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A problem-solving manual for those who manage boilers and/or cooling water units in commercial and industrial plants. It is particularly useful to plant operators who have mechanical engineering backgrounds only, because essentials of water chemistry as well as mechanical factors are covered. The ne

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This volume covers the fundamentals of boiler systems and gathers hard-to-find facts and observations for designing, constructing and operating industrial power plants in the United States and overseas. It contains formulas and spreadsheets outlining combustion points of natural gas, oil and solid fuel beds. It also includes a boiler operator's training guide, maintenance examples, and a checklist for troubleshooting.

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The technological developments in electrical power generation over the last decade have enabled creation of large pulverized coal fired and combined cycle power plants. These are required to run continuously without faults to assure highest reliability and availability of electrical power around the clock. Condition Monitoring in Large Thermal Power Plants deals with monitoring the operational integrity of boiler and turbine generator plants that includes pumps, fans etc - A most important step in achieving highest reliability and availability.

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Metallurgical Failures in Fossil Fired Boilers

The Nalco Guide to Boiler Failure Analysis, Second Edition Books on Water Treatment

Boiler tubes used in power plants and manufacturing industries are susceptible to numerous failures due to the harsh environment in which they operate, usually involving high temperature, pressure and erosive-corrosive environment. Among the wide range of failures associated with the tubes, localized external erosion is prevalent. In spite of efforts made over the years to solve this problem, localized erosion of boiler tubes continues to be a leading cause of tube leakages and unscheduled boiler outages in power plants and other utilities. There is, therefore, a need to approach this problem systematically and engage in rigorous studies that will allow improved management of this persistent problem. In this thesis, comprehensive studies were first carried out on modelled variants of localized external eroded boiler tubes with conceptualized flaw geometries, such as could be seen in real situations. The outcome of these investigations provided insights into the factors that influence the failure of these tubes while in use. The stress concentration, plasticity and flaw geometry all play critical roles in influencing the failure of tubes. Also, the failure pressures of the modelled tubes were analyzed in relation with several other failure criteria, to determine which failure criteria will be most suitable for the failure assessment of the localized tubes. Based on the result of the analysis, plastic strain in the range 5%-7% is recommended as a compromise between the extreme benchmark failure criterion of 20%, and the overly conservative 2%. The insights gained from the studies carried out on conceptualized variants of localized thinned tubes were extended to real localized external eroded tubes obtained from the industry and used to develop an improved and efficient failure assessment methodology framework for heat resistant seamless tubes while in service. This was done by treating the tubes as an inverse problem and using an optimization technique to obtain the flaw geometric properties of the tubes so as to effectively replicate them on the conceptualized geometries. Using two Material Properties Council (MPC) models generated based on the properties of the tubes as a function of their operating temperatures, comprehensive nonlinear finite element analyses (NLFEA) were conducted on the 160 finite element models. These tubes were assessed based on the maximum equivalent plastic strain and Von Mises stress produced at the deepest point of the flaw area within each of the tubes when subjected to their respective operating pressures at which they failed. The failure assessment outcome revealed that most of the heat resistant tubes while in service will remain intact and not fail if their remaining tube thicknesses were within $(0.7 \sigma_{\text{min}} + 0.8 \sigma_{\text{L}})$ to $(\sigma_{\text{min}} + 0.8 \sigma_{\text{L}})$, where $(\sigma_{\text{min}} + 0.8 \sigma_{\text{L}})$ is the minimum remaining thickness of the tube based on allowable stress. In addition, a 5% plastic strain ($\epsilon_{\text{p}} \leq 25\%$) and equivalent Von Mises stress criteria of $0.8 \sigma_{\text{Y}} + 3Z$ were deduced as failure criteria to guard against the failure of these tubes while in service, and also avoid their early replacement. The developed methodology framework was checked and compared with the API-ASME FFS standard and found to be in good agreement with it, also more efficient and with reduced conservatism. Finally, sensitive studies were conducted based on the developed methodology to examine how the combination of the flaw geometry and material factors could possibly influence the failure of the tubes while in use. The study outcome shows that there were no appreciable changes

