

Figure 16 is a view of the slag-tap opening in the primary zone after test 34. This shows the comparatively small amount of erosion of the base refractory and slag-tap hole.

Figures 17 and 18 are views of the sidewall refractory in that zone after the same test. The eroded areas in the northeast sector of figure 17 and the southwest sector of figure 18 correspond to those shown in the cross section (fig. 10).

Figure 19 is a view of the bottom side of the throat between the primary and secondary zones. The reactant-injection burners are shown in the southwest and northeast sectors. It will be noted that the support coil in the throat is uniformly covered with refractory and slag and that no erosion occurred in the refractory at the points of burner entrance.

The buildup of fluffy fly ash on the platen coils in the upper part of the gasifier is shown in figure 20. This material was easily blown off and in large plant equipment, steam lances or soot blowers would keep the tubes clean. The deposit of ash on the sidewalls of the secondary zone has shown no tendency to build up past 1- or 2-inch thickness.

RESULTS

Principal results

Table 1 presents, in chronological order, the principal results through run 34 on atmospheric gasifier 4. Runs 1, 2, 3, 8, 27, and 32 have been omitted from the table because operating conditions were not satisfactory, and the numerical data obtained were of no value for design purposes. The first three (through run 3) proved useful for training personnel and testing equipment operation, especially for indicating advantages of two reactant burners over one, but were regarded as preliminary rather than data runs. Runs 8 and 32 were ended prematurely by failure of a reactant burner and a heat-trap coil, respectively, and run 27 was short because operation was not satisfactory with that burner design.

Sewickley-bed coal was used for all test runs, the finer size (90 percent minus-200-mesh) through run 18 and the coarser size (70 percent minus-200-mesh) beginning with run 19. The other reactants were steam and oxygen. The steam was superheated to about 1,000° F. through run 9 (except run 5), and again for runs 33 and 34, steam and oxygen were heated together to about 600° F. for runs 10 through 31, and the coal was heated to about 300° F. commencing with run 10. One reactant burner was used for runs 1 and 2 (not reported), and two reactant burners were used for all runs reported.

Column 1 gives the run number and the basis for calculating results. Single-period runs are designated by Arabic numerals, such as 7 for run 7. Separate lines are shown for individual periods and the overall averages of multiperiod runs, for example, lines 14A, 14B, 14C, and 14 for the three-period run 14. F indicates that items in columns 16, 18, 29 to 34, 47 to 52, and 62 are calculated from (or based on) carbon balances using product-gas flow data, R indicates that these items are calculated from carbon balances using residue data, and A indicates an average of flow and residue data. Except where only one basis was available, the method of selection, explained in footnote 1 to the table, depends on which basis gives the best agreement between calculated and reported coal requirements. For further details see footnote 1 under table 1.

TABLE I. - Principal results on pilot-plant atmospheric gasifier 4, runs 4 through 34*

