NEIWPCC-Defender Spill Containment
Interstice Monitoring-Testing - Maintenance
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Spill Containment

• Contents
  – Interstice Sensor Options
    • Indications of liquid present
  – Testing
  – Maintenance
  – Best Practices
Preparation: Defender Series™ Spill Containers

• Exercise Caution:
  – Be aware of potential hazards when installing or servicing a spill container
    • Spill hazards
    • Vapor hazards
  – Proactive preparation
    • Wear personal protection equipment (PPE)
    • Tag and lockout applicable electrical circuit breakers
  – Review the installation manual
**Models & Features: Defender Series™ Spill Containers**

- **Interstitial Monitoring:**
  - **Electronic:**
    - TSP-ULS liquid sensor can be paired with a fuel management system for immediate notification
  - **Mechanical:**
    - The Interstitial Integrity ($I^2$) Monitor provides visual inspection capability
Interstitial Monitoring –(I2)Interstitial Integrity Monitor

- Uses float and dial to indicate the presence of liquid in the interstitial of Defender Spill Containment.
- Liquid is present at anytime the yellow indicator is in the white area of the dial. The drop icons are an indication of amount of liquid present- 1- drop indicating a small amount of liquid and 3 drops indicating the interstice is nearly full.
- The presence of liquid can be an indication of fuel leaking into the interstice or water egress.
- Any Liquid present should be identified, removed and interstice tested with vacuum test method.
Electronic Sensor Monitoring

- Electronic sensor- ULS is connected to tank monitor and will post alarm at console when liquid is detected in interstice.
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TESTING:
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- **Hydrostatic Testing (All Models):**
  - Fill spill container with water until the level is just below the snowplow ring
  - Mark water level
  - Wait one hour to see if level drops
  - If level drops, test fails
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- Vacuum Interstitial Testing (Double Wall Models):
  - Remove inspection port pipe from spill container
  - Install T-7107 test kit into inspection port
  - Connect vacuum source and manometer
  - Apply vacuum until 30in W.C or 7.5 kPa achieved
  - Allow one minute to stabilize interstitial space
  - Reapply vacuum if necessary
  - After five minutes, if manometer reads above 26in W.C or 6.476 kPa, test is successful
MAINTENANCE:
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- Monthly Maintenance:
  - Clean any dirt or debris from snowplow
  - Inspect cover gasket and replace if necessary
  - Inspect spill container for liquid
    • If liquid is present, identify the material and dispose of properly
  - Inspect spill container for any foreign material
    • If foreign material present, remove material
Maintenance: Defender Series™ Spill Containers

• Monthly Maintenance:
  – Inspect spill container for damage
  – Inspect interstitial space (Double Wall Only)
  – Inspect related/complimentary components
    • Overfill prevention valves
    • Fill and vapour adapters
    • Dust caps
    • Additional items per EPA Underground Storage Tank Regulations
Maintenance: Defender Series™ Spill Containers

• Yearly Maintenance:
  – Inspect interstitial monitoring equipment
  – Record inspection results per local code
  – Inspect related/complimentary components
    • Overfill prevention valves
    • Fill and vapour adapters
    • Dust caps
    • Additional items per EPA Underground Storage Tank regulations
BEST PRACTICES:
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- Installation Height:
  - DO NOT allow the top of the snowplow ring to sit on the top of the spill container
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• Sensor Cord Grip:
  – DO NOT disturb cord grip on Defender Series™ spill containers with electronic liquid detection sensors
  – Cord grip is factory sealed
    • Tampering with cord grip may inadvertently cause leaks to occur
Best Practices: Defender Series™ Spill Containers

- Gravel Guard:
  - DO NOT cut the gravel guard
Forecourt Installation
Spill Containment