

Kutch Chemicals inks contract for caustic soda plant with thyssenkrupp

thyssenkrupp Industrial Solutions (India) has won a contract from Kutch Chemicals Limited, the Gujarat-based speciality chemicals major, for its grassroots 421 tpd (100% NaOH) membrane cell caustic soda-chlorine facilities in Kutch, Gujarat. thyssenkrupp will provide engineering services, construction supervision services and supply proprietary equipment for the new facility. Start-up of the plant is scheduled for March 2019.

The plant will deploy thyssenkrupp's leading membrane cell technology which is at work across a majority of Indian caustic soda installations. At the heart of the plant will be the group's latest zero-gap, energy and emission-friendly 6B Generation Cell Elements from thyssenkrupp Uhde Chlorine Engineers, a worldwide supplier of leading technologies and comprehensive solutions for high-efficiency electrolysis plants.

The scope of services includes basic and detail engineering, project management services including technical procurement, proprietary supplies, supervision during civil and structural erection work as well as supervision services during start-up, commissioning and performance test run.

Kutch Chemicals proposes to use the chlorine manufactured in the plant for its speciality chemicals, while it will sell the caustic soda over the counter. The flagship company of the Goyal Group of Industries, which is amongst India's leading speciality chemicals players, is engaged in the manufacturer of a variety of speciality products involving chlorination, nitration, sulfonation, hydrogenation, ethoxilation and ammonolysis processes. It boasts a global footprint with markets in more than 30 countries worldwide.



Mr PD Samudra, MD & CEO, thyssenkrupp Industrial Solutions (India) exchanges a copy of the signed agreement with Mr. Shival Goyal, Chairman and Mr. Jay Prakash Goyal, Director-Finance/Commercial of Kutch Chemicals in the presence of Mr PN Ojha, Executive Director, and other officials from the two companies

thyssenkrupp Industrial Solutions is well-recognized in India and abroad for plants for the production of caustic soda, chlorine and chlorine derivatives. Over 70 percent of the caustic soda-chlorine installed membrane cell capacities in India are based on the company's proprietary bipolar single-element design membrane cells that are environment-friendly, long-lasting, energy-efficient and cost-effective.

About us:

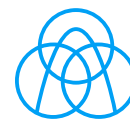
The Industrial Solutions business area of thyssenkrupp is a leading partner for the engineering, construction and service of industrial plants and systems. Based on more than 200 years of experience we supply tailored, turnkey plants and components for customers in the chemical, fertilizer, cement, mining and steel industries. As a system partner to the automotive, aerospace and naval sectors we develop highly specialized solutions to meet the individual requirements of our customers. Around 21,000 employees at over 70 locations form a global network with a technology portfolio that guarantees maximum productivity and cost-efficiency.

The Electrolysis & Polymers Technologies business unit combines decades of engineering know-how and leading technologies in the fields of electrolysis, polymers, bio-polymers, base chemicals, as well as gas and high-pressure technologies. Our product range also includes innovative storage solutions for the growing renewables sector. We translate our extensive knowledge of processes and plant design into cost- and resource-efficient solutions and expert service for customers around the world.

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