

***Secondary
Containment & Spill
Buckets –
Inspection, Testing,
and Repair
Solutions***

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Welcome

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- Proposed Revisions to Federal Regulations
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About Tanknology

Tanknology Inc. is the leading provider of fuel system compliance testing solutions in the United States. We provide compliance and inspection services to nearly 50,000 sites and 3,000 customer annually. We support a diverse customer base, ranging from large National oil companies, hypermarketers, and logistics companies, to regional distributors and single site owner/operators across 50 states.

At A Glance

- Founded in 1988
- Tested over 1 million tanks
- Fleet of 125 service vehicles
- Responsible for compliance management at over 11,000 sites nationwide.



Our Services

- **Compliance Testing**
 - Tank Line and Leak Detector
 - Helium Leak Pinpointing
 - Aboveground Tank Testing
 - Secondary Containment Testing
- **ATG Certifications**
 - System Installations
 - Operational Verifications
- **Cathodic Protection Services**
 - Impressed Current Systems
 - Sacrificial Anode
 - Design, Installation and Repair
 - PetroScope™ Video Inspection
- **Stage I and II Vapor Recovery**
 - Testing (A/L, PD, etc.)
 - PVVC
 - Owner/Operator Training
- **Tank Deflection Analysis**
 - Proprietary Method



Our Services (cont'd)

- **Fuel Pure™ Fuel Filtration**
- **TankCam® / Tank Clean™**
 - Video Based
 - Water Injection and Removal
- **Site Inspection and Audit Services**
 - State Required Inspections
 - Customized Surveys
 - Periodic Compliance Inspections
 - Maintenance Assessments
- **Operator Training**
 - Outsource Class B Operator
 - Online Class C Operators
- **Site Upgrades/Light Construction**
 - Spill Bucket Replacement
 - Sump and UDC Repair
- **Meter Calibration**



Proposed Regulations-Containment

Operation and Maintenance (O&M)

- Secondary containment tested every 3 years or continuous monitoring required.

Phased in over 3 years based on tank installation date.

- Annual spill bucket testing or double wall buckets with continuous interstitial monitoring – due within 1 year.



Proposed Regulations – Testing

PEI RP 1200 – Recommended Practices

- Tank Annular Testing –

FG or Steel Tank, pull 10” hg or 6” hg respectively, hold for one to two hours depending on tank size, zero loss and interstitial space must be dry to pass.

- Line Annular Testing –

Line secondary must hold 5 psi with zero loss for one hour to pass



Proposed Regulations – Testing

PEI RP 1200 – Recommended Practices

- Sump / UDC Testing –

Fill Sump up 4” above the highest penetration point or sidewall seam, pass/fail criteria ~1/8” after one hour

- Spill Bucket Testing –

Fill Spill Bucket to 1.5” below top of spill bucket, pass/fail criteria < 1/8” drop in one hour

- Other Methods – *Vacuum on Sump/Spill Buckets, Accelerated Precision Volumetric Tests, Manufacturer Recommendations*



