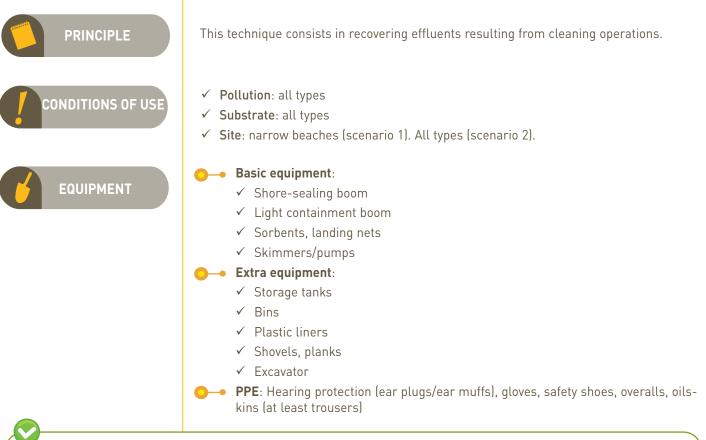


## **RECOVERY OF EFFLUENTS**



The recovery phase should be defined and the system put in place before the cleanup phase.

## Scenario 1: recovery of effluents on the water surface

- ✓ Contain oil with a floating boom attached to the shore, set up in a U-shaped configuration
- Recover by absorption or pumping from the shore, depending on the volume of pollutant
- ✓ The size of the system will depend on the volume of pollutant and the size of the worksite
- Recovery of effluents on the water surface should only be considered for narrow beaches.

## Scenario 2: recovery of effluents on the foreshore

- Create pumping/skimming points using shoresealing boom, sand berms or small trenches
- ✓ Channel the effluents towards the lower foreshore using trenches (protected with plastic liners) and planks set up in a V-shaped configuration
- Concentrate the effluents at pumping/skimming points
- Recover by absorption or pumping, depending on the volume of pollutant.

Left: Collection of effluents using 'lousses' (salt worker tools)

Right: Recovery of effluents on a trench at the foot of riprap





