Laboratory Safety Rules

Personal Safety

- 1. Medical conditions of any kind must be reported immediately.
- 2. Shoes must be worn in the laboratory. It is advised to wear only close toe-shoes.
- 3. Hair and loose clothing should be fastened or secured.
- 4. Do not wear loose jewelry that can be entangled in power tools or cause electrification.
- 5. Do not wear neckties while working around machinery.
- 6. Never use a tool that you are not familiar with.



Laboratory Regulations

- 1. Follow the assigned directions and lab procedures exactly, unless stated otherwise by the instructor.
- 2. No food or drinks are allowed in the laboratory. Do not taste or ingest anything in the lab.
- 3. Smoking is prohibited.
- 4. Clean the lab area before leaving the lab. Discard scrap materials in appropriate places.
- 5. Keep the work area well lit and dry.
- 6. Before working with tools that can cause sparks, make sure that the surrounding area is free from ignitable materials.

- 7. Learn the locations of fire extinguishers. Find out where the fire alarm is located and the proper exit route for the lab
- 8. If not authorized by the instructor, no student is allowed to have a company in the lab.

Disposal

- 1. Do not dispose of any chemicals used in the lab without directions given by the instructor.
- 2. Chemical waste must be disposed into an appropriate, designated receptacle.

Accidents in the Lab

- 1. Be prepared to act intelligently and quickly. Note the location of the fire extinguisher, fire alarm, eyewash station, first aid kit, and exit door.
- 2. Always notify the instructor or someone nearby immediately in the event of any accident, no matter how minor it may be.
- 3. If corrosive liquids (acidic or basic) touch your skin, flood the area with water first and then notify the instructor. The rinsing should last at least 15 minutes.
- 4. Chemicals in the eye should be rinsed with the eyewash immediately.

 Notify the instructor after finishing.

In case of emergency, please contact one of the following persons

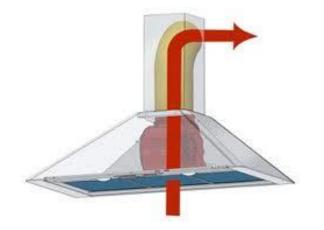
1- Tom Trimble Tel: 410-6140

2- Kamal Tawfiq (Chair) Tel: 410-6143

3- CEE Main office Tel: 410-6139

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Do not use the heat exhaust hood without authorization