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Subject:	Radiograph requirements at openings
Background:	We are constructing a tank made of 316L 3/16" steel with a joint efficiency of 0.70. The tank is exempt from radiograph requirements as specified by Table S.4. The tank has a manway placed with the neck going through a horizontal shell seam and the reinforcing pad covering the horizontal and a vertical shell weld.
Question:	Is it required to radiograph the butt-welded shell joint as specified in 5.7.3.4 where a manway neck crosses through a shell seam, or a reinforcing pad is overlapping a shell seam if the tank is exempt from radiograph requirements as specified in Table S.4?
DGM question restatement	In a stainless steel tank, is it required to radiograph the butt-welded shell joint as specified in 5.7.3.4 where an opening crosses through a shell seam, or a reinforcing pad is overlapping a shell seam given that a shell seam joint efficiency of 0.70 is used so that Table S.4 indicates "No radiography required"?
Draft reply	<i>1. Yes. There is nothing in Annex S superceding section 5.7.3.4</i>
Need agenda item?	No