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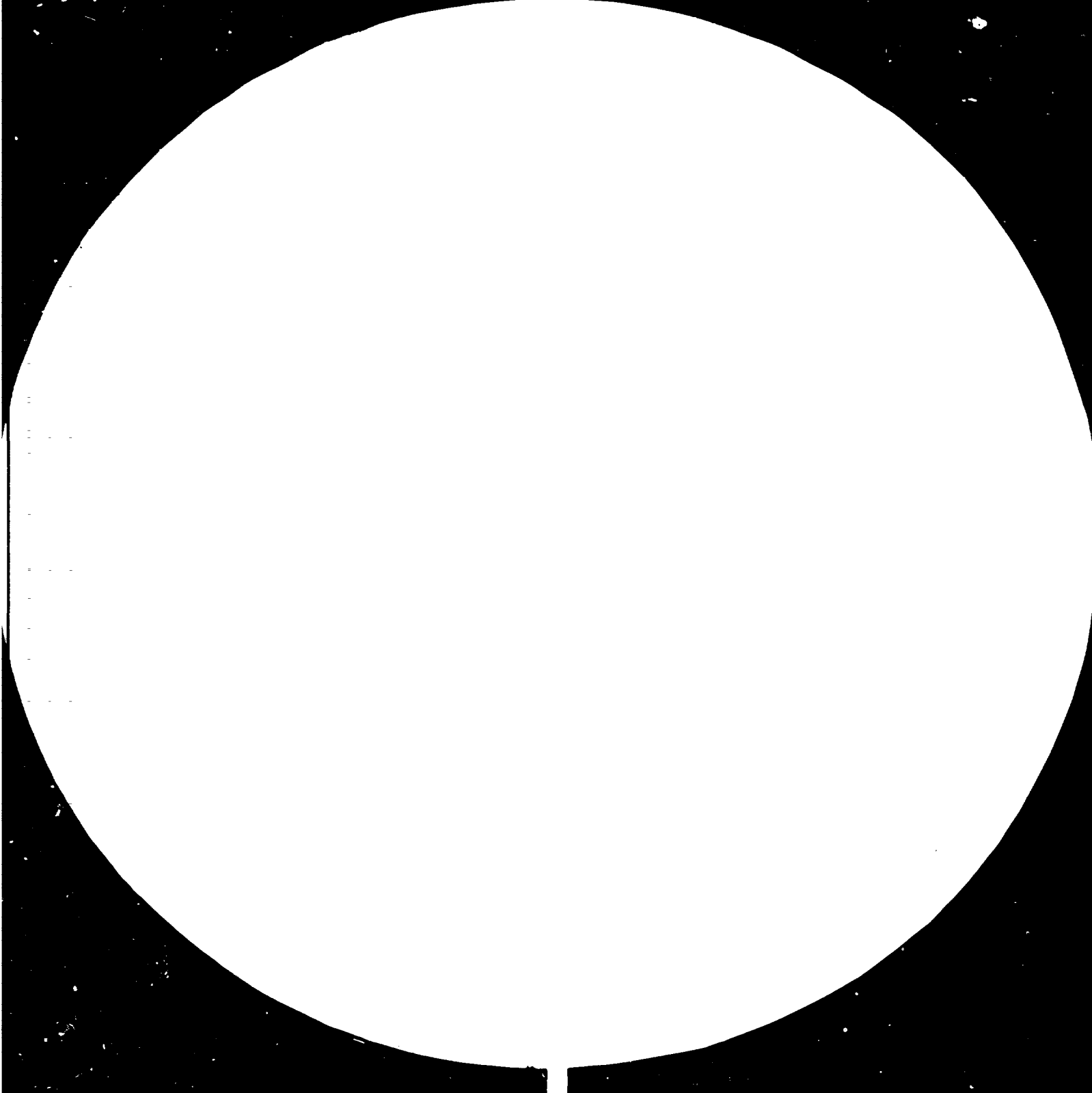
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**DIRECTORY OF
INDUSTRIAL AND TECHNOLOGICAL
RESEARCH INSTITUTES:
METALLURGY SECTOR***

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P R E F A C E

In recognition of the importance of industrial research and development activities, UNIDO has carried out a number of programmes and projects for the stimulation, promotion, and co-ordination of research activities in developing countries, and recently published a "Directory of Industrial and Technological Research Institutes" (UNIDO/IS.275) and a "Directory of Industrial and Technological Research Institutes in Africa" (UNIDO/IS.299).

The Third General Conference of UNIDO recommended that UNIDO should promote a regular exchange of information between research and development institutes and laboratories of both developed and developing countries.

The Vienna Programme of Action on Science and Technology for Development recommended promotion of co-operative arrangements between research and development institutes in developed and developing countries.

In this connection, UNIDO has compiled this directory, based on replies to questionnaires. It is recognized that the listings are in no sense comprehensive, and that many important institutes have been omitted. When the next edition is being prepared, all iron and steel institutes listed will be asked to update their entries and it is hoped that the coverage can be extended significantly.

Nevertheless, this directory is intended to comply with the recommendations of the above meetings, i.e. it provides a tool for the use of those who need to know where research on a certain problem is taking place, and/or something about the research programme of a given institute. It is hoped that this information will make it easier to develop co-operation among iron and steel institutes working on similar research subjects, strengthening the technological capabilities of institutes in developing countries, and reducing duplication and waste of industrial research and development potential.

We express our thanks to those who have contributed information to the directory. Though every care was taken in compiling this work, we are aware that errors and omissions remain. Suggestions for changes or for inclusion of additional research centres in a future revised edition should be made by filling out the questionnaire found at the end of the directory, and sending it to:

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Algeria

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DIRECCION RECHERCHE APPLIQUEE
CENTRE NATIONAL DE SIDERURGIE

11-Hadjar BP 196
Annaba, Algeria

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TELEX: 81721

DIRECTOR: M. Hocine Hadjlat
PROFESSIONAL STAFF: 56
BUDGET 1981: \$1,820,000

AREAS OF INTEREST: Iron and steel industry, metallurgy
CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82
Thin plate quality slabs made by continuous casting
Use of /siderite/ in sintering and /blast furnace/ (the
Algerian iron ore deposit of Ouenza contains a high
proportion of siderite not yet exploited. Appropriate
technology: mixing with /hematite/, /calcination/, etc.)
Use of blast furnace slag for building construction (at the
moment used only for roads construction, soon for cement),
building of houses
Metal recovery/ of zinc electrolysis wastes: cadmium, lead,
copper and other elements (/beneficiation/)
System of stimulation of innovation in the Algerian steel
plants
AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES
Iron ore and fuel /beneficiation/
Sintering
/Pelletizing/
Coke making
Direct reduction
Iron making
Steel making
/Continuous casting/
Steel rolling
SERVICES, UTILITIES
Quality control and materials testing
/Waste treatment/ and recycling
ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES
Corrosion
ECONOMIC ASPECTS, MANAGEMENT
Rationalization and inventory

