

## U.S. Army Garrison, Hawaii – Environmental Compliance Guide

# USED OIL

(Motor Oil, Diesel Fuel, Transmission, Brake, Hydraulic Fluids, Synthetic and Heating Oils)

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Used oil includes all of the following items: Motor Oil, Diesel Fuel, Transmission Fluid, Brake Fluid, Hydraulic Fluid, Synthetic Oils and Heating Oil. Used oil is generated by vehicle/aircraft repair and maintenance services. Used oil is regulated by used oil regulations and always must be properly marked “USED OIL”.

## POTENTIAL HAZARDS

Mismanagement of used oil could be harmful to the environment and may result in fines by the Hawaii Department of Health and EPA. Never mix solvents, antifreeze or other hazardous waste with used oil.

## WASTE CHARACTERIZATION

Used oil, when managed properly, is a RECYCLABLE MATERIAL.

## HANDLING AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

**Step 1:** Ensure that your facility is authorized to collect used oil by contacting the Environmental Division Compliance Inspections Program.

**Step 2:** All containers containing free flowing used oil must be marked with the words “USED OIL”. This includes drums and drain pans.

**Step 3:** Transfer used oil to the appropriate drum in the RMSSP and enter the amount transferred on the RMSSP Collection Log.

**Step 4:** Do not mix used oil with antifreeze or any other material. If used oil becomes contaminated, contact the Environmental Division Compliance Inspections Program for assistance.

**Step 5:** Drip pans with oil and water should not be poured in used oil container, see Drip Pans fact sheet for disposal procedures.

**Step 6:** Contact the DPW Waste Pickup Request Line (808) 656-0867 for used oil pickup.

**For POV used oil, take to the Schofield Barracks (808) 655-9368 or Fort Shafter Auto Craft Shop (808) 438-9402. Call for disposal fee.**

