# TEMO-STPP project Hybrid Test rig for a Solar-Thermal Power Plant (STPP)

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### <u>Outline</u>

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### 1st alternative: Direct-Heating STPP



7 min. Animation
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### 2st alternative: 2-circuit (oil+water) STPP

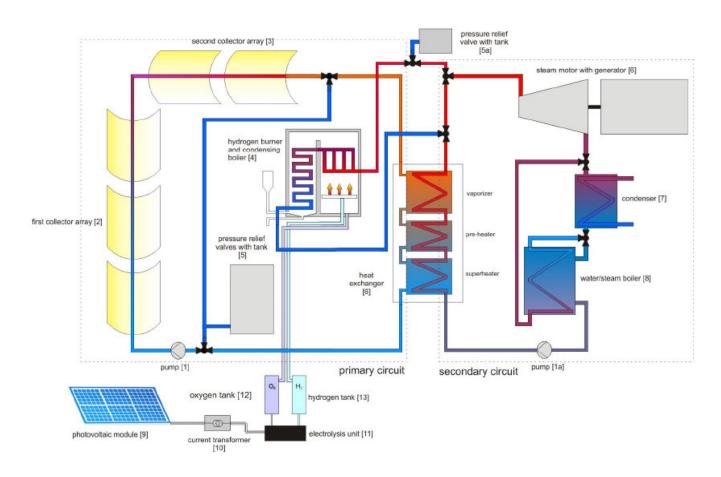
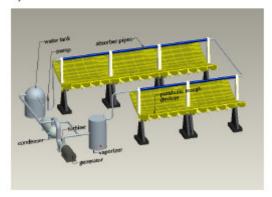


Figure 5-5: Sketch of the two circuit system

## International Facilities – part 1

### Karlsruhe, Germany

(VaEf, TEMO)

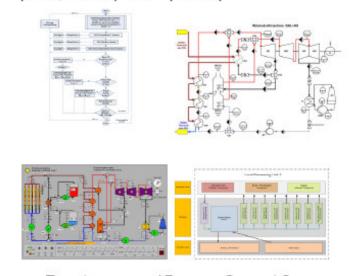


Computerbased Construction 2006 - 2009

Karlsruhe, Ras Nhache,

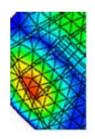
Germany Lebanon

(VaEf, TEMO) and (MEAE)



Development of Process Control System

## International Facilities – part 2

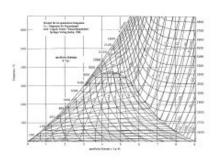


Numerical Simulation:

Ras Nhache,

Lebanon

(MEAE)



Computational Fluid Dynamics (CFD)

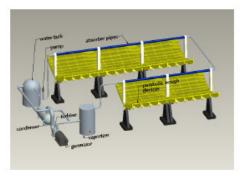


(Picture from Spain). Similar to this shall be inscha Allah the MEAE Test Stand

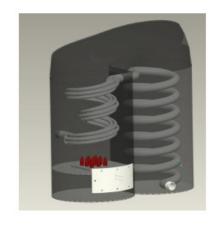
Isparta, Turkey

(Assembly Starting planned in August 2010)

## Actual opportunities for student works – part 1



ProE Model of the Direct Heating Teststand



Heater (vaporizer) and Condensing boiler

In the context of the VaEf/MEAE - TEMO project "Modeling and construction of a two-circuit-STPP", following work packages will be concerned as a student research project (master thesis or bachelor thesis):

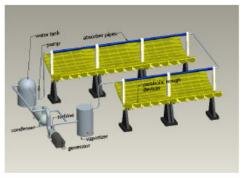
#### Student research project (Master thesis or bachelor thesis)

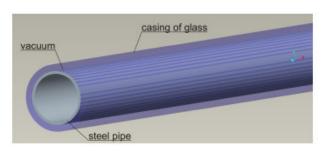
Detailed Construction and stress analysis of a Stadtgas-Heater for a Test plant for a Solarthermal Powerplant (STPP)

Based on the previous results of the project following operations have to be done:

- 1. Learning the programs Pro Engineer 2.0 and Abaqus
- 2. Refining the existing design of the heater and producing all relevant files for production
- 3. Defining material
- 4. Undergoing stress analysis with the finite element (FEM) tool Abaqus

## Actual opportunities for student works – part 2





ProE Model of the Direct Heating Teststand

Absorption Pipe

In the context of the VaEf/MEAE - TEMO project "Modeling and construction of a two-circuit-STPP", following work packages will be concerned as a student research project (master thesis or bachelor thesis):

#### Student research project (Master thesis or bachelor thesis)

Modeling of water flow through an solar absorption pipe in a direct heating test rig for a Solarthermal Powerplant (STPP)

Based on the previous results of the project following operations have to be done:

- 1. Learning the program FreeCFD
- Modeling of the absorption pipe, which is from an Austrian company based on the former ProE model
- 3. Defining material
- 4. Undergoing CFD with the linux based program FreeCFD

Keywords: CFD (Computational Fluid Dynamics), Solar energy

### Further information

## For further information concerning the TEMO-STPP project see:

<u>www.vaef.de</u> (Verein für alternative Energieforschung e.V., Karlsruhe) <u>www.aecenar.com/institutes/meae</u>

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