BELZONA PROVIDES A SECOND LIFE TO THIS COOLING TOWER

CUSTOMER

Metal processing plant, France

APPLICATION DATE

May 2018

APPLICATION SITUATION

Heat Exchanger - acid cooling tower. Operating pressure of 1 bar and temperature between 30 and 50C.

PROBLEM

External corrosion leading to significant wall thinning and localised through wall defects.

PRODUCTS

Belzona 1221 (Super E-Metal) Belzona 1121 (Super XL-Metal) Belzona 5811 (Immersion Grade)

SUBSTRATE

Carbon Steel

APPLICATION METHOD

Application was carried out in accordance with Belzona Know-How System Leaflet TCC-5.

BELZONA FACTS

Two towers were suffering from the same problem at the same time: through wall defects due to corrosion. The customer had one spare ready (costing 90,000€) but could not afford to wait for a replacement one being given the 8 months lead time. The Belzona repair was completed in 4 days by a team of 3 technicians. The tower was put back in service within 72 hours. The Belzona repair (products + application) did cost one-third of the replacement cost (30,000€).

PICTURES

- 1. The cold bonding of metal plate to patch up thin areas
- 2. Wrap in progress
- 3. Wrap completed
- 4. Coating for further corrosion protection









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