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# **ROYAL TECH TRAINING & CONSULTANCY**

Method & level	Phased Array Ultrasonic Testing- welds- Level 2		
Course Duration - Days & Hours	10 DAYS - 100 HOURS		
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# PCN Level 2 Phased Array Ultrasonic Testing

Duration: 10days (100 Hours)

## **Course Overview:**

This course provides the knowledge required to operate equipment and perform manual & encoded phased array testing on welds. The course covers theoretical aspects on phased array application, its advantages and limitations, application of phased array. It also includes requirements of code & standards. The course also covers in depth practical aspects for application of Phased Array on plate butt welds.

#### Course content:

- 1. History of PAUT, TOFD, AUT. Advantages, limitations, application of PAUT
- 2. Fundamental of PA principles, operations, steering, focussing
- 3. Phased probes, wedges, classification, parameters
- 4. Beam forming, Parameters, lobes
- 5. Phased array scanning types, encoded systems, directional scanning's
- 6. Digitization principles, parameters, Displays
- 7. Scan plan, Selection of parameters, Calibration, blocks and Validation blocks
- 8. Data analysis- software's
- 9. Creation of scan plan, setup files
- 10. Calibrations such as velocity, wedge, sensitivity, TCG, optimization
- 11. Testing of specimen samples
- 12. Data acquisition & verification of data analysis and data auditing, Locating, Flaw characterization and sizing
- 13. Practical exercise and Daily assessment

#### **Course objectives:**

- 1. Understand the basic concept of Phased Array ultrasonics.
- 2. Understanding Scan planning with various software's
- 3. Understanding equipment Electronics, digitisation
- 4. Calibrating using calibration blocks for weld inspection
- 5. Optimisations of Set up for various welds
- 6. Performing inspection and data collection
- 7. Understanding and performing analysis with various software's
- 8. Shall gain hands on experience in PAUT weld examination.
- 9. Meet the syllabus requirements for PCN Level 2 as per PCN/GEN Appendix E9

## Experience:

- 1. 4 months experience required in order to gain full qualification and certification.
- 2. PCN UT Level 2 or any BINDT recognised UT Level 2 qualification is mandatory to be eligible for PAUT Level 2 exam