

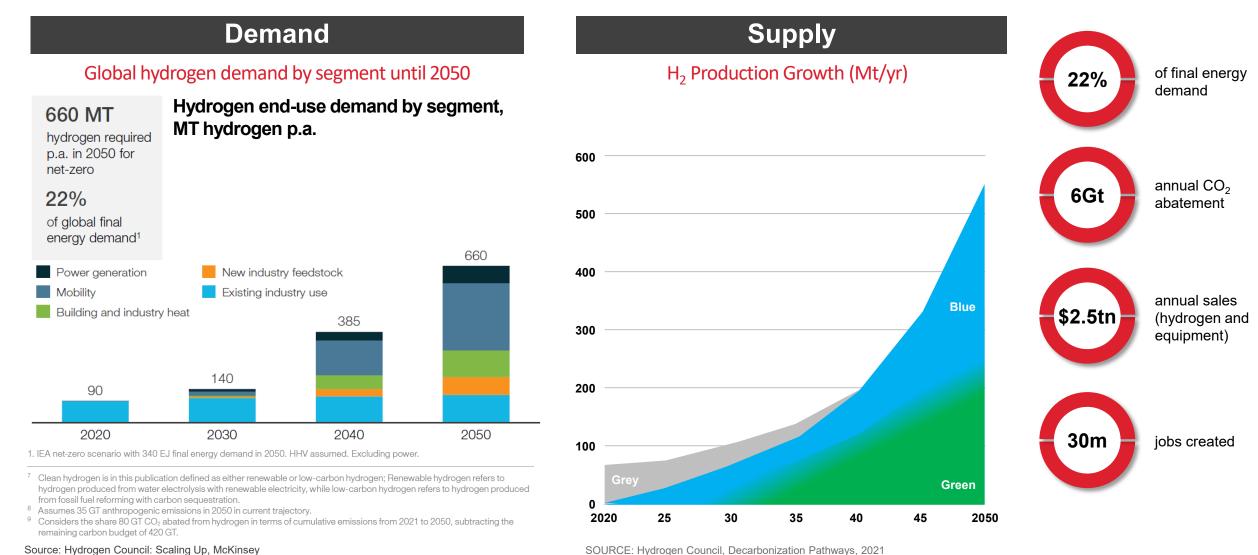
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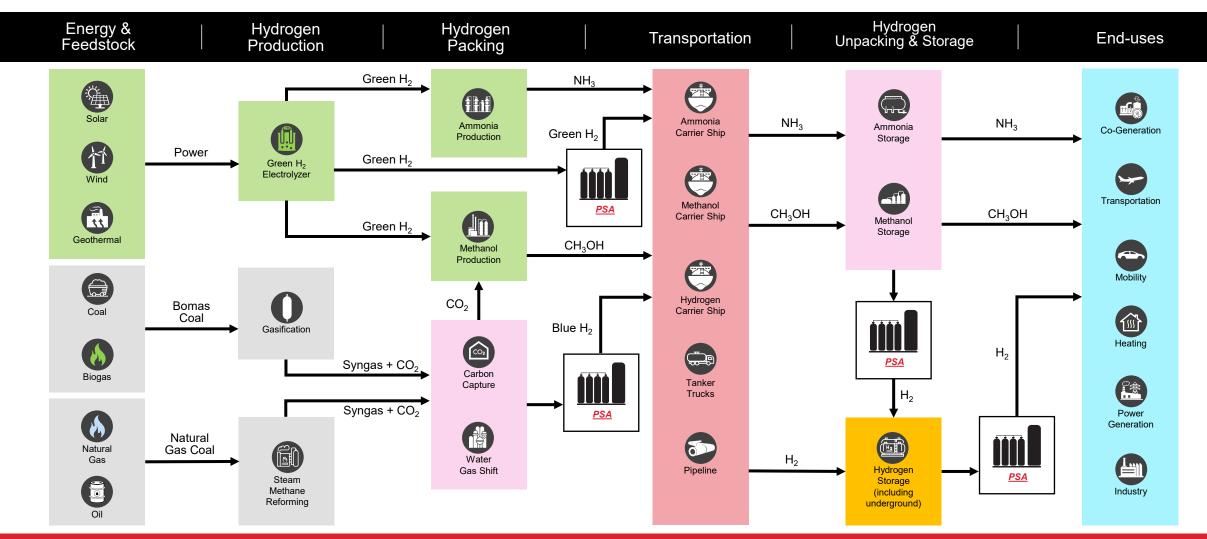
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## **GLOBAL HYDROGEN OUTLOOK THROUGH 2050**

