

U.S. Army Garrison Hawaii – Environmental Compliance Guide

FUEL TRUCKS (F-24) STORAGE (Fuel Tankers/HEMTT/MFS-TRM/PODS)

GENERAL INFORMATION

When in Garrison and not in active use for daily mission operations, or for overnight parking, mobile refuelers, pods and bladders must be stored empty in accordance with the USAG-HI Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasures Plan (SPCCP). In order to maintain capability of recirculating fuel, HEMTTs and MFS-TRM are allowed to keep 300 gallons of fuel or less in their storage compartment. TPUs can keep 50 gallons. Storing fuel greater than the de minimis volumes, and fuel transfer operation must be approved by the DPW Environmental Division by submitting a waiver request to the SPCC Program coordinator.

POTENTIAL HAZARDS

F-24 fuel is a flammable liquid as defined by OSHA, DOT, and EPA and should be handled appropriately. Storage of large quantities of F-24 presents a potential risk to natural waters. Preventive measures (i.e. secondary containment and spill response supplies) must be in place prior to conducting any fuel storage or transfer operations.

WASTE CHARACTERIZATION

Used, or off-spec, F-24 is a RECYCLABLE MATERIAL. Non-saturated absorbent pads and rags contaminated with F-24 are NON-REGULATED WASTE that must be turned for disposal by calling the *Waste Pickup Request Line at (808) 656-0867*.

HANDLING AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

- 1) Contact the DPW Environmental Division SPCC Program for authorization to store fuel in quantities greater than 300 gallons in fuel trucks, HEMTTs, MFS-TRMs, 50 gallons in TPUs, or to conduct fuel transfer operations.
- 2) Fuel trucks containing any amount of fuel must be protected with a secondary containment system.
- 3) Used F-24 and used F-24 rags/pads should be managed in the facility's RMSSP.

