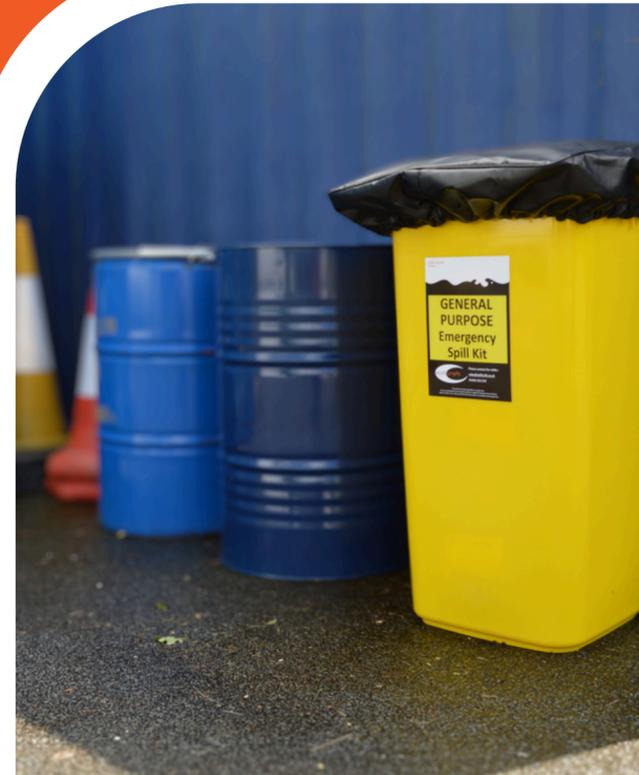




Spill Control Solutions

EMERGENCY SPILL KITS



OVERVIEW

What is an emergency spill kit for?

Where there is a risk of a hazardous substance being released, due to a spill or leak, we should have emergency spill kits readily available in order to protect people and the environment. Before using emergency spill kits ensure staff are trained and have suitable PPE available.



What types of kit are available?

Emergency spill kits come in a wide variety of sizes and specifications, dependent on the risk presented. At Spillcraft we manufacture our own Emergency Spill Kits at our head office in Sandbach, Cheshire. Each kit is designed with a specific purpose in mind and our helpful guide will aid you in making the right selection.

Which spill kit do I need?

We'd recommend a competent person completes a site wide spill risk assessment to determine the level of risk presented by each hazardous substance on site. Refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for advice on managing accidental releases of specific substances (section 6). If you're still unsure, reach out to one of our expert team on 01606 352 679 and we'd be glad to assist.



ABSORBENT GUIDE

General Purpose (Grey)



General purpose spill kits are stocked with grey absorbents, these are suitable to use with non-aggressive and non-hazardous liquids such as oils, coolants, solvents and water.

Ideal for lower risk areas.

Chemical (Yellow)

Chemical spill kits are stocked with yellow absorbents, to be used in areas where aggressive liquids may be present, such as acids and alkalis. These are suitable to use on most chemicals, however we would always suggest referencing the SDS when managing aggressive liquids.



Oil & Fuel (White)

Oil & fuel absorbents are white in colour and have specialist hydrophobic properties. These are designed to clean up oil-based liquids from water.

Typically used in outdoor areas where there is a risk of an oil spill mixing with water (puddles, lagoons, ponds, etc)



KIT VARIATIONS

Grab Bags



When handling smaller quantities of liquids it may be beneficial to deploy grab bags. They are available in a variety of sizes from 5L to 50L which are easy to store and carry.

Typically these are used in labs, workshops, vehicles, etc.

Wheelie bins

The most popular type of spill kit on the market is the wheelie bin style. These come in 120L-240L. They are available in general purpose, chemical and oil & fuel and provide excellent response in an emergency situation due to their easy manoeuvrability.

We typically recommend these kits when sites are using drums, IBCs and other larger containers.



Large Kits

Our large spill kits are from 500L-100L and are also available in all three variations. These kits feature a drop down front to allow easy access to absorbents.

Typically these are reserved for areas of high risk with large quantities of fluid, due to the lack of mobility.



KIT VARIATIONS

Specialist Kits

At Spillcraft we've developed a variety of specialist kits such as:

- Mercury
- Battery Acid
- Body Fluids
- Vehicles
- Fork Lift Trucks
- Paint
- And others!



Need some more advice?

Reach out to our team on 01606 352 679