



TRIDENT

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Emergency Response

2006 Lake Charles Shipping Channel

Project Highlights

- **June 2006**
- **3,000,000 gallon crude oil release**
- **Mobilized within 24 hours**

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Summary of project

TRIDENT Environmental Group, LLC was contact when 3,000,000 gallons of crude oil released from an above ground storage tank and overflowed into the Lake Charles, Louisiana shipping channel. The shipping channel was closed by the United States Coast Guard. TRIDENT immediately had a team of first responders on an airplane mobilizing to the site and were setting up containment boom within 24 hours of receiving the emergency call.



Project approach for oil spill

The volatile crude oil released was presenting a Health and Safety issue in regards to air quality. Respirators were utilized to eliminate the hazards of airborne vapors. TRIDENT assisted with the installation of containment boom along with the mobilization of various barges to contain any of the recovered oils. The team utilized skimmers, barges and vacuum trucks to recover the boomed off oil.