Run No. (with basis for calculating results) ¹	Date of run (or period)	Reactant burner design ²	Duration (or period), hr.	Conditions								Input ratios			
				Raw- coal feed rate, lb./hr. ³	Process- steam input, lb./hr. ³	Process- oxygen input (100% std. c.f./hr.) ³	Coal inlet temper- ture °F.	Steam inlet temper- ture °F.	Oxygen inlet temper- ture °F.	Process steam, lb./lb. raw coal	Process oxygen (100%), std. c.f./lb. raw coal	Process steam, lb./lb. carbon in coal	Process oxygen (100%), std. c.f./lb. carbon in coal	Gasifier tem- perature, T.C. 13, below heat re- covery zone, in gas stream ⁴ , °F.	
												1	2	3	4
1	A	10/10/51	2	3.63	474	288	4,950	71	963	73	0.61	10.45	0.89	15.31	-
2	F	10/25/51	2	2.00	485	479	4,615	68	320	58	.99	9.51	1.36	13.16	-
3	F	10/30/51	2	5.53	491	500	4,480	78	875	70	1.02	9.12	1.41	12.62	-
4	A	12/11/51	2	6.00	516	478	4,520	75	1,055	69	.93	8.29	1.28	12.44	-
5	A	12/18/51	2	6.56	500	474	4,260	63	1,080	53	.95	8.57	1.31	11.80	1,985
6	A	2/29/52	3	6.00	462	448	4,345	315	530	530	.97	9.40	1.38	13.38	1,700
7	A	3/4/52	4	7.56	540	400	4,370	309	566	566	.74	8.09	1.05	11.51	1,860
8	A	3/1/52	4	6.00	521	300	4,210	297	562	562	.58	7.89	.82	11.22	1,800
9	A	4/22/52	5	6.00	490	558	4,980	311	678	678	1.14	10.16	1.60	14.25	out
10	F	4/24/52	5	2.00	473	450	4,620	304	622	622	.96	9.81	1.34	13.76	2,260
11	F	do.	5	2.00	473	500	4,580	302	618	618	1.06	9.72	1.49	13.64	2,370
12	F	do.	5	2.00	473	550	4,580	300	624	624	1.17	9.72	1.64	13.61	2,365
13	F	do.	5	2.00	473	500	4,580	302	622	622	1.06	9.72	1.49	13.67	2,315
14	A	4/29/52	5	2.00	329	350	3,490	297	591	591	1.06	10.61	1.49	14.68	2,360
15	F	do.	5	2.00	329	385	3,490	295	594	594	1.17	10.61	1.64	14.88	2,180
16	F	do.	5	2.00	329	370	3,300	296	603	603	1.12	10.03	1.57	14.07	2,395
17	F	do.	5	6.50	329	365	3,430	296	589	589	1.11	10.43	1.56	14.52	2,355
18	F	4/30/52	5	2.00	161	400	4,480	286	594	594	.86	9.66	1.21	13.34	2,400
19	F	do.	5	2.00	161	350	4,280	286	597	597	.75	9.19	1.06	12.79	2,385
20	F	do.	5	4.07	464	379	4,380	286	592	592	.82	9.14	1.15	13.24	2,385
21	R	4/30/52	5	2.37	342	256	2,990	297	555	555	.75	8.74	1.05	12.26	2,290
22	R	5/13/52	5	2.50	598	333	4,680	287	594	594	.56	7.83	.78	10.98	2,140
23	R	do.	5	3.00	355	280	3,110	304	618	618	.79	8.76	1.11	12.36	2,340
24	R	do.	5	3.00	355	210	3,455	304	616	616	.59	9.73	.83	13.73	2,330
25	R	do.	5	3.00	355	200	3,455	290	612	612	.59	8.76	.83	12.36	2,310
26	R	do.	5	12.00	355	245	3,280	300	618	618	.99	9.24	.97	13.03	2,280
27	F	5/14/52	5	4.00	348	280	3,375	307	620	620	.78	9.43	1.10	13.30	2,285
28	F	do.	5	3.00	358	210	2,790	295	598	598	.59	8.79	.83	10.99	2,080
29	F	do.	5	3.00	358	210	3,135	300	615	615	.59	8.76	.83	12.35	2,230
30	F	5/15/52	5	1.20	365	280	2,710	297	619	619	.77	7.42	1.08	10.47	2,000
31	F	5/14-15	5	11.20	360	215	3,000	300	613	613	.58	8.33	1.16	11.76	2,170
32	A	5/28/52	6	7.00	355	280	3,215	300	618	618	.79	9.05	1.11	12.79	2,045
33	F	6/3/52	4	4.00	545	330	4,300	291	614	614	.61	8.04	.86	11.35	2,060
34	F	do.	4	4.00	357	230	3,040	303	620	620	.59	8.92	.83	12.62	2,050
35	F	6/4/52	4	4.00	562	330	4,730	297	614	614	.59	8.42	.83	11.89	2,115
36	F	do.	4	4.00	352	210	2,840	307	621	621	.60	8.07	.84	11.40	2,190
37	F	do.	4	3.50	352	210	2,940	304	628	628	.60	8.35	.85	11.80	2,185
38	F	do.	4	3.50	549	330	4,060	290	645	645	.60	8.49	.85	11.99	2,380
39	F	do.	4	3.50	549	210	4,100	300	636	636	.60	8.01	.85	11.38	2,295
40	F	do.	4	2.70	362	210	2,820	308	613	613	.58	7.79	.82	11.00	2,290
41	R	6/3-4	6	20.20	454	270	3,725	299	628	628	.59	8.20	.84	11.59	2,200
42	R	6/5/52	6	3.00	568	275	4,470	302	622	622	.59	7.87	.88	11.12	2,300
43	R	6/17/52	6	6.00	600	300	5,385	265	613	613	.50	8.98	.70	12.50	2,395
44	R	6/18/52	6	6.00	597	240	5,110	278	630	630	.50	8.56	.56	11.92	2,335
45	R	6/19/52	6	6.00	597	300	5,125	285	667	667	.50	8.58	.70	11.95	2,390
46	R	6/19/52	6	5.00	600	240	5,360	265	633	633	.40	8.93	.56	12.44	2,485
47	R	6/19/52	6	7.00	621	240	5,110	262	644	644	.38	8.19	.54	11.41	2,270
48	R	6/19/52	6	6.00	624	300	5,090	261	671	671	.45	8.16	.57	11.36	2,345
49	R	6/19/52	6	6.00	627	500	5,035	265	642	642	.45	8.06	.57	12.25	2,360
50	R	6/17-19	6	42.00	610	274	5,170	283	644	644	.45	8.40	.63	11.82	2,295
51	F	7/29/52	7	2.00	627	195	5,080	269	584	584	.31	9.97	.43	11.31	2,310
52	F	7/31/52	7	2.00	479	300	4,475	273	569	569	.63	9.34	.39	12.25	2,230
53	F	do.	1.25	399	211	3,570	277	599	599	.53	8.95	.75	12.69	2,180	
54	F	do.	1.25	399	250	4,580	267	617	617	.50	8.98	.71	12.73	2,250	
55	F	do.	2.00	549	275	4,325	267	611	611	.50	8.56	.71	12.73	2,250	
56	F	do.	6.50	489	266	4,440	271	619	619	.54	8.58	.70	12.88	2,250	
57	F	do.	1.00	594	356	5,270	280	663	663	.50	8.70	.77	12.34	2,200	
58	F	do.	1.00	594	300	5,270	280	615	615	.51	8.99	.57	12.75	2,250	
59	F	do.	1.00	594	240	5,240	278	620	620	.50	10.05	1.13	14.27	2,230	
60	F	do.	.50	495	391	4,930	285	589	589	.82	9.09	.72	12.89	2,190	
61	F	do.	1.00	336	200	3,600	297	585	585	.51	8.98	.76	12.74	2,265	
62	F	do.	5.50	549	301	4,930	284	626	626	.53	8.40	.63	12.84	2,280	
63	R	8/14/52	6	1.75	399	230	3,330	293	585	585	.58	8.35	.62	11.84	2,120
64	R	do.	2.50	599	300	5,040	283	627	627	.50	8.41	.71	11.93	2,250	
65	R	do.	2.00	399	320	3,615	301	620	620	.80	9.06	1.13	12.82	2,220	
66	R	do.	2.50	598	480	5,380	295	662	662	.80	9.00	1.13	12.57	2,255	
67	R	do.	8.75	513	342	4,170	294	629	629	.67	8.71	.94	12.32	2,245	
68	R	8/21/52	6	3.00	599	300	4,835	280	618	618	.50	8.07	.74	11.37	2,275
69	R	do.	1.50	399	160	3,390	265	581	581	.50	8.50	.56	11.97	2,210	
70	R	do.	3.17	600	240	4,285	260	525	525	.40	8.31	.56	11.70	2,315	
71	R	do.	3.08	400	160	3,360	210	580	580	.40	8.40	.56	11.83	2,245	
72	R	do.	10.75	514	283	4,255	272	572	572	.43	9.28	.61	11.68	2,270	
73	R	10/3/52	9	2.00	405	280	3,565	282	541	541	.68	8.80	.95	12.14	2,215
74	R	do.	2.00	405	240	3,560	295	556	556	.59	8.79	.82	12.12	2,210	
75	R	do.	1.96	405	200	3,360	304	566	566	.49	8.30	.68	11.90	2,215	
76	R	do.	5.96	405	210	3,495	294	555	555	.50	8.64	.82	12.60	2,260	
77	R	10/7/52	9	5.83	407	160	3,390	301	563	563	.39	8.33	.54	11.49	2,125
78	R	11/10/52	9	5.00	457	229	3,925	236	485	485	.50	8.84	.71	12.60	2,125
79	F	11/13/52	9	66.00	466	227	4,080	284	547	547	.58	8.77	.66	12.45	2,110
80	F	to	34.00	465	270	4,085	293	541	541	.58	8.76	.82	12.37	2,135	
81	F	do.	10.00	466	315	4,085	28								

TABLE 1. - Principal results on pilot-plant atmospheric gasifier 4, runs 1 through 34 - Cont.

