

# ***RUHRPUMPEN*** **Decoking System**

## **Remote Coke Cutting**

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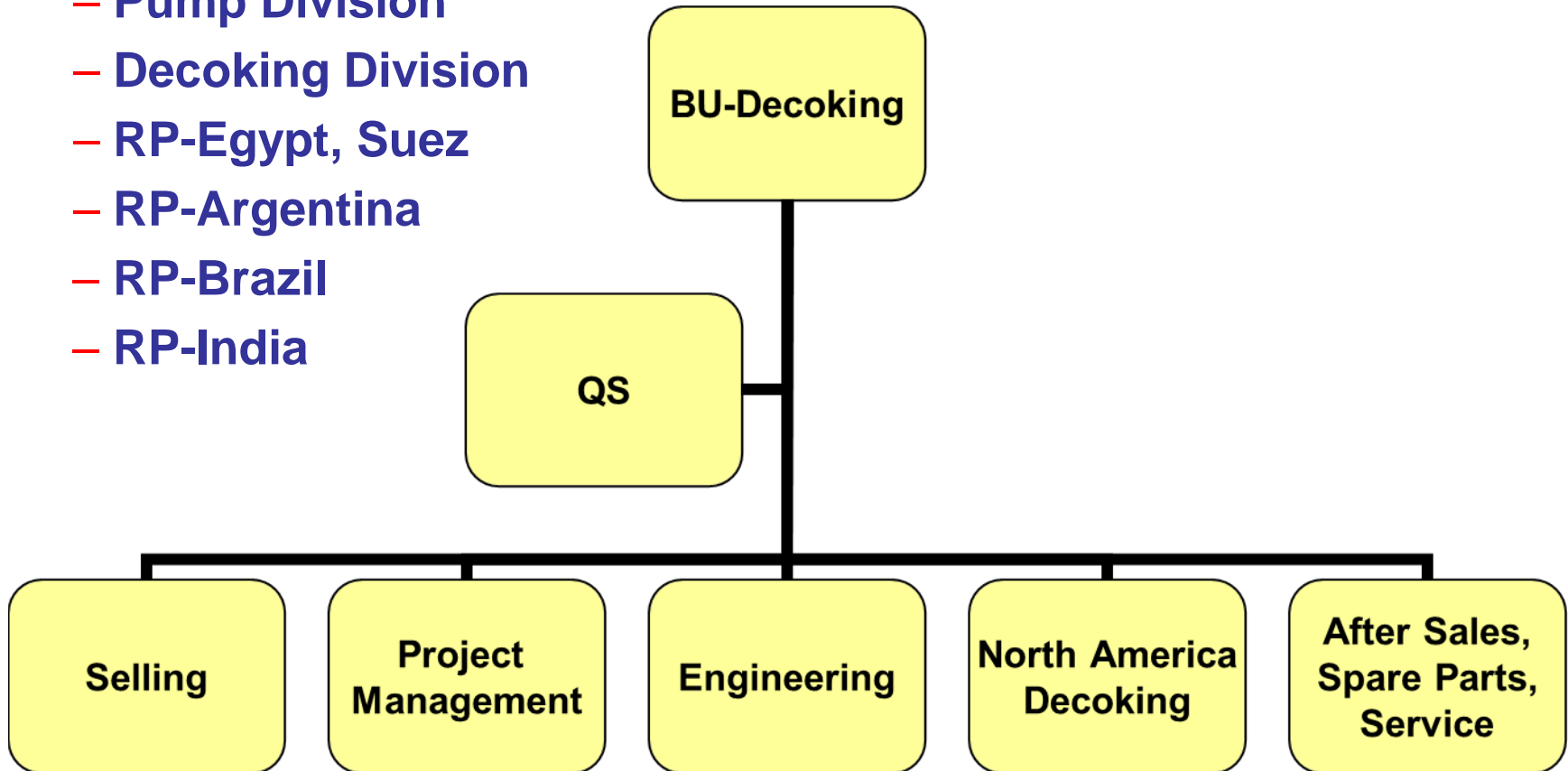
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# Ruhrpumpen - Organisation

- Pump Division
- Decoking Division
- RP-Egypt, Suez
- RP-Argentina
- RP-Brazil
- RP-India



