CoRe Pro B.V

Lab- & pilot-scale equipment

Catalytic (hydro-)Pyrolysis Unit (CPU)

This patented unit offers a solution for pyrolysis of solid and/or liquid renewable feedstock (either waste or model compound) using a heterogeneous catalyst *via* an *in-situ* or *ex-situ* approach under N_2 at an atmospheric pressure (catalytic pyrolysis) or under H_2 at a high pressure (catalytic hydro-pyrolysis).

Introduction

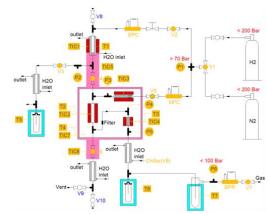
Catalytic upcycling circular carbon such as lignocellulosic biomass or plastics, contributes to a circular (bio-)economy. R&D is often performed in a lab- & pilotscale unit, requiring:

- a universal feeding of solids and liquids (preferably in a continuous manner);
- collection of all the gaseous, liquid, and solid products for mass/carbon balance and offline qualification/quantification;
- 'catalytic reaction catalyst regeneration' cycles for catalyst life-time and regenerability;
- an operation at high temperatures and pressures.

Functionality

A standard catalytic (hydro-)pyrolysis unit (**CPU**) includes:

- two pneumatic locking systems, which separate the pretreatment reactor, pyrolysis reactor, and solid residue collection;
- a catalytic upgrading
- a 3-stage condensation system, which condenses and separates gaseous and liquid products;
- a front and back pressure controlling system, which maintains the pressure. system;



A schematic diagram of CoRe Pro - CPU system.

Control

An integrated controlling system including a programmable logic controller (PLC) and a human-machine interface (HMI) enables an automatic operation with good reliability and repeatability. A unique transport of the solid feedstock and separation of the solid residue enables (semi-)continuous operation. The pneumatic switching systems enable rapid and timely processing and product collection.



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Catalytic (hydro-)Pyrolysis Unit (CPU)

Specification of a standard CPU*	
Feedstock	 Solid (10 - 50 g/h, (semi-continuous) Liquid (10 - 100 g/h, (continuous)
Gas	$N_2 \text{ or } H_2 (20 - 100 \text{ ml/h})$
Catalyst	Solid (particle size of 300 - 500, 800 - 1000 μm, 5 - 20 g)
Pretreatment reactor	25 °C - 250 °C
Pyrolysis reactor	400 °C - 600 °C
Catalysis reactor	400 °C - 600 °C
Reaction pressure	1 - 60 bar
Condensation	3-Stage condensation (from -40 °C to 5 °C)

- A solution for the integration of a customized CPU to your existing catalytic conversion system can be offered. This provides an additional feed line for the co-conversion of circular carbon to circular products;
- A solution for the integration of an in-situ or operando analysis system to a standard/customized CPU can be offered.
- Various circular carbon such as waste plastics, sludge, sawdust, and non-edible vegetable oil, and the pyrolysis protocols can be offered to catalyst players for testing the refinery catalyst for the (co-)conversion of circular carbon;
- Various state-of-the-art refinery catalysts such as zeolite and E-cat, and the modified catalysts can be offered to bio-refinery for testing the circular carbon for the (co-)production of circular (bio-)based fuels and chemicals.

Options

* A customized CPU can be designed and offered upon request.



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