# Package Selection Marking and Labeling Requirements



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## **Objectives**

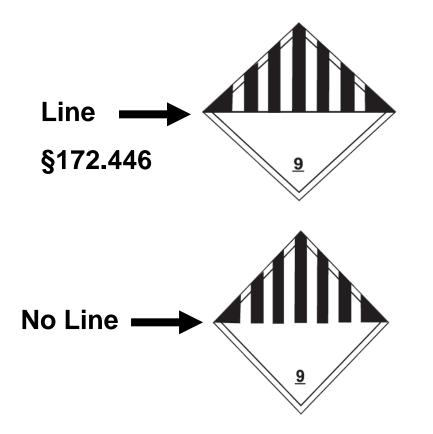
- Identify Applicable Parts of Hazardous Materials Regulations (HMR)
- Describe United Nations (UN) Packaging Standards and Codes
- Determine Hazard Communication Marking and Labels

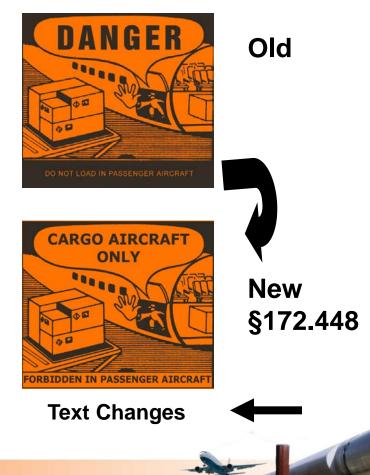




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### HM215J and UN Harmonization Labels

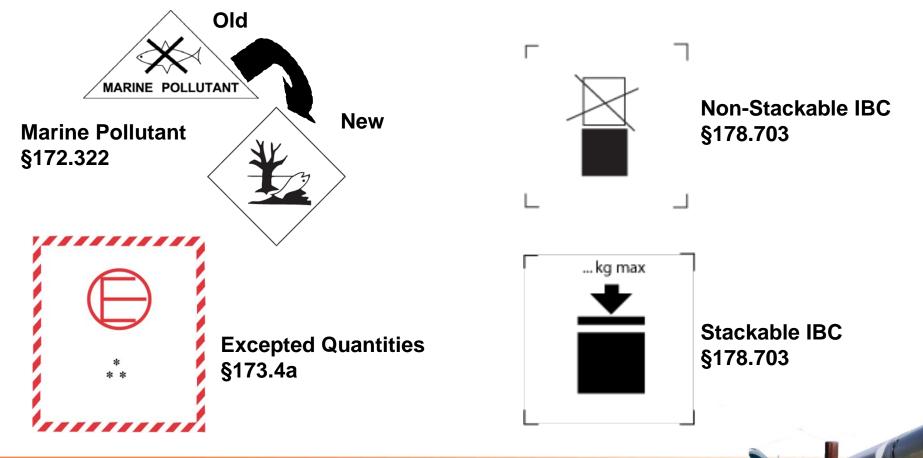






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### HM215J and UN Harmonization Markings

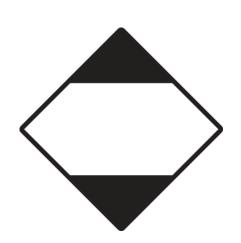




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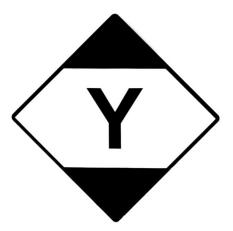
### **Limited Quantities and ORM-D**

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For use in modes other than air until December 31, 2020



Limited quantities by air (see § 172.315(b))



Limited quantities for modes other than air (see § 172.315(a))



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## HMR 49 CFR

- Part 172 –
  Subparts B, D and E
- Part 173







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## **Is The Material Hazardous?**

- Check Table §172.101 (HMT)
- Identify the HM by Proper Shipping Name Column 2

	Hazardous Materials Descriptions	Hazard				Special	(8) Packaging (§173.***)			(9) Quantity Limitations	
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	Dangerous Goods in Machinery	9	UN3363			136, A105	None	222	None	See A105	See A105



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# Column 8 Packaging (173.\*\*\*)

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#### §173.203 Non-Bulk Packagings for Liquid Hazardous Materials in Packing Group III

