




Radioactive waste sorting




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SOLID COMBUSTIBLE RADIOACTIVE WASTE

Waste type	Container	
Paper, plastic, gloves,	Plastic bag marked with radioactive symbol and closed with a ty cable	
Empty scintillation vials		
Putrescible waste (small lab animals...)	Plastic bag marked with radioactive symbol, closed with a ty cable and put in a <u>deep freeze</u>	
Vials that cannot be emptied, gel, microtubes...)	<u>By small quantities</u> in a plastic bag marked with radioactive symbol and closed with a ty cable	

SOLID NON-FUEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE

Waste type	Container	
Glassware, sharp objects, metal items...	Metal garbage can containing a plastic bag marked with radioactive symbol	

LIQUID RADIOACTIVE WASTE

Waste type	Container	
Aqueous environment	10 Liter HDPE bottle (white)	
Organic environment	glass bottle	

URANIUM AND THORIUM SALTS



Properly closed container in a plastic bag marked with radioactive symbol and dedicated to this type of waste

EXPIRED OR NO LONGER USED SOURCES



Properly closed vials in a plastic bag marked with radioactive symbol and dedicated to this type of waste

SOURCE CONTAINERS



- Uncontaminated container :

- remove the radioactive label
- dispose of the plastic container in conventional waste
- any Pb must be disposed of in chemical waste

- Contaminated container :

put the entire container in a plastic bag marked with radioactive symbol and dedicated for this type of waste

SOURCE DELIVERY PARCELS



Remove (or completely mask) the radioactive symbol and dispose of in conventional waste