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Waste gas utilization in Szank gas plant Péter Takáts MOL Plc.

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Sub-projects of energy rationalization project

Heat system reconstruction, change steam for hot oil, waste heat recovery units at compressor gas engines and power plant

Replace the gas engine for e-motor of CO₂ compressors

New condensate stabilizer installation, stoppage the condensate transport to Algyő

Power plant installation with waste gas utilization as fuel gas, power production for own purpose only

Power plant installation philosophy

To utilize as much waste gas as possible in the plant

- Disposed CO₂ reach gases
- Save compressor power
- Low LHV gases (8-13MJ/Sm³)
- New cond. stabilizer overhead gas

Waste gases which are available in the plant for free

No charge, save opex (re-injection compressor)

Power producing to replace and reduce the power purchase

- To save electric power cost
- Before the project avg. ~1,2-1,5 MW
- After the project avg. ~0,8-1,0 MW (new emotors)

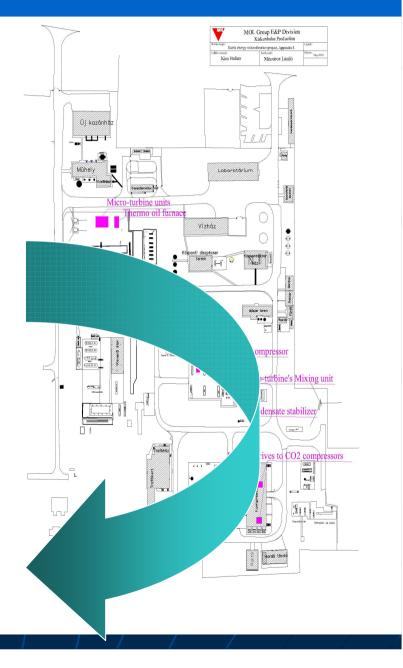
Efficiency power production (co-generation)

- Waste heat recovery (hot oil)
- Total energy efficiency is 62-65%
- Low opex

High level of reliability in power production

• availability, flexibility (less sensitivity for fuel quality, lowest power 10% of nominal!)

2x1 MW(e) capacity power plant was choosen



Available fuel gases of power plant

 Overhead gas of condensate stabilizer
5 to 5.5 barg, 70 to 100 Sm3/h. Consumption of the total flow is needed

Szank EOR production oil associated gas

7 to 8 barg, approx. 80% CO₂, max. 3000 Sm3/h (saturated² with water) Shall be used as much as possible

Biogenic gases (additional)
42 to 42 bars, 25 to 20% N

42 to 43 barg, 25 to $30\% N_2$, 5500 to 6000 Sm3/h (conditioned gas, dew point max. 4°C at 40 barg). Shall be used as low as possible In case LHV 13MJ/Sm³ enough for ~1800 kW only