- Combination Packagings
- Single Packagings



1A2 STEEL DRUM removable head used as combination packaging



FIBERBOARD BOX used as combination packaging showing inner packagings



1A1 STEEL DRUM

non-removable head used as single packaging





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## **Other Requirements of §173.203**

- Packaging Conforms to Subpart B of Part 173
- Packaging Meets Requirements of Part 178 at PG I, II or III level
- Special Provisions of Column 7, HMT are Met





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## **Column 7 Special Provisions**

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	Phosphoric acid solution	8	UN1805	III	8	A77 IB3 N34 T4, TP1	154	203	241	5L	60L



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## **Column 7 Special Provisions**

- Identifies additional provisions for the specific hazardous material
  - "1" means poisonous by inhalation, Hazard Zone A
- May impose limitations or additional requirements on packaging
  - A7 requires steel packaging to be corrosion resistant when shipped by air
  - N34 requires aluminum constructed materials not in contact with the hazardous material



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## **Performance-Oriented Packaging**



1A2 STEEL DRUM used as combination packaging

1A1 STEEL DRUM used as single packaging



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# Required Tests for Non-Bulk Packagings and Packages

- Drop Test §178.603
  - All packagings
- Leakproofness Test §178.604
  - All packagings intended for liquids
- Hydrostatic Test §178.605
  - Metal, plastic and composite intended for liquids
- Stacking Test §178.606
  - All packaging other than bags
- Vibration Standard §178.608
  - All packaging





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## **Closure Requirements**

DOT Specification or UN standard packaging must be closed in accordance with the instructions provided by the packaging manufacturer or subsequent distributor

§173.22 (a)(4)



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### **Manufacturer's Responsibility**

#### §178.2(c) paraphrased

...the manufacturer...of that packaging must:

specifying the type(s) and dimensions of the closures, including gaskets and any other components needed to ensure that the packaging is capable of successfully passing the applicable performance tests.







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## **Manufacturer's Responsibility**

#### Continued

#### §178.2(c) paraphrased

This information must include any procedures to be followed, including closure instructions for inner packagings and receptacles, to effectively assemble and close the packaging for the purpose of preventing leakage in transportation. **Closure instructions must provide for a consistent and repeatable means of closure that is sufficient to ensure the packaging is closed in the same manner as it was tested.** 







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### **Closure Notifications**

- Types of Notifications
  - Written
  - Embossed
  - Printed on the Package



#### **Closure Instructions**

- 1. SEAL PAINT CANS: FOR GROUND SHIPMENTS ONLY, ATTACH 6 CAN CLIPS. FOR AIR OR GROUND SHIPMENTS, SEAL WITH LOCKING RING. (LOCKING RING REQUIRED FOR AIR SHIPMENTS)
- 2. IF SHIPPING 1 UNIT, SEAL 1 CAN AND ASSEMBLE SINGLE SHIPMENT CORRUGATED BOX,
- IF SHIPPING 2 UNITS, SEAL 2 CANS AND ASSEMBLE 2 PACK CORRUGATED BOX,
- IF SHIPPING 4 UNITS, SEAL 4 CANS AND ASSEMBLE 4 PACK CORRUGATED BOX.
- 3. PLACE EPS FOAM CAP INSERTS INTO BASE OF BOX.
- 4. PUT FILLED CAN/CANS IN EPS FOAM CAP INSERTS.
- 5. PLACE EPS FOAM CAP INSERTS ON TOP OF CAN/CANS.
- TAPE BOX CLOSED WITH 3" REINFORCED GUMMED TAPE OR MINIMUM 2 MIL 2" CLEAR CARTON SEALING TAPE.

#### ATTENTION

#### To seal can:

Apply downward pressuse to lid until seated completely into grooves on can. Air: Apply downward pressure to locking ring until contacting top of can. Ground: Lock clips into grooves on can in an evenly spaced pattern.

Outer flaps meet. Use center seam tape pattern 2.5" min. overlap

SINGLE KIT CONTAINS: ONE SINGLE SHIPMENT CARTON AND 2 EPS FOAM CAPS.

