

STALLINGBROUGH

BUNDED TANK ASSESSMENTS

Ref: RA/Tanks/001

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1	Creation of the document	26/07/2006						
2	Major changes to site – demolition project completion	23/02/2016						

Introduction

This document provides a reference for all the bunds and tanks at the Stallingbrough installation.

- All storage tanks at the Stallingbrough installation are bunded. These include the raw material storage tanks and finished product storage tanks and waste process tanks (BETP – not currently in use).
- Process tanks mixers are not bunded as they are transitional vessels and do not hold liquid for any significant length of time
- The whole site is tertiary bunded and all the drains are internal, going into interceptor tanks before being discharged from site, via cristal global. No drains discharge directly from site.
- All the tanks on site are above ground.
- All tanks have a percentage for ullage
- When considering the size of the bund, 110% of the capacity of the largest tank was used. In all cases 25% of the total storage volume was calculated and found to be less than the 110% of the largest tank

Bund Guidelines

- Bunding is the method used to contain a liquid which has spilled or leaked from a vessel.
- The purpose of bunding is to:
 - Prevent the flammable liquid or vapour from reaching ignition sources;
 - Prevent the liquid entering the drainage or water systems where it may spread to uncontrolled ignition sources;
 - Allow the controlled recovery or treatment of the spilled material;
 - Minimise the surface area of the liquid and so reduce the size of any fire that may occur;
 - Prevent the spread of liquids which could present a hazard to other plant or personnel both on and off site;
 - Prevent contamination of land and water courses.
- The bund should have sufficient capacity to contain the largest predictable spillage.
- The bund capacity must be at least 110% of the capacity of the largest storage vessel within the bund.
- Smaller capacity bunds may be acceptable, where liquid can be directed to a separate evaporation area or impounding basin.
- Individual bunding is preferred to common bunding.

- The bund wall should have sufficient strength to contain any spillage or fire-fighting water.
- The bund wall should not be constructed too close to the tank.
- The design of the bund wall is a compromise between minimising the surface area of the liquid that might be spilled and minimising the height of the bund wall.
- The bund should be liquid tight.
- The floor of the bund should be concrete or another material substantially impervious to the liquid being stored.
- Surface water should not be allowed to collect in the bund.
- No combustible materials such as vegetation, litter or rubbish should be allowed to accumulate in the bund
- Pipe work should be routed within bunded areas with no penetration of contained surfaces.
- Where possible, have tanker connection points within the bund.
- Be subject to Regular inspection



BUND – RMT 01									
Dimensions m	Refer to diagram	Depth m	1.52	Capacity m ³	44.3				
Construction	Concrete walls and base, bunded building								
Connections	no pipe work penetra	no pipe work penetrates the bund wall, there is a sump and pump that is used to empty rainwater on a regular basis.							
Largest Tank	30m³	Tank Capacity m ³	30	110%	Yes				
Condition	Walls	Good	Slab	Good	No Improvement required at this time. Continue to monitor				

RMT 01

Tank	Contents	Capacity m ³	Operational Capacity T	Construction	Safety Systems	Transfer System	Hazard	Hazard Statements		
RMT 01	STYRENE MONOMER	30	30	Stainless Steel	PRP, SE, RG/U, IHLA	Pump TO & Pump TB	Flammable, Harmful, Toxic to Reproduction	H226, H304, H315, H319, H332, H335, H361d, H372, H412		
	Environmental Toxicity									
	Harmful to aquatic organisms - may be dangerous for the aquatic environment if released.									

PT A-F



BUND – PT A-F									
Dimensions m	Refer to diagram	Depth m	1.5	Capacity m ³	117				
Construction	Concrete walls and base, plinth, sloped channel for drainage								
Connections	no pipe work penetrates the bund wall, there is a sump and pump that is used to empty rainwater on a regular basis.								
Largest Tank	All tanks 100m ³	Tank Capacity m ³	100	110% ?	Yes				
Condition	Walls	Fair	Slab	Fair	No Improvement required at this time. Continue to monitor				

