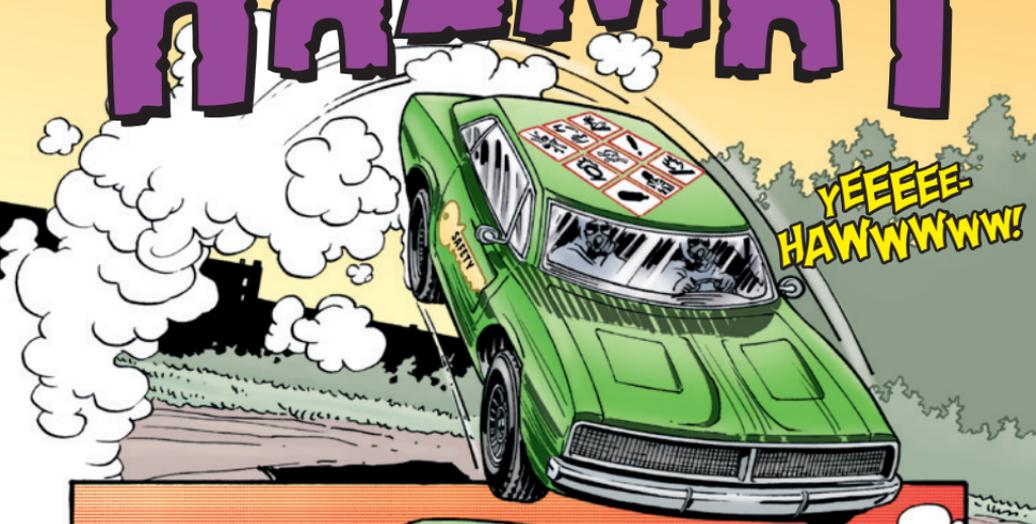


# THE DUKES OF HAZMAT



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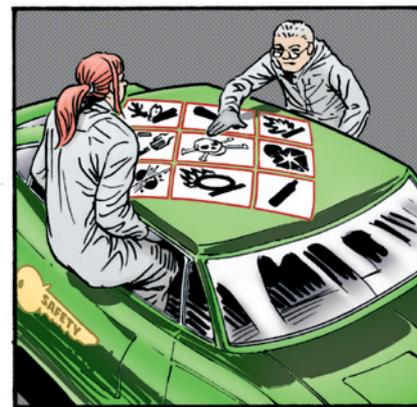
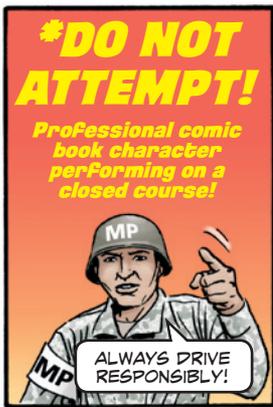


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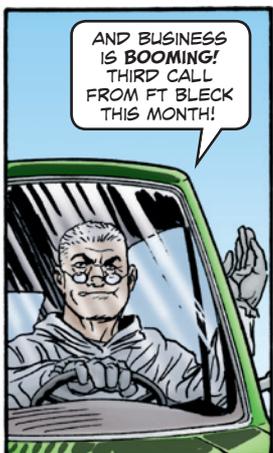
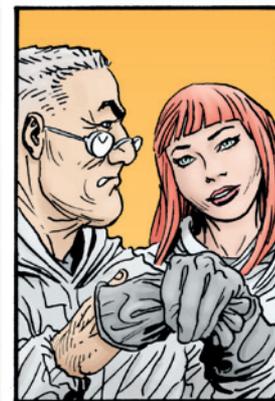
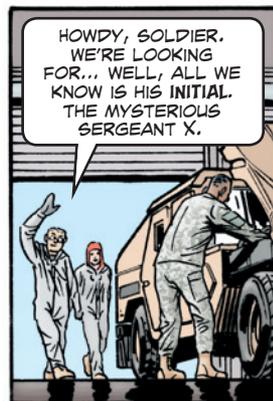
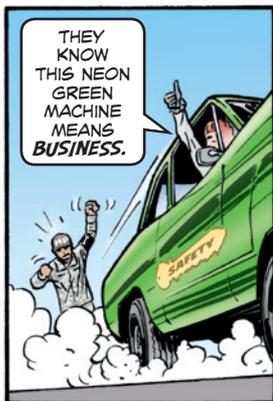
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WHOO-EEE, HAZ-MAT, DID WE JUST JUMP THE GENERAL KEY OVER THE POST GATE AGAIN?\*



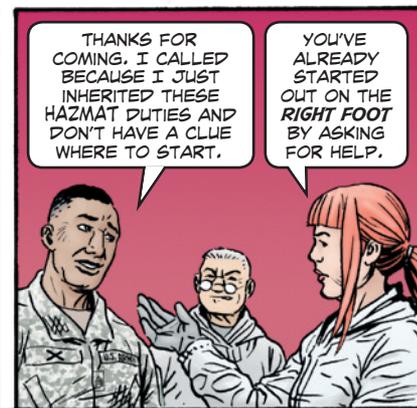
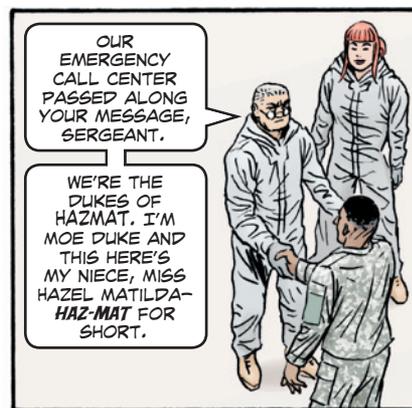
YEP, BUT I THINK THEY'RE USED TO IT BY NOW, UNCLE MOE.

