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Techniques and Methods used in API 579-1/ASME FFS-1 for Advanced Fitness-For-Service (FFS) Assessments

- Overview of API 579-1/ASME FFS-1 through Examples
 - Review of the FFS Assessment Levels
 - How to Select an FFS Assessment Levels and “Best-Buys”
 - Examples of Volumetric Damage, Crack-Like Flaws, Creep Damage
 - Insights into API 579-1/ASME FFS-1, 2016 Edition
- Harmonization of API 579-1/ASME FFS-1 and ASME, Section VIII, Division 2
 - Life-Cycle Management Overview for Fixed Equipment
 - API 579-1/ASME FFS-1 Annex B1, B2, B3, and B4 and ASME Section VIII, Division 2
 - Fatigue Assessment Methods
 - Examples
- Background to Development of Volumetric Damage Assessment Methods
 - General Metal Loss
 - Local Thin Areas
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- Background to Development of Crack-like Flaw Assessment Methods
 - Stress Intensity Factor and Reference Stress Solutions
 - Failure Assessment Diagram
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- Remaining Life Estimation for High Temperature Components
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