# **BELZONA REPAIRS CORN WEAR**

ID: 1237

Industry: General Industry Customer Location: Corn Processing Plant, West Tennessee

Application: SHM-Solids Handling Machinery Application Date: 2007

Substrate: Stainless steel

Products: \* Belzona® 1812 (Ceramic Carbide FP),

\* Belzona® 1221 (Super E-Metal),

#### **Problem**

Ceramic tiles had fallen out of the vacuum system exposing the Stainless steel substrate. The corn being pulled through system quickly wore a hole through the steel causing loss of vacuum and stoppage of the unloading facility.







## **Photograph Descriptions**

- \* The hole in the Vacuum system prior to repair,
- \* External repair of hole with Belzna® 1221 bonded plate,
- \* Interal repair with Belzona® 1812 applied,

## **Application Situation**

Vacuum system is used to unload barges of corn for delivery to the processing facility.

#### **Application Method**

Application was carried out in accordance with Belzona Know-How System Leaflet SHM-13. A metal plate was bonded to the exterior with Belzona® 1221 prior to rebuilding the lost tile areas with Belzona® 1812.

# **Belzona Facts**

With this vacuum system down the corn could not be unloaded from barges and a replacment for this damaged section would have been months away. The Belzona solution offered a quick turn-around allowing barges to once again be unloaded and the plant to continue un-interupted production.

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