

## Advantages of Continuous Limpet Coil over the Conventional Limpet Coil

Sr. No.	Aspects	Conventional Technique	New Technique
1	Manufacturing	Press bending and welding of small	Continuous Limpet Coil formed by
	Process	pipe split-ups or plate segments to	Cold Roll Forming Technique
		form complete limpet coil.	
2	Technical	Half coil ends are work hardened	Lesser work hardening of material
		due to Impact de-forming resulting	due to stage wise forming process
		in to a lower strength weld joints	resulting in <b>better weld joint</b>
		with Equipment	strength with Equipment
3	Technical	Due to limitations of length of the	Continuous coil with Lesser or NO
		press, number of butt joints are	butt joints along the reactor
		required. Strength of joints are	
		lower than base material	
4	Technical	TIG welding if done without purging	No butt joints and thus no
		of inert ga <mark>s, may cause oxidation</mark> of	possibility of oxidation. Material's
		material which is not allowed	Corrosion Resistant Property
			remains intact
5	Reactor Life	Chance of leakage is higher due to	Longer life of the reactor due to
		localize work ha <mark>rdening at each butt</mark>	fewer weld joints
		weld and multiple butt welds along	
		the coil. Reduces overall life of the	
		reactor	
6	Time Saving	More time consuming	Less time consuming – up to 60-80%
			lesser time for tagging
7	Wastage	Ends of each bent piece remains	Continuous duly bent limpet coil
	Reduction	straight which are cut and scraped.	saves wastage of base material and
		Cutting and welding consumables	consumables
		required at each butt weld $\checkmark$	
8	Costing	High cost	Saves labor cost, cutting/welding
			cost & cost of wastage
9	Aesthetics	Poor due to multiple butt welds and	Better due to continuous finish
		bending	