Run No. (with basis for calculating results)	Product-gas output, thousands of std. c.f./hr. ^b	Inert-gas input, thousands of std. c.f./hr. ^b	Product-gas flow through slag throat, thousands of std. c.f./hr.	(CO + H) output thousands of std. c.f./hr.	Product-gas analysis (as analyzed), percent ^c					Calculated net heating value of product gas, B.t.u./std. c.f.	Carbon in coal gasified, percent ^d			
					CO ₂		H ₂		CH ₄		Flow data			
					CO ₂	H ₂	CO	CH ₄	H ₂	CO ₂	CH ₄	H ₂	CO ₂	
1	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
4	A	14.80	-	11.93	16.4	34.6	46.0	3.9	2.0	252.9	0.75	92.5	92.1	92.3
5	F	14.14	-	2.33	10.14	21.6	38.7	33.0	1.4	239.2	1.17	72.0	36.0	36.5
6	F	14.33	-	2.55	10.79	22.7	32.3	35.3	1.4	244.2	1.13	71.3	30.5	77.4
7	A	15.89	-	2.13	12.68	35.2	38.2	35.9	1.2	240.1	1.04	86.5	36.2	83.4
9	A	15.02	-	3.76	11.16	19.6	39.3	35.0	1.6	229.8	1.10	76.2	74.7	75.1
10	A	14.44	0.20	2.73	10.82	22.2	37.4	31.2	1.1	236.5	1.00	85.5	84.1	84.8
11	A	15.22	.19	2.40	11.96	18.2	40.0	30.6	1.3	247.1	1.04	71.9	76.0	73.9
12	A	14.08	.42	2.73	11.23	14.9	39.3	40.8	1.9	235.7	.96	66.9	70.7	69.5
13	A	16.12	.18	1.85	12.11	22.2	38.2	35.8	1.1	237.6	1.04	86.5	90.9	85.7
14A	F	15.30	.47	2.42	11.75	15.6	38.6	36.8	1.2	244.6	.98	86.7	-	-
14B	F	15.83	.16	2.17	12.19	19.6	38.7	38.3	1.1	243.6	1.01	89.0	-	-
14C	F	15.90	.17	1.80	12.39	20.7	39.7	37.0	1.2	241.9	1.03	86.6	-	-
14	A	15.81	.17	2.15	12.13	26.0	38.6	36.0	1.2	243.3	1.02	88.0	90.2	89.4
15A	F	11.68	.13	.29	8.43	21.9	35.9	37.6	.8	229.4	.93	94.1	-	-
15B	F	11.34	.13	.56	8.79	23.2	35.2	37.4	.9	226.8	.96	91.8	-	-
15C	F	11.26	.12	1.82	8.19	23.1	35.2	36.5	.8	226.2	.99	92.2	-	-
15	A	11.26	.13	.70	8.23	22.9	36.3	37.0	.7	226.5	.95	92.3	92.0	92.4
16A	F	15.88	.19	2.19	12.13	17.9	37.1	40.1	1.0	239.1	.94	88.8	-	-
16B	F	15.41	.14	2.17	12.24	16.3	36.4	41.7	1.0	246.3	.98	87.0	-	-
16	A	15.69	.14	2.11	12.03	17.3	37.8	40.8	1.0	242.5	.93	87.6	85.9	86.9
17	R	10.63	.14	2.10	9.50	15.2	36.9	44.2	.9	251.9	.84	88.2	93.2	85.7
10	A	16.94	.15	2.51	3.70	14.5	35.1	42.6	1.9	253.1	.92	73.6	79.4	73.0
19A	F	10.70	.17	2.17	8.40	18.1	36.0	39.7	1.3	249.6	.98	86.2	84.0	85.0
19B	F	11.53	.17	-	9.35	15.9	36.0	45.1	1.0	247.2	.80	22.5	89.6	90.0
19C	F	11.56	.17	2.11	8.93	17.1	37.2	40.8	1.0	246.0	.91	85.3	87.9	85.6
19D	F	10.74	.17	2.49	8.67	15.7	37.0	33.7	1.6	252.4	.99	81.3	87.1	86.3
19	F	11.10	.17	2.30	8.65	16.8	37.3	42.4	1.1	251.7	.80	37.7	87.6	86.3
20A	F	10.89	.23	2.15	8.45	16.3	37.0	39.8	1.0	244.4	.95	86.6	86.7	84.8
20B	F	9.92	.20	2.01	7.53	15.4	38.0	40.9	1.0	259.6	.95	71.5	77.5	74.4
20C	F	10.84	.20	2.03	8.38	14.8	37.9	42.4	1.0	256.4	.86	61.2	84.9	83.0
20D	F	9.26	.26	1.56	9.96	19.1	30.4	34.6	1.3	243.6	1.15	53.5	69.6	66.5
20	F	10.22	.24	2.12	8.05	16.9	38.8	39.9	1.2	246.8	.97	73.5	80.1	77.0
21	A	11.61	.32	1.67	9.06	17.2	36.4	39.4	.8	242.3	.93	63.6	63.2	84.6
22A	F	15.17	.34	2.72	18.33	14.9	39.4	41.7	.7	251.6	.94	71.1	76.0	73.6
22B	F	16.86	.45	2.67	8.70	16.1	37.9	42.3	.7	248.4	.90	77.9	82.0	80.6
22C	F	17.52	.16	4.13	14.56	14.1	38.4	44.7	.8	259.4	.96	87.7	89.2	83.0
22D	F	10.40	.13	3.95	8.27	14.9	38.4	41.1	.8	257.8	.93	77.2	77.3	76.8
22E	F	10.85	.72	2.36	8.46	14.2	37.2	40.7	.8	241.1	.91	76.7	76.6	76.4