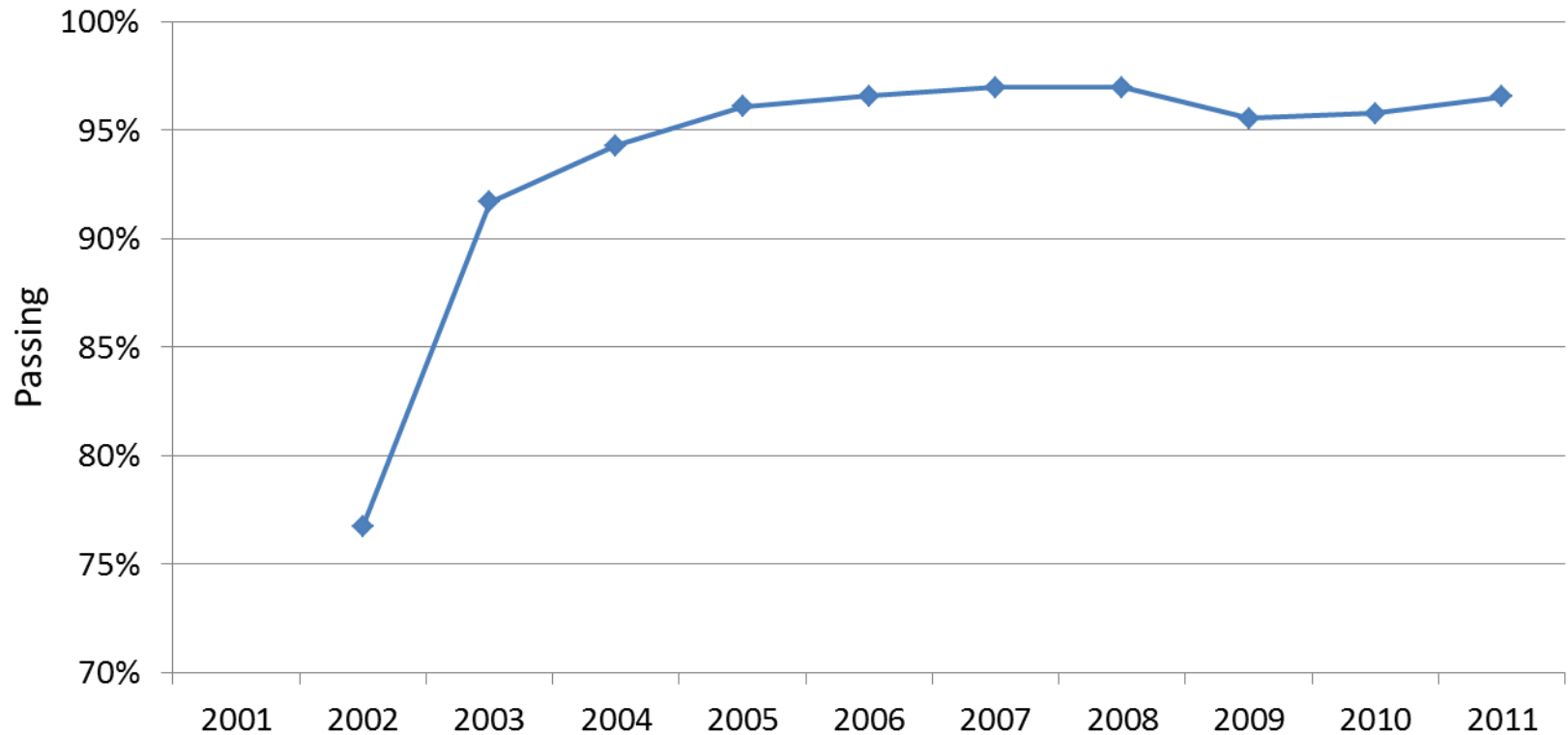
10 Years of Test Data – California

What Have We Learned?



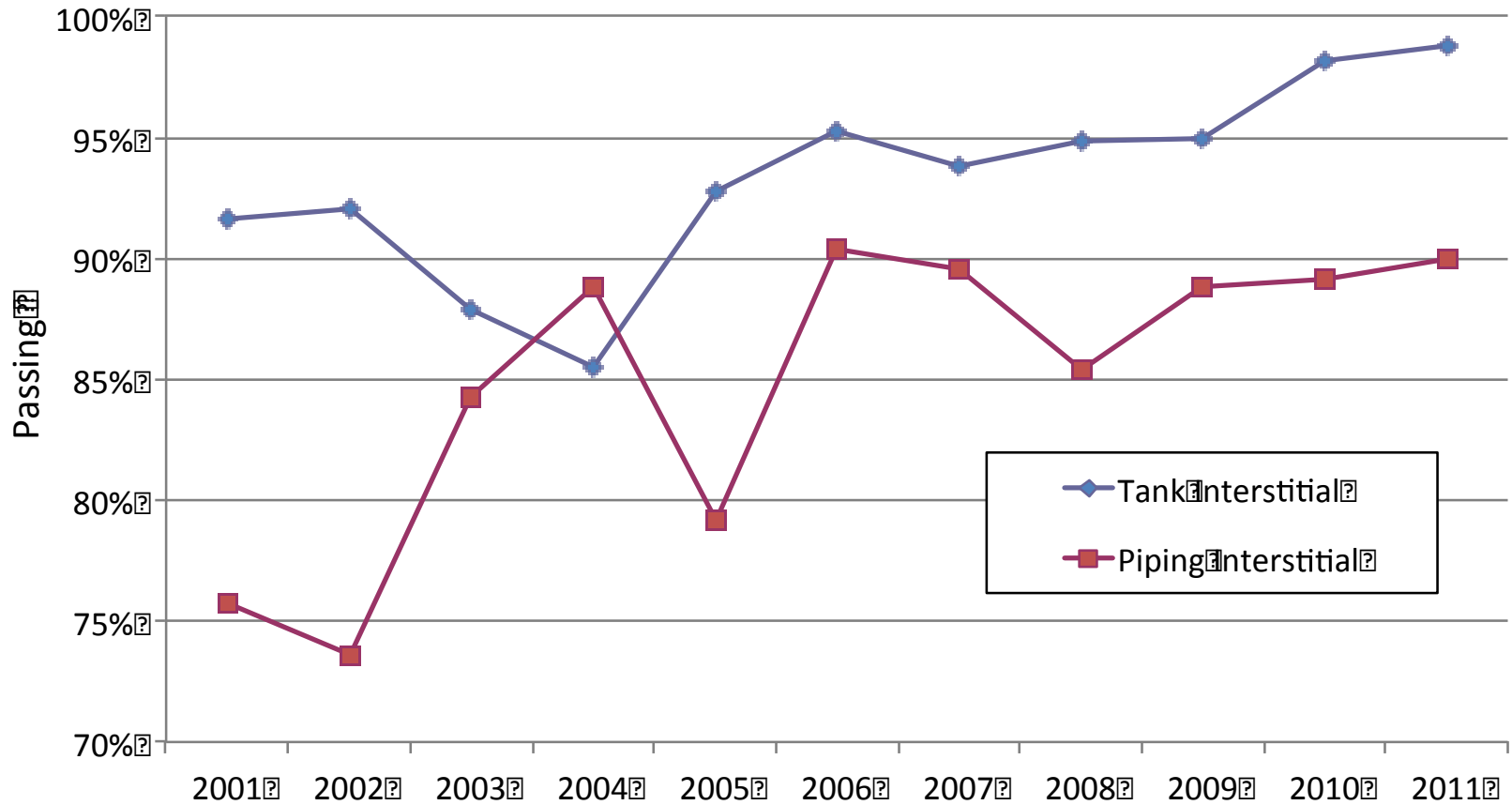
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Spill Containers in California



