



Successful implementation of APC at Abu Dhabi Gas Industries (GASCO) facilities in the UAE

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IPCOS and GASCO are pleased to announce the successful implementation of Advanced Process Control (APC) solutions on GASCO's gas processing facilities at Habshan-0, 1, 2, Bab and ASAB-0. This large project was handled by IPCOS as a turnkey project over the last 3 years and was split into two phases. The final phase of this project was completed in January 2014. All Performance guarantees provided to GASCO have been significantly exceeded. The project has also been delivered on time and within budget, with no change orders.

"This project has been executed to the satisfaction of GASCO management and implemented to the very high specifications and requirements of our gas processing facilities" remarked Mr. Ahmed Shams, Engineering and Technical Services Vice President at GASCO. "We have been very fortunate to have worked with a very professional and committed organisation and a large part of the project success has come from the close co-operation and co-ordination between IPCOS and GASCO" said Sam Dhaliwal, Managing Director of IPCOS (UK) Ltd. "This project has demonstrated the strength of IPCOS's APC implementation services and the fast payback that is possible" he added.



About IPCOS

IPCOS specialises in providing software implementation products and services for the fast deployment of Advanced Process Control (APC) and real-time optimisation applications in the oil, gas and chemicals industries. These include APC, process operations analysis, benefit studies, application maintenance and APC training services. The IPCOS team has significant experience managing large, complex projects and satisfying multiple stakeholders. IPCOS also develop and license the INCA suite of software products. IPCOS has a strong history in providing expert consultancy and bespoke solutions for the upstream market. The services and solutions provided by IPCOS to upstream clients have resulted in improved oil recovery.



About GASCO

GASCO is a joint venture between the Abu Dhabi National Oil Company (ADNOC), Shell, Total, and Partex, and the integration of ATHEER (a wholly owned ADNOC Company). GASCO is an operating Company engaged in the extraction of Natural Gas Liquids (NGL) from associated and natural gas. With a process capability of 5,500 million standard cubic feet of feed gas (MMSCFD) per day and producing 285,000 barrels of condensate, 4,500 tonnes of sulphur and 28,000 tonnes of NGL per day, GASCO is currently one of the largest gas processing companies in the world. GASCO's priority is to maximize production in the most cost effective manner, while maintaining the highest possible standards of industrial safety and protection of the environment.

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