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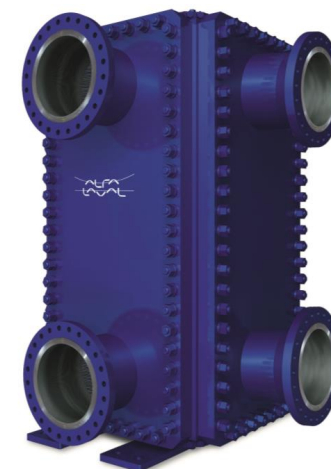


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Focus Area: Crude Distillation Pre Heat Train Optimization and Naphtha Hydrotreater Feed-Effluent Exchanger



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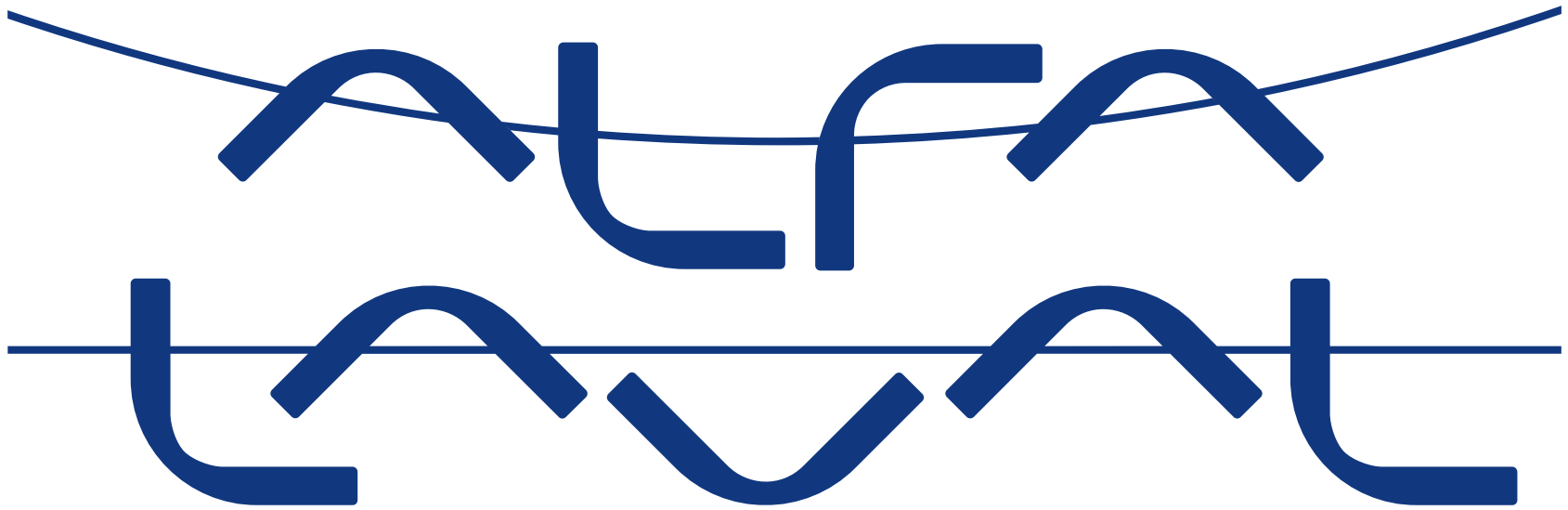
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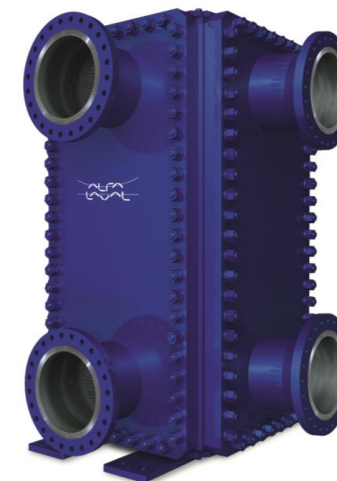




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Maximizing Crude Distillation Efficiency with Alfa Laval Solutions

Focus Area: Retrofit & Revamp of existing Crude Units



Outline of the Webinar



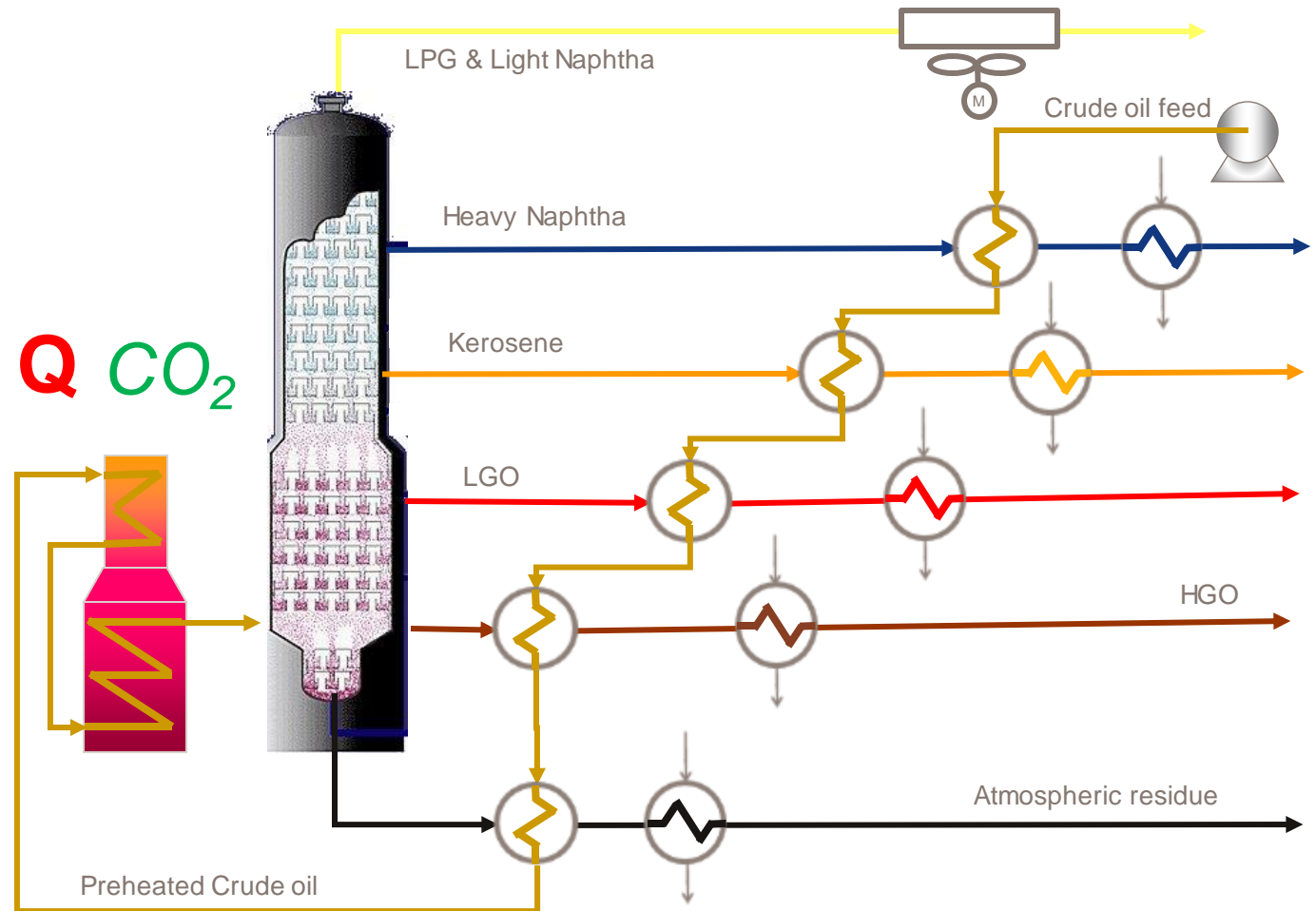
- Top Challenges of Crude Distillation
- The Problem Solver
- Improve the process efficiency:
 - Step 1, 2 and 3
 - Real Cases implemented in each Step above

