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Product Safety and Handling Seminar

Poly Processing Company:

- Optimizing Polyethylene
- Specializing in XLPE
- Building Systems for Chemical Storage



Chemical Storage Systems



- **Capacities to 15,500 Gallons**
- **Temperatures to 150° F**
- **Pressures/Vacuum- Atmospheric**

Today's Goals

- **Safety**
- **Product Integrity**
- **Tank Longevity**

Issues Identified by Olin

- **Budget**
- **Cleaning**
- **Product degradation**
- **Correct materials for application**
- **UV Protection**
- **FRP failure**

- **Crosslinked HD Polyethylene**
- **FRP – Fiberglass**
- **OR-1000 Resin System**
- **Full Drain Tanks - IMFO**
- **Double Walled Tanks**
- **Venting / Flex Couplings**

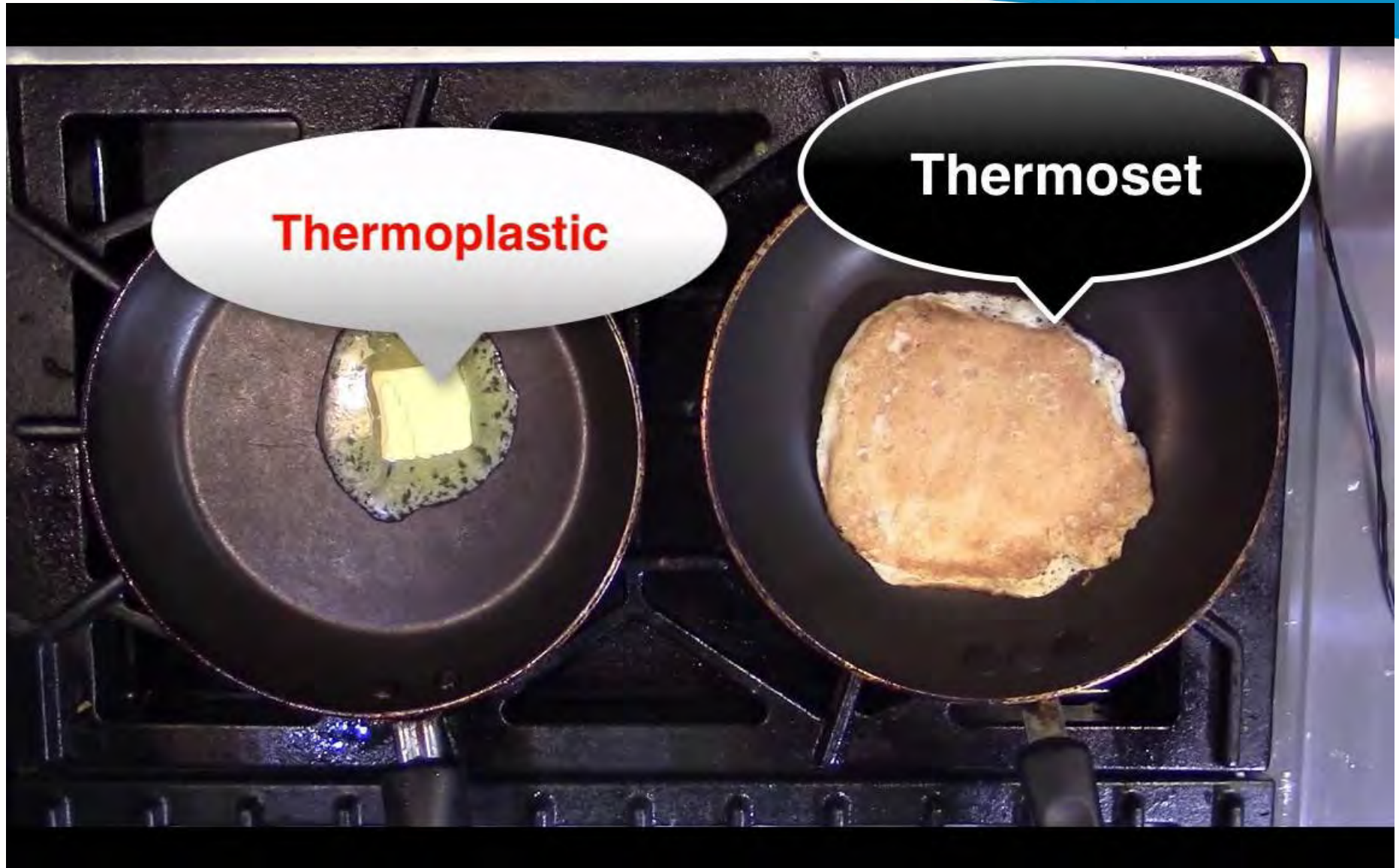
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Thermosets And Thermoplastics

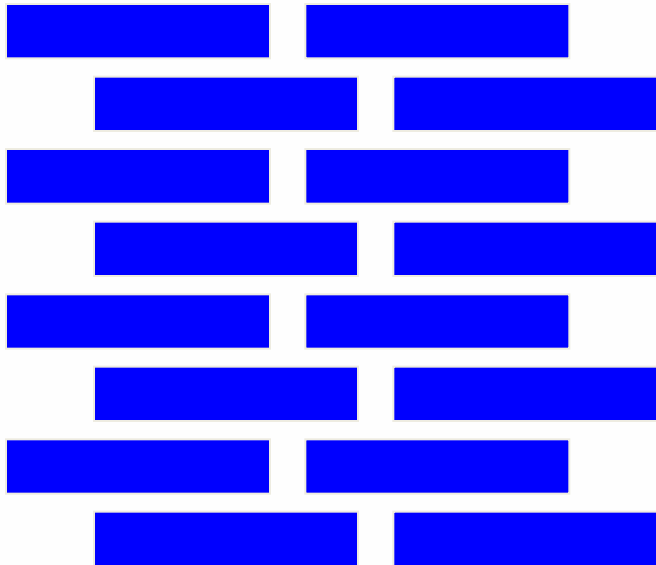
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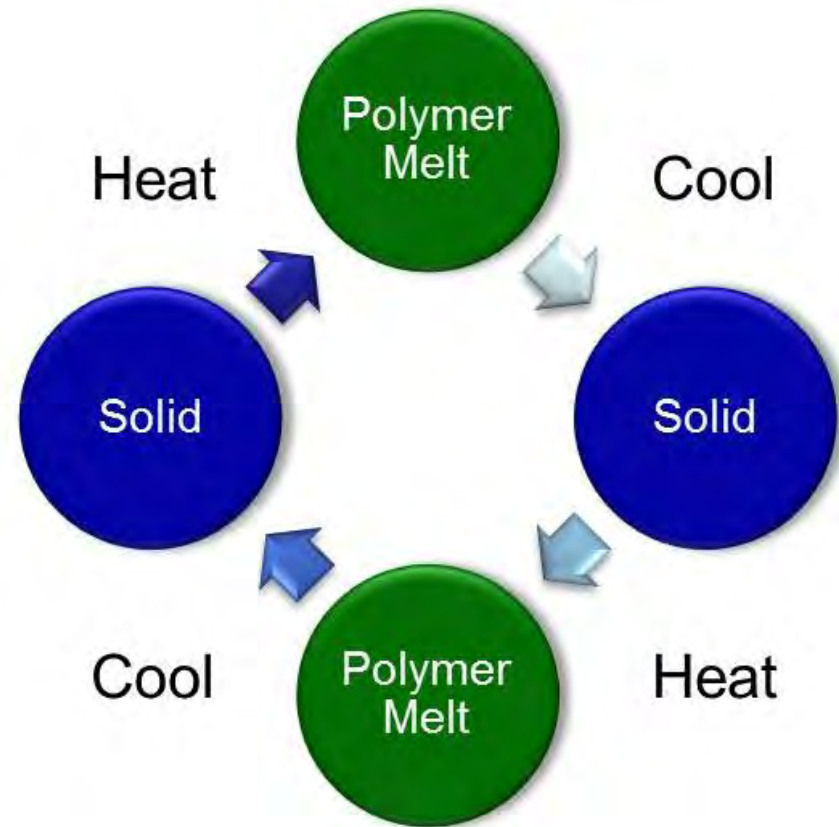


Structure

HDPE Entanglement



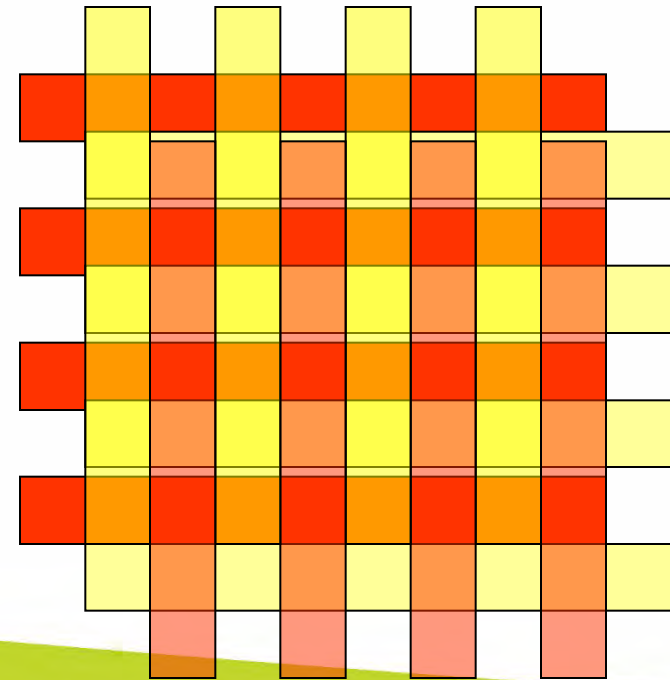
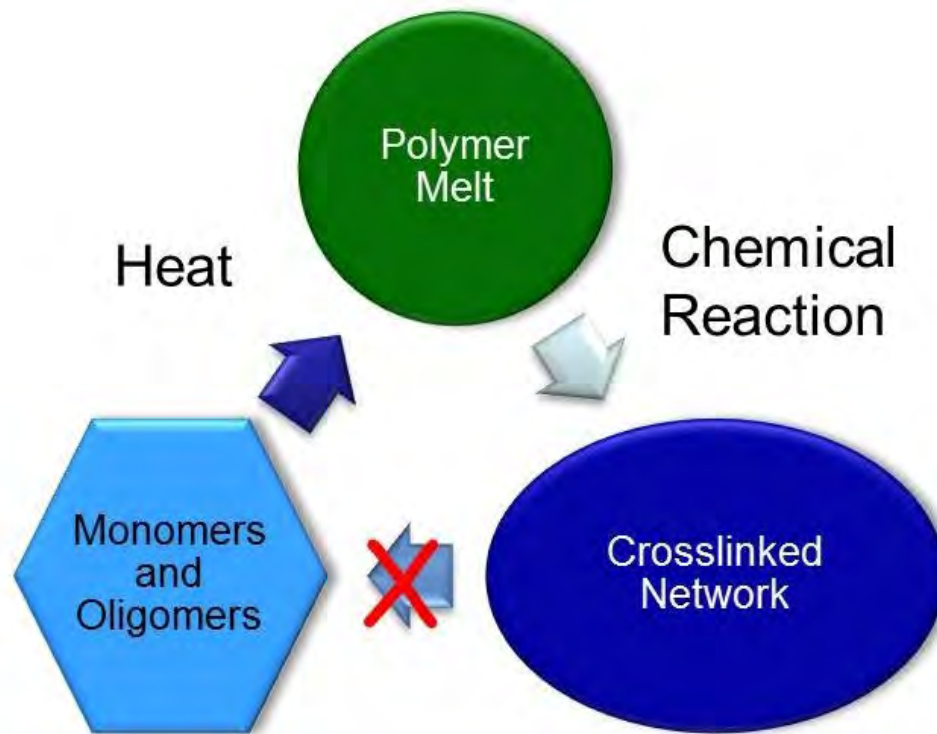
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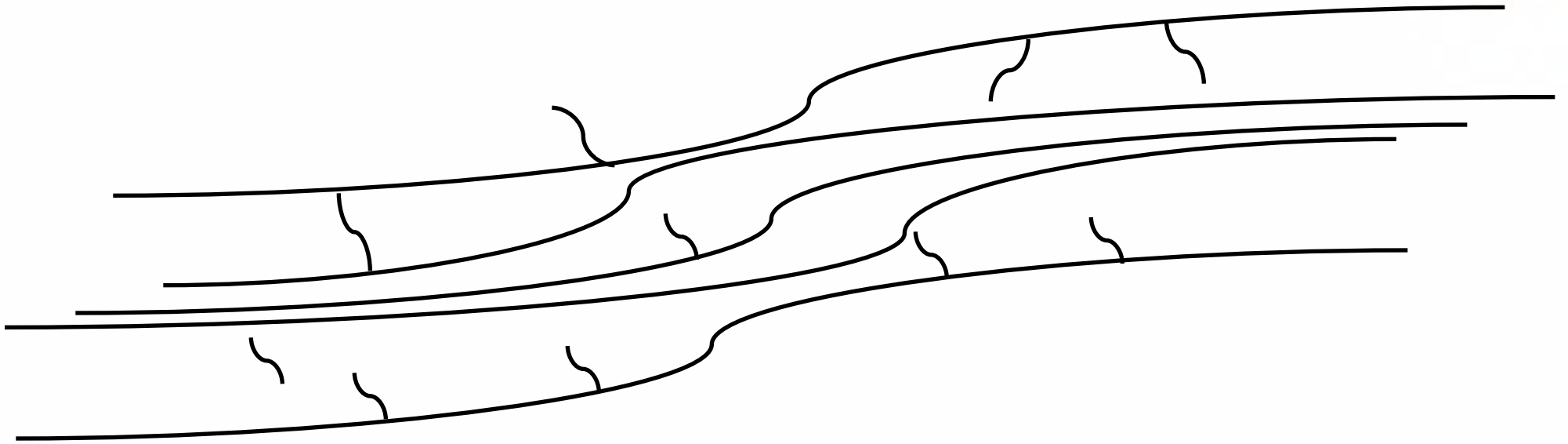
Unsurpassed Structure

