

External Training Course

Plant and Equipment Integrity

From 19 Oct. To 23 Oct. 2025 From 16 Nov. To 20 Nov. 2025 From 07 Dec. To 11 Dec. 2025

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Course Overview:

This comprehensive 5-day course is designed to provide participants with practical knowledge and advanced techniques for maintaining the integrity of plant systems and industrial equipment. The course emphasizes asset reliability, risk-based inspection, fitness-for-service assessments, and compliance with international standards to prevent failures and improve operational safety in oil & gas, petrochemical, power generation, and processing facilities.

Why Attend This Course?

Learn from real-world failure cases and mitigation strategies.

Gain knowledge aligned with global integrity standards.

Improve operational safety and reduce unplanned outages.

Develop actionable integrity management plans for your facility.

Course Objectives:

By the end of this training, participants will be able to:

- Understand the principles of asset integrity management (AIM).
- Implement effective inspection, monitoring, and evaluation programs.
- Apply international codes and standards (API, ASME, ISO, etc.).
- Identify common degradation mechanisms (corrosion, fatigue, creep).
- Conduct Fitness-for-Service (FFS) evaluations and Risk-Based Inspection (RBI).
- Integrate integrity management into operational and safety practices.
- Enhance plant reliability, reduce downtime, and improve compliance.

Course Methodology:

Expert-led interactive lectures.

Real case studies & failure investigations.

Hands-on group exercises and simulations.

Standards and code reviews.

Open forum discussions and Q&A.

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Course Outline:

Day 1: Introduction to Plant & Equipment Integrity

- Fundamentals of Asset Integrity Management (AIM).
- Lifecycle integrity and reliability of plant assets.
- Roles and responsibilities in AIM programs.
- Key failures in plant systems and lessons learned.
- Overview of relevant international standards (API 580/581, API 579, ASME VIII).
- Integrating AIM with HSSE and operational excellence.

Day 2: Risk-Based Inspection (RBI) & Condition Monitoring

- Risk assessment principles and methodologies.
- Developing and implementing RBI programs.
- Identifying damage mechanisms and failure modes.
- Risk ranking and prioritization.
- Condition monitoring techniques (Vibration analysis, ultrasonic testing, thermography
- Predictive vs preventive maintenance strategies.

Day 3: Corrosion Management & Degradation Mechanisms

- Types of corrosion and material degradation (General, localized, galvanic, MIC, etc.).
- Corrosion Under Insulation (CUI).
- Coating and cathodic protection systems.
- Material selection and compatibility.
- Corrosion loop and circuit development.
- Data management and trend analysis.

Day 4: Fitness-for-Service (FFS) & Remaining Life Assessment

- API 579 Fitness-for-Service methodology.
- Assessment levels (1, 2, and 3) explained.
- Evaluating flaws: cracks, dents, corrosion.
- Remaining life prediction and retirement criteria.
- Finite element analysis (FEA) overview.
- Case studies in pressure vessel and pipeline FFS.

Day 5: Integrity Management Planning & Practical Case Studies

- Integrity operating windows (IOWs).
- Integrity Management System (IMS) components.
- Documentation, audits, and performance indicators.
- Digital tools and software in integrity management.
- Interactive group case study and workshop.
- Wrap-up, knowledge test, and certificate distribution.

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Course Agenda:

(1st Day) Agenda

8.30	9.00	Opening Remarks (30 Min.).
9.00	11.30	DISCUSS COURSE OBJECTIVES:
		Introduction to Plant & Equipment Integrity.
		Risk-Based Inspection (RBI) & Condition Monitoring.
		Corrosion Management & Degradation Mechanisms.
		Fitness-for-Service (FFS) & Remaining Life Assessment.
		Integrity Management Planning & Practical Case Studies.
11.30	12.00	Coffee Break
12.00	14.00	Introduction to Plant & Equipment Integrity:
		Fundamentals of Asset Integrity Management (AIM).
		Lifecycle integrity and reliability of plant assets.
		Roles and responsibilities in AIM programs.
		Key failures in plant systems and lessons learned.
		Overview of relevant international standards (API 580/581, API 579, ASME VIII).
		Integrating AIM with HSSE and operational excellence.
14.00	14.30	Questions and Discussion
14.30		Buffet Lunch

(2nd Day) Agenda

9.00	11.30	Risk-Based Inspection (RBI) & Condition Monitoring:
		Risk assessment principles and methodologies.
		Developing and implementing RBI programs.
		Identifying damage mechanisms and failure modes.
11.30	12.00	Coffee Break
		Risk-Based Inspection (RBI) & Condition Monitoring:
12.00	14.00	Risk ranking and prioritization.
		Condition monitoring techniques (Vibration analysis, ultrasonic testing, thermography
		Predictive vs preventive maintenance strategies.
14.00	14.30	Questions and Discussion
14.30		Buffet Lunch

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(3rd Day) Agenda

9.00	11.30	Corrosion Management & Degradation Mechanisms:
		• Types of corrosion and material degradation (General, localized, galvanic, MIC, etc.).
		Corrosion Under Insulation (CUI).
		Coating and cathodic protection systems.
11.30	12.00	Coffee Break
		Corrosion Management & Degradation Mechanisms:
12.00	14.00	Material selection and compatibility.
		Corrosion loop and circuit development.
		Data management and trend analysis.
14.00	14.30	Questions and Discussion
14.30		Buffet Lunch

(4th Day) Agenda

9.00	11.30	Fitness-for-Service (FFS) & Remaining Life Assessment:
		API 579 Fitness-for-Service methodology.
		Assessment levels (1, 2, and 3) explained.
		Evaluating flaws: cracks, dents, corrosion.
11.30	12.00	Coffee Break
		Fitness-for-Service (FFS) & Remaining Life Assessment:
12.00	14.00	Remaining life prediction and retirement criteria.
		Finite element analysis (FEA) overview.
		Case studies in pressure vessel and pipeline FFS.
14.00	14.30	Questions and Discussion
14.30		Buffet Lunch

(5th Day) Agenda

9.00	11.30	Integrity Management Planning & Practical Case Studies:
		Integrity operating windows (IOWs).
		Integrity Management System (IMS) components.
		Documentation, audits, and performance indicators.
11.30	12.00	Coffee Break
		Integrity Management Planning & Practical Case Studies:
12.00	14.00	Digital tools and software in integrity management.
		Interactive group case study and workshop.
		Wrap-up, knowledge test, and certificate distribution.
14.00	14.30	Questions, Discussion & Conclusion Training Course.
14.30		Buffet Lunch