



This used oil tank is stored indoors, clearly labeled and the work area is orderly.

DO

- ✓ Maintain a 250 to 660 gallon used oil storage tank above ground, indoors protected from weather, in good condition, on an asphalt or concrete base and clearly labeled.
- ✓ Provide extra used oil storage containers.
- ✓ Provide a drum for used oil filters.
- ✓ Carefully pour used oil into the Used Oil containers without spilling.
- ✓ Waste fuel from fuel filters may be added if allowed by the recycling vendor.
- ✓ Drain oil filters on the drain rack for 24 hours and place in the Used (Waste) Oil Filter drum.
- ✓ Notify the Superintendent when the tank reaches 80% full.
- ✓ Record the date and volume of waste removed, hauler and treatment facility receiving the waste.
- ✓ The Superintendent will promptly request vendor removal.
- ✓ Label all used oil containers, filter racks, and collection vessels with the words “Used Oil”.

DON'T

- ✗ Don't add other wastes such as cleaners, brake fluid or used antifreeze to used oil.
- ✗ Adding oil from the oil/water separator to the used oil tank is not recommended when the oil is part of a used oil furnace fuel supply.
- ✗ Don't pour used oil in a storm drain, septic system, floor drain, dry well, sewer or on the ground for disposal, dust or weed control.
- ✗ Don't add to storage tanks that are full.

Materials & Waste Management

- ▲ Drained used oil filters should be recycled.
- ▲ Small amounts of used absorbent materials can be sent to an approved solid waste landfill.
- ▲ Use an approved vendor to move used oil and oil filters to recycling facilities
- ▲ Hot drained oil filters may be sent to a solid waste landfill, with prior approval from the operator.

Facility Checklist

- Check for leaks, spills and housekeeping **DAILY**.
- Check oil levels **WEEKLY**.
- Check spill kits **MONTHLY** and promptly restock after use.
- Check waste tank level indicators **MONTHLY**, and plan waste management accordingly.
- Check corrosion resistant tanks and pipes at the manufacturer's recommended schedule.
- Visually check the secondary containment and tank area **MONTHLY** and report leaks, spills and maintenance issues to the Superintendent immediately.

Tips and Tricks

- ! Run equipment until operating temperature is reached (about 20 minutes) to completely drain oil.
- ! Crushing oil filters conserves space.
- ! The use of oil for dust control is prohibited.
- ! Motor oil, hydraulic oil, transmission and power steering fluid, gear and lube oil are “used oils”.
- ! If the facility is subject to SPCC requirements, follow the guidelines set forth in the Facility Plan.
- ! Contact PPD recycling at 859-257-8491 for assistance on used oil filter recycling.

If...Then

- Contain and clean-up spills and leaks immediately. Spilled material that are wastes or are suitable for use can be returned to the tank or similar container. (See **Fact Sheets 10.1 and 10.2**)

Training: 1 per Year **Season:** Winter

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| | <input checked="" type="radio"/> MS4 | <input checked="" type="radio"/> SPCC |



INFORMATION SOURCES

40 CFR 112 Oil Pollution Prevention (SPCC Requirements)

40 CFR 279 Used Oil Management

401 KAR 44:020. Standards for used oil generators

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