in the normalized Von-Mises stress ratios and the plastic strain response for the normalized remaining thickness of the tubes. The proposed $\sigma/\sigma_{0.2} \leq 25\%$ and $\epsilon \leq 0.8$ limits accurately predicted the failure for all the tubes and were reasonably safe limit for the tubes. Insights gained from the strain hardenability of the tubes studied will also provide guidance with taking proactive measures for the maintenance of the tubes. In summary, all the insights gained from this research and the developed failure assessment methodology framework will be helpful in categorizing the severity of localized external erosion on tubes while in use, and also support maintenance decisions on these critical assets. Keywords: Boiler tubes, localized external erosion, plastic deformation, stress concentration, flaw geometry, failure criteria, plastic strain, conceptualized finite element models, nonlinear finite-element analysis, equivalent Von Mises stress, API-ASME FFS Standard.

Metallurgical Failures in Fossil Fired Boilers CRC Press

Predictive analytics refers to making predictions about the future based on different parameters which are historical data, machine learning, and artificial intelligence. This book provides the most recent advances in the field along with case studies and real-world examples. It discusses predictive modeling and analytics in reliability engineering and introduces current achievements and applications of artificial intelligence, data mining, and other techniques in supply chain management. It covers applications to reliability engineering practice, presents numerous examples to illustrate the theoretical results, and considers and analyses case studies and real-world examples. The book is written for researchers and practitioners in the field of system reliability, quality, supply chain management, and logistics management. Students taking courses in these areas will also find this book of interest.

CRC Press

This book 'Basic Mechanical Engineering' has been written to provide knowledge and insight into various aspects of Mechanical Engineering. This book is intended as text book to be used by the students in the technical institutions i.e. Engineering Colleges and Polytechnics. The book covers Syllabi of various Universities on 'Basic Mechanical Engineering', 'Elements of Mechanical Engineering', 'Mechanical Engineering', 'Introduction to Mechanical Engineering' and 'Fundamentals of Mechanical Engineering' for the students of all the disciplines of Engineering. Adequate attention has been paid to emphasize on basic principles involved in the subject matter. The explanation in the text has been supported with line diagrams, along with numerous solved problems. The readers will find the book highly useful as a comprehensive text covering basic principles in simple language and easy to grasp formatting.

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Process Plant Equipment CRC Press

Thermal Systems Design Discover a project-based approach to thermal systems design In the newly revised Second Edition of Thermal Systems Design: Fundamentals and Projects, accomplished engineer and educator Dr. Richard J. Martin offers senior undergraduate and graduate students an insightful exposure to real-world design projects. The author delivers a brief review of the laws of thermodynamics, fluid mechanics, heat transfer, and combustion before moving on to a more expansive discussion of how to apply these fundamentals to design common thermal systems like boilers, combustion turbines, heat pumps, and refrigeration systems. The book includes design prompts for 14 real-world projects, teaching students and readers how to approach tasks like preparing Process Flow Diagrams and computing the thermodynamic details necessary to describe the states designated therein. Readers will learn to size pipes, ducts, and major equipment and to prepare Piping and Instrumentation Diagrams that contain the instruments, valves, and control loops needed for automatic functioning of the system. The Second Edition offers an updated look at the pedagogy of conservation equations, new examples of fuel-rich combustion, and a new summary of techniques to mitigate against thermal expansion and shock. Readers will also enjoy: Thorough introductions to thermodynamics, fluid mechanics, and heat transfer, including topics like the thermodynamics of state, flow in porous media, and radiant exchange A broad exploration of combustion fundamentals, including pollutant formation and control, combustion safety, and simple tools for computing thermochemical equilibrium when product gases contain carbon monoxide and hydrogen Practical discussions of process flow diagrams, including intelligent CAD, equipment, process lines, valves and instruments, and non-engineering items In-depth examinations of advanced thermodynamics, including customized functions to compute thermodynamic properties of air, combustion products, water/steam, and ammonia right in the user's Excel workbook Perfect for students and instructors in capstone design courses, Thermal Systems Design: Fundamentals and Projects is also a must-read resource for mechanical and chemical engineering practitioners who are seeking to extend their engineering know-how to a wide range of unfamiliar thermal systems.