Top Challenges of Crude Distillation

- And the impact of traditional heat exchanger solutions



- Capacity / Throughput
- Product yield/quality
- Energy Efficiency
- Availability / Uptime / Reliability

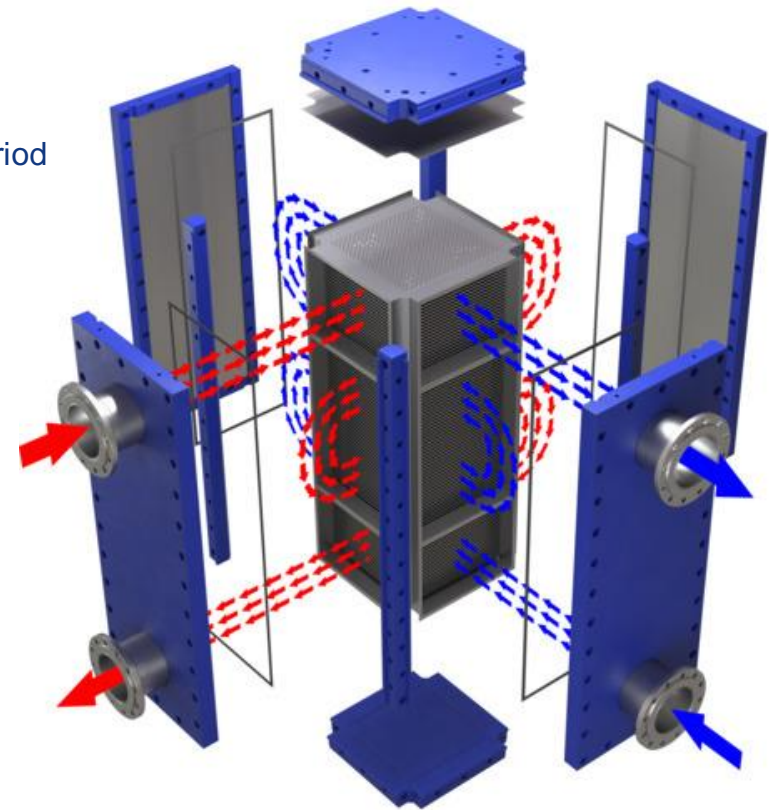


The Problem Solver

- Compabloc welded plate heat exchanger



- Heat Transfer Efficiency
 - 3-5 times higher efficiency compactly assembled -> 4000 m² S&T HTA* fits in 3 m² plot space
 - Single exchanger replaces up to 8 S&Ts in series -> Reduced overall PHT pressure drop
- Fouling Tendency
 - Up to 10 times higher shear stress in heat transfer channels -> 3 times longer operating period in-between cleanings
- Energy Efficiency
 - Overall PHT pinch of 5 deg C -> >25% increased energy recovery
 - OVHD condensing pressure drop < 10 kPa
- Maintenance
 - Fewer heat exchangers to clean
 - Easy access to heat transfer area -> 1-3 days down-time needed for cleaning
- Repair/Replacement
 - Cost-efficient high-grade materials
 - Design pressure up to 60 barg @ 400 deg C



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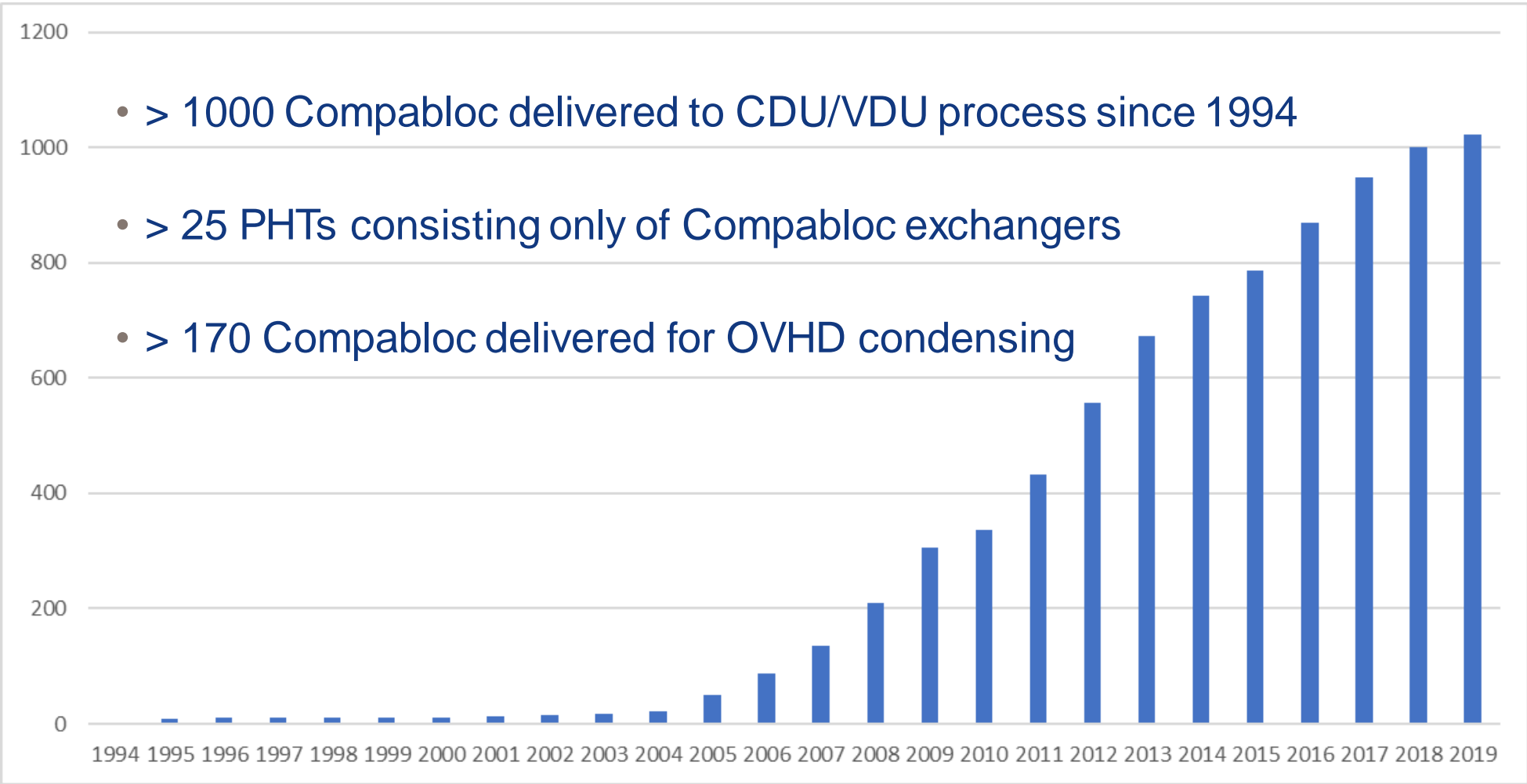
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Compabloc deliveries to CDU/VDU Distillation