HDXLPE

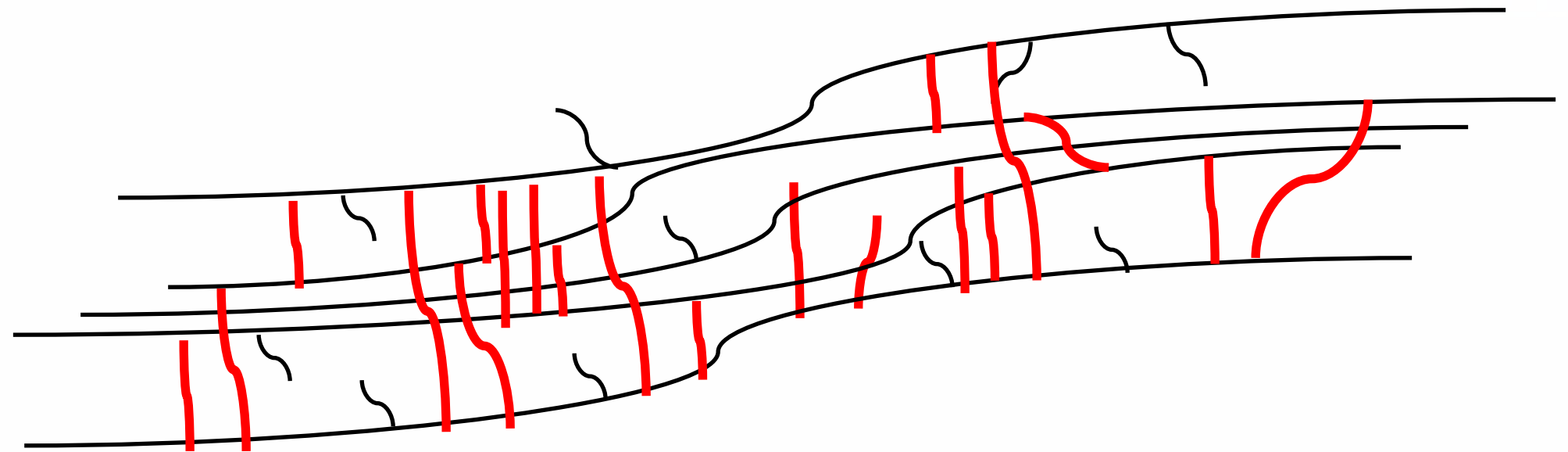
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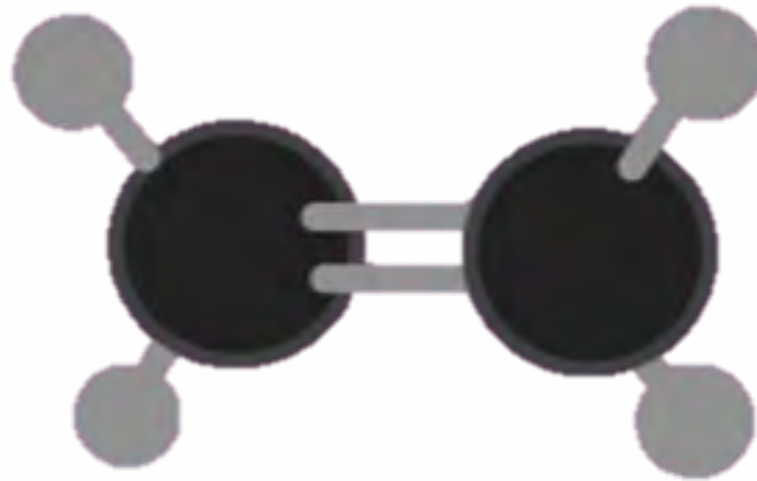


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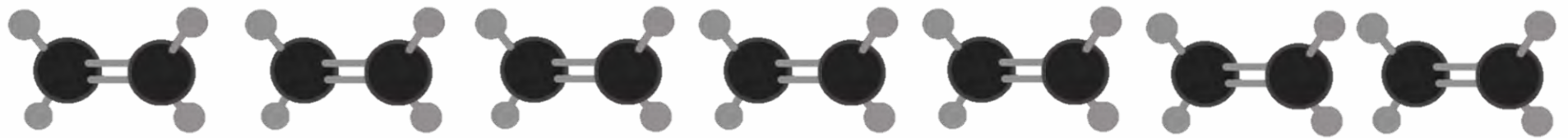
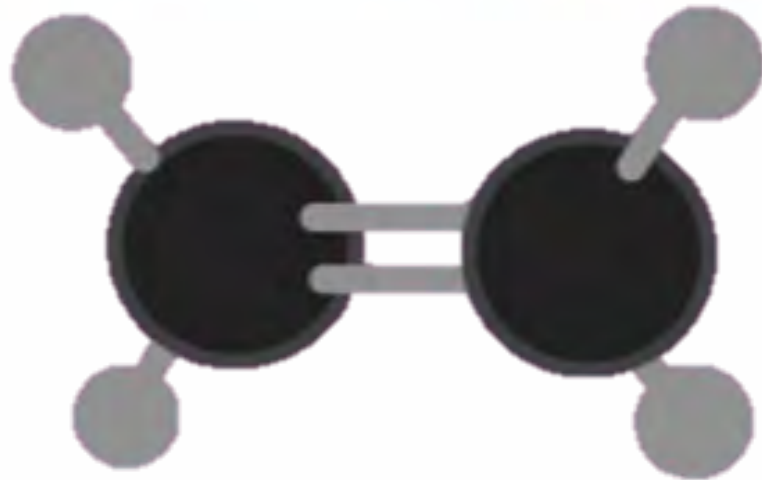


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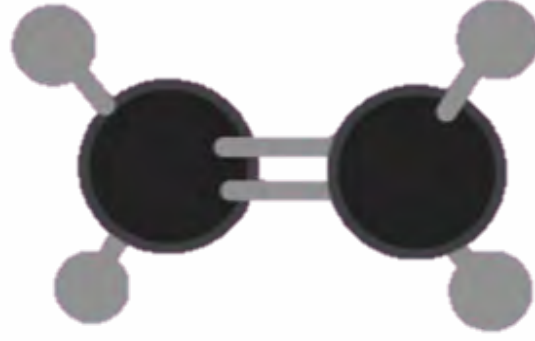
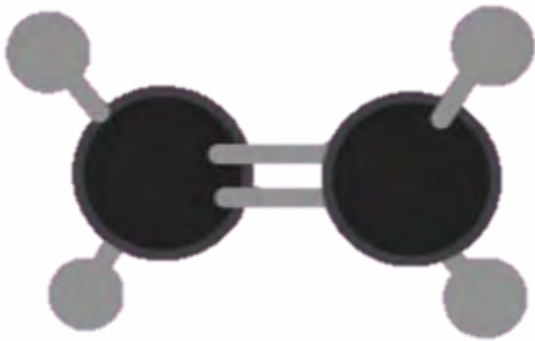
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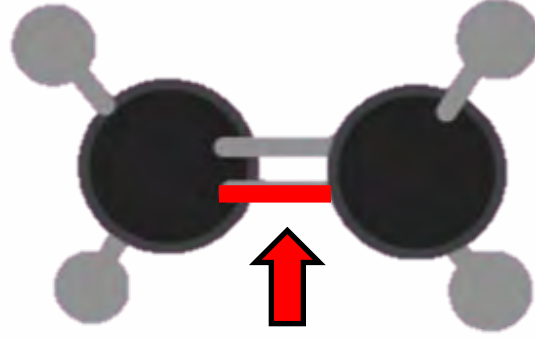
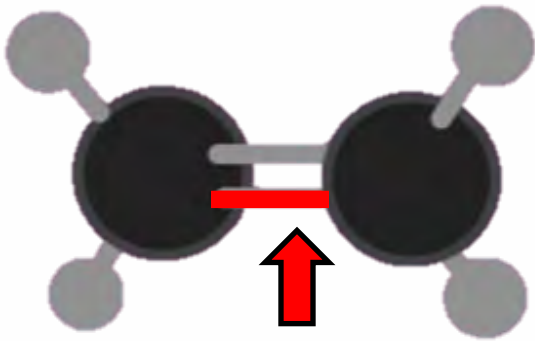


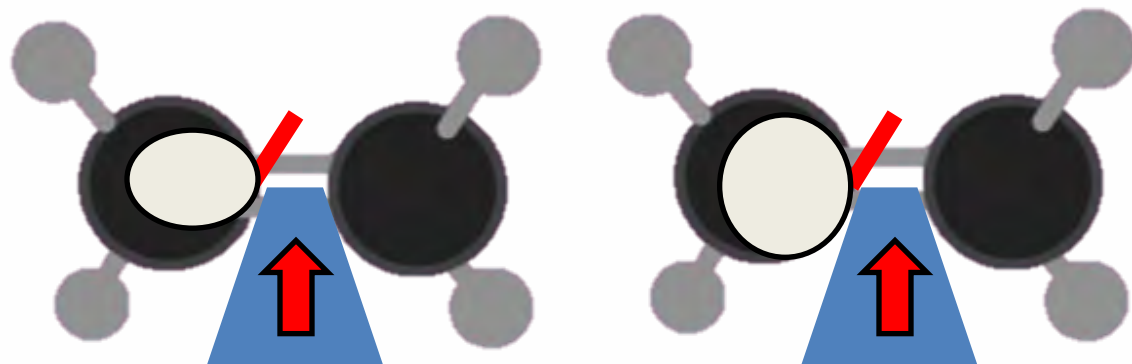
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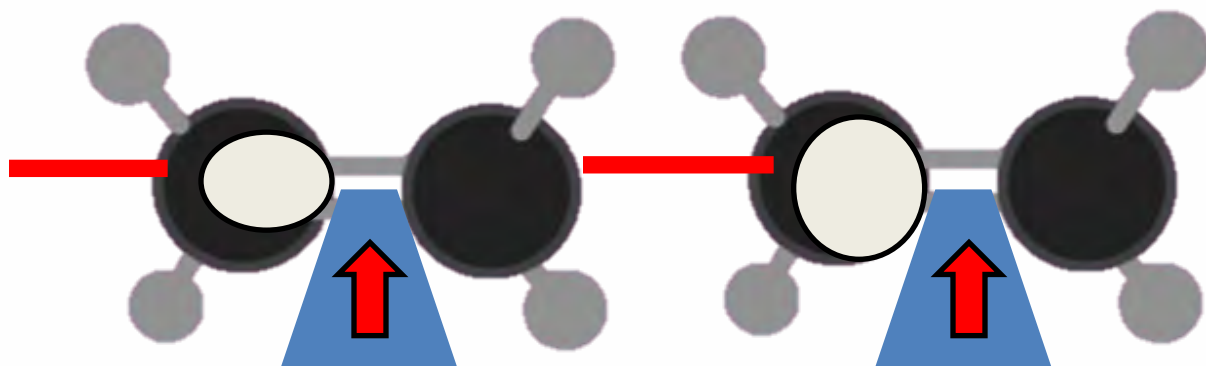