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"Process Plant Equipment Book is another great publication from Wiley as a reference book for final year students as well as those who will work or are working in chemical production plants and refinery..." -Associate Prof. Dr. Ramli Mat, Deputy Dean (Academic), Faculty of Chemical Engineering, Universiti Teknologi Malaysia "...give[s] readers access to both fundamental information on process plant equipment and to practical ideas, best practices and experiences of highly successful engineers from around the world... The book is illustrated throughout with numerous black & white photos and diagrams and also contains case studies demonstrating how actual process plants have implemented the tools and techniques discussed in the book. An extensive list of references enables readers to

explore each individual topic in greater depth..."—Stainless Steel World and Valve World, November 2012 Discover how to optimize process plant equipment, from selection to operation to troubleshooting From energy to pharmaceuticals to food, the world depends on processing plants to manufacture the products that enable people to survive and flourish. With this book as their guide, readers have the information and practical guidelines needed to select, operate, maintain, control, and troubleshoot process plant equipment so that it is efficient, cost-effective, and reliable throughout its lifetime. Following the authors' careful explanations and instructions, readers will find that they are better able to reduce downtime and unscheduled shutdowns, streamline operations, and maximize the service life of processing equipment. *Process Plant Equipment: Operation, Control, and Reliability* is divided into three sections: Section One: Process Equipment Operations covers such key equipment as valves, pumps, cooling towers, conveyors, and storage tanks Section Two: Process Plant Reliability sets forth a variety of tested and proven tools and methods to assess and ensure the reliability and mechanical integrity of process equipment, including failure analysis, Fitness-for-Service assessment, engineering economics for chemical processes, and process component function and performance criteria Section Three: Process Measurement, Control, and Modeling examines flow meters, process control, and process modeling and simulation Throughout the book, numerous photos and diagrams illustrate the operation and control of key process equipment. There are also case studies demonstrating how actual process plants have implemented the tools and techniques discussed in the book. At the end of each chapter, an extensive list of references enables readers to explore each individual topic in greater depth. In summary, this text offers students, process engineers, and plant managers the expertise and technical support needed to streamline and optimize the operation of process plant equipment, from its initial selection to operations to troubleshooting.

Power Plant Instrumentation and Control Handbook BoD – Books on Demand

The book discusses instrumentation and control in modern fossil fuel power plants, with an emphasis on selecting the most appropriate systems subject to constraints engineers have for their projects. It provides all the plant process and design details, including specification sheets and standards currently followed in the plant. Among the unique features of the book are the inclusion of control loop strategies and BMS/FSSS step by step logic, coverage of analytical instruments and technologies for pollution and energy savings, and coverage of the trends toward field bus systems and integration of subsystems into one network with the help of embedded controllers and OPC interfaces. The book includes comprehensive listings of operating values and ranges of parameters for temperature, pressure, flow, level, etc of a typical 250/500 MW thermal power plant. Appropriate for project engineers as well as instrumentation/control engineers, the book also includes tables, charts, and figures from real-life projects around the world. Covers systems in use in a wide range of power plants: conventional thermal power plants, combined/cogen plants, supercritical plants, and once through boilers Presents practical design aspects and current trends in instrumentation Discusses why and how to change control strategies when systems are updated/changed Provides instrumentation selection techniques based on operating parameters. Spec sheets are included for each type of instrument. Consistent with current professional practice in North America, Europe, and India

Failure Analysis and Prevention Springer Science & Business Media

Things change rapidly in the field of engineering, and awareness of innovation in production techniques is essential for those working in the field if they are to utilise the best and most appropriate solutions available. This book presents the proceedings of ICAPIE-22, the 7th International Conference on Advanced Production and Industrial Engineering, held on 11 and 12 June 2022 in Delhi, India. The aim of the conference was to explore new windows for discoveries in design, materials and manufacturing, which have an important role in all fields of scientific growth, and to provide an arena for the showcasing of advancements and research endeavours from around the world. The 102 peer-reviewed and revised papers in this book include a large number of technical papers with rich content, describing ground-breaking research from various institutes. Covering a wide range of topics and promoting the contribution of production and industrial engineering and technology for a sustainable future, the book will be of interest to all those working in production and industrial engineering.