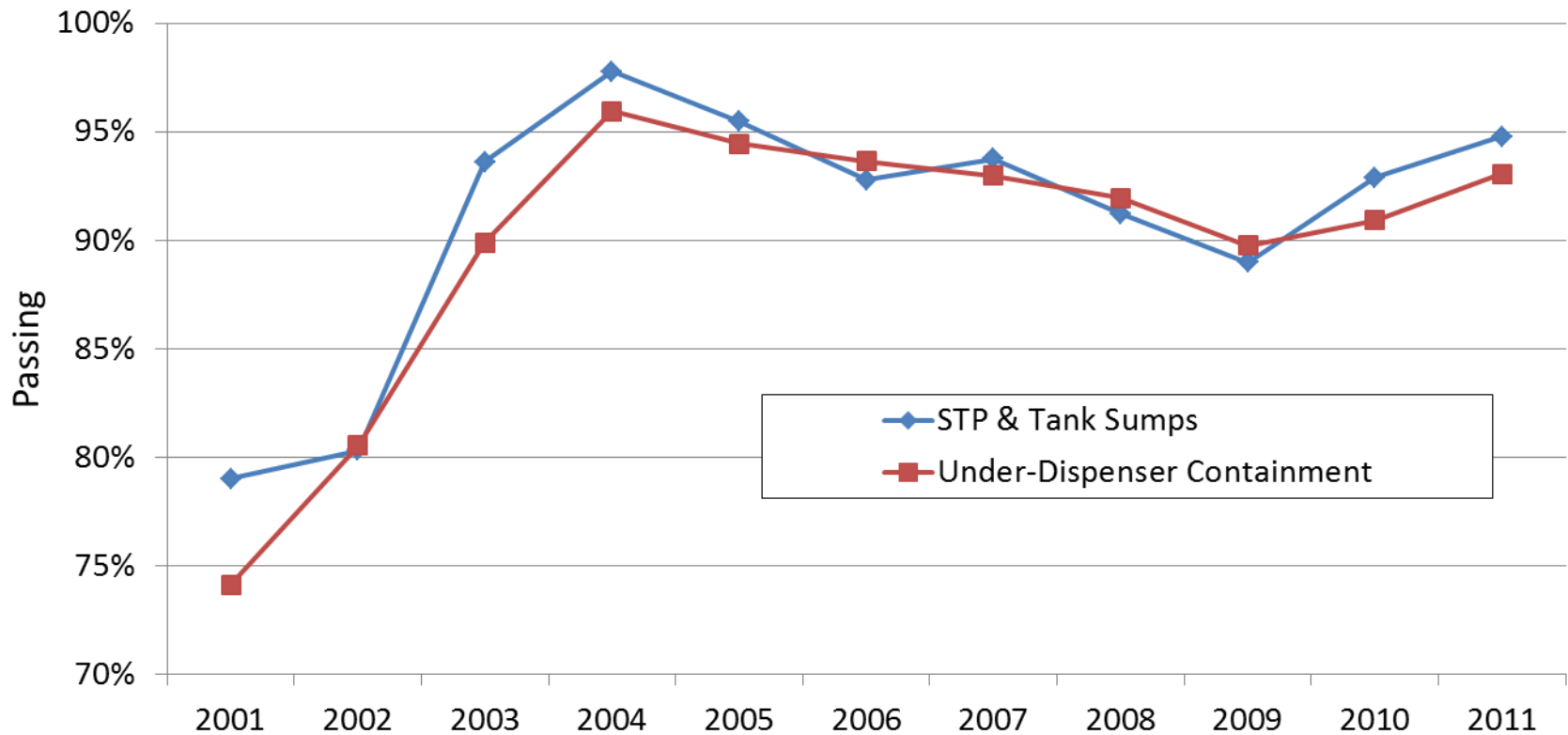
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Tank and Piping Interstitials in California



