## **Hazardous Chemical Categories:** Poisonous Materials

Poisonous materials are dangerous to life even in small amounts.

Poison Gases...

are gases known to be toxic even in small amounts.

Class B Poisons...

are less hazardous than poison gases but are still hazardous if released during transportation. This category includes some gases that are toxic to animals and presumed to be toxic to humans.

Irritating Materials...

give off dangerous or intensely irritating fumes.

**Etiologic Agents...** 

are living microorganisms that may cause human disease.

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## Always...

- Use DOT warning labels and placards when transporting poisonous materials.
- Read the MSDS or warning label carefully before using poisonous materials.

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