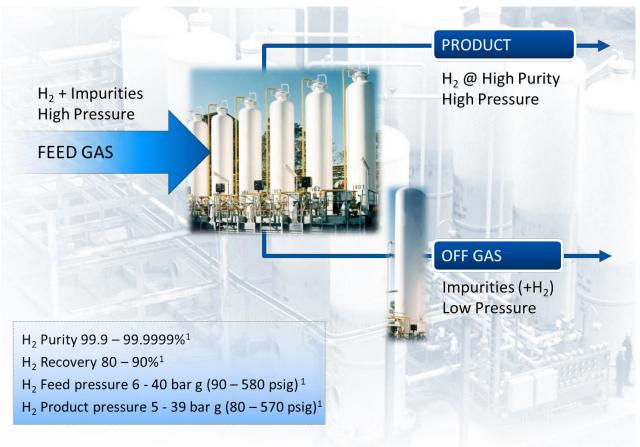


## MARKET DYNAMICS WHERE DOES A POLYBED<sup>TM</sup> PSA FIT?

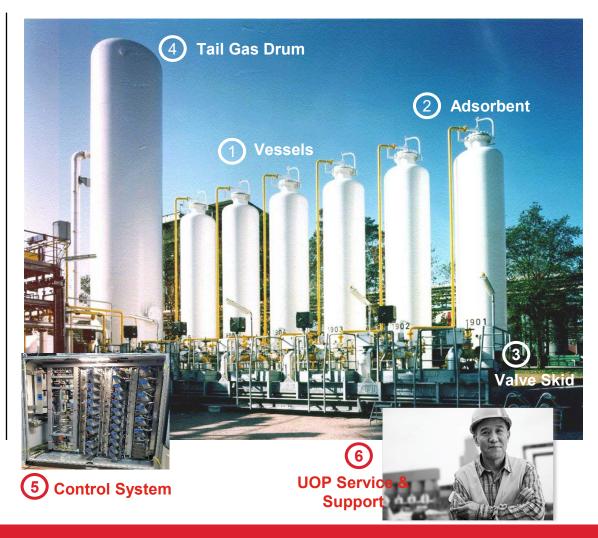


Many Opportunities for PSA Revamp in H2 Value Chain

## PERFORMANCE & COMPONENTS OF A UOP POLYBED<sup>TM</sup> PSA NEW UNIT



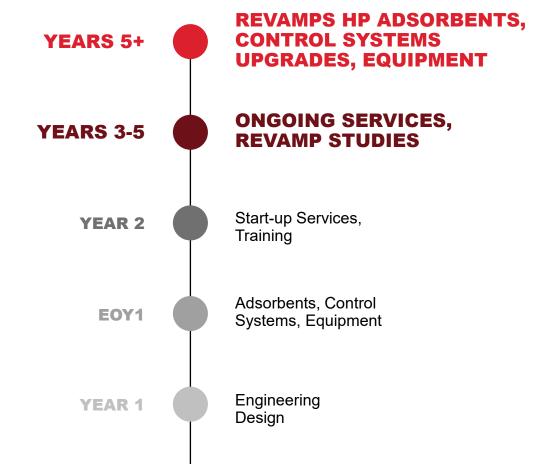
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Purity, recovery, feed pressure and product pressures yields are based on UOP's cumulative experience regarding the operational performance of more than 1,150 PSA units that UOP has supplied to customers worldwide starting from the 1960s, and these PSA units having consistently achieved the requisite targets for purity, recovery and operating in the pressure ranges.



## High Purity H<sub>2</sub> Purification Equipment / Modular Supply

## REASONS TO CONSIDER A REVAMP

- New Product Specifications
- Change in Feed Composition
- Increase H<sub>2</sub> Recovery
- Increase Capacity
- Enhanced Operating Features (switchovers, ...)
- Increased Reliability (older / smaller units)
- Upgrade Control System (obsolescence)
- PSA Health Check
- Vessel inspections



## Revamps – The perfect way to upgrade your existing unit

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> UOP has executed over 3,500 PSA revamp projects Worldwide, which started in the 1980s, where the above benefits of the revamp project were provided or the revamp was due to the above reasons.