- A technically proven solution



Step 1: Last position(s) in CDU PHT

- Case Study: North European Refinery, 220 kbbbl/day CDU

COMPABLOC SOLUTION

- ✓ Minimized fouling tendency
 - Improves energy efficiency
 - De-bottlenecks pump & heater limitations
 - Provides adequate cooling of pump-around fluids
- ✓ Increased energy recovery
 - Further reduced fuel consumption/emissions, or
 - Capacity increase without increasing green house gas emissions

PROJECT CHARACTERISTICS

- Low Complexity
- No Technical Risk / Improved Reliability
- Quick Implementation Time
- Low Project Cost
- Short Pay-back Time, normally less than 12-18 months

Case Study:



- 1 Compabloc replaced 4 S&Ts in hot end of PHT,
 - increasing energy recovery with 7 MW,
 - reducing fuel cost with 2,2 MEUR / year*
 - reducing the CO₂ emissions with 14 600 tonnes / year*
 - more cooling of PA -> increased product yield
 - less fouling & increased reliability

In operation since beg of 2014, inspected & cleaned once

Step 2: OVHD condensing

- Case Study: South European Refinery, 120 kbbbl/day CDU

COMPABLOC SOLUTION

- ✓ Increased crude preheating
 - Improved desalter efficiency, and/or
 - Reduced fuel consumption/emissions
- ✓ Reduced pressure drop in OVHD system
 - Further reduced fuel consumption/emissions, and
 - Improved distillation efficiency
- ✓ Upgraded material in condenser
 - Improved reliability

PROJECT CHARACTERISTICS

- Higher Complexity
- Implementation normally during T/A
- Increased project cost
- Project Pay-back Time, typically around 18-24 months

Case Study:



- 2+1 Compablocs replaced 4 S&Ts in OVHD/crude service,
- reducing exchanger pressure drop from 25 to 12 kPa,
 - reducing pressure in flash zone with 0,3 bar
 - reducing furnace duty with 4 MW*,
 - reducing fuel cost with 1,2 MEUR / year*
 - reducing the CO₂ emissions with 14 600 tonnes / year*
 - increased reliability

In operation since beg of 2014, never cleaned

Step 3: Major Revamp

– Case Study: East European Refinery, 85 kbbbl/day CDU

COMPABLOC SOLUTION

- ✓ Maximized crude preheating
 - Hot end of PHT + OVHD to crude + around the pinch point
 - Minimized fuel consumption/emissions – at least 25% reduction
- ✓ Reduced pressure drop in overall PHT
 - Possibility to increase throughput with existing pump
- ✓ Redesign of PHT for new crude slates/product split
 - Maximize profitability from your refinery

PROJECT CHARACTERISTICS

- Complex
- Implementation normally during T/A
- Further increased project cost
- Project Pay-back Time, typically around 24 months

Case Study:



- 7 Compablocs added in hot end of PHT,
 - increasing CIT from 200 to 260 deg C
 - reducing furnace duty with 17,7 MW*,
 - reducing fuel cost with 5,5 MEUR / year*
 - reducing the CO₂ emissions with 48 300 tonnes / year*
 - optimized for heavy & light crude blends

In operation since beg of 2014, cleaning done during T/A

Top Challenges of Crude Distillation

– And your problem solver



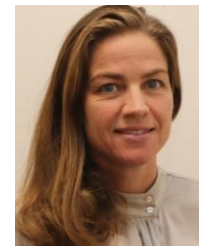
- ✓ Capacity / Throughput
- ✓ Product yield/quality
- ✓ Energy Efficiency
- ✓ Availability / Uptime / Reliability



Let us discuss how we can help you maximize the efficiency of your Crude Distillation!



Maximize Efficiency in your Refinery Naphtha Hydrotreater Feed-Effluent Exchanger



