

Redefining Reliability

## TCR Technology Newsletter

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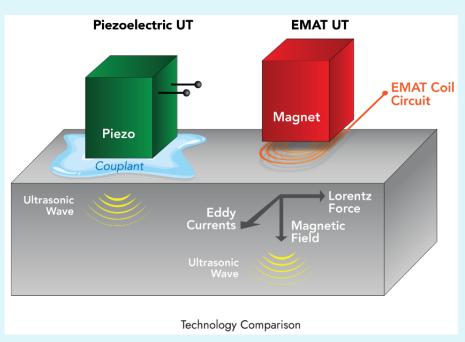
## **Electro Magnetic Acoustic Transducer (EMAT)**

EMAT is an Ultrasonic Testing technique that generates the sound in the part inspected instead of the transducer.

An EMAT induces ultrasonic waves into a test object with two interacting magnetic fields. A relatively high frequency (RF) field generated by electrical coils interacts with a low frequency or static field generated by magnets to generate a Lorentz force in a manner similar to an electric motor.

This disturbance is transferred to the lattice of the material, producing an elastic wave. In a reciprocal process, the interaction of elastic waves in the presence of a magnetic field induces currents in the receiving EMAT coil circuit.

For ferromagnetic conductors, magnetostriction produces additional stresses that enhance the signals to much higher levels than could be obtained by the Lorentz force alone. Various types of waves can be generated using different combinations of RF coils and magnets.











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### **Electro Magnetic Acoustic Transducer (EMAT)**

Because the sound is generated in the part inspected instead of the transducer, EMATs have the following advantages over more conventional piezoelectric transducers:

- Dry inspection. EMAT does not require couplant for transmitting sound, which makes
  it very well suited for inspection of very hot and very cold parts, and integration in
  automated environments.
- Impervious to surface conditions. EMAT can inspect through coatings and are not affected by pollutants, oxidation, or roughness.
- Easier sensor deployment. Not having wedges or couplant, Snell's law of refraction does not apply, and the angle of the sensor does not affect the direction of propagation. This makes EMAT transducers easier to control and deploy.
- Ability to generate SH modes. EMAT is the only practical means for generating shear waves with horizontal polarization (SH waves) without high mechanical pressure or low-density couplants that impede scanning of the part.
- Mode selectivity. The antenna-type construction of the EMAT coil combined with a
  multi-cycle excitation provides great specificity in the frequency domain, thus the
  ability to precisely select the wave mode of interest, which is of great importance
  for guided wave generation and interpretation.

## **Industry Standards and Quality Codes**

As an ultrasonic technique EMAT can be used to meet ISO, AWS, API, MIL-STD and other international ultrasonic test standards.

- API 5CT (ISO11960) and API 5L8 for tube and casing (OCTG).
- EN 10160 for plate.
- MIL-STD 2154 for ultrasonic inspection of wrought metals.
- CGA C-20 for high-pressure cylinder.

EMAT is also specifically referenced in several EMAT ultrasonic standards and codes including the following ASTM guides:

- ASTM E1774-96 Standard Guide for Electromagnetic Acoustic Transducers (EMATs).
- ASTM E1816-96 Standard Practice for Ultrasonic Examinations Using Electromagnetic Acoustic Transducer (EMAT) Technology.
- ASTM E1962-98 Standard Test Methods for Ultrasonic Surface Examinations Using Electromagnetic Acoustic Transducer (EMAT) Technology.









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## **Electro Magnetic Acoustic Transducer (EMAT)**

### **Wave Modes**

Bulk/ Guided	Beam Orientation	Wave Mode	Technique	Main Applications
Bulk	Normal	Longitudinal	Piezo EMAT	<ul><li>Thickness and Velocity</li><li>Measurements</li><li>Flaw Detection</li><li>Properties Measurement</li></ul>
		Shear Horizontal	EMAT 1	
	Angled	Shear Vertical	Piezo EMAT	- Flaw Detection
		Shear Horizontal		- Flaw Detection, including austenitic materials
Guided	Surface	Rayleigh	Piezo EMAT 2	- Flaw Detection (surface)
	Volumetric	Lamb	Piezo EMAT 2	<ul><li>- Flaw (including</li><li>Corrosion) Detection</li><li>- Velocity and Properties</li><li>Measurements</li></ul>
		Shear Horizontal	EMAT 1	<ul><li>- Flaw (including</li><li>Corrosion) Detection</li><li>- Velocity and Properties</li><li>Measurements</li></ul>

