

Chemistry Department Standard Operating Procedure Title: Vacuum Pump Oil

Vacuum pump oil can be collected in 4L glass bottles like dangerous waste.

This oil is poured into a 20L plastic container that is disposed of when full.

The department storeroom maintains a number of containers of various sizes for collecting used vacuum pump oil. Contact them to obtain a container.

The procedure for bulking vacuum pump oil is posted on the hood sash where the 20L container is stored for bulking.

Vacuum pump oil should be treated as a dangerous waste. The material that was used in vacuum may have become trapped in the oil during use.