

WHMIS 2015 PICTOGRAMS



FLAME OVER CIRCLE

Oxidizer - Oxidizing materials cause other materials to catch fire or explode.

FLAME

Flammable - Flammable materials can burst into flames easily. Self-Reactive, Self-Heating, emits flammable gasses when in contact with water



EXPLODING BOMB

EXPLOSIVE - Explosive materials can blow up. Self-Reactive.

GAS CYLINDER

Gases under pressure can explode, rocket and damage health if they are heated, ruptured or leaking.



SKULL & CROSSBONES

ACUTE TOXICITY - Exposure to these materials can cause immediate and possibly serious health problems.

CORROSION

Corrosive materials can seriously damage the skin and eyes and can eat away clothing, metals, working surfaces and other materials.



EXCLAMATION MARK

IRRITATION OR ACUTE TOXICITY - These materials can cause immediate health effects such as skin rashes or respiratory irritation.

HEALTH HAZARD

CARCINOGENICITY - Prolonged exposure to these materials may cause health problems such as cancer and birth defects. Some chemicals showing this symbol may cause asthma or damage to specific organs of the body.



BIOHAZARDOUS MATERIALS

Symbol only used in Canada. Indicates the presence of infectious materials such as germs, bacteria and viruses.

ENVIRONMENT

AQUATIC TOXICITY - These materials can kill fish or other wildlife that live in water.

