

Title (en)

Method for starting up a plant for the liquefaction of a hydrocarbon stream

Title (de)

Verfahren und Vorrichtung zum Anfahren der Verflüssigung eines kohlenwasserstoffreichen Stromes

Title (fr)

Procédé et dispositif pour le démarrage de la liquéfaction d'un courant d'hydrocarbures

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Abstract (en)

The present invention relates to a method for starting up a plant (1), preferably a new plant, for the liquefaction of a hydrocarbon feed stream (10) such as natural gas, wherein a liquefied hydrocarbon stream (110) that has been liquefied in a different liquefaction plant is used. At least a part of the liquefied hydrocarbon stream (110) that has been liquefied in a different liquefaction plant may be vaporized (15) and subsequently used as a fuel gas (120) or a commissioning gas in the plant (1). Further, at least a part of the liquefied hydrocarbon stream (110) that has been liquefied in a different liquefaction plant may be introduced into the plant (1), in particular for cooling down the plant (1).

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