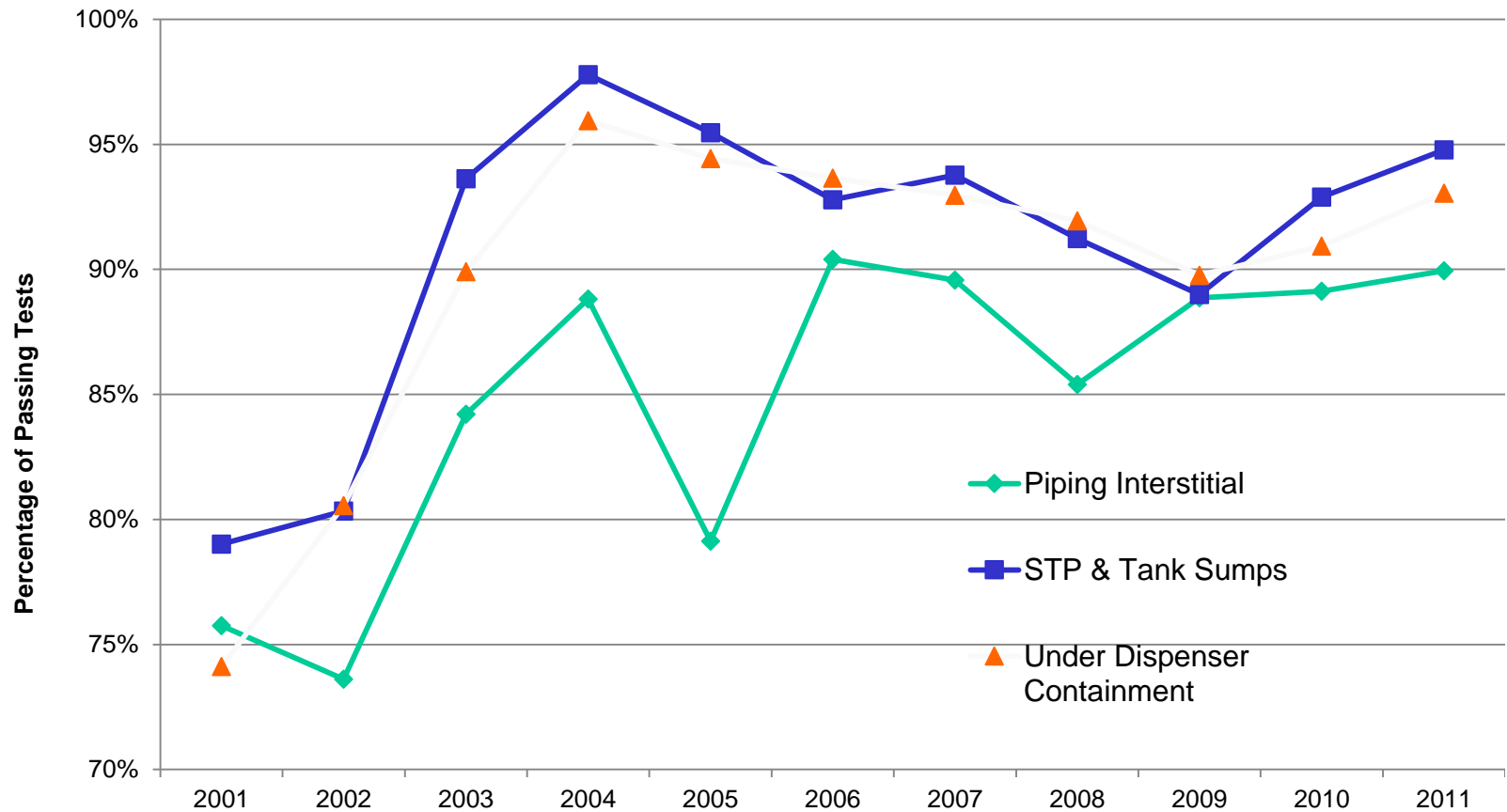
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Tank Sumps and Under-Dispenser Containment in California



