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Ways to energy efficiency for the metall and paper industry

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Demand for Energy in the industry

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Energy Demand in German Economic Sectors Distribution of Final Energy Consumption (2007)



- Industry
 Transport
 Households
- Trade and Service





Energy Demand in the German Industry (2007) Final Energy Consumption for Industrial Applications



- Mechanical Energy
- Space Heating
- Other Process Heat
- Hot Water





Energy Demand in the German Industry (2007) Energy Sources by Fields of Application



in percentage





Primary Energy Consumption in Germany by Fuel Sources (2007)







Spain - Final Energy Consumption by sector (2007)



- Transport 🛾
- Industry
- Households
- Services, etc.





Primary Energy Consumption in Spain by Fuel Sources (2007)



- 🛯 Oil
- 🛯 Natural Gas
- 🛾 Coal
- Nuclear Energy
- Hydro Electric





German metal industry – key facts

- Initial situation
 - Energy costs in the metal industry are in the order of about 0.3% to 6% of the annual turnover
- Processes
 - Large range of processing methods and their combinations
 - Wide spectrum of various companies regarding processing steps, manufacturing facilities, production types, degree of mechanization
- Strategy for increasing energy efficiency
 - Reduction of energy demand
 - Optimization of energy application









Energy expenditure in the German metal industry (2008)



Bituminous coal

- Coke and coke breeze (dry)
- Heavy heating oil
- Natural gas , other gases

■Coke oven gas

■ Net purchased electricity





Energy expenditure in the German non-ferrous metal industry (2008)



Source: Rheinisch-Westfälisches Institut für Wirtschaftsforschung, Monitoringbericht 2008





Electricity demand in the German metal industry for selected processes



 Mechanical manufacturing
 Thermal manufacturing
 Compressor, heating

Surface treatment

■ Office, Lighting





German Pulp and Paper Industry – key facts

- Initial situation
 - The pulp and paper industry belongs to Germany's fifth largest industrial energy consumers
 - During the last years the share of energy costs relating to the turnover was approx. 10%
- Processes
 - Half-stock production (pulp, mechanical pulp or recycled fiber)
 - Stock preparation
 - Paper machine (Fourdrinier machine)
 - Finishing
- Strategy for increasing energy efficiency
 - Reduction of energy demand
 - Optimization of energy application







Source: energieagentur.nrw





Energy consumption in the German paper industry for different paper products







Energy consumption in the German paper industry for supply engineering







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Cleaner Production – a strategy for efficiency?

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Energy Efficiency by Cleaner Production

- Objective
 - Prevention or reduction of harmful environmental impacts by choice and optimization of a suitable production method

Ecological AND economical benefits

- Improvement of process flows
- Optimization of the use of resources
- Improvement of the emission situation
- Reduction of production costs
- Decreasing the quantities of waste and wastewater
- Proceeding
 - Coarse analysis = assessment of the actual state
 - Macro analysis = identification of potentials for improvement
 - Micro analysis = preparation of cleaner production measures





Cleaner Production in Electroplating Industry

- Initial situation
 - High water and energy consumptions for realizing optimum surfaces
- Proceeding
 - Examination of all relevant material flows and processes in a electroplating plant
- Results
 - Reduction of surface losses of the heating boilers by the installation of heat exchangers (reduction of energy use by 10%)
 - Optimization of a production line by improved process organization in the procedure of rinsing water (reduction of water and chemical use by 20%)
 - Reduction of the fresh water supply by rain water exploitation (coverage of fresh water share up to 80% by rain water)







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supply engineering – measures for energy efficiency

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Measures in the field of Supply Engineering I

- Lighting
 - Raise of the lights degree of effectiveness
 - Change of the geometric arrangement in the room
 - Adjustment of the lighting intensity and duration
- Compressed air
 - Check and removal of leakages
 - Optimal sizing of the compressors and pipes
 - Adapted processing of the compressed air
- Ventilation plants
 - Orientation towards actual requirements
 - Accomplishment of the plants
 - Geometric arrangement of airflow











Measures in the field of Supply Engineering II

- Cooling systems and air condition plants
 - Check of the required temperature level
 - Generation of process cooling with cooling towers or groundwater
 - Elimination of heat sources from air-conditioned areas
- Heating systems and thermal insulation
 - Measures for the heat recovery
 - Automatic regulation of heaters
 - Insulation of plants and buildings
- Electric motor
 - Choice of engines of a higher efficiency class
 - Use of speed regulated drives











Technology: lighting in a production hall

- Initial situation
 - Lights with white-coated trapezoid metal reflectors
 - Equipped with T8 lamps, 58W and conventional electrical ballast
- Energy efficiency measures
 - Lights with highly efficient reflectors
 - Daylight dependent lighting regulation
 - Replacement of conventional electrical ballast (KVG) by electronic (EVG)
- Saving potential
 - Energy: 970.000 kWh/a (72%)
 - Costs: 99274 USD
 - Invest: 180731 USD











Technology: leakage reduction in the compressed-air system

- Initial situation
 - 28% of the produced compressed-air was used in the compensation of leakage losses
- Energy efficiency measures
 - Reduction of leakages in the distribution networks, in the mountings and in the connecting pipes by 5% to 23%
 - Use of speed regulated compressors
 - Reduction of electricity consumption of the compressedair supply due to a better utilisation of the compressors
- Saving potential
 - Energy: 1.386.325 kWh/a (20%)
 - Reduction of emissions: 762 t CO₂/a







Technology: ventilation and air-conditioning

- Initial situation
 - An energy analysis detected a clear over-dimensioning as well as an improvement needy regulation at a building services installation

Energy efficiency measures

- Adjustment of supply and exhaust air quantities of the ventilation systems
- Requirements on heating, air conditioning and hygiene
- Reduction of the supply and exhaust air quantities
- Control of the supply and exhaust air levels
- Saving potential
 - Energy: 2.566.000 kWh/a
 - Costs: 252004 USD
 - Invest: 289551 USD









Technology: efficiency by applying used parts

- Initial situation
 - most technical innovations in modern vehicles within the electronics segment - a very dynamic market with short innovation cycle
 - obligation for supply by the automotive industry which hast to warrant the supply with technically unchanged spare parts



Goal

- investigation and assessment of the spare part supply strategies
- Result
 - installation of a system for the recovery and reprocessing of used parts as new spare part
 - development of a decision tool for the selection dependent from need of the optimal spare parts
 - supply strategy for the various product life cycles









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process engineering – measures for resource efficiency

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Technology: Optimization of a manufacturing method in the product development

Near net shape casting/forming

Machining from the solid



Manufacturing from a preformed blank

Source: demea (2010)

330 g





Technology: Optimization of a manufacturing method in the product development

- Initial situation
 - High share in machining waste
 - High tool wear
- Energy efficiency measures
 - Use of preformed blanks instead of solid materials
- Saving Potential
 - ▶ 50% lesser material waste
 - Lesser tool wear due to lower machining forces
 - Gain of efficiency by reducing the handling times
 - ≥ 2.370.000 € saving potential









Conclusions

- Demand for energy in the industry
- Cleaner Production a method for establishing efficiency
- Several examples for energy efficiency in the field of supply engineering







Thank you for your attention!

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