

Potable Water Tank Repaired with Belzona Composite Patch Stands the Test of Time

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Industry: Oil & Gas Customer Location: Gulf of Mexico, USA

Application: TCC-Tanks and Chemical Containment Application Date: February 2017

Areas

Substrate: HDLPE

Products: * Belzona 1111 (Super Metal),

* Belzona 9341 (Reinforcement Tape) ,

* Belzona 9111 (Cleaner/Degreaser),

Problem

UV Damage and possible loading forces to the HDLPE polymer tank resulted in a hairline crack above a 4" flange. Replacement of the tank was several years away still and the repair method had to be compliant with potable water standards.









Photograph Descriptions

- * 1. Potable water tank overview,
- * 2. Location of the leak (a tiny wisp of water pushing out),
- * 3. Belzona composite patch repair completed,
- * 4. Belzona composite patch repair holding 1 year later,

Application Situation

A hairline crack/leak developed on an HDLPE potable water tank on a major deepwater drilling/production platform.

Application Method

The application was carried out in accordance with Belzona Know-How System Leaflet TCC-1 with a composite patch consisting of

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Belzona Facts

This application is still holding well over a year later, saving this platform from having to complete a costly replacement prior to the scheduled outage. This repair method has become a standard and they keep contingency repair kits on board at all times.