

2. Emergency Chemical Spill Cleanup

Farmer Name and Code:

Farm Location

Crop/Product Name

Producer Group Name

Responsible Person at Farm:

General Guidelines:

- Control, Contain and Clean up the Site
- Contact Appropriate Authorities
- Identify pesticide spilled.
 - Wear appropriate protective clothing(Ex: goggles, label instructions)
 - Leaking container to be separated from other containers.
 - Prevent unprotected personnel from entering the area.
 - Prevent the spill from spreading. Encircle the spill area with absorbent material. Cover the spill with an absorbent material if the spill is liquid; if the spill is dry chemical, cover it with a polyethylene material and secure.
 - Prevent ignition of flammable materials.

Guideline for a liquid spill.

- Use an absorbent material to soak up the spill.
- Absorbent material to be spread around the perimeter of the
- Put the absorbent and pesticide into a leak-proof container for subsequent disposal.
- Legible Label to be used

Guideline for dry spill.

- Cover the powders with polyethylene cover to prevent pesticide materials

from becoming airborne

- Clean up by rolling back the plastic step by step while sweeping. Ensure that dust remains dampened.
- Put the material into a plastic bag
- Legible Label to be used
- Properly decontaminate the area and dispose of decontaminate material. Use the same process as cleaning up the spill.
- Proper disposal regulations are followed as result of the cleanup (Ex : Refer to Labels).

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crop, farm conditions and local regulations etc.