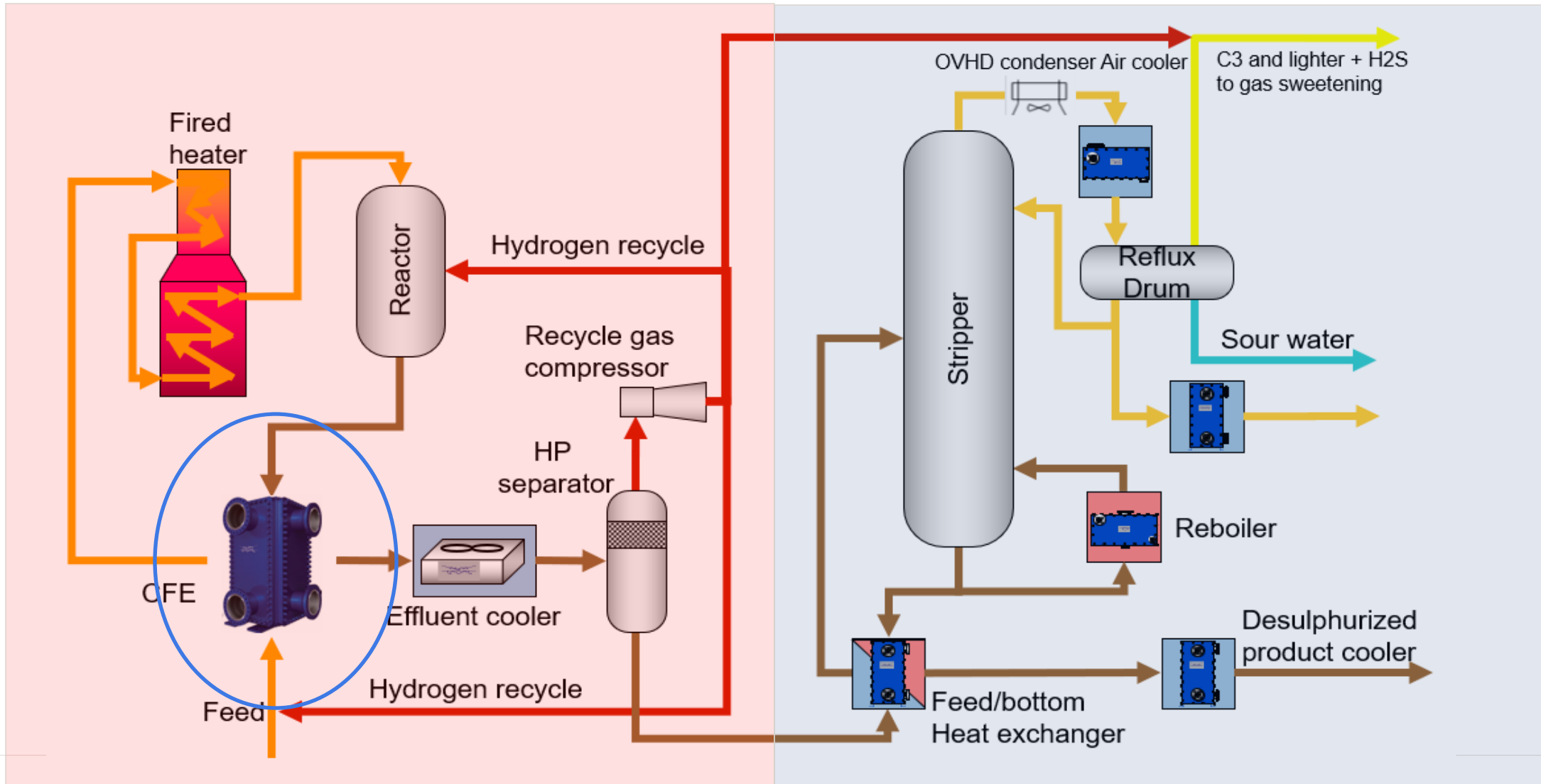
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Outline of the presentation



- Overall Challenges of Naphtha Hydrotreater Preheating
- Hydrotreater Preheating Design Challenges
- Real Case stories from the field

Typical Hydrotreating Process



90GW

9GW savings

2-9MW per unit



Overall Challenges for Hydrotreating Preheating



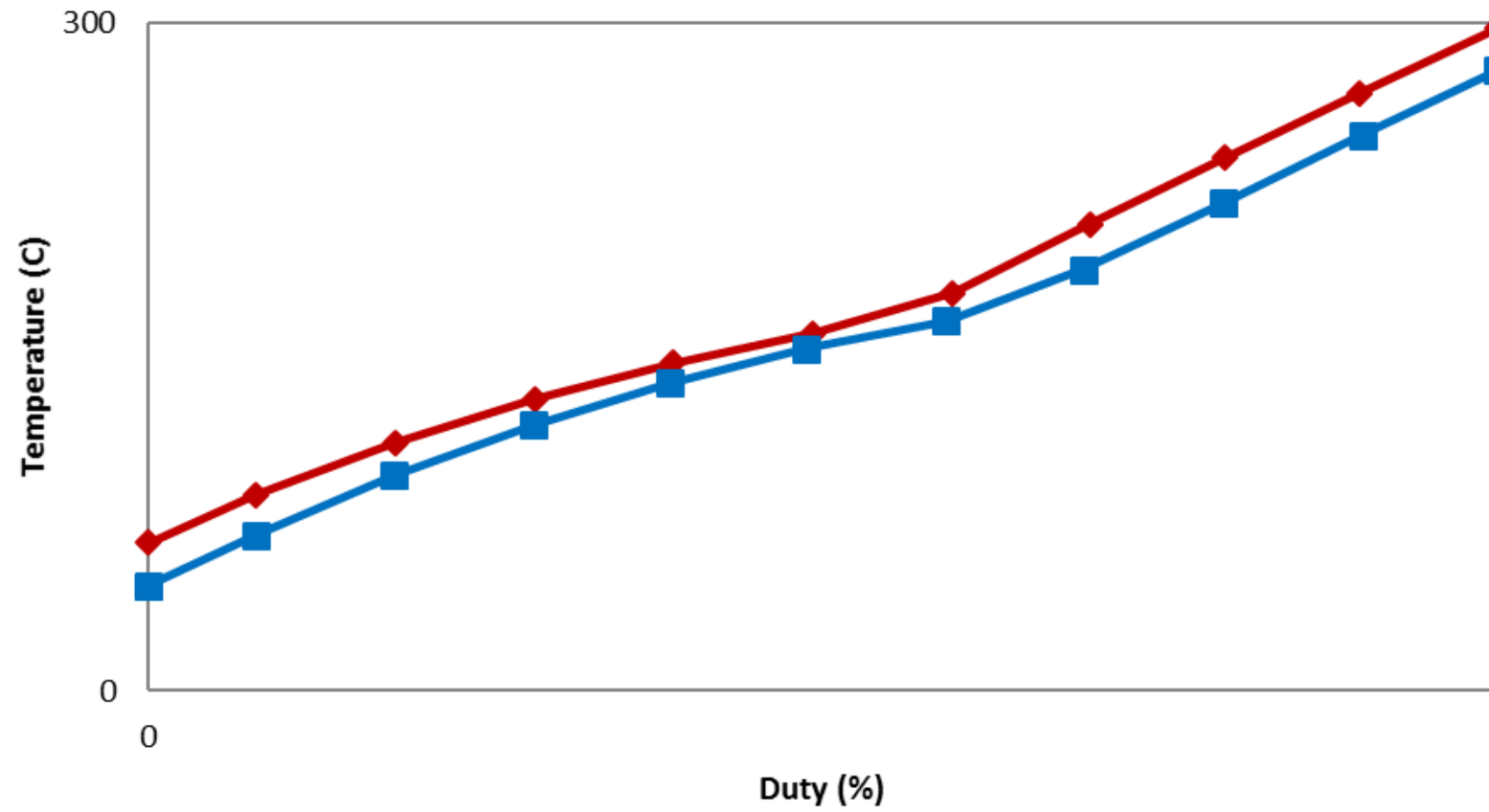
- Capacity limitations
- Reliability
- Project ROI
- Sustainability

