



INVITATION TO TENDER

Ref.: OS/21-22/2439/MFC-CS/05/020

Date: 25.11.2021

Sub: **Fabrication of CS portion of Main Shell of Main Fractionator Column at Lovagarden site of BHEL-HPVP, Visakhapatnam**

Dear Sir,

Sealed tenders are invited for the subject work in **two-part bid** system from the vendors who are experienced in fabrication of similar jobs subject to the following eligibility criteria:

1. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

- 1.1 Bidders must have an experience in execution of similar jobs i.e. Columns/Pressure Vessels for process industries in the past 7 Years as on 31.10.2021. Bidders shall enclose Work Order, Work Completion Certificate and all other relevant documents in support of their experience in execution of similar job for at least one project.
- 1.2 Bidders shall also have to enclose the documents of Registration of Firm/ Factory License/ Certificate of Incorporation, EPF, ESI, PAN, GSTIN, Udyog Aadhar Memorandum (if registered with MSME) etc.
- 1.3 The works executed in own name of the individual / firm of the tenderer will only be considered for eligibility criteria.

2. VENDOR'S SCOPE OF WORK: Detailed scope of the fabrication work will be as follows:

Fabrication of CS portion only of Main Shell of Main Fractionator Column (vessel Tag No. 111-C-2101; Approx. weight of 80 MT) in two segments i.e., Shell sections (1+2+3) in one segment and Shell sections (4+5+6) in another segment as per the approved drawings, QAP / ITP, WPS, Procedures, Specifications & Standards.

It may be noted that the weight indicated above is tentative and may vary on both sides due to revision in the drawings, if any.

- 2.1 Collection of all free issue raw materials from HPVP Stores and Transportation to Lovagarden site (A Sea Front facility of BHEL-HPVP near Hindustan Shipyard Limited - OPF Site, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh) including unloading at the Lovagarden site.
- 2.2 After receipt of free issue materials at BHEL-HPVP Lovagarden site - Visakhapatnam, the inspection clearance of the same shall be obtained from HPVP (QC) / TPIA / EIL as per approved QAP.
- 2.3 Marking, Squaring, Cutting, Weld Edge preparation / Beveling of Shell plates as per drawings & approved QAP.
- 2.4 Rolling of CS shell sections as per approved drawings / QAP
- 2.5 Assembly, Fit-up & Welding of L-Seams of Shell sections as per drawings & approved QAP along with Production Test Coupons.
- 2.6 Assembly, Fit-up & Welding of C-Seams of Shell sections as per drawings & approved QAP along with Production Test Coupons wherever required.
- 2.7 Profile of the rolled segments shall be maintained by temporary spiders / profile plates, for which raw materials shall be Free Issue by the BHEL-HPVP
- 2.8 100% PT on root & final weld, chipped back L-Seam & C-Seam Welds of Shell as per approved QAP / NDE procedure.
- 2.9 Radiography Test of L-Seam & C-Seam Welds of Shell and Production Test Coupons as per approved QAP.

- 2.10 Dimensional inspection as per approved drawing & QAP.
- 2.11 Offering the job for stage wise inspection and obtaining stage wise inspection clearance, Final Inspection clearance from HPVP (QC) / TPIA / EIL as per approved QAP.
- 2.12 All NDT activities like DPT, MPT, RT, UT, etc., shall be carried out as per approved QAP by NDT personnel qualified by BHEL as per BHEL Procedure No. BHEL: NDE: WP01.
- 2.13 NDT agency engaged by fabrication contractors shall have to ensure that their NDE personnel are qualified by BHEL in advance before starting of the job.
- 2.14 Production Test Coupons after RT to be tested as per approved QAP / Procedures.
- 2.15 Handing over of Production Test Coupons to SR agency for PWHT / SR along with the Shell segments.
- 2.16 Welding is to be carried out by ASME qualified welders only. Vendor shall arrange for Qualification of Welders at HPVP under the supervision of BHEL / WT dept. at their own cost. However, Test Coupons shall be provided by BHEL as free issue.
- 2.17 All machinery, tool & tackles and consumables like welding electrodes, gases, grinding wheels etc. required for fabrication are in the scope of the Vendor. The electrodes / filler wire shall be of BHEL / EIL approved makes only and the vendor shall submit the Batch Test Certificates to BHEL for verification before using on the job.
- 2.18 Experienced Site-in-charge and Qualified Engineers & Supervisors shall be deployed for proper co-ordination of the job.
- 2.19 Vendors should deploy Qualified QC personnel for carrying out the inspection activities in coordination with BHEL QC inspector / TPIA / EIL.
- 2.20 Vendors should deploy Qualified NDT personnel for carrying out the NDT inspection activities in coordination with BHEL QC –NDT / TPIA / EIL. Vendors shall have to engage sufficient man power for fabrication to meet HPVP delivery schedules.
- 2.21 Vendor shall deploy sufficient no. of calibrated Welding machines, Main Ovens & Portable Ovens required for baking of electrodes etc., at site. All relevant documents shall also be made available for verification & approval by BHEL - HPVP (QC) / TPIA.
- 2.22 Vendor shall deploy suitable Cranes for handling of the raw materials, plates/ shell segments required during the fabrication. However, for handling of heavy components, BHEL has deployed one no. of 75MT Crawler crane and one no. of 300 MT Crawler Crane.
- 2.23 Diesel required for the operation of BHEL cranes and DG set will be Free Issue by BHEL. However, transportation of the diesel from BHEL-HPVP to Lovagarden site has to be arranged by the Vendor.
- 2.24 Sufficient No. of Rollers & Idlers required for fabrication of Shell segments are to be arranged by the vendor.
- 2.25 Required tools & tackles like Measuring instruments, Thermal Chalks / Pyrometer etc., shall be calibrated and valid calibration certificates must be presented, if required.
- 2.26 All the Scaffolding materials like Pipes, Clamps, Jallies etc. for temporary platform works are to be arranged by the Vendor.
- 2.27 Gate passes for the Manpower, Materials, Hydra Cranes, Trailers etc., are to be taken care by the contractor.
- 2.28 Any modification work due to revision of drawings during fabrication is to be carried out by the vendor without any extra cost.
- 2.29 Submission of economic cutting plans for the plate materials and approval shall be obtained from BHEL-HPVP before taking up the same. Wherever fabrication is done without proper approved cutting plans, any loss of materials arising due to the same will be recovered as per BHEL recovery rates.
- 2.30 Vendors shall have to return the excess / balance materials including off-cuts and total scrap available with the vendors exclusive of process allowance & invisible wastage to HPVP Stores after material reconciliation but before submission of their final bill. In case the same are not returned by the vendor, Recovery shall be made as per BHEL Rates / MSTC rates plus applicable taxes, prevailing at the time of processing of the final bills.

- 2.31 Though not mentioned specifically, any activity which is required for completion of the work is deemed to be included in the scope of work of vendor.

3. BHEL SCOPE: BHEL – HPVP shall provide the following as free issue:

- 3.1 Drawings, GMS, QAP, WPS, applicable Procedures, Standards & Specifications.
- 3.2 Raw materials like Plates (full / off-cuts) as per GMS from HPVP stores.
- 3.3 Testing of Production Test Coupons in HPVP QC laboratory
- 3.4 300 MT & 75 MT crane along with operator will be provided by BHEL free of charge for fabrication. Maintenance of the crane including spares shall also be in the scope of BHEL. However, Riggers required for handling the job shall be arranged by the vendor.
- 3.5 DG set will be provided as a Standby during power breakdown. However, experienced operator for DG set has to be arranged by the vendor.
- 3.6 Area required for fabrication, Site office and Stores at Lovagarden site will be provided free of charge.
- 3.7 Power & Water shall also be provided free of charge at one point inside the fabrication yard but further distribution to the desired location is in vendor's scope.
- 3.8 Vendor's scope shall include arranging Distribution Board with suitable capacity Switch Fuse unit as incomer, all outgoings with necessary safe trips like MCB, ELCB etc., as per the industrial safety norms and their installation, all outgoing cables from Distribution Board, termination at the distribution board, Working Area Lighting.

4. INSPECTION:

- 4.1 Inspection shall be carried out by M/s. BHEL-HPVP, Vizag / BHEL Authorized Inspection Agency (TPIA) / EIL / Customer as per approved QAP. Contractor shall have to offer for Stage wise and Final inspection as per approved QAP and obtain necessary stage wise & final clearances before proceeding for further operations.
- 4.2 Fabrication Vendor shall be solely responsible for preparation and submission of all Inspection Reports & documents duly certified by Inspection Authority.
- 4.3 All the documentation related to inspection clearance of M/s. BHEL / TPI / EIL / Customer, Generation of Inspection Reports, Preparation of Final Documents as per BHEL standard formats etc., are included in the scope of vendor and scanned copy as well as hard copy of the same is to be submitted to BHEL-QA.

Note: QAP / ITP enclosed with the tender document is tentative only and may be subject to revision due to incorporation of comments of the approving authority. Hence, the approved QAP / ITP issued to the vendor after ordering shall only be followed for execution and inspection of the job.

5. DELIVERY:

- 5.1 Finished Shell segments along with inspection documents and all other certificates are to be handed over to HPVP within 8 Weeks from the date of issue of First consignment of free issue materials or 4 weeks from the date of issue of Last consignment of materials, whichever is later.

Note: In case the delivery period offered by the vendor is more than the tender delivery, Price quoted by the bidder shall be loaded for additional period @1/2 % per week or part thereof for the purpose of evaluation of Bidder Status.

6. SITE MOBILISATION:

- 6.1 Successful bidders shall have to complete site mobilization within 7 days from the date of receipt of order (or) from the date of intimation for the same by Outsourcing dept. whichever is later.

7. PRICE:

- 7.1 The price shall be quoted strictly as per the Schedule of Rates enclosed at Annexure – I for the detailed scope of work and the quoted price shall be inclusive of all applicable taxes & duties **except GST**.
- 7.2 The prices shall be fixed & firm without any escalation during the entire period of contract and till completion of the work.

- 7.3 GST shall be reimbursable to the vendor as per applicable guidelines.
- 7.4 Income tax will be deducted at applicable rates from RA & Final bills.

8. GOODS & SERVICES TAX (GST):

- 8.1 Bidders shall make a note of the following points of GST before submission of their offer:
 - a) Vendors shall have to mention their GSTIN no. (15 Digits) in their Technical Bid. If any specific exemption is available, a declaration with due supporting documents need to be furnished for considering the offer.
 - b) Semi-finished goods are to be delivered by the Vendors in BHEL, HPVP premises within a maximum period of one year from the date of issue of the material, failing which the whole transaction will be considered as Supply & Sale and GST is required to be paid along with interest (calculated @ SBI Base Rate + 6%) along with penalty, if any, from the date of Challan on the whole value of materials. Hence vendors shall have to ensure that materials issued to them are returned within 365 days.
 - c) After fabrication, the vendors shall have to deliver the Semi - finished Goods by fulfilling the following formalities:
 - i) GST invoice should be raised by the vendors by paying GST on job work charges at applicable rates and by incorporating the HPVP GSTIN no. in the invoice for availing the reimbursement of GST from HPVP.
 - ii) The vendor shall also have to enter in their GST Return -1 (GSTR-1) the details of invoice raised for payment of GST so as to enable HPVP to avail input credit.

9. REVERSE AUCTION:

- 9.1 BHEL shall be resorting to Reverse Auction (RA) for this tender. RA shall be conducted among the eligible techno-commercially qualified bidders. Business Rules for Reverse Auction are given at Annexure – V and Guidelines for Reverse Auction are available on our website, www.bhel.com → supplier registration → Guidelines for Reverse Auction 2021, before submission of their offer.
 - 9.2 Sealed envelope / Electronic Price bids of all the techno-commercially qualified bidders shall be opened and the same shall be considered as initial bids of the bidders in RA. In case any bidder(s) do(es) not participate in online Reverse Auction, their sealed envelope / Electronic price bid along with applicable loading, if any, shall be considered for ranking.
 - 9.3 BHEL will inform bidders the details of service provider who will provide business rules, all necessary training and assistance before commencement of online bidding. The bidders participating in the Reverse Auction shall have to necessarily submit 'Process Compliance Form' (PCF) to the designated Service Provider.
 - 9.4 Bidders are advised to read the 'Business Rules' (Annexure – V) indicating details of RA event carefully, before reverse auction event.
10. Other Terms & Conditions, whichever applicable, shall be as per Annexure – III enclosed.

11. RISK PURCHASE:

In case the contractor fails to execute the work within the scheduled time or due to any other reasons, BHEL - HPVP reserves the right to get the same completed through some other party at the risk & cost of the contractor and any additional expenditure incurred due to the same shall be charged to the contractor.

12. VALIDITY OF OFFER:

The offer shall be valid for a period of **3 months** from the date of Reverse Auction.

13. GENERAL:

- 13.1 The bidders shall study the Tender documents, Drawings, Quality Documents and all other relevant documents in detail for understanding the scope of work and the processes involved before submission of offer. Bidders shall get clarifications, if any, from concerned officials on the scope of work, clarifications related to welding or any other details of the tender document, over phone between 09:00 AM and 04:00 PM on any working day or through e-mail.

- 13.2 Drawings, QAP, Clarifications related to Welding, other reference documents etc., shall be sent to the bidder's e-mail address upon their written/e-mail request.
- 13.3 **Conditional / Partial Price Bids** and any other deviations to the tender terms & conditions are not acceptable and BHEL reserves the right to reject such offers without further correspondence. Bidders shall confirm their acceptance to all the terms & conditions of the tender enquiry in the Techno-commercial Bids and any deviations mentioned in the Price Bids shall not be considered.
- 13.4 BHEL reserves the right to modify or cancel the tender enquiry at any stage without assigning any reasons thereof.
- 13.5 The General Terms & Conditions, if any, contradicting with the specific terms & conditions given in the tender, then specific terms & conditions shall only be considered.

14 The following documents shall form part of the tender enquiry:

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| i) Schedule of Rates | : Annexure – I |
| ii) List of Reference Drawings & Documents | : Annexure – II |
| iii) General Terms & Conditions | : Annexure – III |
| iv) Acceptance to Tender terms & conditions | : Annexure – IV |
| v) Business Rules for Reverse Auction | : Annexure – V |
| vi) GST Compliance for Indigenous Suppliers | : Annexure – GST |
| vii) Applicable Drawings, Tentative ITP / QAP | |

15 TENDER SUBMISSION (Through E - Mail):

- 15.1 Techno-commercial bids along with the tender document duly signed & stamped by the bidder on all pages and a covering letter on Company's Letter Head addressed to DGM (Outsourcing), BHEL –HPVP, Visakhapatnam shall be sent through an e-mail to the e-mail ID technicalbid-hpvp@bhel.in
- 15.2 **Tentative List of Man Power, Machinery, Tools & Tackles to be engaged by the vendor shall also be attached to the Techno-Commercial Bid.**
- 15.3 Price bid (i.e., Annexure – I) shall also be sent separately through e-mail to another e-mail ID pricebid-hpvp@bhel.in
- 15.4 Offers completed in all respects along with all the supporting documents shall be sent to the above e-mails only latest by **14.00 Hrs. on 02.12.2021** duly mentioning the Name of Work, Tender Ref. No. & Date and Technical Bid / Price Bid in the subject of the e-mail.
- Note: Do not mark CC and BCC while submitting your offer as the system is designed to reject such mails having more than one recipient. Max. file size of the attachment shall be 20 MB only. In case the file size is more, bidder can submit their offer through multiple mails within the due date and time.**
- 15.5 Bidders shall ensure correctness of the e-mail addresses while submitting their offer. There shall be no other e-mail address at the receiving end while submission of the above bids otherwise the system will reject such mails. Bidder shall be solely responsible for non-receiving of such mails at the above mentioned e-mail addresses and no communication in this regard will be entertained
- 15.6 **TENDERS RECEIVED AFTER THE DUE DATE & TIME ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE.**
- 15.7 **OFFERS SENT IN ANY OTHER FORM WILL BE TREATED AS INVALID AND WILL BE SUMMARILY REJECTED.**

16. TENDER OPENING:

- 16.1 Techno-commercial Bids will be opened at **14.00 Hrs on 02.12.2021**. The bidders may depute their representatives at the time of opening of Technical bids.
- 16.2 After evaluation of the techno-commercial Bids, intimation regarding date & procedure of conducting reverse auction shall be given by the service provider to all the eligible techno-commercially qualified bidders through an e-mail in advance at an appropriate time.

For Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited,

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SCHEDULE OF RATES

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Sl. No.	S.O. No.	Description of Work	Unit	Qty.	Unit Rate (in ₹)	Total Amount (in ₹)
		Fabrication of CS portion of Main Shell of Main Fractionator Column at Lovagarden site with free issue of raw materials which includes Marking, Cutting, Rolling, Assembly, Fit-up, Welding, NDT, inspection as per the approved Drawings, Specifications, QAP, WPS and also includes collection of Free Issue Materials from HPVP Stores, transportation to Lova Garden site, Unloading at Lova Garden site etc., as per the detailed scope of work mentioned in the tender document. (All consumables are in vendor's scope)				
1	2439	Fabrication of CS Portion of Main Shell of Main Fractionator Column - Eqpt. Tag No. 111-C-2101	MT	80		
Total Amount in words:						

Notes :

- 1) The quantity and weights indicated above are approximate and may vary on both sides subject to revision of drawings. However, payment shall be made for the actual weights as per the applicable drawings / BOM.
- 2) The quoted price shall be inclusive of all applicable taxes & duties except GST. Income Tax shall be deducted at applicable rates from RA & Final Bills and GST shall be reimbursable to the vendor as per applicable guidelines.
- 3) The prices shall be fixed & firm without any escalation during the entire period of contract and till completion of work.
- 4) The bidders are advised to go through all the drawings & documents before quoting the tender.
- 5) The evaluation currency for this tender shall be **INR**.
- 6) Tenderer should quote the amount in figures & words. It may be noted that corrections, overwriting etc. are not allowed. If there is a discrepancy between amount in figures & words, the amount in words shall prevail unless the amount expressed in words is related to an arithmetic error, in which case the amount in figures shall prevail. If there is an error in the total corresponding to the addition or subtraction of sub-totals, the sub-totals shall prevail and total shall be corrected accordingly.

In case of mismatch between rate and amount in figures, rate in figures shall be taken into consideration for further evaluation and processing.

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LIST OF REFERENCE DRAWINGS & DOCUMENTS

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Sl. No.	S.O. No.	PGMA	Eqpt. Name	Description of Drawings / Documents	Drawing / Document No.	Rev. No.	No. of Sheets
01	2439	CL-010	Main Fractionator Column (LAS with SS Clad) (Eqpt. Tag No. 111-C-2101)	General Assembly of Main Fractionator	1-CL-010-U0169	A	01
02				General Notes for Main Fractionator	1-CL-010-U0192	00	01
03				Vessel Design data of Main Fractionator Column	B224-111-80-43-DS-3001 Sheet 1 of 7 to 7 of 7	A	07
04				QAP for Main Fractionator Column	CQP 2516 Dtd. 05.02.2021	00	16
05				Procedure for Radiographic Examination	BHE-NDT-RT-07023	02	18
06				Procedure for Ultrasonic Examination	BHE-NDT-UT-07025	02	10
07				Procedure for Magnetic Particle Examination	BHE-NDT-MT-07024	02	13
08				Procedure for Liquid Penetrant Examination	BHE-NDT-PT-07026	02	09

Note : Drawings & Documents indicated above are purely tentative and may be subject to revisions due to incorporation of comments of the approving authority. Hence, the approved drawings and documents issued to the vendor after ordering shall only be followed for execution & inspection of the job.

GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS**1. TECHNICAL DELIVERY CONDITIONS:**

The work should conform to the technical data given in our drawings, GMS, Shipping List Specifications, QAP, WPS etc.

2. PARTY'S SCOPE:

The scope of the party shall be as follows: -

- a) All welding equipments, baking oven, tools, jigs and fixtures, measuring instruments duly calibrated, handling facilities, testing facilities etc.
- b) All materials other than those mentioned under "Free Issue Materials", which are required for completion of the work.
- c) All consumables such as electrodes, gases, grinding wheels etc.

Note: Electrodes of specification mentioned in the drawings / WPS and of BHEL approved brands only shall be used and MTCs of the same shall be submitted to BHEL for verification before use.

3. REVISION OF DRAWINGS:

There may be minor changes in the drawings during execution. In such a case, party should accommodate the same without any extra claim.

4. WELDING QUALIFICATION: Qualification of required number of Welders is party's responsibility at their cost.**5. X-RAY:**

All welding shall be of X-ray quality where specified on drawings. Inspection would specify the quantum of X-ray based on drawings / code requirement. Party should strictly follow the WPS and QAP issued by BHEL during welding. Getting the welds radiographed and getting them cleared by inspection is the responsibility of the party.

6. RECTIFICATIONS / REJECTIONS:

Any rectification due to defective work, if required, shall be done by the party free of charge with a suitable technology approved before hand by BHEL in writing. The cost of material, if any used for rectification work / rejection work, will be estimated by BHEL and the same shall be debited to party's account. In case any rectification / rework is to be carried out due to defective material supplied by BHEL, the replacement material and consumables will be supplied by BHEL free of Cost.

7. SECURITY DEPOSIT:

Vendors shall have to submit a Bank Guarantee for **10%** of the order value towards Security Deposit and safe custody of free issue materials within 15 days from the date of intimation by Outsourcing dept. The BG shall be valid for the entire contract period with a claim period of 12 months. This Bank Guarantee shall be released to the contractor after completion of work and on acceptance of the same by BHEL.

Bidder agrees to submit performance security required for execution of the contract within the time period mentioned above. In case of delay in submission of performance security, enhanced performance security which would include interest (SBI rate + 6%) for the delayed period, shall be submitted by the bidder. Further, if performance security is not submitted till such time the first bill becomes due, the amount of performance security due shall be recovered as per terms defined in NIT/contract, from the bills along with due interest.

8. PERFORMANCE BANK GUARANTEE:

Vendors shall have to submit Performance Bank Guarantee (claim period of 12 months) for 10% of the order value covering for the defects liability period. If PBG is not submitted, 10% of the order value shall be deducted towards PBG from the final bill and shall be refundable after performance guarantee period, if no defects are found during this period.

9. RAW MATERIALS ISSUE:

Raw materials shall be issued with appropriate processing allowance and invisible wastage over the theoretical requirement of raw materials (**Plates, Sheets, Sections and Pipes**).

10. TRANSFER / RETURN OF LEFT OVER MATERIALS:

Party should maintain proper records for receipt & use of all free issue materials. The left over materials & scrap as per the material accounting statement shall be returned to HPVP stores along with finished job. Material Transfer Vouchers (MTV) from one order to another or from one vendor to another and Material Return Vouchers should be submitted immediately after transfer / return. The material reconciliation statement shall be submitted by the contractor after verification and certification by BHEL along with the final bill **within 30 days from the date of completion of work**. Otherwise, recovery for the balance materials shall be made from any of their pending bills without further intimation.

11. MATERIAL RECONCILIATION:

Orders issued to the vendors have to be completed in all respects including Material Accounting within a maximum of **180 days** from the **date of issue of the first material** from BHEL - HPVP stores.