# Ruhrpumpen – References, systems

Year	company	drums	scope	type	project
2001	Petrolera Ameriven, Venezuela	4 x 29'	HDS, Hydraulic Decoking System	hyd	new
2002	BP-Gelsenkirchen, Germany	4 x 26'	Cutting system, semi automated top dh semi automated bottom dh	elec / autom hyd hyd	revamp
2003	BP – Lingen, Germany	2 x 17'	Cutting system, 36" top deheading valves semi-automated bottom dh	hyd elec hyd	new
2004	Jinling, China	2 x 31'	Jet Pump and DC-Valve		new
2005	CNRL, Canada	4 x 30'	HDS,	elec/hyd	new
2005	ENERCON, Chile	2 x 29'	HDS,	hyd	new
2005	BP-Lingen, Germany	2 x 17'	Cutting system, 30" top deheading valves semi-automated bottom dh	hyd elec hyd	revamp
2006	BP Castellon, Spain	2 x 25'	HDS, 30' top deheading valves,	hyd elec	new
2006	Sinclair Oil, USA	2 x 26'	Cutting system,	hyd	revamp
2006	Sinopec, CNOOC, China	4 x 32'	Jet Pump and DC-valve	new	
2007	suncor, Canada	6 x 32'	HDS,	elec / autom	new
2007	Frontier, CB&I, USA	2 x 26'	HDS,	elec / remote	revamp / new
2007	OMV, Germany	2 x 26'	Jet Pump and DC-Valve		revamp
2007	Rosneft, Komsomolsk, Russia	2 x 26'	HDS,	elec	new
2007	Lukoil, Volgograd, Russia	3 x 18'	HDS,	elec	revamp
2007	Petro Canada, Montreal, Can	2 x 28'	HDS,	elec	new

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2008	Petro Canada, Fort Hills, Can	4+2x32'	HDS,	elec	new, cancelled
2008	Hunt Ref., USA	2 x 28'	Cutting system,	elec / remote	extension
2008	C-Chem, Japan	2 x 21''	Cutting system,	elec	extension,
2008	HMEL, India	4 x 30'	HDS,	elec	new
2009	Statoil, Norway	2 x 26'	Cutting System,	elec	revamp
2009	SHELL CAPSA, Argentina	2 x 17'	Cutting System,	elec / remote	revamp
2009	HMEL, GGSRL, India	4 x 30'	HDS	elec	new
2010	NOCL, India	2 x 28'	HDS	elec	new
2009	MRPL, India	4 x 30'	HDS	hyd	new
2010	Lukoil, Volgograd, Russia	2 x 30'	HDS	elec	new
2010	IOCL, Paradip, India	4 x 32'	HDS	hyd	new
2011	Naftan, FW Ib, Belorussia	2 x 28'	HDS	elec	new
2011	PetroChina, China	2 x 31'	Jet Pump and DC-Valve	elec	new
2011	NCRA, KS-USA	2 x 26'	HDS	elec, remote	new
2013	Lukoil, Perm	4 x 25'	HDS	elec, remote, auto	new
2013	ERC-GS, Egypt	2 x 31'	HDS	elec, remote	new
2013	Tatneft (LOI), Russia	4 x 25'	HDS	elec, remote	new
2013	Antipinsk, Russia	2 x 23'	HDS	elec, remote	new
2013	CPCL, India	2 x 32'	HDS		new
2013	Pavlodar, Kz	4 x 18'	Jet Pump and DC Valve	elec	revamp

# Petroleras Ameriven

**Hamaca  
Venezuela**

Licencor: FW  
Contractor: Fluor  
Inelectra

Order: 2001-04  
Start up: 2004-10





# BP-Gelsenkirchen



**BP-Gelsenkirchen,  
Germany**

Licencor: FW

## Scope

- Cutting system
- Bottom deheading, semi-auto
- Top deheading, semi-auto

Order: 2003-06

Start up: 2004-05



## Frontier, Kansas, USA

Licensor: Lummus

EPC: CBI

Scope:

- Cutting system,
- 1 pumps, 2 drums
- Order: 2007
- Start up: 2008
- remote cutting system