Hydrotreating Preheating Design Challenges

Thermal Design

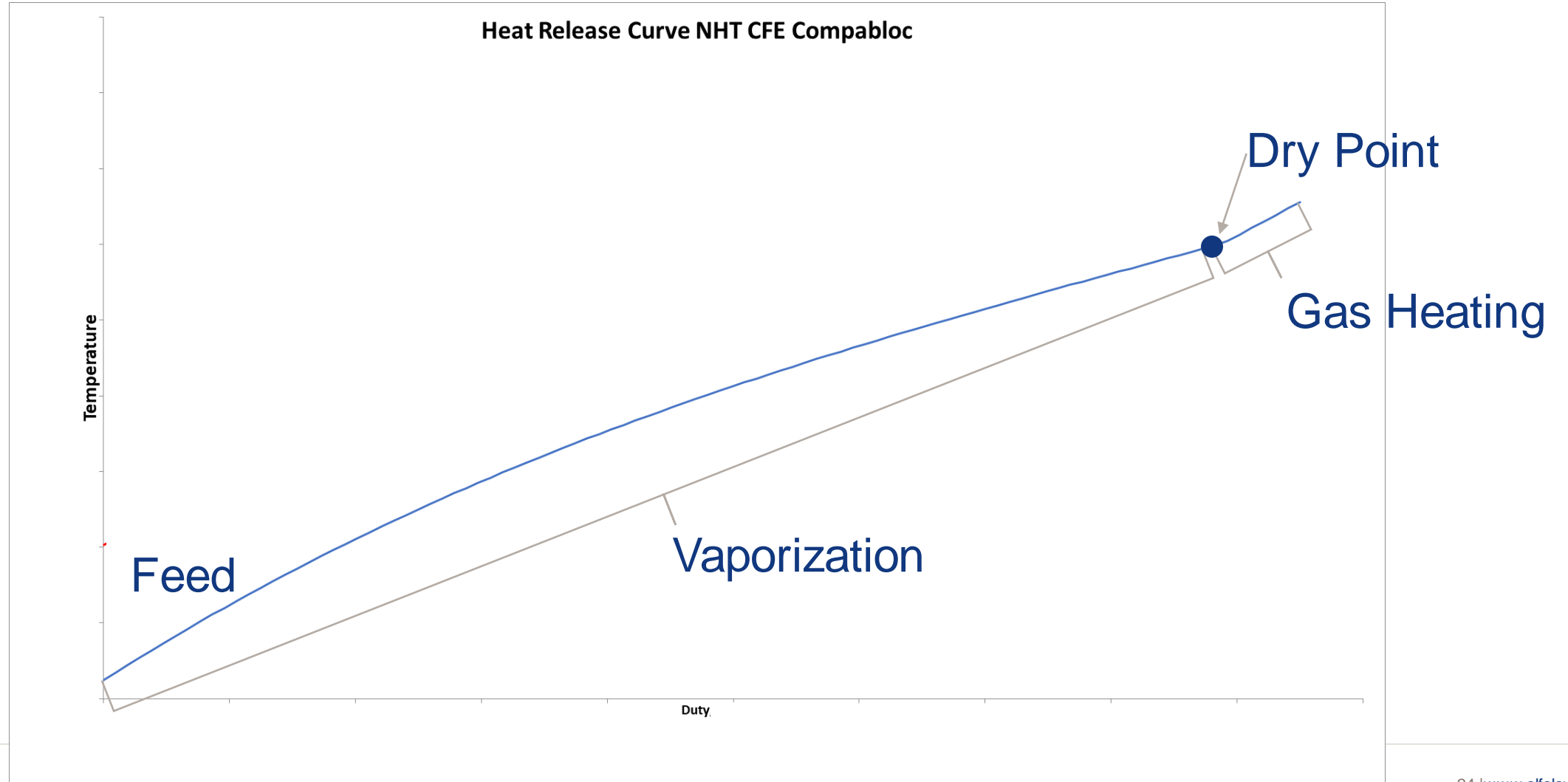


- Heat Release Curve



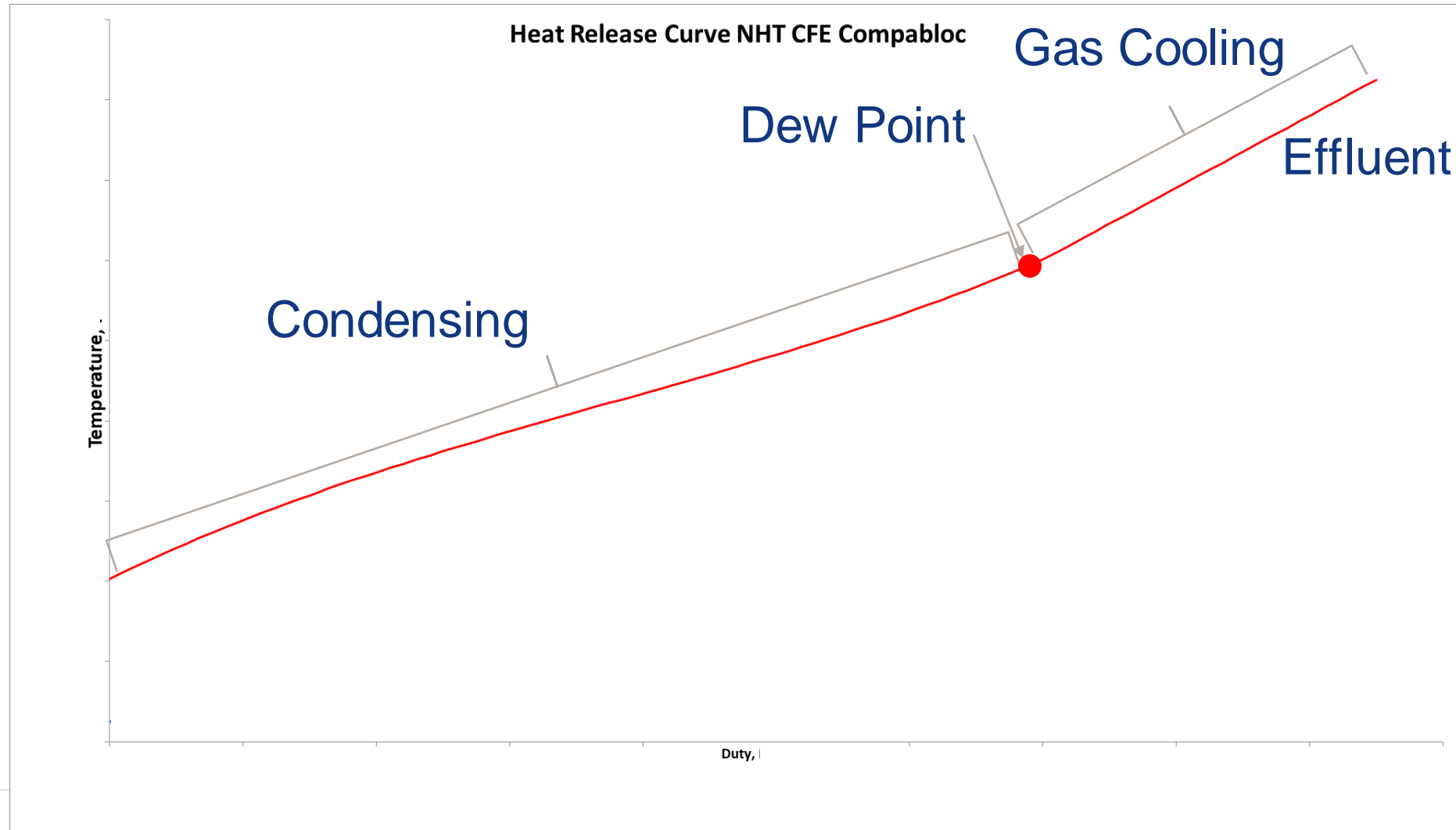
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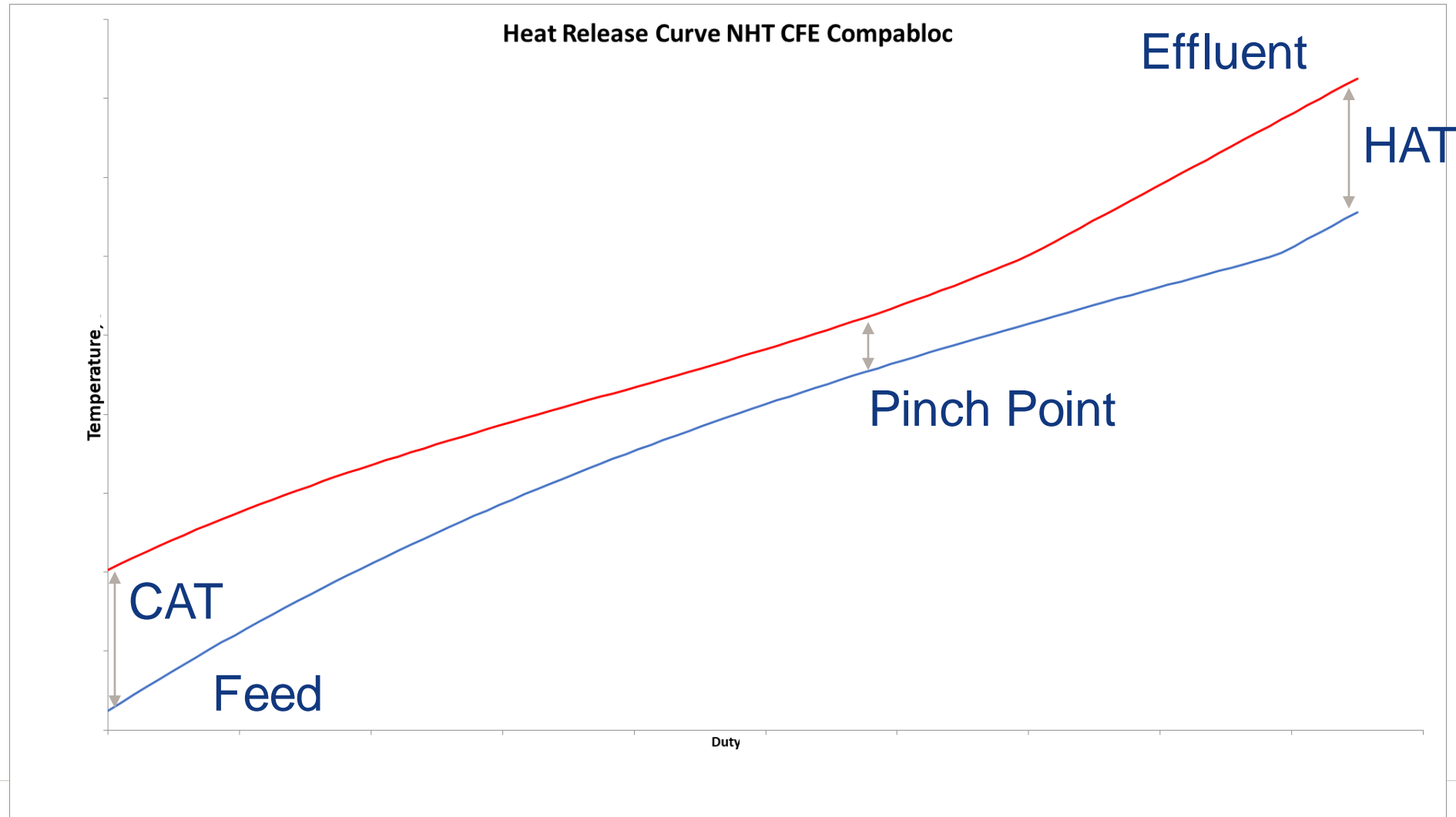
