

Re: White House Delays Release of Study Showing Toxic Rocket Fuel In Most Americans

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In article <[jurPf.10697\\$oS.L.8203@attbi_s71](mailto:jurPf.10697$oS.L.8203@attbi_s71)>, George wrote:

I wondered about the synonyms "Hexachloroethane and Carbon hexachloride", but those was listed under a site that listed them as synonymous with PCE.

I'd get that foot along to the emergency room, if I were you. Get the buck-shot dug out of it.

I'm not a chemist (though I play one on TV).

Me neither. But I spent the first 18 years of my life living with an organic chemist. You get tired of these issues after the first decade.

That's a good site for quickly looking up chemicals, by the way. Here is the index page, if you are interested in looking up some other ones. I have a pocket edition of this that I use in the field.

Actually, I tend to go for something like the Merck or BDH online catalogues if I'm really unsure of a compound's structure, because they tend to include a number of synonyms for each compound, and they *do* know their chemistry.

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You work in that game? A few years ago I was moderately tempted by the idea of dumping the oil for working in slipp (DOH, too early! "sPiLL")

analysis/ remediation. A friend worked for a tower block called Camp Dresser

McPhee (give or take a syllable) in Boston, and recommended the work. Of course, he quit within the year and is now in the oil. Hmmm.

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That's Camp Dresser and McKee. I have a good friend who worked for them in Oklahoma before he moved here (he married a rich guys' daughter, da bastard!). I only listed that site because it is what is used during emergencies to quickly identify spills. It is quite useful, and also gives guidance on response measures. Yeah, I've been doing environmental longer than I like to admit. It's the only thing around here that pays.

George

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