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## In Situ Burning Removes Oil From the Environment

RRT VI In-Situ Burn Plan



"In-situ burning alters the composition of the spilled oil by **eliminating anywhere from 90% to 99%** of the original volume of oil contained in a fire resistant boom."

National Response Team, Science & Technology Committee



"Burning rapidly removes oil from the environment, particularly when compared to shoreline cleanup activities that may take months or even years to complete."

U.S. Coast Guard In-Situ Burn Operations Manual



"ISB and any other at-sea oil removal process will greatly reduce the ecological effect of oil impact on the shoreline, which is a more sensitive marine ecosystem."

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