CASE HISTORY

Drilling & Completions: Lost Circulation  TAMPLUG Permanent Bridge Plug

TAMPLUG PERMANENT BRIDGE PLUG SYSTEM

TAM Mexico deepwater operation saves significant time and money.

Location: Deepwater Mexico

CHALLENGES: A customer had frequent problems setting cement plugs to stop losses, and often set as many as 3 balanced plugs unsuccessfully.

SOLUTION: TAM deployed the TAMPlug with an 11 in. VE element in a 17.5 in. open hole to 5,375 meters. Once the plug was set and losses stopped, the work string was disconnected and a balanced cement plug was successfully placed above the TAMPlug. The operator was able to sidetrack the well and continue drilling ahead.

RESULTS AND BENEFIT: The TAMPlug saved the customer up to 48 hours of rig time and costs of pumping additional cement plugs.