

Holiday time

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Pipeline Inspection Ltd. says its SPY 780 direct current operation offers greater reliability and operating flexibility when FBE (fusion bonded epoxy) and other thin coatings are inspected. No matter how fast the operator scans the pipe, the constant current provides a complete and continuous coverage over a 1,000 to 5,000-volt spectrum. Even the smallest of holidays can be detected and repaired in a fusion-bonded epoxy, says the company. The 780 is lightweight, self-contained and shares all of the same ergonomic features as the SPY Model 785 (1,000 to 15,000-volt) and 790 (5,000 to 35,000-volt) pulse units. A built-in jeep meter reduces set up time and electrodes are available to inspect pipe from two to 60 inches in diameter, says the company. Each system is packaged with two eight hours batteries, a charger electrode wand and a ground cable in a durable moulded carrying case.

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