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#### SECTION A. General description of project activity

#### A.1 Title of the <u>project activity</u>:

Title: Changshu Haike HFC 23 Decomposition Project

Version: 2

Date: January 10, 2007

#### A.2. Description of the project activity:

HCFC 22 is mainly used as a fluid for refrigeration as well as for a raw material to manufacture a tetrafluoroethylene polymer. HFC 23 (CHF<sub>3</sub>) is an inadvertent by-product in HCFC 22 production. HFC 23 itself is not toxic, but it is a greenhouse gas (GHG) with a very high Global Warming Potential (GWP) (GWP\_HFC 23=11,700 in the IPCC Second Assessment Report). At present, there is no significant market for HFC 23 and there is no compulsory regulation in China on control of the HFC 23 emissions, thus all of the HFC 23 generated from HCFC 22 production is typically vented directly to the atmosphere. The purpose of the proposed CDM project is to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions through the destruction of HFC 23 in a proposed thermal oxidation system.

In Changshu Haike's case, only one existing HCFC 22 production facility started its operation in May 2000. The actual annual production of HCFC 22 production was 7,937.7 tons in 2002, 13,179.3 tons in 2003 and 18,106.5 tons in 2004 respectively.

Process technology for thermal oxidation of HFC 23 is not available indigenously. Although there are indigenous processes for incineration of wastes, none of these companies has any experience with the specialist equipment required to destroy HFCs. Changshu Haike will import the proposed incineration facility and technology from an experienced overseas technology provider whose HFC 23 destruction technology is reliable, efficient and has a good reputation. Vichem, a leading French technology provider and facility supplier, has demonstrated the successful application of continuous process technology for the decomposition of HFCs and other fluorocarbons by thermal oxidation worldwide. The project will apply this good-practice process technology and its associated chemical processing know-how in Changshu Haike to reduce the emission of HFC 23 from its HCFC 22 production.

The process technology proposed in this project decomposes HFC 23 by heating at higher than 1,200°C in a thermal oxidation chamber with air and steam, using natural gas (NG) as supplemental fuel. This is also described as a high temperature steam reforming method. Any HCFC 22 present in the HFC 23 will be decomposed in a similar manner. Detailed explanation of the proposed process technology is given in A4.3 of this project design document (PDD).

As a result of voluntarily implementing this CDM project, Changshu Haike will avoid HFC 23 emissions, which would have otherwise been vented to the atmosphere in the absence of the project activity. The installation of incineration facility would also provide technical benefits to the country through transfer of know-how of HFC decomposition technology and contribute to sustainable development.

If approved, this proposed CDM project will contribute to the sustainable development in China in the following aspects:







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- According to China's "Measures for Operation and Management of Clean Development Mechanism Project in China", 65% of revenues from the transfer of CERs generated by the project will be given to the Chinese government to support its "Sustainable Development Facility".
- The project can contribute to the global initiatives towards mitigation of climate change through a reduction in GHG emissions into the atmosphere;
- The project can attract foreign investment and advanced technology into China to help it fulfill the target of sustainable development;
- The project can provide more employment opportunities to facilitate the harmonious and steady social development.

#### A.3. Project participants:

Name of Party involved (*) ((host) indicates a host Party)	Private and/or public entity(ies) project participants (*) (as applicable)	Kindly indicate if the Party involved wishes to be considered as project participant (Yes/No)
People's Republic of China	Changshu Haike Chemical Co. Ltd.	No
United Kingdom	EDF TRADING Limited	No

#### **Project Entity**:

Changshu Haike Chemical Co. Ltd. is the project owner and operator. This legal entity, a Sino-French Joint Venture, is located within the HCFC 22 facility of Arkema (Changshu) Fluorochemical Co. Ltd to treat HFC 23 gas emission from the HCFC 22 process within Arkema (Changshu) Fluorochemical Co. Ltd HCFC 22 facility, which started the HCFC 22 production in May 2000.

Arkema (Changshu) Fluorochemical Co. Ltd proposes to transfer exclusively its total HCFC 22 facility HFC 23 waste gas emission during CDM project period to Changshu Haike Chemical Co. Ltd for appropriate destruction and the latter (Changshu Haike Chemical Co. Ltd) accepts this transfer.

Arkema (Changshu) Fluorochemical Co. Ltd was established in June 1996, has been the first foreign invested company dedicated to the chemistry of hydrofluoric acid and CFC substitutes in China.

China signed the Kyoto Protocol on May 29, 1998 and ratified it on August 30, 2002.

#### Purchaser of CERs from the Project:

EDF Trading Limited, based in London, UK, is a wholly owned subsidiary of EDF, responsible for EDF's commodity trading (electricity, gas, coal, freight,...) including emissions trading.

The EDF group is leader on the French electricity market and one of the leading players on the European energy market. It is present in all areas of the electricity value chain: generation, transport, distribution, supply and trading of energies. With a total installed capacity of 125,000 MW, it supplies more than 42



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million customers around the world, of which 28 million in France, 37 million in Europe with a 2005's sales of 51 Billions Euros.

