

John Jay College of Criminal Justice

Exercise: Chemical Specific Training using GHS Hazard Information





























Name: _____ Email _____

Name of Chemical: _____

The Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS), a system for standardizing the labeling and classification of chemicals around the world, creates a common framework to help reduce confusion surrounding these chemicals. [OSHA has incorporated use of GHS into its Hazard Communication Standard.](#)

This exercise is one part of John Jay's laboratory safety training program. General GHS information and requirements have been incorporated into Laboratory Safety Training.

Instructions: Complete the following chart for each chemical of interest. Use Information from the European Chemicals Agency website: <http://echa.europa.eu/web/guest/information-on-chemicals/cl-inventory-database> . Enter the name of the chemical in the search criteria field and then check off the disclaimer. All of the information can be found in the first four tables **in green** for each chemical. (Don't include information from the lower tables **in orange**, which contain data entered by manufacturers.) Hypertext **links** are provided below for people who would like information on how each category is defined.

1. HEALTH HAZARDS: Check the hazard categories that apply					
Hazard Class	Hazard Category with Pictogram and Signal Word				
Acute Toxicity Oral, Dermal, Inhalation	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 3  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 4  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> 5 none warning
Skin corrosion/Irritation	<input type="checkbox"/> 1A  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 1B  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 1C  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> 3 none warning
Serious Eye Damage/ Eye Irritation	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2A  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> 2B none warning		
Respiratory or Skin Sensitization	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  warning			
Germ Cell Mutagenicity	<input type="checkbox"/> 1A  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 1B  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  warning		
Reproductive/Toxicity/Fertility	<input type="checkbox"/> 1A  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 1B  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> Lactation none none	
Carcinogenicity	<input type="checkbox"/> 1A  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 1B  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  warning		
Specific Target Organ Toxicity Single Exposure	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> 3  warning		
Specific Target Organ Toxicity Repeated Exposure	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  warning			
Aspiration Hazard	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  warning			

2. Health: Check the applicable hazard statements that apply









































- H300: Fatal if swallowed
- H301: Toxic if swallowed
- H302: Harmful if swallowed
- H303: May be harmful if swallowed
- H304: May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways
- H305: May be harmful if swallowed and enters airways
- H310: Fatal in contact with skin
- H311: Toxic in contact with skin
- H312: Harmful in contact with skin
- H313: May be harmful in contact with skin
- H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
- H315: Causes skin irritation
- H316: Causes mild skin irritation
- H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction
- H318: Causes serious eye damage
- H319: Causes serious eye irritation
- H320: Causes eye irritation
- H330: Fatal if inhaled
- H331: Toxic if inhaled
- H332: Harmful if inhaled
- H333: May be harmful if inhaled
- H334: May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled
- H335: May cause respiratory irritation
- H336: May cause drowsiness or dizziness
- H340: May cause genetic defects
- H341: Suspected of causing genetic defects
- H350: May cause cancer
- H351: Suspected of causing cancer
- H360: May damage fertility or the unborn child
- H361: Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child
- H362: May cause harm to breast-fed children
- H370: Causes damage to organs
- H371: May cause damage to organs
- H372: Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure
- H373: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

3. OSHA Particularly Hazardous Substance (PHS)? Yes No Check applicable codes below.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Select Carcinogen ¹ (350, 351) | <input type="checkbox"/> Acutely Toxic (300, 310, 330) | <input type="checkbox"/> Reproductive Toxin (360, 361, 362) |
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The Globally Harmonized System **does not** utilize the OSHA term, "Particularly Hazardous Substance." If the chemical has the codes listed above you can assume that the OSHA PHS additional precautions requirements would apply.