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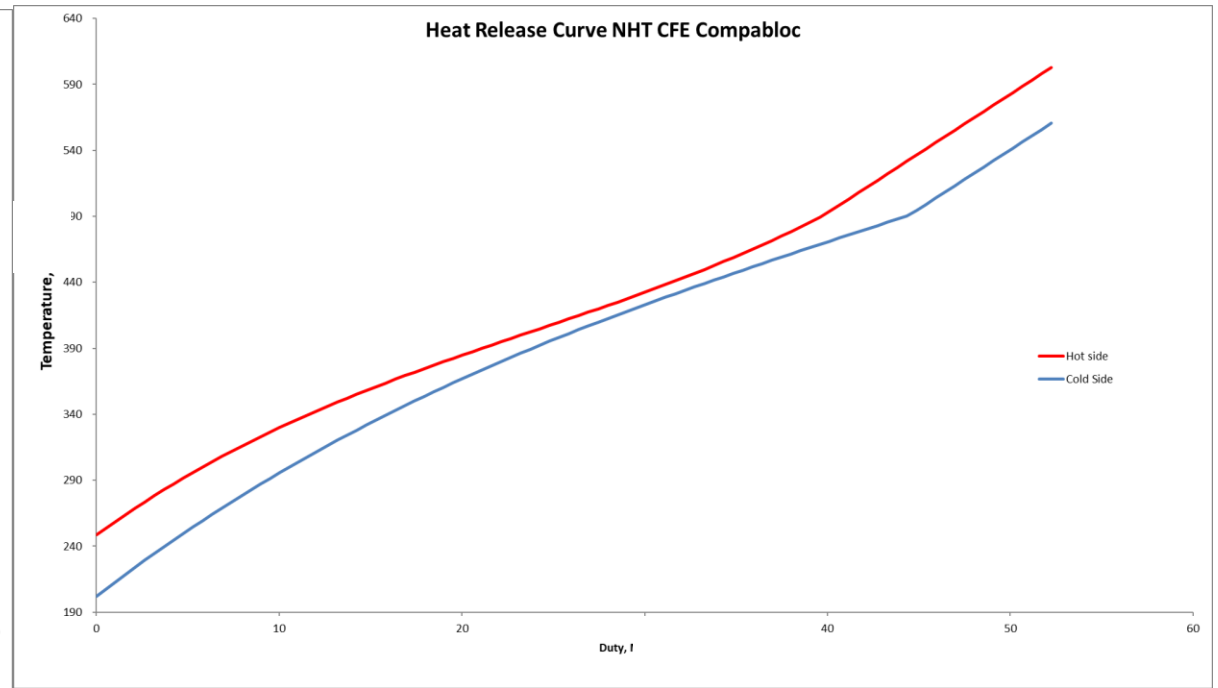
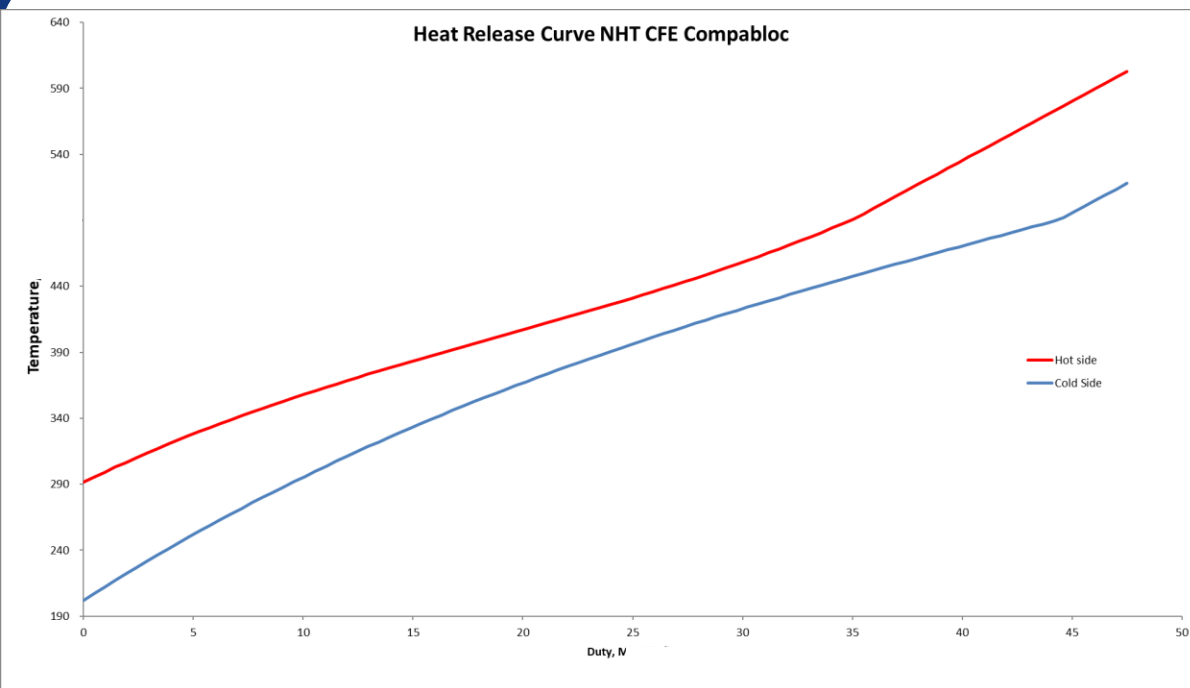
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Thermal Design

