

E- 560

▲ Who should attend?

Staff involved in the operation or design of the Oil & Gas field processing facilities.

▲ Duration

4 days

▲ Dates & Location

May 27 to 30, 2008
Rueil-Malmaison (Paris)

▲ Tuition Fees

€ 1,590

▲ Course Coordinator

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INSTRUMENTATION & PROCESS CONTROL - SAFETY SYSTEM

OBJECTIVES

To provide the participants with a better understanding of the control instrument and the problems related to their use.

At completion of the course, the participants:

- know the main types of instruments and their working principle.
- understand the working principle of the different types of control loops.
- know the typical DCS architecture and the typical Safety System layout.

COURSE CONTENT

THE CONTROL LOOP

0.5 day

Function and constitution of control loops and on/off control systems.

Pneumatic, electrical and digital control loops.

Power supply, signal transmission (tubes, cables, bus, optical fibers, ...) and conversion.

Tags and symbols.

SENSORS

0.75 day

Accuracy and tuning of measuring devices.

Temperature measurement: temperature scales, non-electrical thermometers, electrical measuring devices.

Pressure measurement: measurement units, devices for local reading or for transmission, pressure gauge installation.

Flow measurement: measurement units, head meters, other principles and devices: electromagnetic and ultrasonic meters, vortex effect, Coriolis effect.

Level measurement: level glass, float-actuated and displacer devices.

Other principles and devices: radioactive, capacitance, ultrasonic and radar devices, differential pressure cells.

Safety devices: two-position sensors, position sensors, temperature and pressure sensors.

TRANSMITTERS

0.25 day

Pneumatic transmitters: transformation of force into a pneumatic signal and amplification, technology and transmitter tuning - Operation of the sensor-transmitter combination.

Electric and electronic transmitters: operating principle of strength equilibrium and displacement transmitters.

Digital and programmable transmitters.

CONTROL VALVES

0.75 day

Linear displacement valves: technology, different plug types, characteristic curves (linear, exponential and quick opening), safety position (AO, AC, FC, FO...).

Positioners: operating principle, types (pneumatic, electro pneumatic, ...).

Other types of control valves: simple and double seat valves, cage valves, "Camflex" type valves, tree-way valves, ...

On/off sensors: position sensors, electro-valves, ...

Safety valves: types, simple and double actuators, ...

CONTROL LOOP IMPLEMENTATION

0.75 day

Simple, override, and split-range loops.

Fractionation, calculated variable, feedforward control systems.

DISTRIBUTED CONTROL SYSTEM (DCS) - SAFETY SYSTEM LAYOUT

1 day

Network architecture and constitution - Examples.

Emergency Shut-Down (ESD) systems: role, examples of typical architectures.

Fire and gas system: role, typical arrangements.

High Integrity Pressure Protection Systems (HIPPS): role, specificities, typical arrangements.