Maximum of 0.5 % on the requirement of materials (**Plates, Sections and Pipes**) is admitted towards **process allowance and invisible wastage**.

Scrap quantity is permissible up to a **maximum of 1% on Structural (Beams, Channels, Angles, Rods, Pipes etc.), 2% on Sheets, 3% for Plates** on the theoretical requirement of materials.

If wastage and scrap is beyond the above limits, it should be fully justified with cutting diagrams etc. which are to be approved in advance by BHEL. **Otherwise, the cost of raw materials beyond approved limits will be recovered from the contractor as per BHEL recovery rates including applicable taxes & duties.**

Material reconciliation including return of balance materials, off-cuts is to be completed within 20 days from the date of completion of the order. The material reconciliation statement shall be submitted by the contractor after verification and certification by BHEL-HPVP along with the final bill **within 30 days from the date of completion of work**. Otherwise, recovery for the balance materials shall be made from any of their pending bills without further intimation,

Repeated occurrence of inordinate delays in returning and settling the material accounting will entail BHEL the right to terminate the contract forthwith or impose a temporary suspension on further loading at the discretion of BHEL.

12. SCRAP & OFF-CUT NORMS:

Sl. No.	Description	Scrap Size (in mm)	Off-Cut (in MM)
1.	CS/AS Sheets & Plates	Below 500 × 250	500 × 250 & above
2.	Rolled sections Rod, angles etc. (other than -tubes, pipes)	Below 1000	1000 & above
3.	Tubes & Pipes	Below 500	500 & above
4.	Universal column	Below 1000	1000 & Above
5.	SS Sheets & Plates	Below 500 × 250	500 × 250 & above
6.	SS Structural, Rods, Tubes, Pipes	Below 250	250 & above
7.	Non – ferrous: sheets & plates, rods & tubes	Below 500 × 250 (S & PL), Below 250 (Rods & Tubes)	500 × 250 & above, 250 & above
8.	Big size Scrap	(2500 & above) × (150 to 249)	-

13. INSPECTION:

Party shall contact our Quality Control Dept. for stages of inspection before commencement of job and should strictly follow the stages of inspection as per QAP.

14. WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEE:

The vendors should give workmanship guarantee for fabricated items for a period of 18 months from the date of last delivery of the order. Any defects due to incomplete work, faulty workmanship found in the fabricated items after delivery during the defects liability period shall be rectified / replaced by the vendor free of cost. Otherwise, the expenditure incurred towards the same will be recovered from the pending bills of vendors.

15. WORK PROGRESS:

The fabricator shall furnish a weekly report on the progress of work along with the status of availability of free issue materials and requirement of further materials, if any.

Outsourcing dept. personnel will visit vendor's works from time to time to assess and review the work progress. Free access shall be provided to BHEL or its inspection agency at all reasonable times of the day / night.

In case the progress is not satisfactory or supplies are delayed abnormally beyond the contractual delivery date, BHEL-HPVP, Visakhapatnam reserves the right to cancel the order in part or full or get the balance job in as is where is condition completed elsewhere by another agency at the risk and cost of Fabricator. The value of the work carried out by the party will be assessed by BHEL and the same shall be final. No compensation will be given to the fabricator in case of cancellation of order or diversion of balance job even if the jobs have been processed partly.

16. DELIVERY:

Finished items should be handed over to BHEL-HPVP on party's delivery challans along with Job completion certificate / Final Inspection Report from inspection agency / HPVP-QC department.

17. PENALTY:

If delivery exceeds the stipulated delivery schedule, penalty 1/2 % of the total value of order per week or part thereof subject to a maximum of 10% on the total value of the order will be levied. However, time taken for the following will not be considered as delay on the part of the Sub-Contractor.

- 1) Intermediate operations, if any, carried out by BHEL.
- 2) Waiting time for BHEL / Third party Inspection beyond a normal time of 3 days.

18. PAYMENT TERMS:

Payment shall be made against RA Bills within 45 days from the date of submission of Bill.

90% payment will be made after handing over of the finished equipments along with all inspection documents to HPVP shops / Logistics dept. / ADM site / Lova Garden site, duly inspected & cleared by Inspection authority. Balance 10% payment shall be made along with the Final Bill against completion of total order in all respects including documentation.

Vendors shall have to submit the bills in the formats specified by HPVP-Outsourcing and the bills submitted in the specified format along with necessary supporting documents are only admitted for processing. The following documents shall be submitted along with the Final Bill: -

1. No Claim Certificate from the contractor
2. No Dues Certificate from BHEL
3. Work Completion Certificate from BHEL
4. Material Reconciliation Statement submitted by the Contractor and certified by concerned authority of BHEL (if applicable)
5. Workmanship Guarantee certificate from the contractor

19. SECRECY:

All the documents of BHEL inclusive of Drawings, GMS and Standards made available to the fabricator should be kept in strict confidence and under no circumstance be made available to others or allow others to make use of them. Such documents shall be returned to BHEL on demand after completion of the job. This secrecy clause is binding on the employees of the fabricators also. Violation of the same may lead to suspension of business with the vendor and necessary legal action.

20. SUB-LETTING:

In general, sub-letting of jobs will not be permitted. But in special circumstances, this may be allowed. In such case, the party should obtain written approval from BHEL-HPVP, Visakhapatnam before sub-letting.

21. FACTORY RULES AND REGULATIONS:

Party shall abide by all the rules and statutory regulations in force from time to time as per factories act. It shall be party's responsibility to ensure the safety of their workmen and fulfilling the ESI, PF and other relevant statutory regulations.

22. SAFETY:

- a) Contractor shall adhere to safe construction practices, guard against hazardous & unsafe working conditions and shall comply with the safety rules of BHEL and local authorities. He shall maintain First Aid facilities for all his employees and labour. Contractor's responsibility includes supply of welder kit, all safety items such as safety belts, white and colour glasses, goggles, safety helmets, safety shoes etc.
- b) *Contractor and his employees shall follow all fire & safety, security regulations of BHEL.*

23. HOUSE KEEPING:

During execution of work, the contractor at all times keep the working place and storage area clean and free from accumulation of waste materials, rubbish etc.,

24. ACCIDENT / DAMAGE / CONDUCT ETC.:

Contractor will be held responsible for any disorderly conduct / misconduct, indiscipline, theft, smoking etc., on the part of his men. He will ensure summarily eviction of such men from his premises failing which BHEL would remove them from the factory on his responsibility. Any damage to and or loss of equipment, machinery, building etc., to BHEL or BHEL employees, visitors or other contractors resulting from his own or any of his men's negligence shall be liable to be made good by him. Contractor shall be solely responsible for any accident in which you or your men or your equipment may be involved during the execution of contract on account of any reason what so ever.

25. TERMINATION OF CONTRACT:

In the event of any failure on the part of the contractor, BHEL reserves the right to terminate the contract by giving a notice of 2 weeks for any of the following lapses and contractual violations: -

- a) Failure to make labour payments in time as per the rules
- b) Failure to progress the job according to the agreed schedule
- c) Failure to mobilize adequate man power, tools & tackles and consumables in time
- d) Failure to adhere to Quality Standards of BHEL
- e) Refused to co-operate with other agencies working in the same area
- f) Failure to resolve labour disputes like strikes etc., within 7 days of occurrence
- g) Failure to comply with statutory regulations applicable at BHEL

BHEL shall also be free to intervene and take necessary remedial measures. All costs incurred with interest and overheads shall be recovered from contractor by such foreclosing or off-loading any part of the contract work.

26. DISPUTES:

Head of BHEL- HPVP Unit will be the final authority for any disputes arising out of this contract. The disputes / arbitration / settlement of contractual or legal issues shall be under the Jurisdiction of Visakhapatnam Court.

- 27. For this procurement, Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 dated 15.06.2017 & 28.05.2018 and subsequent Orders issued by the respective Nodal Ministry shall be applicable even if issued after issue of this NIT but before finalization of Contract / PO / WO against this NIT.

In the event of any Nodal Ministry prescribing higher or lower percentage of purchase preference and / or local content in respect of this procurement, same shall be applicable.

- 28. The Bidder declares that they will not enter into any illegal or undisclosed agreement or understanding, whether formal or informal with other Bidder(s). This applies in particular to prices, specifications, certifications, subsidiary contracts, submission or non-submission of bids or any other actions to restrict competitiveness or to introduce cartelization in the bidding process.

In case, the Bidder is found having indulged in above activities, suitable action shall be taken by BHEL as per extant policies/ guidelines.

Signature of the Bidder with Stamp

Acceptance to Tender Terms & Conditions

I / We hereby confirm that the Tender documents, Drawings, Quality documents etc. have been studied in detail and we have fully understood the scope of work.

I / We accept to all the Terms and Conditions of the Tender Enquiry and the prices quoted are in accordance with the same.

I / We give our acceptance to participate in reverse auction for this tender.

Tender documents **duly signed & stamped on all the pages** by the Owner / authorized representative of the bidder are attached herewith.

Signature of the Bidder with Stamp

BUSINESS RULES FOR REVERSE AUCTION (RA)

This has reference to tender no. **OS/21-22/2439/MFC-CS/05/020, dated 25.11.2021**. BHEL shall finalize the Rates for **Fabrication of CS portion of Main Shell of Main Fractionator Column at Lovagarden site of BHEL-HPVP, Visakhapatnam** through Reverse Auction mode. BHEL has made arrangement with an authorized Service provider (details will be shared before reverse auction) for conducting RA. Bidders should go through the instructions given below and submit acceptance of the same.

The technical & commercial terms are as per (a) BHEL Tender Enquiry No. **OS/21-22/2439/MFC-CS/05/020, dated 25.11.2021**, (b) Bidders' technical & commercial bid (in case of two-part bid) and (c) subsequent correspondences between BHEL and the bidders, if any.

1. Procedure of Reverse Auctioning:

- i) Price bids of all techno-commercially qualified bidders shall be opened.
- ii) **Reverse Auction:** The 'bid decrement' will be decided by BHEL.
- iii) The lowest bidder in sealed envelope price bid shall be shown as current L1 automatically by the system and no acceptance of that price is required. System shall have the provision to indicate this bid as current L1.
- iv) Bidders by offering a minimum bid decrement or the multiples thereof can displace a standing lowest bid and become "L1" and this continues as an iterative process. However, no bidder shall be allowed to lower its bid below the current L1 by more than 5 decrements at one go.
- v) After the completion of the reverse auction, the Closing Price shall be available for further processing.
- vi) Wherever the evaluation is done on total cost basis, after Reverse Auction, prices of individual line items shall be reduced on pro-rata basis.

2. Schedule for reverse auction: The Reverse Auction schedule will be intimated to the eligible techno-commercially qualified bidders at a later stage.**3. Auction extension time:** If a bidder places a bid in the last 5 minutes of closing of the Reverse Auction and if that bid gets accepted, then the auction's duration shall get extended automatically for another 5 minutes, for the entire auction (i.e. for all the items in the auction), from the time that bid comes in. Please note that the auto-extension will take place only if a bid comes in those last 5 minutes and if that bid gets accepted as the lowest bid. If the bid does not get accepted as the lowest bid, the auto-extension will not take place even if that bid might have come in the last 5 minutes. In case, there is no bid in the last 5 minutes of closing of Reverse Auction, the auction shall get closed automatically without any extension. However, bidders are advised not to wait till the last minute or last few seconds to enter their bid during the auto-extension period to avoid complications related with internet connectivity, network problems, system crash down, power failure, etc.

The above process will continue till completion of Reverse Auction.

Complaints/ Grievances, if any, regarding denial of service or any related issue should be given in writing thru e-mail/ fax to M/s. {Service provider} with a copy to BHEL within 15 minutes prior to initial closing time of Reverse Auction.

4. Bid price: The Bidder has to quote the {.....} Price **except GST** but inclusive of Packing & Forwarding charges, all the routine & type tests as per tender scope, taxes, duties, freight and insurance as specified in tender document including loading (if indicated by BHEL due to deviations in technical/ commercial terms) for the Items specified. Details are as shown in Excel Sheet for calculation of total cost to BHEL (To be specified by Unit as per NIT conditions).**5. Bidding currency and unit of measurement:** Bidding will be conducted in **Indian Rupees per Unit** of the material as per the specifications mentioned in the tender.

In case of foreign currency bids, exchange rate (TT selling rate of State Bank of India) as on scheduled date of tender opening (Part-I bid) shall be considered for conversion in Indian Rupees. If the relevant day happens to be a Bank holiday, then the forex rate as on the previous bank (SBI) working day shall be taken.

6. **Validity of bids:** Price shall be valid for 3 months from the date of reverse auction. These shall not be subjected to any change whatsoever.
7. **Lowest bid of a bidder:** In case the bidder submits more than one bid, the lowest bid at the end of Reverse Auction will be considered as the bidder's final offer to execute the work.
8. Unique user IDs shall be used by bidders during bidding process. All bids made from the Login ID given to the bidders will be deemed to have been made by the bidders/ bidders' company.
9. **Post auction procedure:** BHEL will proceed with the Lowest Bid in the Reverse Auction for further processing.
10. Any commercial/ technical loading shall be separately intimated to respective bidders prior to RA. The excel sheet provided in this regard shall cover all these aspects. Commercial/ technical loading if any, shall be added by the respective bidder in its price during Reverse Auction.
Modalities of loading & de-loading shall be separately intimated to the bidders. The responsibility for correctness of total cost to BHEL shall lie with the bidders.
11. Reverse auction shall be conducted by BHEL (through M/s {Service Provider}), on pre-specified date, while the bidders shall be quoting from their own offices/ place of their choice. Internet connectivity shall have to be ensured by bidders themselves.

During the RA process if a bidder is not able to bid and requests for extension of time by FAX/ email/ phone then time extension of additional 15 minutes will be given by the service provider provided such requests come before 5 minutes of auction closing time. However, only one such request per bidder can be entertained.

In order to ward-off contingent situation of connectivity failure bidders are requested to make all the necessary arrangements/ alternatives whatever required so that they are able to circumvent such situation and still be able to participate in the reverse auction successfully. Failure of power or loss of connectivity at the premises of bidders during the Reverse auction cannot be the cause for not participating in the reverse auction. On account of this, the time for the auction cannot be extended and neither BHEL nor M/s. {Service provider} is responsible for such eventualities.

12. **Proxy bids:** Proxy bidding feature is a pro-bidder feature to safe guard the bidder's interest of any internet failure or to avoid last minute rush. The proxy feature allows bidders to place an automated bid in the system directly in an auction and bid without having to enter a new amount each time a competing bidder submits a new offer. The bid amount that a bidder enters is the minimum that the bidder is willing to offer. Here the software bids on behalf of the bidder. This obviates the need for the bidder participating in the bidding process until the proxy bid amount is decrementally reached by other bidders. When proxy bid amount is reached, the bidder (who has submitted the proxy bid) has an option to start participating in the bidding process.

The proxy amount is the minimum amount that the bidder is willing to offer. During the course of bidding, the bidder cannot delete or change the amount of a proxy bid.

Bids are submitted in decrements (decreasing bid amounts). The application automates proxy bidding by processing proxy bids automatically, according to the decrement that the auction originator originally established when creating the auction, submitting offers to the next bid decrement each time a competing bidder bids, regardless of the fact whether the competing bids are submitted as proxy or standard bids. However, it may please be noted that if a manual bid and proxy bid are submitted at the same instant manual bid will be recognized as the L1 at that instant.

In case of more than one proxy bid, the system shall bid till it crosses the threshold value of 'each lowest proxy bid' and thereafter allow the competition to decide the final L1 price.

Proxy bids are fed into the system directly by the respective bidders. As such this information is privy only to the respective bidder(s).

13. Bidders are advised to get fully trained and clear all their doubts such as refreshing of Screen, quantity being auctioned, tender value being auctioned etc. from M/s. {Service provider}.

14. M/s. {Service provider}, shall arrange to demonstrate/ train the bidder or bidder's nominated person(s), without any cost to bidders. M/s. {Service provider}, shall also explain the bidders, all the business rules related to the Reverse Auction. Bidders are required to submit their acceptance to the terms/ conditions/ modalities before participating in the Reverse Auction in the process compliance form as enclosed. Without this, the bidder will not be eligible to participate in the event.
15. Successful bidder shall be required to submit the final prices (L1) in prescribed format (Annexure – VI) for price breakup, quoted during the Reverse Auction, duly signed and stamped as token of acceptance without any new condition (other than those already agreed to before start of auction), after the completion of auction to M/s. {Service provider} besides BHEL within two working days of Auction without fail.
16. Any variation between the final bid value and that in the confirmatory signed price breakup document will be considered as tampering the tender process and will invite action by BHEL as per extant guidelines for suspension of business dealings (as available on www.bhel.com).
17. Bidders' bid will be taken as an offer to execute the work/ supplies the item as per enquiry no. **OS/21-22/2439/MFC-CS/05/020, dated 25.11.2021**. Bids once made by the bidder, cannot be cancelled/ withdrawn and bidder shall be bound to execute the work as mentioned above at bidder's final bid price. Should bidder back out and not execute the contract as per the rates quoted, BHEL shall take action as per extant guidelines for suspension of business dealings (as available on www.bhel.com).
18. Bidders shall be able to view the following on their screen along with the necessary fields during Reverse Auction:
 - a. Leading (Running Lowest) Bid in the Auction (only total price of package)
 - b. Bid Placed by the bidder
 - c. Start Price
 - d. Decrement value
 - e. Rank of their own bid during bidding as well as at the close of auction.
19. BHEL's decision on award of contract shall be final and binding on all the Bidders.
20. BHEL reserves the right to extend, reschedule or cancel the Reverse Auction process at any time, before ordering, without assigning any reason, with intimation to bidders.
21. BHEL shall not have any liability to bidders for any interruption or delay in access to the site irrespective of the cause. In such cases, the decision of BHEL shall be binding on the bidders.
22. Other terms and conditions shall be as per bidder's techno-commercial offers and other correspondences, if any, till date.
23. If there is any clash between this business document and the FAQ available, if any, in the website of M/s. {Service provider}, the terms & conditions given in this business document will supersede the information contained in the FAQs. Any changes made by BHEL/ service provider (due to unforeseen contingencies) after the first posting shall be deemed to have been accepted if the bidder continues to access the portal after that time.
24. Bidder shall not divulge either his Bids or any other exclusive details of BHEL to any other party. If the Bidder or any of his representatives are found to be involved in Price manipulation/ cartel formation of any kind, directly or indirectly by communicating with other bidders, action *as per extant BHEL guidelines for suspension of business dealings (as available on www.bhel.com)*, shall be initiated by BHEL.

Signature of the Bidder with Stamp

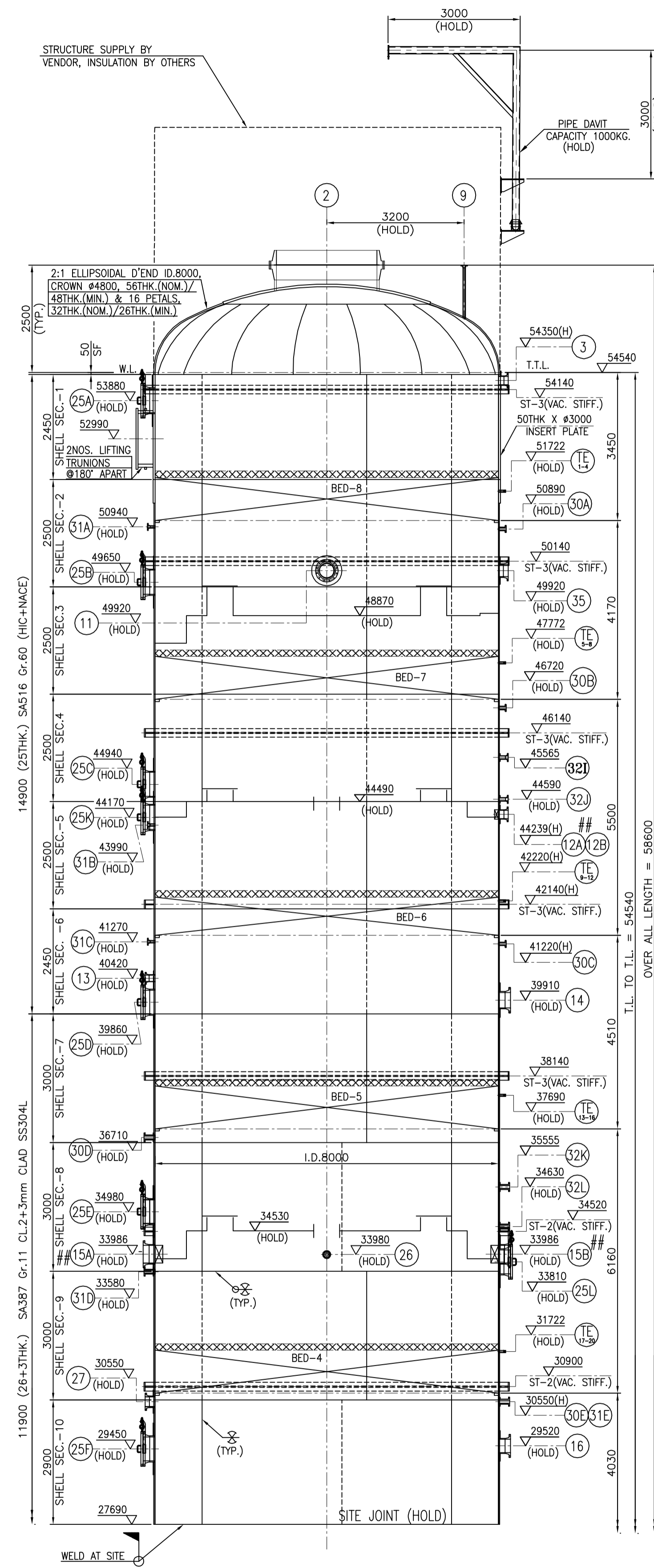
GST COMPLIANCE FOR INDIGENOUS SUPPLIERS

1. In Response to Tenders for Indigenous supplier will be entertained only if the vendor has a valid GSTIN which should be clearly mentioned in the offer. If any specific exemption is available, a declaration with due supporting documents need to be furnished for considering the offer.
2. Supplier shall mention their GSTIN in all their invoices and invoices shall be in the format as specified/prescribed under GST laws. Invoices shall necessarily contain Invoice number (in case of multiple numbering system is being followed for billing like SAP invoice no, commercial invoice no etc., then the Invoice No which is linked/uploaded in GSTN network shall be clearly indicated), item description as per PO, Quantity, Rate, Value, applicable taxes with nomenclature (like IGST, SGST, CGST & UTGST) separately, HSN/ SAC Code, etc.
3. All invoices shall bear the HSN Code for each item separately (Harmonized System of Nomenclature)/ SAC code (Services Accounting Code).
4. A declaration to the effect that all invoice particulars are/were uploaded in the GSTN network/ portal & all tax liability as per GST rules and regulations have been and will be discharged, shall be mentioned in the invoice. If not mentioned in the invoice, a separate declaration shall be submitted as per the requirement of BHEL.
5. All documents like Test Certificate, LR copy, Guarantee/Warranty certificate, work completion certificate, any other document mentioned in PO, shall be sent along with the vehicle/consignment where ever applicable. For all consignments received within the calendar month, input credit will be availed within that month in line with monthly returns filing cycle. In case of any discrepancy in the document or non-submission of documents mentioned in the PO, then BHEL will not be able to accept or account the material, in such case availing of tax credit will be deferred to next month or so.
6. In case of discrepancy in the data uploaded by supplier in the GSTN portal or in case of any shortages or rejection in the supply, then BHEL will not be able to avail the tax credit and will notify the supplier of the same. Supplier has to rectify the data discrepancy in the GSTN portal or issue credit note (details to be uploaded in GSTN portal) for the shortages or rejections in the suppliers, within the calendar month notified by BHEL.
7. For any such delay in availing of tax credit for reasons attributable to supplier (as mentioned above), interest (calculated @ SBI Base Rate + 6%) along with penalty if any will be deducted for the delayed period i.e. from the month of receipt till the month tax credit is availed, from the running bills.
8. Under GST regime, BHEL has to discharge GST liability on LD recovered from suppliers/contractors. Hence applicable GST shall also be recoverable from suppliers/contractors on LD amount. For this Debit note will be issued by BHEL indicating the respective supply invoice number.
9. This is to inform that GST portion of invoice, shall be released only upon Vendor declaring such invoice in his GSTR-1 and receipt of goods and Tax invoice by BHEL and Confirmation of payment of GST thereon by vendor on GSTN portal. Alternatively, BG of appropriate value may be obtained from vendor which shall be valid At least one month after the confirmation of date of payment of GST by vendor on GSTN portal and receipt of Tax invoice and receipt of goods, whichever is later. Above is subject to receipt of goods/service and tax invoice thereof along with vendor declaring invoice in his return and paying GST within timeline prescribed for availing ITC by BHEL.
10. That in case vendor delays Declaring such invoice in his return and GST credit availed by BHEL is denied or reversed subsequently as per GST law, GST amount paid by BHEL towards such ITC reversal as per GST law shall be recoverable from vendor/contractor along with interest levied/ leviable on BHEL.