LINK 003301

Argentina

00002

INSTITUTO ARGENTINO DE SIDERURGIA - IAS

Carlos Maria Della Paolera 226
1104 Buenos Aires, Argentina

TEL: 311-3639
TELEX: 9111 ACIND AR

DIRECTOR: Dr. Nestor A. Barbogelata
PROFESSIONAL STAFF: 16
BUDGET 1981: \$800,000

AREAS OF INTEREST: Iron and steel industry, metallurgy
CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82
/Coal blending/ optimization, technical and economic coal
selection for local conditions
MOA /Iron ore concentration/, search of a high iron-content
product by /flotation/
/Iron ore blending/ optimization for sintering, technical and
economic components selection for local conditions
Pelletizing of /magnetite concentrates/, optimization of
pellet characteristics for /blast furnace/ and direct
reduction
/Ladle injection/ techniques for /liquid steel/ refining to
improve steel quality
/Steel solidification/: Improving continuous casting and
/Ingots/ moulds design
/High temperature deformation/ of steel, design of
/thermomechanical treatment/ for better steel properties
Rolling simulation, evaluating equipment behaviour and
optimizing rolling process
/High strength steels/ /steel sheet conformability/, relation
of /drawing defects/ and metallurgical characteristics
Energy saving, optimizing use of national energy sources in
steel industry
AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES
Iron ore and fuel /beneficiation/
Sintering and /pelletizing/
Combustion and energy saving
Coke making
Direct reduction
Iron making
Steel making
/Continuous casting/
Steel casting
/Vacuum degassing/
Steel rolling
SERVICES, UTILITIES
/Instrumentation/ and process control
ECONOMIC ASPECTS, MANAGEMENT
Raw materials procurement

LINK 000224

Brazil

700003

INSTITUTO DE PESQUISAS TECNOLOGICAS - IPT
Institute of technological research

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CEP 05508
Sao Paulo, Brazil

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DIRECTOR: Dr. Alberto Pereira de Castro
PROFESSIONAL STAFF: 700
BUDGET 1981: 650,000,000

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy

CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

1. Materials and mechanical testing in /OFF-SHORE STRUCTURES/
TECHNOLOGY:

/Fracture mechanics/ parameters for /crack analysis/ and

/flaw detection/ in materials such as KIC, JIC, CTB

Evaluation of resistance to /fatigue cracks/ initiation,

/crack extension/ and /toughness/ of /welded joints/

Evaluation of probability of failure and fatigue life

prediction in /structural steel/s

Materials testing and corrosion in marine environment:

/cathodic protection/ of steel, welding procedure tests,

damage investigation and coatings

Instrumental monitoring of off-shore structures for integrity
against failures

2. /NON-DESTRUCTIVE TESTING/ techniques applied to /WELDED

TUBULAR JOINTS (testing of /tubes/ and /drill pipes/

installed in oilfield both at installation and during

service life):

Detection of /magnetic/ flux field around tubular section and

along longitudinal direction, /ultrasonic techniques/ for

inspection of tubes, tube /wall thickness measurement/s by

detection of backscattered gamma rays through the wall

(/gamma ray measurement/)

3. /QUALITY CONTROL OF /HOT STEEL/: Study of /microstructural

properties/ such as grain size, carbides, level of

/inclusions/, /decarburization intensity/ and heat

treatment; mechanical tests in tool steels, esp. toughness

and /wear/ resistance tests; performance tests

4. Theoretical and empirical correlations between BLOWING

PARAMETERS of BOP process and carbon dioxide:monoxide ratio

in the fumes and Fe₂O₃:FeO ratio and total Fe of the slag

Principal problems of static control models of BOP

/temperature control/ deriving from uncertainties on the

thermal balance of the operation due to variations of

carbon dioxide:monoxide ratio during the blow and the final

state of /iron oxidation/ in the slag

Assessment of the importance of /blowing conditions/ (/lance-

bath distance/, /oxygen pressure/, life and design of the

/lance nozzles/, etc.); thermal generation phenomena on BOP

vessels; /theoretical modeling/, experimental laboratory

scale /hot modeling/ using IPT and cooperating institutes'

facilities and data analysis for one Brazilian BOP plant

AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES

Steel making

SERVICES, UTILITIES

Quality control and materials testing

LINK 003393

Bulgaria

000004

IRON AND STEEL RESEARCH INSTITUTE

Sofia 1770, Botanets, Bulgaria

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DIRECTOR: Prof. Dr. Boris Brakhaliyski
PROFESSIONAL STAFF: 450