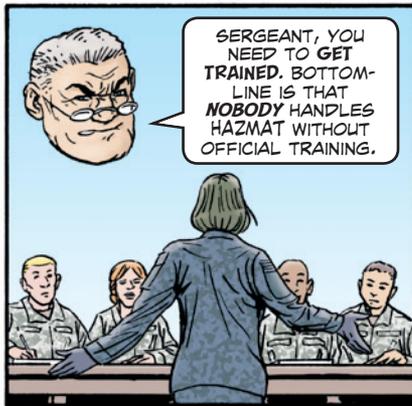


AND BUSINESS IS BOOMING! THIRD CALL FROM FT BLECK THIS MONTH!

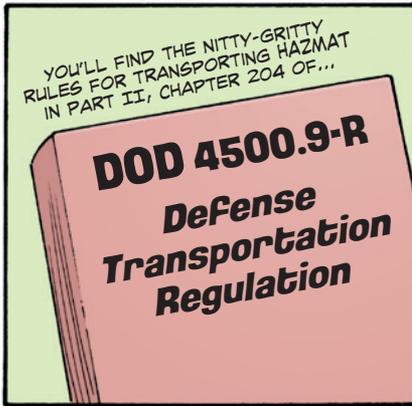


YEP, SERGEANT X FEELS OVERWHELMED BY HIS NEWLY ASSIGNED HAZMAT RESPONSIBILITIES.





SERGEANT, YOU NEED TO GET TRAINED. BOTTOM-LINE IS THAT **NOBODY** HANDLES HAZMAT WITHOUT OFFICIAL TRAINING.



YOU'LL FIND THE NITTY-GRITTY RULES FOR TRANSPORTING HAZMAT IN PART II, CHAPTER 204 OF...

## DOD 4500.9-R Defense Transportation Regulation



SPEAKING OF SDS, SERGEANT, HUNT DOWN AND PRINT OFF THE SDS FOR ANY PRODUCTS YOU USE AROUND THE SHOP. KEEP 'EM IN HARD COPY IN A BINDER.

THAT WAY, EVEN IF THE INTERNET IS DOWN, YOU **HAVE** THE INFO.



WHERE DO I FIND SDS?

THE DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY'S **HAZARDOUS MATERIALS INFORMATION RESOURCE SYSTEM** IS THE PRIMARY DOD REPOSITORY FOR SDS. GO TO: <http://www.logisticsinformationservice.dla.mil/hmirs/>



YOU CAN READ THE WHOLE REG HERE...

[http://www.transcom.mil/dtr/part-ii/dtr\\_part\\_ii\\_204.pdf](http://www.transcom.mil/dtr/part-ii/dtr_part_ii_204.pdf)

THE DEFENSE AMMUNITION CENTER OFFERS SOME HAZMAT COURSES...

<http://www.dactces.org/>

THE ARMY ALSO POSTS HAZMAT REGS, GUIDES AND OTHER HANDY INFO...

[https://safety.army.mil/ON-DUTY/Workplace/HazardousMaterials\(HAZMAT\).aspx/](https://safety.army.mil/ON-DUTY/Workplace/HazardousMaterials(HAZMAT).aspx/)

WHILE YOU'RE THERE, BE SURE TO READ UP ON THE GLOBALLY HARMONIZED SYSTEM (GHS), THE INTERNATIONAL HAZMAT STANDARDS THAT THE ARMY WILL FULLY ADOPT BY 2016...

[https://safety.army.mil/ON-DUTY/WorkplaceGloballyHarmonizedSystem\(GHS\).aspx](https://safety.army.mil/ON-DUTY/WorkplaceGloballyHarmonizedSystem(GHS).aspx)

GRAB THE WHOLE GHS GUIDE AT...

<https://www.osha.gov/dsg/hazcom/ghs.html>

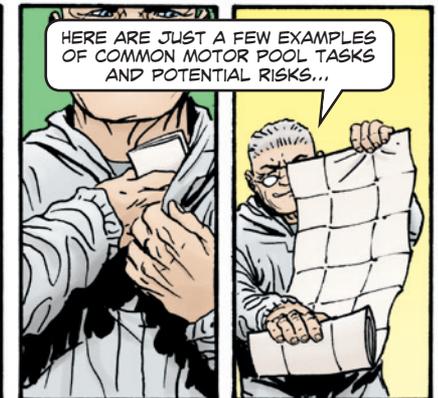
LOTS OF CHANGES COMING WITH GHS.