Note: The above will be followed strictly for processing vendor payments to ensure GST Compliance.

Signature of the Bidder with Stamp

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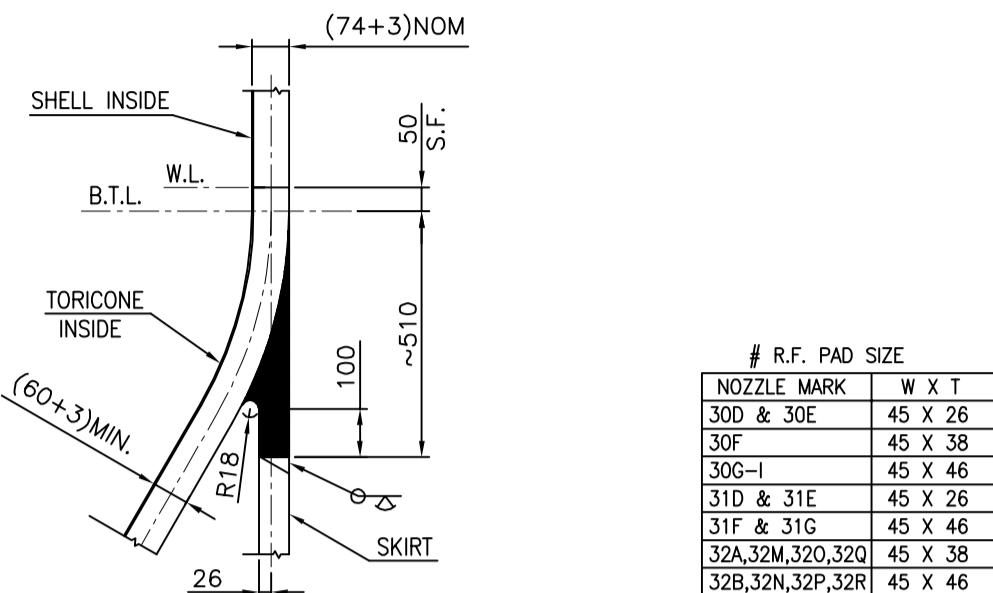
REFER NOTE : INVERT INSIDE OF WITH DRAWAL NOZZLE TO BE FLUSH WITH TOP OF DRAW-OFF PAN SUPPORT RING

FOUNDATION LOADING DATA (OPERATING CONDITION)			
TYPE	MAX. MOMENT AT BASE (M) (kgm)	MAX. SHEAR FORCE AT BASE (H) (Kg)	
SEISMIC (DBE)	9953000	261000	
SEISMIC (MCE)	12740000	342000	
WIND	7896000	227000	

TABLE-1				
BEDS		BOTTOM	MIDDLE	TOP
OPERATING PRESSURE (Kg/Cm ² g)	NORMAL	0.79	0.78	0.72
	MAXIMUM	1.083	1.065	1.009
OPERATING TEMPERATURE (°C)	NORMAL	349	271	172
	MAXIMUM	355	277	178

*** TOP SECTION=200°C, MIDDLE SECTION=295°, BOTTOM SECTION=475°C,
BOTTOM SECTION FROM TOP OF BED1 TO BOTTOM OF CONE SECTION DESIGNED
FOR INTERMITTENT/EXCURSION OF 570°C FOR ≤100 HOURS/YEAR FOR
30 YEARS.

*** TOP SECTION = 40 mm
MIDDLE SECTION = 65 mm
BOTTOM SECTION = 90 mm
NO INSULATION SHALL BE PROVIDED FOR NOZZLE-1



MARK NO.	QTY.	SERVICE	N.P.S	O.D.	SCH. THK.	R.F.PAD THK.	RATING CLASS	TYPE / FACE	PROJE.	REMARKS
31H	1	PRESSURE CONNECTION	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
30	1	THERMOWELLS (LIQUID SHIELD)	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
25I	1	MANHOLE + B.F. + DAVIT	24"	609.6	30+3 CLAD	30+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4600	UP TYPE
20	1	QUENCH RETURN	6"	168.3	20+3 CLAD	20+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4400	UP TYPE
1 A-B	2	FEED (NOTE-XX & XX)	72"	1828.8	30+3 CLAD	30+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4800	UP TYPE

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AO 1-2	2	ACCESS OPENING	20"	508.0	25+3 CLAD	25+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
SKV 1-8	8	SKIRT VENT	4"	114.3	4.0	4.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
34 C-D	2	MAGNETIC LEVEL GAUGE	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
34 A-B	2	MAGNETIC LEVEL GAUGE	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
32 K-L	2	DP TYPE LEVEL TRANSMITTER	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
32 C-H	2	DP TYPE LEVEL TRANSMITTER	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
32 A-B-M-R	2	DP TYPE LEVEL TRANSMITTER	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
31 D-G	4	PRESSURE CONNECTION	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
30M	1	THERMOWELL	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
30 D-I	6	THERMOWELLS (LIQUID SHIELD)	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
28	1	PRESSURE BALANCE (FROM 111-V-2601)	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
26	1	PRESSURE BALANCE (FROM 111-V-2602)	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
27	1	PRESSURE BALANCE (FROM 111-V-1104)	10"	273.0	24+3 CLAD	24+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
25J	1	MANHOLE + B.F. + DAVIT	24"	610	24+3 CLAD	24+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
25 G,H,M	3	MANHOLE + B.F. + DAVIT	24"	610	24+3 CLAD	24+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
25 E,F,L	3	MANHOLE + B.F. + DAVIT	24"	610	24+3 CLAD	24+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
24	1	UTILITY	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
22	1	FRESH FEED (START UP)	8"	219.1	24+3 CLAD	24+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
21	1	SPARGE STEAM	6"	168.3	10+3 CLAD	10+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
19	1	SLURRY PA RET.	20"	508.0	25+3 CLAD	25+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
18	1	HCO WASH	10"	273.0	24+3 CLAD	24+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
17 A-B	2	HCO DRAW+ VORTEX BREAKER	18"	457.0	24+3 CLAD	24+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
16	1	HCO PA RETURN	14"	355.6	24+3 CLAD	24+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
15 A-B	2	LCO DRAW+ VORTEX BREAKER	18"	457.0	24+3 CLAD	24+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
8	1	STEAM OUT	3"	76.2	2.0	2.0	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE
4	1	BOTTOMS	30"	768.4	24+3 CLAD	24+3 CLAD	300	SRWN/R.F.	4350	UP TYPE

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35	1	LO STRIPPER VAP. RET.	12"	323.8	25THK.	25THK.	160 x 25	W.N/R.F.	4230	
32 I-J	2	DP TYPE LEVEL TRANSMITTER	3"	88.9	160	11.13	45 x 25	W.N/R.F.	4230	
31 A-C	3	PRESSURE CONNECTION	2"	60.3	8.74	8.74	300	W.N/R.F.	4180	
30 A-C	3	THERMOWELLS + (LIQUID SHIELD)	2 1/2"	50.8	13.6	13.6	300	W.N/R.F.	4180	
25 A-D,K	5	MANHOLE + B.F. + DAVIT	24"	610	24+3 CLAD	24+3 CLAD	300	W.N/R.F.	4280	
14	1	LCO PA RETURN	16"	406.4	25THK.	25THK.	200 x 25	W.N/R.F.	4280	
13	1	LCO STRIPPER VP. RET.	6"	168.3	80	10.97	85 x 25	W.N/R.F.	4230	
12A-B	2	LEAN OIL DRAW + VORTEX BREAKER	8"	219.1	80	12.70	110 x 25	W.N/R.F.	4230	
11	1	RICH OIL RETURN	14"	355.6	25THK.	25THK.	175 x 25	W.N/R.F.	4250	
9	1	VENT	2"	60.3	8.74	8.74	300	W.N/R.F.	SEE DRG.	
3	1	REFLUX IN	8"	219.1	80	12.70	110 x 25	W.N/R.F.	4230	
2	1	O.H. VAPOR+COMP. FLG.	96"	2438.4	25THK.	25THK.	48THK.(MIN.)	W.N/R.F.	SEE DRG.	

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32 I-J	2	DP TYPE LEVEL TRANSMITTER	3"	88.9	160	11.13	45 x 25	W.N/R.F.	4230	
31 A-C	3	PRESSURE CONNECTION	2"	60.3	8.74	8.74	300	W.N/R.F.	4180	
30 A-C	3	THERMOWELLS + (LIQUID SHIELD)	2 1/2"	50.8	13.6	13.6	300	W.N/R.F.	4180	
25 A-D,K	5	MANHOLE + B.F. + DAVIT	24"	610	24+3 CLAD	24+3 CLAD	300	W.N/R.F.	4280	
14	1	LCO PA RETURN	16"	406.4	25THK.	25THK.	200 x 25	W.N/R.F.	4280	
13	1	LCO STRIPPER VP. RET.	6"	168.3	80	10.97	85 x 25	W.N/R.F.	4230	
12A-B	2	LEAN OIL DRAW + VORTEX BREAKER	8"	219.1	80	12.70	110 x 25	W.N/R.F.	4230	
11	1	RICH OIL RETURN	14"	355.6	25THK.	25THK.	175 x 25	W.N/R.F.	4250	
9	1	VENT	2"	60.3	8.74	8.74	300	W.N/R.F.	SEE DRG.	
3	1	REFLUX IN	8"	219.1	80	12.70	110 x 25	W.N/R.F.	4230	
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@ 5 mm MINIMUM SS 304L WELD OVERLAY
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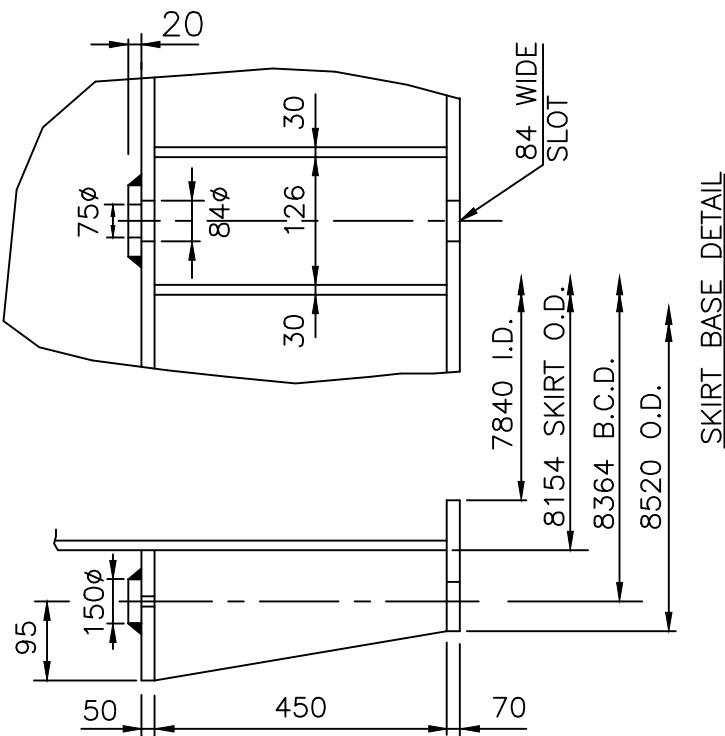
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NOZZLES AND CONNECTIONS (नोजल व कनेक्शन) (2.25 Cr.+1 MO+CLAD ZONE)										GENERAL NOTES (जनरल नोट्स)				SPECIFICATIONS (स्पेसिफिकेशन्स)				DESIGN DATA (डिजाइन डाटा)			
MARK	QTY	NOM. DIA (INCH)	SCH./THK.	FLANGES			PROJECTION NOTE-4	PAD WxT	SERVICE	UNLESS STATED OTHER WISE				X DENOTES APPLICABILITY		CODE		ASME SEC.VIII DIV.-1 (LATEST)			
मार्क	क्वांटिटी	नॉमिनल डायामिटर (इंच)	शेड/थिक्नेस	क्लास	टाईप	फेसिंग	प्रोजेक्शन	पैड	सर्विस					GENERAL SPEC. FOR PRESSURE VESSELS		WORKING PRESSURE (kg/cm²g)		INT. TOP - BOT. -			
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																CORROSION ALLOWANCE (MM)					
																TYPE OF HEAD					
																JOINT EFFICIENCY		SHELL - HEAD/TORICONE -			
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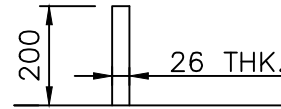
NOTE:-

(i) THE JOINT BETWEEN THE SUPPORT SKIRT & BOTTOM HEAD SHALL HAVE THE SMOOTH STREAMLINE GEOMETRY AS SHOWN. THE JOINT DETAIL SHALL BE MADE BY WELD METAL BUILD WELDS SHALL BE GROUND OR MACHINED TO A SMOOTH, FLUSH CONTOUR. 100% MAGNETIC PARTICLE EXAMINATION OF ALL WELD SURFACES (INSIDE & OUTSIDE) SHALL BE PERFORMED AFTER FINAL POST WELD HEAT TREATMENT. 100% ULTRASONIC EXAMINATION SHALL BE CARRIED OUT ON WELD BUILT-UP AFTER COMPLETION AND AFTER FINAL PWHT.

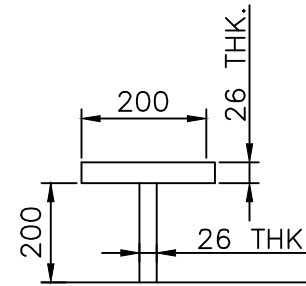


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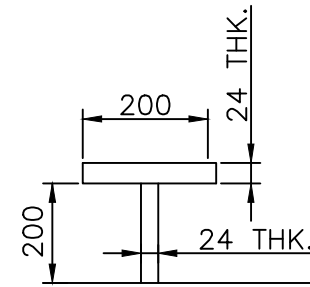
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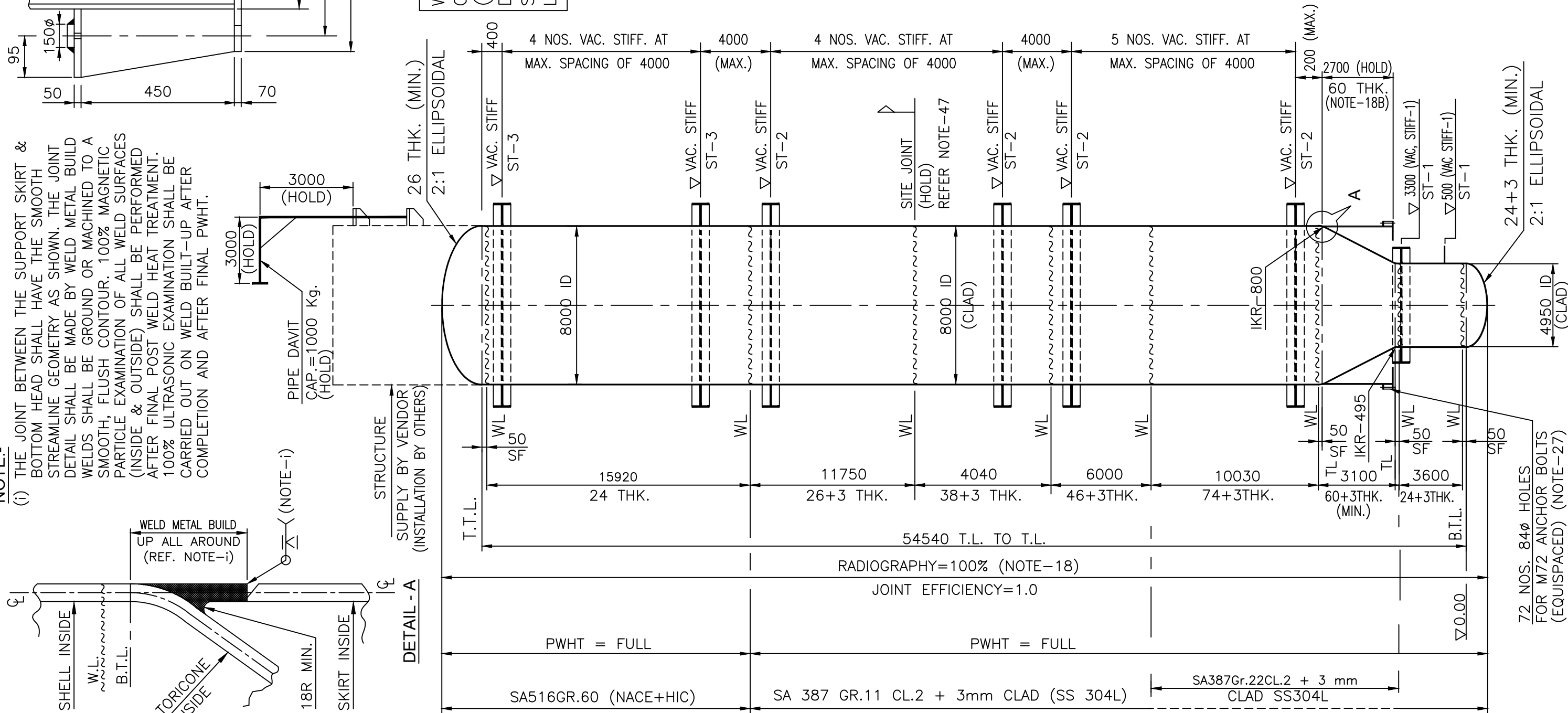
DETAIL OF STIFFENERS (TYP.)
(ST-1)



DETAIL OF STIFFENERS (TYP.)
(ST-2)



DETAIL OF STIFFENERS (TYP.)
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72 NOS. 84Ø HOLES
FOR M72 ANCHOR BOLTS
(EQUISPACED) (NOTE-27)



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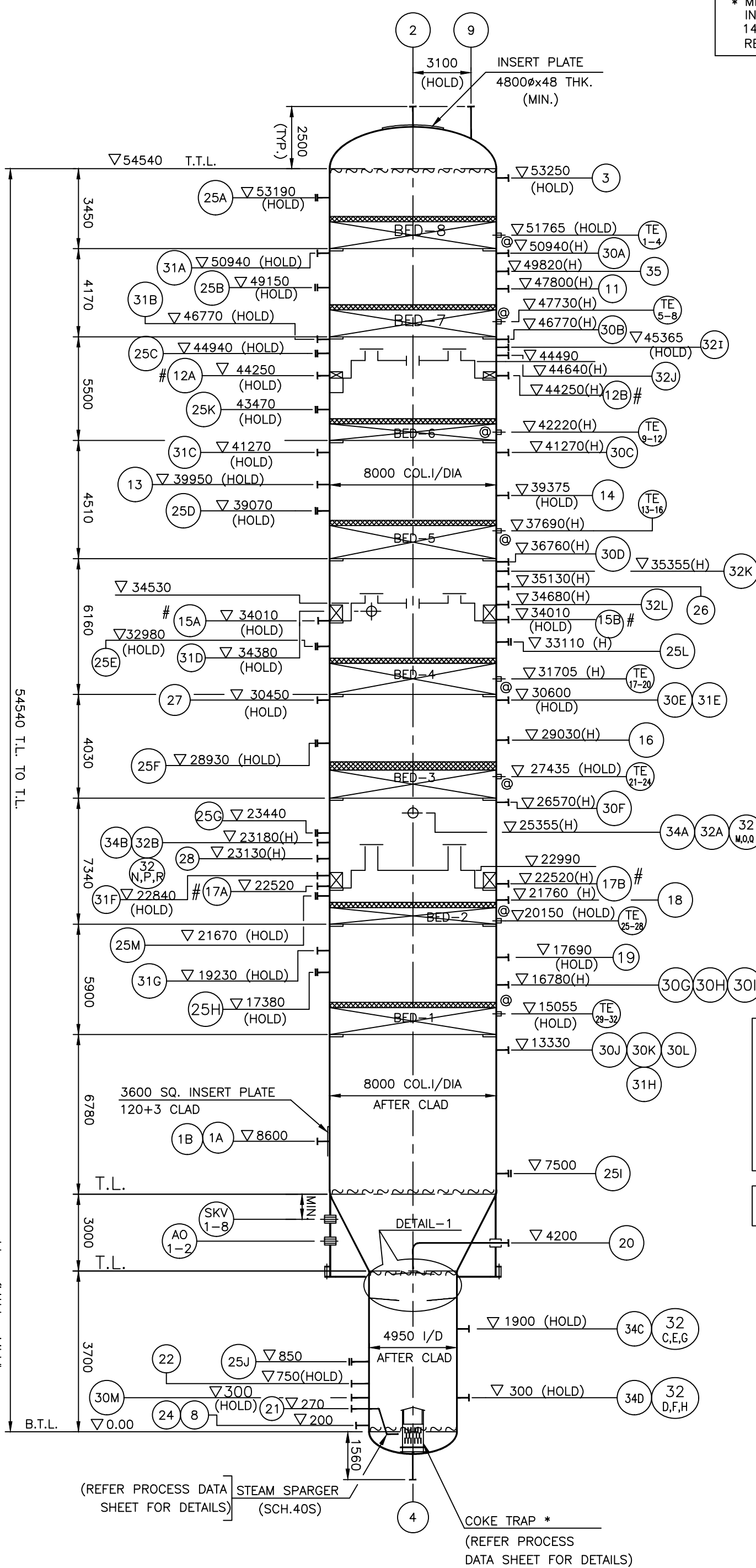
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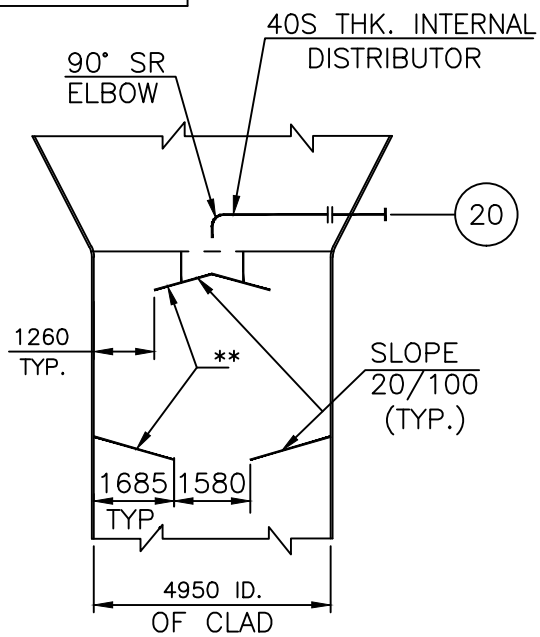
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* MIN. THK. OF SS304L
INTERNALS SHALL BE
14 THK.
REFER NOTE-22



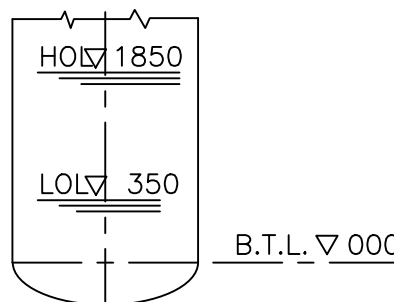
DETAIL-1
** REFER PROCESS DATA SHEET

@ 1/2" STUD BOLT & 1 1/2" 3000#
NPT HALF COUPLING FOR 32NOS.
SKIN THERMOCOUPLES WITH FOUR
INSTALLATION AT EACH BED
(REFER DETAIL ON SHEET-6).

