



GUIDE TO CLP

Classification, Labelling & Packaging

Under the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH), all persons at work need to know the safety precautions to take so as not to endanger themselves or others through exposure to substances hazardous to health.

All chemicals are classified under the Globally Harmonised System of Classification (GHS). In the EU this is implemented by law using the Classification Labelling and Packaging (CLP) Regulation this will ensure that the hazards presented by chemicals are clearly communicated to workers and consumers in the European Union through classification and labelling of chemicals.

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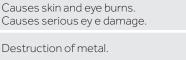
Life threatening even in small amounts and brief exposure.

care!

Never swallow or inhale!

Handle with

Wear protective clothing!



Causes very serious long-term

health effects.

Handle with care!



Damage to the ozone layer.

Skin and eye irritation. Adverse health effects.

Explosive - sensitive to fire, heat, vibration or

Keep your distance

Handle with care!



Flammable - serious fires if exposed to sparks, flames or heat.

> No ignition source



Causes or intensifies fire. Increases fire hazard.

Do not heat!

No skin contact!



Toxic to aquatic organisms.

Container explodes if heated.

Very cold liquid burns when touched.

Long term damage to the eco-system.

Do not pour into waterways All hazardous chemicals which are manufactured on or after 1st June 2015 are required to have labels with the CLP label requirements and should include:

Company Name, Address & Telephone Number **Product Name (identifier) Hazard Pictogram** Signal Word

Hazard and Precautionary Statements

SIGNAL WORDS

CLP introduces two new signal words

DANGER - If the chemical has a more severe hazard WARNING - If the chemical has a less severe hazard

As well as the Signal words all the Risk Phrases have been replaced with Hazard Statements & the Safety Phrases have been replaced with Precautionary Statements which have been grouped into a logical

HAZARD STATEMENTS

These replace the Risk (R) Phrases

H200 - H299 refering to Physical hazards H300 - H399 refering to Health hazards H400 - H499 refering to Environmental hazards

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

These replace the Safety (S) Phrases

P100s - General e.g. Keep out of reach of children P200s - Prevention e.g. Protect from moisture

P300s - Response e.g. If on skin...

P400s - Storage e.g. Store locked away

P500s - Disposal e.g. Dispose of contents /

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GOOD PRACTICE

Newlines' top 10 safety tips

Always read the product label and follow the instructions for use. Always add the product to water.



Always use the appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE).



2 3 Never mix formulated products as this can cause a chemical reaction.



Never put products into an unmarked container. Ready to use labels are available.



Never put products into bottles or containers with other uses, i.e. water or drink bottles.



6 Know where to find your Safety Data Sheet. Know who your first aider is and how to contact them.



Ensure all products are stored correctly.





Always report any faulty equipment, spills or damaged containers to your supervisor.



Know and follow your company's standard operating procedures and follow safe working practices.



If you notice anything in your workplace that you think is unusual or dangerous report it to your supervisor.



C.O.S.H.H. Control Of S S ubstances Hazardous to Health

Your employer is responsible for C.O.S.H.H. risk assessment in your workplace.



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