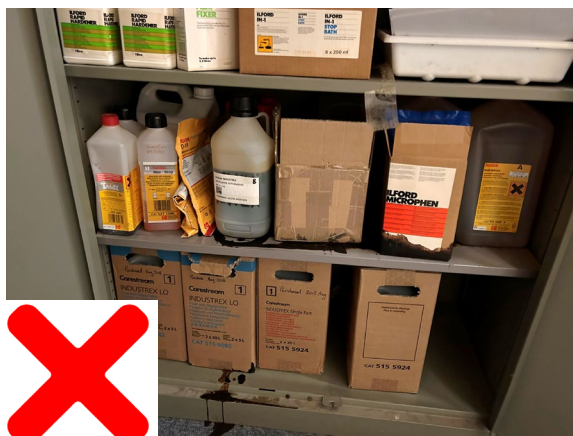


Hazardous Chemical Storage

Hazardous chemicals: materials hazardous to human health or the environment including flammable materials, e.g. acids, alkalis, solvents, oils, cleaning products ...



Storage

- In a purpose designed chemical storage cabinets.
- Liquid chemicals must be stored in chemical cabinets with bunded shelves and sump
- Chemical cabinets should not be located in walkways or corridors.
- Cabinets be labelled with hazard labels e.g., flammable, corrosive).
- Don't mix acids and bases, store like chemicals together.
- If in doubt, ask a SHE Advisor

Old chemicals

- Dispose of unwanted chemicals as hazardous waste – contact department Waste Officer.
- Chemicals, their containers and labels degrade with time making disposal hard if we don't know what it is or leaking their contents.