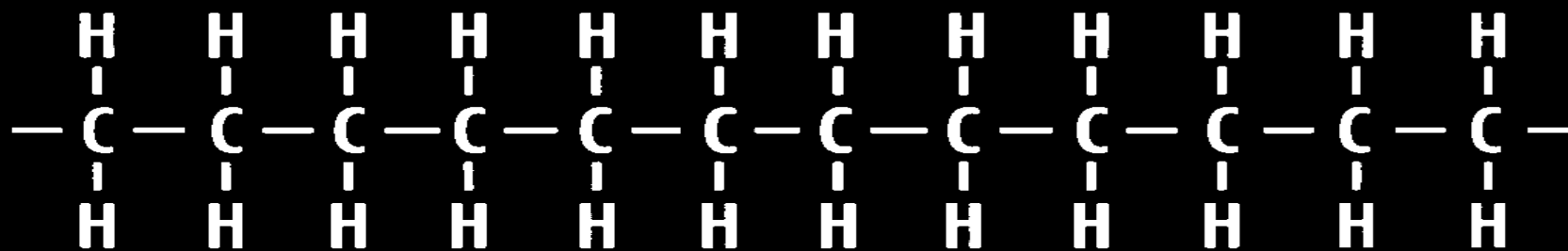
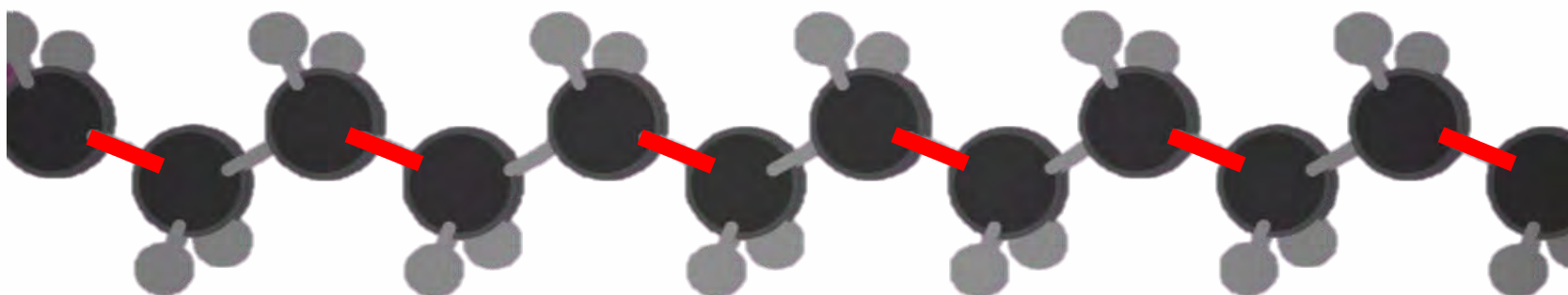
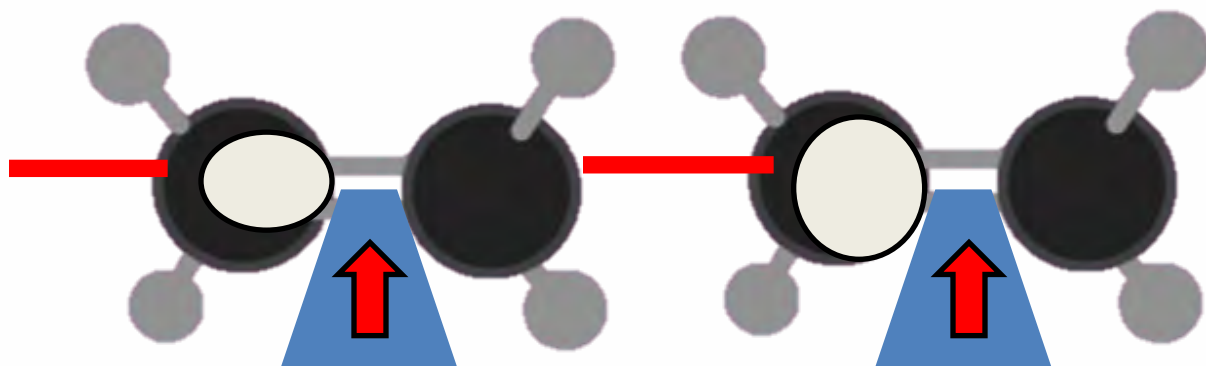
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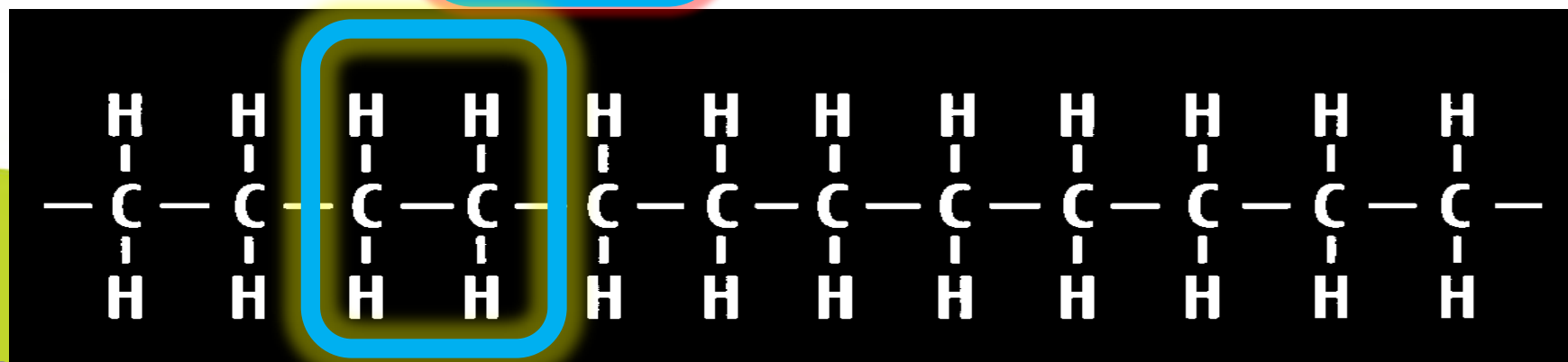
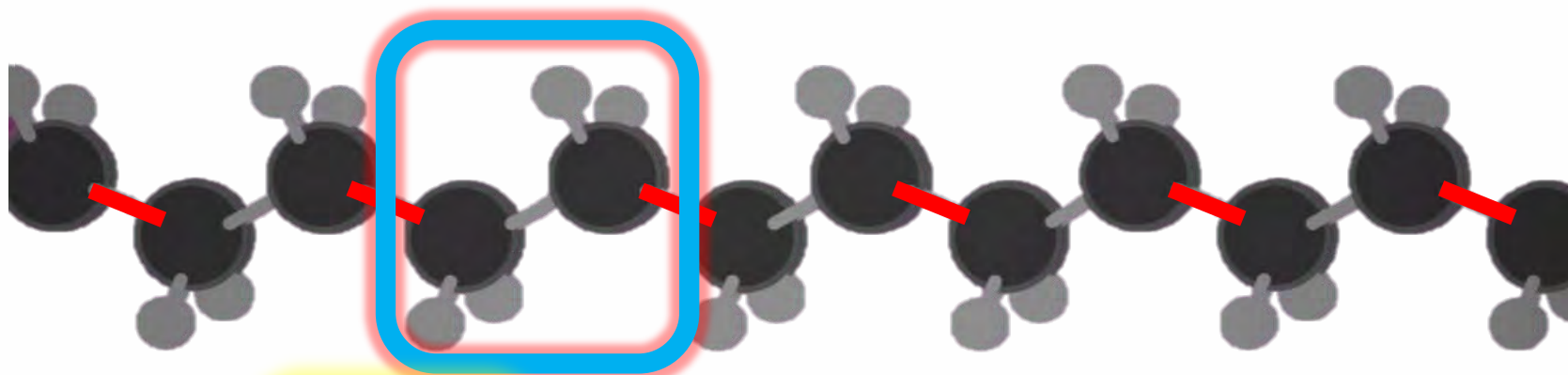
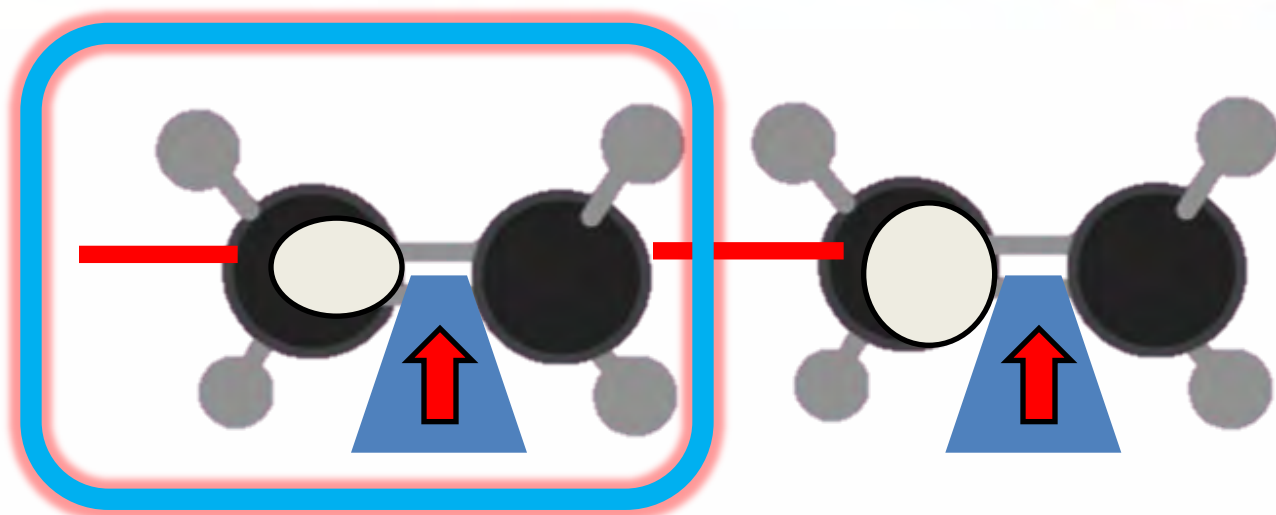