- Pinch Point



	Duty (MW)	HAT (°C)	CAT (°C)	Pinch (°C)	Area
Curve 1	14	47	50	19	1X
Curve 2	15.4	23	26	7	> 2X

Case Stories

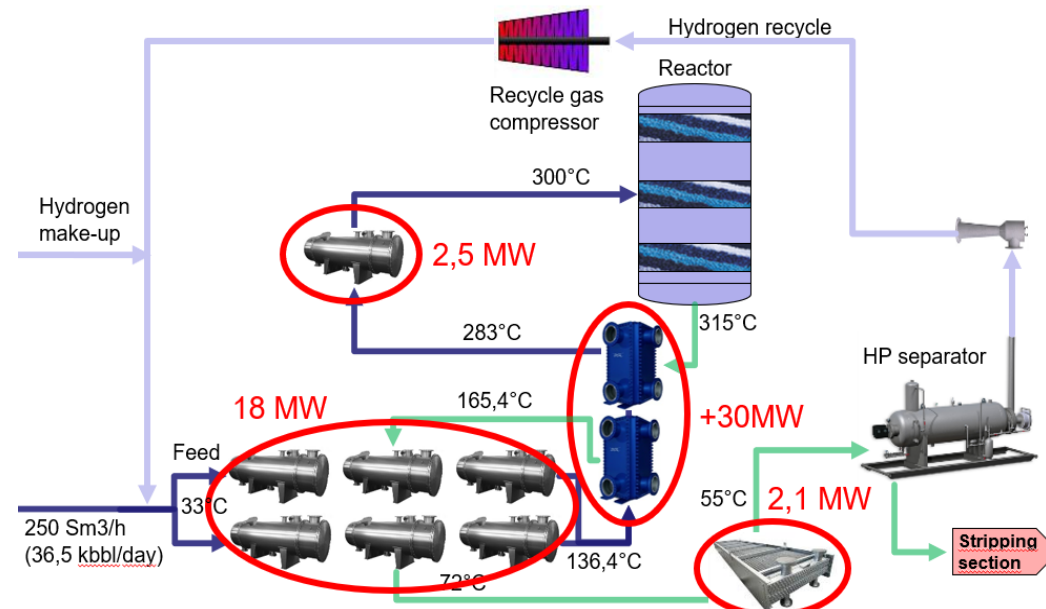
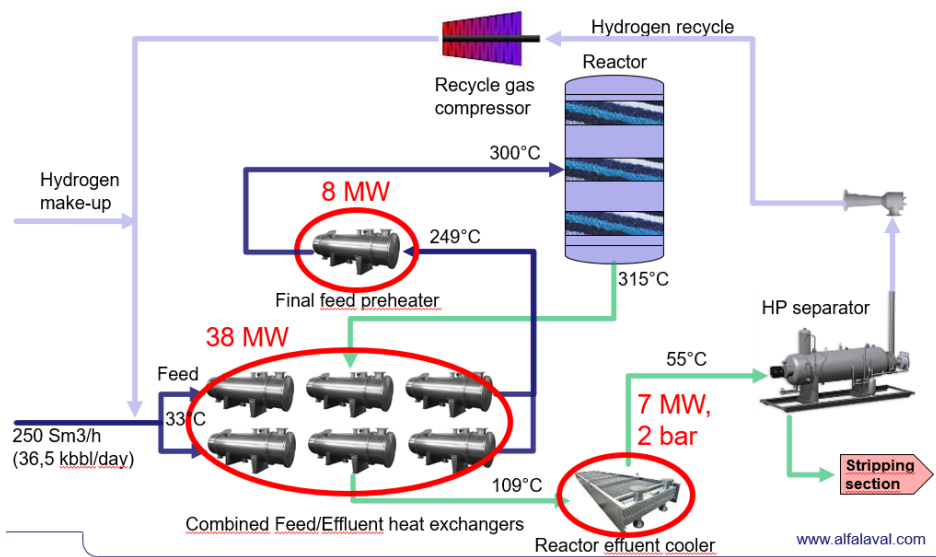
Case Story 1: Refinery in Europe



