

# Gasoline Safety – Picture This



## Safety Tips In Fuel Handling and Storage

Improper handling and storage of fuel can have serious consequences including potential health problems, contamination of the environment and damage to property. Here are some safety tips you can follow to avoid accidents and damage resulting from poor fuel handling and storage practices.



Only use petrol as a fuel, never as cleaning solvent or fire-starter



Any materials used in cleaning leakage must be disposed properly



Place safety signage or warnings signs where fuel is stored



Keep petrol away from eyes and skin



Keep fuel away from ignition sources



Never use petrol to wash your hands



Avoid prolonged exposure to fuel vapour



Never overfill the fuel tank



Store fuel using an appropriate storage tank



Properly label storage tanks by the product they contain



Keep approved fire extinguishers close to fuel storage



Always have a clear access route to the fuel storage area

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