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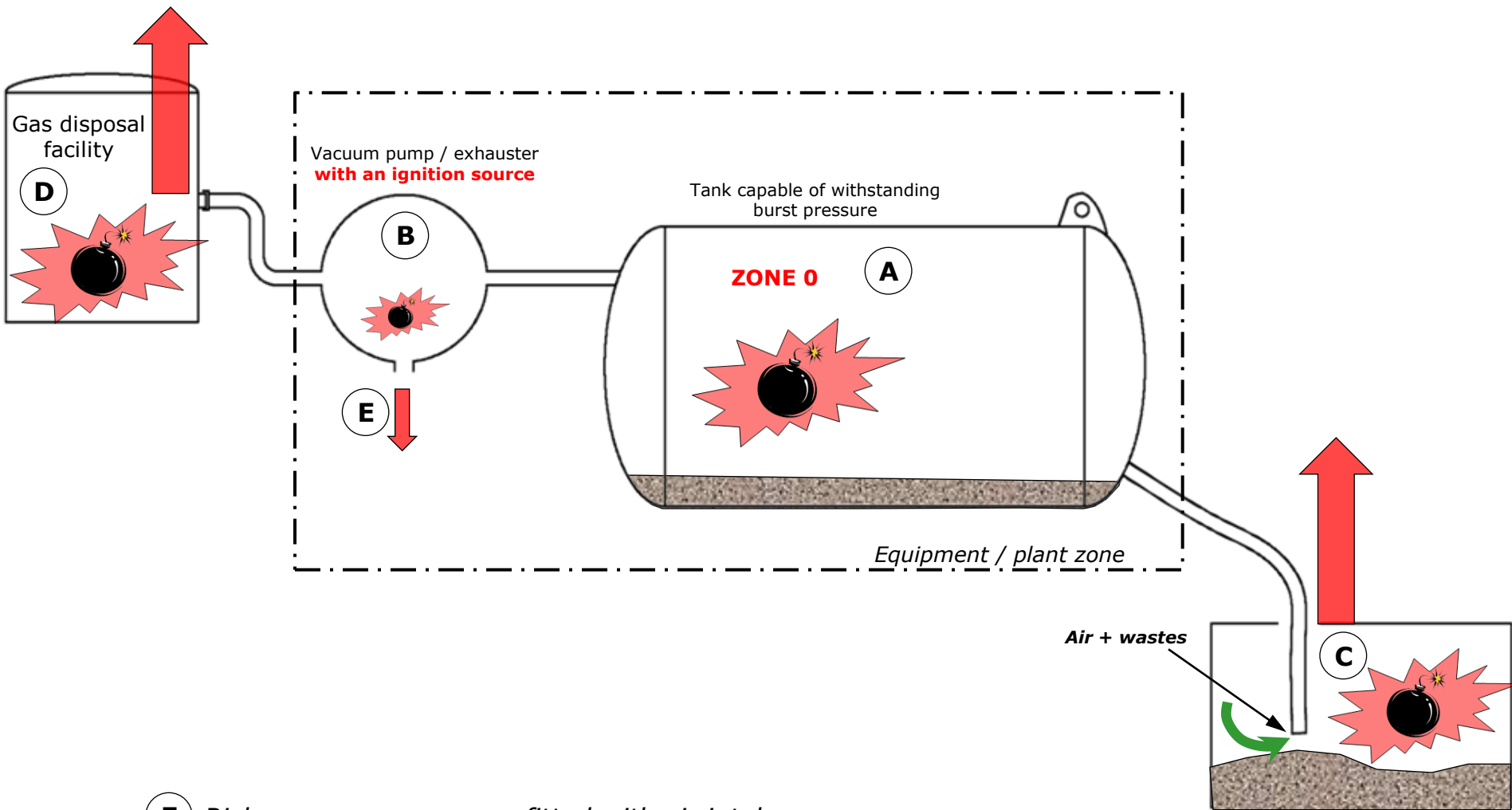
Tanks

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Vacuum-operated waste tanks

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POTENTIAL RISKS WHEN USING A VACUUM PUMP WITH AN IGNITION SOURCE, WITHOUT ANY ADDITIONAL DEVICE, DURING PUMPING OPERATIONS OF FLAMMABLE PRODUCTS WITH A FLASH POINT BELOW 60°C



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