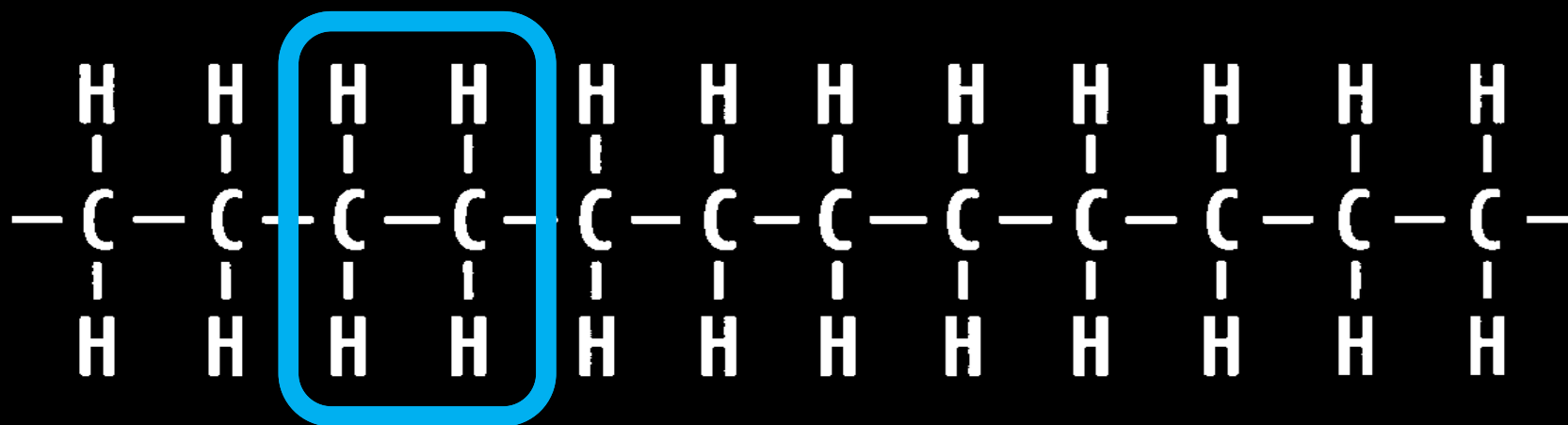




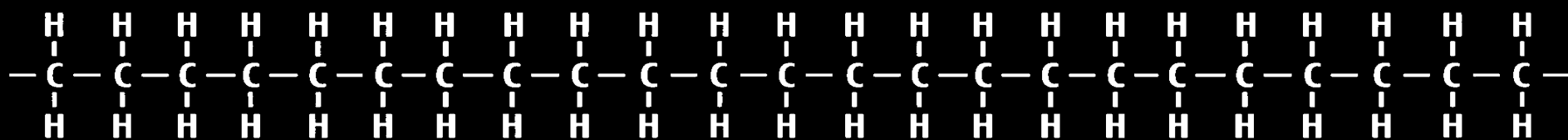


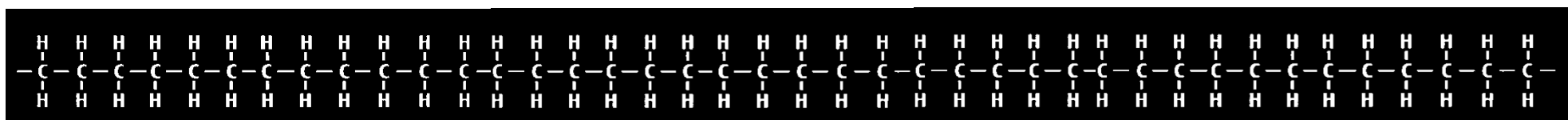


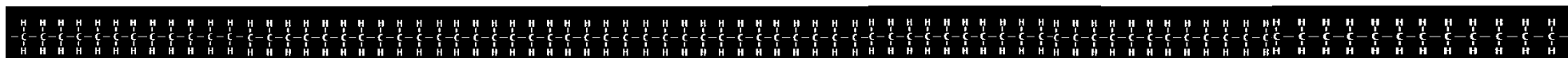


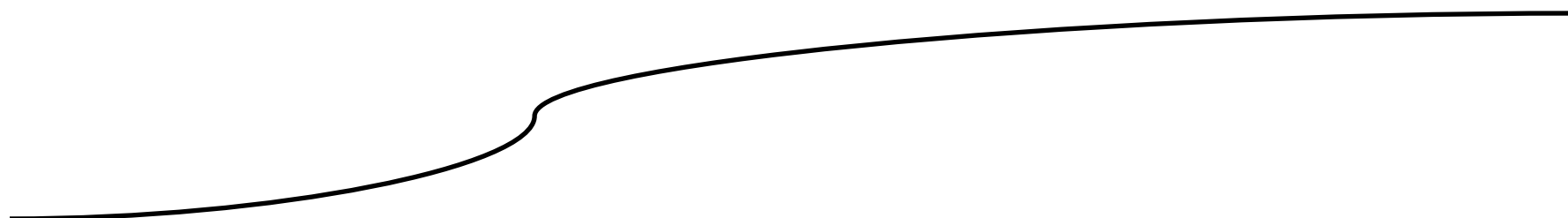


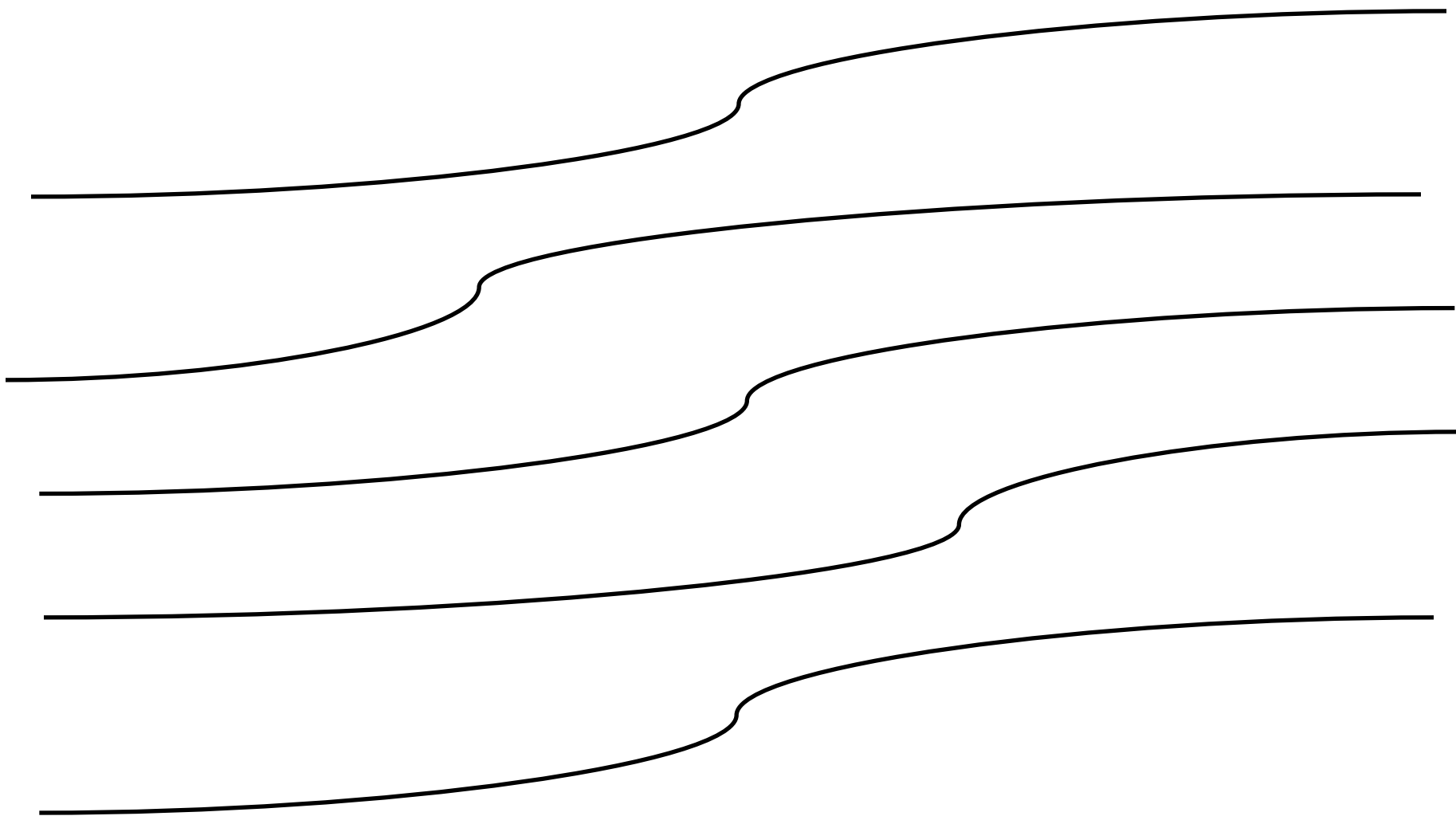
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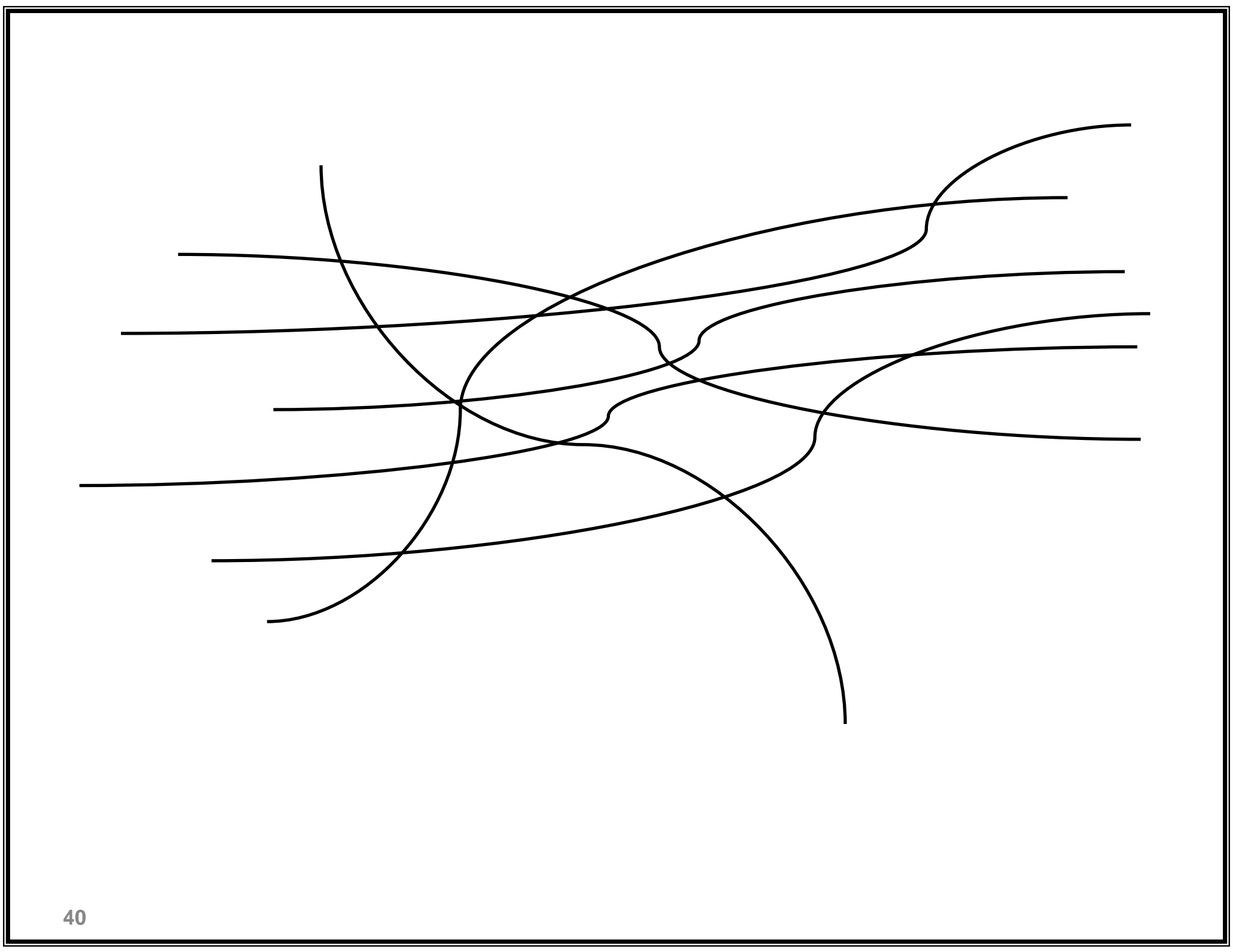






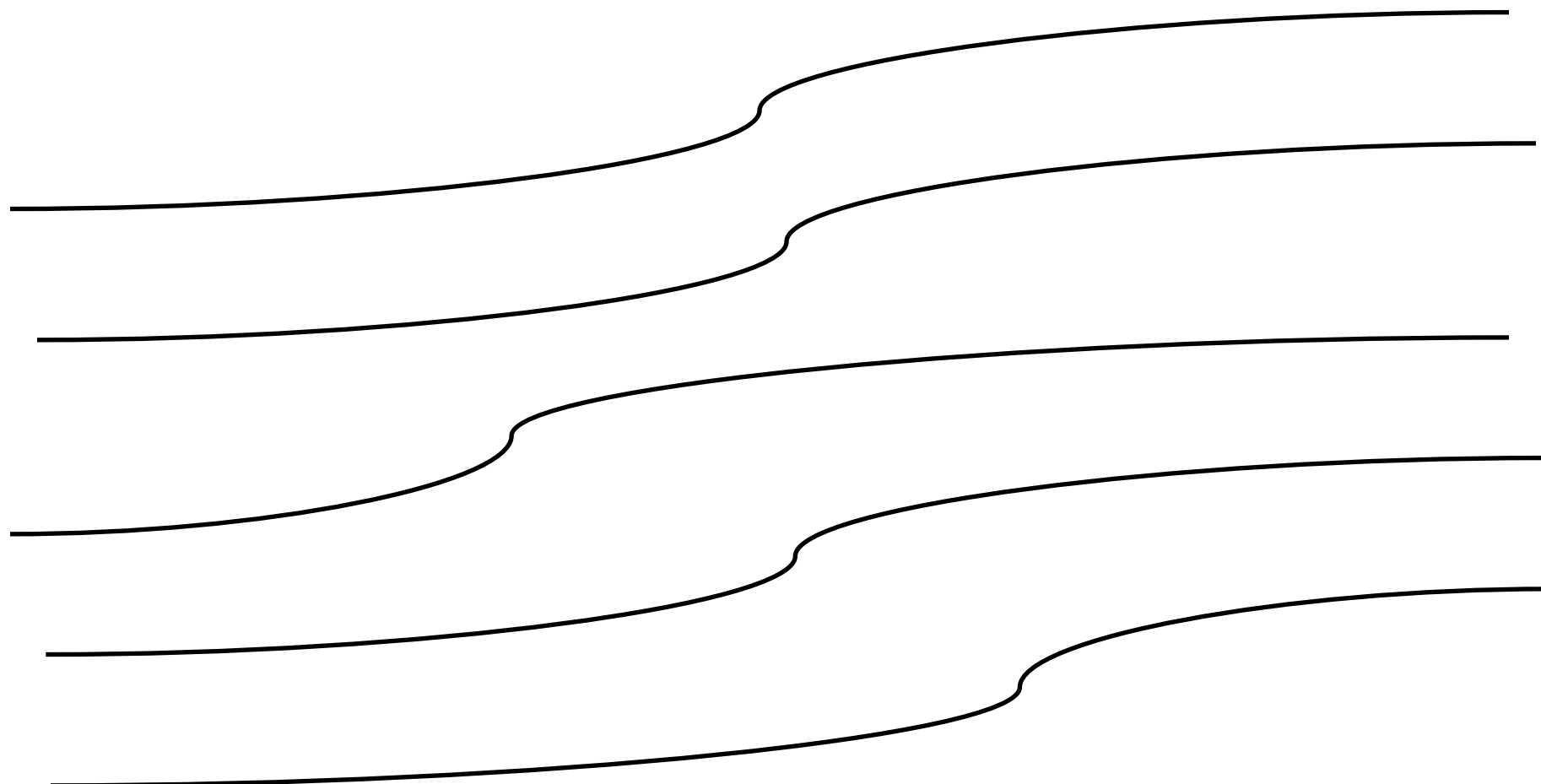




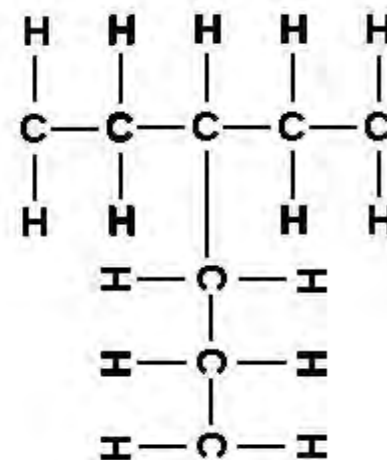
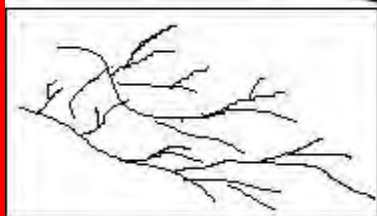