FOR STARTERS, STANDARD **PICTOGRAMS** WILL BE REQUIRED ON ALL LABELS TO ALERT USERS OF CHEMICAL HAZARDS.

WHAT THE ARMY CALLED MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEETS (MSDS) ARE NOW CALLED **SAFETY DATA SHEETS (SDS)**.

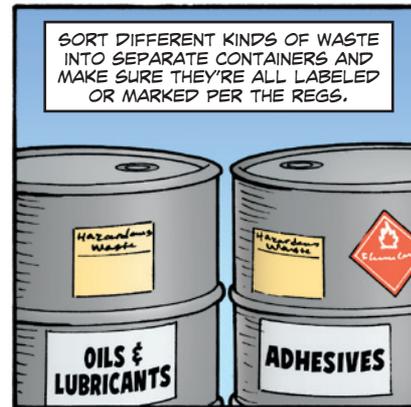
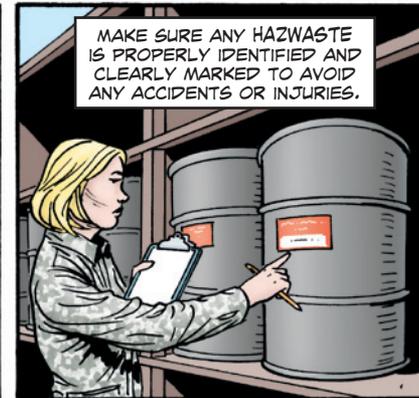
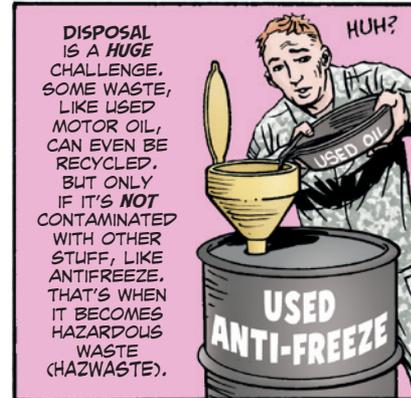
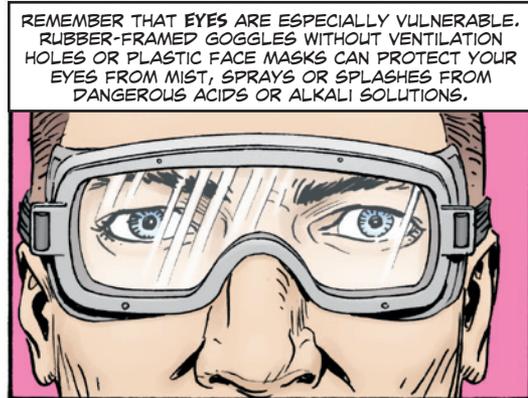
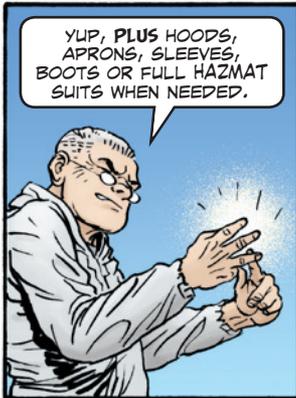
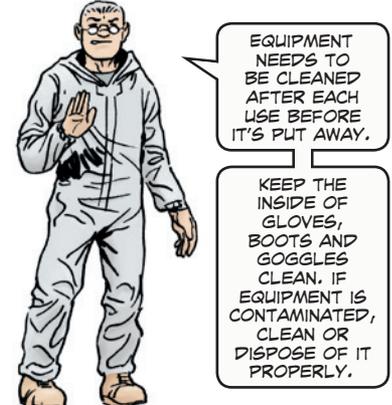


NOW LET'S POKE AROUND HERE A BIT.



HERE ARE JUST A FEW EXAMPLES OF COMMON MOTOR POOL TASKS AND POTENTIAL RISKS...

Operation or Process	HAZMAT Sources
Painting	Thinners, heavy metals, polyurethanes, waste epoxy, paint strippers
Vehicle maintenance	Used oils, lubricants, coolants, petroleum, alcohols, solvents, asbestos (brake linings)
Cleaning, degreasing	Solvents, detergents, ketones, refrigerants
Electrical/electronic maintenance	Heavy metals, PCBs
Battery shop operations	Acids, bases, cyanides, heavy metals
Washracks and motor pools	Used oil, solvents, heavy metal contaminated sludges
Disaster/CBRN preparedness	Bleach, decontaminating gasses (ethylene oxide) and liquids





# Need HAZMAT Help?

The Logistics Support Activity's Packaging, Storage and Containerization Center (PSCC) offers packaging and shipping help for **HAZMAT**.

Call DSN 795-7144/7685,  
(570) 615-7144/7685,  
or email:  
[usarmy.tyad.usamc.mbx.pt@mail.mil](mailto:usarmy.tyad.usamc.mbx.pt@mail.mil)

