

Ex: Treaty or banned chemicals, TRI chemicals, DoD
Component Chemical Management Plan Chemicals (e.g., CFCs)

**Highly
Hazardous
Chemicals**

Phase out

Ex: High DoD Mission Risk Chemicals, Action List ECs,
known and probable human carcinogens (e.g., Hex Chrome)

Problematic

**Substitute & reduce use
of wherever possible;
proactively manage risks**

Ex: Insufficient data, inadequately
characterized ESOH hazards (e.g., CL20)

(more likely to be problematic)

Chemicals of Uncertain Concern

**Close data gaps where mission
critical; EC scan for new data and
trends in science or regulation**

Ex: Vetted, low risk, recognized
as "green" or bio-preferred

(less likely to be a Problematic)

Inherently Safer Chemicals

**Give preference to &
increase use**