## HMEL, India

Licensors: Lummus

Contractor: EIL, India

PMC EIL

### Scope:

—Cutting system, 2 pumps, 4 drums

—Order: 2008-10

—Start up: 2012-02





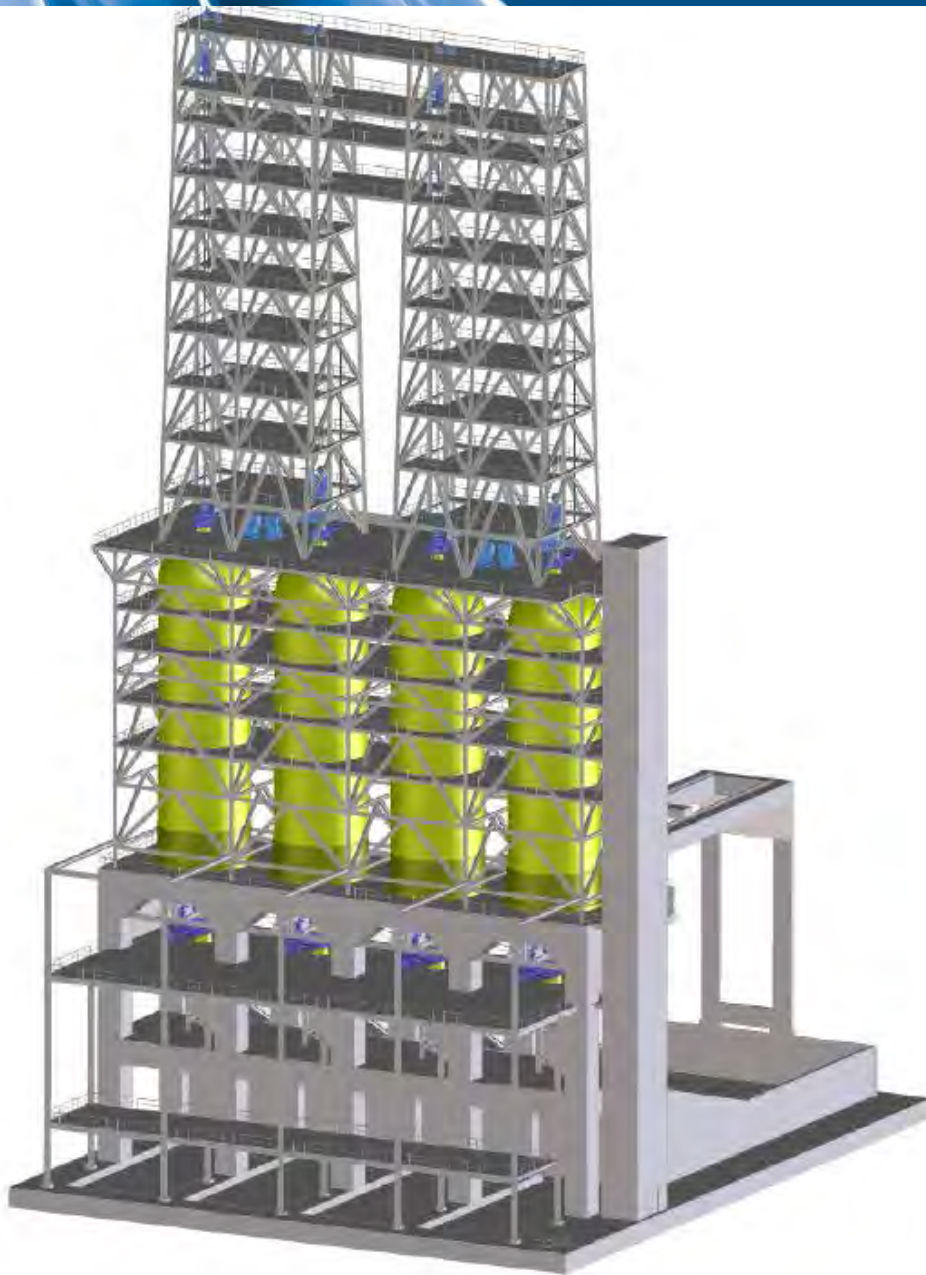
**MRPL, India**

**Licensor: Lummus  
technology**

**Contractor: PLL, India**

**Scope:**

- Cutting system, 2 pumps, 4 drums
- Order: 2009-10
- Start up: 2012-xx



## DCU

Licensor: Foster Wheeler

PMC: JACOBS, India

## Drums

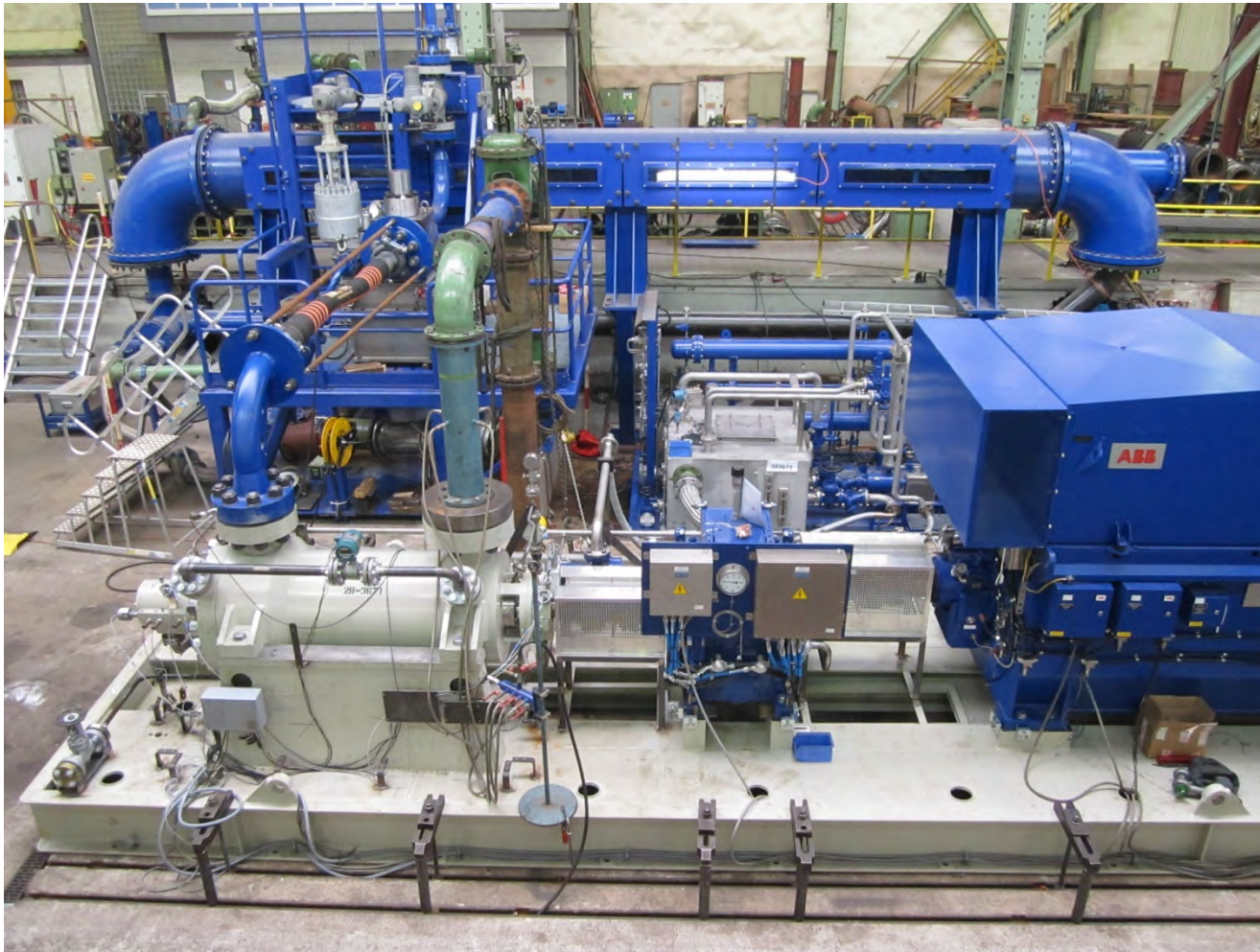
- 4 drums,  $D = 9,80 \text{ m}$
- height,  $FF = 45,00 \text{ m}$
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## Pumps

