

Eco-Friendly 170kV 50kA GIS Research and Development



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1. Korea Market trend of Eco-friendly GIS

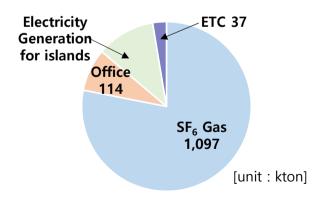
■ South Korea agreed to reduce greenhouse gas emissions by 37% compared to 2015 by 2030. (At Climate Change Conference 2015)

■ SF₆ accounts for 78% of KEPCO's greenhouse gas emissions.

■ KEPCO needs operation/diagnosis technology and development for SF₆ Free Eco GIS.



[Reduction of Greenhous Gas Emissions of Korea]



[CO2 emission of KEPCO]

Research

Development

Pilot Project

Product Trend



2. Development status of domestic manufacturers for ECO 170kV 50kA GIS

■ KEPCO's Spec. only require GWP 500 or less for dielectric medium.

(there is no regulation for dielectric medium/interrupting medium)

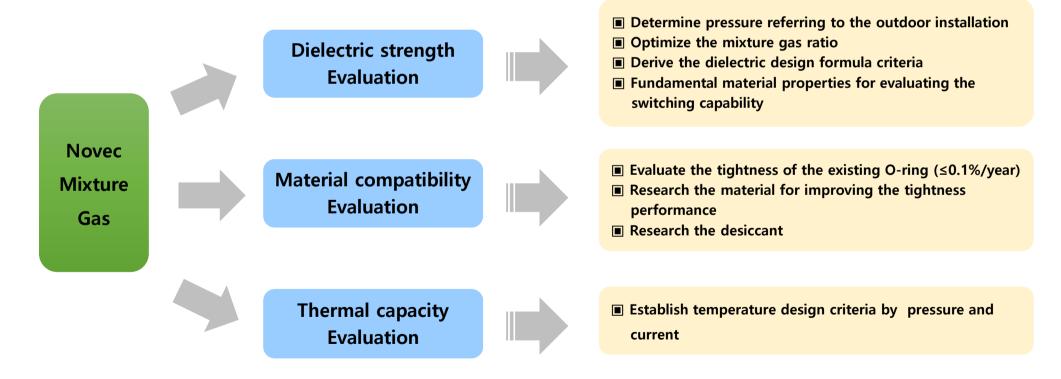
ITEMS	HYOSUNG	Α	В	С	D
Dielectric medium	Novec + CO ₂	Novec + CO ₂ + O ₂	Novec + CO ₂	Dry Air (N ₂ +O ₂)	Novec + CO ₂
Interrupting medium	Novec + CO ₂	Novec + CO ₂ + O ₂	Novec + CO ₂	VI	VI
GWP	396	350	396	0	396
BC or BTB performance	©	0	©	Δ	Δ
Development Status	Completed	Completed	Completed	In progress	In progress

X Novec4710 is called Novec.



1. Fundamental research of Novec mixture gas for developing ECO GIS (Sep 2016~Apr 2017)

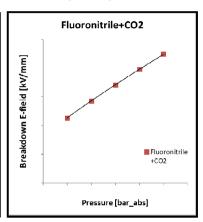
- Fundamental research on the basic gas properties to secure data for GIS design
- Prior to developing the GIS, Hyosung developed a 362kV GIB with Novec mixture gas and has been running commercial operation since '19.



[Dielectric test of Novec mixture gas pressure, mix ratio and shape of poles]







[Leakage test for sealing material]





[Temperature-rise test]



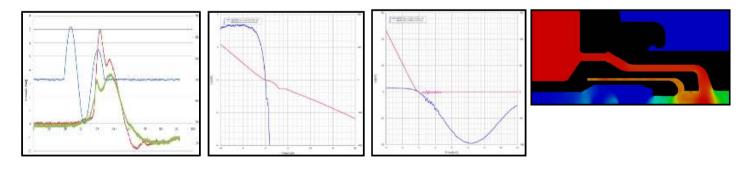
[Development and installation of the pilot project of 362kV 63kA 6300A GIB, Jun 2019~]

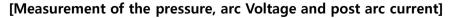


1. Development of the ECO 170kV 50kA GIS

- 1) Development of eco-friendly Circuit Breaker
 - The most technically difficult aspect of circuit breaker development;
 - Securing SLF(Short Line Fault) performance
 - Preventing ground faults in Terminal fault test duty (at 100% current)