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy

AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES

Iron ore and fuel /beneficiation/

Sintering

/Pelletizing/

Coke making

Direct reduction

Iron making

Steel making

Steel casting

/Vacuum degassing/

Steel rolling

Combustion and energy saving

SERVICES, UTILITIES

Environmental control

LINK 003302

Canada

307005

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TELEX: 0519347

DIRECTOR: Dr. J.D. Embury
PERSONNEL STAFF: 11
BUDGET 1981: 5499,360

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy
CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:
MECHANICAL PROPERTIES/ of structural steel/s and /high
temperature application of steel/s:
Large scale /deformation/ and microscopic aspects of the
relationship of structure and mechanical behavior, /metal
forming/ operations, /plastic flow/ and failure in forming
of /aluminum alloys/ and modern structural steels,
/fracture mechanics/ for various imposed stress states,
/fatigue fracture/
Statistical models of /microcrack formation/ in relation to
/cleavage failure/ and their application to /low
temperature properties/ of controlled rolled /pipeline
steel/s. Use of /electron microscopes/ and /scanning
methods/ for electromicroscopic transmission
TRANSPORT phenomena in process metallurgy: commercial
processes carried out by pneumatically /injecting powder/s
into /liquid iron/ and /liquid steel/ (/injection
techniques/). Factors which determine whether solid
particles will enter the liquid or remain in the gas phase,
/fluid flow/ models. Effects of /heat transfer/ and /mass
transfer/ in the actual systems
Ferrous alloys production in conventional /arc furnaces/ and
/plasma furnaces/, melting of /sponge iron/ pellets in
/electric furnace slag/s
PASSIVE FILMS, localized corrosion, crystal growth and
dissolution: localized breakdown of /protective film/s on
metals, localized corrosion of nickel, nickel-base alloys
and /austenitic stainless steel/s using /potentiostatic
techniques/ and /galvanostatic techniques/
Iron and STEELMAKING REACTIONS and processes: control of
soluble oxygen and sulphur in iron and steelmaking and the
formation of non-metallic /inclusions/ in iron and steel
/DIFFUSION/, /TRANSPARATION KINETICS/, and /THERMODYNAMICS/:
heat treatment behaviour of steel alloys including /low alloy
and very high /carbon steel/s. Predicting /spherulite
flanges, /hardability/, /separability/, /carbide formation/
and /weldability/ and the systematics of HSLA steels. /Phase/
transformation kinetics in metals
Iron and STEELMAKING REACTIONS and processes: ironmaking and
raw materials, physical chemistry and /carbonization/
transport phenomena, /agglomeration/ and /blast furnace/
ironmaking, carbonization reactions, Mineralogical
characterization of /iron ore concentration/, /insertion
conditions/ or an optimum combination of /strength/ and
/ductibility/ for acid pellets
/METAL OXIDATION/ and solid state reactions: kinetics and
thermodynamics of metal oxidation, role of water and oxygen
diffusion on the growth kinetics and structural development
of oxide films and scales on metals and alloys. /High
temperature stable/ structural materials for gas turbines
engines (/gas turbine steels/)
MECHANICAL PROPERTIES at ELEVATED TEMPERATURES: deformation
and fracture of structural materials at elevated
temperatures, effect of microstructure and composition on
/plastic creep/, /cavity nucleation/ and growth, /crack
initiation/, /pressure sintering/
/Cavitation/ in /superplastic alloys/, superplastic
deformation of an ultra-fine-grained titanium alloy,
growth of /grain boundary cracks/ in high strength alloys,
effect of strengthening /asperities/ on /grain boundary creep

PROJECTS:
/HYDROMETALLURGY/: /liquid-liquid extraction/ techniques in
hydro-metallurgical separation of uranium, copper, alcohol,
cobalt, etc. Removal of radium from uranium /mine tailings/
/SURFACE PROPERTIES/ of metals: reactions between gases and
well-characterized metals at an atomic and electronic level
(/gas-metal reaction/), /surface segregation/, /surface
attitudes/
Mechanisms of METAL FORMING PROCESSES, esp. sheet metal
forming, failure analysis, /metal forming instability/ and
fracture, /strain hardening/ and /rate sensitivity/ and
connected with /strain localization/ and industrial /metal
forming failures/
/PLASTICITY/ and deformation processes: sheet and bulk metal
deformation processes, assessing the influence of material
and processing variables on /forming loads/, deformation
modes and /formability limits/
AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES
Coke making
Iron making
Steel making
/Continuous casting/
/Vacuum degassing/
ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES
Mechanical testing
Corrosion
/Super duty materials/

JOINT PROJECTS WITH:
Cooperative training programs involving students and faculty
from Brazilian and Chinese universities

LINK 003504

China

000007

IRON AND STEEL RESEARCH INSTITUTE
ANSHAN IRON AND STEEL COMPLEX

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Anshan, Liaoning Province, China

DIRECTOR: Dr. Chen Yi-Zhi
PROFESSIONAL STAFF: 620
BUDGET 1981: 82,700,000

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy
CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:
Steelmaking: /ladle injection/ metallurgy, /composite
blowing/ (top-bottom) process of oxygen
Steel rolling: controlled rolling in /steel bars/, production
of /high pressure boiler tubes/, production of /high
strength steel/, concrete /reinforcing bars/
AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES

Sintering
/Pelletizing/
Iron making
Steel making
/Continuous casting/
Steel casting
/Vacuum degassing/
Steel rolling
Combustion and energy saving
SERVICES, UTILITIES
/Instrumentation/ and process control
Quality control and material testing
ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES
Mechanical testing
Electrical testing
Chemical testing
Corrosion
/Super duty materials/

LINK 003506

201004

DEPARTMENT OF METALLURGY AND MATERIALS SCIENCE
UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M5S 1A4
TEL: 416-918-3812

DIRECTOR: Prof. Alexander McLean (Iron and Steel)
PROFESSIONAL STAFF: 12
BUDGET 1981: 9200,000

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy
CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:
/Desulfurization/ with salt coated magnesium granules
/Phosphorus reactions/ in iron and steelmaking
Use of oxygen probes/ in steelmaking
/Hydrogen dissolution/ in molten slags and molten iron alloys
/Temperature control/ during transfer operations
/Furnish metallurgy/; /fluid flow/ and chemical control
Characterization of /molten powder/s
Use of /rare earths/ in continuous casting
Metallogical aspects of EMS during continuous casting
/Thermodynamics/ of /molten iron alloys/
/Nitrogen dissolution/ in slags
/Surface tension measurements/ of molten iron alloys
Welding chemistry
/Metal recovery/ of alloying elements from /oxide wastes/
/Blaze processes/ in steelmaking
AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES

Direct reduction
Iron making
Steel making
/Continuous casting/
Steel casting
/Vacuum degassing/
SERVICES, UTILITIES
Quality control and materials testing
/Waste treatment/ and recycling
ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES
Chemical testing
ECONOMIC ASPECTS, MANAGEMENT
Recruitment and training

JOINT PROJECTS WITH:

Atlas Steels, Canada
Lake Ontario Steel, Canada
Stecco Incorporated, Canada
Allegheny Ludlum Steel, USA
Inland Steel Company, USA
Kaiser Steel Company, USA
Dow Chemical, USA
Research USA
University of Kyoto, Japan
National Physical Laboratory London, UK

LINK 003505

Egypt

000008

SHANGHAI INSTITUTE OF METALLURGY
ACADEMIA SINICA

800 Chang Ming Road
Shanghai, China

TEL: 520050 CABLE: 0253

DIRECTOR: Dr. Zou Yueshi
PROFESSIONAL STAFF: 50 (Iron and steel sector)
BUDGET 1981: \$100,000 (Iron and steel sector)

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy

CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

MECHANICAL and MATERIAL TESTING:

Mechanism of the /scavenging process/ in non-/strain ageing/
steels, /internal friction techniques/ as a method to study
behaviour of nonmetallic /inclusions/, e.g. carbon and
nitrogen

