

# FLUORINE TECHNOLOGY

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# **ARSENIC REMOVAL**

## BUSS ChemTech is recognized as the world leading technology supplier for fluorine chemicals.

In addition to our technologies for the production of Anhydrous Hydrogen Fluoride, we also have the know-how to remove arsenic from AHF.

"Low Arsenic" AHF is used as a raw material for the production of LIB electrolyte salt – (LiPF $_6$ ) in the lithium-ion battery supply chain.



The removal of arsenic components can be done with two different raw materials which act as an oxidation agent:

- Fluorine Gas (F<sub>2</sub>)
- Aqueous solution of potassium pergamanate (KMnO<sub>4</sub>)







Our experience allows us to offer plants with full operating guarantees.

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#### THIS RESULTS IN

- "Low Arsenic" AHF for producing LiPF<sub>6</sub>
- Plant capacities and product specifications tailored to your requirements
- Critical equipment manufactured to strictly controlled specifications
- Prolonged plant life and high productivity
- Optimized CAPEX and OPEX

## **RANGE OF SERVICES**

- Conceptual design
- · Feasibility studies
- Basic engineering design
- Key equipment supply
- Commissioning and start-up
- After sales service

#### **EXPECTED CONSUMPTION<sup>(1)</sup>**

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ATTRIBUTE	<b>F</b> 2 <sup>(2)</sup>	KMnO <sub>4</sub> <sup>(3)</sup>	UNITS
"High Arsenic" AHF (e.g. 40 ppm As)	1.001	1.012	mt
Oxidation agent	0.603 1.5 6.3	2.490 73.5 –	kg kg/kg(As) kg/kg(H₂O)
Electricity	4.3	12.0	kWh
Process water (for gaseous effl. treatm.)	110	110	kg
Cooling duty	1.87	3.24	GJ
Heating duty	1.87	3.10	GJ

<sup>(1)</sup> Values are per metric ton of "Low Arsenic" AHF produced

## **PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS**

ATTRIBUTE	F <sub>2</sub> <sup>(2)</sup>	KMnO <sub>4</sub> <sup>(3)</sup>	UNITS
AHF (min.)	99.99	99.98	wt-%
As (max.)	1	1	ppm
Water (max.)	10	80	ppm
Sulphuric Acid (max.)	25	30	ppm
FSA (max.)	40	40	ppm
Sulphur Dioxide (max.)	20	20	ppm

<sup>(2)</sup> Fluorine gas (F<sub>2</sub> 100 wt-%)

<sup>(3)</sup> Aqueous KMnO<sub>4</sub> solution (5 wt-%)