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Ideas to Ponder

- Legacy Systems have a high failure rate – repairs are expensive – once made do seem to hold up
 - Goal is to prevent a release to the environment
- Line/Sump test or boot test –
 - On going operations and maintenance
- Efficacy of different types of systems – on going monitoring / testing, installation impacts, other



Inspection - Best Practices

Tank Sumps

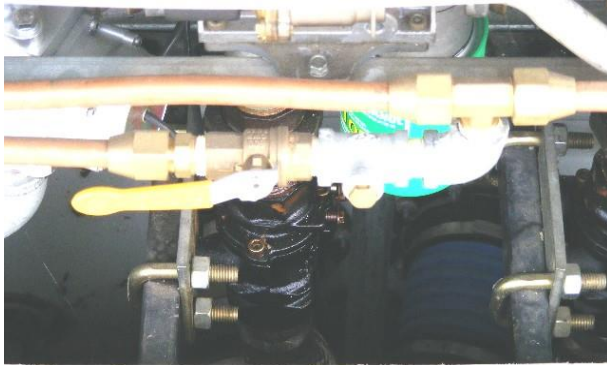


- Sump must be kept clean and dry.
- Sensor must be at the lowest point.
- Sensor must be in a straight up and down position.



Inspection - Best Practices

Dispensers



- Dispenser pan must be kept clean, dry, free of leaks.
- Check hanging hardware for cracks or leaks. (hoses, nozzles, break-a-ways etc)
- Sensor must be at lowest point.
- Sensor must be straight up and down.



Boots – Best Practices

Know your style.....



Boot Inspection – DW FG STP



Boot Inspection – DW FG STP



Boot Inspection – DW Flex STP



Boot Inspection – DW Flex STP



Dispenser Boots – Inspections

- From Proposed Federal Regulation- *dispenser sumps with continuous interstitial monitoring, check for a leak in the interstitial area*
- CA Guidance Letter March 1, 2013 - *To provide for the detection of a leak at the “earliest possible opportunity,” test boots and/or reducer fittings in the UDC of piping runs that are monitored for leaks by use of sloping the piping back to a monitored sump may stay on in any position. Piping runs that connect one UDC to another UDC must have the test boots and/or reducer fittings located in both UDCs either: 1) pulled back and off; or 2) oriented so that the test boot’s and/or reducer fitting’s port is in the downward position (located between the three and nine o’clock positions), uncapped, and with the valve stem capable of allowing for drainage so that a leak from the product piping can be detected ---*
http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/ust/tech_notices/boots_030113.pdf



Sump and Spill Bucket Testing and Repair

- Potential Issues with Leaking Sumps and Spill Containment
- Repair & Equipment Options
- Tanknology's Experience & Typical Repair Process



What Kind of Problems Occur?

- Groundwater enters sumps through leaks
- Sumps fill with water when it rains
- Costly pump-outs
- ATG and sump sensors in alarm
- Leak Detection equipment not functional
- Pumps, piping, and monitoring equipment suffers corrosion and deterioration
- NOV' s and fines



Effects of Water in Sumps



Moisture/Ethanol in Sumps



Why Tight Sumps Are Important

- Detect any leak of product into the sump
 - Prevent product release into ground
 - Prevent contamination of environment
 - Avoid cost of environmental clean-ups
- Allow for inspections and functionality testing
- Prevent compliance violations and/or fines
- Extend life of pumps, piping, and monitoring equipment
- Avoid cost of water pump-outs



Causes of Leaks and Water Intrusion

- Cracks and penetrations
- Torn, ripped, or missing entry boots
- Dislocation of mounting donuts
- Degradation of nitrile rubber and other seals
- Sump bung adapter (floor)
- Seam of collar & sump riser
- Non watertight or poor fitting lids
- Missing gaskets
- Manhole covers allow water to penetrate