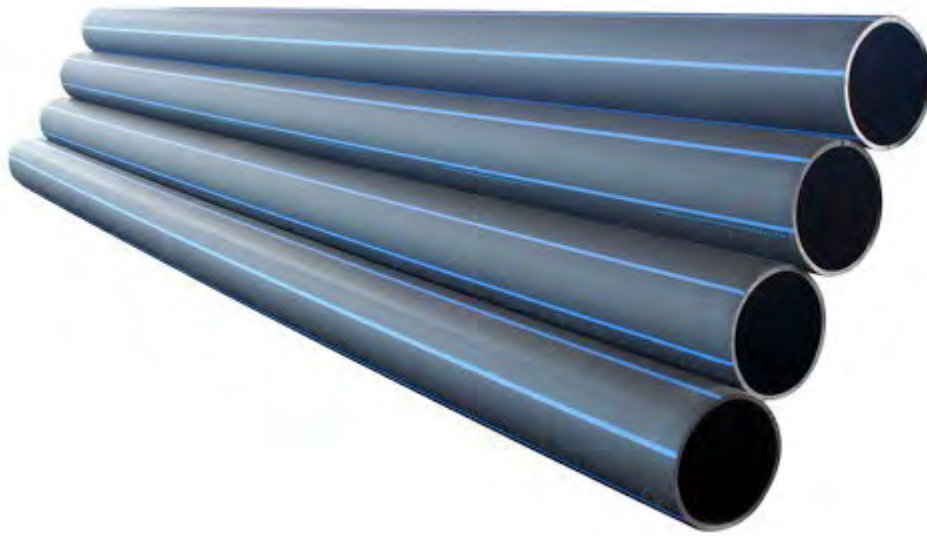
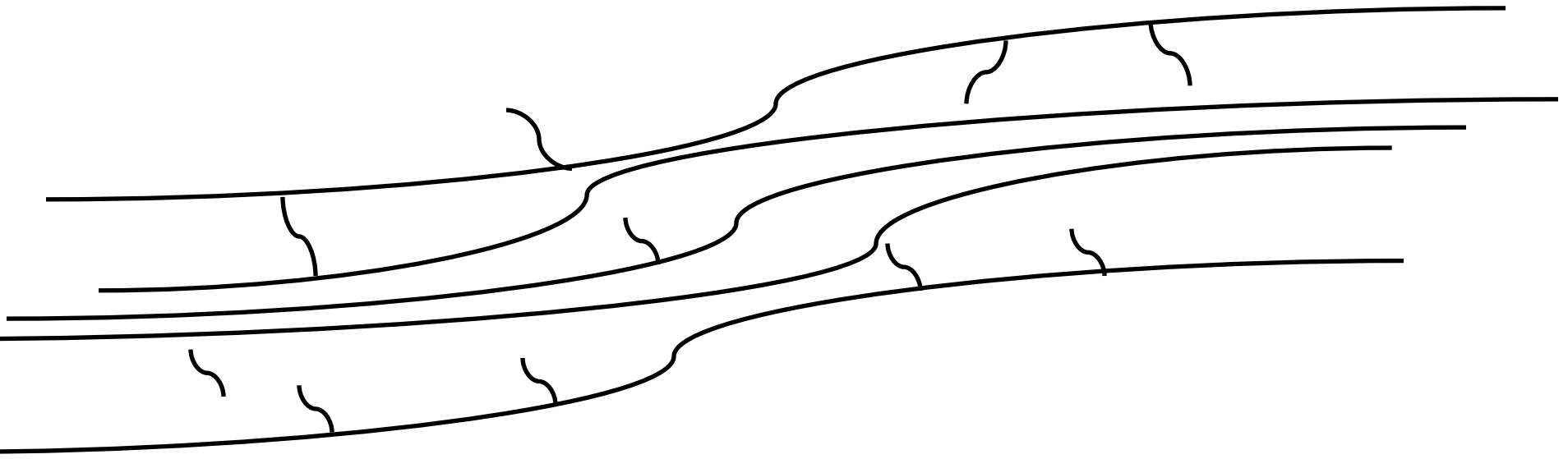
Linear Polymers

