All elements in CERS
  - Exemption for Hazardous Waste ONLY

Businesses Regulators Regulator Portal Sign in Business Portal Sign In Businesses · Business User Training Training Portal Sign In Regulators Local Reporting Requirements Regulator User Training Unified Program Regulator Directory CERS Regulator Users Group (CRUG) CERS Chemical Library · Unified Program Violation Library (Factabeet) Unified Program Internet Site Announcements CERS Data Registry · CERS Business User Group . Unified Program Internet Site Businesses Must Report Electronically to CERS or a Local Reporting Portal Data Seeding All businesses must now submit Unified Program-related information to CERS instead of on paper forms. Alternatively, some CUPAs have developed local web portals that businesses may choose use to meet this requirement, trons information, **CERS Training Portals** Experiment and gain familiarity with using CERS by using the Business Training Portal and/or the Regulator Training Portal. Learn Are you a Multi-Facility/Multi-Jurisdictional Business? If your business/organization operates multiple CUPA-regulated facilities located in multiple CUPAs, CERS now supports creation of a single corporate identity that allows consolidated management of ALL of your facilities by one or more authorized users. To establish a multi-facility business and consolidate any existing CERS facilities under your business, you need to submit documentation to CallEPA. What is CERS? The California Environmental Reporting System (CERS) is a statewide web-based system to support California Unified Program Agencies (CUPAs) and Participating Agencies (PAs) in electronically collecting and reporting various hazardous materials-related data as mandated by the California Health and Safety Code and new 2008 legislation (AB 2255). Under oversight by CalifEPA, CUPAs implement Unified Program mandates that streamline and provide consistent regulatory activities. Recent Annoucements/Blog Postings (All Announcement

Important CERS EDT Update / XML Schemas 1.05 Released

. New Cal/EPA Policy on Unified Program Reporting Timing

· CERS Web Sites will be unavailable on Saturday, December

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(Jan 18, 2013)

(Jan 09, 2013)

15, 2012 (Dec 10, 2012)

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. CERS Enhancements Listing (Scheduled and Proposed)

For additional assistance, please contact the CERS Help

CERS Change Management Committee

· Unified Program Regulator Directory

Center at persitivaleps.ca.gov

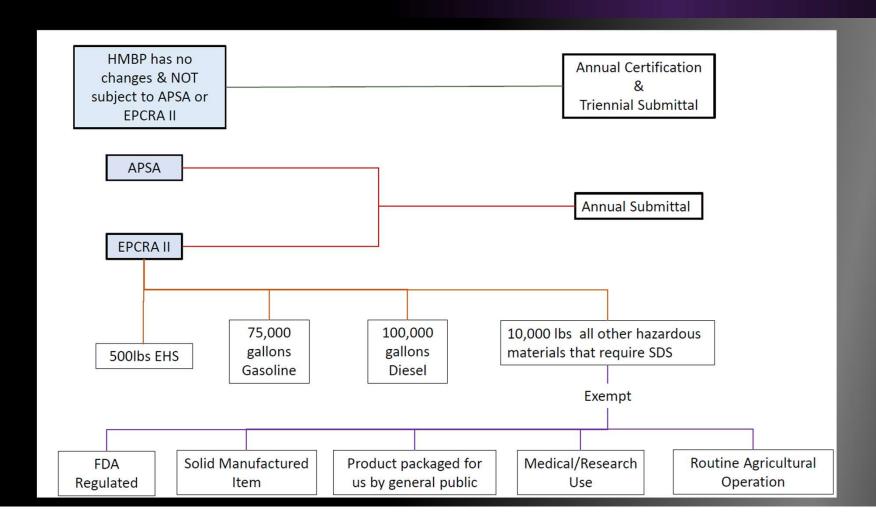
HSC§ 25508.2

# Annual CERS submittal

### Three methods to make an annual CERS submittal

- Certify
  - Quick two button submittal to "certify" all elements
  - Only applicable for 2 years and then a 'complete annual submittal' shall be made
  - Unavailable, if previous submittals have been "not accepted" or other criteria
  - No changes to submittal
- Create all HMBP
  - Quick 2 button submittal
  - Must verify all elements are being submitted
  - No changes to submittal
- Complete Annual Submittal
  - Each element individually: start, edit, and submitted
  - Ideal for making changes to CERS

# Annual CERS submittal - Certify Eligibility



HSC§ 25508.2

# Annual CERS submittal — Certify (Effective 1/1/2020;

**AB1429)** 

Start an Annual Submittal Create all HMBP (Confirm' Element Creation Submit Selected elements Done

### Annual HMBP Certification (AB 1429)

This feature allows a business owner/operator to annually certify that the information in their last HMBP submittal in CERS is complete, accurate, and complies with EPCRA, if applicable. This option may only be used for facilities that meet the eligibility requirements for annual certification, and that are not subject to EPCRA reporting or APSA requirements. Please click <a href="here">here</a> to review eligibility requirements. It is strongly advised that you carefully review your last HMBP submittal for accuracy before certifying.



