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# TANK BASE SEALING WITH BELZONA

#### **CUSTOMER**

Oil Production Company, North East Scotland

# APPLICATION DATE

October 2005

## **APPLICATION SITUATION**

108m diameter oil storage tank

#### **PROBLEM**

Water was penetrating under the annular ring leading to a corrosion

#### **PRODUCTS**

Belzona® 4131 (Magma Screed) Belzona® 3131 (WG Membrane)

#### **SUBSTRATE**

Carbon Steel & Concrete

#### **APPLICATION METHOD**

Application was carried out in accordance with Belzona Know-How System Leaflet GSS-3. Damaged areas of the concrete base were repaired with Belzona® 4131 prior to the full circumference of the base being sealed with a fully reinforced Belzona® 3131 system.

## **BELZONA FACTS**

The original plan was to inject a silicon type sealer around the tank base or a bitumastic coating but these were known to only offer temporary seal. The Belzona tank baser sealing system has a proven track record and this tank was found to be in perfect condition when inspected in 2012.

#### **PICTURES**

- 1. The oil storage tank
- 2. Belzona® 3131 applied
- 3. Close view of Belzona® 3131 system
- 4. Belzona 3131 inspected in 2012 still in perfect condtion









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