## REVAMP BENEFITS



### **REVAMP BENEFITS<sup>1</sup>**

- Increased capacity possible with existing equipment
- Shorter schedules
- Lower capital investments



#### **REVAMP DELIVERED AS**

- Process Evaluations / Studies
- Adsorbent Replacement: Optimized / Make-up / Partial / Complete
- Control Systems: Upgraded Hardware / Equipment / Software
- Capacity Expansions: Additional vessels / Valves / Piping
- Periodic Health Check:
  - Adsorbent / Control Panel / Auto Valve / Overall Unit Performance

**UOP** has been providing on-going revamp support for more than 25 years

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> These benefits have been demonstrated by UOP having executed over 3,500 PSA revamp projects worldwide starting from the 1980s, where UOP's revamp customers consistently experienced the above benefits as a result of UOP's revamp of their respective PSA units.

## **SOLUTIONS TO INCREASE CAPACITY OF YOUR PSA**

#### RELATIVE CAPACITY INCREASE



### Any of the Above Options Can be Combined

## NEW HIGH-PERFORMANCE ADSORBENT SMR & ROG/EOG PSA UNITS



#### General Observations<sup>1</sup>

+1% to +2% INCREASE

in H<sub>2</sub> recovery at same Product spec / CO slip

5 to 15 % INCREASE

in unit capacity in some cases

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For details on the recovery and capacity increase for the SMR (Steam Methane Reformer) applications see the following slide 11 of this presentation and for details on the recovery and capacity increase for ROG (Refinery Off-Gas) and EOG (Ethylene Off-Gas) applications see the 2<sup>nd</sup> slide from this slide - slide 12.



## FIELD RESULTS - SMR PSA UNITS **NEW HIGH-PERFORMANCE ADSORBENT**

ORIGINAL

### **UNIT A - SOUTHEAST ASIA**

- 10-bed PSA system
- SMR feed
- 73 300 Nm3/h feed gas
- 24.5 bar q
- Original Design Recovery 89.0%
- 50 ppm v CO

#### **RELOADED WITH NEW HIGH-PERFORMANCE ADSORBENTS IN MAY 2018**

- Guaranteed Recovery 90.0%<sup>1</sup>
- 18% increase in K<sub>E</sub> (capacity)¹

Additional revenue of \$1.2M<sup>2</sup> per year based on recovery improvement only

### **UNIT B – EASTERN EUROPE**

- 10-bed PSA system
- SMR feed
- 65 000 Nm3/h feed gas
- 32 bar q
- Design Recovery 87.0%
- 20 ppm v CO
- Measured Recovery > 87.0%

#### RELOADED WITH NEW HIGH-PERFORMANCE **ADSORBENTS IN SEPTEMBER 2017**

- Measured Recovery 91.5%<sup>3</sup>
- **Guaranteed Recovery 90.0%**<sup>3</sup>
- 8.5% increase in KF (capacity)<sup>3</sup>

Additional revenue of \$2.0M<sup>2</sup> per year based on recovery improvement only

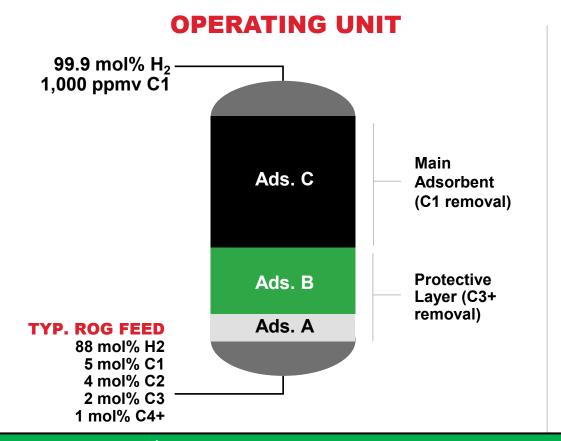
### Better than original performance on Recovery by 1% & 3%

<sup>1</sup> Based on the guaranteed recovery and capacity performance provided by UOP on the original designed PSA unit and the guaranteed recovery and capacity performance provided by UOP on the revamp design PSA unit.

