

## TECHNO NEWS

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We would like to explain the importance of spray shielding treatment as a preventive measure against the risk of leakage and/or scattering of flammable oil from pipe joints which can be a serious potential threat to personnel and property.

Spray shielding tape has been applied on pipe connections as described in Table 1 on next page, to prevent the leakage and/or scattering flammable oil.

However, we have received reports of some cases that the splashing of flammable oil occurred due to the removal of spray shielding during maintenance which was subsequently not replaced prior to sailing.

Therefore, we recommend to all customers to apply spray shielding tape in order to avoid such an incident and furthermore we would like to introduce the locations where and how it should to be implemented.



Spray shielding tape



Sample photo

- \*\*Please note that there are a few different types of tape to be used. The type will depend on the location and type of fluid.
- \*We will supply only one type of tape, as shown in Sample photo, which can be used on any location and with any type of fluid.

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Table 1: Applied location and fluid

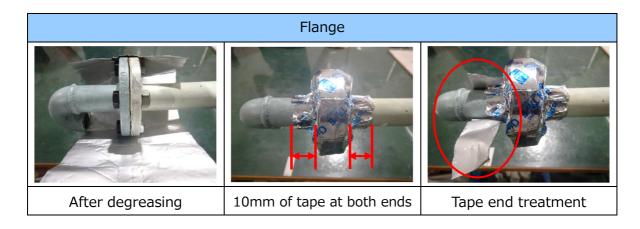
| Engine<br>type       | Type of fluid                          | Applicable location   | Unnecessary location  |
|----------------------|--|---|---|
| All engine<br>types  | Fuel line                              | <ul> <li>Inlet and return line (Both main and branch line)</li> <li>Instrumental piping, plug and socket for thermometer</li> <li>Pressurized drain line</li> </ul>   | •Drain line with no pressure  |
|                      | Piston<br>cooling oil                  | <ul><li>Pipe connection (Higher than upper grating)</li><li>Instrumental piping</li><li>Valve, blind plug and socket for thermometer</li></ul>  | •Pipe connection<br>(Lower than upper grating)  |
|                      | Turbo<br>charger<br>lubricating<br>oil | <ul><li>Inlet pipe (Including the head tank)</li><li>Instrumental piping</li><li>Valve, blind plug and socket for thermometer</li></ul>   | ·Outlet pipe  |
|                      | Cam shaft<br>lubricating<br>oil        | <ul><li>Inlet main pipe and branch pipe</li><li>Instrumental piping</li><li>Valve, blind plug and socket for thermometer</li></ul>  |   |
|                      | Cylinder<br>lubricating<br>oil         | <ul> <li>Pressurized pipe of Booster pump unit</li> <li>(For Alpha lubricator)</li> <li>Pipe connection between lubricator and non-return valve which are installed with cylinder liner</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Flange which is installed at the side of oil tank on booster pump unit</li> <li>(For Alpha lubricator)</li> <li>Pipe connection between hull-engine and main tank</li> </ul> |
| ME<br>engine<br>only | Main<br>lubricating<br>oil             | <ul> <li>Pipe connection (Outside of gear box)</li> <li>Pipe connection (Higher than upper grating)</li> <li>Filter unit in case it's installed at upper floor.</li> <li>Pipe connection around Start up pump (In case it's installed on the gear box casing.)</li> </ul> | <ul><li>Inside of gear box</li><li>Filter unit in case it's installed at middle floor</li></ul>   |

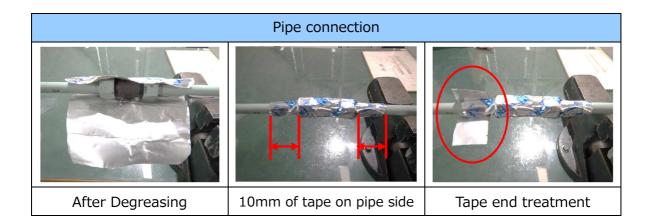
- $\ensuremath{\mathbb{X}}$  It's unnecessary to apply to places that are covered with an insulation cover.
- \* Degrease thoroughly otherwise the performance may be compromised.



## **Installation procedure**

- 1. Degrease thoroughly prior to application.
- 2. Wrap up with the tape as per below photos. If the width is not enough, it should be overwrapped by more than 15mm. (It is preferable to use a piece of tape at each place.)
- 3. When applying to the flange, it should cover the bolt, nut and pipe union completely and adhere correctly.
- 4. The tape should cover at least 10mm at the pipe side on both ends. Then, the end of tape should be wrapped again more than one and half times around as shown below.





- \* The pipe connection between alpha lubricator unit and non-return valve which is installed in the cylinder liner should be covered by more than 20mm on pipe side. However it is unnecessary to apply tape end treatment.
- \* Thread type of connection should be covered completely and with tape covering more than 10mm at pipe side.

For any inquiries, please contact the sales representative with reference to Service Note No.111.