



ABOUT EMPIRE PIPELINE

Empire Pipeline (Empire), headquartered in Lebanon, Missouri, with commercial offices in Dallas, Texas, is a natural gas gathering company with over 240 miles of pipeline system located in the Barnett Shale play of North Texas. Empire operates pipelines ranging from 3” to 8” and operating at 50-250 psi and a MAOP of 1,050 psi.

WHAT DOES EMPIRE PIPELINE CORPORATION DO IF A LEAK OCCURS?

To prepare for the event of a leak, pipeline companies regularly communicate, plan and train with local emergency responders. Upon the notification of an incident or leak the pipeline company will immediately dispatch trained personnel to assist emergency responders.

Pipeline operators and emergency responders are trained to protect life, property and facilities in the case of an emergency.

Pipeline operators will also take steps to minimize the amount of product that leaks out and to isolate the pipeline emergency.

MAINTAINING SAFETY AND INTEGRITY OF PIPELINES

Empire invests significant time and effort to maintain the quality and integrity of its pipeline systems. Empire has a commitment to maintain high standards for the operation, maintenance and inspection procedures for its systems and associated facilities.

Gas gathering pipeline operators develop supplemental hazard and assessment programs as required by the applicable regulatory authorities known as Integrity Management Programs (IMP’s). Specific information about Empire’s program may be found on our website or by contacting us directly.

HOW TO GET ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For an overview of Empire’s IMP, go to www.empireplc.com or contact us at (214) 880-0394.



**EMERGENCY CONTACT:
1-817-599-7192**

PRODUCTS / DOT GUIDEBOOK ID# / GUIDE#:		
Natural Gas	1971	115

**TEXAS
COUNTIES OF OPERATION:**

Hood Parker

Changes may occur. Contact the operator to discuss their pipeline systems and areas of operation.

PRODUCTS TRANSPORTED IN YOUR AREA

PRODUCT	LEAK TYPE	VAPORS
Rich Natural Gas [contains high concentrations of Highly Volatile Liquids such as, Propane, Butane, Pentane and Natural Gasoline]	Gas	Initially heavier than air, spread along ground and may travel to source of ignition and flash back. Product is colorless, tasteless and odorless.
HEALTH HAZARDS	Will be easily ignited by heat, sparks or flames and will form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may cause dizziness or asphyxiation without warning and may be toxic if inhaled at high concentrations. Contact with gas or liquefied gas may cause burns, severe injury and/or frostbite. Fire may produce irritating and/or toxic gases.	
NATURAL GAS	Gas	Lighter than air and will generally rise and dissipate. May gather in a confined space and travel to a source of ignition.
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