

# The role of secondary air in waste power plants

What is a waste to energy (W2E) plant?

Along with waste minimization techniques and recycling measures, waste to energy (W2E) plants play a considerable role in reaching the goals of waste management.

Can secondary air operation optimize waste incineration power plants?

There are more than 20 waste incineration power plants using the same type of incinerator in China, with a processing capacity of more than 20,000 t/d, which also indicates that the optimization of secondary air operation parameters in this paper could provide very significant environmental benefits.

Why do power plants need secondary air blowers?

Completing the combustion process appropriately is the job of the secondary air blowers. Power plants depend heavily on both these fan variants. In particular, they play a very key role in plants that make use of coal-fired boilers. Primary air fans ensure that air and pulverized coal mix efficiently.

Which pollutants are emitted by waste-to-energy power plants?

Authors to whom correspondence should be addressed. The emissions of pollutants by waste-to-energy power plants, which contain more toxic substances owing to the complicated composition of municipal solid waste (MSW), such as NO<sub>x</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, HCl, HF, particulate matter, and heavy metals, has attracted increasing attention worldwide.

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Regarding the status of research on the air distribution in incineration boilers, current air distribution-related studies mainly focus on the ratio of primary air, secondary air and exhaust air [10] ...

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