

# Taking Stock

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Hurricane Harvey has made an unfortunate impact on the U.S. Gulf Coast base stocks industry. While a safe recovery is paramount and will take some time, we remain committed to meeting your base stock needs. To learn more about our efforts in re-establishing normal operations and replenishing inventory, please check our [Hurricane Harvey updates](#).

## Parallel perspectives with Rick Dougherty and Amr Abou Eita



Watch our new video series “Parallel perspectives,” which features two experts weighing in on one industry topic. In our first video, Rick Dougherty and Amr Abou Eita discuss how we’re meeting stringent automotive oil specifications around the world.



Articles – October 2017

### The rise of Group II

Dive deeper into the global trends of the base stock market with *Infineum Insights*, and discover the drivers behind investments in increased Group II capacity.

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### The role of Group II base stocks in Europe

Explore our three core insights on local Group II supply in Europe in this *LUBE Magazine* article with ExxonMobil’s Ted Walko.

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Ask the expert

### We want your questions

Join the discussion all month long on *Lubes’N’Greases*, where we’ll help answer your questions about challenges in managing global base stock expansion projects.

[Ask now](#)



Save the date

### 13th ICIS Pan-American Conference

Join us for our presentation on establishing base stock interchange guidelines, and be sure to stop by our booth to discover how we can meet your unique business needs.

[Register now](#)



In the spotlight

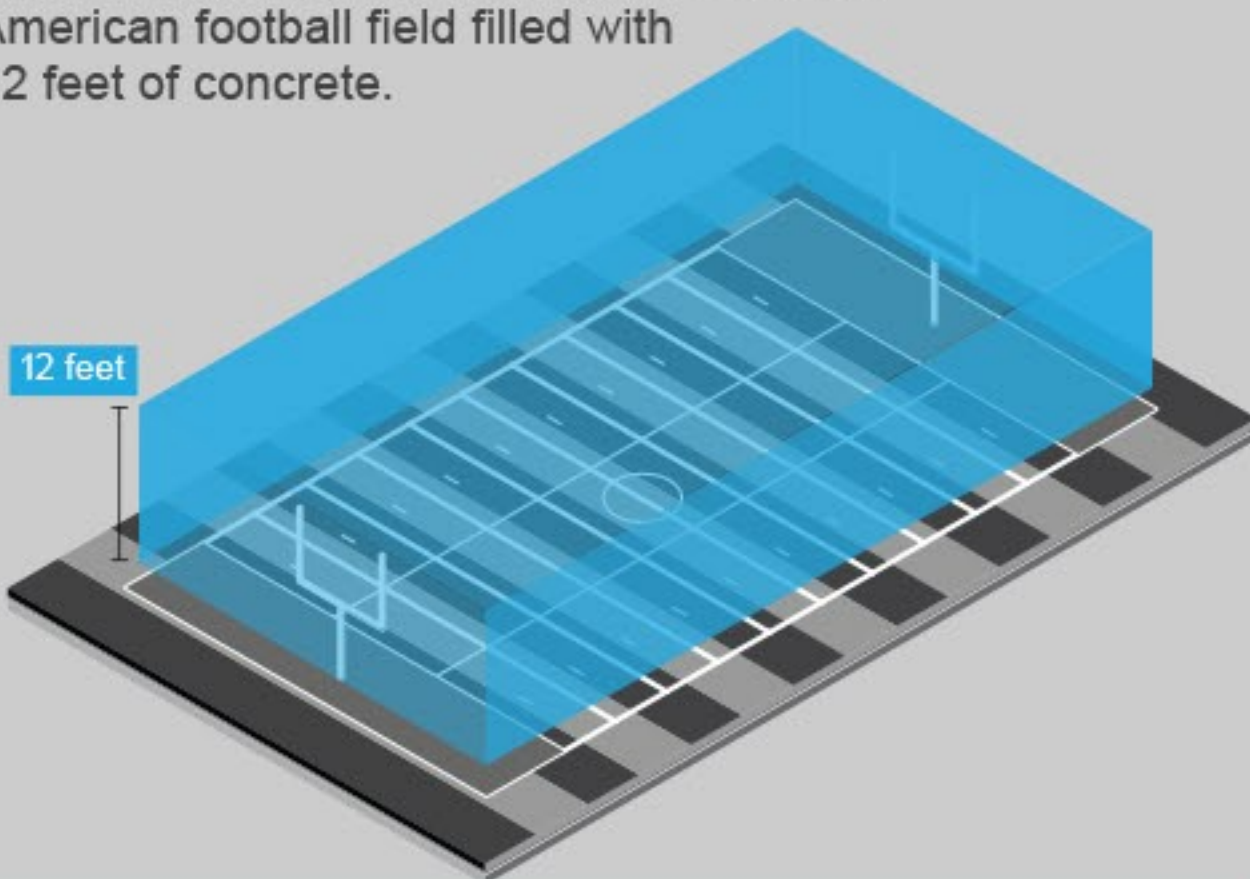
### Meet Julia Ruessmann and Rolando Garcia

Watch our new behind-the-scenes video series “In the spotlight” for our employees’ unique experiences and insights on our Rotterdam expansion project.

[Watch now](#)

#### Rotterdam at a glance

The foundation of the new hydrocracker spans 20,000 cubic yards. That’s equivalent to an American football field filled with 12 feet of concrete.



Source: Rotterdam refinery harnesses technology and opportunity, *The Lamp*, (Issue No. 1, 2017)

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