



Division of Waste & Hazardous Substances Workshop

**REGULATORY CHANGES TO DELAWARE'S
UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEMS AND
ABOVEGROUND STORAGE TANKS**

Proposed Changes to Regulations Summary

- Numerous minor change to comply with Style Manual
- Section Consolidation and Re-organization
- Updating API 1637; color symbol system
- Incorporation by Reference
 - Delaware Risk Based Corrective Action Protocol
 - Hydrogeologic Investigation Guidance
 - Vapor Intrusion Guidance



Aboveground Storage Tanks

PROPOSED CHANGES



Specific Proposed Changes – AST Regulations

- ❑ Added definitions from Statute for ease of reference
 - ❑ Best Management Practices
 - ❑ Tier 0
- ❑ Amended numbering throughout the document
- ❑ Added requirements for Tier 0 exemption
- ❑ Part B, Section 14.0 Site Assessment Requirements removed
 - ❑ Added sampling requirements to individual Sections
 - ❑ Moved certain requirements out of the regulations and into DERBCAP.



Specific Proposed Changes – AST Regulations

- ❑ Amended the definition of an AST
 - ❑ each compartment will be considered a single AST as it pertains to compliance with these regulations.
 - ❑ Currently a compartmentalized AST is considered one AST.



Underground Storage Tank Systems

PROPOSED CHANGES



Specific Proposed Changes – UST Regulations

- ❑ Amended numbering throughout the document
- ❑ Provided clarity throughout the document
- ❑ Amended definition of Tank
 - ❑ Each compartment will be considered a single Tank as it pertains to compliance with these regulations.
 - ❑ Currently a compartmentalized Tank is considered one Tank.
- ❑ Moved certain requirements out of the regulations and into DERBCAP.



Specific Proposed Changes – UST Regulations

- ❑ Consolidated repetitive language throughout the regulation by establishing new Sections in Part A
 - ❑ Repair, Retrofits and Upgrade Requirements in Parts B, C, and D moved to new Part A, Section 15.0
 - ❑ Change in Service and Empty UST Systems; in Parts B, C, and D moved to new Part A, Section 16.0
 - ❑ Change in Substance Stored requirements in Parts B, C, and D moved to new Part A, Section 17.0
 - ❑ Removal or Closure in Place requirements in Parts B, C, and D moved to new Part A, Section 18.0



Delaware Risk-Based Corrective Action Protocol (DERBCAP)

For Petroleum Underground
Aboveground Storage Tanks



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Vapor Intrusion Pathway Guidance DNREC Division-Wide Investigation, Risk Determination Guidance for Vapor Intrusion

