

## **Department Environment and Biodiversity**

Laboratory Unit: Geology Room: E-2.043

Responsible: Gertrude Friedl
Co-Responsible: Bjarne Friedrichs
Consultation prior to work: Gertrude Friedl
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## Local Safety Rules for the chemical depot

- The chemical depot is used jointly by members of geology and authorized persons from different working groups of the department of bioscience and medical biology.
- Only authorized persons are permitted to use the chemical depot.
- For safety reasons, eating, drinking, and smoking are not permitted in this room.
- The use of personal protective equipment is strictly required for all work in the chemical depot.
- Eye and skin protection is essential when handling toxic chemicals in liquid and solid form. In special cases also respiratory protection is required.
- Due to the storage of potentially explosive substances, the room is equipped with explosion protection.
- The Fire Protection Ordinance applies! Fire protection equipment must not be put out of operation.

## Specific lab rules

The general laboratory rules apply to all laboratories and to the chemical depot in this unit. It must be followed without exceptions. Please, be aware that additional rules apply to the labs in this unit as stated in the following:

- All authorized persons must be introduced by one of responsible persons (Gertrude Friedl, Bjarne Friedrichs) to the guidelines and security aspects of the chemical depot.
- Before starting work, every user must sign in the lab book.

- Please inform the lab manager immediately of any defects in the equipment and of any
  personal protective equipment (gloves, safety goggles, respiratory protection) that have run
  low.
- All solid and liquid chemicals must be stored in metal cabinets that can be securely locked and are connected to an extraction system.
- Chemicals may only be filled from large containers into small ones under the fume cupboards.
- Due to the storage of potentially explosive substances, the room is equipped with explosion protection.
- All vessels, etc. must be marked by name. Unlabelled containers will be removed.

## **Emergency**



Building manager (Hausdienst): 6821

Fire: 0 – 122

Ambulance: 0 - 144

Info Poisoning Treatment: 01-406 43 43

<u>User:</u> I confirm that I have read and understood the above Local Safety Rules	
Date	Signature
<u>Laboratory Responsible:</u> I confirm that above named person was trained on the basis of the Local Safety Rules.	
Date	Signature