- 1 Generation restricted to EMAT for practical purposes
- 2 Especially well-suited for generation with EMAT

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#### **Certifications:**

### ISO 9001-2015 Certificate

intertek Total Quality Assured

# CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION

This is to certify that the management system of:

## TCR Arabia Company Ltd.

Main Site: King Abdul Aziz Seaport Facility, P.O. Box 8143, Dammam 32211, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

has been registered by Intertek as conforming to the requirements of:

### ISO 9001:2015

The management system is applicable to:

Conventional Non-Destructive Testing Services (NDT), Advanced Non-Destructive Testing Services (ANDT), Metallurgical Services, Mechanical Laboratory Testing Services, Welding Inspection Service, Post Weld Heat Treatment (PWHT). Certificate Number: 21111010003

Initial Certification Date: 25 March 2014

Date of Certification Decision: 02 March 2023

Issuing Date: 02 March 2023

Valid Until: 24 March 2026



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#### **Certifications:**

## Mechanical Testing Lab of TCR Arabia is now ISO-17025 Accredited







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#### **Approvals:**

TCR Arabia is now an approved contractor in SABIC for providing high-end inspection services like HTHA/FFS, Metallurgy Solutions and Root Cause Analysis.











## **TCR Arabia Company Limited**

## Inspection, Testing & Advisory Redefining Reliability

### **ARAMCO & SABIC Appreciation Letters:**







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### **Services Portfolio**



**TESTING** 

Material Testing

Mechanical
Tensile, Impact, Hardness, Bend,
Elongation, Yield

Corrosion

ASTM A923, A262, G28, G48

Welder Qualification

WPS, PQR, WQT, Welder Certification

Civil Laboratory

Soil, Aggregates & Field Tests

Construction Material Testing, Concrete,



**INSPECTION** 

Non-Destructive Testing (NDT)

Conventional NDT

RT, MT, PT, UT, UTT, FM, PMI, HT

Advanced NDT

ToFD, PAUT, Corrosion Mapping

Helium Leak, Thermography, MFL

ECT, RFT, IRIS, HTHA, High Temp UT

Inspection Manpower NDT Technicians, Plant Inspectors, Inspection Engineers, Corrosion Engineers



Inspection of buried & above ground assets

Metallurgy Testing

In-situ Metallography,

Remaining Life Assessment

Failure Investigation

Fitness for Service

Non-Metallic Testing Lab. FRP/GRP/Composite Lab Testing



**CONSULTING** 

- Stress Analysis
- Risk Based Inspections (RBI)
- Damage Mechanism Study
- Third Party Inspection
- Coker Drum Inspection
- Trainings (NDT, Metallurgy, Welding)
- Plant Asset Integrity Management
- Corrosion Study







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## **Location**

## TCR Arabia Head Office & Labs are located in Dammam Branch Offices in Jubail & Yanbu































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#### **Events**

TCR Arabia is featured on The Gulf Time newspaper page 8 under Energy dated 14 June 2023

## TCR Arabia, an Indian JV company, completes 15 successful years in Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

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SAUDI ARABIA /GULF TIME

CR Arabia is a company that specializes in engineering services specifically in the field of Material Testing, Advanced Non-Destructive Testing and Metallurgical investigation. Founded in 2007 as a joint venture between TCR Engineering Services (India) and GAS Arabian Service (Saudi Arabia). The company is based in Saudi Arabia and has rapidly established a reputation for reliability and quality in all sectors it services namely oil & gas, petrochemical, mining, desalination, power, fertilizer and other such process and manufacturing industries.

One of the key reasons for TCR
Arabia's success is the expertise of its
founding companies. TCR Engineering
Services (India) has over 50 years of experience in providing engineering solutions for a wide range of industries, including oil
and gas, power, and infrastructure. On the other
hand, GAS Arabian Service is a leading provider of
engineering services in the Middle East, with a
strong reputation for delivering high-quality projects on time and within budget.

Together, TCR Arabia combines the best of both worlds: The experience and knowledge of TCR Engineering Services (India) with the local expertise and understanding of GAS Arabian Services. This unique combination of expertise enables TCR Arabia to provide a comprehensive range of engineering services to its clients in the region.