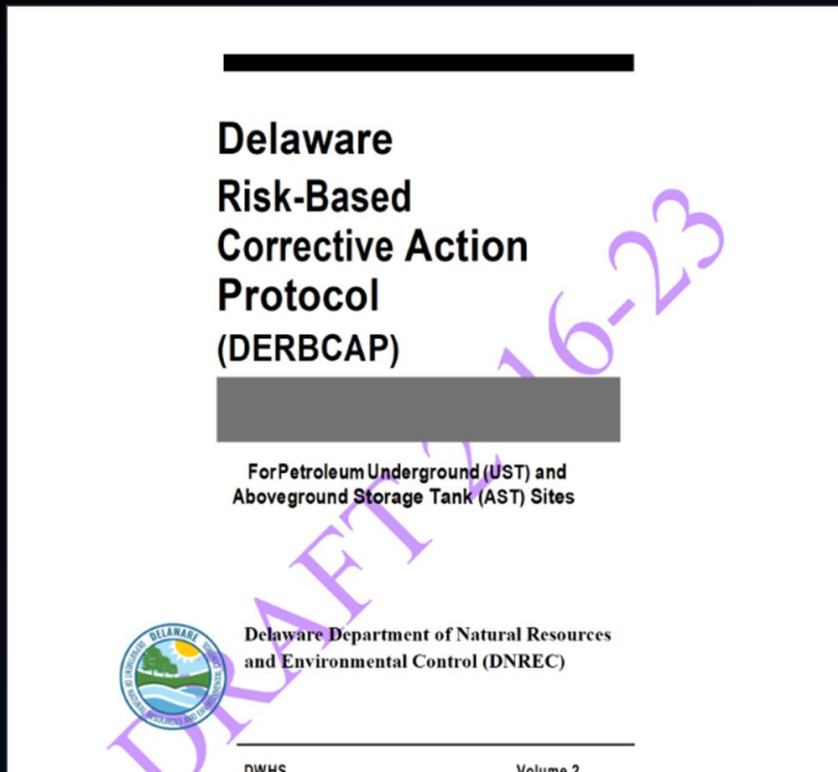


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DELAWARE RISK-BASED CORRECTIVE ACTION PROTOCOL



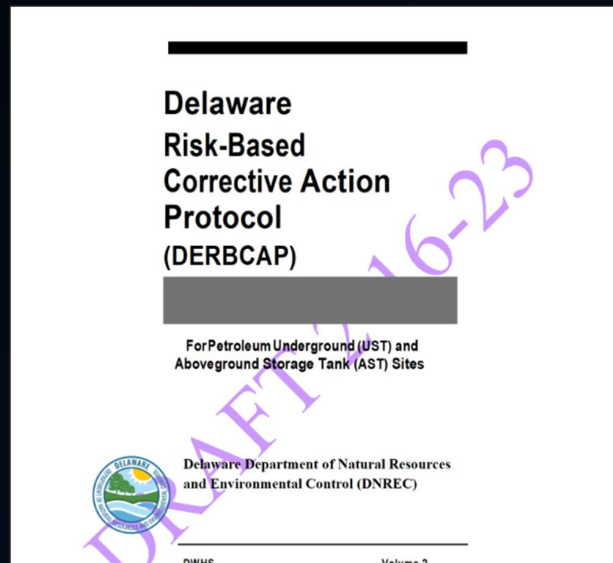
- National standard: *American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) E 1739-95(2015) Standard Guide for Risk-Based Corrective Action (RBCA) at Petroleum Release Sites*
- **Tiered** approach to evaluate Risk to Receptors
- An excess cancer risk of 1×10^{-5} is assumed in all calculations.
- RBCA Tool Kit for Chemical Releases:

<https://www.gsi-net.com/en/software/rbca-software-tool-kit-for-chemical-releases-version-2-6.html>



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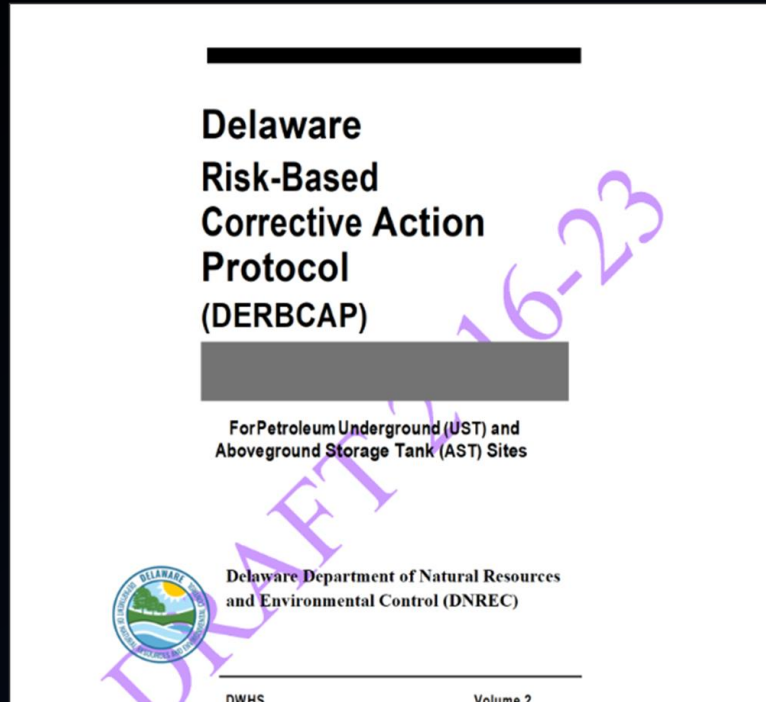
DERBCAP UPDATE



- Incorporated AST and Tier 0 sampling requirements.
- Appendices in the protocol detail the input to the Toolkit model
- Updated Action Levels and RBSLs.
- Tier 0 Action Levels and Tier 1 Risk-Based Screening Levels (RBSLs).
- The fate and transport model.



