



Onsite Inventory Assessment

3E can provide a convenient, accurate, site-specific inventory by sending an inventory specialist on site.

The cornerstone to every solid compliance program is an accurate hazardous materials inventory. As a part of the 3E MSDS Management service family, 3E's Onsite Inventory Assessment provides your company with an accurate, site-specific inventory report.

Just how important is an accurate inventory? 3E has found that when analyzed, the size and diversity of hazardous products within an organization is almost always a surprise. The result can be misguided programs, misleading reporting, insufficient training and poor decision-making. Some typical examples include:



- Several products listed on a master inventory list do not exist in the actual workplace.
- Many of the items listed have no associated supporting data, such as an MSDS, quantities, storage locations and container data. Of the items that have supporting information, almost half of the information is out of date.
- Drastic variations and inconsistencies across locations, sites or departments within the same organization.
- Inventories are constantly changing. Products are used and disposed. New materials are ordered. Product shifts from one site to another. All of this affects site-specific usage calculations and the related reporting requirements.
- Typically half of the inventories contain more carcinogens than expected, such as Aflatoxins, Arsenic Compounds (inorganic), Asbestos, Benzene, Beryllium and Beryllium Compounds, Coal Tar, Coke Oven Emissions, Ethylene Oxide, Wood Dust, Lead and Mercury.

An accurate inventory is required to better manage your compliance as well as ensure inventory matching for your MSDS management going forward. Capturing an accurate snapshot of your current inventory can also enable you to make highly informed decisions about the business practices related to the acquisition, use and disposal of chemicals across your entire enterprise. An inventory assessment is also a highly effective approach to identifying product procurement improvement opportunities.

3E's Inventory Assessment is provided as an enhancement to 3E Online®-MSDS. An experienced 3E EH&S professional will come onsite to your location(s) to acquire information related to an accurate hazardous materials inventory.



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Full Chemical Lifecycle Management

3E Company's comprehensive suite of data products and information services enable improved compliance with global Environmental Health & Safety (EH&S) requirements related to the safe manufacturing, distribution, transportation, usage and disposal of chemicals and hazardous products. This full chemical lifecycle approach enables in-house EH&S staff to reduce cost, risk and liability while improving process efficiencies and focusing on strategic EH&S goals.

Whether you are a producer, manufacturer or distributor, or a company whose employees handle hazardous materials, 3E can tailor a program specific to the EH&S compliance information and management needs of your organization.



EH&S Challenges

With the spotlight shining brightly on EH&S compliance, companies are challenged with finding effective ways to address the complexities and intricacies of EH&S compliance management. Not only do these challenges stem from a constantly-changing regulatory landscape, but also from a scarcity of newcomers to the EH&S field, and pressure on EH&S departments to manage increased responsibility with fewer resources. Addressing these issues requires broad and deep domain expertise—expertise that doesn't always exist within the company. And if it does, this expertise is probably best utilized by driving the company's overall compliance strategy, not bogged down with paperwork or the administrative burdens associated with maintaining compliance.

EH&S Solutions

At 3E Company, we understand the business and the burden of EH&S information and compliance management. 3E Company is a comprehensive, one-stop solution for content, tools and services for companies that want to take effective leadership and control of their product stewardship and EH&S compliance activities. 3E's products and services help companies make the transition from simply managing for compliance, to cutting-edge product stewardship practices that deliver tangible and sustainable business results.

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