PT A-F

Tank	Contents	Capacity m ³	Operational Capacity T	Construction	Safety Systems	Transfer System	Hazard	Risk Phases		
PT A	UPR IP13239	100	92	Stainless Steel	PRP, SE, RG/U, IHLA	Pressure TO & Pump TB	Flammable, Harmful, Toxic to Reproduction	H226, H319, H335, H361d, H372, H412		
PT B	UPR IP66109	100	92	Stainless Steel	PRP, SE, RG/U, IHLA	Pressure TO & Pump TB	Flammable, Harmful, Toxic to Reproduction	H226, H319, H335, H361d, H372, H412		
PT C	UPR IP61119	100	92	Stainless Steel	PRP, SE, RG/U, IHLA	Pressure TO & Pump TB	Flammable, Harmful, Toxic to Reproduction	H226, H319, H335, H361d, H372, H412		
PT D	OUT OF LINE	100	92	Stainless Steel	PRP, SE, RG/U, IHLA	Pressure TO & Pump TB	Flammable, Harmful, Toxic to Reproduction	H226, H319, H335, H361d, H372, H412		
PT E	UPR IP45120	100	92	Stainless Steel	PRP, SE, RG/U, IHLA	Pressure TO & Pump TB	Flammable, Harmful, Toxic to Reproduction	H226, H319, H335, H361d, H372, H412		
PT F	UPR IP45121	100	92	Stainless Steel	PRP, SE, RG/U, IHLA	Pressure TO & Pump TB	Flammable, Harmful, Toxic to Reproduction	H226, H319, H335, H361d, H372, H412		
Environmental Toxicity										
	Harmful to aquatic organisms - may be dangerous for the aquatic environment if released.									

PT K,L,M



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BUND – KLM	BUND – KLM									
Dimensions m	Refer to diagram	Depth m	1.2	Capacity m ³	94					
Construction	Concrete walls and base, plinth, sloped channel for drainage									
Connections	no pipe work penetrates the bund wall, there is a sump and pump that is used to empty rainwater on a regular basis.									
Largest Tank	All 80m ³	Tank Capacity m ³	80	110%	Yes					
Condition	Walls	Fair	Slab	Fair	No Improvement required at this time. Continue to monitor					

KLM – ONLY K & M ARE CURRENTLY OPERATIONAL

Tank	Contents	Capacity m ³	Operational Capacity T	Construction	Safety Systems	Transfer System	Hazard	Hazard Statements		
К	UPR IP25246	80	70	Stainless steel	IHLA	Pump	Flammable, Harmful, Toxic to Reproduction	H226, H315, H319, H335, H361d, H372, H412		
L	OUT OF LINE	80		Stainless steel						
М	IP61115	80	70	Stainless steel	IHLA	Pump	Flammable, Harmful, Toxic to Reproduction	H226, H315, H319, H335, H361d, H372, H412		
	Environmental Toxicity									
	Harmful to aquatic organisms - may be dangerous for the aquatic environment if released.									

PT T,U,V



BUND – PTT - V									
Dimensions m	Refer to diagram	Depth m	1.15	Capacity m ³	58				
Construction	Concrete walls and base, plinth, sloped channel for drainage								
Connections	no pipe work penetrates the bund wall, there is a sump and pump that is used to empty rainwater on a regular basis.								
Largest Tank	PTT - V	Tank Capacity m ³	50	110%	Yes				
Condition	Walls	Fair	Slab	Fair	No Improvement required at this time. Continue to monitor				

PT T-V

Tank	Contents	Capacity m ³	Operational Capacity T	Construction	Safety Systems	Transfer System	Hazard	Hazard Statements		
PTT	UPR IP18125	55	50	Carbon Steel	PRP, RG/U	Pump TO & TB	Flammable, Harmful, Toxic to Reproduction	H226, H315, H319, H335, H361d, H372, H412		
PTU	UPR IP 92223	55	50	Carbon Steel	PRP, RG/U	Pump TO & TB	Flammable, Harmful, Toxic to Reproduction	H226, H315, H319, H335, H361d, H372, H412		
PTV	UPR IP15239	55	50	Carbon Steel	PRP, RG/U	Pump TO & TB	Flammable, Harmful, Toxic to Reproduction	H226, H315, H319, H335, H361d, H372, H412		
	Environmental Toxicity									
	Harmful to aquatic organisms - may be dangerous for the aquatic environment if released.									

HT22-31 – out of line



BUND – HT 22 – 31									
Dimensions m	Refer to diagram	Depth m	1.5	Capacity m ³	134				
Construction	Concrete walls and	Concrete walls and base, plinth, sloped channel for drainage							
Connections	no pipe work penetrates the bund wall, there is a sump and pump that is used to empty rainwater on a regular basis.								
Largest Tank	All tanks 50m ³	Tank Capacity m ³	50	110%	Yes				

HT22-31 – out of line

Tank	Contents	Capacity m ³	Operational Capacity T	Construction	Safety Systems	Transfer System	Hazard	Risk Phases
HT22	empty	50	49	Stainless Steel				
HT23	empty	50	49	Stainless Steel				
HT24	empty	50	44	Stainless Steel				
HT25	empty	50	45	Stainless Steel				
HT26	empty	50	47	Stainless Steel				
HT27	empty	50	47	Stainless Steel				
HT28	empty	50	47	Stainless Steel				
HT29	empty	50	47	Stainless Steel				
HT30	empty	50	47	Stainless Steel				
HT31	empty	50	47	Stainless Steel				

