

Spill Safety Protocol

Domestic Fuels & Lubes, Inc. is privileged to be able to partner with you and ensure your jobsite is spill protected.

OSHA recommends all job sites, big and small, to be prepared for oil spills. It is always a good practice to have a spill kit, the correct PPE and well trained employees to handle such oil spills.

5 Gallon spill kits are generally used for small job sites, trailers, warehouses and pickup trucks. Domestic Fuels & Lubes, Inc. encourages a 5 gallon spill kit for any job site that has a 500 gallon tank or under. 55 Gallon Spill Kits are best used for larger scaled job sites, trailers and garages. Spill kits should be easily accessible.

Contractors should respond to any spills or releases that occur and provide spill response. When a spill occurs, your supervisor should be notified immediately, no matter the quantity or responsible party. Your first action of response should be to contain the spill and to ensure nothing reaches waterways or storm drain areas.

Depending on the spill size, the spill may be a reportable spill to OSHA and EPA. It is always a good idea to report all uses of a spill kit to management.

In the event of a spill the following should occur:

- 1. Stop Operations
- 2 Stop the flow at the source
- 3. Identify the product, Check container, Warning labels, etc.
- 4. Contain the spill
- 5. Prevent personnel from approaching the site and keep them at a distance
- 6. Access the extent of the spill.
- 7. Report spill to your supervisor

After a spill, you should have a spill report ready for company purposes. The report should include:

- 1. Cause of the spill
- 2. Corrective Actions to take
- 3. How it could have been prevented.

A release less than 25 gallons that is not contained and cleaned up within 24 hours must be reported IMMEDIATELY. If a spill reaches a waterway or storm drain, it should be reported IMMEDIATELY!

Hepaco will dispose of oil absorbent rags and filters. You can reach them at 757-543-5718.

**Please see the attached flyer for Spilltech product information. You can also visit www.domesticfuels.com for more information. **