

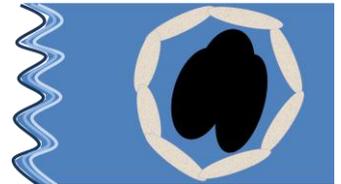
## How to act on a spill situation?

### On a maritime environment (lakes, rivers, seas and oceans).

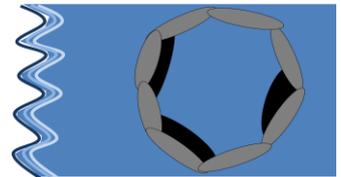
1. Identify the spill and prepare the booms (connect the booms (B12300/B20300/B20600/B122500/B202500/BS20600/BS201250) to ensure the extension needed for the spill. The link between the booms is done by uniting the carabiner of one boom to the ring of the other boom (see figure).



2. Place the booms in the disposition to contain the spill and avoid its progression. These booms will not only contain but they will absorb the spill as well. Its efficiency depends of the contact time between the oil and the booms. While the spill is contained other absorbent material, hydrophobic and that floats after saturation, can be used to accelerate the absorption process. As an example of the absorbent material to be used in these circumstances are another booms and socks (S07120/S07300/B12300/B20300/B20600/B122500/B202500/BS20600/BS201250), pillows (P30x30/P45x45) and granules (G01006). The granules have the inconvenience being difficult to collect. The booms have a very low water absorption rate and so it allows staying longer periods of time on the surface.



3. Remove and renew, if necessary, the saturated booms. The Corksorb booms floats even after saturation.



4. If the spill is already scattered, it is recommend placing booms near the coastal zones which the pollutants are heading to protect the plant and animal life and the surrounding beaches.



5. Follow all legal procedures to eliminate all of the final residues.

**Note:** In every oil / hydrocarbon / lubricant / organic solvent spills, a quick and efficient response is crucial to avoid severe environmental damages.

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