

Supplier Labels

Guide for Employers and Employees

The label is the employee's first source of information about the product's hazards. In WHMIS 2015, the labels of hazardous workplace products must display the information elements shown below:

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Product WSNB-1 / Produit WSNB-1 Danger Danger Fatal if swallowed. Mortel en cas d'ingestion. Provoque une irritation cutanée. Causes skin irritation. Precautions: Conseils : Wear protective gloves Porter des gants de protection Wash hands thoroughly after handling Se layer les mains soigneusement après manipulation. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using Ne pas manger, boire ou fumer en manipulant this product. ce produit. Store locked up. Garder sous clef Dispose of contents/containers in Éliminer le contenu/récipient conformément aux accordance with local regulations règlements locaux en vigueur IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water EN CAS DE CONTACT AVEC LA PEAU : Laver If skin irritation occurs: Get medical abondamment à l'eau advice or attention. En cas d'irritation cutanée : Demander un avis Take off contaminated clothing a médical/consulter un médecin wash it before reuse Enlever les vêtements contaminés et les laver IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call avant réutilisation a POISON CENTRE or doctor. EN CAS D'INGESTION : Appeler immédiatement un CENTRE ANTIPOISON ou un médecin Rinse mouth Rincer la bouche ABC Chemical Co., 123 rue Anywhere St., Mytown, ON NON ONO (123) 456-7890

General Labelling Requirements

Supplier labels must be bilingual (English/French), easy to read and durable. If the label is lost, damaged, or no longer readable, the product must be relabelled with a new supplier label or a workplace label. The pictogram(s), signal word and hazard statement(s) must be grouped together on a supplier label. The hatched border previously used by WHMIS is no longer required.

Product Identifier

The product name exactly as it appears on the container and on the Safety Data Sheet (SDS).

Hazard Pictograms

Hazard pictograms are determined by the hazard classification of the product. In some cases, no pictogram is required.

Signal Word (NEW)

"Danger" or "Warning" are used to emphasize hazards and indicate their severity. In some cases, no signal word is required.

Hazard Statements

Brief standardized statements of all hazards based on the product's hazard classification.

Precautionary Statements

These standardized statements describe recommended measures to minimize or prevent adverse effects from exposure to the product, including protective equipment and emergency measures. First aid is included in precautionary statements.

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The company that sells or imports the product and is responsible for the label and SDS. Contact the supplier for additional product information.

Hazardous Ingredients

Although disclosure of hazardous ingredients on a label is not required, the supplier may choose to include them. However, there are requirements for disclosing hazardous substances and ingredients on the SDS.

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