WHEN A SPILL OCCURS

IDENTIFY SPILL SITUATION

Consider the worst until the spilled product is identified







SECURE THE AREA

Approach cautiously -

make sure the air direction over the spill area is away from you

Keep people away -

set up barriers and barricades





IDENTIFY THE HAZARD

Wear protective gear -

choose appropriate personal protection for the situation

Safety Data Sheets -

look up & references SDS

Evacuate area -

for non-essential & unqualified personnel





PERFORM SPILL CONTROL

Stop leak -

close valves, plug leaks, move containers

Contain spill -

reduce the spreading spill & seal drains

Clean up spill -

use appropriate spill control products & equipment for clean up





COMMUNICATE THE INCIDENT

Report the spill -

contact the proper local legal authorities & agencies

Document the spill -

fill out & complete all report in accordance with local laws





REMOVE SPILL CONTROL PRODUCTS

Contain used spill control products -

for disposal in accordance with local laws

Decontaminate equipment & area -

clean all reusable equipment to be ready for re-use

Prepare documents for shipment of used spill products -

in accordance with local laws

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EVALUATE AREA

Make a determination -

identify if the area is safe for regular use again

Record the incident -

detail spill incident in on-site log & file documentation

Review company procedures and contingency plans -

in accordance with local laws



REMEMBER

Life Safety is the most important consideration during any emergency