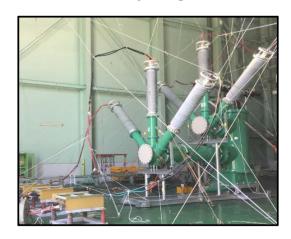
Novec Mixture Gas's Characteristic Longer Arc time constant Lower thermal dielectric recovery Lower molecular weight Increase of ground fault risk







[SLF test using simplified synthetic test in Hyosung]



[Short-Circuit test in KERI]

HYOSUNG HEAVY INDUSTRIES

2) Development of the ECO GIS components

Test Items	Test place	Issue
Dielectric test	Hyosung	-
Temperature rising test	Hyosung	-
Internal Arc test	KERI	-
Bus charging current switching test	KERI	-
Short-circuit making performance for ES	KERI	-
Induced current switching test for ES	KERI	0



[Dielectric test]



[Temperature rising test]



[Internal arc test]



[Bus charging current test]



[Making performance for ES]



[Induced current test for ES]

3) Type test: Performed at KERI ('21.07)



[CB Short circuit test]



[GIS Temperature-rise test]



[GIS Dielectric test]



[GIS Tightness test]



[KERI TYPE TEST REPORT]



1. Pilot Project with KEPCO

1) Introduction

- Secure the facility soundness through injection with voltage test and current test same time
- Establishment of long-term reliability verification-based construction/operational management standards (moisture management, gas aging management, gas composition ratio)

2) Pilot project outline (Gochang power test center)

lt	ems	Outline	
Location		Gochang-gun, Jeollabuk-do	
Size		1 st basement floor and 3 rd floor, outdoor test center	
	Supply voltage	154kV~242kV	
Outdoor test center	Supply current	Up to 4000A (Variable current source)	
	Capacity	170kV GIS 1CCT, connected to bushing	







[Installation of ECO 170kV GIS]

3) Pilot project operation plan

lte	ems	Operation plan	Remark	
Voltage Test	Test Voltage	170kV (Rated voltage)	■ Appling rated voltage to GIS using 154~242kV variable transformer	
Current	Test Current	Continuous current (Up to 3150A)	■ Connecting 4000A variable current source for rated load current switching - CB, DS operation(7 times a week, more than 110 times in total) ※ Based on the average number of interruptions(104 nos) during the life of the	
Test	Switching Current	Switch the actual load (over 110)	 circuit breaker (KEPCO analysis data) Data analysis of Carbon monoxide in the circuit breaker, and management manual of other components are established. 	
-	Outdoor installation Test in salt sea area Environment (connected to Bushing)		Checking the soundness of GIS according to the external environment	
Project period 17weeks ('22.03 ~ '22.06)			■ Inspection contents during the pilot period (KEPCO & HYOSUNG)	



[Moisture and Composition ratio measurement

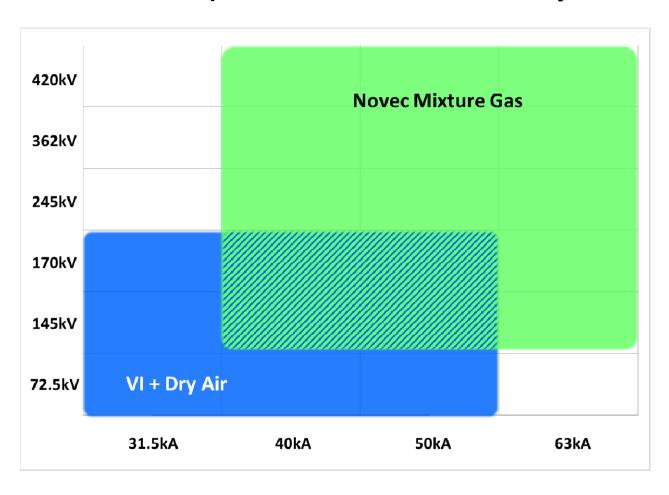


[Collecting for decomposition Gas]



[Operating test]

1. Future development direction for eco-friendly GIS



■ VCB + Dry Air

: From 72.5kV to 170kV 50kA

■ Novec Mixture Gas

: From 145kV to 420kV 63kA

■ Mixed Product

: From 145kV 40kA to 170kV 50kA



Thank you

Q&A