- **HDPE**
- **LDPE**
- **LLDPE**

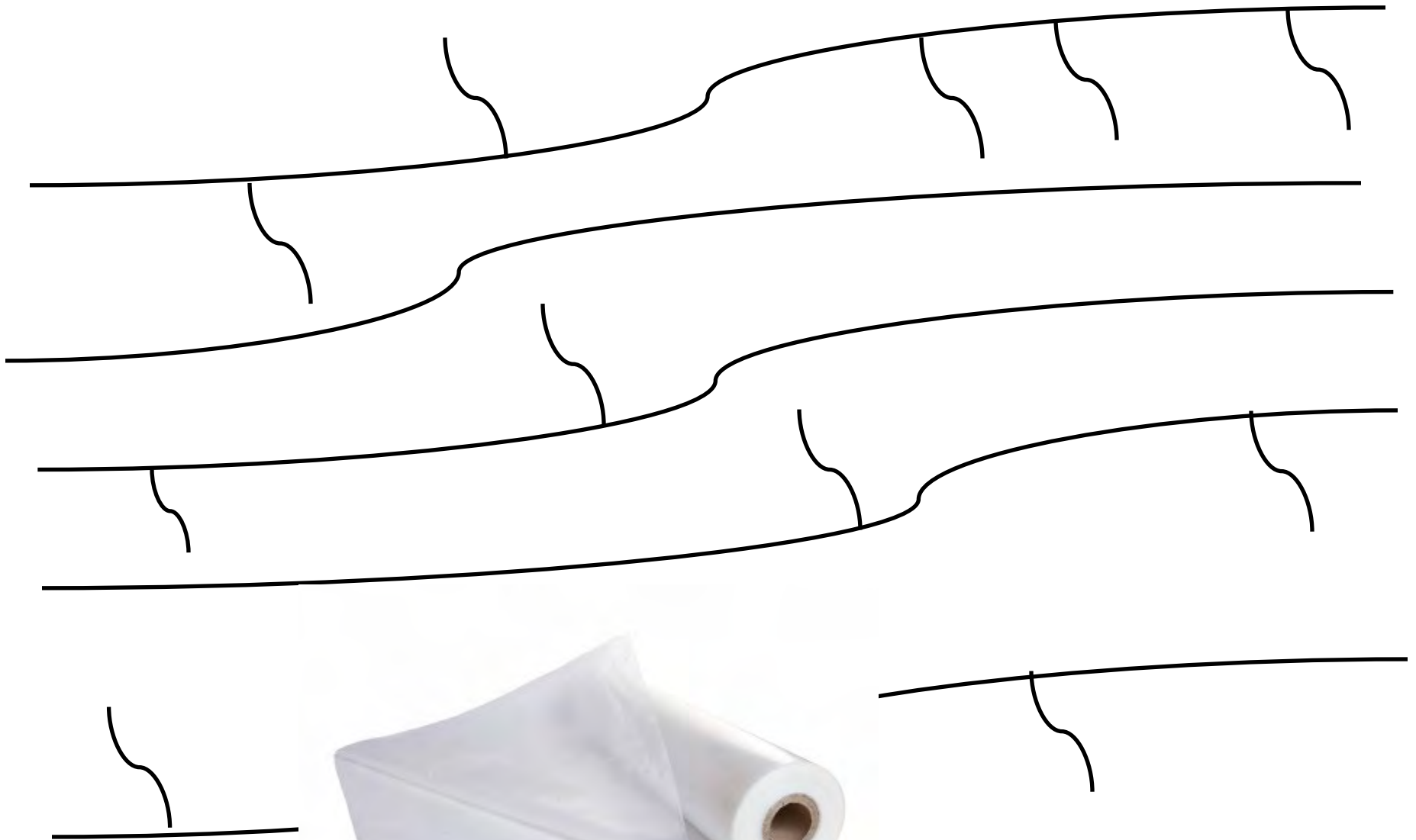


LDPE





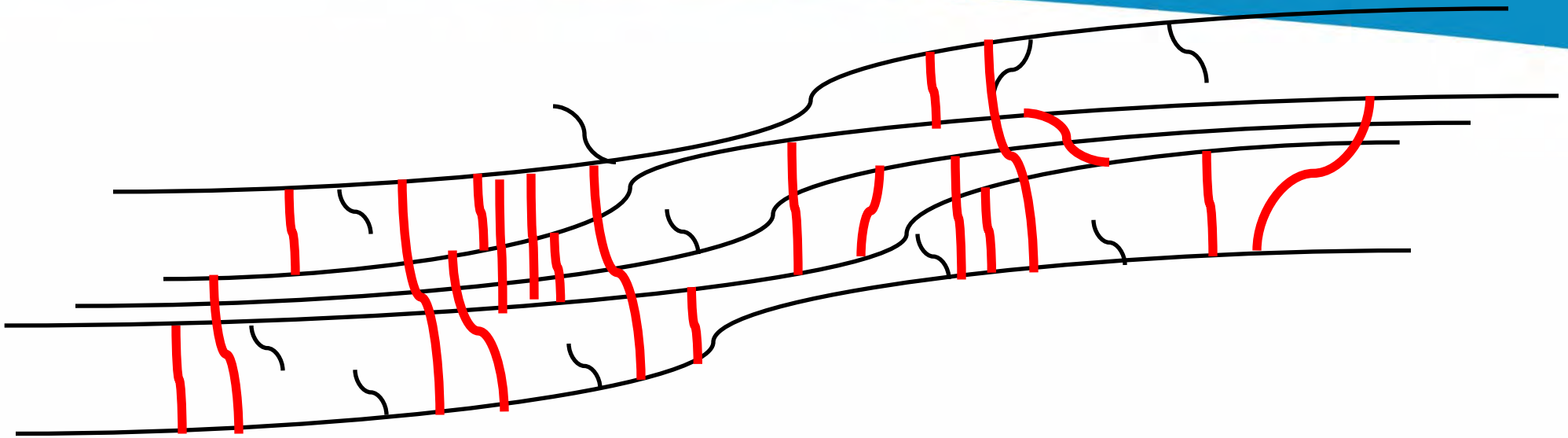
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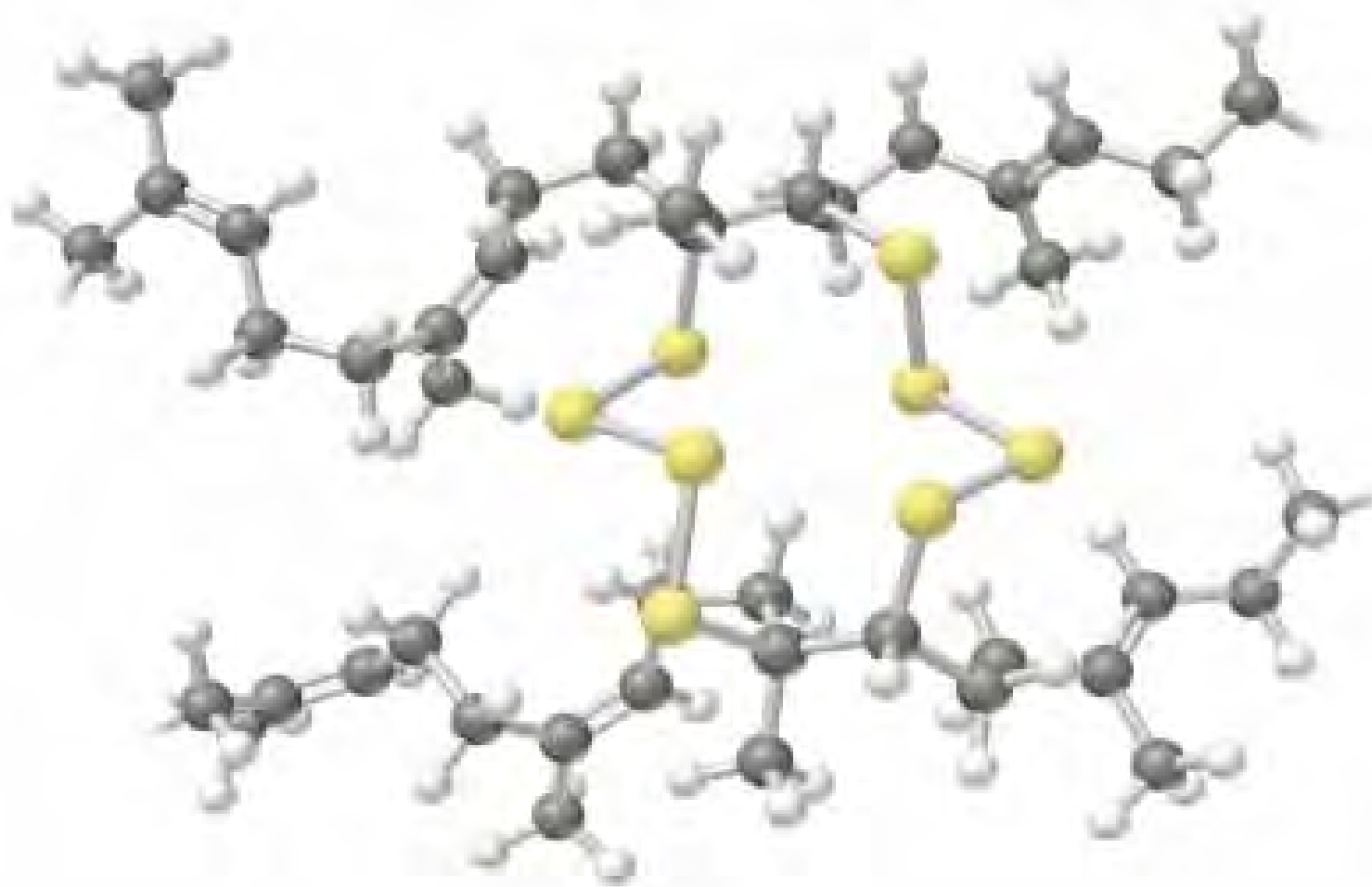
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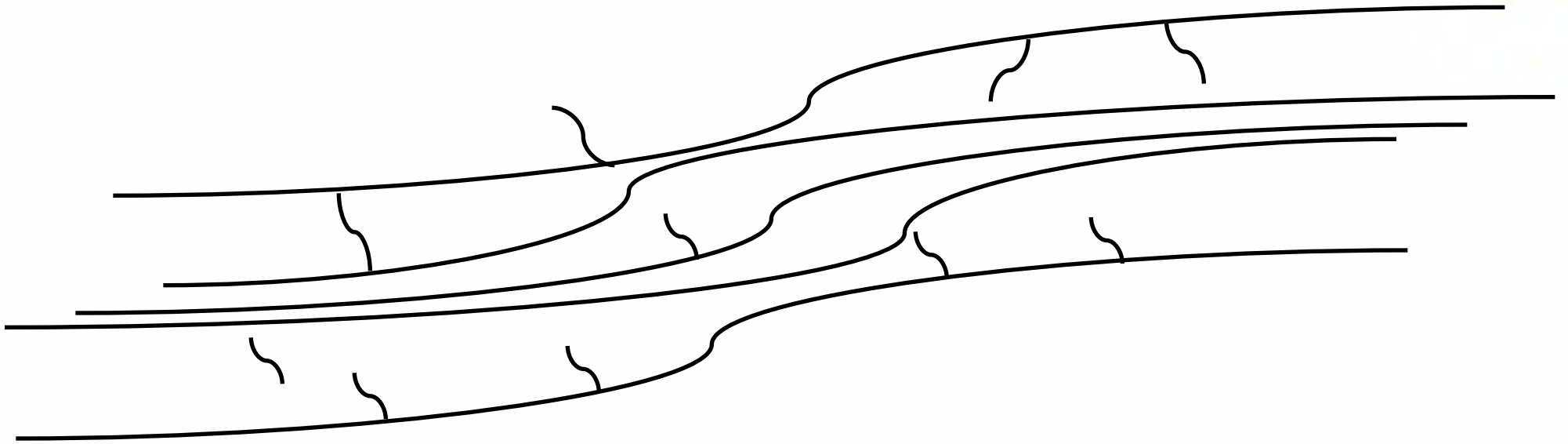
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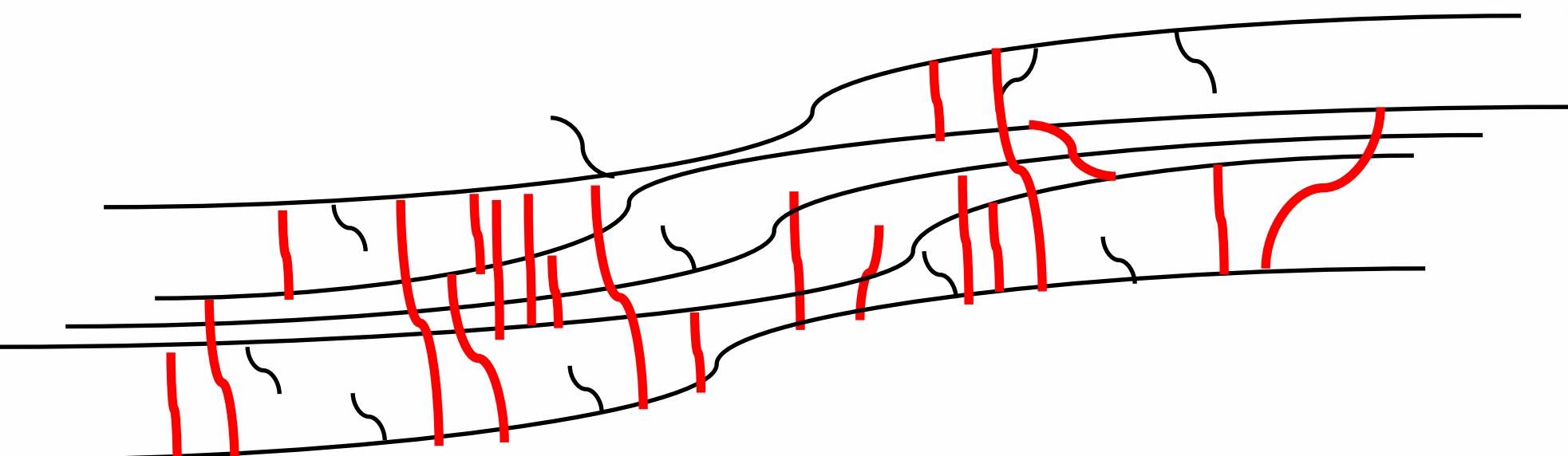
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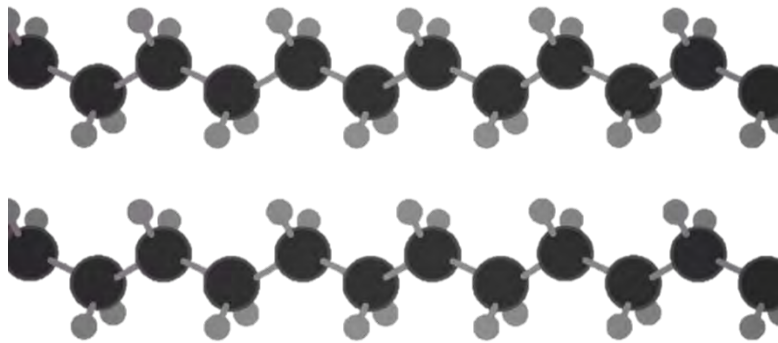


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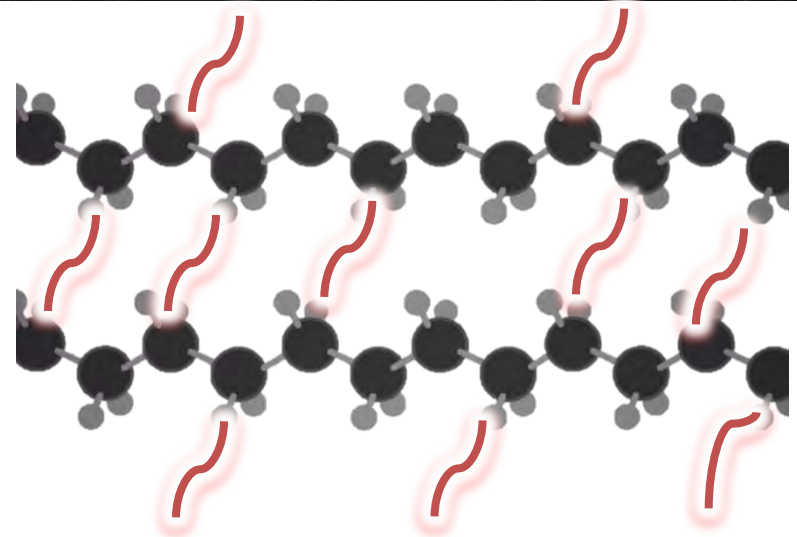
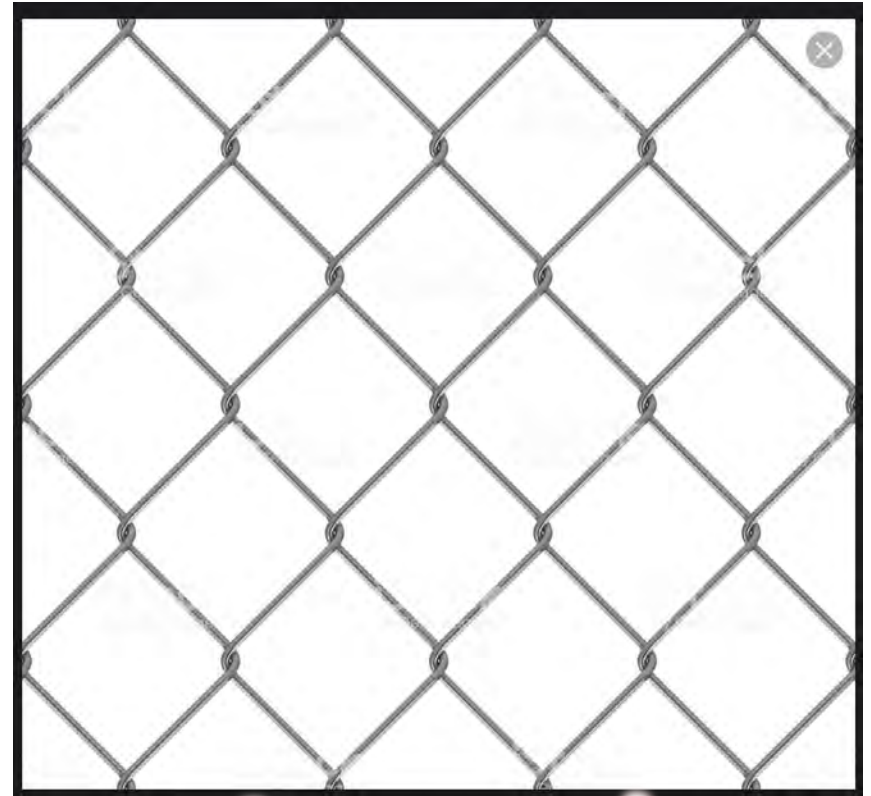


HDXLPE

HDPE



XLPE



Safety Simplified

HDPE Tank



HDXLPE Tank





Gel Test for XLPE

ASTM D 1998 additional test



- Solution of Cyanox2246 and xylene
- Weight before and after gives gel %
- Must be 60% or greater at the inner most 1/8" of the tank wall.

- Crosslinked HD Polyethylene

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FRP Tank Process



Seamless & Stress Free



FRP

Inner Surface Resin Rich (90%) Layer (0.015 to 0.03 inches thick) with two layers of surfacing veil

Interior Layer made up of resin (75%) reinforced with chopped glass fiber (0.1 inches minimum thickness)

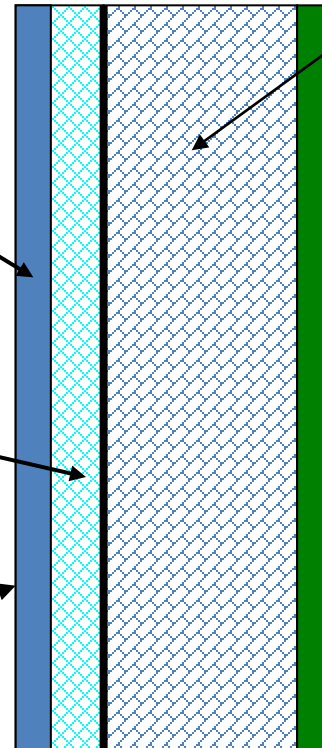
Inside Surface

Combined Corrosion Resistance (0.115 inches minimum thickness)
(Glass content 27% +/- 5%)

Structural Layer with resin content between 45% and 70%

Resin rich exterior layer with UV inhibitors

Structural reinforcement



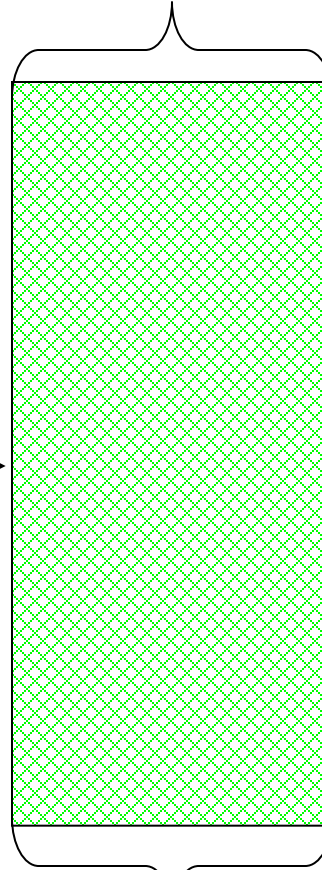
XLPE

Structural Layer

**Inside
Surface**



**Exterior
Surface**



**Corrosion Resistance
(0.1875 to 1.50 inches
based on tank size & SPG)**

Construction

- Seamed
 - FRP
 - Steel
- Seamless
 - Polyethylene



Quality Assurance

- Real-time monitoring for optimal finished product
- Records & stores data for each tank
- Ensures consistency



