Synergistic Integration of Energy Systems and Closed-Loop Manufacturing Systems

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#### Outline

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- Summary/Conclusions

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## **Premise for Integration**

Systems/processes optimized to work together addresses the Nexus of Energy, Water, Climate, Food, and Waste

- The "whole" is worth more than some of the "parts"
  - Synergy obtained from a "systems of systems" approach
- "Smart Systems" can create "Smart Solutions"
- "Value" as a driver—not absolute "cost"
  - Value Propositions:
    - > High Efficiency (i.e., Thermal, Economic)
    - > High Reliability and Resiliency
    - > Sustainability
    - Minimal water usage
    - > Low Emissions/Waste Minimization
    - Acceptable/Low Cost



## **Integrated Energy System**

- <u>Technical definition</u>: Two or more energy resources are utilized as inputs to two or more physically coupled subsystems to produce one or more energy commodities as outputs
- <u>Simpler definition</u>: Multiple energy resources combined together to produce one or more energy related products
- IES is not a technology, but integrated approach to applying technologies, "<u>systems of systems</u>"
- Co-locating, combining, interconnecting and/or networking of energy producers and energy users



## **IES by Different Names**

- **<u>Cogeneration</u>** (Traditional among technical people)
  - Usually thought of as a single energy resource producing two energy commodities
- <u>Combined Heat and Power (CHP)</u>
  - Natural Gas/Coal/Oil/Biomass to produce steam (process heat) for a chemical process and additionally generate electricity
- Hybrid Energy Systems
- <u>Combined Energy Systems</u>
- Polygeneration

#### **China & Polygeneration**



#### Coal chemical recycling economy demonstration park in Wuzhong City in Ningxia Providence



#### Closed-Loop Manufacturing (Industrial Symbiosis)





### **Process Heat Applications**



Utilize process heat at every temperature leve



### **Process Heat Usage**



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#### **Closed-Loop Cooling Water**

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Water is filtered and treated as it is recycled Wate

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Algae Pond

### **IES-CLM Complex Concept**



#### **Initial Phase of IES-CLM**



### **Additional Phases of IES-CLM**



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## **IES-CLM Potential Benefits**

- Effective resource management (Cost Savings)
  - Higher overall efficiency
  - Recycling of water and materials, including CO<sub>2</sub>
  - Better utilization of capital equipment and lower operating expenses
    - > Shared resources (e.g. infrastructure, facilities, personnel)
    - Shared processes (e.g. common/support systems)
- Use of local domestic and renewable resources
- Reduced waste and emissions
- Promotes sustainability on an industrial scale
- Industry collaboration and co-location
- Transformation of brownfield sites



#### Challenges

- Multiple organizations working together (Planning)  $\bullet$ 
  - Must integrate people before you can integrate systems
- Large Capital Investment (\$B's) ightarrow
- Security (investment protection) ightarrow
  - Potential terrorist target
- **Requires unique sites (Megasites)** 
  - Near energy and other natural resources
  - Intensive industrial and support infrastructure
- **Flexibility and resiliency** •
  - Dependent and independent operations
- Phased development and incorporation of new ightarrowtechnology





- IES-CLM is not a new concept or technology but an integrated approach for applying technologies
  - "Systems of Systems" approach focused on comprehensive synergistic integration
- IES-CLM provides opportunity to optimize efficiency and effective resource management

   Minimize cost and impact on the environment
- IES-CLM addresses the nexus of energy, water, climate, food, and waste on an industrial scale



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