2 PACK KIT CONTAINS:: ONE 2 PACK CARTON AND 4 EPS FOAM CAPS.

4 PACK KIT CONTAINS:: ONE 4 PACK CARTON AND 8 EPS FOAM CAPS.

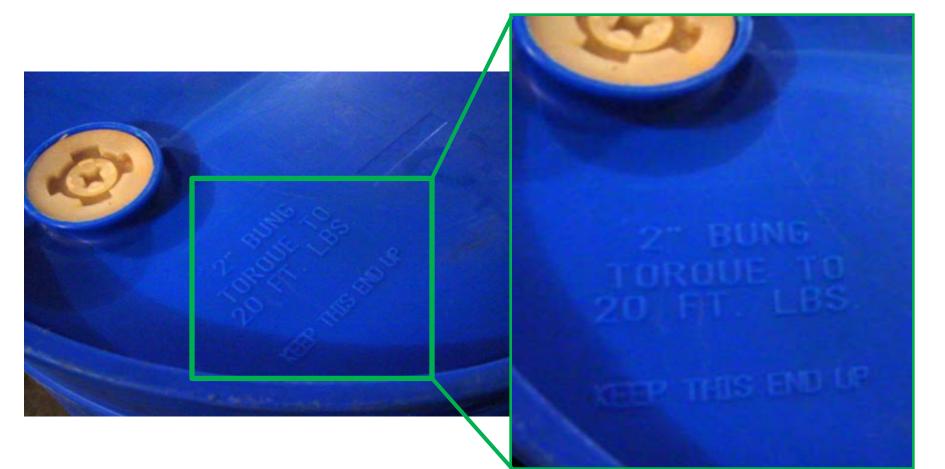
\*\*\*LPS WILL ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR PACKAGE INTEGRITY AND COMPLIANCE WITH ICAO/IATA, IMO AND UN STANDARDS, "ONLY", IF ALL PACKAGE COMPONENTS ARE ASSEMBLED AND PURCHASED AS A SINGLE INTEGRATED UNIT.



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#### **Embossed**





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#### **Printed on Package**





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## **Shipper's Responsibility**

- § 173.22(a)(4)
  - For a DOT Specification or UN standard packaging subject to the requirements of part 178 of this subchapter, a person must perform all functions necessary to bring the package into compliance with parts 173 and 178 of this subchapter, <u>as identified by</u> <u>the packaging manufacturer or subsequent</u> <u>distributor</u> (for example, applying closures consistent with the manufacturer's closure instructions) in accordance with §178.2 of this subchapter...



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## **Shipper's Responsibility**

- § 173.22(a)(4)
  - A person must maintain a copy of the manufacturer's notification, including closure instructions (see §178.2(c) of this subchapter) unless permanently embossed or printed on the packaging.
- § 173.27
  - General requirements for transportation by aircraft





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### UN Specification Marking Requirements Part 178, Subpart L

- Manufacturers test and mark packagings according to UN Standards
- Specified Codes used for marking
- Markings must be durable, legible and placed according to Subpart L



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#### Identification Code for UN Standard Packaging

#### SINGLE PACKAGING



Z – PGIII (minor danger) Y – PGII (medium danger) X – PGI (great danger)



§178.502; §178.503v



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#### Identification Code for UN Standard Packaging

#### **COMBINATION PACKAGING**



Removable Head

#### **Inner Packaging**





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### **Marking Specification Packagings**

#### Durable

- Stamped
- Embossed
- Burned
- Printed or otherwise marked
- Legible
  - Readily visible
- Size
  - Relative to packaging size
- Location
  - On non-removable component





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## Questions on Package Selection?



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#### Markings that Communicate the Hazard

#### 49 CFR Part 172 Subpart D Applicability

- Each person offering a hazardous material for transportation
- Each carrier when assigned the function by Subpart D
- General Markings that Identify the Hazardous Material Shipment
  - Proper shipping name
  - UN identification number
  - Consignee or Consignor





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#### **General Hazard Communication Markings**





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#### **Orientation Arrows**



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#### Additional Hazard Communication Markings