22F	F	16.75	.29	3.45	13.85	13.8	39.1	43.6	.8	257.2	.90	79.8	79.8	79.0
22G	F	15.95	.35	.50	12.95	14.8	39.3	41.9	.9	254.4	.94	75.1	81.8	78.6
22H	F	10.11	.41	1.22	7.95	15.7	38.1	40.3	.9	245.9	.94	71.1	83.5	77.4
22A-H	F	13.46	.40	2.61	10.83	14.6	38.5	42.0	.8	251.0	.92	76.7	78.9	78.3
22I	F	16.82	.23	2.23	14.70	12.2	39.1	42.3	.9	250.6	.88	78.5	74.4	80.0
23A	F	19.50	.36	3.29	16.92	11.8	36.9	47.8	.5	253.3	.80	82.1	88.6	87.4
23B	F	18.20	.34	2.98	15.67	10.6	37.1	48.6	.8	250.4	.74	83.5	88.5	86.3
23C	F	18.58	.35	2.69	15.71	11.8	36.0	46.1	.9	254.8	.84	82.0	79.9	80.4
23D	R	19.00	.48	2.80	16.22	10.1	35.9	49.1	1.0	259.2	.73	81.5	84.6	83.1
23E	F	18.82	.44	2.97	16.03	10.7	37.4	48.7	1.0	252.6	.77	79.5	84.4	81.6
23F	R	19.79	.31	2.42	16.62	11.7	38.0	45.1	1.0	261.8	.83	78.7	81.6	79.2
23G	F	19.33	.47	2.97	15.93	12.4	37.6	44.8	1.2	263.1	.64	81.1	86.6	80.8
23	F	18.76	.39	2.91	15.54	11.2	37.4	47.2	1.0	270.5	.79	81.6	83.7	82.3
24	F	17.22	.24	2.20	14.72	10.8	35.6	49.7	1.3	270.1	.72	76.1	-	-
25A	F	14.54	.32	2.14	11.56	13.3	37.3	42.2	1.1	252.9	.88	82.2	82.7	82.4
25B	F	12.09	.24	2.35	9.01	15.5	37.3	44.1	1.2	259.7	.85	82.2	86.7	81.4
25C	F	15.20	.25	1.89	12.67	13.5	36.8	46.8	1.9	251.5	.76	74.7	80.3	82.2
25D	F	17.16	.25	2.10	14.29	13.2	36.9	46.8	1.0	264.7	.78	86.6	81.0	85.3
25E	F	15.26	.27	2.10	12.48	14.5	36.6	45.9	1.0	253.9	.82	85.5	87.3	83.9
26A	F	17.00	.35	1.89	13.66	16.1	35.8	43.6	1.6	249.3	.88	72.6	-	-
26B	F	16.86	.33	1.97	13.77	17.7	35.1	45.6	1.6	252.9	.79	77.5	-	-
26C	F	17.01	.37	2.00	14.39	12.1	35.4	48.2	1.2	260.0	.76	78.4	-	-
26D	F	15.63	.37	1.78	12.15	17.8	36.2	41.5	.5	239.1	.81	84.9	-	-
26E	F	12.11	.39	1.64	9.85	13.9	36.6	44.7	1.3	241.1	.82	71.3	-	-
26	F	16.22	.36	1.67	15.14	15.0	36.4	44.6	.6	250.5	.89	80.0	-	-
28A	F	11.72	.27	3.13	9.36	15.8	38.3	41.6	1.2	254.7	.92	74.6	78.4	76.5
28B	F	16.16	.28	2.45	15.17	14.4	37.4	44.7	.9	255.4	.84	76.8	80.2	78.0
28C	F	11.72	.30	2.45	6.99	10.0	37.5	39.2	1.3	251.2	.96	70.0	72.3	78.0
28D	F	17.81	.31	1.61	13.61	19.3	37.9	38.5	1.3	247.6	.98	77.5	75.2	78.7
28E	F	15.39	.29	2.45	12.14	16.9	37.2	41.1	1.2	252.0	.92	76.5	80.2	78.5
28F	F	17.45	.31	1.98	14.17	15.1	36.8	44.4	1.2	259.6	.63	79.7	88.3	80.4
28G	F	11.72	.43	2.05	9.56	12.9	35.7	46.1	1.2	252.7	.77	73.6	81.7	80.8
29C	F	17.61	.26	1.91	15.02	11.1	37.3	48.3	1.1	271.6	.78	80.2	80.5	80.1
29F	F	11.69	.29	2.06	9.76	12.2	38.1	47.4	1.1	266.4	.75	79.5	79.7	79.0
29	F	15.04	.32	1.98	12.52	12.9	36.5	46.6	1.1	255.1	.76	79.3	80.5	80.9
30A	F	12.23	.27	2.51	9.32	19.7	37.4	38.7	1.3	243.1	.97	72.9	75.5	78.7
30B	F	11.41	.20	2.17	9.17	15.6	36.8	45.3	1.1	255.5	.84	80.0	74.2	77.8
30C	F	11.01	.31	2.95	9.02	14.0	36.6	45.3	1.1	250.4	.81	77.7	72.1	74.9
31	A	11.95	.27	2.94	9.17	16.0	36.9	42.5	1.2	253.0	.87	78.9	75.7	77.1
31	A	12.56	.30	2.51	10.49	12.7	35.6	47.9	1.2	253.0	.74	81.2	82.5	83.4
33	A	13.84	.16	1.20	11.40	14.4	37.2	44.9	1.1	250.0	.84	88.9	83.4	83.0
34C-H	F	14.36	.37	2.94	12.05	13.1	38.5	45.7	.9	255.3	.84	93.7	79.1	81.4
34E-X,T	F	14.47	.31	2.32	12.05	14.6	39.1	44.0	1.2	250.2	.85	83.3	91.1	82.3
34E,P,B,S	F	14.44	.31	2.04	11.80	16.8	39.7	42.0	.6	254.3	.94	81.6	82.4	83.0
34G	F	14.58	.34	1.92	11.76	17.0	40.2	40.0	1.0	251.6	.90	83.5	82.1	82.8
34U	F	13.63	.37	2.03	11.40	14.5	39.3</td							