Changes to the TOOLKIT Risk Calculations:



DERBCAP UPDATE

- Risk is age adjusted
- Bodyweight of adult
- Exposure duration
- Water ingestion rate for a child and adult
- Non-carcinogenetic risk
- The slope factor for Benzene
- Reference Doses more conservative for Toluene and xylenes
- The slope factor for benzo(a)pyrene
- A slope factor for ethylbenzene was added
- A slope factor for TBA was added
- A “MCL” of 2 $\mu\text{g}/\text{l}$ was applied to naphthalene
- MCLs for xylenes and ethylbenzene



Table 4. DERBCAP Risk-Based Screening Levels (RBSLs)

Chemicals of Concern (COC) Units: mg/Kg or mg/L	DISTANCE TO POINT OF EXPOSURE (POE) OR POINT OF COMPLIANCE (POC)								
	< 50 ft			51-100 ft	101-200 ft	201-300 ft	301-400 ft	401-500 ft	> 500 ft
	SOIL _{DC}	SOIL _{GW}	GW	GW	GW	GW	GW	GW	GW
VOLATILES									
Benzene	1.2	0.048	0.014	0.025	0.078	0.44	1.5	4.1	9.5
Toluene	490	11	1.6	>530	>530	>530	>530	>530	>530
Ethylbenzene	5.8	0.68	0.7*	0.7*	2.1	40	>170	>170	>170
Xylene (mixed isomers)	58	45	10*	13	65	>200	>200	>200	>200
Isopropylbenzene (Cumene)	190	310	2	>50	>50	>50	>50	>50	>50
Naphthalene	3.8	0.14	0.002	0.12	3.6	>31	>31	>31	>31
1,2,4 Trimethylbenzene (TMB)	5.8	8.5	0.2	>57	>57	>57	>57	>57	>57
1,3,5 Trimethylbenzene (TMB)	220	46	1	1.300	3.2	11	23	41	51
ADDITIVES									
Methyl t-butyl ether (MTBE)	47	0.19	0.2	0.42	1.5	11	47	150	430
Lead	400	400	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015
1,2-Dichloroethane (EDC)	0.46	0.0096	0.0086	0.018	0.066	0.47	2	6.8	19
1,2-Dibromoethane (EDB)	0.036	0.0011	0.00039	0.002	0.018	0.4	4.4	32	180
TBA		0.12	0.24	0.48	1.7	12	50	160	440
PAH-CARCINOGENIC									
Benz(a)Anthracene	0.82	>35	0.0078	>0.01	>0.01	>0.01	>0.01	>0.01	>0.01
Benzo(a)Pyrene	0.24	>15	0.00078	>0.0016	>0.0016	>0.0016	>0.0016	>0.0016	>0.0016
Benzo(b)Fluoranthene	1.11	>18	>0.0015	>0.0015	>0.0015	>0.0015	>0.0015	>0.0015	>0.0015
Benzo(k)Fluoranthene	1.6	>6.8	>0.00055	>0.00055	>0.00055	>0.00055	>0.00055	>0.00055	>0.00055
Chrysene	16	>6.2	>0.002	>0.002	>0.002	>0.002	>0.002	>0.002	>0.002
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene	1.3	>130	>0.0038	>0.0038	>0.0038	>0.0038	>0.0038	>0.0038	>0.0038
PAH-NON-CARCINOGENIC									
Acenaphthene	360	>170	1.2	>4.2	>4.2	>4.2	>4.2	>4.2	>4.2
Anthracene	1800	>10	>.043	>.043	>.043	>.043	>.043	>.043	>.043
Fluoranthene	240	>130	>0.26	>0.26	>0.26	>0.26	>0.26	>0.26	>0.26
Fluorene	240	>150	0.8	>2	>2	>2	>2	>2	>2
Phenanthrene	180	>140	0.6	>0.99	>0.99	>0.99	>0.99	>0.99	>0.99
Pyrene	180	>51	>0.14	>0.14	>0.14	>0.14	>0.14	>0.14	>0.14

Notes:

- 1) SOIL_{GW}=RBSL for soil partitioning/leaching to groundwater ingestion pathway. SOIL_{DC}=RBSL for soil direct contact (ingestion, inhalation, and dermal contact) pathway; applies for on-site exposure only. GW=RBSL for groundwater ingestion pathway.
- 2) ">" indicates that the groundwater cleanup standard is greater than the constituent's aqueous solubility or the soil cleanup standard is greater than the soil residual saturation.
- 3) Values established by RBCA Toolkit for DERBCAP, Version 2.53de--see Addendices for supporting documentation
- 4) "*"="Most stringent RBSL set to EPA Maximum Contaminant Levels

**RISK BASED
SCREENING
LEVEL
TABLE 4**



HYDROGEOLOGIC INVESTIGATION GUIDANCE

Guidance = Standards
for enforcement
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Public Process

- Workshop
- Hearing
- Finalize Changes
- More to come!

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