Case Study



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Repair Area

16" Shut Down Valve suffering a through wall defect was sealed with a leak sealing clamp. Clamped area failed and required an immediate solution to avoid oil from seeping through.

A composite repair was engineered to cover all 360° of the clamp to encapsulate the SDV.



2 Filling & Fairing of Anomaly/Defect

- 1. Leak sealing paste injected into clamp to reduce/ stop seepage to allow the repair to be executed.
- 2. Surface prepared to SA 2½ (S clamp and valve).
- 3. Leak Stop putty applied on interface area between the clamp and valve body.
- 4. Clock Spring Contour composite applied to encapsulate the full configuration of the clamp and valve body.



Final repair
Painted area.



6 Design Criteria

| Operating Pressure | : 240PSI |
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| Operating Temperature | : 130°F |
| Defect Type | : Leaks |
| Size | : 16" |
| Material | : Cast Steel for Clamp and A-106 |
| Defect Analysis | : Seepage from the interface area between the clamp and valve body |
| Life time | : 5 Years |