

## AIUT Ltd.

## **FuelPrime IRC Version 3.2** Continual Reconciliation System for CITLDS Using Multiple ATG System with Magnetostrictive Tank Probes for Tanks and Associated Pipelines

## **CONTINUOUS IN-TANK LEAK DETECTION METHOD** (Continual Reconciliation)

Leak rate of 10 liters/24h (0.11 gph) for tanks and associated pipelines Certification

with PD > 99% and PFA < 1%.

5 liters/24h (0.055 gph) for single and manifolded tank systems including associated pipelines. **Leak Threshold** 

A tank system should not be declared tight if the test results indicate a loss or gain that equals or exceeds

this threshold.

Gasoline, diesel, **Applicability** 

Other liquids may be tested after consultation with the vendor.

100,000 liters maximum observed (26,500 gallons) [45,000 L (12,000 gal) recommended.] **Tank Capacity** 

156,433 liters per month (41,325 gallons per month) maximum observed **Throughput** 

[26,000L/mo. (7,000 gal/mo.) recommended.].

**Waiting Time** None.

Data collection time: 14 days. **Test Period** 

Data sampling frequency: at least four (4) per hour.

System collects data (sales and levels) without interfering with normal site operation.

**Temperature** Input data must be provided after excluding temperature effect.

**Water Sensor** Must be used in Automatic Tank Gauge system to detect water ingress.

The Automatic Tank Gauge used must have thermistors and probe checked and, if necessary, Calibration

calibrated in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

Dispenser meter calibrations must be known.

Comments Leak detection method is software based and independent from any specific hardware at site,

but appropriate frequency and accuracy of input data is needed.

Automatic Tank Gauges used with this method must employ a magnetostrictive probe and be

on the NWGLDE List or be approved by vendor after consultation.

Method reports a calculated leak rate and "Pass", "Fail" or "Inconclusive" for each tank system.

Method was evaluated for tanks and associated pipelines for both single and manifolded tank systems

with probes in each tank.

The maximum size tank system in the evaluation was 100 000 liters (~26 417 gallons).

The 80<sup>th</sup> percentile of tank sizes was 25,000 L (6,604 gallons).

The maximum throughput in the evaluation was 156,433 liters/month (41,325 gal/mo).

The 80<sup>th</sup> percentile of throughputs was 17,325 L/mo (4,431 gal/mo).

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