

BELZONA STOPS THAT SINKING FEELING

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PROBLEM

The hull was leaking in several areas of this sand dredge. If the electricity failed when the plant was unattended the vessel could sink into 30 feet of water.

APPLICATION SITUATION

Floating sand dredger

APPLICATION METHOD

Application carried out in accordance with Belzona Know-How System Leaflet SOS-20. Divers placed magnetic sign material over the leaks. This stopped the flow of water while the surface crew dried, cleaned and prepared the area. Belzona® 1111 with Belzona® Reinforcement Tape was applied to the area.

BELZONA FACTS

The only alternatives were to keep pumping water as necessary to prevent sinking or pull the vessel out of the water for conventional repairs. Neither method were acceptable because of loss of revenue and down time.

INDUSTRY

General Industry

LOCATION

Sand Pit Wichita, Kansas

APPLICATION DATE

July 2004

PRODUCTS

Belzona 1111 (Super Metal)

SUBSTRATE

Steel

PHOTOS

1. Leak in the hull
2. Cutting magnetic sign material
3. Divers positioning signs to stem the leak
4. Leak stopped with Belzona 1111

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