# BELZONA SAVES THE BULL GEAR

### **CUSTOMER**

N.E. Washington, USA

## **APPLICATION DATE**

November 2014

#### **APPLICATION SITUATION**

Ore processing Ball Mill bull gear.

#### **PROBLEM**

The gears on this Ball Mill bull gear were experiencing erosion and pitting.

#### **PRODUCTS**

Belzona 1111 (Super Metal) Belzona 1321 (Ceramic S-Metal)

### **SUBSTRATE**

Steel

#### APPLICATION METHOD

The application area was thoroughly cleaned with solvent and then grit blasted to prepare the surface. All erosion damage was filled in with Belzona 1111 and followed with a brush on coating of Belzona 1321 to protect against further damage.

#### **BELZONA FACTS**

If unchecked, the erosion damage could have weakened the bull gear, forcing the need to replace it. There are a total of 5 of these gears with damage and they were manufactured in the 1960's. The replacement cost is estimated at \$150,000.00 USD each and roughly 3 months to have them made. This Belzona repair was handled in a couple days by one person and used less than \$150.00 USD in material.

## **PICTURES**

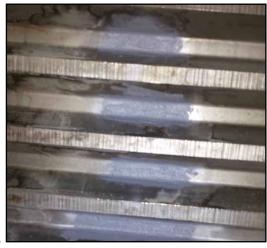
- 1. 1 of 5 Ball Mills.
- 2. Erosion damage cleaned and grit blasted.
- 3. Application of Belzona 1111.
- 4. Application of Belzona 1321.



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