Debottleneck NHT & heat Integration improvement

CFE heat exchanger	Hot approach temperature	Internal pinch temperature
S&T (Cold End) + Compabloc (Hot End)	30°C	11°C

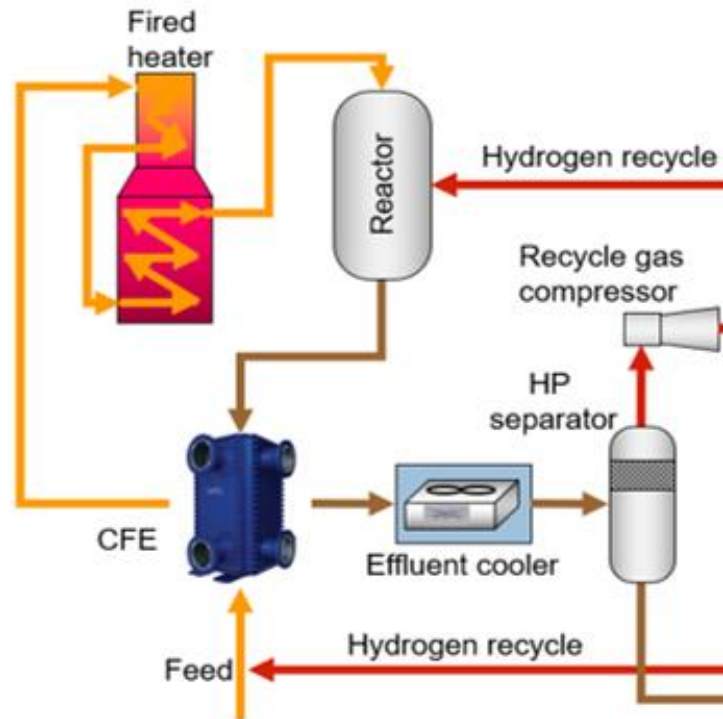
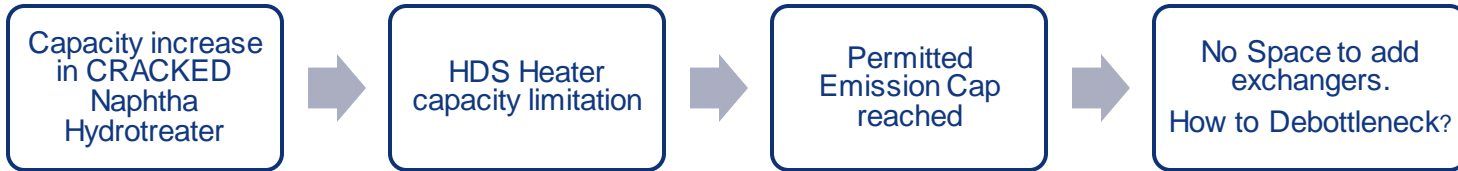
10MW savings & <12 months payback time!



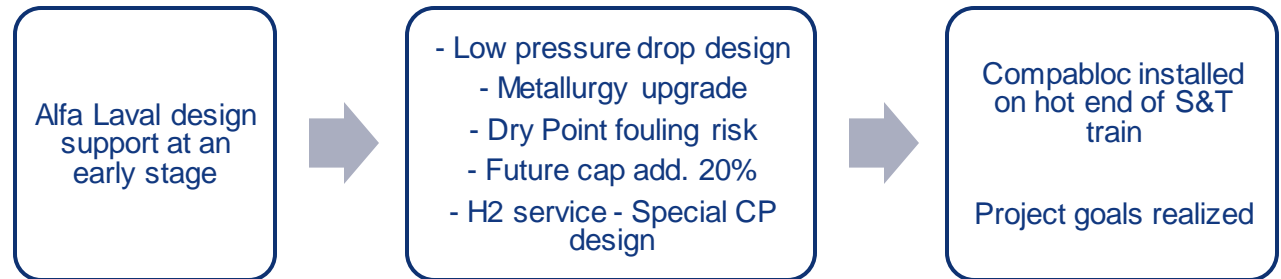
Case Story 2: Canadian Refinery



Debottleneck to Increase Throughput

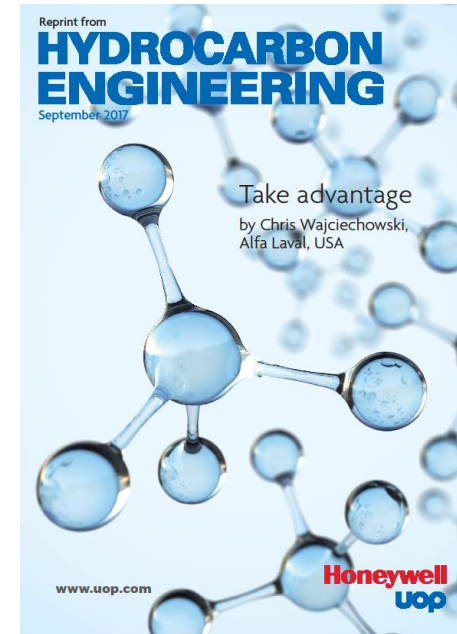


20% Capacity Increase & <12 months payback time!



Summary

- Several design challenges to Naphtha Hydrotreater preheating exists
- By using CP technology the heat recovery in the CFE can be increased by 10% or more
- This means reduced load on your reactor heater and effluent cooler, enabling large energy savings or opportunities to increase capacity!



Q3 2017 Publication



Q2 2020 Publication



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