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Subject:	Shell-to-Bottom Fillet weld - Scope of NDE
Background:	API 650: 7.3.3 Examination and Testing of the Tank Bottom telling about the test upon completion of the tank bottom. Is mention about all welds. 7.2.4 Shell-to-Bottom Welds mention mandatory tests on the initial pass.
Question:	My question is if: Corner weld between shell-to-bottom belongs to the bottom part and point 7.3.3 is applicable for shell-to-bottom welds also or not?
DGM question restatement	<a href="#">Are the examination requirements of 7.3.3 applicable to the shell-to-bottom welds?</a>
Draft reply	<a href="#">No, examinations of the shell-to-bottom welds are covered in 7.2.4.</a>
Need agenda item?	<b>No</b>