



State of Oregon Department of Environmental Quality

# OAR 340-150-0210

## Classes of Operators

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	Class A Operator	Class B Operator	Class C Operator
<b>Who fits this class of operator?</b>	The individual who generally focuses on the statutory and regulatory requirements related to operating and maintaining the underground storage tank system	The individual who is generally responsible for field implementation of applicable underground storage tank regulatory requirements and implements day-to-day aspects of operating, maintaining, and recordkeeping at one or more facilities	Those who are generally the first line of response to events indicating emergency conditions or responding to alarms
<b>What are the training requirements?</b>	Broad overview of regulatory requirements	In-depth training on implementing regulatory requirements	Actions to take in the event of a leak or other emergency



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# OAR 340-150-0210 Appendix L

## Training Elements

The following topics must be covered in each UST system operator training session or by an equivalent training or testing method to meet UST system operation and maintenance training requirements:

- (1) General overview of department UST program administrative requirements:
  - (a) Types of registration certificates (i.e., permits) and process for modification of registration certificates;
  - (b) Notification process and general technical requirements for new UST installation, decommissioning, equipment replacement and retrofits, confirmed releases, suspected releases (including confirmation steps for suspected releases) and other system or test failures;
  - (c) Annual UST compliance fees and invoicing process;
  - (d) General requirements for maintaining financial responsibility;
  - (e) Department process for inspections and technical assistance resources available; and
  - (f) Enforcement process for violations.
- (2) General overview of other regulations pertaining to USTs, including, but not limited to, fire codes, occupational health and safety and any related industry practices pertaining to safety.
- (3) Spill prevention and overfill protection:
  - (a) Rule requirements, including record keeping;
  - (b) Equipment requirements; and
  - (c) Operation and maintenance needs.
- (4) Release detection: For each type of release detection method listed in OAR 340-150-0400 through 340-150-0470 for both USTs and underground piping:
  - (a) Rule requirements, including record keeping;
  - (b) Monitoring and equipment, including third party approval requirements; and
  - (c) Operation and maintenance requirements.
- (5) Corrosion protection, galvanic and impressed current:
  - (a) UST rule requirements (OAR chapter 340, division 150), including record keeping;
  - (b) Equipment requirements; and
  - (c) Operation and maintenance needs, including periodic inspections and testing.
- (6) Lined USTs:
  - (a) Rule requirements, including record keeping; and
  - (b) Operation and maintenance needs, including periodic inspections and testing.