TABLE 1. - Principal results on pilot-plant atmospheric gasifier 4, runs 4 through 34 - Cont.

Run No. (with basis for calculating results)	Steam decomposed, percent of process- steam input/	Material require- ments per 1,000 std. c.f. of CO + CO ₂			Computed equilibrium temperature, water-gas shift reaction, °F.	Calculated residence time in gasifier, seconds	Gasifier temperatures, °F.			
		Process oxygen coal, lb.	Raw oxygen coal, lb.	Process steam, std. lb.			Product-gas outlet, crossover level, in gas stream TC 1	Secondary reaction zone, 1 in. from inner face TC 4	Upper throat, 8 in. above top of support coil, 1.5 in. from inner face TC 5, 6	Primary reaction zone, 19.5 in. above lower throat, 1 to 4 in. from inner face/ TC 9
1	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39
4	A	13.4	39.7	415	24.2	2,310	-	2,050	2,160	2,830
5	F	12.6	47.8	455	47.2	2,050	-	1,825	1,865	2,110
6	F	12.6	45.5	513	46.3	1,910	-	1,590	1,940	2,030
7	A	28.5	40.7	366	37.7	2,085	-	1,665	1,895	2,040
9	A	18.1	44.8	381	42.5	2,130	1.45	1,650	2,035	2,125
10	A	20.3	42.7	402	41.1	2,085	1.60	1,605	1,835	2,060
11	A	20.7	45.2	365	53.4	2,065	1.21	1,830	2,110	2,130
12	A	18.0	46.2	304	22.6	2,190	1.69	1,665	1,920	2,090
13	A	18.9	42.5	471	46.1	2,180	-	1,960	2,255	2,290
14A	F	20.2	40.1	393	38.3	2,185	1.19	1,735	1,890	2,110
14B	F	20.6	39.6	376	41.0	2,205	1.08	1,780	2,030	2,235
14C	F	21.1	39.0	379	45.5	2,210	.99	1,825	2,150	2,275
14	A	21.7	38.9	378	41.2	2,180	1.08	1,780	2,025	2,300
15A	F	21.9	39.0	414	41.5	2,110	1.31	1,505	2,020	2,325
15B	F	19.9	39.7	421	46.4	2,180	1.29	1,590	2,145	2,310
15C	F	22.7	40.2	403	45.2	2,075	1.47	1,620	2,185	2,400
15	A	21.1	39.9	417	44.3	2,130	1.36	1,540	2,100	2,355
16A	F	21.5	38.3	369	33.0	2,100	1.18	1,690	2,025	2,270
16B	F	29.1	37.9	346	28.6	2,050	1.23	1,725	2,130	2,245
16	A	25.3	38.6	364	31.5	2,120	1.19	1,670	2,050	2,275
17	R	22.5	40.2	352	30.1	2,400	1.90	1,465	2,115	2,370
18	A	24.1	43.6	311	24.3	2,100	1.18	1,780	2,195	2,390
19A	F	22.5	42.3	370	33.3	2,30	1.83	1,350	1,805	2,335
19B	F	30.7	36.0	370	22.5	1,990	1.53	1,610	2,060	2,380
19C	F	22.5	39.8	387	31.4	2,140	1.72	1,815	2,170	2,335
19D	F	25.0	40.9	357	24.2	2,070	2.09	1,885	2,180	2,440
19	F	25.2	40.1	371	27.7	2,090	1.91	1,510	2,055	2,375
20A	F	18.5	42.4	399	33.1	2,175	1.86	1,510	2,025	2,325
20B	F	21.2	45.1	352	26.5	2,110	2.37	1,445	1,920	2,345
20C	F	25.8	40.3	353	23.6	2,110	2.03	1,595	2,040	2,380
20D	F	14.3	52.4	389	40.2	2,150	2.16	1,470	1,950	2,160
20	F	19.5	44.7	373	30.4	2,170	2.05	1,505	2,070	2,380
21	A	25.3	39.2	355	30.9	2,060	1.71	1,625	2,075	2,340
22A	F	18.4	44.3	356	26.8	2,215	1.44	1,715	1,960	2,380
22B	F	23.5	41.0	319	24.1	2,110	2.29	1,610	1,995	2,390
22C	F	31.3	38.6	325	22.7	2,040	1.32	1,765	2,030	2,415
22D	F	23.2	32.6	343	25.4	2,000	2.15	1,605	2,010	2,125
22E	F	22.2	41.6	348	24.8	2,130	2.10	1,685	2,015	2,165
22F	F	20.5	39.6	336	23.9	2,160	1.36	1,830	2,050	2,205
22G	F	23.7	32.4	340	25.5	2,110	1.10	1,905	2,085	2,150
22H	F	20.1	45.5	355	26.4	2,390	1.94	1,630	2,020	2,375
22A-H	F	23.7	41.9	344	24.9	2,120	1.63	1,735	2,035	2,300
22I	F	31.5	40.0	315	19.1	2,040	2.25	1,765	2,020	2,345
22A	F	33.5	36.3	326	18.2	2,060	1.07	1,740	2,155	2,315
22B	F	32.1	38.1	385	15.3	2,080	1.19	1,750	2,175	2,390
22C	F	36.9	37.9	325	19.3	2,100	1.11	1,750	2,170	2,375
22D	F	32.9	37.0	330	15.8	2,090	1.10	1,750	2,155	2,355
22E	F	33.4	30.9	319	15.0	2,050	1.23	1,830	2,155	2,380
22F	F	38.5	37.5	306	16.1	1,950	1.07	1,810	2,125	2,315
22G	F	35.2	39.4	316	18.8	1,950	1.11	1,835	2,095	2,180
22H	F	31.3	39.3	354	17.6	2,100	1.14	1,750	2,145	2,350
24	F	26.9	43.3	346	24.5	2,080	1.27	1,635	1,980	2,200
25A	F	20.7	41.5	387	26.0	2,110	1.39	1,445	2,160	2,235
25B	F	25.9	40.5	363	21.4	2,040	1.81	1,455	2,040	2,275
25C	F	22.2	39.4	354	19.7	2,080	1.36	1,655	2,055	2,335
25D	F	30.8	35.1	345	19.2	2,070	1.20	1,730	2,100	2,340
25	F	28.5	39.2	356	21.3	2,035	1.38	1,570	2,040	2,180
26A	F	17.5	33.5	385	26.5	2,040	1.13	1,585	2,130	1,700
26B	F	19.0	43.1	375	21.8	2,200	1.17	1,630	2,075	2,175
26C	F	16.3	43.1	388	17.4	2,130	1.22	1,615	2,095	2,195
26D	F	16.0	40.8	410	32.4	2,380	1.13	1,665	2,100	2,185
26E	F	23.8	40.2	366	20.3	2,090	1.60	1,515	2,090	2,115
26	F	20.0	41.8	376	23.0	2,175	1.20	1,595	2,070	2,150
28A	R	26.3	42.6	356	24.5	1,980	2.17	1,500	2,010	2,065
28B	R	35.3	38.1	332	19.5	1,880	1.16	1,710	2,060	2,185
28C	R	15.0	43.3	402	35.6	2,885	1.69	1,915	2,080	2,260
28D	R	18.7	44.0	395	35.3	2,130	.94	1,895	2,125	2,290
28E	R	23.9	42.3	368	28.2	2,065	1.31	1,705	2,065	2,240
28F	R	27.9	47.3	342	21.1	1,980	1.17	1,730	2,030	2,195
28G	R	21.0	35.4	354	16.7	2,225	1.97	1,490	2,040	2,110
28H	R	28.0	39.0	332	15.0	2,075	1.18	1,770	2,090	2,170
29	R	25.6	41.0	344	16.4	2,075	1.96	1,615	2,110	2,145
29	R	26.0	41.2	343	17.6	2,070	1.41	1,675	2,070	2,130
30A	R	25.7	43.4	383	30.0	1,900	1.76	1,445	1,980	2,045
30B	R	17.4	44.2	368	26.2	2,210	1.84	1,515	2,020	2,155
30C	R	15.0	41.9	373	22.2	2,080	2.17	1,580	2,025	2,055
30	R	24.4	44.2	381	26.1	2,140	1.91	1,495	2,010	1,950
31	R	14.7	38.8	303	15.3	1,880	2.09	1,580	2,020	1,970
32	R	27.9	40.1	356	20.1	1,980	1.62	1,490	2,025	2,070
34C-H	F	30.0	38.6	330	16.6	1,950	1.72	1,545	2,090	2,130
34C-N,T	F	30.4	38.8	340	22.5	1,990	1.54	1,485	2,030	2,155
34C-P,R,S	F	26.9	39.2	346	26.7	1,970	1.41	1,485	2,060	2,145
34Q	F	26.4	39.9	351	30.8	2,000	1.33	1,465	1,960	2,085
34U	F	32.4	40.6	329	19.6	1,920	1.62	1,475	1,925	2,140
34O-U	F	30.6	39.1	340	21.9	1,980	1.57	1,500	2,025	2,140

TABLE I. - Principal results on pilot-plant atmospheric gasifier 4, runs 4 through 34 - Cont.

