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# BELZONA PREPARES VERTICAL PUMP FOR ACID SERVICE

# **CUSTOMER**

Refinery, Canada

#### **APPLICATION DATE**

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# **APPLICATION SITUATION**

Vertical pumps to handle sulfuric acid

#### **PROBLEM**

Chemical attack inside volute and on the impeller.

#### **PRODUCTS**

Belzona® 1111 (Supermetal) Belzona® 4311 (Magma CR1)

# **SUBSTRATE**

Cast Iron

#### **APPLICATION METHOD**

Application was caried out in accordance with Belzona System leaflet CEP-3.

# **BELZONA FACTS**

Belzonas solution for acid pumps was originally tested in 1998 on a vertical pump in contact with 93% sufuric acid. Very satisfiying results led to 5 identical pumps 4 years later being protected. Belzona 4311, designed to withstand immersion in such agressive chemicals, once more proved that it is a very cost effective maintenance solution for equipement.

#### **PICTURES**

- 1. Original pump after 5 years
- 2. The volute after surface preparation
- 3. The volute after coating with Belzona® 4311
- 4. The impeller protected with Belzona® 4311









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