

# Household Hazardous wastes Information sheet

**Table 1 - Examples of Household Hazardous wastes at home**

Location	Hazardous material	Corrosive <sup>A</sup>	Flammable <sup>B</sup>	Toxic <sup>C</sup>	Explosive <sup>D</sup>
<b>Kitchen</b>	Ammonia	X		X	
	Furniture waxes		X	X	
	Oven cleaners	X			
	Metal cleaners	X		X	
	Fondue gel fuel		X	X	
	Clog remover for pipes	X		X	
	Cleaning powder	X		X	
<b>Bathroom</b>	Rubbing alcohol		X	X	
	Hair dye products	X		X	
	Nail polish remover	X	X	X	
	Hair spray	X		X	
	Medications			X	
	Toilet cleaning products	X		X	
	Nail polish		X	X	
<b>Laundry room</b>	Softener	X			
	Polish			X	
	Stain remover and detergents	X			
	Bleach products	X		X	

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<b>Basement and closet</b>	Solvent based glues		X	X	
	Paint and varnish strippers	X		X	
	Ammunitions		X		X
	Alkyd paint	X	X		
	Latex paint	X			
	Wood preservatives			X	
	Batteries			X	
	Solvents	X	X	X	
	Varnish	X	X	X	
	Muriatic Acid	X			
<b>Garage or shed</b>	Aerosols		X		X
	Antifreeze		X	X	
	Swimming pool products	X		X	
	Car batteries	X	X	X	
	Propane tanks				X
	Chemical fertilizers			X	
	Pesticides	X		X	
	Used oils and filters		X	X	

<sup>A</sup> This product will burn the skin, eyes and if swallowed, the throat and digestive system.

<sup>B</sup> This product or the vapours it releases will ignite if placed near a heat source, flames or sparks. A rag soaked with this product may also ignite spontaneously.

<sup>C</sup> This product may cause discomforts or death if it is swallowed, licked, or touched or inhaled.

<sup>D</sup> This container may explode if heated or punctured. Metal, glass or plastic fragments may cause serious injury, especially to eyes.