# BELZONA PROTECTS ELECTROLYTE RECIRCULATION TANKS

ID: 4933

Industry: Mining & Quarrying Customer Location: Copper Mine, Arizona

Application: TCC-Tanks and Chemical Containment Application Date: 2011 - 2012

Areas

Substrate: Stainless Steel

Products: \* Belzona 4341 (Magma CR4),

Problem

Electrolysis combined with chemical attack and metal fatigue were causing leaking at the weld seams of the tanks.









## **Photograph Descriptions**

- \* Overview of the electrolyte recirculation tank,
- ${}^{*}$  Tank leaking and deteriorating the concrete containment area ,
- \* Interior tank walls prior to coating,
- \* Interior tank walls following Belzona 4341 application,

## **Application Situation**

Copper sulfate (electrolyte) storage tanks experiencing leakage due to sulfuric acid attack at 120 °F.

## **Application Method**

The application has been completed in two tanks in accordance with Belzona Know-How System Leaflet TCC-3. The first one was

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carried out with paint brushes & rollers, and the second one was installed with spray application.

## **Belzona Facts**

The tanks had been experiencing leakage for years with the subsequent loss of product/copper sulfate as well as the extreme damages which were taking place on the concrete containment area surrounding the tanks.

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