- 2 x ADC 6x10
- Flow  $318 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$
- Head  $3585 \text{ m}$



# Testbed of Decoking Jet Pump



## Jet Pump

### Performance test

(RP-test field)

Full speed

### Functional test:

( 50 Hz)

Jet Pump

-Motor

-Lube oil system

-Decoking Control valve

-Cutting Tool

Capacity 272 m<sup>3</sup>/h

Head 2850 m

Speed 2900 rpm

Temperature 70 °C

Medium Water



# Decoking Jet Pump



## Jet Pump India

- Jet Pump unit
- LOU
- Decoking Control valve

Capacity      295 m<sup>3</sup>/h  
                    1300 gpm

Head            3158 m  
                    4492 psi

Speed          3923 rpm

Temperature   65 °C

Medium        Water with  
                    coke fines



# Cutting system: Hoist and DSD

## Electrical system

- **Features**

- 1 VFD set for hoists
  - 1 running, 1 stand by
- 1 VFD set for DSDs
  - 1 running, 1 stand by
- VFDs, 1 set per coker,
  - Installed in safe area, or
  - Cutting deck
- Redundant installation

## Hydraulic system

- **Features**

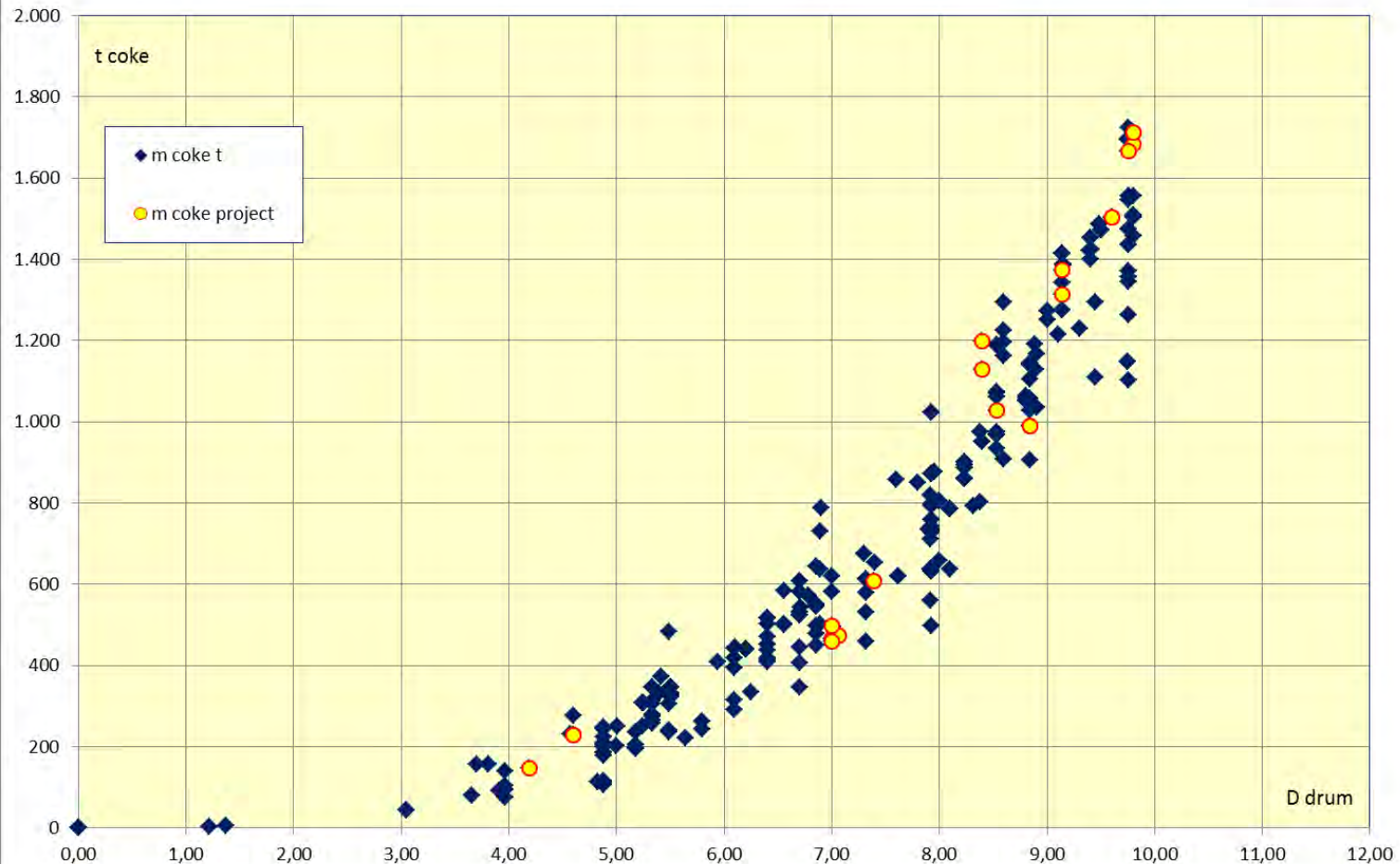
- Hydraulic power unit
- 1 hyd. hoist/DSD per drum
- 1 Operator panel per drum pair
- Control electric/electronic
- Integrated in PLC system
- Measurement of force, tension

## Pneumatic system

- **Not recommended**

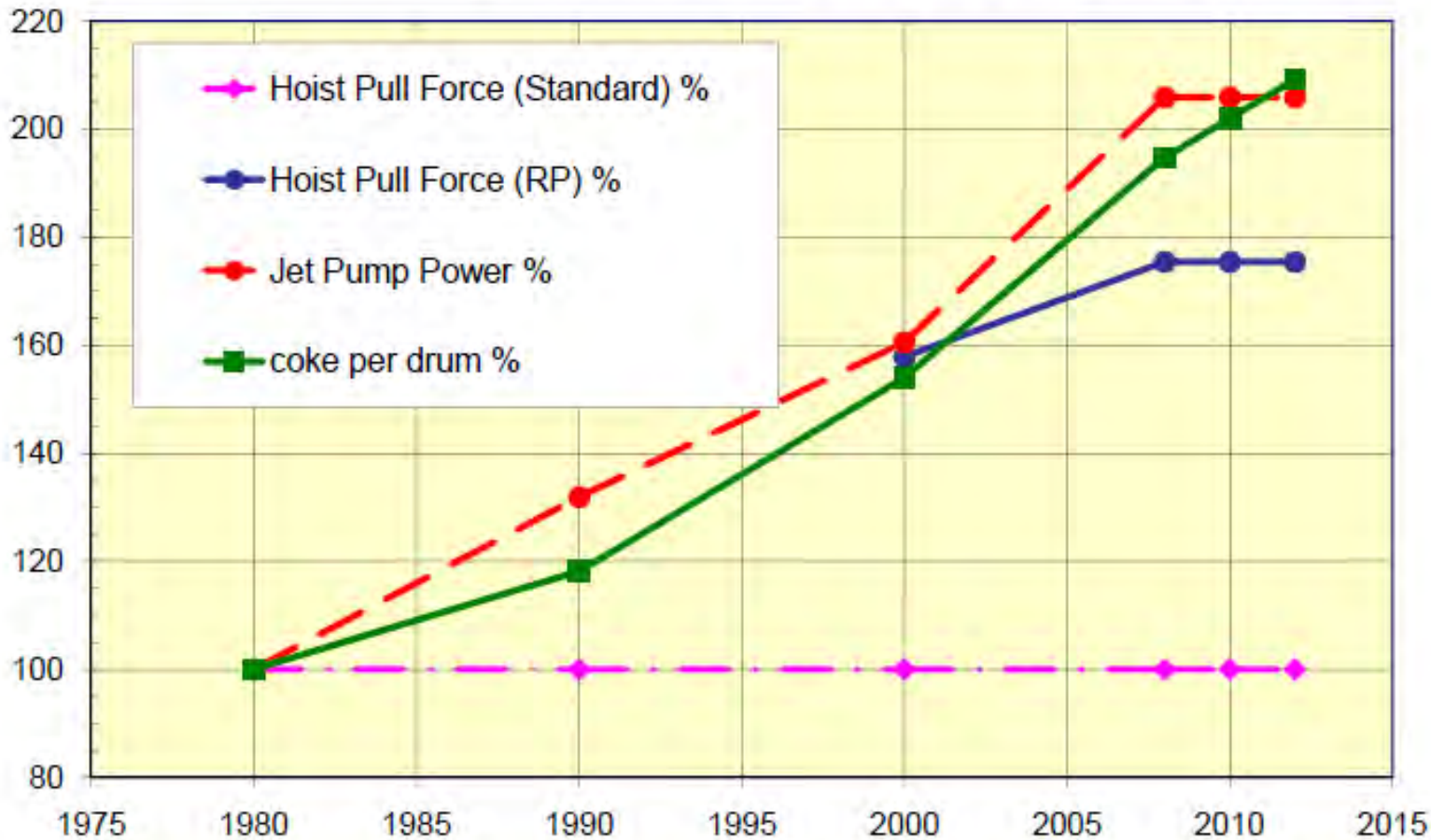
- Un- sufficient power,
- Oil polluted air
- High noise level
- Remote / automatic control
  - Not reliable