INVERT INSIDE OF WITHDRAWAL NOZZLE
TO BE FLUSH WITH TOP OF DRAW-OFF
PAN SUPPORT RING.

LOCATE THERMOWELLS IN
- VAPOUR SPACE BELOW PACKING : NOZZLES 30A-F
- BOTTOM LIQUID : NOZZLE 30M
- FEED ZONE/SLURRY BED TOP AT 120° SPACING : NOZZLES
30G, 30H, 30I,
30J, 30K, 30L

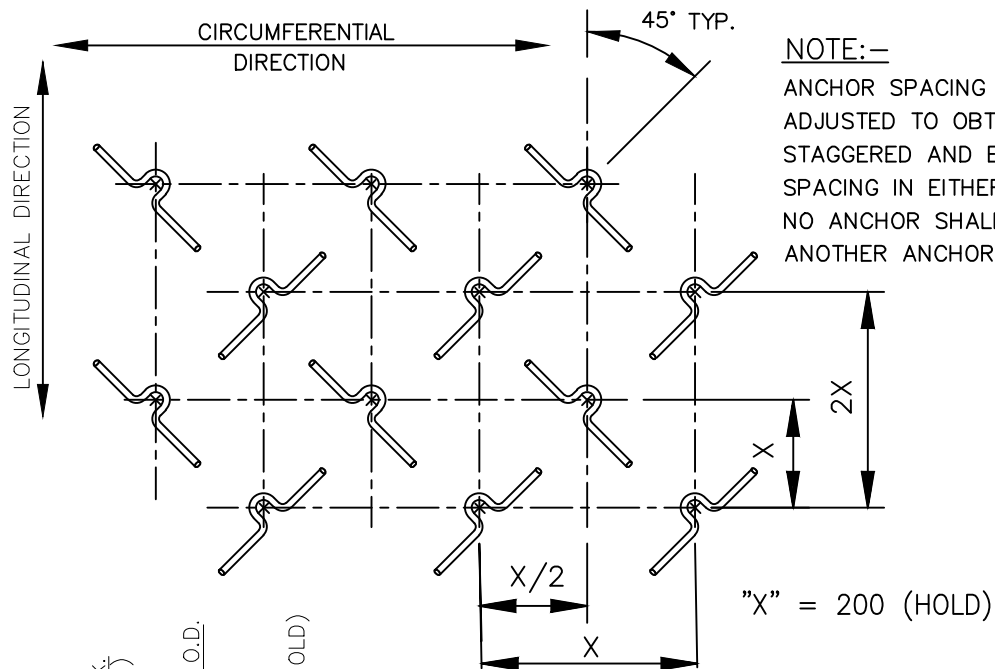
LOCATE PRESSURE INSTRUMENT IN VAPOUR SPACE



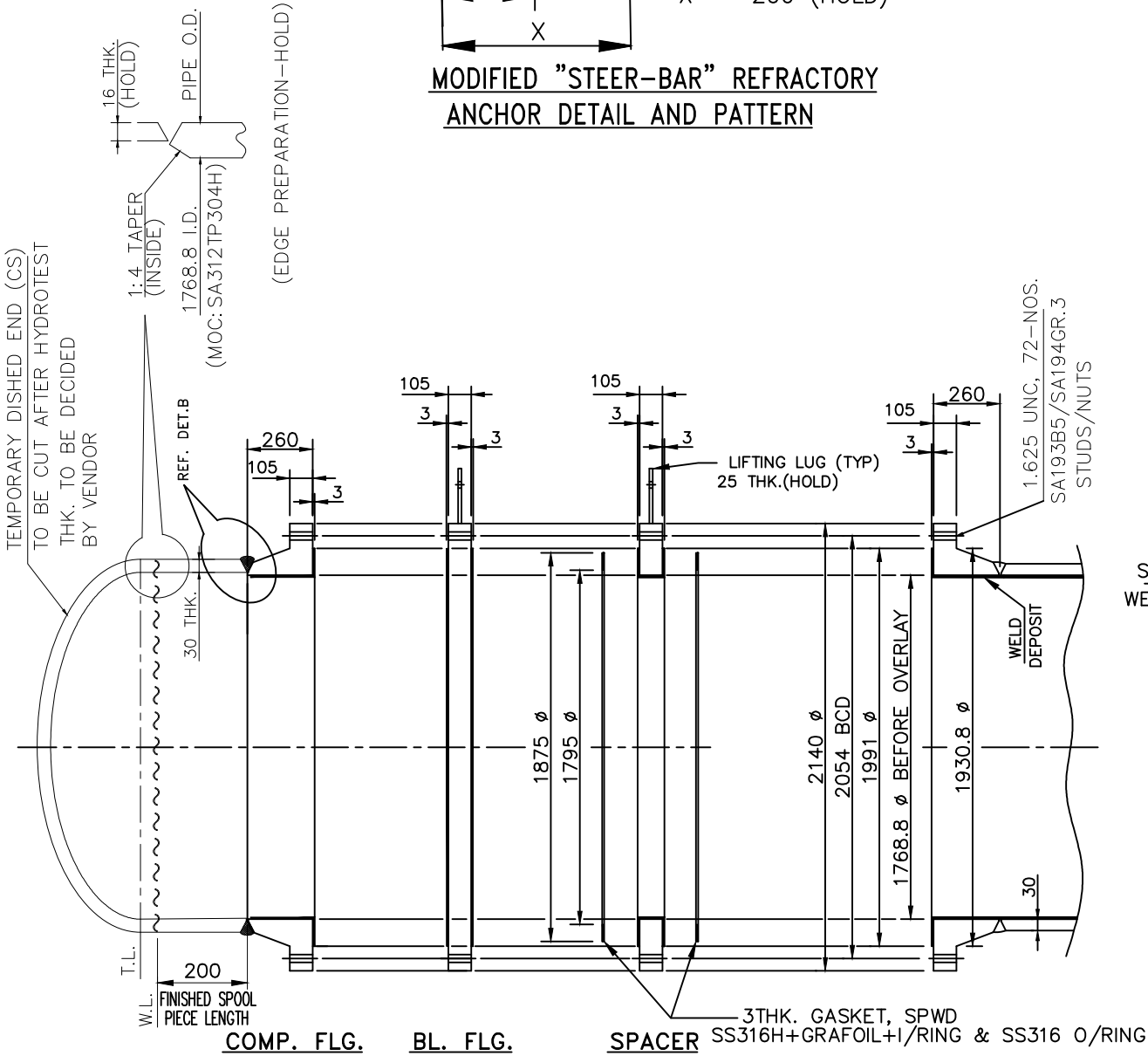
LIQUID LEVEL
DETAILS

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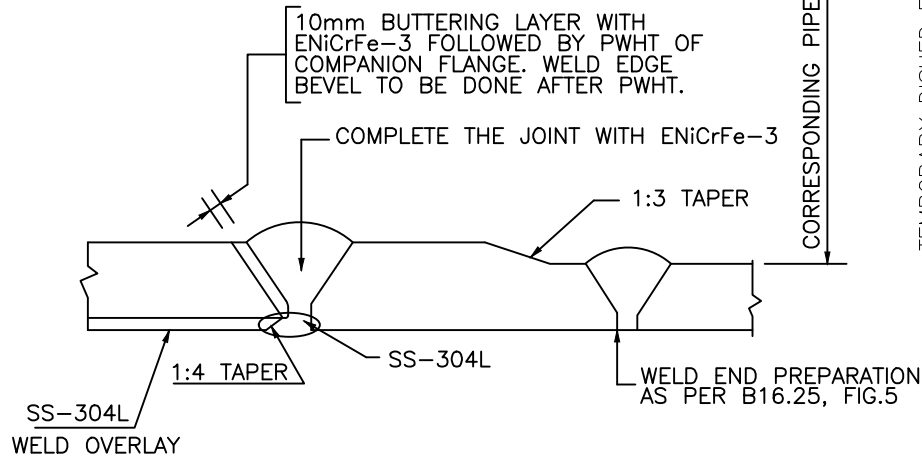


MODIFIED "STEER-BAR" REFRACTORY ANCHOR DETAIL AND PATTERN

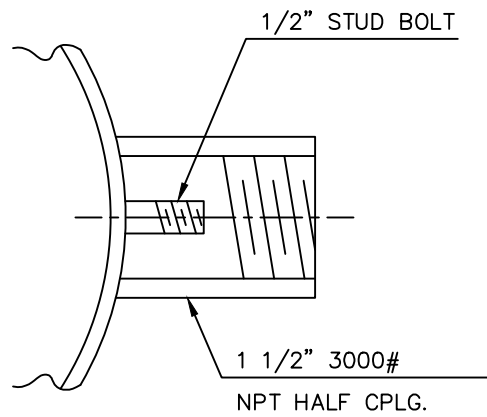


FLANGE DETAIL FOR NOZZLE- 1A/B (FEED)
(SIZE - 72"NB, MOC : SA 336 F22 CL.3+SS 304L W.V.)
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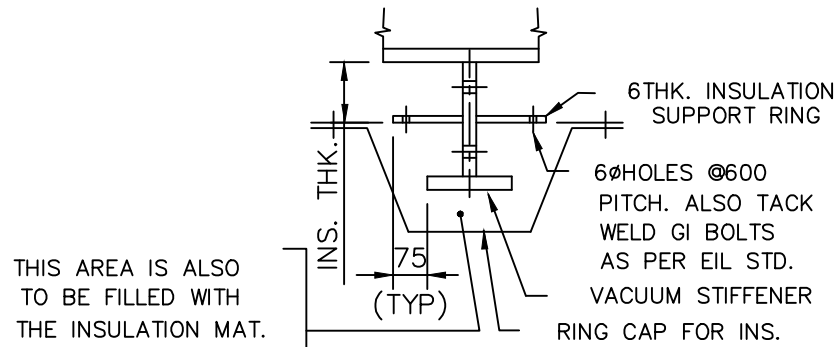
DETAIL FOR NOZZLE- 1 A/B (FEED)
(NOZZLE I.D.)



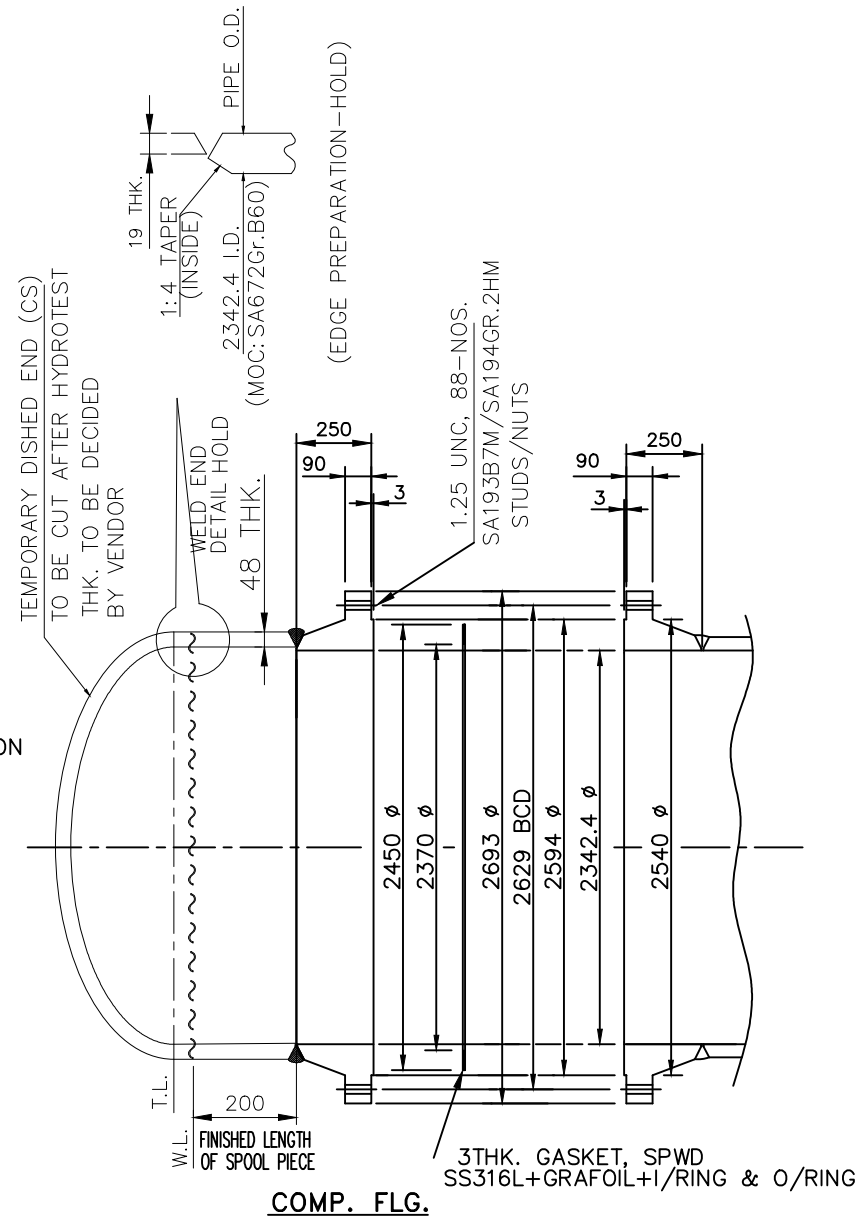
DETAIL - B



SKIN THERMOCOUPLE CONNECTION (TE1-TE32) DETAIL



-VACUUM STIFFENERS SHALL BE USED AS INSULATION SUPPORT.
-ADDITIONAL INSULATION SUPPORTS TO BE PROVIDED AS PER EIL STD. WHEREVER REQUIRED.



DETAIL OF NOZZLE- 2 (O.H. VAPOUR)
(SIZE : 96"NB, MOC : SA 266 Gr.4)

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OSLksy fMtkbu MkVv



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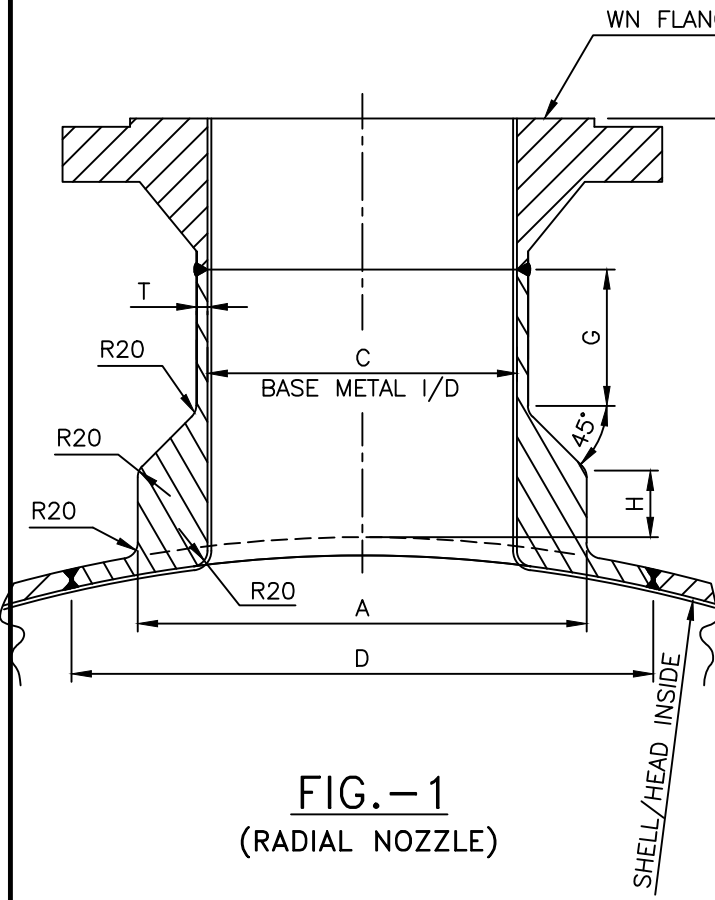


FIG.-1
(RADIAL NOZZLE)

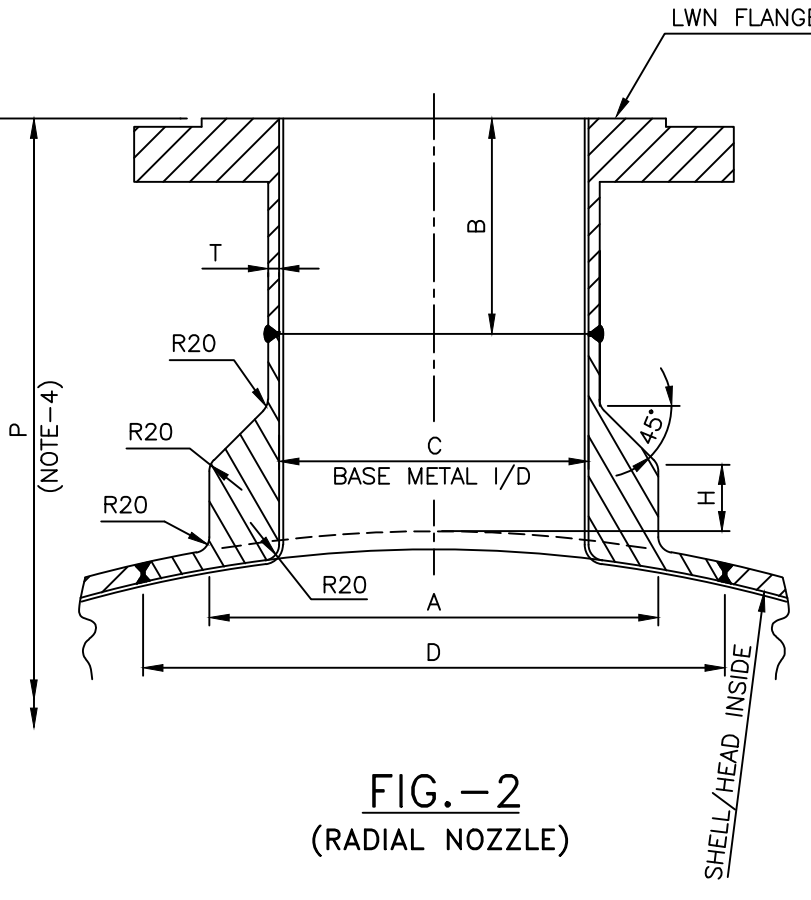


FIG.-2
(RADIAL NOZZLE)

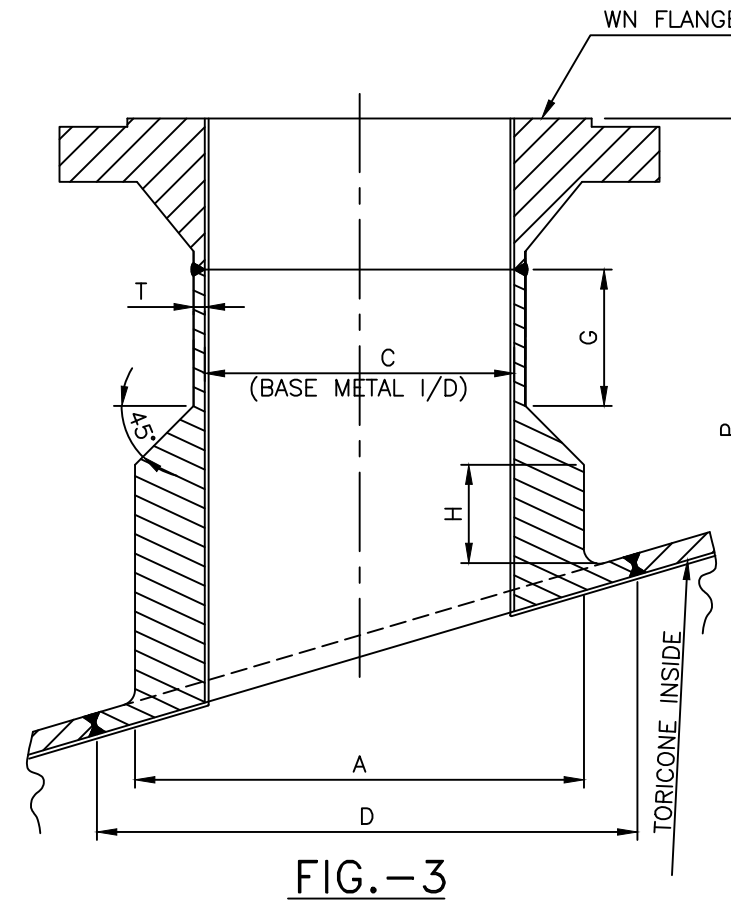


FIG.-3
(CONE NOZZLES)