Consistent and Reliable ASTM D 1998



**Wall
Thickness**

Hydro Test



Impact Test

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OR-1000™ Systems

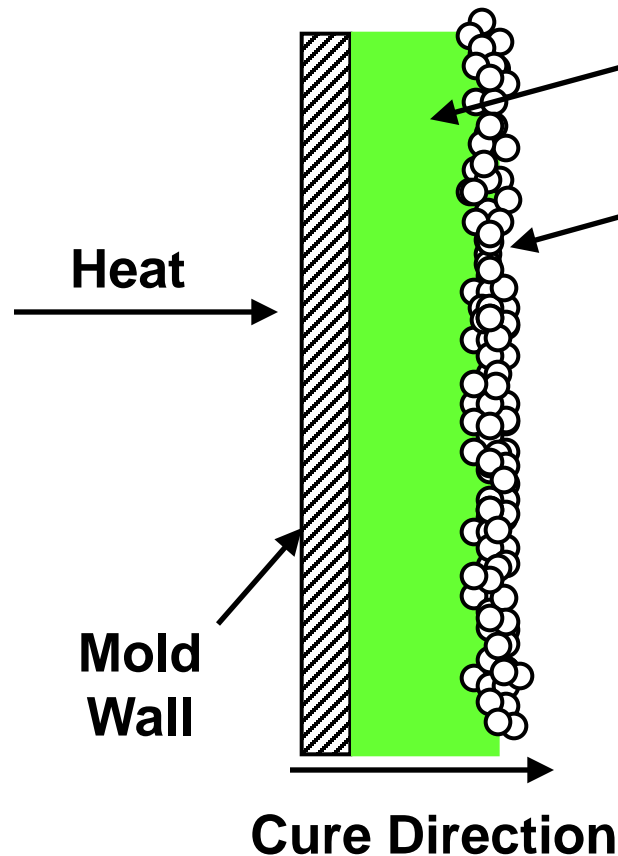
- **Strong Oxidizer Applications**
 - Sulfuric Acid
 - Sodium Hypochlorite
- **Bonds to Crosslink**
- **4 Times Standard Anti-Oxidants**
- **NSF/ANSI 61 CERTIFIED for 35 Chemicals**
- **FDA Compliant**



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NSF/ANSI 61

OR-1000™ /XLPE Bonding

Achieving a homogenous transition between the two layers



1. At cure, 95% of the XLPE has Crosslinked & transformed from powder to a semi- solid.
2. OR-1000™ is introduced, the remaining XLPE powder mixes with the OR-1000™ resin.
3. Tackiness of semi-solid XLPE material provides a coating effect on deposited OR-1000™ inner surface.
4. XLPE and the OR-1000™ system are essentially PE material and posses conditions for Crosslinking to occur.
5. The randomness of the X-linking creates covalent bonds between XLPE & OR-1000™ insuring proper bonding & compatibility.
6. With time/heat, all powder is cured creating a continuous & compatible solid cross-section.

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IMFO Simple Design

- Full Drain
- Seamless
- One-Piece



IMFO System

- **No Sidewall Penetrations**
- **Avoids Confined-Space Entry**
- **Prevent Sludge Build-Up**
- **Easy Clean**
- **External Fitting Access**



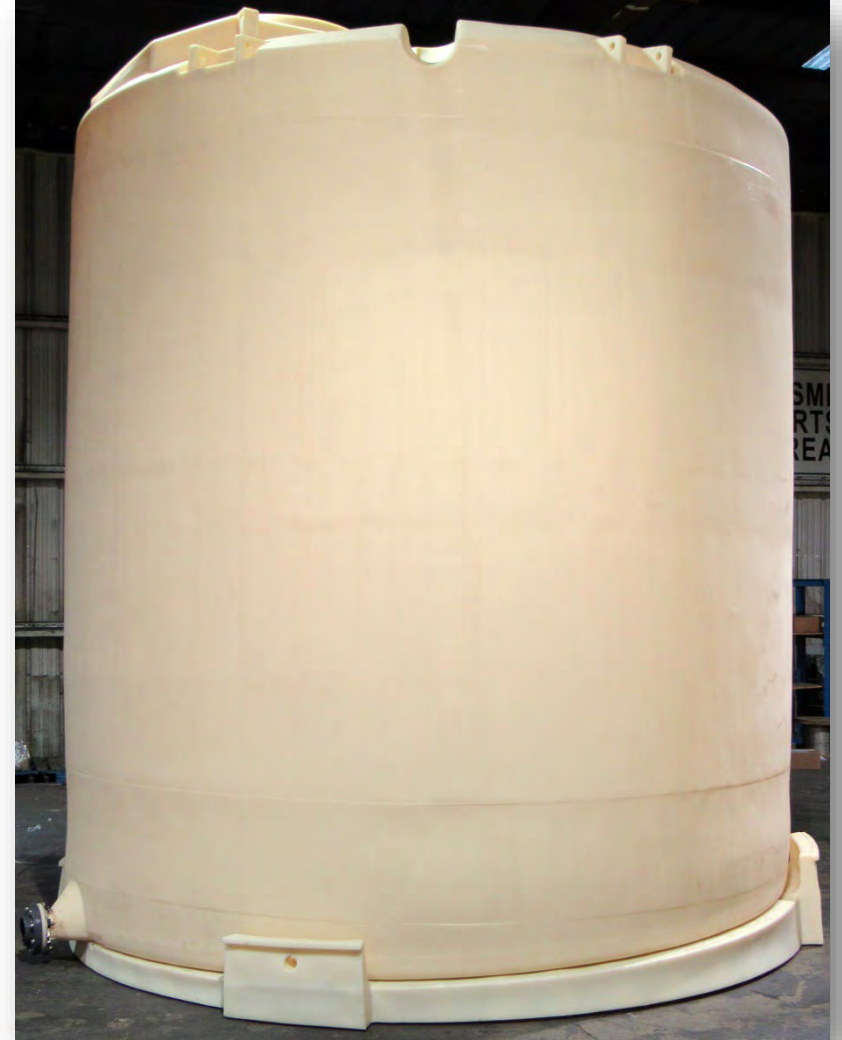
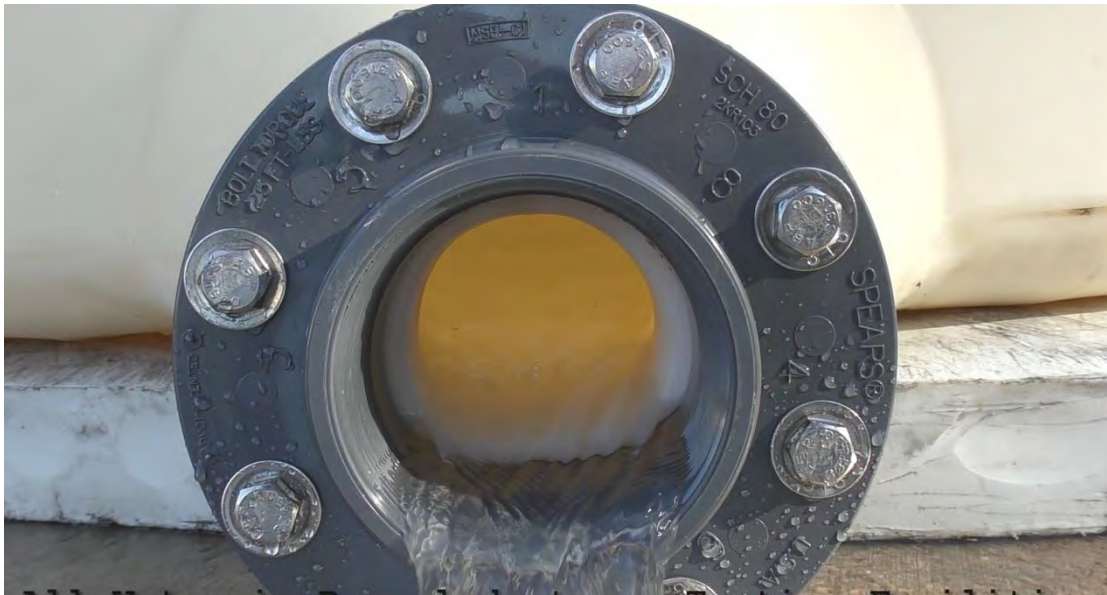
Tangible Safety

- Easy Clean-Clean From The Top
 - External Fitting Access
 - Avoid Confined-Space Entry



Sloped Bottom IMFO Tank

- Industry leading molded-in full drain technology
- Sloped floor for maximum discharge





IMFO



FRP Added Fitting

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Environmental Care Simplified

SAFE-Tank[®]

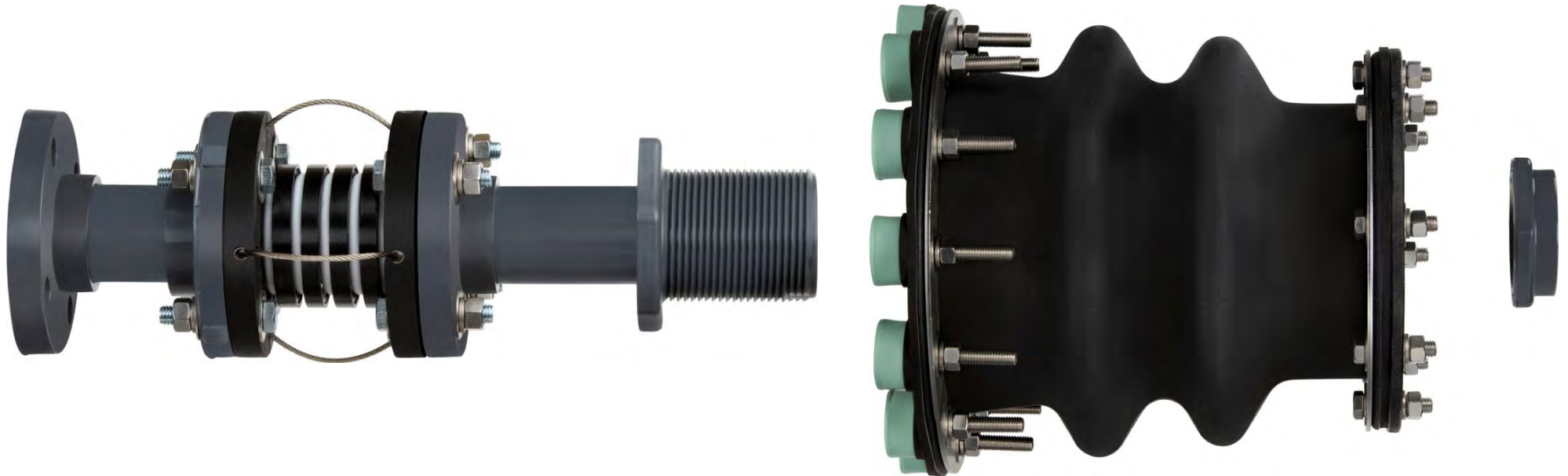


Leveraged Investment

- **Employee/Equipment Protection**
- **Minimal Downtime**
- **Eliminates Expensive Concrete Containment**

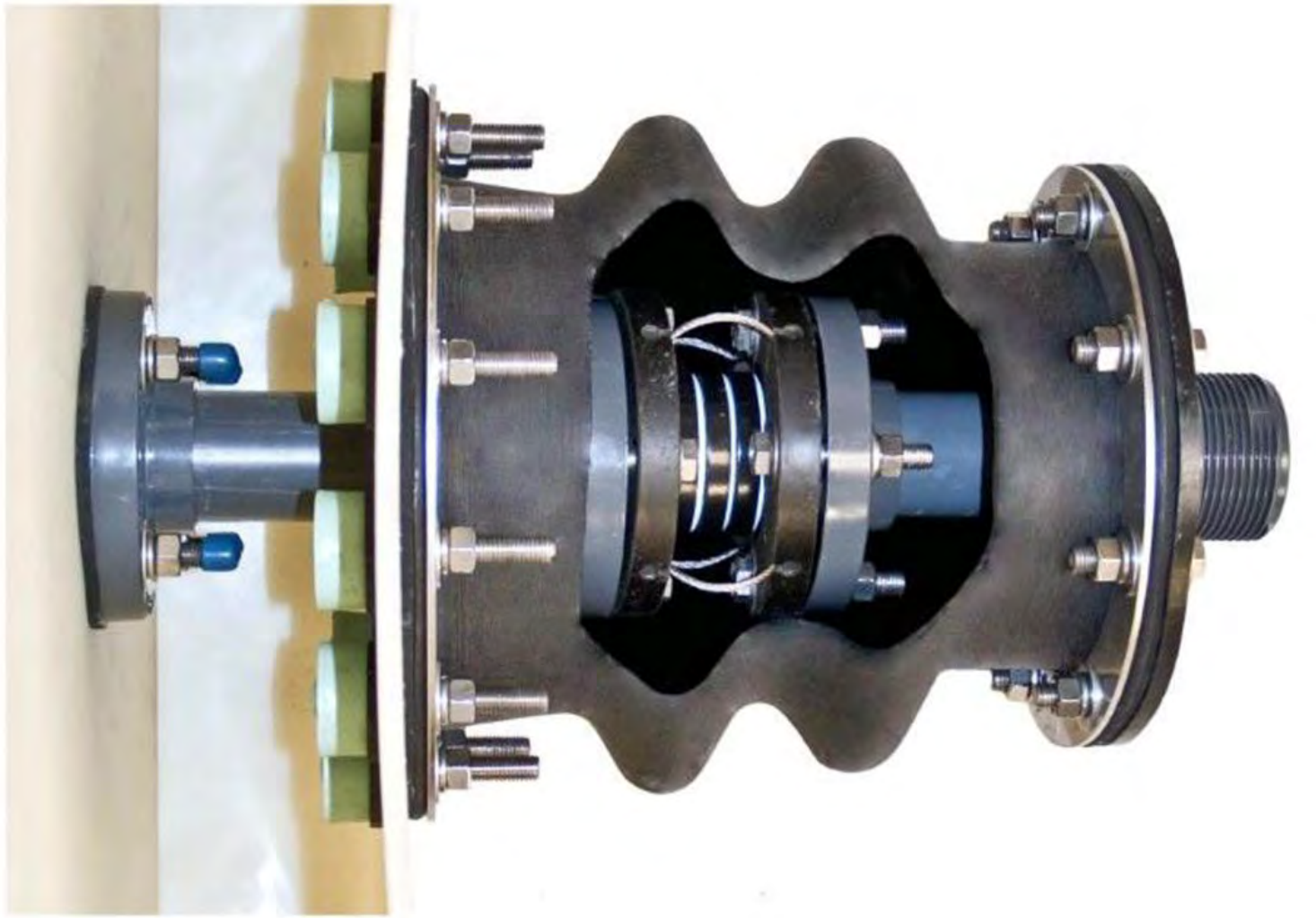


Enhanced Bellows Transition Fitting



- **100% Chemical Containment**
- **Maintenance Friendly**

Enhanced Bellows Transition Fitting



Installed

Insure Dual-Wall Containment Fitting is “Contained”



