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## Unified Command

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# 2020 Valdez Marine Terminal Admin Sump Incident Update

<b>Injuries/Incidents</b>	0 reported
<b>Barrels of oily water recovered</b>	1155 barrels (48,510 gal.)
<b>Total metered oil</b>	590 gal.
<b>Spill contained by boom?</b>	Yes
<b>Responders</b>	~240
<b>New wildlife impacts</b>	0
<b>Vessels of opportunity</b>	13
<b>Numerous excavations ongoing to determine flow path</b>	

The source of the spill, isolated and secured on Monday, April 13, was a sump located about a quarter-mile uphill from the Valdez Marine Terminal small boat harbor. On water, recovery efforts continue, and the impacted area has decreased by more than two-thirds. Excavations are underway on land to find the flow path from the sump to the harbor. A pipe carrying snow melt and rain water was identified as the outflow of the spill, and a system is now in place to remove the sheen before the water enters the harbor.

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