Title (en)

PROCESS FOR PRODUCING HYDROGEN FROM A HYDROGEN-RICH GAS

Title (de)

VERFAHREN ZUR GEWINNUNG VON WASSERSTOFF AUS EINEM WASSERSTOFFREICHEN GAS

Title (fr)

PROCEDE DE PRODUCTION D'HYDROGENE A PARTIR D'UN GAZ RICHE EN HYDROGENE

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[origin: WO2008068436A1] The invention relates to a process for producing hydrogen from a hydrogen-rich gas, in which N adsorbers are used, which each follow, in a standard manner, a cycle where phases of adsorption, of regeneration, of elution and of repressurization follow one another and in which at least part of the stream or streams exiting the adsorber or adsorbers in the regeneration phase is recycled, by compressing said recycled part to the high cycle pressure and by supplying at least one of the adsorbers in the adsorption phase with said recycled part. The regeneration phase comprises a depressurization substep that is composed of a substep of co-current depressurization with partial equilibration. The equilibration ratio Neq is between 1.8lnP_{HP}-3.5 and 0.6lnP_{HP}-1.8, P_{HP} representing the value of the high cycle pressure.

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