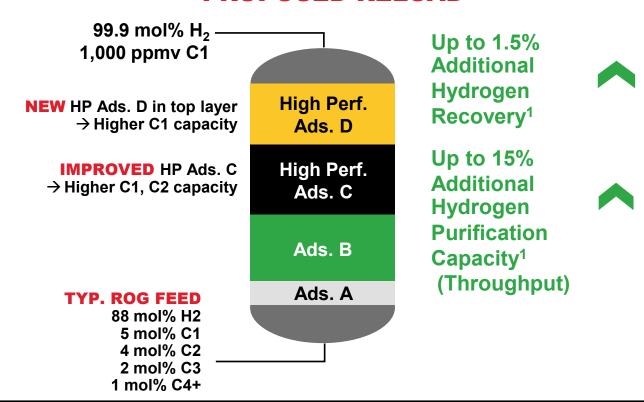
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The additional revenue from the recovery increase only using a \$1,200/MT price for hydrogen and 8400 operating hours per year.

<sup>3</sup> Based on actual operating data from the original designed PSA unit and operating data from the revamp designed PSA unit after the adsorbent reload with high performance adsorbents. Details on the actual data from the revamp designed PSA unit was provided in a Performance Test Report.

## NEW HIGH-PERFORMANCE ADSORBENT ROG/EOG PSA UNITS



#### **PROPOSED RELOAD**



Estimated \$6.1M of additional revenue per year (based on recovery and capacity improvement)<sup>2</sup>

### Improved Recovery & Productivity – New High-Performance Adsorbents

Based on a UOP pilot plant tests results conducted by UOP in 2019 & 2020 at its own facilities, confirming the improved performance in terms of recovery and capacity of the high-performance molecular sieve and carbon (C1) adsorbents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The additional revenue from the recovery and capacity increase using a \$1,200/MT price for hydrogen and 8400 operating hours per year.

## POLYBEDTM PSA CAPACITY EXPANSION REVAMP

### **UNIT A – INDIA**

- 12-bed PSA system
- ROG feed
- 144,305 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h feed gas
- 26.5 kg/cm<sup>2</sup> g
- Original Design Recovery 86.0%
- 99.9 mol% H<sub>2</sub> purity
- Supplied in 2010



- 16-bed PSA system
- ROG feed (different concentrations)
- 191,927 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h feed gas
- 25.8 kg/cm<sup>2</sup> g
- Original Design Recovery 90.0%
- 99.9 mol% H<sub>2</sub> purity
- Suppled in 2022

## PSA CYCLE CHANGE 12-BED TO 16-BED EXPANSION

- Increased recovery 4% points to 90% recovery¹
- Increased feed capacity 33%<sup>1</sup>
- No change to adsorbent split
- Provided 4-bed skid extenstion



**NEW DESIGN** 

1.Based on internal simulation model and project documentation.

## Improvement on recovery versus pre-revamp Unit by ~ 4%

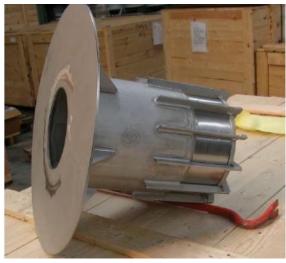
## POLYBED™ PSA IMPROVED TOP FLOW DISTRIBUTOR

#### **ADVANTAGES NEW VS. OLD DESIGN<sup>1</sup>**

- Improved flow distribution
- Wedged wire screen instead of mesh
- Rugged design with reinforcements
- Even further reduced risk of a failure
- Easy one on one replacement
- · No vessel modifications required

### New Improved Design





#### **HOW TO UPGRADE**

- There is no direct need of immediate replacement of the existing distributors
- In order to ensure trouble free operation beyond the design life and to upgrade internals to UOP's latest offering to enhance mechanical reliability, we highly recommend replacement of the Top Flow Distributors during next scheduled vessel inspection or during an adsorbent reload

Old Design



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Advantages of new top flow distributor design for Polybed PSA have been confirmed by the results of CFD (Computational Fluid Dynamics) performed on the improved top flow distributor modeling in March of 2009. In addition, a metallurgical examination was completed by a 3<sup>rd</sup> party (Praxair) in 2012 to verify the new top flow distributor design improvements versus the old top distributor design. In addition, UOP has supplied this new top flow distributor model on over 150 PSA units since 2013 without any known issues reported to UOP to date by the customers related to the new model of the top flow distributor.