### Annual Certification Confirmation



Certification Statement: Based on my own knowleds those individuals responsible for obtaining the informal Account username ), certify on 5/6/2020 under personally examined and am familiar with the informal agree to the following:

 The information contained in the most recently su accurate, and up-to-date, and there has been no submitted HMBP submittal elements.

- The information being submitted meets me requirements of Chapter 6.95, Article 1 of the California Health and Jafety Code.
- The information being submitted is in compliance with section 11022 of Title 42 of the United States Code, if applicable.

By selecting "Confirm", I ap Confirming that the above is true, that this facility is NOT subject to EPCRA® reporting or APSA requirements, and that I am authorizing the automated creation and submission of this Annual HMBP Certification.

Once confirmed, the Certification cannot be retracted, deleted, or changed. It is strongly advised that you carefully review your last HMBP submittal for accuracy before certifying. If you have not reviewed your last HMBP and need to do so now, please select "Cancel" and review your last submittal before certifying.

Confirm Cancel



# Annual CERS submittal - Create all HMBP

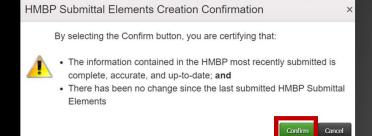
Start an Annual Submittal Create all HMBP 'Confirm' Element

Creation Submit Selected elements Done

### Create All HMBP Submittal Elements

This feature allows a business owner/operator to prepare a complete draft HMBP (Facility Information, HMI, ERTP) automatically from your last submittal for submission to your regulator for review. This option should only be used if you are not eligible to certify, there are no changes to your last submitted HMBP elements, and those HMBP elements do not have a status of "Not Accepted."

Create All HMBP Submittal Elements



### Confirm, Certify, and Submit Your Facility Submittal

Submit Selected Elements

**Certification Statement**: Based on my own knowledge and/or on my inquiry of those individuals responsible for obtaining the information, I, Melisa Custer (CERS Account username *Melisacuster21*), certify on 10/24/2024 under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted and believe the information is true, accurate, and complete.

# Question #9

## When is the Due date set by CalEPA?

- A) Feb 1
- B) March 1st
- C) March 31st
- D) April 1st



# Changes and Updates

### Within 30 days update and electronically submit

- 100% increase in quantity of hazardous material
- Additional of new hazardous material
- Change of the following:
  - Address
  - Ownership
  - Business Name
  - Operation
    - Update of site map needed
    - Update of Emergency Response Needed





# Hazardous Material Business Plan

A business shall establish and implement a business plan for emergency response to a release or threatened release of hazardous material

Hazardous Material in a Reportable Quantities:

- 200 cubic feet
- 500 lbs.
- 55 gallons



#### Handles at any one time during the year

1,000 cubic feet of cryogenic, refrigerated, or compressed gases

- Simple Asphyxiant
- Oxygen
- Nitrogen
- Carbon Dioxide
- Nitrous Oxide at physician, dentist, vet, pharmacist, or EMS
- Closed Fire suppression system

Shall be reported in the physical state at which they are stored. (e.g. Propane or Liquid Nitrogen is reported in gallons)

HCS § 25507(a)(5)(A-E) HSC § 25507(a)(1)(B)

# Question #10

# What is the reporting threshold for Carbon Dioxide?

- A) 200 cubic feet
- B) 600 cubic feet
- C) 800 cubic feet
- D) 1000 cubic feet



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#### Handles at any one time during the year

#### In any quantity

- Perchlorate
- Combustible Metal or Metal Alloy
  - Pyrophoric or Water Reactive
  - Combustible Dust
  - Flammable Solid
  - Explosive potential when in a molten form



#### Handles at any one time during the year

Quantities Listed in Chapter 1 of Title 10 Code of Federal Regulation

- Radioactive
  - Part 30, Section 30.1
  - Part 40, Section 40.1
  - Part 70, Section 70.1





# Handles at any one time during the year (Report in lbs.)

Amount that is ≥ threshold planning quantity (TPQ)

- Extremely Hazardous Substance
  - Defined Title 40 Code Federal Regulation, Section 355.61
  - Listed Title 40 Code of Federal Regulation
    - Appendices A and B of Part 355 of Subchapter J
    - Less than 500 lbs.