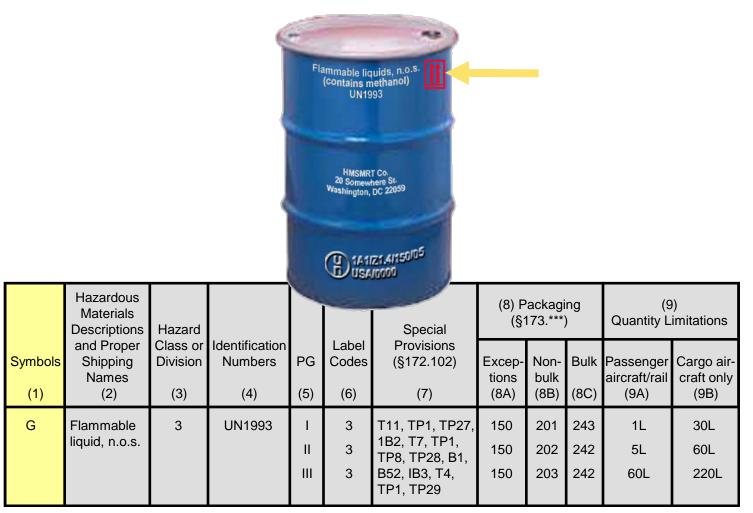
- Technical Names §172.301(b)
- Inhalation Hazard §172.313(a)
- Marine Pollutant §172.322
- RQ (Hazardous Substance) §173.324





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### **Technical Names**





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### **Inhalation Hazard**





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## Hazardous Substance and Marine Pollutants



#### §172.322, §172.324



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#### **Additional Requirements of Subpart D**

- Prohibited marking §172-303
- Limited Quantities §172.315
- Special Permits/Exemption §172.301(c)
  - DOT-SP
  - DOT-E
- Authorized abbreviations §172.308
- Class 7 (radioactive) §172.310
- Liquid hazardous materials §172.312
  - Combination packagings
  - Vented closures
- ORM-D §173.316
- Explosives §172.320
- Infectious Substance §172.323





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## **Column 8A Excepted Packagings**



#### **CONSUMER COMMODITIES**



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# **Display of Markings**

- Durable
- English
- Affixed to surface or label, tag or sign
- Sharply contrasting background
- Un-obscured by labels or other
- Located away from other marking such as advertising
- Only authorized abbreviations

§172.304



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# **Display of Markings**





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# **Marking Questions?**



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## **Hazard Labels**

#### 49 CFR Part 172 Subpart E Applicability

- Each person offering a hazardous material for transportation
- Exceptions §172.400a

#### Hazard Labels

- Primary Hazard Class
- Subsidiary Risk
- Other Labels
  - Cargo Aircraft Only





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FLAMMABLE LIQUID

POISON

# **Selecting Hazard Labels**

Symbols (1)	Hazardous Materials Descriptions and Proper Shipping Names (2)	Hazard Class or Division (3)	Identification Numbers (4)	PG (5)	Label Codes (6)	Special Provisions (§172.102) (7)	(8) Packaging (§173.***)			(9) Quantity Limitations	
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#### §172.402



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### **Labeling for Subsidiary Risks**



**Note:** ALL primary AND subsidiary labels MUST have the hazard class or division number displayed on each label

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## **Label Restrictions**

- Package contains a hazardous material
- Label represents the hazardous material inside package
- Label meets specification requirements of HMR



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## **Placement of Labels**

- On package surface other than bottom
- Same surface near proper shipping name
- Affixed to tag
- Hazard labels
  - Primary and subsidiary label displayed next to each other
  - Within 6 inches
- Contrasting background
- Visible not obscured





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## **Completed Examples**





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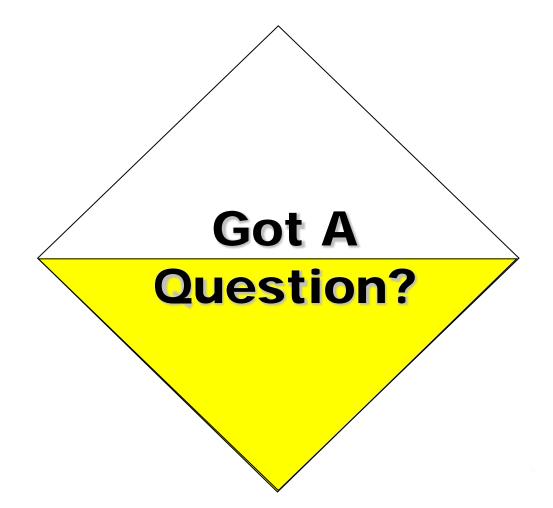
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### **Label Questions?**



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