

EPC Operations Committee Meeting Minutes

Time: 10:00 - 11:00 pm

Date: 01/31/17

Location: Virtual

Attendance: Richard Rolke, Jeff Edwards, Jeff Elam, Vance Ham, Carl Harry, Johnny Spell, Daryl Bitting, Jagdish Prajapati, and Muhammad Imran

Agenda:

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| 1) | Read Anti-trust statement | Richard |
| 2) | Update on main committee business | Richard |
| 3) | Reviewed the plans for the upcoming EPC Conference | Richard |
| 3) | Review Operations sessions presentations | Focal Points |
| 4) | Set next committee meeting timing | All |

Anti Trust Statement:

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Meeting Minutes:

- Reviewed anti-trust statement
- Reviewed the plans for the upcoming conference
 - o Discussed options for an Operations meeting during this week
- Reviewed the EPC Conference Operations session agenda
Each paper focal point gave an update on each paper. No current issues with papers meeting deadlines, but none have so far been submitted
- Set timing for next meeting for March 7th. Linde planned to host.
 - o Discussed last meeting attendance was very low

Below is the agenda for the upcoming Operations session for the EPC conference. As paper sponsors, please be ready to discuss status during the next Operations meeting on Jan. 31st.

Sponsor:

Paper #1 – Richard Rolke

Paper #2 – Patti Summers

Paper #3 – Daryl Bitting

Paper #4 – John Spell

Paper #5 – Muhammad Imran

Paper #6 – Vance Ham

Session [Oral #34205 contains 6 abstracts.]

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Order Within Group	Accept	Reject	Transfer	Entry
	A			(id=481751) Welcoming Remarks .
	A	<input type="checkbox"/>		(id=479715) Operating Unstable Catalyst - What We've Learned . J. Liang-Weissgerber and J. Lunn NOTE: Presentation will be co-presented.
	A	<input type="checkbox"/>		(id=481366) Fixing a Critical 2nd Stage Pygas Hydrogenation Reactor ΔP Problem . E. Anguiera
	A	<input type="checkbox"/>		(id=480122) Improving Overall Ethylene Plant Performance By Optimising C2 Hydrogenation . N. Tiensai, K. Chotiwiriyakul and A. Goda
	A			(id=481752) Break .
	A	<input type="checkbox"/>		(id=481101) FHR Air Dryout after 2015 Major Outage . B. Joesph
	A	<input type="checkbox"/>		(id=481126) To Err Is Human: Mitigating the Hazards of Dryer Switching Operations . R. D. Fox
	A	<input type="checkbox"/>		(id=480317) Partial Decoking and Partial Cracking in a Twin CELL Furnace – Design and Operational Considerations . H. V
	A			(id=481753) Concluding Remarks .

Follow-up actions:

- Schedule next Operations meeting – Richard

Next meeting – scheduled for March 7th. In person at Linde building in Houston

EPC Schedule:

Location: Houston Hilton of the Americas

Operations Session - Tuesday morning

Tutorial session – Wed. Afternoon

Session chair/co-chair to communicate to paper authors

March 25th - 30th EPC San Antonio