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TCR Arabia offers a wide range of services, including Advanced Non-Destructive Testing Services, Material Testing Services (Mechanical, Metallurgical and Non-Metallic Products), Engineering & Consulting on all process related assets, Welding Inspections, Welder Qualifications, Heat Treatment etc. TCR Arabia has partnered with global specialized companies in providing solutions to clients on Robotic Inspections, Coke Drum Inspections, Boiler Inspection & Life Assessment etc.

As an ISO-9001-2015 Certified and ISO-17025 Accredited Organization, TCR Arabia ensures all its services are delivered to its clients as per global standards and prescribed procedures. Trained and qualified staff ensure that quality is not compromised at any level of testing and inspection works.

As an employee oriented organization, we value the contributions of every single employee in the growth of our organization. Our employees play a key role in planned expansion, strategic

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development and technical expertise which results in winning the trust of our valued clients and to serve them to higher standards everytime. Today we are a strong team of qualified API Engineers, NDT Engineers, Metallurgists, Skilled Technicians.

One of the key factors that sets TCR Arabia apart from its competitors is its commitment to safety. The company places a strong emphasis on safety in all of its projects, and it has implemented strict safety procedures to ensure the safety of its employees, as well as its clients. TCR Arabia also carries out regular safety audits to ensure that all of its projects are being carried out in compliance with the highest safety standards.

TCR Arabia is committed to develop the local manpower (Saudi Nationals) by providing 'on the job' trainings, class-room trainings in the field of NDT & Material Testing. Consistent growth in the percentage of IKTVA (In-Kingdom Total Value Addition) has yielded positive results in the success of TCR Arabia.

In conclusion, TCR Arabia is a leading engineering services company in Saudi Arabia and the Middle East. Backed by the trust of its valued clients and the ability of its staff to deliver quality services, the organization is motivated to serve and deliver best results vear after year.

### Syed Ameen Hassan, Country Manager, TCR Arabia, Saudi Arabia

yed Ameen heads the TCR Arabia operations in Saudi Arabia. MBA in Marketing and Finance, from Chifley University, Australia, Syed Ameen has been instrumental in developing the business of TCR Arabia from its inception stage. Experience of over 25 years in the Saudi Arabian and Middle East market, specifically in the m-stream industry business, helps Syed ten to reach out to the decision makers

Middle East market, specifically in the down-stream industry business, helps Syed Ameen to reach out to the decision makers and also run the operations in a professional manner Business plans, budgeting, decisions on CAPEX / OPEX and Resources Management are his key roles and reports to the EXCOM & Board Members on the performance of the Organization.

Under the leadership of Syed Ameen, the anginzation has grown from its incubation stage to one of the top Inspection & Testing Companies in Saudi Arabia. Ensuring routine business with all major clients is the key to sustenance of the Organization and Syed Ameen has been instrumental in gaining long term contracts with major clients like Saudi Aramoo, SABIC, TASNEE, MAADEN, SWCC etc. Expansion of the organization by setting up new service areas like Robotic Inspection Services, Welder Qualification Department, Mechanical Testing Lab, Metallurgical Testing Lab, Corrosion Testing Lab are some of key achievements.

Operational alliance with major international service providers like CANAP Engineering of India for Stress Analysis Studies, CIA of Canada for Coker Drum Inspections, Planys of India for Submersible Robotic Inspection and so on were formed under the leadership of Syed Ameen to provide advance inspection and technical support to all of TCR's valued clients in KSA. Adapting to the fast evolving Inspection Field with new and advanced techniques to help the client save loss of production time and improve profitability. TCR team is consistently working in offering safer, faster and reliable inspection and testing techniques to clients under the leadership of Syed Ameen.

An Active team player and a firm believer in Team Work, Syed Ameen has been able to develop a team of professional engineers, technicians, admin staff, and support staff to work towards a common goal of developing the organization.



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#### **Events**

### Celebrating 50 years of TCR



Since 1973, TCR Engineering Services is well known for its work ethics, precision, transparency, & reliability and has been trusted by over 3500 customers across India. TCR's expertise guarantees superior quality, safety, and reliability, empowering business to reach new heights while fueling the national economy through enhanced product performance, reduced downtime, and accelerated innovation. Together, we are the key drivers of the "Make in India" movement to build a vibrant and prosperous economy.

