

# IT CAN'T GO DOWN THE DRAIN IF IT IS

## ☛ **INSOLUBLE IN WATER**

Includes fats, oils and other petroleum products and most organic solvents.

## ☛ **FLAMMABLE**

Includes materials such as alcohols, acetone and similar flammable liquids.

## ☛ **HIGHLY ACIDIC**

(pH below 5)

## ☛ **HIGHLY BASIC**

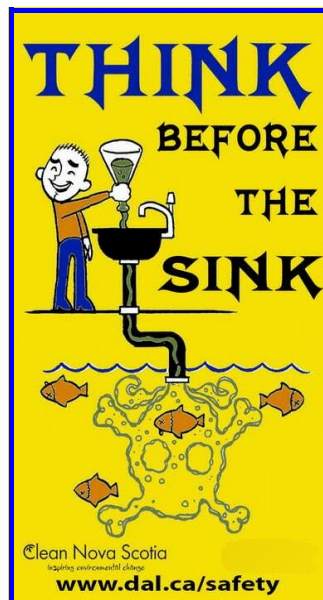
(pH above 10)

## ☛ **TOXIC OR NON-BIODEGRADABLE**

Includes solutions containing:

- Metals such as arsenic, cadmium, chromium, copper, lead, nickel and silver, mercury, thallium,
- Cyanides, azides and other toxic materials,
- Toxic organic compounds,
- Dyes and other intensely coloured materials.

## ☛ **RADIOACTIVE WASTE**



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## MORE INFORMATION

Check [www.dal.ca/safety](http://www.dal.ca/safety) for:

- ☛ Dalhousie's Waste Disposal Guides (in the Laboratory and Chemical section)
- ☛ W-101 – HRM's Waste Water Discharge By-Law (in the Laws and Regulations section)

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