



WHMIS 2015 Hazard Pictogram Symbols



Flame

- Fire hazards
- Includes flammable gases, aerosols, liquids, solids; pyrophoric liquids, solids, gases; self-heating and self-reacting substances and mixtures; substances and mixtures that emit flammable gases when in contact with water; organic peroxides



Exclamation Mark

- Can cause less serious health effects or damage to the ozone layer
- Includes hazards that cause acute toxicity; skin corrosion/irritation; serious eye damage or irritation; respiratory or skin sensitization; specific target organ toxicity



Gas Cylinder

- Gas under pressure
- Includes compressed gas, liquefied gas, refrigerated liquefied gas and dissolved gas



Flame Over Circle

- Oxidizing hazard
- Includes oxidizing gases, liquids and solids



Exploding Bomb

- Explosion or reactivity hazards
- Includes self-reactive substances and mixtures; organic peroxides



Skull and Crossbones

- Hazards that can cause death or toxicity with short exposure to a small amount
- Includes hazards that cause acute toxicity: oral, dermal or inhalation



Health Hazard

- May cause or suspected of causing serious health effects
- Includes hazards that are/cause respiratory or skin sensitization; germ cell mutagenicity; carcinogenicity; reproductive toxicity; specific target organ toxicity after single or repeated exposure; aspiration hazards



Corrosion

- Can cause corrosive damage to metals, skin or eyes
- Includes corrosive to metals, skin corrosion/irritation and serious eye damage or eye irritation



Biohazard Infections Materials

- Organisms or toxins that can cause diseases in people or animals
- Includes biohazardous infectious materials



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