Run No. (with basis calculating route)	Heat balance across gasifier, thousands of B.t.u./hr., Basis: 1 hour; Datum level: Steam at 60° F.							Sensible heat in residuum and gasifier slag tapped from gasifier						
	Net heating value of coal	Sensible heat in process steam	Sensible heat in process oxygen	Sensible heat in coal	Total heat input	Net heating value of dry product gas	Sensible heat in dry product gas							
	41	42	43	44	45	46	47							
4	A	5,668	126	1	-6	5,789	3,743	707	-	261	-	360	36	10
5	F	6,478	46	1	2	6,587	3,241	387	120	152	53	1,089	52	1
6	F	6,314	194	1	3	6,512	3,442	383	131	261	97	1,431	104	1
7	F	6,636	229	1	2	6,886	4,056	469	110	289	74	924	56	18
9	A	6,360	229	0	1	6,593	3,603	385	194	235	127	1,303	103	0
10	A	5,692	95	39	43	5,869	3,414	397	141	224	87	730	56	14
11	A	6,653	92	42	30	6,837	3,762	499	121	252	60	1,416	107	14
12	A	6,419	69	10	45	6,573	3,595	397	141	163	80	1,560	126	14
13	A	6,140	166	66	47	6,423	3,832	521	97	331	64	566	51	23
14A	F	5,902	116	51	43	6,112	3,787	468	120	257	74	659	50	20
14B	F	5,908	128	50	42	6,122	3,856	521	112	294	71	947	526	18
14C	F	5,902	142	50	42	6,136	3,847	546	106	247	63	529	53	14
14	A	5,902	128	50	42	6,122	3,854	530	108	255	69	529	53	14
15A	F	4,027	85	36	28	4,176	2,634	346	15	192	9	204	28	15
15B	F	4,027	91	36	28	4,185	2,572	349	30	224	21	174	35	12
15C	F	4,027	33	35	28	4,183	2,547	330	51	202	39	267	33	19
15	A	4,027	88	47	23	4,178	2,552	337	36	204	23	261	22	15
16A	F	5,679	98	47	41	5,866	3,726	466	111	192	47	524	52	20
16B	F	5,679	86	47	38	5,847	3,834	457	112	175	612	56	17	19
16	A	5,679	92	45	38	5,854	3,746	452	109	211	49	631	56	20
17	R	4,136	59	30	30	4,304	2,676	252	109	139	45	600	71	12
18	A	7,330	81	50	50	7,500	4,493	528	129	188	47	1,755	137	12
19A	F	4,355	72	34	34	4,505	2,571	229	64	166	39	732	20	12
19B	F	4,355	53	37	34	4,489	2,598	384	114	138	50	319	27	9
19C	F	4,355	72	38	33	4,508	2,618	312	110	122	91	502	36	19
19D	F	4,355	53	33	33	4,484	2,711	266	122	106	39	666	49	22
19	F	4,355	63	34	31	4,498	2,794	289	74	116	39	558	39	13
20A	F	4,402	72	36	30	4,442	2,662	264	125	128	64	712	49	16
20B	F	4,402	51	29	30	4,512	2,485	219	126	86	51	1,071	67	15
20C	F	4,402	53	34	30	4,519	2,774	283	129	94	74	743	51	13
20D	F	4,402	72	29	31	4,520	2,256	227	96	135	56	1,393	115	6
20	F	4,402	53	32	31	4,552	2,543	218	95	116	15	972	59	14
21	A	4,423	72	35	31	4,504	2,822	327	98	139	42	571	143	10
22A	F	6,791	64	47	34	6,973	3,817	431	140	185	80	1,626	107	10
22B	F	4,446	54	33	34	4,569	2,690	263	137	94	50	894	56	22
22C	F	7,003	89	54	53	7,190	4,545	489	212	151	67	955	82	26
22D	F	4,386	54	31	34	4,505	2,577	210	201	73	71	916	67	21
22E	F	6,841	83	33	31	7,034	2,659	284	121	105	44	865	72	26
22F	F	6,841	87	45	51	7,028	4,056	500	176	177	84	1,165	98	26
22G	F	4,511	53	36	36	4,530	2,493	269	63	116	39	1,471	121	26
22A-H	F	5,651	70	11	13	5,811	3,377	370	134	139	50	1,113	93	10
22I	F	7,077	71	48	55	7,251	4,454	511	113	154	39	1,315	107	13
23A	F	7,476	76	58	58	7,660	5,273	572	158	141	43	859	74	26
23B	F	7,439	63	56	48	7,606	4,906	540	150	117	35	1,047	90	26
23C	F	7,439	83	61	50	7,633	4,919	568	136	145	35	1,201	105	26
23D	F	7,476	63	59	50	7,548	5,135	574	142	119	29	954	68	21
23E	F	7,775	61	58	51	7,948	5,076	582	150	122	28	1,361	142	26
23F	F	7,775	84	61	51	7,973	5,290	639	123	146	38	1,200	136	26
23G	F	7,751	80	57	52	7,940	5,096	602	150	147	30	1,293	153	26
23H	F	7,540	71	59	34	7,727	5,075	574	143	140	37	1,157	104	24
24	F	7,114	46	52	53	7,865	4,754	507	112	99	23	907	111	32
25A	F	5,001	75	47	36	5,962	3,677	354	112	139	41	884	59	21
25B	F	4,834	52	37	36	4,957	3,140	292	106	89	33	763	41	21
25C	F	6,043	61	48	42	6,197	3,790	499	97	137	30	1,014	63	21
25D	F	6,618	74	53	45	6,820	4,542	535	108	145	28	758	51	21
25E	F	5,992	68	59	52	6,392	3,951	422	109	124	33	789	51	21
26A	F	7,193	89	62	58	7,406	4,247	493	98	203	45	1,313	-	26
26B	F	7,193	78	56	52	7,377	4,423	485	101	169	37	1,322	-	26
26C	F	5,994	95	51	42	6,184	3,737	497	93	135	30	1,288	748	26
26D	F	4,786	57	37	39	4,919	3,041	308	94	212	45	1,293	-	26
26E	F	6,648	73	51	50	6,830	4,022	446	96	172	39	1,100	-	26
26A	R	4,836	55	34	35	4,960	2,983	263	163	89	56	907	56	26
26B	R	7,260	78	55	52	7,445	4,770	586	126	147	33	1,018	84	19
26C	R	4,860	84	60	30	5,022	2,897	329	136	170	72	934	70	19
26D	R	7,349	132	63	56	7,600	4,410	531	86	334	45	1,256	106	26
26E	R	6,292	85	49	41	6,437	3,882	464	123	183	52	1,045	85	26
26F	R	7,362	77	52	53	7,544	4,230	627	103	160	32	1,264	845	26
26G	R	4,904	37	31	36	5,011	3,077	252	105	72	26	-	-	26
26H	R	7,374	51	41	52	7,521	4,783	536	97	135	34	1,225	837	26
26D	R	4,926	38	34	46	5,078	3,114	303	105	77	26	837	59	18
26I	R	6,317	92	42	42	6,457	3,096	514	102	118	29	1,361	63	13
30A	R	5,036	61	33	34	5,164	2,978	266	134	113	55	564	73	7
30B	R	5,036	54	31	36	5,154	2,867	342	152	117	47	1,058	70	10
30C	R	5,036	46	33	39	5,159	2,920	354	133	107	51	1,201	61	6
30D	R	5,036	54	53	36	5,169	3,108	152	143	57	25	1,018	68	8
31	R	5,061	37	34	37	5,169	3,108	152	143	57	25	716	53	13
33	A	5,539	15	32	42	5,678	3,611	358	101	101	30	793	42	23
34C-N	F	5,675	43	32	42	5,792	3,910	255	150	90	39	765	53	13
34I-N,T	F	2,720	37	35	43	5,045	3,726	346	120	112	38	801	51	19
34C,P,R,S	F	3,666	72	39	42	5,810	3,572	376	106	136	45	791	52	23
34D	F	5,675	84	40	43	5,840	3,968	379	100	150	44	792	52	18
34G-U	F	5,682	47	32	42	5,703	3,605	343	104	103	36	973	42	18
34D-U	F	2,685	55	36	42	5,810	3,721	406	123	-	36	819	55	18

TABLE 1. - Principal results on pilot-plant atmospheric gasifier 4, runs 4 through 34 - Cont.

