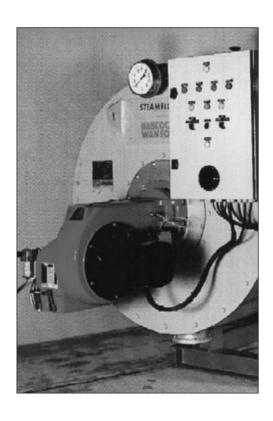
Practical

BOILER CONTROL AND INSTRUMENTATION

for Engineers & Technicians



WHAT YOU WILL LEARN:

- The key features of basic boiler control loops & systems
- Boiler combustion control to optimise combustion efficiency for burning liquid, gaseous, solid or pulversied fuels
- Principles & design concepts governing:
 - boiler feed water control
 - steam demand & firing control
 - main steam & reheat steam temperature control
 - importance of boiler & unit interlocks
 - boiler draft systems & controls
 - flue gas analysis & fuel combustion trimming controls
- Artificial intelligence & expert systems for improved boiler plant efficiency

WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

- Senior Boiler Plant Operators, Repairers & Installers
- Boiler Plant Construction Managers
- Plant Engineers
- Operation, Maintenance, Inspection & Repair Managers, Supervisors & Engineers
- Mechanical Engineers & Technicians
- Design Engineers
- Insurance Company Inspectors
- Consulting Engineers



THE WORKSHOP

This one-day Practical Boiler Control Systems workshop focuses on efficient and cost effective start-up and shutdown procedures, safety interlocks and on-line operations of boilers.

PRE-REQUISITES

A fundamental knowledge of basic boiler plant and operation thereof and some understanding of control systems.

WORKSHOP OBJECTIVES

After attending this practical ONE-DAY workshop, you will be able to:

- recognise key features of basic boiler control loops & systems
- examine boiler combustion control for optimisation of combustion efficiency with burning liquid, gaseous, solid or pulverized fuels
- identify principles & design concepts governing:
 - boiler feed water control
 - steam demand & firing rate control
 - main stream & reheat steam temperature control
 - importance of boiler control & unit interlocks
 - boiler draft systems & controls
 - flue gas analysis & fuel combustion trimming
- explore artificial intelligence & expert system for improved boiler plant efficiency

THE PROGRAM

DAY ONE

INTRODUCTION

- · Objectives of boiler control
- Basic control loops & their interconnections
- · Feedforward plus feedback controls
- Cascade/ratio controls
- Process dynamics generic control
- Factors affecting control system or loop applications

BOILER FUEL COMBUSTION CONTROLS FOR

- · Liquid fuels
- · Gaseous fuels
- · Solid fuels both graded & pulverized
- Combustion chemistry & products of combustion
- · Stoihiometric air & excess air requirements

CONTROL PRINCIPLES & DESIGN CONCEPTS

- · Boiler water level indicators & measuring devices
- · Feed water control objectives
- Single, two or three element feed water controllers
- Associated problems & refinements
- Steam demand & firing rate control relationships
- Relationship between boiler load & temperature
- Temperature of & strategies for superheated
- Measurement of furnace draft
- · Feedforward/feedback controls
- · Impact of dew point & nitrous oxides & sulphur oxide pollutants
- · Protection against implosion
- · Pros & cons of measurement methods & gases selected
- · Digital interlocks within control systems Practical session & questions



Valuable overview and industrial perspective.

Barry Jones

I like the practicality of the workshop.

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