Double Wall Piping



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DO NOT REDUCE/RESTRICT VENTING

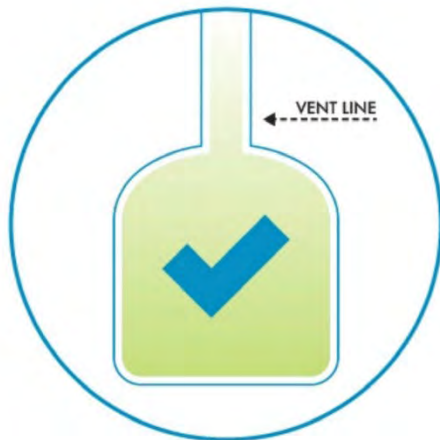
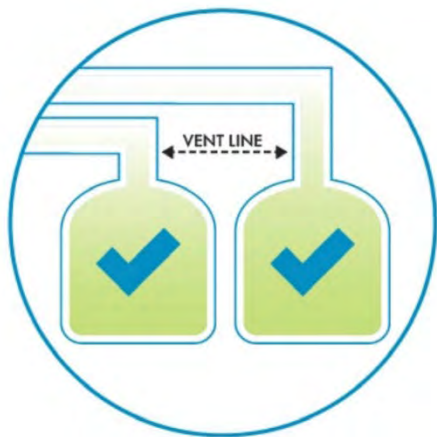
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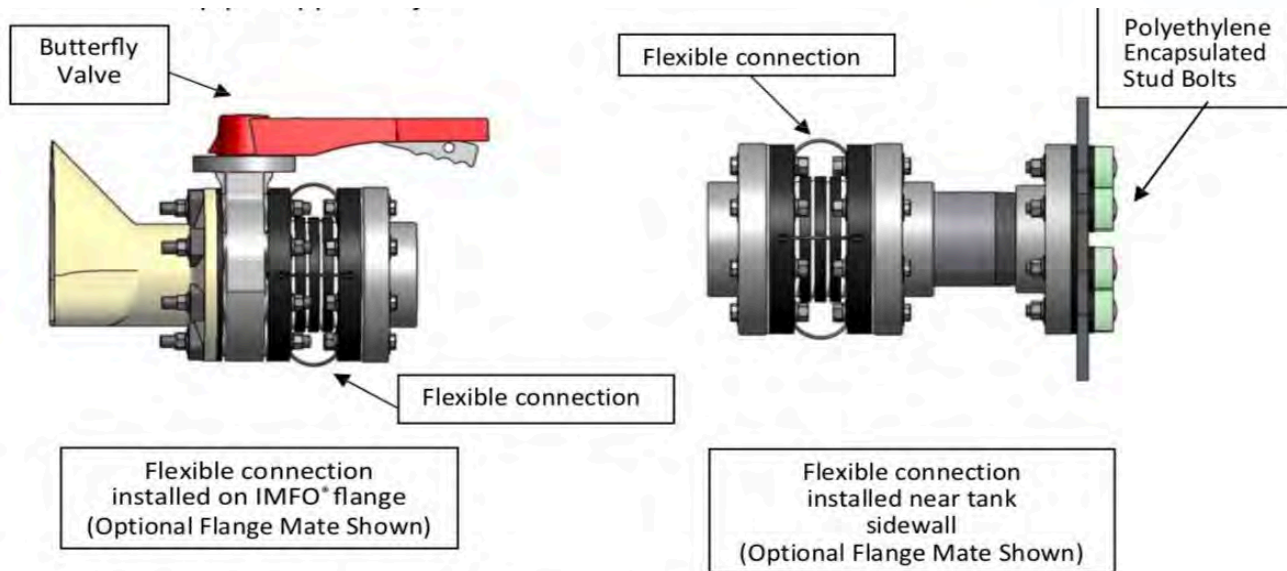
- Tank failure...
- Serious injury or death

Need Help?

PPC Installation Manual
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800-523-9871

Mechanical Pump Fill	Pneumatic Fill								
IF ≤ 1,000 gallons	IF – Vent length ≤ 3'			IF – Vent length > 3' and ≤ 30'			IF – Scrubber application		
✓ Vent size should equal size of largest fill or discharge fitting	✓ Maintain vent screen mesh size ≥ 1/4" or no screen used			✓ 3 or less 90° elbows with no other restrictions or reduction in pipe size			✓ Vent pipe size throughout scrubber system CANNOT be reduced!		
	✓ Emergency Pressure Relief Cover Required IF > 1,000 gallons			✓ Emergency Pressure Relief Cover Required IF > 1,000 gallons			✓ Centerline of dispersion pipe not to be submersed > 6"		
IF > 1,000 gallons	Tanker Discharge	Inlet/Fitting Size	Minimum Vent Size	Tanker Discharge	Inlet/Fitting Size	Minimum Vent Size	Tanker Discharge	Inlet/Fitting Size	Minimum Vent Size
✓ Vent size should exceed the largest fill or discharge fitting by 1"	2"	2"	4"	2"	2"	6"	2"	2"	6"
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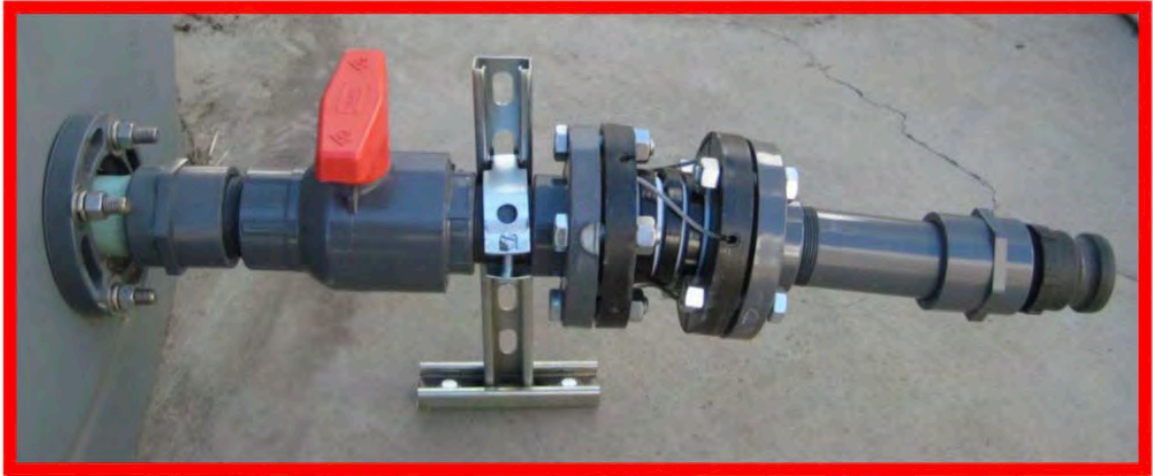
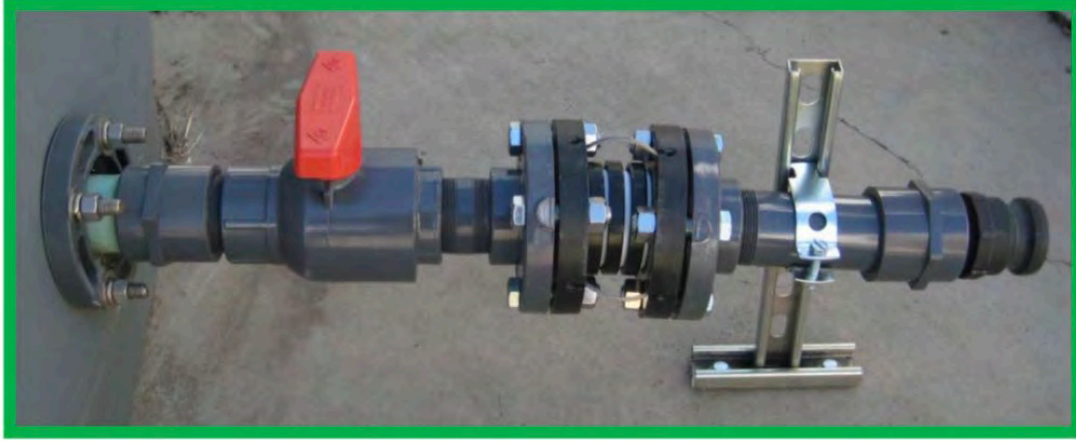




Flexible Connection Minimum Specifications:

- Axial Compression $\geq 0.67''$
- Axial Extension $\geq 0.67''$
- Lateral Deflection $\geq 0.51''$
- Angular Deflection $\geq 14^\circ$
- Torsional Rotation $\geq 4^\circ$





NSF/ANSI Standard 60: Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals

- *Requirements for chemicals that are used to treat drinking water.*

NSF/ANSI Standard 61: Drinking Water System Components

- *Requirements for all devices, components and materials that come into contact with drinking water.*



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Acetic Acid $\leq 80\%$

Aluminum Chlorohydrate

Aluminum Sulfate $\leq 50\%$

Calcium Carbonate

Calcium Chloride $\leq 30\%$

Chlorine Dioxide $\leq 38\%$

Citric Acid

Copper Sulfate $\leq 25\%$

De-ionized Water

Ferric Chloride $\leq 50\%$

Ferric Sulfate $\leq 60\%$

Ferrous Chloride $\leq 37\%$

Ferrous Sulfate $\leq 30\%$

Hydrochloric Acid $\leq 37\%$

Hydrofluoric Acid $\leq 52\%$

Hydrofluorosilicic Acid $\leq 30\%$

Hydrogen Peroxide $\leq 10\%$

Liq. Ammonium Sulfate $\leq 45\%$

Magnesium Chloride $\leq 35\%$



Peracetic Acid 10%

Phosphoric Acid $\leq 75\%$

Poly Alum. Chloride

Polyorthophosphate

Potable Water

Potassium Hydroxide $\leq 50\%$

Potassium Permanganate $\leq 4\%$

Sodium Aluminate

Sodium Bisulfite $\leq 40\%$

Sodium Carbonate $\leq 85\%$

Sodium Chloride $\leq 26\%$

Sodium Chlorite $\leq 34\%$

Sodium Hydroxide $\leq 50\%$

Sodium Hypochlorite $\leq 15\%$

Sodium Hypochlorite $\leq .8\%$

Sodium Permanganate $\leq 40\%$

Sodium Silicate

Sulfuric Acid $\leq 98\%$

Zinc Orthophosphate



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We take a closer look at the useful life of a chemical storage tank and what a warranty really means to the customer.

For more than 40 years, Poly Processing Company has helped customers solve problems associated with storing hazardous chemicals.

We have specialized in providing hazardous chemical storage tank solutions to the industrial, water, and wastewater markets. While we manufacture both crosslinked and linear polyethylene storage tanks, in hazardous chemical environments, crosslinked polyethylene is the material of choice.

Our customers report that crosslinked polyethylene tanks provide 15 to 20+ years of service in many applications. However, there are several [factors and variables that have an effect on the useful life of any chemical storage tank](#), including the polyethylene used in the tank design.

The Effects of Chemical, Concentration and Temperature on Tank Life

The chemical, its weight and concentration, and [operating temperature](#) are all factors influencing the life expectancy of a polyethylene tank. For example, high concentrations of sulfuric acid are

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TANK CONFIGURATOR

Find the recommended tank and system components for your chemical storage challenge.



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Helping Our Customers...

- ***Smart Solutions for Chemical Storage***
- ***Safety made Easy***
- ***Tangible Value***



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