Run No. (with basis for calculating results)	Heat balance across gasifier - continued							Thermal efficiency (heat of combustion of prod. gas, B.t.u. per 100 B.t.u. in coal charged), percent	Calculated heat loss through refr., thousands of B.t.u./hr. ¹¹	Total preheat, B.t.u./lb. coal charged ¹²	Total heat loss from gasification sector, B.t.u./lb. coal charged ¹³					
	Heat removed by coils at top of gasifier	Heat removed by gasifier burner water jackets	Heat removed by vertical and sloping shell coils	Radiation and convection loss from gasifier, shell		Other heat losses including unaccounted for losses ¹⁴	Total heat output (equivalent heat input)									
				Primary reaction zone	Secondary reaction zone											
1	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65				
4	A	137	-	-	24	45	463	5,709	66.0	23	34	255				
4	F	225	-	-	23	41	959	5,527	50.0	23	32	595				
5	F	230	-	-	28	53	310	6,512	44.5	28	33	635				
6	A	262	-	-	19	54	555	6,858	61.1	28	35	450				
7	A	198	-	-	27	45	368	6,590	65.7	28	36	540				
9	A	174	-	-	16	40	515	2,865	60.0	28	30	385				
10	A	139	-	-	35	56	359	6,837	55.5	28	32	420				
11	A	96	-	-	31	45	350	6,573	56.0	28	30	295				
12	A	244	94	-	25	38	521	6,413	62.4	28	32	820				
13	F	191	95	-	29	31	319	8,112	63.1	28	31	445				
14A	F	226	106	-	24	37	279	6,122	65.3	28	35	720				
14B	F	210	102	-	24	39	266	6,136	65.0	30	35	555				
14C	F	209	101	-	23	38	300	6,122	61.3	29	35	500				
15A	F	253	122	-	21	35	310	4,176	65.4	31	34	1,300				
15B	F	207	123	-	24	41	389	4,185	53.9	31	36	1,175				
15C	F	198	125	-	27	46	289	4,183	53.0	31	37	1,205				
15	A	207	124	-	24	40	331	4,178	64.3	31	36	1,220				
16A	F	203	111	-	23	43	224	5,368	66.5	30	34	930				
16B	F	212	115	-	21	43	132	5,847	67.5	30	35	945				
16C	A	223	111	-	23	43	181	5,854	68.0	30	35	800				
17	R	148	116	-	21	42	69	4,304	63.0	30	35	245				
18	A	118	115	-	22	45	158	7,500	58.0	30	35	305				
19A	F	101	87	-	24	36	392	4,205	61.2	30	35	700				
19B	F	130	82	-	29	36	364	4,489	67.8	32	37	800				
19C	F	139	65	-	33	36	241	4,508	64.6	32	37	815				
19D	F	166	62	-	32	36	240	4,484	68.1	32	37	765				
19	F	120	79	-	30	36	310	4,498	63.0	31	35	780				
20A	F	79	119	-	29	39	52	1,50	60.5	31	35	390				
20B	F	70	109	-	33	36	51	1,512	55.5	31	35	305				
20C	F	75	125	-	30	36	50	4,519	63.0	31	35	805				
20D	F	183	109	-	30	36	51	4,580	50.3	29	33	1,020				
20	F	129	119	-	30	36	180	4,552	57.5	32	33	915				
21A	A	143	80	-	29	36	212	4,504	63.8	35	39	745				
22A	F	135	93	-	30	36	69	6,973	56.2	33	35	510				
22B	F	155	101	-	32	36	124	2,569	60.7	28	35	865				
22C	F	146	97	-	30	36	383	7,99	64.9	35	39	510				
22D	F	18	37	-	18	36	50	4,505	58.6	28	34	545				
22E	F	28	91	-	28	36	159	4,507	56.6	28	35	580				
22F	F	152	100	-	19	36	234	7,034	63.0	29	35	570				
22G	F	150	101	-	17	36	75	7,086	59.3	28	35	655				
22H	F	75	99	-	47	36	259	4,630	55.3	28	35	330				
22A-H	F	107	97	-	16	45	251	3,811	59.7	35	39	340				
22I	F	58	96	-	21	50	314	7,251	62.9	29	35	305				
23A	F	187	88	-	16	45	299	7,660	59.5	27	36	565				
23B	F	23	106	-	35	49	260	7,506	65.9	26	36	740				
23C	F	244	121	-	32	50	131	7,633	66.1	26	36	780				
23D	F	160	118	-	23	50	251	7,648	68.7	27	36	255				
23E	F	198	129	-	32	50	40	7,948	65.3	25	35	665				
23F	F	183	118	-	31	50	75	7,971	67.4	28	32	300				
23G	F	171	109	-	25	50	75	7,940	67.6	28	32	235				
23H	F	196	112	-	27	50	244	7,927	67.3	27	33	635				
24	F	248	104	-	31	34	239	7,365	61.6	27	33	235				
25A	F	241	99	-	36	34	232	5,902	62.4	27	35	335				
25B	F	191	87	-	36	34	95	5,957	65.0	27	35	930				
25C	F	195	100	-	36	36	126	6,397	58.7	27	35	790				
25D	F	162	99	-	35	36	250	6,020	58.3	28	36	665				
25	F	156	98	-	35	36	298	6,090	66.7	28	36	770				
26A	F	302	114	-	35	36	171	7,406	59.0	28	39	905				
26B	F	239	114	-	37	36	516	7,377	59.3	30	34	800				
26C	F	235	116	-	37	36	429	7,365	61.5	28	36	805				
26D	F	215	117	-	36	36	364	5,384	62.3	31	36	920				
26E	F	73	115	-	39	36	286	4,919	63.4	28	36	795				
26	F	223	114	-	36	36	456	6,830	61.0	28	36	835				
28A	R	131	203	-	31	34	24	4,960	62.7	27	34	310				
28B	R	155	201	-	32	34	219	7,445	65.7	27	34	740				
28C	R	61	233	-	44	32	5,022	19.6	28	34	1,060					
28D	R	185	235	-	40	32	1,600	60.0	28	34	860					
28	R	126	203	-	39	32	5,437	62.1	28	34	825					
29A	R	192	71	-	37	32	7,584	51.9	27	34	805					
29B	R	156	72	-	40	32	5,011	62.7	28	35	800					
29C	R	227	105	-	55	32	7,121	64.9	28	35	715					
29D	R	173	119	-	71	17	5,028	63.3	28	35	280					
29	R	190	97	-	38	71	17	5,076	65.0	25	34	1,000				
30A	R	202	113	-	41	58	141	5,161	59.1	27	44	315				
30B	R	139	108	-	46	58	5,160	57.9	27	43	305					
30C	R	233	86	-	45	58	5,154	57.9	27	44	1,115					
30	R	191	112	-	45	60	5,159	58.0	27	44	305					
31	A	136	120	-	45	58	5,169	65.3	27	43	1,105					
33	A	154	102	-	43	58	5,176	65.0	25	34	290					
34C-H	F	145	136	-	13	36	46	5,792	67.1	28	48	250				
34I-N,T	F	103	103	-	53	36	123	5,645	65.4	27	48	290				
34J-R,S	F	134	104	-	36	36	185	5,819	64.8	26	48	335				
34K	F	180	103	-	35	36	176	5,842	64.6	26	48	365				
34L-U	F	148	96	-	35	36	50	5,703	65.4	26	49	260				
34M	F	157	114	-	35	36	68	5,816	65.5	27	49	285				

