**OBJECTIVE**

* To protect the product from contamination due to spills or leaks in the equipment.

**PREVENTIVE MEASURES**

In case of a spill:

* Analyze the toxicity and other characteristics of the substance spilled. These can be found on the product's safety data sheet.
* If necessary, use protective equipment.
* Contain the spill, with diatomaceous earth or sand.
* Keep the spill covered with absorbent material or neutralize it, in the case of acid (sodium bicarbonate) or base (acetic acid diluted to 50%, citric acid or boric acid) until it is totally permeated.
* With a shovel and broom or brush pick up the material and place it in a bag to dispose of it as a hazardous waste.
* All product that has had contact with the spill should be disposed of.