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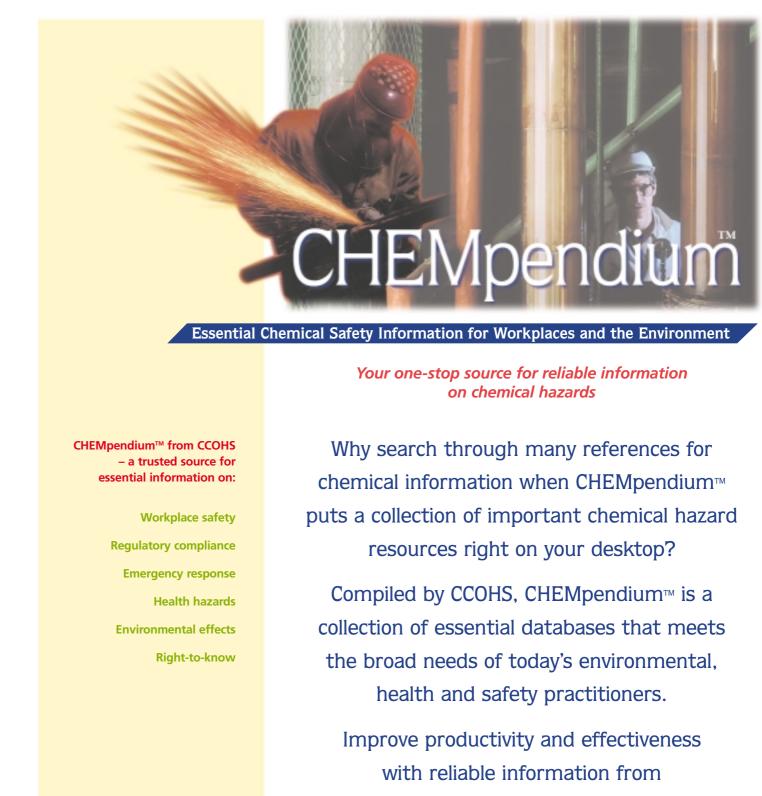
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- The Chemical Advisor Fully compiled regulatory and advisory data on more than 29,000 chemicals, consolidated from more than 225 chemical lists and 55 agencies.
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preparedness plans and in

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) Prepare chemical-specific

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programs

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responding to hazardous materials

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- Canadian regulatory inventory including 68,000 world-wide commercial chemical substances
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#### CESARS

**Retrieval System** 

- humans and plants

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Chemical Hazards Response Information System

- water pollution

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More than 800 profiles on chemicals of environmental concern, provided by the Michigan Department of **Environmental Quality and the Ontario Ministry of the Environment** 

Detailed environmental hazard data including toxicity to animals,

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