Anomaly Detection and Characterization Track

"Linking Inside, Outside and Above Pipe Inspections"

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Qualification - Verification





How to characterize SCC?



Approach (DOT/PRCI SCC 2-8)



- Utilizes an eddy-current based technology to obtain a 2-D map of SCC
- The data is filtered and evaluated (modelling) to identify and isolate cracks and to identify the cracks to be sized
- The scan path coordinates for LaserUT sensor head are extracted





Sensitivity Of TOFD Arrival Time On Crack Position



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For slope of 40 ns/mm (see plot), a 25% variation in separation corresponds to a ~3% change in arrival till

Measurement Comparison 16" Diameter with Dent & Gouge (PRCI MD 1-4)





Grid: 10 mm axially, 30 mm circumferentially Representative Caliper tool Resolution Grid: 2 mm axially, 1.78 mm circumferentially Representative Laser-scan (post process resolution)

Simultaneous co-ordinate map & dent strain Applus[®] RTD (circumferential & axial)



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Measurement comparison & Analysis – Corrosion

- Data Assimilation
- Classification
- Matching the data points
- Data Extraction
- 🔁 Analysis
- Validation
- Re-clustering
- Failure pressure calculations



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Linkage Goal – Assessment Confidence & **Budget Recovery**



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Gaps