# Weight of Coke



# History

Hoist pull force related to drum size and jet pump power





# Hoist and Rope



- **Hoist with integral cartridge gear**

- drum with grooves
- Pull force 5 t
- slack rope indicator
  - locks the hoist

- **Rope**

- measurement of tension in the rope
- indication at the operator panel
- avoiding of overload

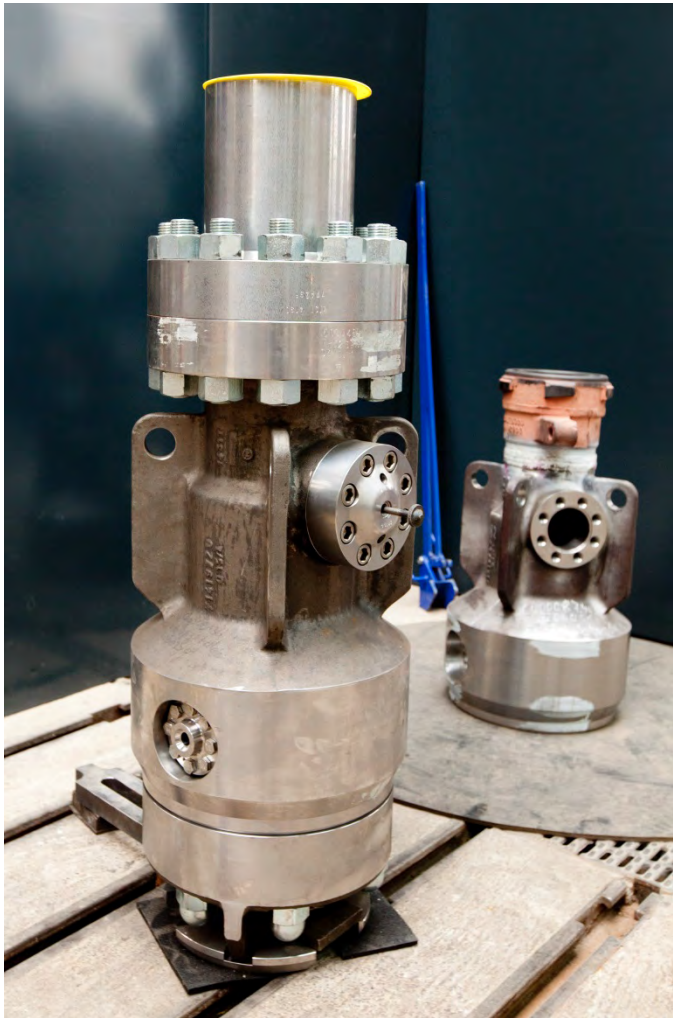


# Drill Stem Drive



- **Drill Stem Drive**
  - Electric motor
  - High load bearing
  - Grease lubrication
  - Cartridge packing
  - Swivel
  - Standard version  
( down to -20°C)
- **Variable Frequency Converter VFC**
  - At Cutting deck, or
  - At safe area

# RUHRPUMPEN - Combination Tool



## Basic design

- Slim tool, OD 13"
- Low lift force
- Low torque

## • Switching devices

- Manual / Automated
- At the top of the tool

## • Valves

- Ballshape valves
- No seals
- Pressure operated

## • Nozzles, cutting

- 0°
- 10° up both cutting nozzles

## • Nozzles, drilling

- 1 strong centre nozzle
- 3 periphery nozzles

# Control system, Manuel Operation

- **Main Control panel, safe area**
  - PLC,
  - Condition Monitoring System
- **Pump Control panel, pump area**
  - Start, stop of pump unit,
  - Remote/Local operation of Lube oil system
  - Remote/Local operation of DC valve
- **Operator panel, operator deck**
  - Installed in Operator shelter, Class I Div.II,
  - Centre panel and 2 drum panel for each pair of drums