/Ageing of transition elements/ in iron and steel

Influence of /rare earths/ on the /mechanical properties/ of
iron and steels: mechanism of /grain growth/ prohibition
by rare earth elements in iron and steel, improvement of
mechanical properties by /grain refining/

CORROSION:

/Aluminium coatings/ on /mild steels/ by electrolysis in
fused salts for protection against /high temperature
oxidation/, alloys coatings, /electrochemistry/

Corrosion performance of /carbon steels/ in the Yangtze
River, role of /chloride ions/

Corrosion in chemical process plant, steels resistant to
/high temperature oxidation/, sulfidation, carbonization
and high temperature /hydrogen corrosion/

Environmental sensitive cracks, effects of various
environmental parameters on /stress corrosion cracking/ of
/reinforcing bars/ in concrete and in sodium chloride
(salt) solution saturated with /calcium hydroxide/,
mechanism of the cracking (/crack analysis/)

/Fracture mechanics/ and slow /strain rate/ techniques for
evaluation of /high strength steels/ sensitivity towards
stress corrosion cracking. Environmental sensitive cracking
of steels in sulphur hydrides containing media

Applicability of /stainless steels/ /amorphous steels/ for
corrosion resistant materials

AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS:

SERVICES, UTILITIES

Quality control and materials testing

ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES

Mechanical testing

Corrosion

LINK 003307

000009

CENTRAL METALLURGICAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE -
CMRDI
NATIONAL RESEARCH CENTER

Dokki
Cairo, Egypt

TELEX: Maroc UN 94022

DIRECTOR: Prof. Dr. A.A. Abdul Azim
PROFESSIONAL STAFF: 60
BUDGET 1981: \$300,000

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy

CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

Large scale application of new /ore washing/ techniques and
sintering tests of Bahariya iron ore, substantial pilot
plant tests, preparation of large ore samples, major
modifications to pilot plant layout and flowsheet,
screening and washing tests, /ore drying/ tests, sintering
tests comparing raw and washed ores

Improving production of /free cutting steel/, /spring steel/,
/carbon steels/ for nuts and bolts: /melting techniques/,
/metal forming/, mechanical and metallurgical testing of
products, industrial applications

Improving /mechanical properties/ and /high temperature
corrosion/ resistance of M.H. /high temperature stable/
steel: long term /creep tests/ on products

Improving /strength/ and /toughness/ of commercial /high
strength steels/ low alloys: variable rolling schedules
achieving /fine grain structure/ in the metal (/grain
refining/). Corrosion tests on the resultant steels

Relationship between "as cast" structures of /mild steels/
and subsequent /rolling techniques/: preparing steel
samples having a wide variety of "as cast" structures;
subjecting these samples to standard rolling techniques;
recommending favourable "as cast" structures for use in the
continuous casting process

Evaluation of heat treatment process for spring steel
manufacture, optimum heat treatment cycles for metal quality

Improving production techniques and product quality of hot
dipped galvanization steel /steel sheet/: operational
studies on the galvanizing plant. Improvement of industrial
process control leading to better grade of product, lowered
production losses and /materials saving/ in zinc

Introduction of /oxygen lancing/ in electric /arc furnaces/:
testing in electric furnaces and analysis of the effect of
this technique on metal quality and economic aspects of the
steelwork furnaces

Evaluation of Egyptian /bentonite/ for industrial use in
foundry: acid and alkali activation of bentonite and
testing of activated products

AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES

Iron ore and fuel /beneficiation/

Sintering

/Pelletizing/

Direct reduction

Iron making

Steel making

/Continuous casting/

Steel casting

Steel rolling

SERVICES, UTILITIES

/Instrumentation/ and process control

Quality control and materials testing

ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES

Structural testing

Mechanical testing

Chemical testing

Corrosion

/Super duty materials/

ECONOMIC ASPECTS, MANAGEMENT

Joint trends

Feasibility study preparation

JOINT PROJECTS WITH:
Egyptian Iron and Steel Company Helwan
Delta Steel Company
Technical University of Clausthal, FR Germany
Sering Steel Company
Egyptian Academy of Scientific Research

LINK 003798

000010

EL-TABBIN INSTITUTE FOR METALLURGICAL STUDIES - TMS

PO Box 862
Cairo, Egypt

TEL: 39642 CABLE: TABURASAT

DIRECTOR: Prof. Dr. A.M. Radwan
PROFESSIONAL STAFF: 50
BUDGET 1981: 8717,000

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy
CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:
Increase of productivity by ore beneficiation, sintering,
treatment of /local raw materials/ to be used such as iron
ores, sands for casting, etc. Coke making, design and
redesign of metallurgical units, etc.

Pollution and environmental control technology, utilization
of energy resources, water and residues, environmental
management

/Instrumentation/ and process control

Ferrous and non-ferrous metallurgy

/Foundry technology/: metals shaping, automation

Heat treatment

Mining engineering

AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES

Iron ore and fuel /beneficiation/

Sintering

/Pelletizing/

Coke making

Direct reduction

Iron making

Steel making

/Continuous casting/

Steel casting

/Vacuum degassing/

Steel rolling

Combustion and energy saving

SERVICES, UTILITIES

Transport and materials handling

/Thermal utilities/

/Electrical utilities/

/Instrumentation/ and process control

Design and construction

Quality control and materials testing

/Waste treatment/ and recycling

Environmental control

ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES

Mechanical testing

Electrical testing

Chemical testing

Corrosion

ECONOMIC ASPECTS, MANAGEMENT

Costing

Manning and organization

Raw materials procurement

Equipment procurement

World trends

Feasibility study preparation

JOINT PROJECTS WITH:

Institut fuer Eisenhuettenwesen, TU Aachen, FR Germany

Universite Technologique de Compiègne, France

Steel and Alloys Institute, Moscow, USSR

Ecole Nationale Supérieure d'Arts et de Métiers, France

Polytechnical Institute, Sheffield, UK

LINK 003770

Finland

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DIRECTOR: Prof. Pekka Jeeho
PROFESSIONAL STAFF: 50
BUDGET 1981: \$1,000,000

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy
CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

/FURNACE TECHNOLOGY/: melting of metals (/melting techniques/), /molten metal treatment/ and casting. Casting of special castings and alloys. Heat treatment of castings. Moulding, core making and sand reclamation, /shell mould method/. Testing of /foundry materials/

CORROSION and corrosion prevention: corrosion of metals and metallic coatings, testing of the performance of /protective films/, /corrosion failures analysis/, /potentiostatic techniques/, equipment for measuring thickness and porosity of coatings, /torsile testing/ machines for slow /strain rate/ /stress corrosion/ testing, /stress corrosion cracking/ of /austenitic stainless steel/

