

## Agricultural Oil Storage Regulations

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## Regulations

**Oil storage regulations are there to protect the environment and to protect your farm. Large fines and the cost of a clear-up following a spill can be severe, so it's time to look at your oil and fuel storage.**

### Q. WHAT REGULATIONS AFFECT FARMS?

Control of Pollution (Silage, Slurry and Agricultural Fuel Oil) Regulations 1991.

### Q. WHAT DOES THE CONTROL OF POLLUTION (SILAGE, SLURRY AND AGRICULTURAL FUEL OIL) REGULATIONS 1991 MEAN FOR FARMERS?

From September 1991, all agricultural fuel oil tanks (over 1500 litres) were required to be bunded. (This, however, did not cover tanks intended for other purposes on farms, for example domestic heating). It is worth noting that any tank installed before 1991 did not have to comply, unless they were not fit for the purpose. However, the EA have the power to issue works notices enforcing change. All other applications for farm use are covered by the The Control of Pollution (Oil Storage) (England) Regulations 2001.

### Q. HOW CAN I ENSURE THAT A BUND COMPLIES WITH THE REGULATIONS?

Install an integrally bunded tank (OFST100). Alternatively, you could build a masonry or concrete bund that complies with the stringent requirements of Pollution Prevention Guidance notes PPG 2 (above ground oil storage tanks) and PPG 26 (oil drum storage) issued by the Environment Agency. Masonry and concrete bunds are covered by Ciria Report 163. The Titan Environmental bunded range of EcoSafe and FuelMaster oil tanks will meet all your regulatory needs in one easy step.

### Q. CAN I HAVE ANCILLARY EQUIPMENT OUTSIDE AN ECOSAFE INTEGRALLY BUNDED TANK?

An isolating valve and filter on an integrally bunded tank is not classed as ancillary equipment to the tank and is permitted. Under these regulations you cannot fit an external sight gauge to an integrally bunded tank.

**N.B. A HOSE AND NOZZLE CANNOT BE FITTED TO AN ECOSAFE TANK, A FUELMASTER MUST BE USED.**

**AS MENTIONED ABOVE, THE CONTROL OF POLLUTION (OIL STORAGE) (ENGLAND) REGULATIONS 2001 MAY AFFECT SOME FARM INSTALLATIONS.**

### Q. TO WHICH SITES DO THEY APPLY?

To industrial, commercial and institutional sites, e.g. factories, shops, offices, hotels, schools and public sector buildings in England, which store any type of oil (except waste oil) in a container of more than 200 litres capacity. Private dwellings storing over 3500 litres are also included, but it should be noted that Building Regulations reduce this to 2500 litres.

### Q. WHAT IS THE TIMESCALE?

The timescale for The Control of Pollution (Oil Storage) (England) Regulations 2001 was the 1st September 2005, whereby all relevant installations affected must be bunded.

### Q. IF I INSTALL THE WRONG TYPE OF TANK NOW, MUST IT BE CHANGED?

Yes. It must be replaced with a bunded tank straight away.

### Q. WHERE ELSE SHOULD A BUNDED TANK BE INSTALLED?

When on completion of OFTEC form T1/133 (risk assessment) your tank is deemed to need bunding.

Please contact Titan with any queries or if you would like to be put in contact with a Titan Accredited Installer for an oil storage tank inspection.

## EcoSafe

### ES1000

Capacity 1000 Litres  
220 Gallons  
Length 2140 mm  
Width 695 mm  
Height 1500 mm



### ES1225

Capacity 1225 Litres  
270 Gallons  
Length 2000 mm  
Width 900 mm  
Height 1495 mm



### ES1300

Capacity 1300 Litres  
285 Gallons  
Length 1935 mm  
Width 1265 mm  
Height 1310 mm



### ES1800

Capacity 1800 Litres  
400 Gallons  
Length 2360 mm  
Width 1300 mm  
Height 1345 mm



### ES2500

Capacity 2500 Litres  
550 Gallons  
Length 2450 mm  
Width 1425 mm  
Height 1465 mm



### ES3500

Capacity 3500 Litres  
775 Gallons  
Diameter 2180 mm  
Height 1940 mm



### ES5000

Capacity 5000 Litres  
1100 Gallons  
Diameter 2230 mm  
Height 2420 mm



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## FuelMaster

### FM1300

Capacity 1300 Litres  
285 Gallons  
Length 1890 mm  
Width 1245 mm  
Height 1785 mm



### FM2500

Capacity 2500 Litres  
550 Gallons  
Length 2430 mm  
Width 1420 mm  
Height 1855 mm



### FM3500

Capacity 3500 Litres  
775 Gallons  
Base Dia 2080 mm  
Width 2680 mm  
Height 1900 mm



### FM5000

Capacity 5000 Litres  
1100 Gallons  
Base Dia 3140 mm  
Width 2070 mm  
Height 2335 mm



### FMV5000

Capacity 5000 Litres  
1100 Gallons  
Base Dia 2230 mm  
Width 2800 mm  
Height 2420 mm

