

Table 5.21a—Uplift Loads (SI)

| Uplift Load Case | Net Uplift Formula, U (N) | Allowable Anchor Bolt or Anchor Strap Stress (MPa) | Allowable Shell Stress at Anchor Attachment (MPa) | |
|---|---|--|---|----|
| Design Pressure | $[(P_i - 0.08t_h) \times D^2 \times 785] - W_1$ | $^{5/12} \times F_y$ | $^{2/3} F_{ty}$ | 14 |
| Test Pressure | $[(P_t - 0.08t_h) \times D^2 \times 785] - W_1$ | $^{5/9} \times F_y$ | $^{5/6} F_{ty}$ | |
| Failure Pressure ^a | $[(1.5 \times P_f - 0.08t_h) \times D^2 \times 785] - W_3$ | F_y | F_{ty} | |
| Wind Load | $P_{WR} \times D^2 \times 785 + [4 \times M_{WH}/D] - W_2$ | $0.8 \times F_y$ | $^{5/6} F_{ty}$ | |
| Seismic Load | $[4 \times M_{rw}/D] - W_2 (1 - 0.4A_v)$ | $0.8 \times F_y$ | $^{5/6} F_{ty}$ | |
| Design Pressure ^b + Wind | $[(F_p P_i + P_{WR} - 0.08t_h) \times D^2 \times 785] + [4 M_{WH}/D] - W_1$ | $^{5/9} \times F_y$ | $^{5/6} F_{ty}$ | 14 |
| Design Pressure ^b + Seismic | $[(F_p P_i - 0.08t_h) \times D^2 \times 785] + [4 M_{rw}/D] - W_1 (1 - 0.4A_v)$ | $0.8 \times F_y$ | $^{5/6} F_{ty}$ | 14 |
| Frangibility Pressure ^c | $[(3 \times P_f - 0.08t_h) \times D^2 \times 785] - W_3$ | F_y | F_{ty} | |
| where | | | | |
| A_v | is the vertical earthquake acceleration coefficient, in % g; | | | |
| D | is the tank diameter, in meters; | | | |
| F_p | is the pressure combination factor; | | | |
| F_{ty} | is the minimum yield strength of the bottom shell course, in MPa; | | | |
| F_y | is the minimum yield strength of the anchor bolt or strap; bolts are limited to specified material minimum yield strength or 380 MPa, whichever is less, in MPa; anchor strap material minimum yield strength shall not exceed the minimum yield strength of the shell; | | | |
| H | is the tank height, in meters; | | | |
| M_{WH} | equals $P_{WS} \times D \times H^2/2$, in N-m; | | | |
| M_{rw} | is the seismic moment, in N-m (see Annex E); | | | |
| P_i | is the design pressure, in kPa (see Annex F); | | | |
| P_f | is the failure pressure, in kPa (see Annex F); | | | |
| P_t | is the test pressure, in kPa (see Annex F); | | | |
| P_{WR} | is the wind uplift pressure on roof, in kPa; | | | |
| P_{WS} | is the wind pressure on shell, in N/m ² ; | | | |
| t_h | is the roof plate thickness (the corroded thickness when used with W_1 and nominal thickness when used with W_3), in millimeters; | | | |
| W_1 | is the dead load of shell minus any corrosion allowance and any dead load other than roof plate acting on the shell minus any corrosion allowance, in N; | | | |
| W_2 | is the dead load of shell minus any corrosion allowance and any dead load including roof plate acting on the shell minus any corrosion allowance, in N; | | | |
| W_3 | is the dead load of the shell using nominal thicknesses and any dead load other than roof plate acting on the shell using nominal thicknesses, in N. | | | |
| ^a Failure pressure applies to tanks falling under F.1.3 only. The failure pressure shall be calculated using nominal thicknesses. | | | | |
| ^b Refer to 5.2.2 concerning the pressure combination factor applied to the design pressure. | | | | |
| ^c Frangibility pressure applies only to tanks designed to 5.10.2.6 d. The frangibility pressure shall be calculated using nominal thicknesses. | | | | |