CONTROLS
RELIABILITY AND AVAILABILITY
ENHANCEMENT

#### **CUSTOM CONTROL SYSTEM SOLUTIONS**

- Full replacement or upgrade of obsolete Control System
- Fully redundant control system hardware and communications
- Fast Trending HMI station with comprehensive fault detection diagnostics

#### **HONEYWELL EXPERION C300 SOLUTION**

- Integrate PSA with Honeywell Experion PKS using UOP's Honeywell C300 control system and Experion HMI Web PSA graphics
- Fully integrated DCS control replacing PLC-DCS interface

#### **HMI STATION UPGRADES AND SPARES**

- Replacement of obsolete HMI PC and Software upgrades
- Upgrade HMI station communication set up
- Control System spares to improve process unit on-stream performance and decrease process upsets



## POLYBED<sup>TM</sup> PSA **CONTROL SYSTEM UPGRADE – FIELD RESULTS**

### **UNIT A – NORTH AMERICA**

- 10-bed PSA system
- SMR unit
- Rockwell AB L5x/6x hardware
- Windows 7 based operator and engineering station
- 4:3 resolution HMI graphics

ORIGINAL UNIT

#### UNIT B - ASIA

- 12-bed PSA system
- SMR unit
- Modicon Quantum hardware
- Windows XP based operator and engienerig station
- 4:3 resolution HMI graphics

**ORIGINAL UNIT** 

#### **REPLACED WITH HON C300 CONTROL SYSTEM SOLUTION IN FEBRUARY 2023**

- **Seamless integration and interface in Experion PKS**
- Costs for separate DCS screens and start-up time
- **Costs for maintenance and capital spares**
- Operational efficiency w/ advanced diagnostics

#### REPLACED WITH NEW PLC BASED CONTROL **SYSTEM SOLUTION IN DECEMBER 2019**

- Increased reliability e.g. 2003 signals, permissives, valve limiting, modern & user-friendly graphics
- Improved operations using enhanced features e.g. Dry cycle mode, improved valve failure logic
- Risks of parts failure and downtime

Upfront cost savings >= \$250k1, YoY savings ~ \$30k1 **Downtime & Operation savings > \$1M per year<sup>2</sup>** 

- <sup>1</sup> Based on UOP's subject matter expertise, internal evaluation model and estimates for Unit A or B
- <sup>2</sup> Based on \$1,200/MT price of hydrogen and 8400 operation hours per year. within minimum downtime of 7 days for Unit A and downtime for 3.2 days

Improved performance and reliability for maximum on-stream PSA operations & minimal downtime

## PSA HEALTH CHECKUP

#### WHY WE NEED A HEALTH CHECKUP?

- To Avoid Unexpected Shutdown
- Improve On-Time Availability
- Improve Performance
- Timely Procurement of Spare Parts
- Advance Maintenance Planning

Proactive Maintenance Has a Real Impact on Profitability



## PSA HEALTH CHECKUP CONTINUED

## WHAT UOP DOES DURING A HEALTH CHECKUP?

- Performance Audit
- Physical Verification of Control System
- Physical Verification of Valve Skid
- Operating & Maintenance Procedures Audit
- Troubleshooting
- Training

#### **PERFORMANCE AUDIT**

- Collect Operating Information and Review
- Verify Information with Design
- Collect Process Data / Trends
- Analyze Process Data / Trends
- Evaluate Optimization Schemes
- Collect & Analyze Laboratory Analysis around PSA Unit

PSA Health Checkup Improves Performance.



## TYPICAL SCHEDULE FOR PLANNING PURPOSES

- Adsorbents up to 6 months of port of export
- Phase 1 (Engineering) Studies 3 months
- Control Systems Retrofits 12 months or more
- Control System and HMI upgrades 4-10 months
- Phase 2 (Implementation) 6 to 12 months



## PSA REVAMP WEBINAR CONTINUED

- Ongoing customer support
- ANY PSA unit design may be upgraded for PSA Revamps for new operating conditions<sup>1</sup>
- In our experience, PSA Revamp of existing unit has typically been more cost-effective and had shorter execution timeline as compared to the supply of new PSA units.<sup>1</sup>

## WHO TO CONTACT

- UOP's PSA After-Market Business supports the needs of all internationally installed UOP PSA units
- Reach out to...
  - Technical Services
  - Sales Account Manager
  - Questions/requests via the online Portal

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