Equipment & Repair Options

- **Tanknology Experience**

- PTI (Prevention Technologies) Repair Paste
- UnitLiner Repair Paste
- Icon/BlueLine Split Repair Boots
- Diversified Split Repair Boots
- ECP/EPP Sump Shield Retrofit Cover
- NEF (National Environmental Fiberglass) Retrofit Cover
- Universal Valve Retrofit Cover
- Emco Retail (Spill Container Retrofit)

- **Other Options**

- Bravo Retrofit Cover
- CNI Retrofit Cover
- Franklin (Phil-Tite) Spill Container Retrofit
- RhinoTite Retrofit Cover



Prevention Technologies PTI

- Originally developed at Amoco Research
- Advanced polysulfide used as pour-in-place retrofit containment.
- Amoco realized that 85% of all contamination is at the fill, under dispenser & submersible.
- Impervious to gasoline, E-85,
- Compatible with most materials.
- Great sealant for cracks, gaps



Prevention Technologies



PTI Paste



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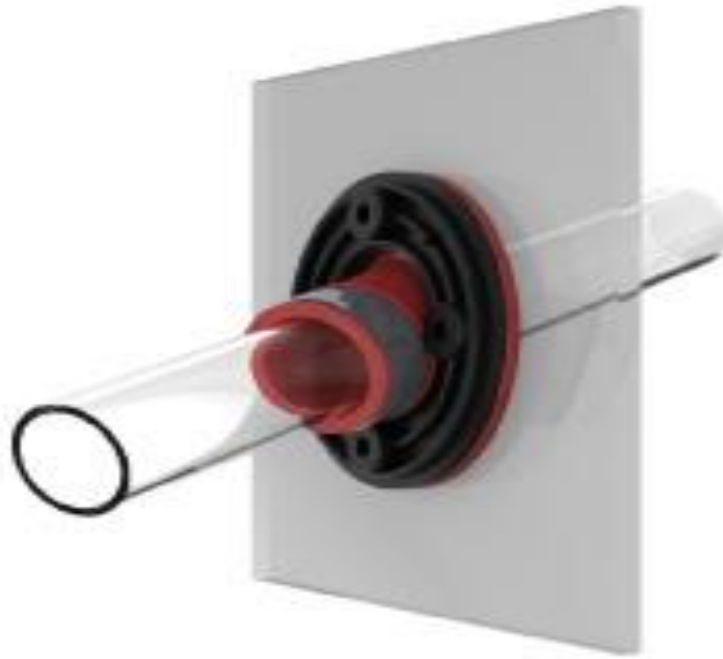
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Products

- 4 Bolt Split Repair Fittings for Electrical Conduit
- 5 & 6 Bolt Split-Repair Shallow Pan Fittings
- 8 & 10 Bolt Split-Flanged Repair Fittings
- Best Value Alcryn Test Reducers
- Bonders and Sealants, Fillers and Water Blockers
- EasyFit Watertight Sump Lids
- Large Encapsulating Split Repair
- Medium Encapsulation Split Repair
- Mway Pro Watertight Manway Covers
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- Non-Split Repair Reducers & Test Reducers
- Reducing Inserts, Dam Stops, Plugs and Duct Seals



Icon Technologies



IRF 4B 1.4 ANG

ELECTRICAL REPLACEMENT REPAIR
SB Series Pellethane Split Repair Boots



Icon Technologies



SPLIT REPAIR



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- Cost Effective Installations - 1 Hole to Drill
- All Pipe Sizes 1/2 " through 4.5"



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- Inverted Stud Plate Eliminates Leak Paths from sump interior
- Traditional Studded Penetrations Available
- Sizes Available 1/2" through 8"



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Termination and Test Fittings

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- For all Double Wall Pipe Sizes Worldwide
- Molded in Air Test Valves
- 10 PSI and 35 PSI G Rated Reducers



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Split Repair Products

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- Direct over the Stud Repair Models for Environ Boots
- Repairs for all Manufactures of Fittings



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Other Isolation Products

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- Sump Adapter Kits
- Riser Isolation Kits
- Spill Container Liners

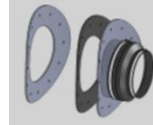


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- Polysulfide - Liquid and Paste
- Polyethylene Bonding Materials