/METALLOGRAPHY/ and metals analysis: /structure analysis/ using /X-ray methods/, optical and /electron microscope/, /scanning methods/ for surface testing

METAL WORKING and heat treatment by using model materials: working technology and workability (formability) of metals (/metal forming/), analysis of failures caused by incorrect working or heat treatment practices (/metal forming failures/)

MINERAL ENGINEERING: /magnetic/, electrostatic and gravity /mineral separation processes/

AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES

Iron ore and fuel beneficiation
Iron making, /cupola furnace/
Steel making, /injection techniques/
Steel casting
Steel rolling

SERVICES, UTILITIES

Thermal utilities, steel heat treatment, /fluidized beds/
Instrumentation and process control
Quality control and materials testing

ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES

Structural testing, /microstructural properties/
Mechanical testing
Chemical testing
Corrosion

ECONOMIC ASPECTS, MANAGEMENT
Recruitment and training

JOINT PROJECTS WITH:

Technical University of Denmark, Copenhagen
SINTEF, Trondheim, Norway
Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden
Swedish Institute of Production Engineering, IVF, Gothenburg, Sweden

MEFOS, Lulea, Sweden

University of Uppsala, Sweden

Svenske Gjuteriforeningen, Jonkoping, Sweden
Technological Institute, Tastrup, Denmark

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Germany, Federal Republic of

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DIRECTOR: Prof. Dr. W. Dahl
PROFESSIONAL STAFF: 160
BUDGET 1981: \$3,600,000

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy
CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

Coal-gasification, /blast furnace/, steel /melting techniques/, /streaming conditions/, /fracture mechanics/, /wide plate testing/
/Thermodynamics/ and kinetics of steelmaking, material behaviour under particular conditions of usage (/mechanical properties/)

IRONWORKS:

/Waste heat utilization/
/Coal-oil-slurry blowing technology/
/Sinter exhaust gas desulfurization/
Iron ore beneficiation: heating, filtering, separation of pollutants (/ore washing/)

Reduction: transporting, /agglomeration/, thermodynamics
METALLURGY:

/Electro-slag refining process/
Fundamental studies on slags: /slag rheology/
/Nitrogen diffusion/
Processing techniques: /alkaline-earth metal treatment/ of

/pig iron/ and steel; /spray refining/
/Plasma processes/: /nitrogen solubility/ in /liquid steel/ and its alloys in a /plasma furnace/
/...drogen embrittlement/ of steel

/Interfacial tension/ between /molten iron alloys/ and fluid slags, /gas pockets/, physical and chemical reactions at the impact of /oxygen streaming/ on crude iron

Welding, welding temperature cycles
Continuous casting: /structural steel/
/Thermo-mechanical treatment/: /deformation/; corrosion

behaviour of /austenitic stainless steel/s
/Rupture toughness/ of /high strength steels/, fracture mechanics of steels after /carburization/, /crack extension/ for classification of high strength steels under stress conditions, /stress ratio/ and its importance for steel behaviour, fracture mechanics due to /microstructural properties/
/Strain hardening/
Changed mechanical properties as a result of /ageing/

AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES

Iron ore and fuel /beneficiation/
Sintering

/Pelletizing/
Coke making

Direct reduction

Iron making

Steel making

/Continuous casting/
Steel casting

/Vacuum degassing/
Combustion and energy saving

SERVICES, UTILITIES

Transport and materials handling
/Instrumentation/ and process control

Design and construction

Quality control and materials testing

/Waste treatment/ and recycling

Environmental control

ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES

Structural testing

Mechanical testing
Chemical testing
Corrosion
ECONOMIC ASPECTS, MANAGEMENT
Costing
Financing
Raw materials procurement
Equipment procurement
WORLD TRENDS
FEASIBILITY STUDY PREPARATION

JOINT PROJECTS WITH:

Direct Reduction Research Laboratory Nippon Yohan, Kawasaki,
Japan
Chief Ironmaking, Research Laboratory, Kawasaki Steel, Chiba,
Japan
Chiyoetsu Company, Tsurumi, Yokohama, Japan
Centro de Pesquisas Metalurgicas, Mordic, Ipatinga-Mg, Brazil
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AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy

CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

1. CHEMICAL METALLURGY:

Metallurgical possibilities for the removal of /inclusions/
from /liquid steel/s. Optimization of slag in the /electro-
slag refining process/. Oxygen activity in /pig iron
melts/. Solid electrolyte probes for /continuous oxygen
measurement/ in molten steel (/electrolytes/). /Oxidation
degree/ of iron oxide in metallurgical slags (/iron
oxidation/)

/Mass transfer/ between an injected gas stream and metal
melts (/injection techniques/). Kinetics of formation of
/oxide films/s. /Sticky scale prevention/ in /soaking pit/s

2. METAL WORKING:

Optimization of /rolling schedules/ and /cooling conditions/
in /hot rolling/ of HSLA steels. /Thermomechanical
treatment/ of low alloy /structural steel/s. /Deformation/
and cooling conditions for generation of /dual phase
steel/. /Field stress/ in the temperature range of
/austenite-ferrite-transformation/

Influence of deformation conditions on recrystallization and
/grain growth/ of /austenitic stainless steel/s.

Measurement and calculation of /rolling speed/. Thermal
shape control in /cold rolling/ of strip. Influence of
geometric and kinematic non-symmetry on the cold rolling
process. Influence of chemical composition of drawing soap
on the /metal rheological properties/

/Direct water cooling/ of /steel wire/. Testing of steels by
/fracture mechanics/ methods. Influence of the geometry of
the specimen on the stable /crack extension/ during
fracture mechanics tests. /Crack arrest/. Fracture
mechanics test of /welded joints/. /Creep rupture test/

3. APPLIED MATERIAL SCIENCE:

Atomic configuration in /iron solid solution/s. /Structure
analysis/ at high temperatures. Heterogeneous phase
transitions due to /magnetic/ effects in alloys.
/Plasticity/ of iron solid solutions. Thermomechanical
treatment of electric sheets. /Mechanical properties/ and
structure of /bainitic steel/s with low carbon content.
/Creep structural changes/ in coated nickel-alloys with high
strength at high temperatures. Quantitative
/metallography/. Calculations of /internal stress/es,
considering also transformation processes. Kinetics and
morphology of /precipitation/, /coarsening/ and
/spheroidisation/. Interaction between precipitation and
deformation at high temperatures (/creep/, /metal fatigue/)
Hot galvanization of /silicon steel/s.

