

JOB SAFETY ANALYSIS

Safety Information for the University of California, Berkeley

ENVIRONMENT, HEALTH & SAFETY – CHEMICAL WASTE PALLETIZING DRUMS

TASK	HAZARDS	CONTROLS
1. Tip and roll drum on the edge to the pallet.	See “Moving Drums by Hand” JSA.	
2. Release the drum so that bottom edge rests on pallet.	Hand and finger injury.	Wear heavy gloves. Do not allow hand to be pinched between other drums or objects.
	Foot injury.	Wear steel-toed boots.
3. Push drum onto the pallet.	Back or muscle strain.	Brace feet firmly. Keep back straight. Keep firm grip on drum top. Get help when available.
Required Training: Familiarization with this JSA and Task 16.	Required Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Steel-toed boots, lab coat or tyvek suit, safety glasses, and cotton or leather gloves	

Other Information: See “Moving Drums by Hand” JSA.
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