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- Custom Fabricated 8" through 16" Flat or Round Surface Penetrations
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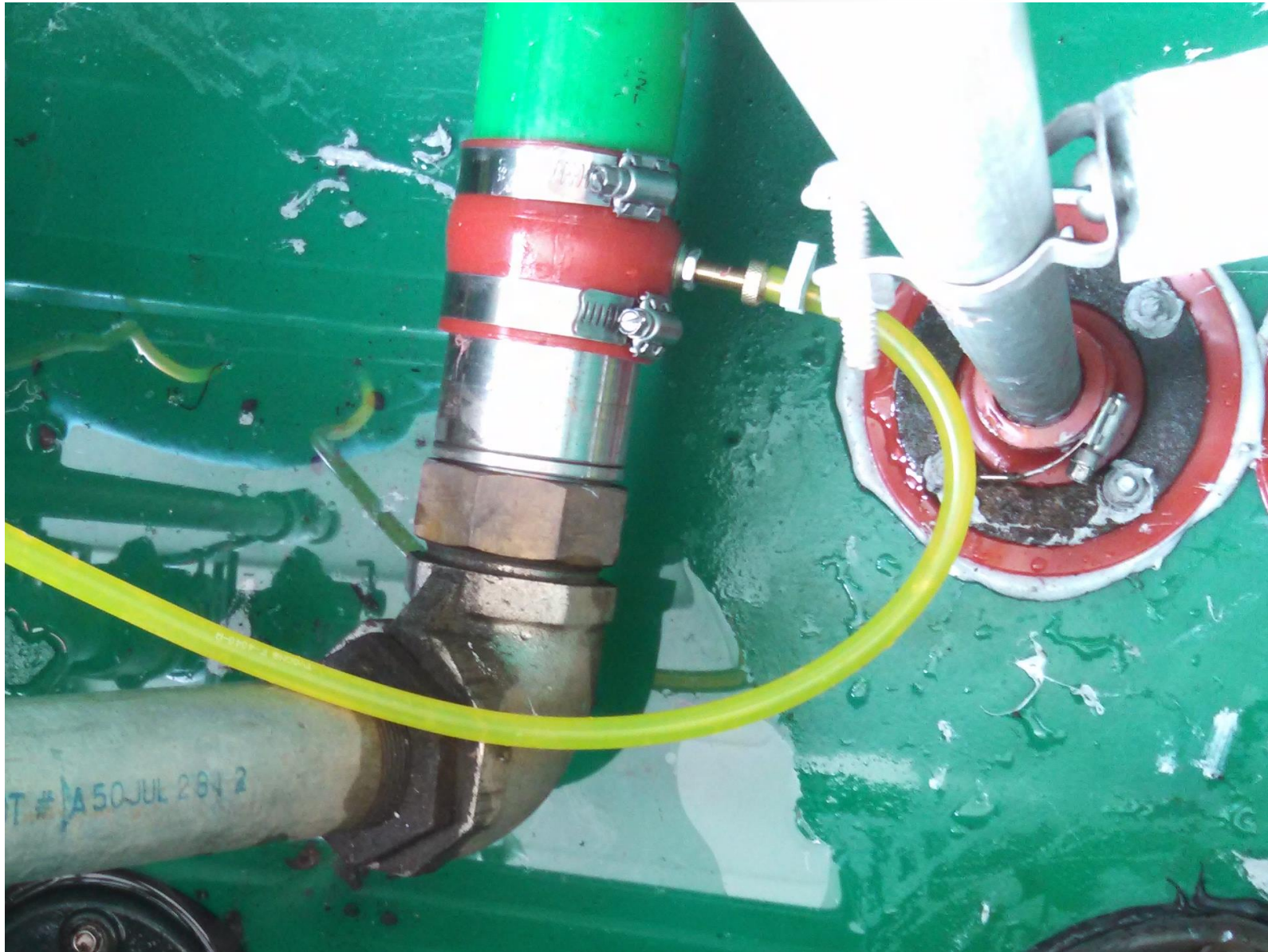
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Piping Entry Boot and Test Boot



Split Boot & Penetration Repair



Conduit Entry Split Boot Repair



Conduit Entry Split Boot Repair



Easy Test Setup with Jumpers & Drains



Sump Shield Retrofit Lid

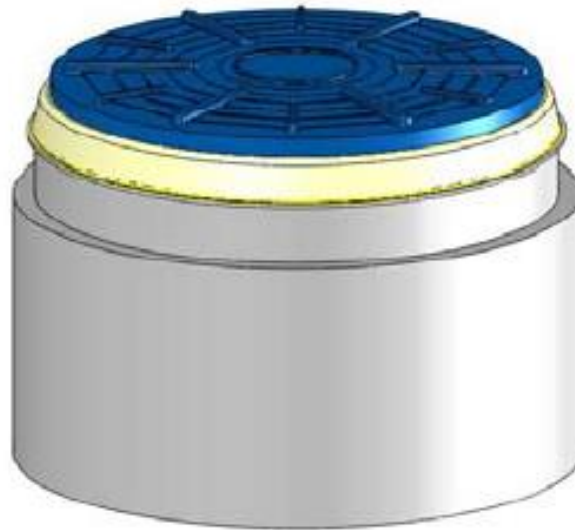
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Sump Shield



