

WORK INSTRUCTIONS FOR SOLVENTS

H220	Extremely flammable gas
H221	Flammable gas
H224	Extremely flammable
	liquid and vapour
H225	Highly flammable liquid
	and vapour
H242	Heating may cause a fire

R10FlammableR11Highly flammableR12Extremely flammable

PURCHASING

• The person in charge of purchase on the unit or in the research group

UTILIZATION

- Working with chemicals labeled flammable, highly flammable and extremely flammable should take place in a fume cupboard.
- Read the material safety data sheet before starting to work with new chemicals.
- Pregnant workers should not be exposed to this type of chemicals. Exposure of maximum 10% of the <u>measurs / limit values</u> can be accepted, provided that it does not absorb through the skin.

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

• Use laboratory coat, protective shoes, splash goggles and protective gloves when working with corrosive chemicals. For most corrosive chemicals Sol-Vex gloves is the correct glove. You can find a summary of the most common chemicals and preferred glove <u>here</u>.

STORAGE

• Chemicals that are in regular use must be <u>stored</u> in approved chemical cupboards in the laboratory. Chemicals that are not in daily use must be clearly marked in accordance with the <u>labelling regulations</u> and kept in lockable storage rooms designed for the type of chemical in question. It should be noted that some chemicals cannot be stored <u>together</u>.

DISPOSAL

- Follow UIB's procedure for disposal.
- Use the blue jar for disposal of solvents with halogens. Disposal group 7151.
- Use the transparent jar for disposal of solvents without halogens. Disposal group 7152.
- All departments/groups also have their own disposal contact.

LOCAL PROCEDURES

• The procedure must be adapted to the individual unit.