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## Coal Gasification and Coal -to -liquid Conversion



## What is Gasification

- Gasification converts any Carbon containing material into Synthesis gas, composed primarily of Carbon monoxide and Hydrogen
- Uses high pressure combined with Oxygen or air & steam to convert carbon based materials directly into Syngas by partial oxidation
- Gasification process breaks carbon based materials down to the molecular level, so impurities can be relatively easily and

inexpensively removed









# Worldwide Coal Gasification Technologies



Coal choice may be the least flexible factor while considering the gasification technology; so, it is necessary to adapt the gasification technology according to the available type(s) of coal



## **Benefits of Gasification**

- Gasification plants produce significantly low quantities of air pollutants.
- Gasification can reduce the environmental impact of waste disposal because it can use waste products as feedstock - generating valuable products from these waste materials.
- Gasification's by-products are non-hazardous & are readily marketable.
- Gasification plants use significantly less water than traditional coal-based power generation, and can be designed so they fully recycle the process water, discharging none into the surrounding environment.
- Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) is being captured from an industrial gasification plant using commercially proven technologies.
- Gasification offers the cleanest, very efficient means of producing chemicals & electricity from coal and the lowest cost option for capturing CO<sub>2</sub>.



## **Gasification - Polygeneration Opportunities**





#### **Coal to Hydrogen through Gasification**





#### **Integrated Gasification Combined Cycle- Power**





## Why renewed interest in Coal Gasification

- Skyrocketing energy prices
- Availability of abundant non-coking coal in India
- Coal is more evenly distributed geographically, unlike oil
- Availability of now matured technology
- Coal gasification is widely used in SA & China and is a success story there

#### Selection of Coal Gasification Technology-Steel Making





Selection of Coal Gasification Project

- 1. Both of the Current Clean Conventional Routes of Iron making are dependent on Imports.
- 2. However, JSP also being a supporter of "Make In India" Ideology, tried to use noncoking coal in Clean Steel making.
- Same is abundantly available in India & can be used effectively.



## **Selection of Fixed Bed Technology**



Well demonstrated, mature and Proven Technology with low risk. More than 100 Gasifiers in operation

Suitable for low Rank, high ash content Coal.

High Carbon conversion efficiency (approx. 95%).

High Cold Gas efficiency (85%) due to counter-current operation.

Low Oxygen consumption.

Gas Composition suitable for Steel / Fertilizer Industry.

Ash fusion temperature of Indian Coal is high, therefore, dry bottom type is preferred.

No Coal drying & grinding required, hence less energy consumption & not hazardous.

Valuable By-Products like Tar, Oil, Phenol, Ammonia etc.





#### Salient Features of Coal Gasification plant, JSP

- No of Gasifiers : 06 + 01
- Feed stock : Non coking coal of 34-35% ash
- Technology : SLTC, S Africa & Lurgi , Germany
- Coal requirement : 270 ton/hr
- Syn gas produced : 2,25,000 Nm3/h
- Calorific value : 3450 kcal/Nm3

# Syn-gas Production route & Units in CGP





# **Coal Gasification Complex at a Glance**















#### **Carbon Capture and Utilization Initiatives at JSP**

- Only Steel Plant in India to Capture 2000 TPD Concentrated CO<sub>2</sub>
- Using CO<sub>2</sub> through Bio reactors to produce an algae, Spirulina
  Dietary supplement)
- Exploring captured CO<sub>2</sub> usage into Bio-Ethanol/Methanol Pilot Project
- Conversion of Co2 to Carbon mono oxide and synthesis gas using dry reforming (Circular Carbon Economy)
- Steel making (DRI) through blue hydrogen (Syngas/COG PSA route)









# Thank You