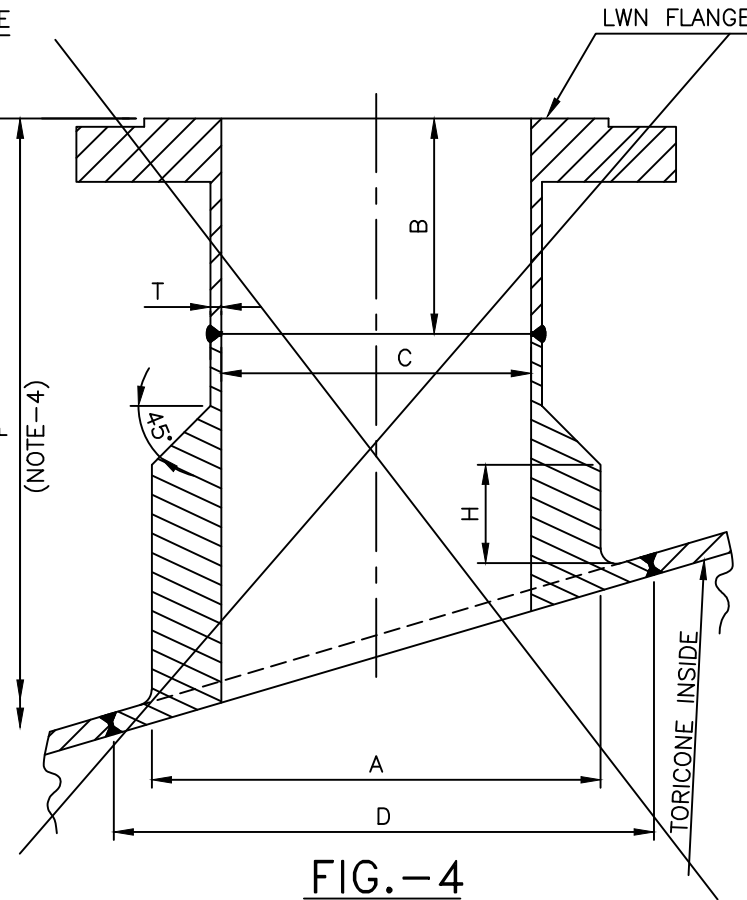
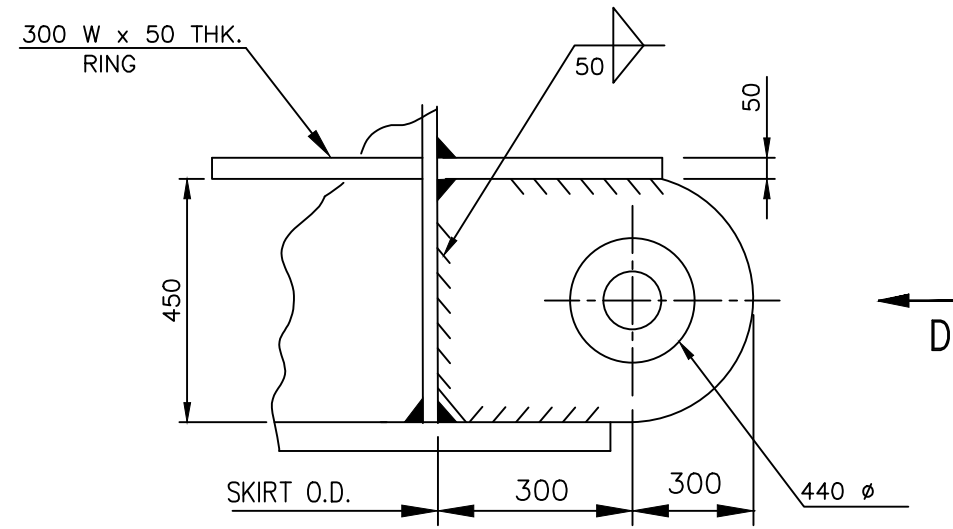


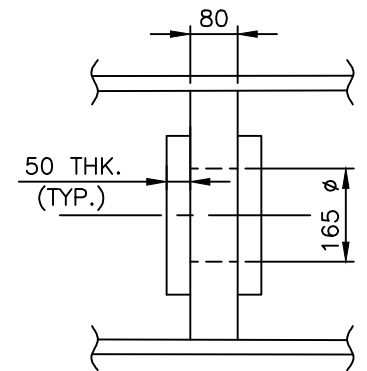
FIG.-4
(CONE NOZZLES)

NOZZLE MARK	SIZE (INCH)	P (MM)	A (MM)	C (MM)	H (MM)	T (MM)	G (MM) (MIN.)	B (MM) (MIN.)	D (MM)	FIG.
1A/B	72	4800	2270	1768.8	180	30	-	-	2370	1
25 I	24	4600	850	549.6	150	30	-	-	950	1
20	6	4400	230	128.3	100	20	-	-	330	3
31H,30J/K/L	3	4350	200	76.2	50	20.5	-	-	300	2

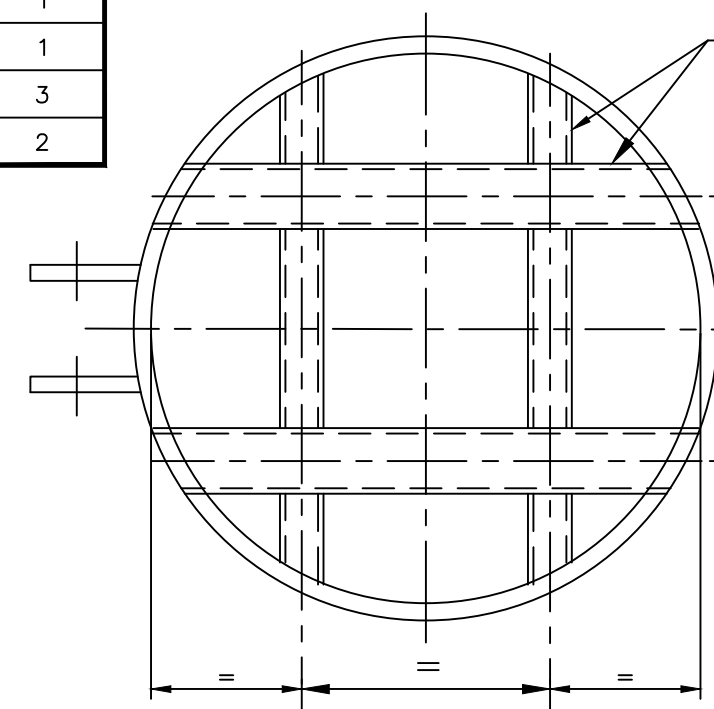
DETAIL OF SELF REINFORCED NOZZLE



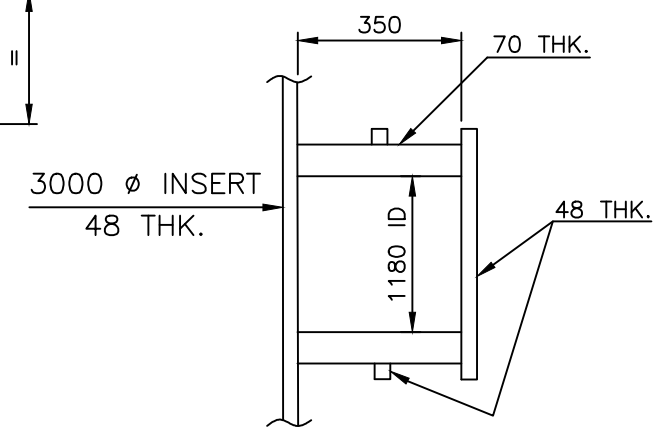
2 NOS OF TAILING LUG DETAIL
(DESIGN BY VENDOR-DIMENSIONS ARE MIN. TO BE FOLLOWED)



VIEW-D



STIFFENING DETAIL OF SKIRT
(DESIGN BY VENDOR)



LIFTING TRUNION DETAIL
(DIMENSIONS ARE MINIMUM TO BE FOLLOWED)
(DESIGN BY VENDOR)



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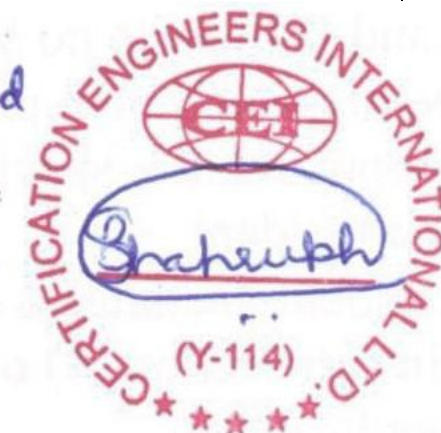
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1.	Main Fractionator Column	111-C-2101

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1.0	Design & Drawings approval	ASME Sec VIII Div.1 Ed 2017, MDS	Approved Drawings & Calculations	ASME Sec VIII Div.1 Ed 2017	Approved Drawings	-	H	R		
2.0	Inspection & Test Plan	ASME Sec VIII Div.1 Ed 2017 & Approved Drawings, PR	Documents & inspection stages	ASME Sec VIII Div.1 Ed 2017 & Approved Drg & PR	ITP	-	H	R		
3.0	Review of Procedures									
3.1	All Manufacturing, Test procedures (NDE, Surface Preparation & Painting, Forming & Heat Treatment)	ASME SEC.V, ASME Sec IX & Sec VIII Div.1 1 Ed 2017, PR, APPROVED DRAWING, PR Specifications.	Compliance to ASME CODES & PR	ASME SEC.V, ASME Sec IX & Sec VIII Div.1 1 Ed 2017, PR, APPROVED DRAWING	Procedures	-	H	R	To be submitted for information	
3.2	Welding Process	WPS/PQR/WPQ (shall be within 5 years)	Compliance to ASME CODES & PR.	ASME SEC.V, ASME Sec IX & Sec VIII Div.1 1 Ed 2017, PR, APPROVED DRAWING	WPS/PQR/W PQ	-	H	R / W	R-for existing; W-for New.	
4.0	Raw materials									
4.1	Plates, Pipes & Forgings at sourcing locations	Approved Drawings & Purchase Order, PR	As per PR and ASME Sec IIA Ed 2017	As per PR and ASME Sec IIA Ed 2017	Test Certificates	-	H	*	*Refer Note -9	

All CS materials shall meet the requirements of EIL Specification, 6-12-0011, 6-79-0013. Plates shall be procured with HIC test as per TM-02-84 and shall meet the requirements of specification


All Low alloy steel materials shall meet the requirements 6-12-0017, 6-12-0018, clad plates 6-12-0015, stain less steel plates 6-12-0020 with respect to C, CE, Composition, NDT, Simulation HT, hardness, impact, mechanical properties etc

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4.2	Raw materials after receipt								
4.2.1	Plates for shells, PTC and dished ends, All parts welded to Pr parts + All process wetted parts	Approved Drawings & Purchase Order, PR	As per PR and ASME Sec IIA Ed 2017	As per PR and ASME Sec IIA Ed 2017	Test Certificates	-	H	H	
4.2.2	Nozzles, forgings, pipes & flanges, and Fittings.	Approved Drawings & Purchase Order	As per TDC and ASME Sec IIA Ed 2017 & PR	As per TDC and ASME Sec IIA Ed 2017 & PR	Test Certificates	-	H	H	
4.2.3	Non-Pressure parts	Approved Drawings & Purchase Order	As per material specification	As per material specification	Test Certificates	-	H	R	
4.2.4	Welding consumables	Purchase Order	As per ASME Sec IIC Ed 2017 & PR	As per ASME Sec IIC Ed 2017 & PR	Test Certificates	-	H	R	
4.2.5	Fasteners and Gaskets	Approved Drawings & Purchase Order	As per TDC and ASME Sec IIA Ed 2017	As per TDC and ASME Sec IIA Ed 2017	Test Certificates	-	H	R	
4.2.6	Base Ring Template	Approved Drawings & Purchase Order	As per TDC and ASME Sec IIA Ed 2017	As per TDC and ASME Sec IIA Ed 2017	Test Certificates	P	H	R	.

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5.0	Fabrication of Dished ends								
5.1	Transfer of marking and heat number	As per Material test certificates	Heat no and material specification	Approved drawing	-	P	H	W	
5.2	Fit up & welding of long seam	Approved Drawings	Offset & weld geometry	Approved drawing & WPS	Fit up report	P	H	W	
5.3	100 % PT on root & final weld, chipped back LS weld, Cu SO4 solution test after clad removal \$ (typ)	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	RW	
5.4	100 % RT of completed LS weld	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved RT Procedure	RT Films	P	H	R	
5.5	Clad restoration on Long seam \$	Approved Drawings	Parameters as per WPS, Welder Qualification	WPS	-	P	H	-	
5.6	100 % PT on clad restoration after each pass \$	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	RW	
5.7	Chemical analysis of clad (2 samples) per seam \$	ASME Sec IIC & Clad procedure	As per specification	As per specification	Analysis report (Note-3)	-	H	R	Per WPS/ Welder basis

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5.8	Forming of dished end	Approved Drawings ASME Sec VIII Div. 1	Visual & Dimensional check, Template check	Approved Drawings	Dimension Report	P	H	-	
5.9	100 % PT of knuckle area (Note-2)	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	W	
5.10	100% UT on Crown , Knuckle, WEP and straight face	Approved procedures	Thickness measurement & Dis-bondment check \$	Approved Drawing, procedures	UT report	P	H	W	
5.11	Visual & Final Dimensions including Dished end profile checking with Template	Approved Drawing ASME Sec VIII Div. 1	Dimensions	Approved Drawing	Dimension Report	P	H	W #	# Trial Assembly & fit-up in case of Crown & Petal construction
6.0	Fabrication of Main shell along with PTC								
6.1	Plate marking & cutting	Approved drawing & cutting plan	Dimensions	Approved Drawings	-	P	-	-	Refer Note-6
6.2	Shell rolling	Approved drawing & cutting plan	Dimensions	Approved Drawings	-	P	H	-	
6.3	Long seam fit up & welding along with test coupon	Approved Drawings	Offset & weld geometry	Approved drawing & WPS	Fit up report	P	H	W	

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6.4	100 % PT on root & final weld ,chipped back LS weld	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	R	
6.5	RT of completed LS weld & test coupon	Approved drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved RT Procedure	RT Films	P	H	R	
6.6	Clad restoration on Long seam & test coupon \$	Approved Drawings	Parameters as per WPS	WPS	-	P	-	-	
6.7	100 % PT on clad restoration each layer \$	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	RW	
6.8	Chemical analysis of clad (2 samples) per seam \$	ASME Sec IIC & Clad procedure	As per specification & PR	As per specification & PR	Analysis report (Note-3)	-	H	W	Per welder / WPS/ shell course basis
6.9	Ferrite check of clad overlay (2 spots per seam) \$	ASME Sec IIC Ed 2017	Ferrite content	As per drawing	Ferrite Report	-	H	RW	
6.10	UT on Rolled sections of clad and weld overlay \$	Approved procedures	Disbondment	Approved procedures,	UT report	P	H	W	
6.11	Testing of test coupon	ASME Sec VIII Div.1 Ed 2017	Tensile & Hardness	ASME Sec VIII Div.1 Ed 2017	Test reports	-	H	RW	

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7.0	Shell to Shell to Circular seam fabrication								
7.1	CS fit up & welding	Approved Drawings	Offset & weld geometry	Approved drawing & WPS	Fit up report	P	H	W	
7.2	100 % PT on root & final weld, chipped back CS weld	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	R	
7.3	RT of completed CS weld	Approved drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved RT Procedure	RT Films	P	H	R	
7.4	Clad restoration on C- seam \$	Approved Drawings	Parameters as per WPS	WPS	-	P	-	-	
7.5	100 % PT on clad restoration after each pass \$	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	RW	
7.6	Chemical analysis of clad (2 samples) per seam \$	ASME Sec IIC & Clad procedure	As per specification & PR	As per specification & PR	Analysis report (Note-3)	-	H	RW	
7.7	Ferrite check of clad overlay (2 spots per seam) \$	ASME Sec IIC Ed 2017	Ferrite content	As per drawing	Ferrite Report	-	H	RW	

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8.0	Shell to Dished end circular seam fabrication								
8.1	CS fit up & welding	Approved Drawings	Offset & weld geometry	Approved drawing & WPS	Fit up report	P	H	W	
8.2	100 % PT on root & final weld, chipped back CS weld	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	R	
8.3	RT of completed CS weld	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved RT Procedure	RT Films	P	H	R	
8.4	Clad restoration on C- seam \$	Approved Drawings	Parameters as per WPS	WPS	-	P	H	-	
8.5	100 % PT on clad restoration after each pass \$	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	RW	
8.6	Chemical analysis of clad (2 samples) per seam \$	ASME Sec IIC & Clad procedure	As per specification & PR	As per specification & PR	Analysis report (Note-3)	-	H	RW	
8.7	Ferrite check of clad overlay (2 spots per seam) \$	ASME Sec IIC Ed 2017	Ferrite content	As per drawing	Ferrite Report	-	H	RW	

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9.0	Weld overlay of Nozzles, Pipes, Elbows and blind flanges								
9.1	Weld overlay \$	Approved drawings	Welding parameters	Adherence to WPS	-	P	-	-	
9.2	Weld overlay thickness from inside the nozzles \$	Approved drawings	Thickness	Approved drawings	Inspection Report	-	H	W	
9.3	Chemical analysis of weld overlay (1 sample per size representing manual weld overlays of Nozzles, Pipes, Fittings) per seam \$	ASME Sec IIC & Clad procedure	As per specification	As per specification	Analysis report (Note-3)	-	H	RW	RW-by TPIA is applicable during sample collection only.
9.4	Ferrite check of weld overlay(2 spots per weld overlay) (1 sample per size representing manual weld overlays of Nozzles, Pipes, Fittings) \$	ASME Sec IIC Ed 2017	Ferrite content	As per drawing	Ferrite Report	-	H	RW	
9.5	100 % PT of weld overlay after each pass \$	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	R	

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10.0	Fabrication of Nozzle Assemblies								
10.1	Fit up & welding of C-seams of pipes/ elbows/ flanges / nozzle neck, internal pipes	Approved Drawings	Offset & weld geometry	Approved drawing & WPS	Fit up report	P	H	R	Functional test for Davit.
10.2	RT of completed CS weld & L-seam of rolled nozzles	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved RT Procedure	RT Films	P	H	R	
10.3	Clad restoration on C-seam \$	Approved Drawings	Parameters as per WPS	WPS	-	P	-	-	
10.4	100 % PT of weld overlay after each pass \$, nozzle to flange root welds	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	RW	
10.5	Chemical analysis of weld overlay(2 samples) per seam \$	ASME Sec IIC & Clad procedure	As per specification	As per specification	Analysis report (Note-3)	-	H	RW	RW-by TPIA is applicable during sample collection only.
10.6	Ferrite check of weld overlay (2 spots per seam (1 sample per size representing Nozzles, Pipes, Fittings) \$	ASME Sec IIC Ed 2017	Ferrite content	As per drawing	Ferrite Report	-	H	RW	

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11.0	Nozzle to shell/dished end fabrication								
11.1	Marking and openings of nozzles on shells	Approved Drawings	Location and orientation	Approved Drawings	-	P	H	R	
11.2	PT on gas cut edges	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	R	
11.3	Fit up & welding of nozzles on shells or dished ends	Approved Drawings	Offset & weld geometry	Approved drawing & WPS	Fit up report	P	H	RW	
11.3.1	Pneumatic test on RF Pads	Approved Drawing	Detection of leakage	Approved Drawing	Approved Drawing	P	H	RW	
11.4	100 % PT on chipped back CS weld	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	R	
11.5	Clad restoration on welds \$	Approved Drawings	Parameters as per WPS	WPS	-	P	-	-	
11.6	100 % PT of weld overlay after each pass \$	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	RW	
11.7	Chemical analysis of weld overlay(2 samples) per seam \$	ASME Sec IIC & Clad procedure	As per specification	As per specification	Analysis report (Note-3)	-	H	RW	RW-by TPIA is applicable during sample collection only.
11.8	Ferrite check of weld overlay (2 spots per seam) \$	ASME Sec IIC Ed 2017	Ferrite content	As per drawing	Ferrite Report	-	H	RW	
11.9	100 % UT for nozzle to shells and nozzle to pipe	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved UT Procedure	UT Report	P	H	W	

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Skirt fabrication, assembly and Final Inspection									
12.0									
12.1	Fit up & welding of Skirt, Skirt with Vessel	Approved Drawings	Dimensions & weld geometry	Approved drawing & WPS	Fit up report	P	H	W	
12.2	RT of C-seam & L-seam	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved RT Procedure	RT Films	P	H	R	
12.3	100 % PT of welds (including root and final welds as applicable)	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	W	
12.4	Dimensional inspection of Skirt	Approved Drawings	Dimensions	Approved Drawings	Report	P	H	W	
12.5	Marking of Internal and external cleats, supports	Approved Drawings	Dimensions	Approved Drawings	Report	P	H	R	
13.0	100% UT of attachments welded directly to cladding	Approved procedures	Detection of flaws	Approved procedures	UT report	P	H	R	Refer Note-12
14.0	Pneumatic test on RF Pads	Approved Drawing	Detection of leakage	Approved Drawing	Approved Drawing	P	H	RW	
15.0	Visual & Final dimensional inspection before PWHT including internals	Approved Drawings	Dimensions, orientations	Approved Drawings	Dimensional report	P	H	H	


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15.1	Internals inside the column	Approved Drawings	Dimension, Orientation and 1) Ovality in Column ID 2) Support Ring Levelness	Approved Drawings, & EIL Standard 7-12-0001	Dimensional report	P	H	H	
16.0	PWHT of equipment along with PTC	PWHT procedure	Calibration of thermocouples/ Recorders	PWHT procedure	HT Chart review	P	H	H for release	
17.0	Testing of test coupons (PTC)	ASME Sec VIII Div. 1Ed 2017 See comment 1	Tensile & Hardness See comment 2	ASME Sec VIII Div. 1Ed 2017	Test Reports	P	H	W	
18.0	NDE after PWHT 100% UT on pressure retaining weld	Approved Drawings See comment 3	Detection of flaws	Approved UT Procedures	UT Report	P	H	W	
19.0	Spot PT on internal & external welds.	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	W	
20.0	Hardness check of all pressure part joints on weld / HAZ / PM	ASME Sec VIII Div. 1Ed 2017 6-12-0003, 6-12-0002 6-12-0007 MR-01-03, 6-79-0013	Hardness	ASME Sec VIII Div. 1Ed 2017 & PR	Test report	P	H	RW	
21.0	Final dimensional inspection after PWHT	Approved Drawings	Dimensions, orientations	Approved Drawings	Dimensional report	P	H	H	


Comment 1: 6-12-0002 para 4.4, 6-12-0003 para 7, 6-12-0007 para 6.5

Comment 2: Tensile, side bend, hardness, macro/ micro, IGC tests


Comment 3: (a) Radiography required after PWHT. (b) UT in lieu of Radiography requires PMC approval ref. para 5.4.8 of 6-12-0001 (c) Clad dished end, toricone, hot formed shells require 100% UT, 10% rest clad for bond integrity

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22.0	PMI Check (only for SS , Alloy Steels)	PR Specification	As per ASME Sec IIC Ed 2017	ASME Sec IIA Ed 2017.	PMI report	P	H	RW	
23.0	Shop Hydro test & Draining, drying, inside cleaning.	Approved Drawings	No pressure drop or leaks	Approved hydro test procedure; draining & drying procedure	Test report	P	H	H	Chloride content in hydro testing water to be as specified in PR
24.0	Pickling & passivation of weld overlay of nozzles, clad surface of shells, dished ends and further cleaning and drying	Approved Drawings	Visual examination	Approved Drawings & PR	Report	P	H	RW	
25.0	Surface preparation & Primer painting,	Approved Drawings	Visual examination & DFT check	Approved Drawings	Report	P	H	RW	
26.0	Primer Paint application	Approved Drawings	Visual & DFT	Approved Drawings	Report	P	H	R	
27.0	Cutting of Complete Vessel into sections & Weld edge preparation for site weld	Approved drawing / cutting plan	Dimensions	Approved Drawings	-	P	H	W	Refer Note-6
28.0	Trial assembly of cut sections, match marking	Approved drawing / cutting plan	Dimensions	Approved Drawings	-	P	H	W	
29.0	Issue of IRN & clearance for dispatch	Approved drawings	All stages as per this approved ITP	-	Release Note	-	-	H	

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30.0	Site fabrication								
30.1	Weld edge, CS fit up & welding	Approved Drawings	Visual, Offset & weld geometry	Approved drawing & WPS	Fit up report	P	H	W	
30.2	100 % PT on root & final weld, chipped back CS weld	Approved Drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved PT Procedure	PT Report	P	H	R	
30.3	RT of completed CS weld	approved drawings	Detection of flaws	Approved RT Procedure	RT Films	P	H	R	For site weld in Pressure part
30.4	Local PWHT for the column	PWHT procedure	Calibration of thermocouples/ Recorders	PWHT procedure	HT Chart review	P	H	H for release	
30.5	Local Box Type Hydro test (as specified in drawing)	Approved Drawings	No pressure drop or leaks	Approved hydro test procedure; draining & drying procedure	Test report	P	H	H	
30.6	Surface preparation & Primer painting	Approved Drawings	Visual examination & DFT check	Approved Drawings	Report	P	H	RW	Only where touch up is applicable
30.7	Issue of site IRN	Approved drawings	All stages as per this approved ITP	-	Release Note	-	-	H	
30.8	Manufacturer's Data Report & Final documentation	Approved drawings & this ITP	Completeness	Approved drawings & this ITP	Reports	-	H	H	QAP sign off by TPIA

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Notes:

(a) Low alloy steels: All weld edges shall be checked by MPI (b) UT of weld edges shall be done as per specification 6-12-0003

- For qualification any new WPS, or new WPQ, witness of TPIA is envisaged.
- In case, the bevel edges are made with gas cutting, the edges shall be 100 % PT tested.
- Wherever chemical analysis of weld metal overlay shall be measured, it shall be at a depth of 2/3rd of the cladding thickness from top of the finished overlay surface.
- Weld over lay thickness cannot be more than 3 mm over and above the required clad thickness.
- All specifications as available in drawings shall be complied.
- In case site weld is required to be done in line to drawing, suitable extra dimensions are to be provided such that complete equipment after shop hydro test is cut into pieces and transported to site followed by seam welding at site.
- All requirements as per PR (Purchase Requisition) shall be met.
- For weld overlay, electrode for barrier layer E309MoL shall be used in line with EIL Spec. No. 6-12-0007.
- Witness by TPIA for indigenous clad plates during explosion bonding activity of base plate with stainless steel plate followed by identification. Witness by TPIA for imported plate material.
- Extent of RT will be in line to approved drawings.
- EIL Spec 6-12-0007 Rev 5 Cl. No. 5.1.5: For welding of clad piping components such as pipe to pipe / pipe fitting from single side where approach from clad side is not accessible, shall be done with a welding consumable matching the clad material followed by an intermediate layer of pure iron (ARMCO/KARDO Iron) welding filler material and then by a welding consumable matching the base material.
- EIL Spec 6-12-0007 Rev 5 Cl. No. 6.1.4: 100% UT shall be carried out of areas where attachments are to be welded directly to the cladding. The above areas shall include 50mm width of adjacent areas on both sides of attachment.
- \$ These stages are applicable for Clad zone only.

