

## **Inspector Certification Programs**

The Fiberglass Reinforced Plastics Institute ("FRPI") certifies Inspector's knowledge, experience and capabilities in accordance with various comprehensive certification programs. The following are current programs available, under which inspectors may claim bonafide qualifications:

CERTIFICATION #	DESCRIPTION	MORE INFO LINKS
SP8310 In and Out of Service Tank Inspection	FRPI 8310 Inspectors are certified and licensed to perform inspection of aboveground chemical bulk storage tanks that are in operation and either in or out of service. These inspectors have purchased FRPI inspection manual, undergone a detailed personal and employer written prequalification submittal vetting process based on specific minimum criteria required to be eligible to sit a certification exam, most likely participated in supporting education courses, passed written certification exam and signed a licensing agreement with FRPI. Certified inspectors holding a badge in good standing have entered into a licensing agreement with FRPI governing their performance obligations with regards to their use of FRPI Certified mark shown on the face of their badge. These obligations include but are not limited to performing the duties under SP8310 they claim compliance with, restrictions on use of the mark, ethical practices and liability protection. FRPI 8310 Inspectors are also FRPI 8210 Inspectors. Significant portions of the inspection manual and course topics also apply to the inspection of pressure vessels, process piping, ductwork, odor and air pollution control vessels, underground storage tanks plus other related process equipment. FRPI 8310 Inspector Employers listed on the FRPI website have also entered into a licensing agreement with FRPI governing performance obligations with regards to their management of FRPI 8310 Inspectors and certification mark use.	FRP Inspector Certification TracksInspection Manual PreviewEducation CoursesWhat is SP9000
SP8210 Tank Installation Inspection	FRPI 8210 Inspectors are certified to perform inspection of new aboveground chemical bulk storage tanks plus odor and air pollution control vessel installations required for FRPI SP9000 certified manufacturers under FRPI SP9100. These inspectors have purchased FRPI inspection manual, participated in a supporting education course, passed a written exam and perform inspections as an agent of the manufacturer. Certified inspectors holding a badge in good standing have entered into agreement with FRPI governing their performance obligations with regards to their role in SP9000 and SP9100 inspections. Significant portions of the inspection manual also apply to the inspection of pressure vessels, process piping, ductwork, odor and air pollution control vessels, underground storage tanks plus other related process equipment.	<u>What is SP9100</u>