Effluent Treatment – SYSTEM CURRENTLY NOT IN USE



BUND – Effluent Treatment									
Dimensions m	Refer to diagram	Depth m	1.2	Capacity m ³	377				
Construction	Concrete walls and base, no plinth, sloped for drainage								
Connections	All tanker connections a that is used to pump rain	All tanker connections are within the bund, no pipe work penetrates the bund wall, there is a sump and pump that is used to pump rainwater into the buffer tank on a regular basis.							
Largest Tank	EC21 Aeration Tank Tank Capacity m ³ SEE NEXT 4 PAGES 110% SEE NEXT 4 PAGES								

Maximum Spillage Potential From Effluent Tanks

- The tanks are made up of fibre glass sections each of 1.4 m height. The tanks are three panels high giving a total height of 4.2m. EC21 has an overflow at the join between the second and third panels and as such runs at 2/3rds maximum capacity under normal operating conditions.
- The diameter of tank EC20 is 11.8m giving a total volume of 460m3
- The diameter of tank EC21 is 14.3m giving a total volume of 676m3
- There are several conceivable failure modes for the tanks.
- 1. A failure in the top section of the tanks
- 2. A failure in the middle section of the tanks
- 3. A failure in the bottom section of the tanks
- 4. A failure of the pump timer on EC20 resulting in the total contents being pumped to EC21.
- (N.B there is no pump on EC21 so the contents cannot be pumped out due to a failure)
- Depending on the height of the failure and the tank which fails there are varying volumes of liquid that could be spilt. Each of these failures will be considered in turn and the volume of a potential spill calculated. The volume of each spillage will be calculated using the volume of a cylinder with the height being the depth of the panel sides.

Failure Modes of Tank EC20 – Maximum volume 460m³

- Failure in top level of tank (assuming full to capacity) Spillage potential 1/3rd of total volume = 153m³
 - Available bund volume $377m^3 >110\%$ of potential spillage
- Failure in middle section of tank (assuming full to capacity Spillage potential 2/3^{rds} of total volume = 306m³

 - Available bund volume $377m^3 >110\%$ of potential spillage
- Failure in bottom section of tank (assuming full to capacity)
 - Spillage potential total volume = 460m³
 - Available bund volume = $377m^3 + 131m^3 = 508m^3 >110\%$ of potential spillage
- The additional volume is created due to the fact that a spillage from the bottom layer would equalise out once the level in the bund reached that of the remaining liquid in the tank.

Failure Modes of Tank EC21 – Maximum volume 676m³ – Normal capacity due to overflow pipe is 2/3^{rds} of this

- Failure in top level of tank Spillage potential None, due to the normal operating level of the tank being at the top of the second level.
- Failure in middle section of tank Spillage potential ½ of volume within tank = 225m³
 - Available bund volume 377m3 >110% of potential spillage
- Failure in bottom section of tank– Spillage potential volume = 450m³
 - Available bund volume = 377m3 + 192m3 = 524m3 >110% of potential spillage
 - The additional volume is created due to the fact that a spillage from the bottom layer would equalise out once the level in the bund reached that of the remaining liquid in the tank.

Failure Modes of Tank EC21 – Maximum volume 676m3 – Normal capacity due to overflow pipe is 2/3rds of this

- The final failure mode would be if the timer for the transfer pump from EC20 failed and pumped the contents of EC20 in to EC21.
- This could potentially pump 460m³ material into EC21.
- Working volume in EC21 = 450m³, remaining volume is 226m³, therefore the potential spillage from this failure would be 460m³ (from EC20) 226m³ (volume that could be contained within EC21) = 236m³ This is also within 110% of the free capacity of the bund

Effluent Treatment

Tank	Contents	Capacity m³	Operational Capacity T	Construction	Safety Systems	Transfer System	Hazard	Risk Phases
EC20	Buffer Tank	460	Between 200 and 375	Fibreglass panels	IHLA	Pump	Could be harmful	Could be harmful
EC21	Aeration Tank	676	Approx 450	Fibreglass panels		Gravity	Could be harmful	Could be harmful
EC22	Sludge Tank	24	20	Fibreglass panels	IHLA	Pump	Could be harmful	Could be harmful
EC23	Settlement Tank	40	30	Fibreglass panels	IHLA	Pump	Could be harmful	Could be harmful
EC24	Final Effluent Tank	14	7	Fibreglass panels	IHLA	Pump	Could be harmful	Could be harmful