Legends:

P: Perform	WPS: Welding procedure specification	DFT: Dry film thickness	LS: Longitudinal Seam welding
R: Review	WPQ: Welder performance Qualification	HT Chart: Heat Treatment chart	CS-Circular Seam welding
H: Hold	RT: Radiographic testing	PR-Purchase Requisition	
W: Witness	UT: Ultrasonic testing	Prod: Production	
RW: Random Witness	PT: Dye penetrant testing	Qua: Quality	
	MPT: Magnetic particle testing	IRN: Inspection release note issued by TPIA	

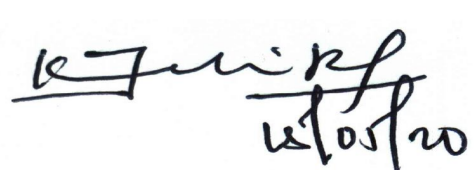
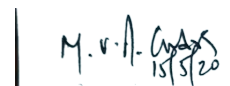
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All NDT procedures shall meet the requirements of applicable codes and specifications, PR
Scope and extent , acceptance criteria shall be as per applicable drawing and specifications



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1. SCOPE

This procedure specifies the requirement for radiographic examination of butt welded joints in steel(Carbon Steel, Alloy Steel, Stainless Steel etc.) and non-ferrous materials using x-rays or gamma rays as a source of radiation for detecting and evaluating flaws within the weld and HAZ (heat affected zone). It applies to the welded joints in pressure vessels, heat exchangers, columns and pipes etc. Radiographic technique used to demonstrate that required IQI sensitivity and density requirements are achieved.

2. POLICY

- 2.1.** The radiographic examination be carried out either as or one of the procedures enumerated in the following pages which are verified and found to be in accordance with latest ASME SEC V or as per any other applicable referencing code sections and specifications.
- 2.2.** Only personnel qualified in accordance with BHEL HPVP NDE Written Practice shall carry out any radiographic examination.


3. APPLICABLE STANDARDS

- 3.1.** ASME SEC V Edition 2019.
- 3.2.** Construction code sections ASME Sec I, ASME Sec VIII Div 1, ASME Sec VIII Div 2 Edition 2019, ASME B31.1 Edition 2016, NBIC NB 23 Edition 2019, SNT-TC-1A Edition 2016 & ASME SEC V Edition 2019 Art.1.

4. SYSTEM

All radiographic examination procedures be amended and approved as required by NDE level III taking into consideration of

- 4.1.** Experience gained in various examination procedures.
- 4.2.** Recommendations of audit teams.
- 4.3.** Referencing code sections.

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5. SURFACE PREPARATION:

The weld ripples or weld surface irregularities on both inside(where accessible) and outside shall be removed by any suitable process to such a degree that the images of surface irregularities cannot mask or be confused with the image of any discontinuity on the resulting radiograph.

The finished surface of all butt-welded joints may be flush with the base material or may have reasonably uniform crones, with reinforcement not to exceed that specified in the referencing code section.


Welds be visually examined to ensure free from surface irregularities which can mask or cause difficulty in detecting discontinuities. If required surface be ground and surface imperfections removed.

6. REINFORCEMENT

The thickness of reinforcement on each side of all butt welded longitudinal and circumferential joints not exceed the limits as given below:

As per ASME Sec-VIII Div 1:

Material thickness (Nominal) (mm)	Permitted Maximum Reinforcement	
	Cat B& C Butt welds (mm)	Other welds (mm)
< 2.4	2.4	0.8
2.4 to 4.8	3.0	1.5
>4.8 to 13	4.0	2.5
>13 to 25	5.0	2.5
>25 to 51	6.0	3.0
>51 to 76	6.0	4.0
>76 to 102	6.0	5.5
>102 to 127	6.0	6.0
>127	8.0	8.0

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As per ASME Sec-VIII Div 2:


Material thickness (Nominal) (mm)	Permitted Maximum Reinforcement	
	Circumferential welds in Pipes & Tubes (mm)	Other welds (mm)
< 2.5	2.5	0.8
≥ 2.5 to < 5.0	2.5	1.5
≥ 5.0 to < 13.0	3.0	2.5
≥ 13.0 to < 25.0	4.0	2.5
≥ 25.0 to < 50.0	4.0	3.0
≥ 50.0 to < 76.0	4.0	4.0
≥ 76.0 to < 100.0	5.5	5.5
≥ 100.0 to < 125.0	6.0	6.0
≥ 125.0	8.0	8.0

As per ASME Sec-I:

Material thickness (Nominal) (mm)	Permitted Maximum Reinforcement	
	Circumferential welds in Pipes & Tubes (mm)	Other welds (mm)
< 3.0	2.5	2.5
3.0 to 5.0	3.0	2.5
>5.0 to 13.0	4.0	2.5
>13.0 to 25.0	5.0	2.5
>25.0 to 50.0	6.0	3.0
>50.0 to 75.0	The greater of 6 mm or 1/8 times the width of the Weld (in mm).	4.0
>75.0 to 100.0		5.5
>100.0 to 125.0		6.0
>125.0		8.0

7. SELECTION OF RADIOGRAPH

Either Agfa D4/D7 or Fuji IX 50/100 brand radiographs be used

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8. INTENSIFYING SCREENS

For Iridium 192,X-ray(150 KV – 200 KV) 0.15 mm thick, Co-60 0.25 mm thick front and back Lead intensifying screens shall be used.

9. IMAGE QUALITY INDICATIONS (IQI)

9.1. SELECTION :

9.1.1. MATERIAL:

IQI shall be selected from either the same alloy material group or grade as identified in SE-747 for ASTM wire type or SE-1025 for hole type IQI or grade with less radiation absorption than the material being radiographed.

9.1.2. SIZE:


Nominal single wall Thickness of the base metal (thickness of the thinner incase dissimilar thickness base metals are joined) including the estimated allowed weld reinforcement both in ID and OD be considered for IQI selection. The values used for the estimated weld reinforcement thicknesses shall be representative of the weld conditions and shall not exceed the maximums permitted by the referencing code section. Physical measurement of the actual weld reinforcements not required. Backing rings or strips shall not be considered as part of the thickness in IQI selection. Refer Clause. 14 below for the selection of IQI designation.

9.2. PLACEMENT:

IQI(s) be placed on source side of the object unless hand placing of IQI is not feasible. In such case, the IQI be placed on radiograph side of weld with a letter 'F' placed adjacent to the IQI.

Wire type IQI's be placed on the weld so that the lengths of the wires are transverse to the longitudinal axis of the weld and Hole type IQI's be placed adjacent and parallel to the weld axis, one at each end of the radiography spot..

When weld reinforcement or backing strip is not removed, a shim of material radiographically similar to weld metal be kept under the hole type IQI.

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9.3. NUMBER OF IQI's:

For unidirectional exposures, at least one IQI image appears on each radiograph where one or more radiograph holders are used for an exposure. If the density of the radiograph varies by more than –15% or +30% from the density through the body of hole type IQI, or adjacent to the required wire, an additional IQI be used for each exceptional area or areas and the radiograph is retaken.

For cylindrical components where the source is placed on the axis of the component for a single exposure at least three IQI's be placed approximately 120° apart.

10. RADIATION ENERGY SELECTION (SOURCE SELECTION):

The selection be such that required IQI sensitivity and density are achieved.


The recommended source for radiography of objects is as below.

Applicable ranges shall be as per provisions in Article 22 SE 94

- Iridium 192 – with thickness from 6 to 65 mm.
- Co-60 – for thickness above 35 mm.
- X-ray equipments (100 KV – 200 KV) may be used for thickness 12 mm and below to achieve higher sensitivity, if required.

11. BACK-SCATTER RADIATION

A lead symbol 'B' shall be placed within the area of radiograph with minimum dimensions of 11 mm height and 1.5 mm thick be attached on the back side of each radiograph holder to determine if back-scatter radiation is exposing the radiograph.

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12. SYSTEM OF IDENTIFICATION:

Each radiograph must be identified uniquely so that there is a permanent correlation between the part radiographed and the radiograph.

A system of permanent identification of the radiograph be provided with the following minimum details.

- 12.1.** HPVP Manufacturer Symbol/Name and NDE Subcontractor's Symbol/Name.
- 12.2.** Work Order Number.
- 12.3.** SAP generated RT number if requisition raised through SAP.
- 12.4.** Welder No. and Part Number for Non SAP Requisitions.
- 12.5.** Equipment number, if any.
- 12.6.** Weld seam number, if any.
- 12.7.** Segment number (location marker).
- 12.8.** Date of radiography.
- 12.9.** Letter 'R1, R2' to indicate first repair, second repair etc. when required.
- 12.10.** Letter 'RT' to indicate retaken radiograph when required.


13. RADIOGRAPH MAKING TECHNIQUES:

Normally a single wall single image (SWSI) radiography technique be used.

For test objects with external diameter less than 89 mm (DWDI) double wall double image Elliptical technique or (DWSI) double wall single image technique or Super imposition technique be used.

(Note: When DWDI technique is used, one exposure be taken unless otherwise specified. The source position be such that two weld images are clearly separated. The maximum separation between two weld images / distance between two weld images be one weld width. IQI be placed on the source side.

In case of DWSI or Super imposition techniques sufficient number of radiography shots ensuring full coverage of the weld seam be used. The IQI be placed close to the radiograph with a lead letter "F")

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14. IQI SELECTION: As per Table T-276 of ASME Sec V Edition 2019


Weld thickness (base metal thickness + Estimated allowed reinforcement) (mm)	Source side			Radiograph side		
	Hole Type Designation	Essential hole	Wire- type Essential wire	Hole Type Designation	Essential hole	Wire type Essential wire
Upto 6.4	12	2T	5	10	2T	4
Over 6.4 to 9.5	15	2T	6	12	2T	5
Over 9.5 to 12.7	17	2T	7	15	2T	6
Over 12.7 to 19.0	20	2T	8	17	2T	7
Over 19.0 to 25.4	25	2T	9	20	2T	8
Over 25.4 to 38.1	30	2T	10	25	2T	9
Over 38.1 to 50.8	35	2T	11	30	2T	10
Over 50.8 to 63.5	40	2T	12	35	2T	11
Over 63.5 to 101.6	50	2T	13	40	2T	12
Over 101.6 to 152.4	60	2T	14	50	2T	13

15. GEOMETRIC UNSHARPNESS:

Recommended maximum values of Ug are tabulated below


Material Thickness (mm)	Ug Maximum (mm)
Under 50	0.51
50-75	0.76
75-100	1.01
>100	1.78

$$\text{Exposure Time (Ci minutes)} = \frac{\text{Film factor} * (\text{SFD in Meters})^2 * 2^{(\text{thickness of job/HVT of material})}}{(\text{RHM of Source})} \times 60$$

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General requirements:

- Persons working in radiation areas be provided with Personnel monitoring device (TLDs) and Radiation area monitoring devices (Survey meters).
- Personnel Qualification: The minimum qualification of radiography operator be BARC qualified and certified radiographer.
- The minimum Qualification of Radiography Evaluation personnel be ASNT / ISNT Level II.
- Extent of Examination: As per Applicable Drawing / QA plan / NDE plan.
- Marking and identification of the radiograph: Work order no., Joint No., Spot No(s). be permanently marked on the job by stamping. Where stamping is not permitted by code / specification (< 6mm for ferrous plates) sketches be prepared to identify weld joints and radiography spots.
- Location of weld in the radiograph: Set of Markers (arrows or V's) be placed on both sides of the weld at least 5 mm from the edge of the weld. At least two such sets be placed at each end of the radiography spot.
- Alignment of radiation beam: be directed to the centre of the area being radiographed and shall be perpendicular to the object surface at that point.
- Over lap of radiographs: When multiple radiographs are used to cover entire length of weld seams adjacent radiographs overlap at least 25 mm.
- Radiation Exposure times: Exposure charts indicating thickness vs exposure time (Gamma ray-Ir-192) or thickness vs milli Ampere minutes(mA-mts) (X-ray) prepared exclusively for a particular brand / type industrial x-ray radiograph shall be used.

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16. EVALUATION:

16.1. FACILITIES FOR RADIOGRAPH VIEWING:

Radiographs shall be viewed in a room with subdued light after dark adaptation of eyes (minimum 5 minutes) using an illuminator of sufficient illumination. The illuminator shall have facility to adjust the illumination level required for the particular radiograph.

16.2. QUALITY OF RADIOGRAPHS:

All radiographs be free from mechanical, chemical or other blemishes to the extent that they cannot mask or be confused with the image of any discontinuity in the area of interest including:

- i. Fogging
- ii. Processing marks such as streaks, chemical stains, water marks, air bubble marks
- iii. Handling marks such as scratches, finger marks, nail marks, static marks, marks due to dirt on lead intensifying screens.
- iv. False indications due to defective screens.


16.3. RADIOGRAPHIC DENSITY:

Density estimation / measurement: The Density be estimated either with a calibrated densitometer or with a step wedge comparison radiograph.

Density of a radiograph at adjacent to essential hole/ wire and area of interest shall be from 1.8 minimum for single film viewing with X-Ray and 2.0(minimum) for Gamma Rays. For composite viewing of multiple film exposures, each film of the composite set shall have a minimum density of 1.3. The maximum density shall be 4.0 for single or composite viewing.

The density anywhere through the area of interest be within – 15% and +30% of that density obtained through the body of the hole type IQI adjacent to the essential hole or adjacent to the essential wire of wire-type IQI.

A tolerance of 0.05 in density is allowed for variation between densitometer readings.

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When shims are used with hole type IQI(s) the +30% restriction may be exceeded, and the minimum density requirements mentioned above do not apply provided required IQI sensitivity is met.

16.4. EXCESSIVE BACKSCATTER

If a white image of a letter 'B' appears against a darker background, protection from back scatter radiation is needed and the radiograph be retaken by keeping a lead sheet of 1/16" thick at the back of the radiograph cassette.

16.5. IQI SENSITIVITY:

Essential Hole or Essential wire as referred above in "Clause 14" IQI selection be visible. For wire type IQI's the essential wire shall be visible within the area of interest representing the thickness used for determining the essential wire, inclusive of the allowable density variations described in Clause 16.3.

17. DISPOSITION OF WELDS:


Radiography review form shown in Exhibit 1 be used for recording, reporting evaluation and disposition details.

The indications shown on the radiographs which are unacceptable after interpretation and evaluation be repaired by grinding, welding or gouging. Repair welding be performed using qualified procedure and in a manner acceptable to the inspector. The weld repaired areas be re radiographed in accordance with written procedure.

18. PRESERVATION OF RADIOGRAPHS & EVALUATION REPORTS

The complete set of radiographs and radiography evaluation reports be preserved as per the following.

ASME Sec I & B 31.1 5 Years
ASME Sec VIII Div 1	Radiographs-- Till Data Reports are signed by AI
	RT Reports – 3 Years
ASME Sec VIII Div 2 3 Years
NBIC Part 3 5 Years

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RADIOGRAPHY ACCEPTANCE LEVELS


Ref : ASME SEC I , ASME SEC VIII Div 1, ASME SEC VIII Div 2 Edition 2019.

Full Radiography

Imperfection	Maximum permitted size / length
Any indication characterized as a crack or zone of incomplete fusion or penetration	Unacceptable
Elongated indications (also see notes 1. & 2. Below)	(a) 6 mm for t up to 19 mm (b) $\frac{1}{3}t$ for t from 19 mm to 57 mm (c) 19 mm for t over 57 mm Where t is the thickness of the weld excluding any allowable reinforcement
Rounded indications	As specified by the acceptance standards given in pages 13 to 16.

Note:

1. For a butt weld joining two members having different thicknesses at the weld, t is the thinner of these two thicknesses. If a full penetration weld includes a fillet weld, the thickness of the throat of the fillet be included in t.
2. Any group of aligned indications that have an aggregate length greater than t in a length of 12t, except when the distance between the successive imperfections exceeds 6L where L is the length of the longest imperfection in the group.


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Spot Radiography

Imperfection	Maximum permitted size / length
any indication characterized as a crack or zone of incomplete fusion or penetration	Unacceptable
slag inclusions or cavities	2/3t where t is the thickness of the weld excluding any allowable reinforcement.
Rounded indications	Not a factor in the acceptability of welds not required to be fully radiographed.

Note:

- If a full penetration weld includes a fillet weld, the thickness of the throat of the fillet be included in t.
- If several indications within the above limitations exist in line, the welds be judged acceptable if the sum of the longest dimensions of all such indications is not more than t in a length of 6t (or proportionately for radiographs shorter than 6t) and if the longest indications considered are separated by at least 3L of acceptable weld metal where L is the length of the longest indication. The maximum length of acceptable indications be 3/4 in.(19 mm). Any such indications shorter than 1/4 in. (6 mm) be acceptable for any plate thickness.

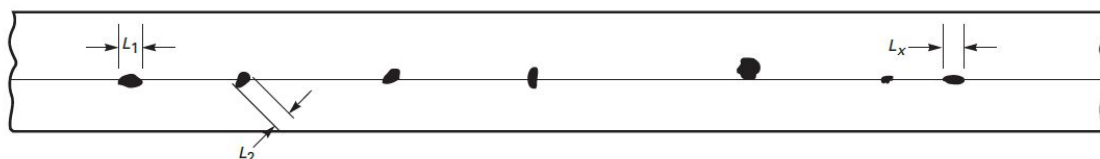
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Acceptance Criteria for Rounded Indications


(Ref: Mandatory Appendix 4 ASME SEC I, SEC VIII DIV I Edition 2019)

SI Units			
Thickness, t , mm	Maximum Size of Acceptable Rounded Indication, mm		Maximum Size of Nonrelevant Indication, mm
	Random	Isolated	
Less than 3	$\frac{1}{4} t$	$\frac{1}{3} t$	$\frac{1}{10} t$
3	0.79	1.07	0.38
5	1.19	1.60	0.38
6	1.60	2.11	0.38
8	1.98	2.64	0.79
10	2.31	3.18	0.79
11	2.77	3.71	0.79
13	3.18	4.27	0.79
14	3.61	4.78	0.79
16	3.96	5.33	0.79
17	3.96	5.84	0.79
19.0 to 50, incl.	3.96	6.35	0.79
Over 50	3.96	9.53	1.60

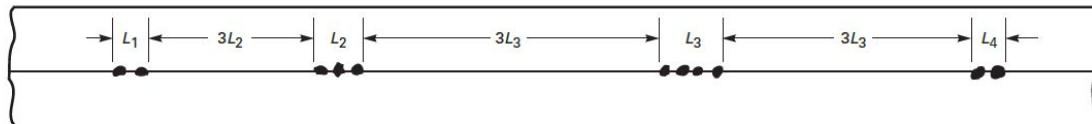
Figure 4-1
Aligned Rounded Indications



GENERAL NOTE: Sum of L_1 to L_x shall be less than t in a length of $12t$.

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**Figure 4-2
Groups of Aligned Rounded Indications**

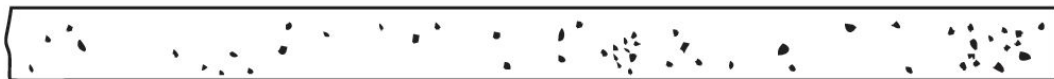


Maximum Group Length
 $L = \frac{1}{4}$ in. (6 mm) for t less than $\frac{3}{4}$ in. (19 mm)
 $L = \frac{1}{3}t$ for $t \frac{3}{4}$ in. (19 mm) to $2\frac{1}{4}$ in. (57 mm)
 $L = \frac{3}{4}$ in. (19 mm) for t greater than $2\frac{1}{4}$ in. (57 mm)

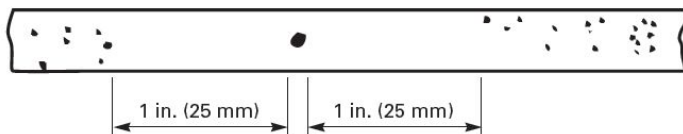
Minimum Group Spacing
 $3L$ where L is the length of the longest adjacent group being evaluated

GENERAL NOTE: Sum of the group lengths shall be less than t in a length of $12t$.