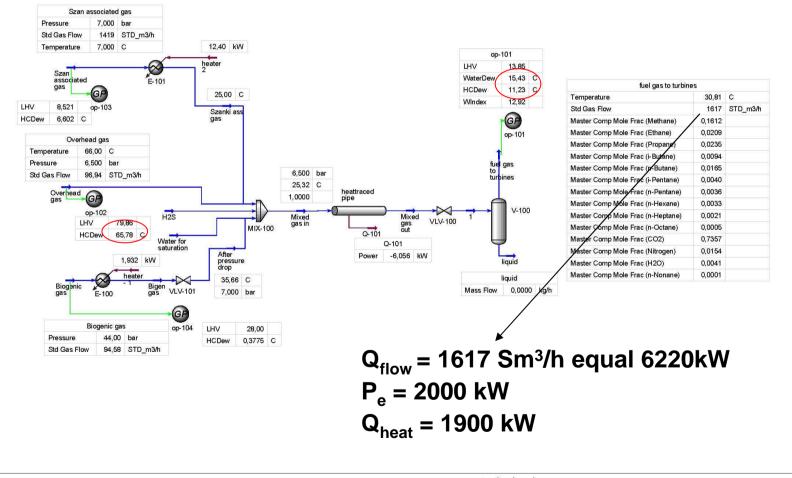


Need ~100 Sm³/h for 2000 kW electric power

Fuel gas requirements and flow diagram

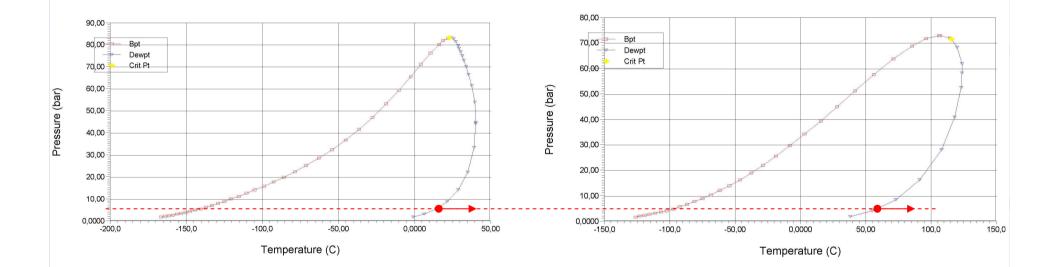
►LHV: 13 – 22,4 MJ/m³

Temperature: 10 degC above HC dew point max. 50 degC Pressure: 7 barg



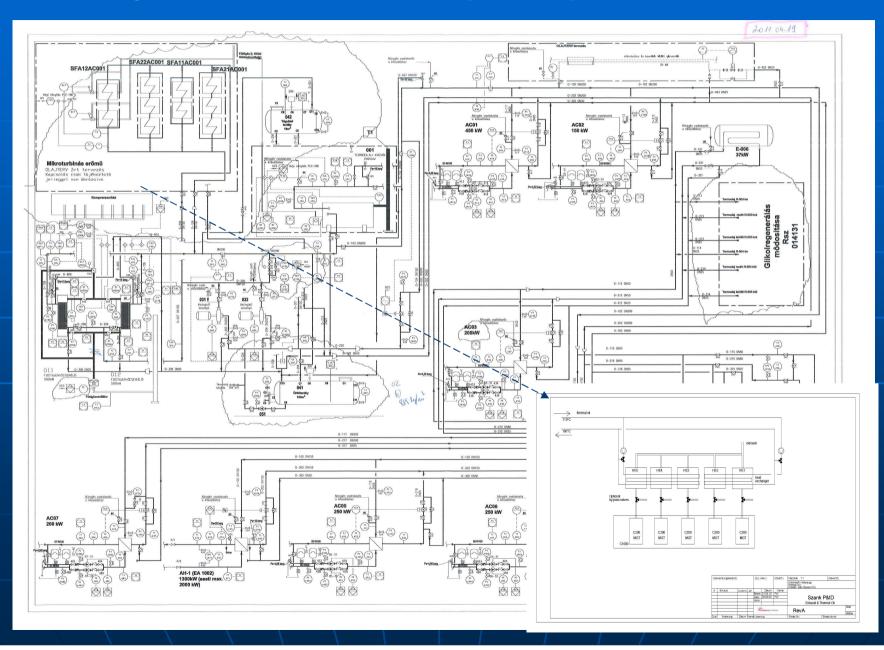
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HC dew points



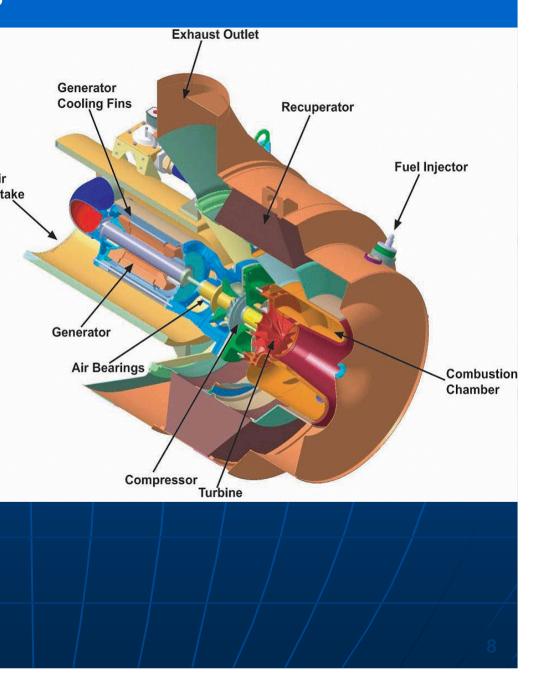


Hot oil system connection for power plant



Microturbine (Capestone) Why? -No MN problem -No auxiliary system (air bearing) -At low LHV good efficiency (33-31%) Air -Syncronizer is included (RPM=90 000) Intake -Max. power 200kW -Heat recovery is available (relative low temp. ~280degC) -Good efficiency at turn down (very flexible)





MOL C1000 unit on manufacturer test