¹**Note:** Certain chemicals with code 351 and all chemicals with code 350 should meet the OSHA criteria to be labeled a select carcinogen: Select Carcinogen Criteria: It is regulated by OSHA as a carcinogen; or the Annual Report on Carcinogens, published by the National Toxicology Program (NTP), lists it as a carcinogen; or It is listed as a Group I (carcinogenic to humans) by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) Monographs; or It is listed as a Group 2A or 2B by IARC, or is listed as "reasonably anticipated to be carcinogens" by NTP AND causes statistically significant tumor incidence in animals when tested using criteria stated in the OSHA Laboratory Safety Standard.

4. Physical Hazards: Check the hazards that apply							
Hazard Class	Hazard Category/Division						
Explosives	<input type="checkbox"/> Unstable  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> Div 1.1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> Div 1.2  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> Div 1.3  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> Div 1.4  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> Div 1.5 None danger	<input type="checkbox"/> Div 1.6 None none
Flammable gases	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 none warning					
Flammable aerosols	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  warning					
Oxidizing gases	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger						
Pressurized Gas: Compressed Gas	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  warning						
Pressurized Gas: Liquefied Gas	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  warning						
Pressurized Gas: Refrigerated Liquefied Gas	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  warning						
Pressurized Gas: Dissolved Gas	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  warning						
Flammable liquids	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 3  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 none warning			
Flammable solids	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  warning					
Self-reactive substances and mixtures	<input type="checkbox"/> Type A  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> Type B  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> Type C  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> Type D  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> Type E  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> Type F  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> Type G None none
Pyrophoric liquids and solids	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger						
Self-heating substances & mixtures	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  warning					
Substances & mixtures which in contact with water emit flammable gases	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 3  warning				
Oxidizing liquids and solids	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> 3  warning				
Organic peroxides	<input type="checkbox"/> Type A  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> Type B  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> Type C  danger	<input type="checkbox"/> Type D  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> Type E  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> Type F  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> Type G none
Corrosive to metals	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  warning						

5. Physical Hazard Statement: Check the applicable hazard statements that apply

- H200: Unstable explosive
 H201: Explosive; mass explosion hazard
 H202: Explosive; severe projection hazard
 H203: Explosive; fire, blast or projection hazard
 H204: Fire or projection hazard
 H205: May mass explode in fire
 H220: Extremely flammable gas
 H221: Flammable gas
 H222: Extremely flammable aerosol
 H223: Flammable aerosol
 H224: Extremely flammable liquid and vapour
 H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapour
 H226: Flammable liquid and vapour
 H227: Combustible liquid
 H228: Flammable solid
 H229: Pressurized container: may burst if heated
 H230: May react explosively even in the absence of air
 H231: May react explosively even in the absence of air at elevated pressure and/or temperature
 H240: Heating may cause an explosion
 H241: Heating may cause a fire or explosion
 H242: Heating may cause a fire
 H250: Catches fire spontaneously if exposed to air
 H251: Self-heating; may catch fire
 H252: Self-heating in large quantities; may catch fire
 H260: In contact with water releases flammable gases which may ignite spontaneously
 H261: In contact with water releases flammable gas
 H270: May cause or intensify fire; oxidizer
 H271: May cause fire or explosion; strong oxidizer
 H272: May intensify fire; oxidizer
 H280: Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated
 H281: Contains refrigerated gas; may cause cryogenic burns or injury
 H290: May be corrosive to metals

6. Environmental - Aquatic Toxicity: Check the hazards that apply

Hazard Class	Hazard Category/Division			
Acute	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 none none	<input type="checkbox"/> 3 none none	
Chronic	<input type="checkbox"/> 1  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> 2  warning	<input type="checkbox"/> 3 None none	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 none none

7. Environmental Hazard Statements: Check the applicable hazard statements that apply

- H400: Very toxic to aquatic life
- H401: Toxic to aquatic life
- H402: Harmful to aquatic life
- H410: Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
- H411: Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
- H412: Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects
- H413: May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life
- H420: Harms public health and the environment by destroying ozone in the upper atmosphere

8. Supplementary Hazard Code: If there are any supplementary hazard codes listed in the 4th column of the second table type the codes and their corresponding statements below.