# Control system



**Main Control Panel,**

**Pump area**

- Operation of pump unit,
- Lube oil unit
- Panelview
- Condition monitoring
- Maintenance provision
- Status indication by Imps



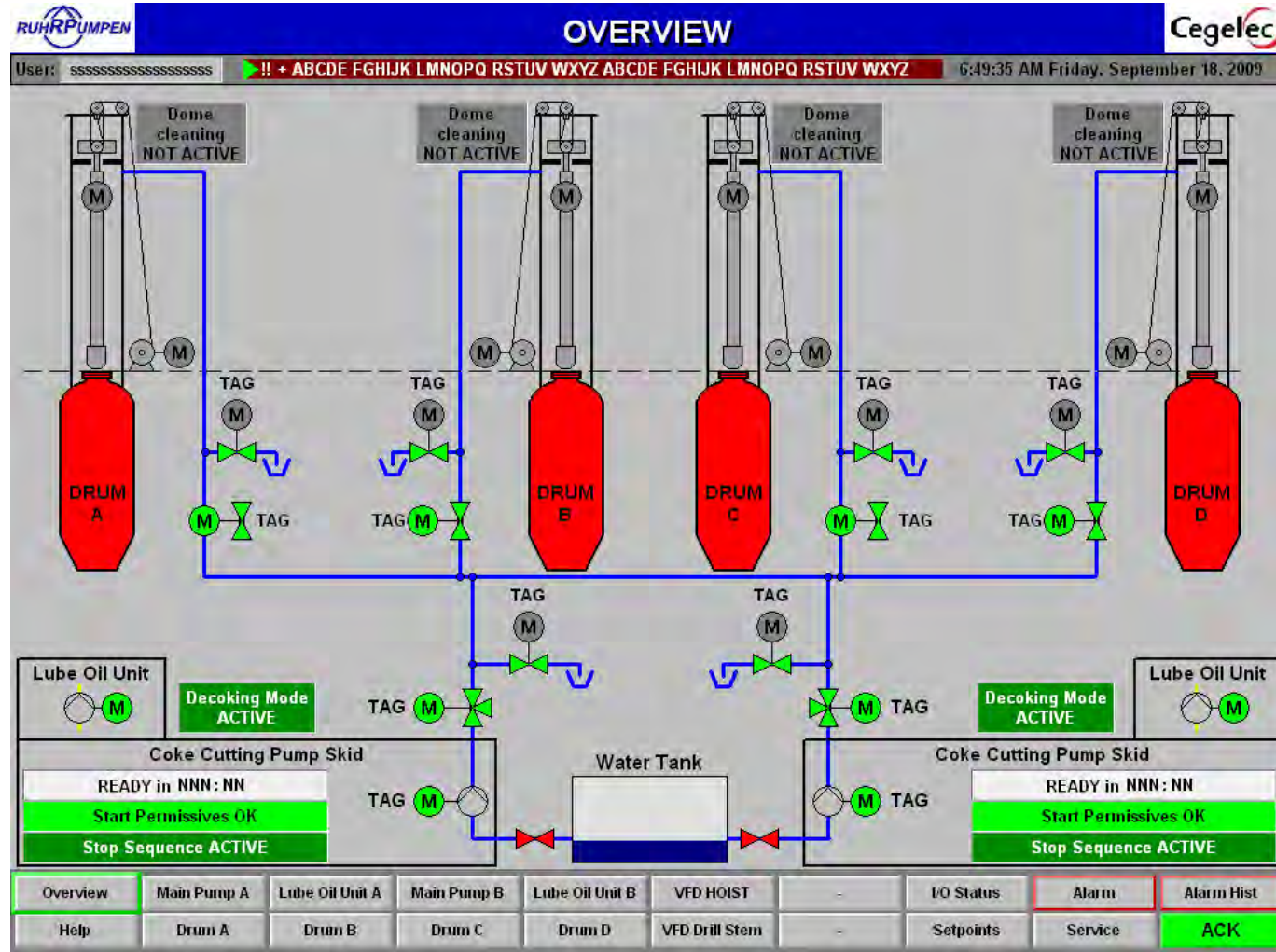
# Operator Shelter with Panel



## Local Operator panel

- Operation of
  - Decoking valve
  - Isolation valve
  - Hoist
  - Drill stem drive
- Interactive P&ID

# Control and process visualisation



# Remote and automatic Coke Cutting

## Why remote and automatic coke cutting ? Advantage, Benefits

### 1. Safety

- Increased Safety
- “No Men in the structure during Coke Cutting”

### 2. Operation / Process

- Increased Stable process
  - More Data and information to the operator remote
  - More Data and information to Control Room remote/automatic

### 3. More through put => more money

- Stable process, more through put
- Reduced failure rate, reduced downtime, reduced maintenance
- Minimizing of “human factor” with automatic coke cutting



