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level corresponding to the assigned summer freeboard.


APPENDIX B TO PART 157—SUBDIVISION AND STABILITY ASSUMPTIONS


2. Loading Assumptions. For the purpose of calculating subdivision and damage stability for a tank vessel, the operating drafts must reflect actual partial or full load conditions consistent with trim and strength of the vessel. Ballast conditions need not be considered if the tank vessel is not carrying oil in cargo tanks excluding oily residues. Loading condition must reflect the specific gravities of the cargo.

3. Damage Assumptions.

(a) Damage is applied to all conceivable locations along the length of the vessel as follows:

1. For a vessel of more than 225 meters in length, anywhere in the vessel’s length.
2. For a vessel of more than 150 meters, but not exceeding 225 meters in length, anywhere in the vessel’s length except where the after or forward bulkhead bounding a machinery space located aft is involved in the damage assumption. The machinery space is calculated as a single floodable compartment.
3. For a vessel 150 meters or less in length, anywhere in the vessel’s length between adjacent transverse bulkheads except the machinery space.

(b) The extent and the character of the assumed side or bottom damage, as defined in section 2 of Appendix A of this part, must be applied except longitudinal bottom damage within 0.3L from the forward perpendicular must be assumed to be the same as that for side damage. If any damage of lesser extent results in a more severe condition, such damage must be assumed.

(c) If damage involves transverse bulkheads as specified in paragraphs (a)(1) and (2) of this section, transverse watertight bulkheads must be spaced at least at a distance equal to the longitudinal extent of the assumed damage specified in paragraph (b) of this section in order to be considered effective. Where transverse bulkheads are spaced at a lesser distance, one or more of these bulkheads within such extent of damage must be assumed as nonexistent for the purpose of determining flooded compartments.

(d) If the damages between adjacent transverse watertight bulkheads is within the definition contained in paragraph (a)(3) of this section, no main transverse bulkhead or a transverse bulkhead bounding side tanks or double bottom tanks is to be assumed damaged, unless:

1. the spacing of the adjacent bulkheads is less than the longitudinal extent of assumed damage defined in paragraph (b) of this section; or
2. there is a step or a recess in a transverse bulkhead of more than 3.05 meters in length, located within the extent of penetrations of assumed damage. The step formed by the after peak bulkhead and after peak tank top is not regarded as a step for these calculations.

(e) If pipes, ducts, or tunnels are situated within the assumed extent of damage, there must be arrangements so that progressive flooding may not thereby extend to compartments other than those assumed to be floodable for each case of damage.

(f) For oil tankers of 20,000 DWT and above, the damage assumptions must be supplemented by the following assumed bottom raking damage:

1. Longitudinal extent:
   1. For ships of 75,000 DWT and above, 0.6L measured from the forward perpendicular.
   2. For ships of less than 75,000 DWT, 0.4L measured from the forward perpendicular.
2. Transverse extent: B/3 anywhere in the bottom.


(a) Account must be taken of any empty or partially filled tanks, the specific gravity of cargoes carried, and any outflow of liquids from damaged compartments.

(b) The permeabilities are assumed as follows:

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<th>Intended space use</th>
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<td>Other liquids</td>
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1. Whichever results in the more severe requirements.
2. The permeability of partially filled compartments must be consistent with actual density and the amount of liquid carried.

(c) The buoyancy of any superstructure directly above the side damage is to be disregarded. The unflooded parts of superstructures beyond the extent of damage may be taken into consideration if they are separated from the damaged space by watertight bulkheads and no progressive flooding of these intact spaces takes place. Class I doors are allowed in watertight bulkheads in the superstructure.
APPENDIX C TO PART 157—PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING DISTRIBUTION OF SEGREGATED BALLAST TANKS TO PROVIDE PROTECTION AGAINST OIL OUTFLOW IN THE EVENT OF GROUNDING, RAMMING, OR COLLISION

1. Source. The procedure for determining the distribution of segregated ballast tanks contained in this appendix conforms to Regulation 18, paragraphs 12-15 of the MARPOL Protocol.

2. Procedure. Protective location of segregated ballast tanks, voids, and other spaces that do not carry cargo are to be determined by linear interpolation between 0.45 and 0.30 respectively.

(a) Method of determining a value for J.

(1) For tank vessels for 20,000 DWT, J=0.45.

(2) For tank vessels of 200,000 DWT or more:

(i) J=0.30; or

(ii) J=the greater of 0.20, or

\[ 0.30 - \left( \frac{a - (O_s + O_s)}{40} \right) \]

where:

- \( a \) =0.25 for tank vessels of 200,000 DWT
- \( a \) =0.40 for tank vessels of 300,000 DWT
- \( a \) =0.50 for tank vessels of 420,000 DWT

For values of DWT between 200,000 and 300,000 DWT, 300,000 and 420,000 DWT, and greater than 420,000 DWT, the value of “a” is determined by linear interpolation.

- \( O_s \) = as calculated in Appendix A of this part.
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- \( O_A \) = the allowable oil outflow meeting §157.19(b)(1) of this part.

(ii) For values of DWT between 20,000 and 200,000 DWT, the value of “J” is determined by linear interpolation between 0.45 and 0.30 respectively.

(b) PA, and PA_s: Criteria for determining the segregated ballast tanks, voids, and other spaces that do not carry cargo.

The following criteria are to be met for a segregated ballast tank, void, or space that does not carry cargo, to be used in determining PA, and PA_s:

(1) The minimum width of each wing tank or space, either of which extends for the full depth of the vessel’s side or from the main deck to the top of the double bottoms is 2 meters or more. The width is measured inboard from the vessel’s side shell plating at right angles to the vessel’s center line. If a wing tank or space has a width anywhere within it that is less than 2 meters, that wing tank or space is not used when calculating PA_s.

(2) The minimum vertical depth of each double bottom tank or space is B/15 or 2 meters, whichever is smaller. If a double bottom tank or space has a depth less than B/15 or 2 meters, whichever is smaller, anywhere within it, the double bottom or space is not to be used when calculating PA_s.

(3) The minimum width of a wing tank or space is not measured in the way of:

(i) the turn of the bilge area; or

(ii) a rounded gunwale area.

(4) The minimum depth of a double bottom tank or space is not measured in the way of the turn of the bilge area.