Water-Tight Lid Replacement



WATERTIGHT RETRO-FIT SUMP LIDS
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Part Number - 1943



Features -

- ✓ Installs in minutes
- ✓ Rugged steel ring and cover for maximum strength
- ✓ Mechanical seals insure maximum life and tightness
- ✓ Field Adjustable Clamping device
- ✓ Does not rely on glues or adhesives that deteriorate after 1 year

**UNIVERSAL
Advantage**

Only Universal's retrofit cover truly eliminates water leakage. Our **DOUBLE SEAL** design keeps your sumps completely dry!

UST Regulations require that all of the components of a UST system be tested for "product tightness"



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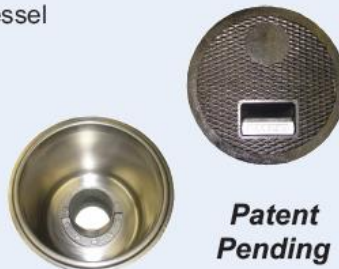
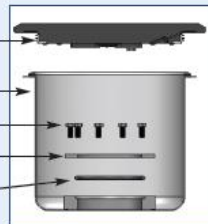
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Stainless Steel Bolts

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Steel Flange

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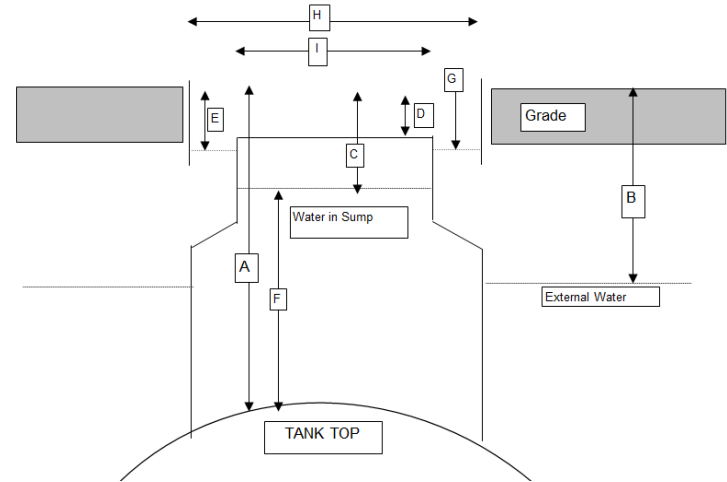


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Initial Survey

- Conduct site survey to identify necessary repairs
- Check groundwater level to see if same as in sump
- May require water pumpout
- Take necessary measurements
- Perform testing as necessary to identify leaks
- Determine best repair options



Dimensions	Date:	Sump 1	Sump 2	Sump 3	Sump 4
	Product (R, M, P, D, K)				
	Sump on (STP, Fill, Other)				
A	Grade to Sump bottom				
B	Grade to external water (Critical item)				
C	Grade to water in sump				
D	Grade to top of sump riser				
E	Grade to percolation area				
F	Inches water in sump				
G	Inches water in percolation area				
H	Manhole skirt ID				
I	Sump riser OD				



CHOOSE YOUR WEAPONS

- Each sump requires careful attention and a thoughtful decision.
- Each sump is different. Fiberglass? Poly? Different pipe entry fittings? No conduit seal-offs? Manhole ring draining into soil? High water table preventing repairs?
- Pellethane split boots
- PTI paste
- Aqua seal
- Water-tight lids
- Tanknology VPLT test.



Sump Repair Process



Water Removal

- Barricade the area. Safety First.
- Pump water to Tote tank for Disposal



Safety – O2/LEL Meter Readings



Initial Cleanup



Preparation / Powerwashing



Clean and Dry – Ready to Repair



The Right tools for the job



Sump Lid Problems?



Attach Compression Bracket



Install support ring and gasket



Watertight lid with inspection port



Paste and Retrofit Cover



Paste and Retrofit Cover



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Sump Testing

VPLT – Accelerated Electronic Hydrostatic Test developed by Tanknology



Sump Testing Options

Options include:
Incon TS-STS and
Sherlock Vacuum Tester



Spill Container Test



And the most popular....





Thank you ...

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