**Figure 4-3
Charts for t Equal to $\frac{1}{8}$ in. to $\frac{1}{4}$ in. (3 mm to 6 mm), Inclusive**



(a) Random Rounded Indications [See Note (1)]



(b) Isolated Indication [See Note (2)]



(c) Cluster

NOTES:

- (1) Typical concentration and size permitted in any 6 in. (150 mm) length of weld.
(2) Maximum size per [Table 4-1](#).


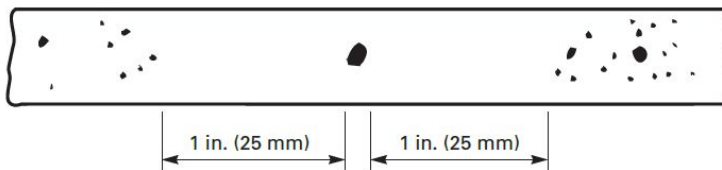
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Figure 4-4
Charts for t Over $\frac{1}{4}$ in. to $\frac{3}{8}$ in. (6 mm to 10 mm), Inclusive



(a) Random Rounded Indications [See Note (1)]



(b) Isolated Indication [See Note (2)]



(c) Cluster

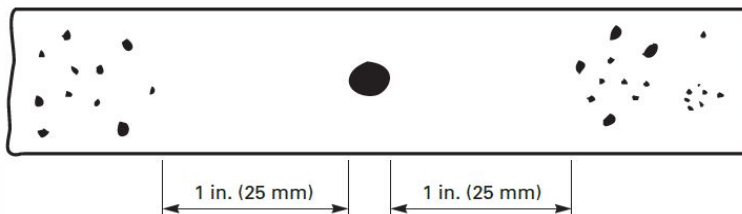
NOTES:

- (1) Typical concentration and size permitted in any 6 in. (150 mm) length of weld.
(2) Maximum size per [Table 4-1](#).

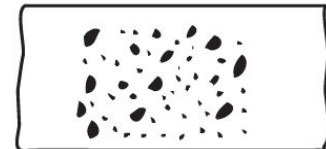
Figure 4-5
Charts for t Over $\frac{3}{8}$ in. to $\frac{3}{4}$ in. (10 mm to 19 mm), Inclusive



(a) Random Rounded Indications [See Note (1)]



(b) Isolated Indication [See Note (2)]



(c) Cluster

NOTES:

- (1) Typical concentration and size permitted in any 6 in. (150 mm) length of weld.
(2) Maximum size per [Table 4-1](#).



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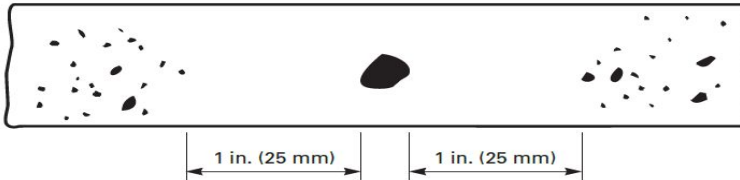
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Figure 4-6
Charts for t Over $\frac{3}{4}$ in. to 2 in. (19 mm to 50 mm), Inclusive



(a) Random Rounded Indications [See Note (1)]



(b) Isolated Indication [See Note (2)]

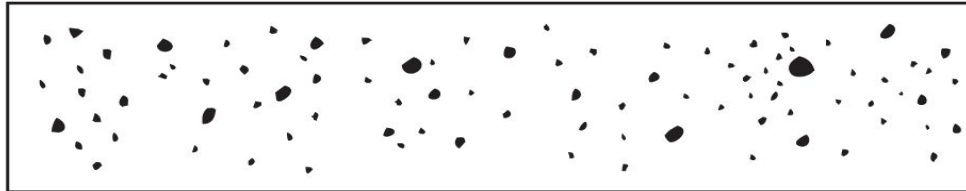


(c) Cluster

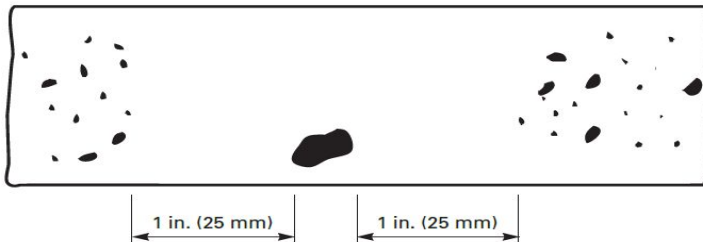
NOTES:

- (1) Typical concentration and size permitted in any 6 in. (150 mm) length of weld.
(2) Maximum size per [Table 4-1](#).

Figure 4-7
Charts for t Over 2 in. to 4 in. (50 mm to 100 mm), Inclusive



(a) Random Rounded Indications [See Note (1)]



(b) Isolated Indication [See Note (2)]



(c) Cluster

NOTES:

- (1) Typical concentration and size permitted in any 6 in. (150 mm) length of weld.
(2) Maximum size per [Table 4-1](#).

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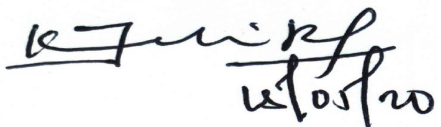
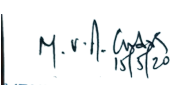
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1. SCOPE:

This procedure covers Ultrasonic Examination for Ferritic welds (Carbon or Alloy steels) and Claddings by Manual, A-Scan, pulse-echo direct contact method of testing for detection of inclusions(slag) and planar discontinuities (cracks, non-fusion, etc.) and thickness measurement as

- a) Full penetration butt welds (double V, single V type), Full penetration corner welded nozzle joints for boiler and pressure vessels of equal to or greater than 10mm thickness.
- b) Butt joints in pipes with thickness equal to or greater than 10mm thickness.
- c) Claddings.
- d) Direct thickness read out by manual Ultrasonic Pulse echo contact method.

2. SYSTEM:

2.1 EXAMINATION PROCEDURE AND APPLICABLE STANDARDS:

All Ultrasonic Examination procedures shall be prepared in accordance with ASME SEC V Edition 2019 by at least NDE Level II and reviewed and approved by NDE Level III.

2.2 REFERENCING CODE SECTION FOR ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA:

ASME SEC I, ASME SEC VIII Div 1, ASME SEC VIII Div 2 Edition 2019, ASME B31.1 Edition 2018 & NBIC NB 23 Edition 2019, SNT-TC-1A Edition 2016 & ASME SEC V Edition 2019 Art.1.

2.3 EXAMINATION PERSONNEL AND APPLICABLE STANDARDS:

All NDE Level – I, NDE Level – II and NDE Level III personnel are qualified in accordance with NDE written practice (Based on SNT-TC-1A 2016& ASME Sec V Edition 2019 Art.1) and appearing in Latest List of Qualified NDE Personnel shall carry out any Ultrasonic Examination.

At the appropriate stage, the Ultrasonic Examination shall be carried out as per the requisitions from production shops endorsed by concerned Quality Controls.

3. WRITTEN PROCEDURE REQUIREMENTS:

This procedure based on T-421 of ASME SEC V Edition 2019 shall contain the requirements listed in the Table below of this procedure.

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Table T-421
Requirements of an Ultrasonic Examination Procedure

Requirement	Essential Variable	Nonessential Variable
Weld configurations to be examined, including thickness dimensions and base material product form (pipe, plate, etc.)	X	...
The surfaces from which the examination shall be performed	X	...
Technique(s) (straight beam, angle beam, contact, and/or immersion)	X	...
Angle(s) and mode(s) of wave propagation in the material	X	...
Search unit type(s), frequency(ies), and element size(s)/shape(s)	X	...
Special search units, wedges, shoes, or saddles, when used	X	...
Ultrasonic instrument(s)	X	...
Calibration [calibration block(s) and technique(s)]	X	...
Directions and extent of scanning	X	...
Scanning (manual vs. automatic)	X	...
Method for discriminating geometric from flaw indications	X	...
Method for sizing indications	X	...
Computer enhanced data acquisition, when used	X	...
Scan overlap (decrease only)	X	...
Personnel performance requirements, when required	X	...
Personnel qualification requirements	...	X
Surface condition (examination surface, calibration block)	...	X
Couplant: brand name or type	...	X
Post-examination cleaning technique	...	X
Automatic alarm and/or recording equipment, when applicable	...	X
Records, including minimum calibration data to be recorded (e.g., instrument settings)	...	X

It shall establish a single value, or range of values for each requirement. When required performance shall be demonstrated to the inspector. Any change in specified value or range of values of the essential variables mentioned above shall require requalification of the written procedure.

4. SURFACE CONDITION :

4.1 BASE MATERIAL, WELD, CALIBRATION BLOCK:

The base material and weld surface shall be prepared by grinding and sanding. The scanning surfaces of the basic calibration block shall be done by sanding.

4.2 TEMPERATURE DIFFERENCE:(examination surface vs calibration block)

The temperature difference between examination surfaces and the calibration block shall be within +/- 14 deg C (25 deg F) .

5. EQUIPMENT:

5.1 INSTRUMENT:

A Pulse-echo-type of ultrasonic instrument appearing in current list of NDE equipments under calibration and capable of operation at frequencies over the range of 2-4 MHz equipped with 2dB stepped gain control shall be used.

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5.2 SEARCH UNITS:

Longitudinal wave Straight beam probe of size 10 mm to 24 mm Ø, 2 - 4 MHz ; Transverse wave angled beam probes 45°, 60°, 70° of nominal size (miniature size) 8 x 9 mm² ; make Modsonic / Olympus / GE with suitable 2mtr long probe cables shall be used.

5.3 COUPLANT:

SAE 30 Hylube machine oil or grease oil mixture shall be used. Calibration shall be carried out using the same couplant to be used in examination of welds.

6. TECHNIQUE (S):

Manual, A-Scan, pulse-echo direct contact using either single or dual element straight beam and angle beam search units.

7. CALIBRATION:

7.1 EQUIPMENT CALIBRATION:

The screen height linearity and amplitude control linearity shall be performed in accordance with Procedure No. 07013 (latest revision) at the beginning of each period of extended use or every 3 months.

7.2 TECHNIQUES FOR STRAIGHT BEAM AND ANGLE BEAM CALIBRATION:

7.2.1. SWEEP RANGE CALIBRATION:

The sweep range shall be adjusted to minimum 2T for straight beam, 3T for 45° angle beam and 4T for 60° using an IIW - V1 or V2 reference block.

7.2.2. SENSITIVITY CALIBRATION:

DAC curve plotted on the CRT screen Using Flat basic calibration block 1.5 inch ASME Block for Both Straight beam and Angle beam.

7.2.3. CALIBRATION VERIFICATION FREQUENCY:

Sweep range and DAC curve shall be calibrated at the beginning of each test and shall be verified at the end of each test,

- Whenever any component of test system is changed,
- Whenever operator is changed,
- At intervals of 4 hours during continuous testing.

7.2.4. CONFIRMATION ACCEPTANCE VALUES:

- If the deviation in distance range points exceeds 10% of the distance reading or 5% of full sweep whichever is greater, correct the distance range calibration, reexamine areas since last calibration and record.
- If the sensitivity decreases by 20% or 2dB of its amplitude correct the sensitivity and reexamine areas since last calibration and record. If the sensitivity increases by 20%

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or 2dB of its amplitude correct the sensitivity correct the data sheets since last valid calibration. If the sensitivity varies beyond 20% or 2dB of its amplitude recalibrate and reexamine areas since last valid calibration and record.

7.3 WELD METAL OVERLAY CLADDING CALIBRATION BLOCKS

7.3.1. CALIBRATION BLOCKS FOR TECHNIQUE ONE:

The basic calibration block configuration and reflectors shall be as shown in figure T-434.4.1 of ASME Sec V Article 4. Either a side –drilled hole or flat bottom hole may be used. The thickness of the weld metal overlay cladding shall be at least as thick as that to be examined. The thickness of the base material shall be at least twice the thickness of the weld metal overlay cladding.

7.3.2. ALTERNATE CALIBRATION BLOCKS FOR TECHNIQUE ONE:

Alternately, calibration blocks as shown in figure T-434.4.2.1. or figure T-434.4.2.2. of ASME Sec V Article 4 may be used. The thickness of the weld metal overlay cladding shall be at least as thick as that to be examined. The thickness of the base material shall be at least twice the thickness of the weld metal overlay cladding.

7.3.3. CALIBRATION BLOCK FOR TECHNIQUE TWO:

The basic calibration block configuration and reflectors shall be as shown in the figure T-434.4.3 of ASME Sec V Article 4. A flat bottom hole drilled to the weld /base metal interface shall be used. This hole may be drilled from the base material or weld metal overlay cladding side. The thickness of the weld metal overlay cladding shall be at least as thick as that to be examined. The thickness of the base metal shall be within 1 in. (25mm) of the calibration block thickness when the examination is performed from the base material surface. The thickness of the base material on the calibration block shall be at least twice the thickness of the weld metal overlay cladding when the examination is performed from the weld metal overlay cladding surface.

7.4 CALIBRATION FOR WELD METAL OVERLAY CLADDING

Dished end of clad plates shall be Ultrasonically examined after final heat treatment for lack of bond. 100% UT examination shall be carried out on areas where attachments are to be welded directly to the cladding. Above areas shall include 50mm of adjacent areas on both sides of attachment.

7.4.1. CALIBRATION FOR TECHNIQUE ONE:

Calibrations shall be performed utilizing the calibration block shown in figure T-432.4.1 of ASME Sec V Article 4. The search unit shall be positioned for the maximum response from the calibration reflector. When a side –drilled hole is used for calibration, the plane separating the elements search unit shall be positioned parallel to the axis of the hole. The gain control shall be set so that this response is $80\% \pm 5\%$ of full screen height. This shall be the primary reference level.

7.4.2. CALIBRATION FOR TECHNIQUE TWO:

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Calibrations shall be performed utilizing the calibration block shown in figure T-434.4.3 of ASME Sec V Article 4. The search unit shall be positioned for the maximum response of the first resolvable indication from the bottom of the calibration reflector. The gain shall be set so that this response is $80\% \pm 5\%$ of full screen height. This shall be the primary reference level.

7.4.3. ALTERNATE CALIBRATION FOR TECHNIQUE ONE:

Calibration shall be performed utilizing the calibration blocks shown in figure T-434.4.2.1. or figure T-434.4.2.2 of ASME Sec V Article 4. The calibration shall be performed as follows;

- (a) The search unit shall be positioned for the maximum response from the reflector, which gives the highest amplitude.
- (b) When the block shown in the figure T-434.4.2.2 is used, the plane separating the elements of the dual elements search unit shall be positioned parallel to the axis of the hole.
- (c) The gain shall be set so that this response is $80\% \pm 5\%$ of full screen height. This shall be the primary reference level. Mark the peak of the indication on the screen.
- (d) Without changing the instrument settings, position the search unit for maximum response from each of the other reflectors and mark their peaks on the screen.
- (e) Connect the screen marks for each reflector to provide a DAC curve.

Note: When examination for lack of bond and weld metal overlay cladding flaw indications is required, Technique One shall be used. When examination for lack of bond only is required, Technique Two may be used.

8. SCANNING:

8.1 GENERAL:

8.1.1. EXAMINATION SURFACE:

Examination shall be carried out from identity-punched surface.

8.1.2. COVERAGE:

Shall be on both sides of the weld from 0 to $1\frac{1}{2}$ skip.

8.1.3. SCAN OVERLAP:

Each pass of the search unit shall overlap a minimum of 10% of the active transducer (piezoelectric element) dimension perpendicular to the direction of the scan.

8.1.4. SPEED AND SENSITIVITY:

The weld shall be scanned at a speed not exceeding 6" per second at a scanning sensitivity 6 dB above the DAC or primary Reference Level (PRL).

8.2 BASE MATERIAL:

Prior to angle beam examination of weld, adjacent parent material up to a width of 4T on both sides of the weld shall be scanned with a straight beam search unit to find discontinuities that could interfere with interpretation of indications obtained during subsequent angle beam scanning.

Any discontinuity found by straight beam search unit shall be investigated and not be a cause of rejection of element.

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8.3 WELD:

Weld shall be scanned with two different angles beam search units for detection of Longitudinal and transverse discontinuities

8.3.1. DIRECTION AND EXTENT OF SCANNING:

8.3.1.1. REFLECTORS PARALLEL TO THE WELD SEAM:

The angle beam shall be directed at approximate right angles to the weld axis from both side of the weld (i.e., is from 2 directions) on the same surface when possible and probe manipulated so as to pass ultrasonic energy thro' the required volume of the weld and adjacent base material.

8.3.1.2. REFLECTORS TRANSVERSE TO THE WELD:

The angle beam shall be directed essentially parallel to the weld axis. The search unit shall be manipulated so that the ultrasonic energy passes thro' the required volume of weld and adjacent base material. Search unit shall be rotated 180 ° and the examination repeated.

9. SIZING:

9.1 METHOD OF SIZING INDICATIONS:

Length dimension of indications shall be measured by half maximum amplitude method.

9.2 CALIBRATION CORRECTION:

The surface finish difference between calibration block & scanning surface shall be compensated by using Transfer Correction.

Calibration correction due to Mode conversion and redirection for planar reflectors perpendicular to the examination surface at or near the opposite surface is carried out as per the following.

Position the search unit for maximum amplitude from the notch on the opposite surface of the basic calibration block and mark the position of peak of the indication on the screen

The opposite surface notch may give an indication 2 to 1 above DAC for a 45° angle beam search unit and ½ DAC for a 60° search unit. Therefore, the indications from the notch must be considered when evaluating reflectors at the opposite surface

10. EVALUATION :

It shall be carried out by at least NDE Level II personnel as per the following.

- All indications exceeding 20% of DAC shall be scanned for their nature and location and recorded. The gain shall be increased an additional amount so that no calibration reflector indication is less than 40% FSH during evaluation.

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- The identity, maximum amplitude, location and extent of reflector causing a geometric indication(s) (segregates in the heat-affected zone, surface conditions such as weld root geometry) shall be recorded.
- Following shall be considered for Classifying an indication as geometric or not.
 - Plot and verify the reflector coordinates. Prepare a cross-sectional sketch showing the reflector position and surface discontinuities such as root and counter bore.
 - Review fabrication or weld preparation drawing. Other ultrasonic techniques or nondestructive examination methods may be helpful in determining a reflector's true position, size, and orientation.

11. RECORDING AND REPORTING:

11.1 METHOD OF RECORDING:

- Test data shall be recorded manually in the Proforma appended in exhibit-1 Annexed and reported and Direct thickness read out by manual Ultrasonic pulse echo contact method is recorded in exhibit-2.
- As a minimum all rejectable indications, type of indications (Crack, non-fusion, slag etc.), location and extent (length), depth below surface shall be recorded.
- Non-rejectable indications exceeding 50% of DAC shall be recorded

Report shall contain the following in addition to those mentioned in the table appended next page.

- Procedure identification and revision.
- Instrument reference level gain and, if used, damping and reject settings(s).
- Calibration data (including reference reflector(s) indication amplitude(s), and distance reading(s).
- Identification and location of weld or volume scanned.
- Map or record of rejectable indications detected or areas cleared.
- Areas of restricted access or inaccessible welds;
- Examination personnel identity and, when required by referencing code section qualification level.
- Date of examination.

12. ACCEPTANCE STANDARDS:

As per ASME SEC I, ASME SEC VIII Div 1, ASME SEC VIII Div 2 Edition 2019, ASME B31.1, NBIC NB 23 Latest Edition.

UT on clad plate (Dished ends) shall be performed as per ASME A 578.

ACCEPTANCE-REJECTION STANDARDS:

(Ref: ASME SEC I, ASME SEC VIII Div 1, ASME SEC VIII DIV 2 Edition 2019)

Imperfections recorded as per para 10 above shall be evaluated as below.

1. Indications characterized as cracks, lack of fusion or incomplete penetration are unacceptable regardless of length.

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2. Other imperfections are unacceptable if the indications exceed the reference level amplitude and have lengths which exceed $1/3 T$ - (weld thickness(T) excluding any allowable reinforcement) or 6 mm whichever is greater.

Notes: Butt welds joining two different thicknesses at the weld, T is the thinner of these two thicknesses.

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13. PRESERVATION OF DATA REPORTS:

All the reports of ultrasonic test shall be preserved till MDR signed.

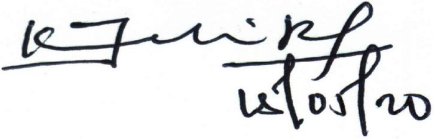
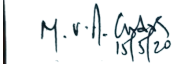
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1. SCOPE :

This Procedure shall be applied for detecting of surface and near surface discontinuities in Butt welds, fillet welds, partial penetration welds, Back Gouging welds, Full penetration butt and corner welds, Nozzles of Boiler components, pressure vessels, heat exchangers, power piping and Non pressure parts welds, plates, forgings, etc. of Ferro Magnetic Materials to detect surface and subsurface discontinuities using visible Dry & wet particle Continuous Prod or Yoke technique and Fluorescent Wet Prod or Yoke Techniques.

2. POLICY:

- 2.1 The Magnetic Particle Examination shall be carried out either as per one of the procedures enumerated in the following pages which are verified and found to be in accordance with ASME SEC V or as per any other applicable referencing code sections and specifications.
- 2.2 Only personnel qualified to MT NDE Level II / MT NDE Level III in accordance with NDE written practice shall carry out any Magnetic Particle Examination.

3. APPLICABLE STANDARDS:

- 3.1 ASME SEC V Edition 2019
- 3.2 Construction code sections ASME Sec I, ASME Sec VIII Div 1, ASME Sec VIII Div 2 Edition 2019, ASME B31.1 Edition 2018, NBIC NB 23 Edition 2019, SNT-TC-1A Edition 2016 & ASME SEC V Edition 2019 Art.1.

4. SYSTEM:

All Magnetic particle examination procedures shall be amended and approved as required by NDE level III taking into consideration of

- 4.1 Experience gained in various examination procedures
- 4.2 Recommendation of Audit Teams
- 4.3 Referencing Code sections.

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5. WRITTEN PROCEDURE REQUIREMENTS:

This procedure based on Table T-721 of ASME SEC V Edition 2019 shall contain the requirements listed in the Table below.

It shall establish a single value, or range of values for each requirement. When required performance shall be demonstrated to the inspector. Any change in specified value or range of values of the essential variables mentioned in Table shall require requalification of the written procedure.

Table T-721 Requirements of a Magnetic Particle Examination Procedure		
Requirement	Essential Variable	Nonessential Variable
Magnetizing technique	X	...
Magnetizing current type or amperage outside range specified by this Article or as previously qualified	X	...
Surface preparation	X	...
Magnetic particles (fluorescent/ visible, color, particle size, wet/ dry)	X	...
Method of particle application	X	...
Method of excess particle removal	X	...
Minimum light intensity	X	...
Existing coatings, greater than the thickness demonstrated	X	...
Nonmagnetic surface contrast enhancement, when utilized	X	...
Performance demonstration, when required	X	...
Examination part surface temperature outside of the temperature range recommended by the manufacturer of the particles or as previously qualified	X	...
Shape or size of the examination object	...	X
Equipment of the same type	...	X
Temperature (within those specified by manufacturer or as previously qualified)	...	X
Demagnetizing technique	...	X
Post-examination cleaning technique	...	X
Personnel qualification requirements	...	X

6. SURFACE CONDITIONING :

6.1 SURFACE PREPARATION:

6.1.1. Prior to Magnetic Particle Examination, the surface to be examined and all adjacent areas within at least 1" shall be dry and free of all dirt, grease, lint, scale, welding flux & spatter, oil and other extraneous matter that could interfere with examination.