Footnotes for Table 1

- 1/ F indicates that items in columns 16, 19, 30-34, 56-53, and 62 were calculated from (or based on) carbon balances using product-gas flow data, R indicates that these items were calculated using residue data, and A indicates average of flow and residue data. Except for a few runs were data were available for only one basis of calculation, the basis selected was the one that gave the best material balance, judged by the agreement between the reported coal requirement and the calculated coal requirement according to the following equation:

Lb. coal per 1,000 std. c.f. ($\text{CO} + \text{H}_2$)

$$31.5 f - \frac{\text{Std. O}_2}{\text{lb. carbon}} + \frac{1/2 \text{ Std. net H}_2}{\text{lb. carbon}} - \frac{2 \text{ Std. } (\text{CH}_4)}{\text{lb. carbon}} - \frac{3 \text{ Std. } (\text{C}_2\text{H}_4)}{\text{lb. carbon}}$$

where f = fraction of carbon in coal gasified and the other quantities are expressed per pound of carbon entering in the coal. Std. O_2 refers to process oxygen introduced (see footnote 3 below), Std. net H_2 refers to net hydrogen in the coal, and Std. CH_4 and Std. C_2H_4 are calculated from the product-gas output and analysis. The derivation of the above equation, and similar ones for oxygen and carbon requirements, may be obtained from the authors.

In those instances where a particular basis gives the best agreement for the majority of periods of a multiperiod run and reasonable agreement for the other periods, that basis has been used throughout the run. In runs 14, 15, and 16, where residues were not separated by periods, flow data have been used for the individual periods and the average data for the overall runs.

- 2/ The various reactant burners are discussed earlier, and their distinguishing characteristics are summarized in table 7.
- 3/ Process steam and process oxygen include only quantities metered as such and do not include moisture or combined water in coal or oxygen in coal. The oxygen is expressed on the 100.0 percent basis, calculated from 99.6 percent oxygen for the Cascade storage unit (runs 4 through 32) and 99.6 - 99.8 percent for the new oxygen plant (runs 33 and 34).
- 4/ The dry product gas output (column 16) and the product-gas analysis (columns 20-24) are as determined, without adjustment for inert feed gas with the coal or purge gas to the gasifier. Material-balance and heat-balance data (appearing later in this table) are based on the as-determined flows and analyses.
- 5/ The inert gas (column 17) consisted of about 12 percent CO_2 and 88 percent N_2 (from inert-gas generators) for runs 3 through 33, and about 98.5 percent N_2 (from the new oxygen plant) for run 34.
- 6/ The figures underlined (columns 27-29) indicate the basis selected (flow, residue, or average) for calculating test results. For example, as may be confirmed from column 1, average data were used for runs 4 and flow data for run 5.
- 7/ The steam decomposition is the average calculated from hydrogen and oxygen balances. The figures shown in column 30 were obtained by dividing the average steam-decomposition values ($\times 100$) by the process-steam inputs of column 6.
- 8/ Since several assumptions have been used in calculating the residence time, the reported values should be regarded as only approximate.
- 9/ Columns 39 and 40 show the range of positions for thermocouples 9, 10, and 11. Thermocouple 9 was 1 inch from the inner face for runs 3 through 20, 1.5 inches for the next 3 runs, 3 inches for runs 24 through 30, and 4 inches for runs 31 through 34. Thermocouples 10 and 11 were 1 inch from the inner face through run 20, 3 inches for the next 5 runs, 5.5 inches for runs 26 through 30, and 8.5 inches for the last 4 runs. Thermocouple 6 was out of place (6.5 inches from the inner face) for runs 5 through 12, but thermocouple 5 (instead of the average) has been used as the standard for these runs.

- 10/ The unaccounted-for heat loss is determined by difference so that the heat output (column 61) will equal the heat input (column 45).
- 11/ The calculated heat loss through refractory (columns 63 and 64) is based on refractory temperatures and thermal conductivity of refractory.
- 12/ The total preheat to reactants, B.t.u. per pound of coal, is the sum of the preheats given in columns 42 through 44 divided by the coal input given in column 5.
- 13/ The total heat loss from the gasification section, B.t.u. per pound of coal, is the sum of the heat losses of columns 55 through 59, divided by the coal input of column 5.

Column 2 gives the date on which the run was made, columns 3 through 10 give run conditions, and columns 11 through 14 give input ratios - expressed per pound of raw coal and per pound of carbon in coal.

Column 15 shows temperatures indicated by thermocouple 13, located within the secondary reaction zone 8 inches below the bottom of the heat-trap coils. This thermocouple is considered of special significance because its temperatures are proportional to the theoretical product-gas outlet temperature, even though the thermocouple is affected by radiation from the reaction zones and radiation to the heat-trap coils.

Column 16 gives the output of dry product gas in thousands of standard cubic feet per hour on the as-determined basis, that is, without adjustment for inert gas used to convey coal to the gasifier or as purge gas at the slag-pot observation ports. Column 17 shows the inert-gas input so that a reader may adjust the product-gas output and analyses (columns 20 to 24) for all or part of the inert gas added. No adjustment has been made here since it is doubtful that the use of conveying gas would be entirely eliminated in a commercial-size process. Material-balance and heat-balance calculations are based on the as-determined (or unadjusted) flows and analyses. The useful output of synthesis gas ($\text{CO} + \text{H}_2$) is shown in column 19, the product-gas heating value in column 25, and the $\text{H}_2\text{-CO}$ ratio in column 26.

The conversion of carbon in coal to gases is shown in columns 27 through 29, calculated from flow data, residue data, and average of flow and residue data, respectively, to indicate the degree of agreement by the three methods. The "standard" figure for each run is underlined.

The percentage of process steam decomposed, shown in column 30, is the average obtained from hydrogen and oxygen balances. A comparison of these results with those determined from the water vapor in the gas is given later. Columns 31 to 33 express the comparative economy of the process by showing the coal, process oxygen, and process steam requirements per thousand standard cubic feet of synthesis gas ($\text{CO} + \text{H}_2$). Column 34 shows computed equilibrium temperatures of the water-gas shift reaction, based on product-gas data of columns 16 and 20 to 24 and steam decomposition data of column 30, using Bureau of Standards equilibrium constants.^{19/}

Column 35 gives the residence time in the gasifier, calculated from the product-gas quantities in columns 16 and 18, a reactor volume averaging about 35 cubic feet, an outlet temperature proportional to (150° F. higher than that registered by) Thermocouple 13 (column 15), and an estimated temperature of 2,400° F. at the slag throat.

¹⁹/ Wagman, D. D., Kilpatrick, J. E., Taylor, W. J., Pilzer, K. S., Rossini, F. D., Heats, Free Energies and Equilibrium Constants of some Reactions Involving O_2 , H_2 , H_2O , C, CO , CO_2 , and CH_4 : Nat. Bureau of Standards Research Paper 1634, February 1945, 19 pp.