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Main coolant lines

Manufacturing of piping for operating plants and new nuclear projects

Framatome is the manufacturer of reference for the Primary Loop Components

Challenge

Main Coolant Lines are High Integrity and Nuclear Safety related Component and must comply with the requirements of applicable construction codes and regulations. The conformity has to be demonstrated at each step of manufacturing.

Solution

Located in Burgundy, Framatome's plants manufacture forged Main Coolant Lines (hot, cold, crossover legs) in stainless steel with the highest level of safety and quality standards. Full scope of responsibility:

- Design Engineering, Mechanical calculation and Licensing
- Manufacturing Engineering
- Prototyping and serial production
- Management of sub-contractors and suppliers
- In-house manufacturing and inspection (UT, X-Ray, pressure
- Worldwide transportation

Framatome relies on:

- Clean dedicated finishing workshop
- In-house production of forged parts with integrated nozzles
- Proven bending solution
- Narrow Gap Orbital TIG welding technology
- Welding of different type of nozzles

Customer benefits

- Safety and Quality Conformity
- Internationally trusted supplier with a proven experience
- · Specific workshop for stainless steel components
- · A plant managing the whole process (engineering, procurement, manufacturing and transportation)

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Technical information

Material: stainless steel

Hot leg: 6890 mm Cold leg: 7910 mm Crossover leg: 9360 mm

Ø Ext : 932 mm Ø Int: 780 mm

Hot leg: 12,4 tons Cold leg: 13,6 tons Crossover leg: 16 tons

150 bars Pressure 350 °C <u>Temperature</u>

Construction codes: RCC, ASME, AFNOR,

GHOST, SAE, ASTM International Regulations

Key figures

45 years of experience in manufacturing of heavy components for nuclear industry

2 230 m² dedicated workshop at Saint-Marcel Plant

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