Table 5.21b—Uplift Loads (USC)

| 14 | Uplift Load Case | Net Uplift Formula, U (lbf) | Allowable Anchor Bolt or Anchor Strap Stress (lbf/in. ²) | Allowable Shell Stress at Anchor Attachment (lbf/in. ²) |
|---|---|---|--|---|
| | Design Pressure | $[(P_i - 8t_h) \times D^2 \times 4.08] - W_1$ | $^{5/12} \times F_y$ | $^{2/3} F_{ty}$ |
| | Test Pressure | $[(P_t - 8t_h) \times D^2 \times 4.08] - W_1$ | $^{5/9} \times F_y$ | $^{5/6} F_{ty}$ |
| | Failure Pressure ^a | $[(1.5 \times P_f - 8t_h) \times D^2 \times 4.08] - W_3$ | F_y | F_{ty} |
| | Wind Load | $P_{WR} \times D^2 \times 4.08 + [4 \times M_{WH}/D] - W_2$ | $0.8 \times F_y$ | $^{5/6} F_{ty}$ |
| | Seismic Load | $[4 \times M_{rw}/D] - W_2 (1 - 0.4A_v)$ | $0.8 \times F_y$ | $^{5/6} F_{ty}$ |
| 14 | Design Pressure ^b + Wind | $[(F_p P_i + P_{WR} - 8t_h) \times D^2 \times 4.08] + [4 M_{WH}/D] - W_1$ | $^{5/9} \times F_y$ | $^{5/6} F_{ty}$ |
| 14 | Design Pressure ^b + Seismic | $[(F_p P_i - 8t_h) \times D^2 \times 4.08] + [4 M_{rw}/D] - W_1 (1 - 0.4A_v)$ | $0.8 \times F_y$ | $^{5/6} F_{ty}$ |
| | Frangibility Pressure ^c | $[(3 \times P_f - 8t_h) \times D^2 \times 4.08] - W_3$ | F_y | F_{ty} |
| <p>where</p> <p>A_v is the vertical earthquake acceleration coefficient, in % g;</p> <p>D is the tank diameter, in feet;</p> <p>F_p is the pressure combination factor;</p> <p>F_{ty} is the minimum yield strength of the bottom shell course, in psi;</p> <p>F_y is the minimum yield strength of the anchor bolt or strap; bolts are limited to specified material minimum yield strength or 55,000 psi, whichever is less, in psi; anchor strap material minimum yield strength shall not exceed the minimum yield strength of the shell;</p> <p>H is the tank height, in feet;</p> <p>M_{WH} equals $P_{WS} \times D \times H^2/2$, in ft-lbs;</p> <p>$M_{rw}$ is the seismic moment, in ft-lbs (see Annex E);</p> <p>P_i is the design pressure, in inches of water column (see Annex F);</p> <p>P_f is the failure pressure, in inches of water column (see Annex F);</p> <p>P_t is the test pressure, in inches of water column (see Annex F);</p> <p>P_{WR} is the wind uplift pressure on roof, in inches of water column;</p> <p>P_{WS} is the wind pressure on shell, in lbs/ft²;</p> <p>t_h is the roof plate thickness (the corroded thickness when used with W_1 and nominal thickness when used with W_3), in inches;</p> <p>W_1 is the dead load of shell minus any corrosion allowance and any dead load other than roof plate acting on the shell minus any corrosion allowance, in lbf;</p> <p>W_2 is the dead load of shell minus any corrosion allowance and any dead load including roof plate acting on the shell minus any corrosion allowance, in lbf;</p> <p>W_3 is the dead load of the shell using nominal thicknesses and any dead load other than roof plate acting on the shell using nominal thicknesses, in lbf.</p> | | | | |
| | ^a Failure pressure applies to tanks falling under F.1.3 only. The failure pressure shall be calculated using nominal thicknesses. | | | |
| | ^b Refer to 5.2.2 concerning the pressure combination factor applied to the design pressure. | | | |
| | ^c Frangibility pressure applies only to tanks designed to 5.10.2.6 d. The frangibility pressure shall be calculated using nominal thicknesses. | | | |