

# BEARING MAINTENANCE AND LUBRICATION

# **COURSE OUTLINE 2020**

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### TRAINING TITLE

BEARING MAINTENANCE AND LUBRICATION

### **VENUE**

Dubai, UAE

### **DURATION**

5 Days

### **DATES**

04 - 08 October 2020

### **PRICE**

US\$4,000 per attendee including training material/handouts, morning/afternoon coffee breaks and Lunch buffet daily.

### TRAINING INTRODUCTION

This five-day course covers principles and applications of various types of bearings, including plain journal, ball, and roller bearings. It explains installation, inspection and repair of bearings, deals with specialized bearings. Covers bearing failure modes, lubrication, Failure analysis and services practices.

### TRAINING OBJECTIVES

- Name the two main categories of bearings and cite their advantages.
- Identify bearings by the kind of support they provide.
- Describe the three kinds of stresses acting on shafts.
- Explain the function of lubricating
- Name and explain the characteristics that are most important in materials for bearings
- Explain bearing repair procedures.
- ldentify the functions of the various parts of a typical rolling-element bearing.
- Describe the common methods of mounting bearings
- State typical applications for oil lubrication of bearings.

- Detail the cleaning procedures for different oil lubrication systems
- Give five easy rules for lubricating bearings.
- Identify a principal cause of early bearing failure.
- Describe installation procedures for antifriction and plain journal bearings.
- Name the different types of bearing failure and their causes.
- > Tell how bearings should be cleaned and lubricated after inspection

### TRAINING AUDIENCE

- Technicians and Supervisors
- New Engineers
- Supervisors and Technicians in Refurbishment Facilities
- Bearing Procurement Specification Writers and Supervisors

### **COURSE OUTLINE**

### Day 1

### **BEARING TECHNOLOGY**

Introduction to bearing technology

Bearing description

Terminology

Bearing application

### Type of bearings

Frictional Bearings

Types of Plain Bearings

Journal bearing

Tilting pad bearing

Axial thrust bearing

Combination Radial/Thrust Bearings

## Vibration due to bearing **Bearing materials Plain Bearing Lubrication** Troubleshooting—Plain Bearing Failure Wiping Wiping on a White-metal Scoring **Erosion Fatigue** Fretting Misalignment Corrosion and Deposits **Lubricant Oxidation Anti frication Bearings** Classification and Characteristics of Rolling Bearings Terminology of Bearing Parts Characteristics **Bearing Life** Sound Part numbering Bearing accessories Bearing selection Day 2

### **BEST PRACTICE FITTING AND REMOVAL**

Shaft and Housing Design

Housings

Misalignment

Replacement Considerations

Mounting Accessories

Shaft and Housing Fits

Bearing Fit Criteria

Checking Fit Integrity

Bearing Internal Clearances

Typical Fit Examples

### **Fixing of Bearings**

Tolerances

**Mounting Preparation** 

Cold, temperature and hydraulic mounting

Types of shaft mounting

**Mechanical Mounting** 

Temperature Mounting

Mounting with Sleeves Hydraulically

- How to fit and remove common bearing types
- Using workshop and specialist fitting tools
- Effects of Loose Fit: Rotating Shaft and Inner Ring
- Bearing Arrangements
- Dismounting Procedures
- Removal Techniques

### Day 3

### **BEARING DIAGNOSTICS**

### **Bearing Failure Analysis**

Overview

**Bearing Life** 

Misalignment

Failure Mode Classification

False Brinelling Caused by Static

Vibration

Conducting the Analysis

Securing evidence

### Bearing damage and corrective measures

Flaking

Seizure

Cracking and notching

Cage damage

Meandering wear patterns

Smearing and scuffing

Rust and corrosion

Fretting

Wear

Electrolytic corrosion

Dents and scratches

Creep

Surface matting

Peeling

**Fatigue** 

Misalignment

Lubrication Failure

### Troubleshooting—Anti-friction Bearing Failure

Wear Marks

Fatigue

Misalignment..

Damage Caused by Incorrect Fitting

Brinnelling and False Brinnelling

Lubrication Failure

### Day 4

### **APPLICATION OF BEARINGS**

Critical considerations when selecting and applying bearings into machinery

### Bearing housing/bearing isolators

Cantilevers or overhung impeller pumps

In-between bearing or fully supported shaft pumps

Vertical pumps

### Bearing housing protection devices

Felt and lip seals

Labyrinths

Magnetic seals

### Power turbine bearings

**Shaft and Housing Repair** 

### **Maintaining Bearings**

- Dismount anti-friction bearings using a bearing press and/or a bearing puller
- Inspect the bearing for signs of failure
- Clean the shaft and check for taper and out-of-round using the proper measuring instruments
- Clean the housing and check for damage
- Select the proper bearing for replacement, if necessary
- Properly orient a bearing prior to installation
- Mount a bearing using an induction heater and/or an arbor press
- Measure the bearing's inner and outer clearances during installation
- Properly lubricate bearings per manufacturers' recommendations

### Day 5

### TRIBOLOGY AND LUBRICATION Oil

Oil Lubrication Method

Selection of lubricating oil

Oil quantity

### Lubricating oil analysis

Oil analysis tests

Viscosity

Contamination

Fuel dilution

Solids content

Fuel soot

**Nitration** 

Total acid number (tan)

Total base number (tbn)

Particle count

Spectrographic analysis

Wear particle analysis

Ferrography

Setting up an effective program

### **Lubricant audit process**

Baseline signature

Equipment evaluation

**Routes** 

Frequency of monitoring

**Tests** 

Post-overhaul testing

Contractor overhaul templates

Data analysis

Root-cause analysis

### Grease

Grease Lubrication

Types of grease

Grease filling and replacement

Overfilling and underfilling

### TRAINING CERTIFICATE

**MAESTRO CONSULTANTS** Certificate of Completion for delegates who attend and complete the training course

### **METHODOLOGY**

Our courses are highly interactive, typically taking a case study approach that we have found to be an effective method of fostering discussions and transferring knowledge. Participants will learn by active participation during the program through the use of individual exercises, questionnaires, team exercises, training videos and discussions of "real life" issues in their organizations. The material has been designed to enable delegates to apply all of the material with immediate effect back in the workplace.