6.1.2. As welded, ground, Machined and Back Gouged conditions are preferable. However, Surface preparation by grinding or machining may be necessary where surface irregularities could mask indications due to discontinuities. This

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procedure does not address the testing of parts covered with coatings and / or non magnetic surface contrast enhancement.

6.1.3. The surfaces which are to be examined by Magnetic particle testing shall be free from any external Nonmagnetic coatings. If any nonmagnetic coatings are present, it shall be demonstrated that indications can be detected through the existing maximum coating thickness applied.

6.1.4. Nonmagnetic Surface Contrast Enhancement:

Nonmagnetic surface contrasts may be applied by the examiner to uncoated surfaces, only in amounts sufficient to enhance particle contrast. When nonmagnetic surface contrasts are used, it shall be demonstrated that indications can be detected through the enhancement. Thickness measurement of surface contract enhancement is not required.

6.2 TEMPERATURE OF PART SURFACE:

The surface temperature of the part examined with dry particles shall be within the range of 17 °C to 315 °C (within maximum temperature specified by the manufacturer of the particles) and wet particles shall be maximum 57 °C or temperature specified by the manufacturer of the particles.

7. EQUIPMENT:

7.1 TYPE OF EQUIPMENT:

7.1.1. Portable magnetic particle testing equipments appearing in the current list of NDE Equipments under calibration (230V, single phase, open circuit voltage <25V) provided with stepped / continuous current control, remote control switch for momentarily switching on / off, prods for application of current and capable of generating max 1000A HWDC shall be used for magnetization.

7.1.2. Direct/Alternating current electromagnetic yokes shall be used to detect discontinuities that are open to the surface of the part by longitudinal magnetization method and to examine the surfaces where arcing is not permitted or prod method is not practicable.

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7.2 CALIBRATION OF EQUIPMENT:

- 7.2.1. Each magnetizing equipment with an ammeter shall be calibrated at least once a year, or whenever the equipment has been subjected to major electric repair, periodic overhaul, or damage.
- 7.2.2. The magnetizing power of yokes shall be verified prior to use on every day the yoke is used. The magnetizing power of yokes shall be verified whenever the yoke has been damaged or repaired.
- 7.2.3. Each alternating current electromagnetic yoke shall have a lifting power of at least 4.5 kg at the maximum pole spacing that will be used with contact similar to what will be used during the examination.
- 7.2.4. Each direct current or permanent magnetic yoke shall have a lifting power of at least 18 kg at the maximum pole spacing that will be used with contact similar to what will be used during the examination.
- 7.2.5. Each weight shall be weighed with a scale from a reputable manufacturer and stencilled with the applicable nominal weight prior to first use. Weight need only be verified again if damaged in a manner that could have caused potential loss of material.

8. EXAMINATION MEDIUM:

8.1 DRY PARTICLES:

Finely divided ferromagnetic dry particles (non-fluorescent free flowing dry particles of colors either red or grey.) supplied by M/s Arora / M/s Pradeep with brand name Automag RD-7 Red or M/s Ferrochem with Brand names Ferrochem grey and Ferrochem Red shall be used.

8.2 WET PARTICLES:

8.2.1. WET PARTICLE CONCENTRATION:

Non fluorescent or fluorescent wet particles will be black or reddish brown in color that provide adequate contrast with the surface being examined.

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Wet particles shall be suspended in kerosene or water for application to the test surface by flowing or spraying. Suitable conditioning agents shall be added to the water to provide proper wetting and corrosion protection for the parts being examined.

The bath concentration shall be determined by measuring the settling volume through the use of pear-shaped centrifuge tube with a 1-mL stem (0.05-mL divisions) for fluorescent particle suspensions or a 1.5-mL stem (0.1-mL divisions) for non-fluorescent suspensions. The suspension shall be mixed thoroughly or shall be run through the re-circulating system for at least 30 minutes to ensure thorough mixing of all particles. Take a 100-mL portion of the suspension from the hose or nozzle, demagnetize and allow it to settle for 30 minutes' minimum with water based suspension or 60 minutes' minimum with petroleum distillate suspension before taking the reading.

For fluorescent particles, the required settling volume is from 0.1 mL to 0.4 mL in a 100-mL bath sample and from 1.2 mL to 2.4 mL per 100 mL of vehicle for non-fluorescent particles or as recommended by the manufacturer. Concentration checks shall be made at least every eight hours.

8.2.2. WET PARTICLE CONTAMINATION:

Both fluorescent and non-fluorescent suspensions shall be checked periodically for contaminants such as dirt, scale, oil, lint, loose fluorescent pigment, water (in the case of oil suspensions), and particle agglomerates which can adversely affect the performance of the magnetic particle examination process. The test for contamination shall be performed at least once per week.

8.2.2.1. Carrier Contamination:

For fluorescent baths, the liquid directly above the precipitate should be examined with fluorescent excitation light. The liquid will have a little fluorescence. Its color can be compared with a freshly made-up sample using the same materials or with an unused sample from the original bath that was retained for this purpose. If the "used" sample is noticeably more fluorescent than the comparison standard, the bath shall be replaced.

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8.2.2.2. Particle Contamination.

The graduated portion of the tube shall be examined under fluorescent excitation light if the bath is fluorescent and under visible light (for both fluorescent and non-fluorescent particles) for striations or bands, differences in color or appearance. Bands or striations may indicate contamination. If the total volume of the contaminates, including bands or striations exceeds 30% of the volume magnetic particles, or if the liquid is noticeably fluorescent, the bath shall be replaced.

Note: In any case, color of particles used shall have adequate contrast with the surface being examined.

9. EXAMINATION:

9.1 EXAMINATION COVERAGE:

All examinations shall be conducted with sufficient field overlap to ensure 100% coverage at the required sensitivity.

9.2 MINIMUM LIGHT INTENSITY:

9.2.1. Visible Light Intensity

9.2.1.1. The examination area and the accumulation of magnetic particles shall be observed under adequate lighting. An intensity of 1076 lux is adequate. The minimum light intensity shall be 100 fc (1076 lux). The light intensity, natural or supplemental white light source, shall be measured with a white light meter prior to the evaluation of indications or a verified light source shall be used. Verification of light sources is required to be demonstrated only one time, documented, and maintained on file.

All following activity shall be done under the illumination of 100 watt 230V incandescent bulb at a minimum distance of 25 cms from test part for ensuring 1076 Lux light intensity at test part surface.

9.2.2. Black Light (UV-A Light)

9.2.2.1. Black light intensity at the examination surface shall be not less than 1000 micro watt/ cm² at a distance of 15 inch.

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- 9.2.2.2. The black light intensity shall be measured at least once in every 8 hrs. and whenever the work station is changed. The UV-A and White Light Meter should be calibrated once in One year.
- 9.2.2.3. With fluorescent particles, the examination is performed in a darkened area. The Intensity of Ambient visible light in the darkened area shall not exceed 2 fc or 21.5 lux.
- 9.2.2.4. The examiner shall be in the darkened area for at least 5 minutes prior to performing the examination for eye adaptation. The examiner shall not wear glasses with permanent Tint or Photo Chromic (light sensitive) lenses which change colour in Sunlight.
- 9.2.2.5. The black light shall be warmed up for a minimum period of 5 minutes prior to use or measurement of the intensity.

Lux meter/Light meter shall be calibrated at least once a year or whenever a meter has been repaired. If meters have not been in use for one year or more, calibration shall be done before being used.

For selection of other light sources vs maximum distances permitted refer Exhibit 1.

9.3 DIRECTION OF MAGNETIZATION:

Two separate examinations shall be performed on each area. During second examination, the lines of magnetic flux shall be approximately perpendicular to those used in the first examination.

10. METHOD OF EXAMINATION:

Examination shall be made by continuous method.

10.1 Dry continuous magnetization method:

The magnetizing current remains on while the examination medium (Brick red Dry particle) is being applied and while the excess of the examination medium is being removed.

10.2 Wet continuous magnetization method:

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The magnetizing current shall be turned on after the particles have been applied. Flow of particles shall stop with the application of current. Wet particles applied from aerosol spray cans/pump sprayers may be applied before and/or during magnetizing current application.

11. TECHNIQUES:

11.1 PROD TECHNIQUE:

11.1.1. Magnetizing Procedure:

The prod electrodes are pressed firmly against the surface in the area to be examined. In order to avoid arcing, a remote control switch shall be built into the prod handles, to permit the current to be turned on after the prods have been properly positioned and to be turned off before they are removed. The prods tips shall be kept dressed and cleaned to make satisfactory electrical contact.

11.1.2. Magnetizing Current and Prod Spacing:

Single-phase (half-wave rectified) current HWDC shall be used. The current shall be 100 to 125amps per inch of prod spacing for sections 0.75 inch thick or greater. For sections less than 0.75 inch thick the current shall be 90 to 110 amps per inch of prod spacing. Prod spacing shall not exceed 8 inches and shall not be less than 3 inches.

11.2 YOKE TECHNIQUE:

11.2.1. This technique is primarily intended to cover the region between the poles. The pole spacing shall be between 100 mm to 150 mm. In order to ensure that the region of interest gets 100 % coverage, every region (or segment of the test area, divided according to the pole spacing), shall be tested twice such that the pole space displacements are mutually perpendicular in the former and later cases. For example, in the case of the weld, the pole space orientation can be 45 Deg. and 135 Deg. Respectively with respect to the weld center line orientation, in the first and second attempts.

11.2.2. Pie-Shaped Magnetic Particle Field Indicator shall be used to ensure field adequacy as well as direction of field. It shall be positioned on the surface to be examined with copper-plated side away from the inspected surface.

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Suitable field strength is indicated by formation of clearly defined lines of magnetic particles across the copper face of the indicator when the magnetic particles are applied simultaneously with the magnetizing force. When a clearly defined line of particles are not formed in the desired direction, the magnetizing technique shall be changed as needed.

- 11.3** For inspection of components of Gr 91 material including Gr C12A, prod technique shall not be used. This shall be inspected by Yoke technique using Dry or Wet method.

12. METHOD OF PARTICLE APPLICATION AND EXCESS PARTICLE REMOVAL:

12.1 DRY PARTICLES:

- 12.1.1. The dry particles shall be applied in such a manner that a light uniform dust-like coating settles on the surface of the area being examined. The application technique shall be such that the particles are suspended in air and reaches the examination surface in a uniform cloud with a minimum force, using hand powder applicators (squeeze bulb) or specially designed mechanical blower or by a spray nozzle.
- 12.1.2. Dry particles shall not be applied to a wet surface nor when there is excessive wind. The particles shall not be applied by pouring, throwing, or spreading with fingers.
- 12.1.3. Any excess powder shall be removed while the magnetization current is on and shall be with a gentle air stream by a blower or squeeze bulb without removing or disturbing particles attracted by a leakage field that may prove to be a relevant indication.

12.2 WET PARTICLES:

- 12.2.1. The application of wet particles involves the bathing of the area to be examined, by spraying or flowing during the application of magnetizing current.
- 12.2.2. Two or more shots shall be applied, but the last shot shall be applied while the bath still remains on the area to be examined and after the particle flow has been stopped. Care shall be taken to cut off the bath application before

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removing the magnetic field, to prevent high-velocity particle flow that may wash away or remove fine or weakly held indications.

13. INTERPRETATION AND EVALUATION :

- (a) All indications shall be evaluated in terms of the acceptance standards of the referencing Code Section.
- (b) Discontinuities on or near the surface are indicated by retention of the examination medium. However, localized surface irregularities due to machining marks or other surface conditions may produce false indications.
- (c) Broad areas of particle accumulation, which might mask indications from discontinuities, are prohibited, and such areas shall be cleaned and reexamined.

All indications shall be evaluated by a NDE Level II or NDE Level III in terms of the acceptance standard of ASME SEC VIII DIV 1, ASME SEC VIII DIV 2, ASME SEC I, ASME B31.1, NBIC NB 23 current Edition.

14. REPORTING :

Interpretation and evaluation shall be reported in the Proforma appended in Exhibit-2.

15. POST-EXAMINATION CLEANING :

The examination surface shall be wiped clean using cloth / cotton waste.

16. DEMAGNETIZATION :

No demagnetization is required unless specifically required by customer. When required one of the following methods (ref. SE-709-95 for detail techniques) shall be used.

- Withdrawing from AC coil.
- Decreasing alternating current.
- Demagnetizing with yokes.

17. RECORDS :

All the reports of Magnetic particle test shall be preserved till MDR signed.

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18. ACCEPTANCE STANDARDS:

(Ref: ASME SEC I, ASME SEC VIII Div 1 & Div 2 Edition 2019)


All surfaces to be examined shall be free of

- Relevant Linear indications
- Relevant rounded indications greater than 5 mm.
- Four or more relevant rounded indications in a line separated by 1.5 mm or less edge to edge.

Notes: Any indication believed to be non relevant shall be confirmed by re-examination using same method or other non destructive examination method and/or by surface conditioning.

1. **Relevant indications:** Indications having any dimension greater than 1.5 mm.
2. **Linear indications:** Relevant Indications having length greater than three times the width.
3. **Rounded indications:** Relevant indications having circular or elliptical shape with a length equal to or less than three times its width.

(For other Codes such as ASME B31.1, NBIC NB23 refer respective current Edition)

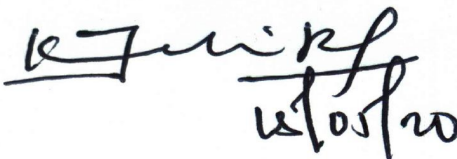
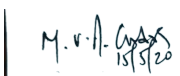
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1. SCOPE:

This Procedure shall be used for the detection of open surface discontinuities in welds, plates, and forgings etc., used in Pressure Vessels., Heat Exchangers, Boilers and parts thereof by visible Liquid Penetrant Examination using solvent removable process for ferrous and non-ferrous materials.

2. POLICY:

- 2.1. The Liquid Penetrant Examination shall be carried out either as per one of the procedures enumerated in the following pages which are verified and found to be in accordance with ASME SEC V or as per any other applicable referencing code sections and specifications.
- 2.2. Only personnel qualified in accordance with BHEL HPVP NDE Written Practice shall carry out any Liquid Penetrant examination.


3. APPLICABLE STANDARDS:

- 3.1 ASME SEC V Edition 2019.
- 3.2 Construction code sections ASME Sec I, ASME Sec VIII Div 1, ASME Sec VIII Div 2 Edition 2019, ASME B31.1 Edition 2018, NBIC NB 23 Edition 2019, SNT-TC-1A Edition 2016 & ASME SEC V Edition 2019 Art.1.

4. SYSTEM:

All Liquid Penetrant Examination procedures shall be amended and approved as required by NDE Level III taking into consideration of

- 4.1. Experience gained in various examination procedures.
- 4.2. Recommendation of Audit Teams.
- 4.3. Referencing Code sections.

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5. WRITTEN PROCEDURE REQUIREMENTS: (As per ASME Sec V Article 6 T-621)

Liquid Penetrant examination shall be performed in accordance with a written procedure, which shall as a minimum contain the essential and non-essential variable as mentioned in the table below. The written procedure shall establish a single value, or range of values, for requirement.


Table T-621.1 Requirements of a Liquid Penetrant Examination Procedure		
Requirement	Essential Variable	Nonessential Variable
Identification of and any change in type or family group of penetrant materials including developers, emulsifiers, etc.	X	...
Surface preparation (finishing and cleaning, including type of cleaning solvent)	X	...
Method of applying penetrant	X	...
Method of removing excess surface penetrant	X	...
Hydrophilic or lipophilic emulsifier concentration and dwell time in dip tanks and agitation time for hydrophilic emulsifiers	X	...
Hydrophilic emulsifier concentration in spray applications	X	...
Method of applying developer	X	...
Minimum and maximum time periods between steps and drying aids	X	...
Decrease in penetrant dwell time	X	...
Increase in developer dwell time (Interpretation Time)	X	...
Minimum light intensity	X	...
Surface temperature outside 40°F to 125°F (5°C to 52°C) or as previously qualified	X	...
Performance demonstration, when required	X	...
Personnel qualification requirements	...	X
Materials, shapes, or sizes to be examined and the extent of examination	...	X
Post-examination cleaning technique	...	X

Any change of requirement specified as an essential variable mentioned above shall require requalification of the written procedure.

6. METHOD OF EXAMINATION:

6.1. IDENTIFICATION OF PENETRANT EXAMINATION MATERIALS:

- 6.1.1. PRADEEP/PMC/MAGNAFLUX brands of PT chemicals be used. Other brands may also be used with the approval of NDE Level-III.
- 6.1.2. Refer certification of contaminant content for all liquid penetrant materials used.
- 6.1.3. Ensure manufacturers batch numbers, on the penetrant material containers and Certificate mentioned above are same.

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6.2. MINIMUM LIGHT INTENSITY:

All following activity shall be done under the illumination of 100 watt 230V incandescent bulb at a maximum distance of 25 cms from test part for ensuring 1076 Lux light intensity at test part surface.

6.3. SURFACE PREPARATION (FINISHING AND CLEANING, INCLUDING TYPE OF CLEANING SOLVENT) (As per ASME Sec V Edition 2019 Article 6 T-642)

This procedure applies to below mentioned surface preparations.

- 6.3.1. As welded
- 6.3.2. As ground
- 6.3.3. As machined /As Forged/As Plates

6.3.4. SURFACE CLEANING:

- 6.3.4.1. Ensure Surface examined and all adjacent areas within 1” shall be free of scale, welding flux, weld spatter.
- 6.3.4.2. Use Organic solvent - Cleaner mentioned above to remove oil, and other extraneous matter.
- 6.3.4.3. Wait for a minimum of 3 minutes for evaporation of cleaning solvent used above.

6.4. SURFACE TEMPERATURE (As per ASME Sec V Edition 2019 Article 6 T-652)


Ensure that the temperature of the penetrant and the surface of the part to be subjected to penetrant testing is between 5 to 52 deg centigrade. For examination between 5- 10 deg Centigrade, the minimum Penetrant dwell time shall be two times than that established for testing between 10 to 52 deg Centigrade.

6.5. METHOD OF APPLYING PENETRANT

Use brush or spray for application of penetrant to the surface of the part.

6.6. PENETRATION (DWELL) TIME

- 6.6.1. Allow penetrant on the weld surface for minimum 5 minutes and maximum 10 for welds & Casts.

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6.6.2. Allow penetrant on the surface for minimum 10 minutes and maximum 15 minutes and for plates & forgings.

Note: Ensure that penetrant is not dried during dwell time.

6.7. METHOD OF REMOVING EXCESS SURFACE PENETRANT

6.7.1. After completion of penetration (dwell) time remove any penetrant remaining on the surface using clean, dry, and lint free cloth.

6.7.2. Remove the remaining traces of penetrant on the weld surface by wiping the surface with clean, lint- free material lightly moistened with the solvent remover. Complete this step within 10 minutes after start of excess penetrant removal.

6.7.3. Do not flush the weld surface with cleaning solvent for removal of excess penetrant.

6.8. DRYING AFTER EXCESS PENETRANT REMOVAL (AS PER ASME SEC V ARTICLE 6 T-674)

Wait for a maximum of 2 minutes for evaporation of cleaning solvent used above for Excess Penetrant Removal.

6.9. METHOD OF APPLYING DEVELOPER

Apply Developer using aerosol can spray after above step. (i.e. Drying After Excess Penetrant Removal). Maximum time for Developer application is 5 min.

6.10. DEVELOPER DWELL TIME (INTERPRETATION TIME)


6.10.1. Developing time for final interpretation begins immediately after developer coating is dry.

6.10.2. Wait for a minimum of 2 minutes after developer spray for developer coating to dry.

6.10.3. Observe closely during application of developer to aid in characterization of indications developed.

6.10.4. Final interpretation shall be made within 10 to 20 min after developer coating is dry.

6.11. MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM TIME PERIODS BETWEEN STEPS AND DRYING AIDS

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6.11.1. Minimum time between surface cleaning and application of penetrant 3 minutes. Maximum No limit.

6.11.2. Minimum/Maximum time between application of penetrant and start of excess Penetrant removal 5/10 minutes for welds and 10/15 minutes for plates and forgings.

6.11.3. Maximum time between excess penetrant removal and application of Developer 10 minutes.

6.11.4. Final interpretation time minimum 10 and maximum 20 minutes after developer coating is dry.

7. PERSONNEL QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS


Personnel qualified and certified to NDE Level III in PT shall demonstrate this procedure to the satisfaction of AI. Application of this procedure on jobs shall be by personnel qualified and certified to NDE Level II / NDE Level III in PT as per the Written Practice.

8. MATERIALS, SHAPES, OR SIZES TO BE EXAMINED AND THE EXTENT OF EXAMINATION

This procedure is applicable to welds, plates, forgings of all shapes and sizes for ferrous and non ferrous materials. The extent of examination shall be as per referred specification or test plan.

9. POST EXAMINATION CLEANING TECHNIQUE:

Using cloth or cotton waste Post-examination cleaning shall be done as soon as practical after Evaluation and Documentation.

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10. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:

- 10.1. If the surface to be examined is large enough to complete examination within the above established times the examination shall be performed in increments.
- 10.2. Ensure bleed-out from large indications does not alter the examination results during interpretation time.
- 10.3. Any change of requirement specified as an essential variable in para 5 shall require requalification of this written procedure.

11. EVALUATION:

All indications shall be evaluated in terms of the acceptance standards Referred below.

12. DOCUMENTATION (AS PER ASME SEC V EDITION 2019ARTICLE 6 T-690):

Recording of Indications shall be done in Liquid Penetrant Examination Requisition cum report format referred in Exhibit 2.

- 12.1. Non rejectable Indications: Non rejectable indications shall be recorded as specified by the referencing Code Section.
- 12.2. Rejectable Indications: Rejectable indications shall be recorded.
As a minimum, the type of indications (linear or rounded), location and extent (length or diameter or aligned) shall be recorded.

13. RECORDS:


All the reports of Liquid Penetrant Examination shall be preserved till MDR signed.

14. ACCEPTANCE STANDARDS FOR LIQUID PENETRANT EXAMINATION:

REF: ASME SEC I, ASME SEC VIII Div 1 & Div 2 Edition 2019.

All surfaces to be examined shall be free of

1. Relevant linear indications.
2. Relevant rounded indications greater than 3/16 inch (5mm).

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3. Four or more relevant rounded indications in a line separated 1/16 inch (1.5mm) or less (edge to edge).

Notes:

- Only indications with major dimensions greater than 1/16 inch (1.5 mm) shall be considered relevant.
- A linear indication is one having a length greater than three times the width.
- A rounded indication is one of circular or elliptical shape with the length equal to or less than three times the width.
- Any questionable or doubtful indications shall be reexamined to determine whether or not they are relevant.

(For other Codes such as ASME B31.1, NBIC NB23 refer respective current Edition)