

## OIL (USED)

USED OIL includes all of the following items: Motor Oil, Diesel Fuel, Transmission Fluid, Brake Fluid, Hydraulic Fluid, Synthetic Oils, Heating Oil, Kerosene, and less than 55 gallons of JP8

### POSSIBLE AREAS OF CONCERN

Used Oil potentially contains traces of metals such as chromium, cadmium and lead. Used oil items have a flash point above 100 degrees F.

### CHARACTERIZATION

Used petroleum-based and synthetic oils are non-hazardous industrial wastes and are collected on the installation for recycling. Used Oil recycling generates money for MWR programs.

### HANDLING PROCEDURES

**Step 1** Establish your POL point by contacting the DPW **Environmental Division, Hazardous Waste Section.**

**Step 2** Obtain a 55-gallon metal drum and Secondary Containment Unit (SCU) by contacting **PPOC Services.**

**Step 3** Ensure the drums and the SCU are marked **“Used Oil”**

**Step 4** Place Used Oil in the drum. Keep drum and SCU closed except when adding or removing contents. Locking is not required, but it will assist to keep SCU closed.

**Step 5** Contact **PPOC HazWaste Pick Up** for disposal.

**NOTE:** SCU must be located in an area accessible by a large truck for easy removal.

**NOTE:** **Do Not mix Used Oil with antifreeze. If antifreeze is contaminated with Oil, contact PPOC Support to get additional guidance.**

**NOTE:** Drip pans/SCU with oil and water should not be poured in Used Oil container. See Drip Pan guidance for disposal suggestions.

**NOTE:** Oil carts should be emptied daily and not used for storage.



Used Oil SCU



Used Oil may be placed in your return locker for pickup

### GENERAL INFORMATION

No solvents or other hazardous wastes can be mixed with Used Oil. If hazardous waste (brake cleaner, parts/weapons cleaner solvent) has been mixed with the oil, contact **PPOC Services.** Incidental amounts (less than 55 gallons) of fuels such as JP8 and diesel may be combined with the Used Oil. For quantities greater than 55 gallons, see protocol sheet, “Fuel JP8 Large Quantity,” pg A-33. **DO NOT** place MOGAS or Coleman Fuel in the Used Oil container. These items must be transported to the PPOC for disposal.