4. PHYSICAL METALLURGY

Finite element analysis of /creep deformation/ in crack
vicinity. /Crack tip opening displacement/ (CTOD) in elastic-
plastic materials. /Creep crack growth/ measurement. Theory
of creep crack growth in metallic materials under /constant
loading/ or /cyclic loading/. Model for the /cracking of
oxide scales/ on creeping metals. Sequence effects during
/fatigue cracks/ initiation in various steels
Formation mechanism of extrusion-intrusion-pairs during
cyclic loading. Calculation of characteristic /dislocation
distribution/s in /fatigue hardening/ pure metals.
/Hydrogen embrittlement/ at extremely low hydrogen pressure.
Calculation of /hydrogen distribution/ in the vicinity of
the crack tip under un-equilibrium conditions

/Hydrogen permeation measurements/ in iron silicon crystals.
Hydrogen embrittlement in nickel. Determination of lattice
constants using X-ray measurement/ at high temperatures
5. METALLURGICAL CHEMISTRY:
/Grain boundary segregation/ of phosphorus and tin in iron.
Grain boundary segregation and mechanical properties of
steels. /Creep embrittlement/ of Fe-Cr-Ni-steels by tramp
elements. Effects of segregated nonmetal atoms on the iron
self diffusion in grain boundaries (metastable inclusion).
Sliding modes of nonmetal atoms at interfaces of iron (ESCA-
studies)
Silicon /surface segregation/ on iron single crystals. Oxygen
surface segregation on metal and oxides. Measurements of
hydrogen adsorption on surfaces and fracture surfaces of
iron-silicon alloys and nickel by contact potential
differences. /Surface properties/-. Influence of surface
and grain boundary segregation on the corrosion of iron and
steel.
"Thin passive films" on /stainless steel/s. AES and ESCA-
investigations of passive films on stainless steel and of
/oxide layers/. Kinetics of methane-transformation by
carbon dioxide on iron as a catalyst. Kinetics of the
/carburization/ of iron and casehardening steels in
methano-nitrogen. Kinetics of carburization and
decarburization of iron, /ferro nickel/ and nickel in CH₄-H₂
/Steam/ite oxide deposition/ from gas atmospheres on iron,
nickel, and alloys. Effects of sulphur additions and oxide
layers at low pressures of /carbon monoxide/, methane and
CH₄-H₂. Creep and corrosion of alloys in corrosive
atmospheres. Structural changes of alloy by /high
temperature creep/ and /high temperature corrosion/
Bulk and grain boundary diffusion; /stress corrosion/; effect
of nitrogen; /off-shore structures/; /crack extension/; in
sea water; /hydrogen binding energies/ in iron and steel;
electrochemical influences; /strain direction/; /ispiration/
AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES
steel making
/Continuous casting/
Steel rolling
ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES
mechanical testing
Chemical testing
Corrosion

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AREAS OF INTEREST
Iron and steel industry, metallurgy

CURRENT PROJECTS, 1901-02:

ONE and FUEL BENEFICIATION: Energy saving for grinding by
addition of minor amount of /surfactants/, properties of
the produced fines to find out their suitability for actual
usage

DIRECT REDUCTION: analysing physico-chemical reactions in
/rotary kiln/ process based on mathematical and other
/theoretical modelling/ studies

IRON MAKING:
Analysis of /blast furnace/ process: mathematical model of
the process to determine response time of the process for
any fluctuations in input variables
Analysis of INRED, ELRED and PLASMA MELT (/plasma
processes/); mathematical and other models to develop a
better understanding of the process and to determine its
suitability under Indian conditions

STEEL MAKING:
Equilibrium model of steel making processes: temperature and
composition of bath as a function of time if slag, metal
and gas are in global equilibrium or in restricted

equilibrium
/Electro-slag refining process/: analysing physico-chemical
aspects using low temperature models, characteristics of
ingots produced by E-S-R, techniques

CUMMINDION and ENERGY SAVING: optimum /rolling techniques/
load /soaking temperature/ to minimize the total energy

consumed during rolling
AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES
Direct reduction
Iron making
Steel making

Combustion and energy saving

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AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy

CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

Experimental /BLAST FURNACE/, appropriate technology of iron making suited to the characteristics of /local raw materials/ referring particularly to coal quality, iron ore, /fluxes/, etc. Coal-gasification and /materials saving/.

Coke oven and by-product units in steel plants
/CONVERTER BLOWING/ in converter steel making operation, appropriate technology incorporating concurrent blowing from top and bottom in steel making converter to optimize productivity and increase converter lining life

/Agglomeration/ of ore fines, technology for /cold bounded pellets/

/Injection techniques/: /coal injection/, /lime dust injection/ into blast furnace and /desulfurization/, /deasiliconization/ of hot metal outside blast furnace

Twin Hearth technology, /oxidation/, secondary steel making and casting, extended arc melting (/arc furnace/)

Systems for cooling to minimize roll wear/ (/cooling conditions/), /cold rolling/ studies to improve surface quality, shape and tolerance; introduction of roll lubricants in /hot rolling/ mills

Low alloy /high strength steels/ (HSLA steels), /boron/-treated cold-rolled deep drawing /steel sheet/, special grades of /ferritic stainless steels/, substitution of /molybdenum/ in /bearing steels/, /weld-wire/ for spirally welded pipes

Steel plant refractory qualities and practices, /lance coating technology/ for /ladle injection/
Energy saving: improving the performance of burners, burning fuel, heat exchangers, efficient utilisation of fuel

/Instrumentation/ and control systems
Fracture and /failure analysis/ of /structural steels/ and /pipeline steels/, /rupture toughness/ techniques, /high temperature deformation/ of steels, /abrasion resistant/ materials for components of steel plant equipment, /dual phase steel/ for automotive applications, /creep resistant steels/, material characterization

Coatings and suitable techniques for corrosion resistance of structural steels, /mechanical properties/ at high temperature and in hostile environment; corrosion resistance of /gas pipeline/s/, /stress corrosion cracking/ analysis

AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES

Iron ore and fuel /beneficiation/

Sintering

/Pelletizing/

Coke making

Direct reduction

Iron making

Steel making

/Continuous casting/

Steel casting

/Vacuum degassing/

Steel rolling

Combustion and energy saving

SERVICES, UTILITIES

/Instrumentation/ and process control

Quality control and materials testing

ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES

Corrosion

/Super duty materials/

JOINT PROJECTS WITH:

Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, BARC, India

Central Ferrous Metallurgical Research Institute,

TSNICHERMET, USSR

British Steel Corporation, UK

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BUDGET 1981: \$1,000,000

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy

CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

Ferrous alloys (/ferro manganese/, /ferro silicon/, etc.): appropriate technology for processing /local raw materials/ including feasibility study

Small scale /blast furnace/ using charcoal for production of /pig iron/

Appropriate technology for small scale cement plant producing cement of medium quality

Treatment of iron and nickel bearing /laterite/

/Beneficiation/ and processing of copper sulfide of Kuroko-type deposit ores from Sulawesi

Processing of /sulfide ores/ by /sulphatic roasting/ process

JOINT PROJECTS WITH:

National Institute for Pollution and Resources, Japan

Department of Mineral Science and Technology, Kyoto

University, Japan

Department of Metallurgy, Kyoto University, Japan

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AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy
CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:
Physical and mechanical metallurgy
Extractive metallurgy
Ferrous and non-ferrous metallurgy

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BUDGET 1981: \$20,000,000

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy

CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

Reliability and evaluation of /strength/ of steels under various environmental and /loading conditions/ Long term /fatigue tests/ of /structural steel/ under natural, corrosive and high temperature environments, with the agreed testing methods and specimens. Damage rule and prediction method of material life are established on the basis of fatigue mechanism studies
Refining of /pig iron/ containing /niobium/ and some other elements: combined production process of valuable metals, e.g. niobium, tantalum, and a high quality steel from a complex Chinese iron ore

Atmospheric corrosion of metals and alloys: estimating the corrosion rate of bare metals and alloys and improving surface coating processes

MATERIALS DEVELOPMENT:

/Superconductivity/ and /cryogenic/ materials
/Reactor materials/, /austenitic stainless steel/, /aluminium alloys/, surface coatings
Iron-titanium-oxygen alloys for hydrogen storage: /metal hydride/
/High temperature stable/ /gas turbine steels/
Sea-water resistant /high strength steels/ with high /toughness/ for /off-shore structures/, /fracture mechanics/ and /mechanical properties/ of those steels
/Thermoelements/ with high performance and extended lifetime for direct conversion of heat energy into electricity

PROCESS ENGINEERING:

Preventing pollution by water-soluble acids: /metal recovery/ from /waste water/ by metal suspension electrolysis
/Materials saving/ by recycling of automobile metal scrap, energy saving by direct reduction process: direct reduction furnace; usage of new metal resources
Welding procedure: /welding robots/, shape and dimension of /welded joints/

MATERIALS RELIABILITY:

Mechanical strength of structural materials, /creep rupture test/, /creep test/, /creep metal fatigue/ test, /high temperature fatigue/ test, /rotating bending fatigue/ test
/Ultrasonic techniques/ for steel cracks in advanced nuclear power reactors
/Stress corrosion cracking/ and /corrosion fatigue/, /crack arrest/ in LWR materials
/Electron microscopes/ analysis

AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES

Iron making
Steel making
SERVICES, UTILITIES
Quality control and materials testing
ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES
Corrosion

JOINT PROJECTS WITH:

Beijing University of Iron and Steel Technology, China
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BUDGET 1981: 96,000,000

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy

CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

Organization of metallurgical institutes, trouble shooting,
feasibility studies and training in Angola, Brazil,

Argentina, Mexico, China and Peru

Ferrous alloys production and consumption in Pakistan

Feasibility studies and local iron ores application in

Cameroun

Production of tools and simple agricultural equipment in Laos

/Wire drawing/

Rolling

AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES

Iron ore and fuel /beneficiation/

Sintering

Iron making

Steel making

/Continuous casting/

/Vacuum degassing/

Steel rolling

Combustion and energy saving

SERVICES, UTILITIES

/Thermal utilities/

/Instrumentation/ and process control

Design and construction

Quality control and materials testing

/Waste treatment/ and recycling

Environmental control

ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES

Structural testing

Mechanical testing

Electrical testing

Chemical testing

Corrosion

/Super duty materials/

ECONOMIC ASPECTS, MANAGEMENT

Marketing

Recruitment and training

Rationalization and inventory

World trends

Feasibility study preparation

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AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy

/Foundry technology/

Nonferrous metals industry, casting of metals, welding

Chemical processing of coal and wood, charcoal, coke

Refractory materials industry

Linings for melting and heat treatment furnaces

Plasticity

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BUDGET 1981: 45,000,000

AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy
CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

/Ladle injection/ techniques
Manufacture technology for /aluminium alloys/ for aircraft
industry and /reactor materials/
Influence of certain factors (chemical analysis, including
residual elements content, structure and microstructure,
/internal stress/es, etc.) on corrosion resistance of
/austenitic stainless steel/s of chrome-nickel 18-8 and
chrome-manganese-nickel-nitrogen types
Hot and cold processing, heat treatment, adjustment and
control of titanium alloys used in aircraft and chemical
industries
Methods to determine sensitivity to /hydrogen embrittlement/
and /stress corrosion cracking/. Characterization of the
quality of hydrogen media resistant /steel plate/s
Change of the coal plastic phase characteristics in the
coking process
Obtaining and characterization of the various synthetic forms
of carbon, of /pyrocarbon/, /pyrographite/ and vitreous
carbon types
Adjustment and control of fuel tubes (shroud tubes) of
zirconium alloys for nuclear reactors
Extruding and finishing technology for complex shapes made of
steel and ferrous alloys
Manufacture of round and flattened wires from silicon and
resistant steels and alloys (/steel wire/)
Improving /fatigue strength/ of oil /drill pipes/: improving
quality of the AISI 4330 /stainless steel/
Stainless and special steel making procedures
Steels with high stress corrosion cracking resistance,
rolling of flat products made of stainless and heat
resisting steels
Interaction between /plasticity/ /metal forming/ and
/fracture mechanics/ in the process of /hot plastic
forming/ of stainless steels
Methods for complete burning of liquid and solid fuels in the
/blast furnace/. Deoxidization and aluminium bearings steel
alloying procedures. Improving quality of carbon and
converter alloyed steels by establishing the process in the
converter and the steel treatment outside the furnace.
Manufacture technology for special quality silicon
transformer steel
Reduction of coke consumption. /Hot rolling/, /rolling
techniques/ for /silicon steel/, etc.
Energy saving, /materials saving/, /metal recovery/,
microalloyed steels for dynamically stressed welded
structures
AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES
Iron ore and fuel /beneficiation/
Sintering
/Pelletizing/
Coke making
Direct reduction
Iron making
Steel making
/Continuous casting/
Steel casting
/Vacuum degassing/
Steel rolling
Combustion and energy saving
SERVICES, UTILITIES

