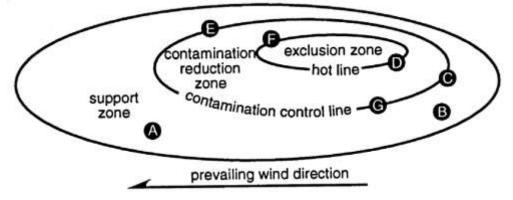
## Midwest Consortium 24-Hour Ammonia Pretest Version 1

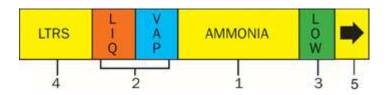
- 1. You are using a colorimetric tube to determine ammonia concentration. The number of strokes used is
  - a. Five.
  - b. Ten.
  - c. As many as needed to get color change.
  - d. Found in the manufacturer instructions.
  - 2. All the following combinations of a hand signal and its meaning are correct except one. Which combination is <u>not</u> correct?
    - a. Both arms down at sides => need another tool
    - b. Hands clutching throat => out of air, cannot breathe
    - c. Hands raised above head => need assistance
    - d. One arm horizontal, other hand thumb down => task cannot be completed with current air
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. For ammonia, the expansion ratio (the volume of a gas compared with the liquid) is
  - a. 90 to 1.
  - b. 850 to 1.
  - c. MW/29 to 1.
  - d. 760 to 1.

4. Of the locations shown below, responders with the highest level of protection work



- a. Between G and C
- b. Between A and E
- c. Between F and D
- d. Between B and G.
- 5. What information must be known to wear an air-purifying respirator in an ammonia emergency?
  - a. All the following must be known.
  - b. All airborne contaminants have been identified.
  - c. Concentration of each airborne contaminant is known.
  - d. Oxygen concentration in the area is measured equal to or greater than 19.5%.
- 6. The type of health effect of ammonia of primary concern to responders is
  - a. Systemic, chronic.
  - b. Local, chronic.
  - c. Local, acute.
  - d. Systemic, acute.
- 7. Head and eye/face protective equipment is tested according to methods designed by
  - a. ANSI (American National Standards Institute).
  - b. ACGIH (formerly known as the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists).
  - c. NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health.
  - d. ASSP (American Society of Safety Professionals).
- 8. Slips, trips and falls are a recognized hazard during a response. All the following may increase the risk of injury from a slip, trip or fall, <u>except:</u>
  - a. Slick or wet surfaces.
  - b. Uneven surfaces or debris in your pathway.
  - c. Probing ahead with walking stick.
  - d. Reduced visibility due to darkness or vapor.
  - 9. Activities during a termination include
    - a. Reports from participating responders.
    - b. Inspecting equipment and tagging for repair if needed.
    - c. Documenting response actions.
    - d. All the above.

- \_\_\_\_ 10. During an on-site ammonia emergency, a safe location to evacuate to is
  - a. Upwind, just outside of the exclusion zone.
  - b. Upwind, just outside of the hot line.
  - c. Downwind, just outside the support zone.
  - d. Determined based on several factors.
- \_\_\_\_ 11. In the figure below, the LTRS section identified by the number 4, is completed with the



- a. PEL value.
- b. Process code.
- c. OSHA pictogram.
- d. Company name abbreviation.
- 12. You are to monitor the environment in an ammonia release. Which statement is most correct?
  - a. It is an emergency--assume the instrument was calibrated recently.
  - b. Do not take the time to "warm up" the instrument; results needed immediately.
  - c. Follow the procedures in the ERP, as you have been trained.
  - d. Monitor as close as possible to the spill or release point, then back away toward the perimeter.
- \_\_\_\_ 13. The vapor density of ammonia is 0.6. In a release inside a building, the vapors are most likely to
  - a. Lay close to the floor.
  - b. Be trapped by the ceiling.
  - c. Evenly spread throughout a room.
  - d. Be neutralized by nitrogen in the air.
  - 14. One of the following statements about training for anyone required to use respirators is <u>not correct</u>.
    - a. Must be provided annually by the employer
    - b. Must be in English
    - c. Must include knowledge documentation
    - d. Must include use in emergencies

- \_ 15. The most common location of an ammonia leak is
  - a. Tow-motor collision with a cylinder.
  - b. Evaporator.
  - c. System on/off valve.
  - d. Compressor.
- 16. Which of the following should a member of the Emergency Response team do when responding to an ammonia release?
  - a. According to the Plan, all the following should be.
  - b. Check if workers in the area have any symptoms from the release.
  - c. Check if the plant ventilation system is spreading the vapors.
  - d. Leak check the colorimetric tube pump prior to use.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 17. A lockout tag on a machine or equipment may be removed by
  - a. Any employee who understands the operation of the machine or equipment.
  - b. The employer, when operation of the machine or equipment is necessary.
  - c. The person who placed it.
  - d. Any of the above, depending on the SOP.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 18. If a worker discovers an unsafe or unhealthful condition in the workplace, the worker has the right/responsibility to
  - a. Do any of the following.
  - b. Inform the supervisor.
  - c. Request an OSHA inspection.
  - d. Speak to a compliance officer inspecting the workplace.
  - 19. A half-face APR is not allowed to prevent ammonia exposure because it
    - a. Is more difficult to fit-test.
    - b. Requires frequent cartridge change.
    - c. Does not cover the eyes.
    - d. Is only reliable up to the PEL.
- 20. CPC inspection is the responsibility of many people, including
  - a. The user, prior to donning.
  - b. The receiver, when shipment arrives from the supplier.
  - c. The CPC clerk/administrator, after use and before storage.
  - d. All the above are involved in inspection.