Closed Loop Ammonia Stripper

A Petro China Catalyst Plant recently upgraded their FCC catalyst plant. The wastewater from the plant had to be treated to remove ammonia prior to recycling. Verantis designed and supplied a "Closed Loop Ammonia Stripper" system for the separation and neutralization of the ammonia.

The system comprised a continuous Stripper, Neutralization Scrubber, Air Stripper Fan, Chemical Dosing system, instrumentation and control panel.

Stage 1:

Strip off Ammonia from water stream via air stripping

Stage 2:

Scrub and neutralize ammonia from air stream using H2SO4 to form soluble ammonia salts that are continuously discharged from the scrubber

 $NH_3 + H_2SO_4 --> NH_4HSO_4$ 2 $NH_3 + H_2SO_4 --> (NH_4)_2SO_4$



Application	Catalyst Plant Ammonia Waste Water
Exhaust Volume	120t/h, 90 oC, pH~12
Contaminant	NH3- 8,500ppm
Outlet	NH3 < 40 ppm
Scrubbing Solution	H2SO4



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