Transport and materials handling
/Thermal utilities/
/Electrical utilities/
/Instrumentation/ and process control
Design and construction
Quality control and materials testing
/Waste treatment/ and recycling
Environmental control
ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES
Structural testing
Mechanical testing
Electrical testing
Chemical testing
Corrosion
/Super duty materials/
ECONOMIC ASPECTS, MANAGEMENT
Costing
Marketing
Financing
Manning and organization
Recruitment and training
Rationalization and inventory
Raw materials procurement
Equipment procurement
World trends
Feasibility study preparation

JOINT PROJECTS WITH:

CENIMET, Torino
NISSHIN Steel Company, Japan
NISSHO IWAJ Corporation, Japan
VOEST-Alpine, Austria
Royal Institute for Metallurgical Research
Metallurgical Research Institute, TMIICENNET, USSR
Metallurgical Research Institute, CHIKOMEX, USSR
Institute for Metallurgical Research, VASCUT, Budapest,
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AREAS OF INTEREST:

Metallurgy, iron and steel industry

SPECIFIC PROJECTS 1981-82:

Use of iron ores: optimizing of highly intensive /magnetic/
separation, substitution of oil by coal in pelletization,
structural analysis in minerals and conglomerates

Nonferrous metals extraction

Science and technique of metals and their corrosion

CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

/Ladle injection/: /injection lance/, light, adapted to
function at 1450 degrees Celsius

Energy saving during sinter processing, prolonged ignition,
preheated charge, sinter in double bed, etc.

Combustion study in /lance nozzles/ zone

Heat recovery from waste gases of electric furnace

/Coal injection/ in /blast furnace/

AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS:

TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES

Iron ore and fuel /beneficiation/

Sintering

Coke making

Iron making

Steel making

Combustion and energy saving

SERVICES, UTILITIES

/Thermal utilities/

Quality control and materials testing

ENGINEERING, TESTING, PROCEDURES

Structural testing

Mechanical testing

Chemical testing

Corrosion

JOINT PROJECTS WITH:

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AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy

CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

Influence of sintering atmosphere on material properties of
sintered steel parts

Temperature distribution and /flow pattern/ of the /liquid
steel/ in the moulds during continuous casting of steel

Influence of phosphorous on the properties of low-alloy steels

Criteria for service-life increase of /high temperature
stable/ steels used for power equipment

Influence of /porosity/ on the /mechanical properties/ of
sintered steel

/Rare earths/ addition to /stainless steel/s, their influence
on corrosion, /metal oxidation/ and creep properties

Properties of /tool steel/s

Analysis, measurement and application of flow pattern.

Including /thermo-mechanics/ and recrystallisation

ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY:

/X-ray measurement/, /scanning methods/ for detecting trace
elements, spectrophotometry

STRUCTURAL METALLURGY:

/Creep/: /creep rupture test/ of /ferritic stainless steel/s
and /austenitic stainless steel/s, /microstructural

properties/, creep behaviour of /welded joints/, /thermal
fatigue/ of steels for /hot rolling/ and continuous casting

equipment, /strain rate measurement/ to determine residual
life of creep deformed materials

Hot working: /high temperature deformation/, correlation of
flow behaviour and microstructure evolution, /microalloyed

steel/s, /copper alloys/, austenitic stainless steel,
/aluminium alloys/, /high speed steel/, /austenite-ferrite-

transformation/, /grain refining/, extruding, /dual phase
steel/, /grain boundary segregation/

Cold /metal forming/: dual phase steels for the automobile
industry, /ductile fracture/ with particular reference to

/wire drawing/ (/drawing defects/); influence of different
alloying additions, /annealing/ temperatures and cooling

rates on the mechanical properties

In situ experimentation by /electron microscopes/. Analysis
of /cavity nucleation/, /cavity growth/ and /cavity

linkage/ around /inclusions/ and their role in the ductile
failure of wire (/failure analysis/)

/Metallography/

MECHANICAL METALLURGY:

/Strength/, ductility, fatigue properties, /toughness/,
/formability limits/ and machinability

/Quenched steel/s and /tempered steel/s: influence of
residuals on properties, metal scrap based steelmaking

particularly for /steel strip/ /high strength steels/,
tolerable limit of phosphorous in different steels (non-

metallic inclusion)

Tool steels: vacuum heat treatment, influence of /slow
cooling/

High speed steels: Influence of carbide characteristics on
properties

Welding: microstructural properties of welds and heat-

affected zones; sulfide /stress corrosion cracking/;
interaction between micro-inclusions, microstructure and

mechanical properties in weld metal; /high temperature
cracking/ in weld metal of austenitic stainless steels,
/tensile testing/

SOLIDIFICATION and CASTING:

/Steel solidification/: Industrial grain refining by

/Innoculation/, effective nucleants thermodynamically stable under prevailing melt conditions; /cooling conditions/
Continuous casting of steel: conditions prevailing in the moulds, e.g. function and properties of /mould powder/ and frictional forces between strand and mould
Reaction between solid and liquid metals: elements /diffusor/ from liquid phase to solid metal: hot gas/vulcanization and the silicon problem, /soldering/ of wire
Powder metallurgy: effects of /impurities/ compounds, /materials saving/ by using less pure raw materials when producing semifinished products

IMPRESSION:
Microstructure and /stainless steel/
Corrosion fatigue: /protective film/s, /pitting potential/ in connection with applied loads, /crack extension/, /fatigue cracks/
Passivity or dissolution of stainless steels: /electrochemistry/, /strain corrosion/, borides and substitution of nickel and chromium by other alloy elements
AREAS FOR JOINT PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES

Continuous casting/
ENGINEERING, TESTING PROCEDURES
Structural testing
Mechanical testing
Chemical testing
Corrosion

JOINT PROJECTS WITH:
STAFRAM, Besençon, France
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AREAS OF INTEREST

Iron and steel industry, metallurgy

CURRENT PROJECTS, 1981-82:

Development of the Process and Quality Control System of the Turkish Karabük Iron and Steel Works

Blast furnace/ operation optimization: mathematical /theoretical modeling/ of a blast furnace in one of the Turkish integrated steel plants (probably "Eregli") with a computer programme on heat and material balance of the furnace, maximum productivity, minimum coke rate, and iron ore pricing

X-ray measurement/, /scanning methods/, /electron microscopes/

Thermal properties

Magnetic properties

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