Boiler Plant and Distribution System Optimization Manual, Third Edition Springer

These proceedings gather a selection of peer-reviewed papers presented at the 7th International Conference on Fracture Fatigue and Wear (FFW 2018), held at Ghent University, Belgium on 9–10 July 2018. The contributions, prepared by international scientists and engineers, cover the latest advances in and innovative applications of fracture mechanics, fatigue of materials, tribology and wear of materials. The book is intended for academics, including graduate students and researchers, as well as industrial practitioners working in the areas of fracture fatigue and wear.

Predictive Analytics IOS Press

George Lai's 1990 book, *High-Temperature Corrosion of Engineering Alloys*, is recognized as authoritative and is frequently consulted and often cited by those in the industry. His new book, almost double in size with seven more chapters, addresses the new concerns, new technologies, and new materials available for those engaged in high-temperature applications. As we strive for energy efficiency, the realm of high-temperature environments is expanding and the need for information on high temperature materials applications was never greater. In addition to extensive expansion on most of the content of the original book, new topics include erosion and erosion-corrosion, low NOx combustion in coal-fired boilers, fluidized bed combustion, and the special demands of waste-to-energy boilers, waste incinerators, and black liquor recovery boilers in the pulp and paper industry. The corrosion induced by liquid metals is discussed and protection options are presented.

Naval Ship Systems Command Technical News Notion Press

Presents more than 120 expert failure analysis case histories from industries including automotive, aerospace, utilities, oil and gas, petrochemical, biomedical, ground transportation, off-highway vehicles, and more. Volume 2 builds on the tremendous acceptance of Volume 1 by the failure analysis community. The two volumes can also be purchased as a set for a special discounted price. Learn how others have investigated and solved failures in various industries involving a wide range of failure modes, materials, and analysis techniques.

Materials & Components in Fossil Energy Applications CRC Press

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The Log John Wiley & Sons

This book comprises select peer-reviewed proceedings of the International Conference on Advances

in Materials Research (ICAMR 2019). The contents cover latest research in materials and their applications relevant to composites, metals, alloys, polymers, energy and phase change. The indigenous properties of materials including mechanical, electrical, thermal, optical, chemical and biological functions are discussed. The book also elaborates the properties and performance enhancement and/or deterioration in order of the modifications in atomic particles and structure. This book will be useful for both students and professionals interested in the development and applications of advanced materials.

Bureau of Ships Journal ASM International

This book provides the latest information about the research being conducted and established solutions available in the field of thermal spray coatings for various engineering applications. The readers of this book will be mainly the graduates, engineers and researchers who are pursuing their carrier in the field of thermal spraying. This book will cover the studies and research works of reputed scientists and engineers who have developed thermal spray coatings for thermal protection, bio-implants, renewal energy, wear and corrosion in hydraulic turbines and jet engines, hydrophobic surfaces etc. Hence, the book serves as a valuable resource of latest advancement in thermal spray technology and consolidated references for aspirants and professionals of surface engineering community. The book covers following topics for different industrial applications: Introduction: Historical developments, Science and Engineering aspects of thermal spray coating technology and different thermal spray coatings techniques and its comparison with other fabrication processes. Recent advancements and applications of thermal spray coatings Cold spray technology for additive manufacturing. High-temperature corrosion and erosion resistant coatings and thermal barrier coatings for power plants, automotive sector, and jet engines. Erosion and corrosion-resistant coatings for hydro-power plants, offshore, chemical and oil industries. Bio-coatings for human body implants. Thermal spray coating for super-hydrophobic surface. 3. Case study of boiler tubes failure and prevention by thermal spray coatings.

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