# **ARMOUR-X** WEAR PLATE

For Conveyor Wear Strips & Attachments



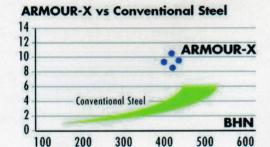
**ARMOUR-X** is a new technology 21st Century alloy steel that increases wear life without increasing hardness.

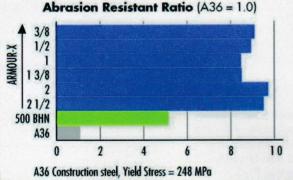
ARMOUR-X while obtaining greater wear life than conventional 500BHN plate, offers superior weldability and formability.

ARMOUR-X reduces cost by extending wear life and reducing installation frequency.

**ARMOUR-X** has excellent through hardness characteristics.

## **ABRASION** RESISTANT TESTS





The superior wearability of ARMOUR-X is achieved through new 21st century alloy steel technology. The result is a Formable, Weldable wear plate in the 450 BHN range that offers wear resistance almost twice that of conventional 500 BHN grades.

### Specify ARMOUR-X alloy steel over conventional **Q&T** plate to:

Extend wear life!

• Reduce installation frequency!

Reduce installed weight!

Achieve the lowest life cycle cost!

### **ARMOUR-X** is generally superior to conventional **Q&T** plate:

· For bending, drilling, shearing, gas cutting, & welding properties.

• The hardness level of ARMOUR-X is lower than conventional 500BHN steels.

• The abrasion resistance properties of ARMOUR-X is far greater than 500BHN steels.

"ARMOUR-X is showing outstanding results under our Can-Am WH157 log haul chains to the debarker. After only 6 months the product shows negligible wear. For the same period the

previous 400BHN product would have had about 3mm worn off. ARMOUR-X was easy to weld and is showing no signs of cracking in this high impact application. At this rate we could see twice, maybe even three times the life, which is a significant saving in terms of labour costs and downtime."

#### **Phil Gray**

Maintenance Manager Kaiangaroa Log Processing Plant



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