

EMERGENCY RESPONDER INFORMATION FACILITY FIRE

- **This facility stores flammable and/or combustible liquids**
- Facility personnel can provide information on
 - Tank contents
 - Storage volumes
 - Liquid temperatures
 - Access routes and staging areas
 - Tank dikes which are designed to hold the contents of the largest storage tank
- Nationally-known industrial fire fighting services will be called to coordinate and assist
- Facility personnel can quickly put your agency in direct contact with this company to coordinate

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- Initial objectives
 - Keep the fire from spreading
 - Work with the industrial fire service to set up for the extinguishing attack
 - Foam appropriate for the liquid – enough to extinguish the fire twice
 - Water supply
 - Monitors
 - Optional - vacuum trucks or other oil removal equipment for oil that has escaped piping or a tank
 - Avoid putting water on a burning tank
 - Cooling one area of a tank may weaken it
 - Water can float burning fuel and spread it to other areas

EMERGENCY RESPONDER INFORMATION - AIR

- Nationally known air-monitoring contractor with toxicologists will be called to respond and assist.
- Facility personnel can quickly put your public health agency in direct contact with the air monitoring contractor to coordinate and provide information on air action levels and actions, especially if your agency is considering a Shelter in Place or Evacuation order
- Facility personnel can provide some degree of air monitoring for volatile compounds but not for particulate
- The national air monitoring contractor can arrive within 6 hours with a full array of equipment