CAS No.	Chemical name	Notes	Reportable quantity* (pounds)	Threshold plan- ning quantity (pounds)
107–02–8 79–06–1	Acetone Cyanohydrin Acetone Thiosemicarbazide Acrolein Acrylamide Acrylonitrile Acrylyl Chloride	f	10 1,000 1 5,000 100 100	1,000 1,000/10,000 500 1,000/10,000 10,000

HCS § 25507(3)(A)

## **Increased Reportable Quantity**

#### Irritant and Sensitizers

- 5,000 lbs.
- 550 gallons
- Classified in Title 8 CCR§ 5194

#### Paint Recovery Program

- 10,000 lbs.
- 1,000 gallons





# Exemptions

#### **Exempt From Reporting**

- Refrigerant gases in closed cooling system
  - NOT ammonia or flammable gases
  - Used for comfort cooling
  - Used for cooling computer rooms
- Compressed air in cylinders, bottles, and tanks
  - Used by Fire Dept or emergency response organizations



# **Exemptions – Lubricating Oil**

#### Used in an internal combustion

- Quantities
  - Each oil does not exceed 55-gallons
  - Total of all oil does not exceed 275-gallons
  - E.g. 5 x 55-gallon lubricating oil = 275-gallons
- Less 1,320-gallons and no SPCC required
  - Fluid in hydraulic system
  - Oil filled electrical equipment, not contiguous to electric facility



# **Exemptions – Retail Establishments**

# Consumer product in a retail establishment for direct sale to the 'end user'

- Assembly Bill 2059
  - National Fire Protection Association "NFPA" or Hazardous Material Identification System "HMIS" rating 3 or 4
  - Quantities equal to, or greater than
    - 165-gallons
    - 600-cubic feet
    - 1,500 lbs.

(e.g. propane, hand sanitizer, lighter fluid, muriatic acid)

Impacted: Lowes, Home Depot, Gas Station, Pool Supply

# Exemptions

- Propane
  - Used for cooking, heating work areas, or heating water
  - NOT to exceed 500-gallons
- Fuel in vehicle
  - Liquid or Gaseous
    - (e.g. Propane on forklifts)
  - Fuel tank integral to operation of vehicle
- Treated Wood
  - Presence of preservative in or on wood
    - Registered with Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

# **Exemptions – HMBP 201**

## NOT discussed in this presentation

- Agricultural (Farms)
- Unstaffed Facilities
- Batteries
- Supplier of Hazardous Materials (Wholesale)
- Mixtures
- Trade Secrets



# Spills and Violations

# Release Reporting

#### Release or threatened release shall be reported to CUPA and OES

#### Report Immediately

- Provide access to the facility
- Does NOT apply to transportation on highway

#### Define 'Release'

 Any spilling, leaking, pumping, pouring, emitting, emptying, discharging, injecting, escaping, leaching, dumping, or disposing into environment.

#### Define 'Threatened Release'

- Immediate action required
- Prevent, reduce, or mitigate a release

# Non-Compliance

#### Release or threatened release shall be reported to CUPA and OES

#### Fees

- Not more than \$2,000 a day
- Contributes to an emergency (e.g. fire)
  - Full cost of emergency response
  - Cost of clean-up and disposal

#### 'Knowingly' Violates

Not more than \$5,000 a day

#### Conviction

- Note more than \$25,000 a day
- Imprisonment in county jail not more than 1 year

# **Authority to Conduct Inspection**

### **UPA** has the authority to conduct inspections

#### Facility

- Premises of handler
  - Within 2,000 ft of premises

#### Inspections

At least once every three years



# **Additional Resources**

- California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (CalOES)
  - www.caloes.ca.gov
- California Certified Unified Program Agencies (CalCUPA)
  - www.calcupa.org
- Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
  - www.epa.gov
- Official California Legislative Information
  - www.legislature.ca.gov
- California Environmental Reporting System (CERS)
  - http://cers.calepa.ca.gov

# Story Time



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# Any Questions?

Thanks for listening!

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