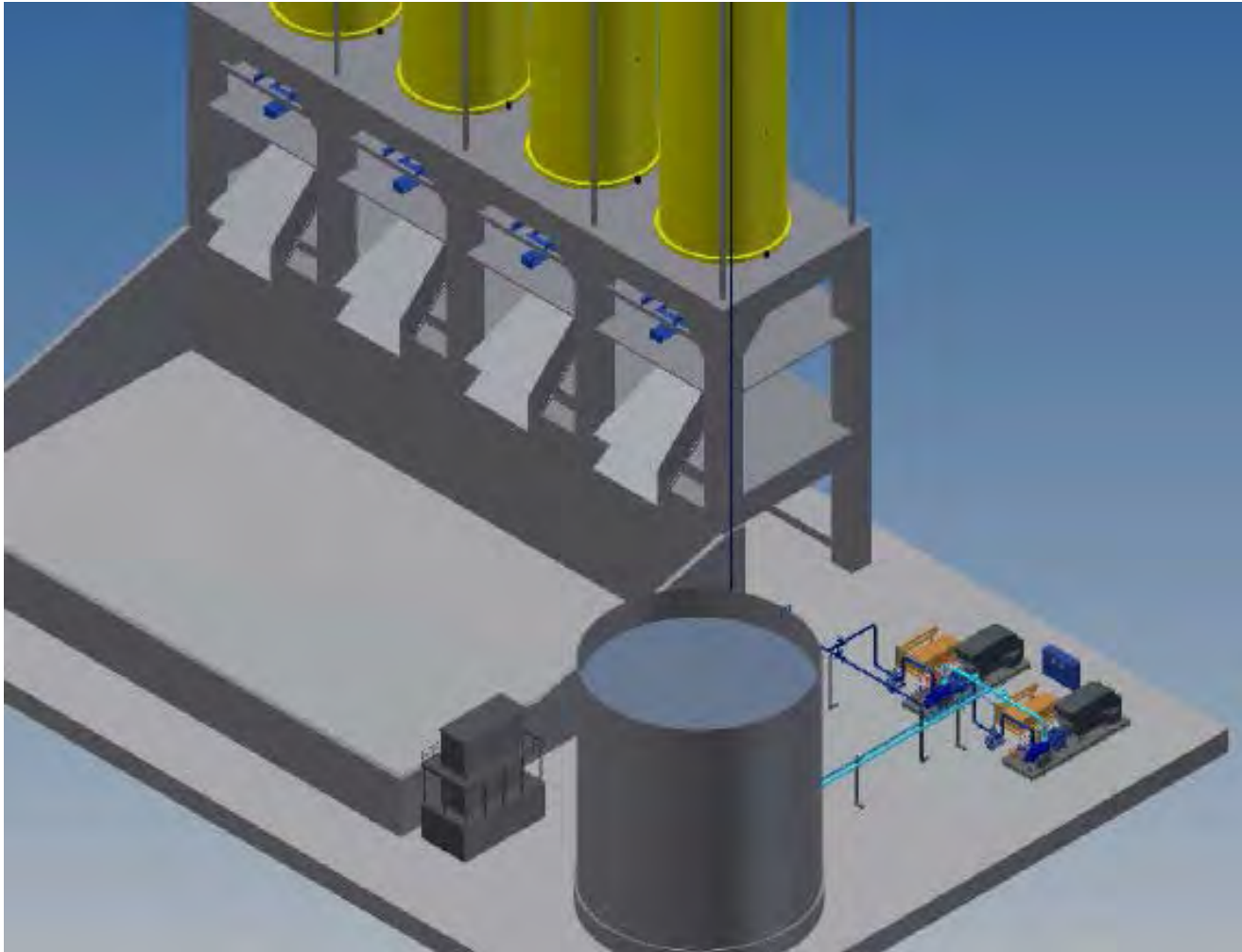
# Remote Coke Cutting system

## Requirements for Remote Coke Cutting

- **Coke Cutting System**
  - Lifting System with enough Power for remote coke cutting
    - Hydraulic or electric driven Hoists and Drill Stem Drives
    - 5000 kg pull force lifting system
- **Control System**
  - Signal channelling from Cutting System thru PLC
  - Operator Panel with all Signals through PLC
- **Drum Vibration Monitoring System**
  - Vibration Probes at drum for remote coke cutting
- **Automatic Coke Cutting Tool**
  - Automatic switching from Drilling to Cutting while Jet Pump in Bypass



# Basic design



Operation  
remote

# Hunt Refining

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Hunt, AL, USA

Licensors: Lummus

EPC: Commonwealth Eng.

Scope:

- Cutting system,
- 2 drums, revamped coker
- Electrical cutting system

– Order: 2009

– Start up: 2010

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# References, running for several years

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Germany,	2006	BP	remote, automatic
USA,	2009	Frontier	remote, manual
Argentina,	2010	Shell	remote, manual
USA,	2010	Hunt refining	remote, manual

**RP has actual**

**2 orders for remote coke cutting system  
3 orders for remote / automatic system**

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