CONTAMINANTS in DIESEL FUEL

Diesel Fuel (ULSD) breaks down more rapidly than most people realise. This is mainly due to the presence of water and excessive contaminants.

The most likely **Contaminants** include;

Water - finely suspended droplets of water can give a milky, hazy appearance. This can be a result of moisture/condensation and/or high flow pumps. Since most Diesel tanks are vented to atmosphere, condensation will settle out on the bottom of the tank.

Fungus and Bacteria - producing gummy deposits, gels, discoloration and black sediment/sludge on bottom of the tank. Some aggressive bacteria have been found to spread up through the Diesel like a web or mass.



Suspended Particulates - can consist of mineral and metallic dusts from atmosphere, pipes & tanks, plus degrading fungal colonies.

Contaminants can start appearing in stored Diesel Fuel in as little as one month.

This is referred to as "Accelerated Ageing"

To prevent costly damage to Generators and Pumps in an Emergency Power Supply (EPS) situation, these contaminants must be removed effectively and regularly. **EPS failure, in a hospital environment, could be life threatening!**



An automatic **Diesel Fuel Maintenance System** can be specified and installed onto any size bulk storage tank.

These systems ensure that Diesel fuel is ALWAYS clean & dry and ready to use.

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"When the lights go out.....it's too late to clean your fuel"