Halogenated Waste (any organic chemical that contains F, Cl, Br, or I)

Chloroform (C1) Benzalkonium Chloride (C1) Bromophenol blue (Br) Crystal violet (C1) Eosin (Br) Methylene Chloride (C1) Methylene blue (C1) Safranin (Cl)

Non-Halogenated Waste (organic solvents that do not contain F, Cl, Br,

or I)

Acetone

Acetonitrile

Bis / Tris solutions

Cyclohexane

DAPI

DMSO

EDTA

Ethyl Alcohol ≥24%

Ethyl Ether

Fluorescein

Hematoxylin

HEPES

Hexanes

Hybridization buffer (sodium dodecyl sulfate / sodium phosphate dibasic

buffer)

Isopropyl Acetate

Isopropyl Alcohol ≥24%

Methanol ≥24%

Oil Red O

Petroleum Ether (mineral spirits)

Phenol

2-Propanol ≥24%

TEMED

tert-Butanol

Tetrahydrofuran

Toluene

TAE

Tris base

Tris borate (TBE)

Xylene cyanol

Aqueous Waste – Predominantly Water-Based

Buffers (water-based)

Sulfuric Acid

Hydrochloric Acid

Acetic Acid

Nitric Acid

Phosphate buffered saline (PBS)

Sodium Hydroxide

Any alcohol <24% (Ethanol, Isopropanol, Methanol, 2-Propanol, etc)

***(Sewer disposal is allowed for alcohols containing <24%, if alcohol is the only hazardous constituent)

Solid Waste

Silica Gel

Magnesium Sulfate

Sodium Bicarbonate

Sodium Sulfate

Calcium Chloride

Separate Waste Streams for each of these

Ethidium Bromide gels and contaminated filters (solutions may go through filtration)

Osmuim-containing products (Osium Tetroxide, Osmium Dioxide)

Mercury-contaminated debris

Formaldehyde, Formalin, or Paraformaldehyde aqueous solutions

Chromium-containing solutions

Lead-containing solutions