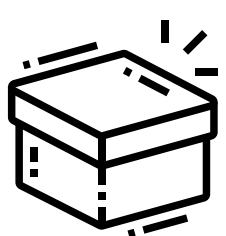




BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

for storing and disposing of chemicals and other materials



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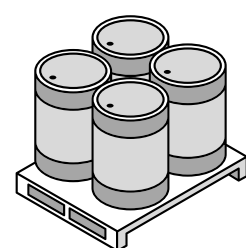
Keep spill kits nearby

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Protect containers from the weather

All containers should be stored off the floor/ground and inside or under cover to protect them from rain and surface water.



Use secondary containment

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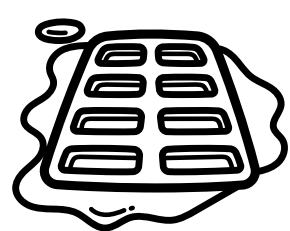
Cover containers

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Contact S&C if needed

Contact Safety & Compliance with general storage questions: 217-265-9828



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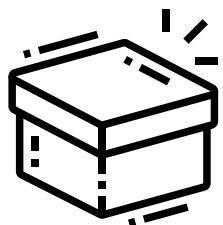
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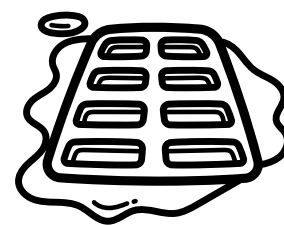
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MATERIAL AND CHEMICAL STORAGE AND DISPOSAL



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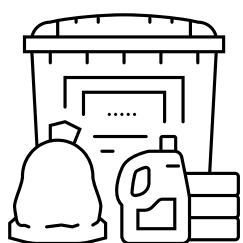
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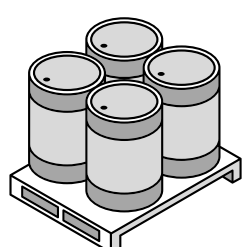
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