TCR has completed NDT works on over 3000 kms. of Cross-Country Pipeline for EPC companies on IOCL and GAIL sites. TCR offers specialized fatigue testing for Reinforcement Couplers and Grouter for Mechanical Splices of Bars in Concrete used in Infrastructure and Road construction projects. Defence industry vertical is served by undertaking Fracture Toughness and Fatigue Crack Growth Rate analysis. TCR has worked on over 5000 failure investigation cases, over 75 Fitness For Service assignments and over 300 boiler RLA projects.

TCR is approved by IOCL, GAIL, RIL, L&T, JSW, HAL, NMRL, DMRL, PDIL, DRDO, CQAE, RITES, BMC, Mecon, EIL, BSE, NSE, Mazagon Dock, NPCIL, Customs Authority India and Saudi Aramco, SABIC, PDO, QCHEM, QAFCO, KOC, KNPC, Iraq Ministry of Oil, SHELL, National Oilwell Varco, Sakhalin Energy and many others internationally. TCR is the preferred laboratory for members of the Bombay Metal Exchange and the Mumbai Steel Traders Association.

TCR prides itself in being a Pan-India based material testing and inspection services company with global operations in Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Kuwait, Malaysia and Nigeria.

#### MATERIAL TESTING LAB

- Mechanical Testing
- Chemical Analysis Spectro
- NACE Sour Gas Corrosion
- CTOD & Fracture Toughness
- Coupler & Rebar Fatigue Test
- Railtrack butt joint Fatigue
- Microstructure Studies
- SEM & EDAX Analysis
   Welder Qualification
- Hot Tensile
- RoHS Compliance
- Construction/Civil Lab
- Composite Testing
- Wet Chemical

#### NDT & INSPECTION

- Cross Country Pipeline RT
- ToFD and PaUT
- Robotic Reformer Tube Inspect
- Robotic Tank Inspection
- Hobotic Tank Inspection
- Eddy Current Test for Tubes
   IRIS, RFET and MFL
- Metallographic Replica
- Wetallographic Replica
- Helium Leak Detection
- PMI-Positive Material Id
- Gamma Radiography
   PWHT and Heat Treatment
- Civil NDT for Concrete
- Inspection of BridgesThird Party Inspection

#### ENGINEERING CONSULTING

- · Asset Integrity Management
- · Pipeline Integrity
- Fitness for Service
- Remaining Life Assessment
- Boiler Audit
- · Failure Analysis Investigation
- Insurance & Litigation Referee
- · Digitalization of RT Films
- Plant Relocation Advisory
- Manpower Supply for Turn Around
- · CAD/CAM and Piping Stress Analysis
- Custom Research
- Welding Consulting
- · Plant Reliability Training



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#### TCR Nashik

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#### TCR Advanced (Bharuch Division)

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#### Pune - Sample Collection Center

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ISO/IEC 17025 : 2017 Accredited Testing Laboratory by

NABL

Vide Certificate No. TC - 6905



**Events** 

## TCR Arabia will be participating in the following exhibitions:



Asset Integrity & Process Safety Conference & Exhibition April 23-25, 2024



Tankconex 2024 May 13-15, 2024



Jubail Corrosion
Conference &
Exhibition
September 1-3, 2024



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### **Events**

## Saudi ARAMCO assessment for WQT & Laboratory





## **RC Corridor Pre-Qualification Audit**













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### **Events**

Client Visit: Baghlaf Steel Saudi





ISO 9001:2015 Surveillance Audit







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## **Events**

## **Audit By Entrion (NOV)**





### **Weatherford Audit**













## **Events**

## **Operations Management Team Excursion at Al-Ahsa**







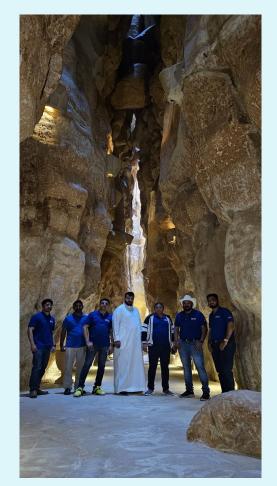
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## **Events**

**TCR Arabia Iftar Party 2024** 













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## TCR Arabia Company Limited

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### **Events**

Best Employee 1st Quarter 2024 Award held during Iftar



Best Employee 1st Quarter 2024 Gold, Silver, Bronze Awardees







Gold - Veeramani

Silver - Nilesh Pevekar

**Bronze - Darwin Dorado** 



## **Events**

### **TCR Team Photos**



