Use the least expensive and most readily available solid fuels without need for grinding
Increase efficiency and reduce costs with the innovative FCT-ICON Solid Fuel Hot Gas Generator

Generate hot gases using solid fuels without need for a grinding system, or the associated capital expenditure, with the FCT-ICON Solid Fuel Hot Gas Generator.

The innovative technology uses the phenomenon of fluidization to facilitate the even interaction of the fuel and air, without contact with metal or moving parts, before combustion and the generation of hot gases that can be used in subsequent processes such as drying.

The FCT-ICON Solid Fuel Hot Gas Generator replaces equipment that uses traditional fuels (such as natural gas, LPG or fuel oil) to instead make use of solid fuels that may be less expensive, thereby reducing the cost of hot gas. Suitable fuel types include biomass, coal or petroleum coke among others.

Additional benefits of the system include:

- Wide working temperature range (200 to 900°C)
- High combustion efficiency
- Large burning capacity per m²/ft²
- Easy operation
- Low maintenance cost

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Make use of solid fuels such as biomass, coal or petroleum coke without need for grinding, and generate immediate savings

**INDUSTRY APPLICATIONS**

Generation of hot gases using crushed solid fuels

**CAPABILITIES**

Generates thermal powers from 0.1 Gcal/h upward

**TEMPERATURE GAS OUTPUT**

Up to 900°C

**COMBURENT**

Atmospheric air

**FUELS**

Petroleum coke (0 to 10mm)
Mineral coal (0 to 6mm)
Wood chips (10 to 30mm)
Biomass pellets
Wood pellets
Wooden briquettes
Sugarcane bagasse

**BED MATERIAL**

Siliceous sand

**TURN DOWN**

60 to 100%

Due to the characteristics of the fluidized bed component, a wide range of solid fuels can be used in the FCT-ICON Solid Fuel Hot Gas Generator. The solid fuel can either be used alone or in a mixture of more than two types.

The main physical/chemical characteristics to be considered include: grain size, moisture content, lower calorific value (normally above 2,500 kcal/kg), and melting contaminants in the ashes of the fuel.

The FCT-ICON Solid Fuel Hot Gas Generator has the following main process characteristics:

- Works at temperatures from 500°C to 900°C without forced dilution system (depends on negative system pressure)
- Works at temperatures from 200°C to 900°C with forced dilution system
- Must work with negative pressure of at least -1 mBar
- Can generate thermal powers from 0.1 Gcal/h or more, depending on the case and layout
- Has a modulation range from 60% to 100% of thermal power (may be more if multiple units installed)
- Can work with collection cyclone if particulate emission restriction exists (typical particulates are fine ash)

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