The 161,310 employees of the EDF Group together cover all of the energy activities:

- Generation (based on nuclear, fossil- fired, hydro, wind and other sources), and trading;
- Transmission: development and operation of high and extra high voltage grids;
- Distribution: operation of medium and low voltage distribution grids;
- Supply and retail;
- Energy services (such as cogeneration, technical management, thermal management of buildings);
- New businesses related to the activities of tomorrow.

The EDF Group has a long tradition of innovation in generation techniques and electricity uses. In 2004, EDF maintained its R&D expending at €395 million.

The early 2000s witnessed the formation of the EDF Group, made up of Electricité de France and a network of affiliates and companies established in Europe and throughout the world. Within the framework of the full opening of the electricity and gas markets in Europe, the EDF Group is implementing a strategy of responsible development based on a development anchored in Europe with already strong positions in United Kingdom, Germany, Italy and on the international scene in growth relay areas or activities.

At the same time, EDF consolidated its public service missions and committed itself to sustainable development:

- In 2001, the EDF Group signed its Agenda 21 (EDF Group Agenda 21 outlines the Group's support of the commitments signed by more than 150 States at the Rio Earth Summit in 1992) and EDF published its 20 commitments to quality public service in France.
- In April 2002, the EDF Group was awarded the ISO 14001 certificate.
- In 2003, the Code of Ethics built around the Group's 5 core values: respect for the individual, respect for the environment, performance, solidarity and integrity, as well as principles for ethical practice and individual conduct.

The EDF Group is a physical player in the emissions market with a CO2 allocation circa 100 Millions t p.a. from 2005 to 2007. The compliance needs and the large potential for emission fluctuation regarding electric plants production (outages, weather, fuel switch...) make the management of emissions a strategic issue for the group.

United Kingdom signed the Kyoto Protocol on April 29, 1998 and ratified it on May 31, 2002.

The contact information of project participants is given in Annex1.

#### A.4. Technical description of the <u>project activity</u>:

#### A.4.1. Location of the <u>project activity</u>:

#### A.4.1.1. <u>Host Party(ies):</u>

People's Republic of China



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#### A.4.1.2. Region/State/Province etc.:

Jiangsu Province

#### A.4.1.3. City/Town/Community etc:

Changshu City/Haiyu Town

A.4.1.4. Detail of physical location, including information allowing the unique identification of this <u>project activity</u> (maximum one page):

Changshu Haike is located in Jiangsu Hi-tech Fluorine Chemical Industry Park (FCIP) in the north of Haiyu town of Changshu City of Jiangsu Province, along the Yangtze River. FCIP is situated 121° east longitude, 31°50' north latitude. It is about 16 km, 56 km, 100 km away south from Changshu City, Suzhou City, and Shanghai Municipality respectively, 15 km away east from Changshu Port, 35 km away northwest from Zhangjiagang Port , and faces Nantong Port across the Yangtze River on the north (see Figure 1 and Figure 2).

Figure 1: Geographical Position of Changshu City in Jiangsu Province

Figure 2: Geographical Position of Changshu Haike in Changshu City



The proposed project is located in the existing HCFC 22 production facility at Arkema Changshu Fluorochemical Co. Ltd plant site, and there is no residential area nearby (see Figure 3).

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Figure 3: Geographical Position of Changshu Haike in FCIP



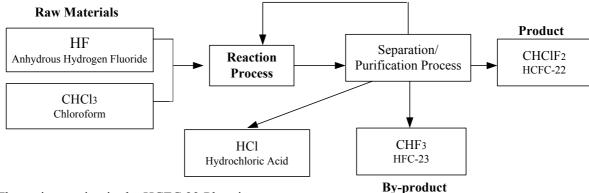
#### A.4.2. Category(ies) of project activity:

This project is categorized in Category 11: "Fugitive Emissions from Production and Consumption of Halocarbons and Sulphur Hexafluoride"

#### A.4.3. Technology to be employed by the project activity:

HCFC 22 is manufactured through continuous reaction of anhydrous hydrogen fluoride (HF) and chloroform (CHCl3) that are introduced into the reactor, in the presence of the antimony pentachloride (SbCl5) catalyst. HCFC 22 and a small amount of HFC 23 as well as HCl are generated in the reactor. The production flow of HCFC 22 and its by-products of HFC 23 are given in Figure 4.

**Figure 4: HCFC 22 Production Process** 



The main reaction in the HCFC 22 Plant is:

2 HF + CHCl<sub>3</sub> --> CHClF<sub>2</sub> (=HCFC 22) + 2 HCl

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The chemical reaction generating HFC 23 in the HCFC 22 Plant is:

#### 3 HF + CHCl3 --> CHF3 (=HFC 23) + 3 HCl

In the above-mentioned HCFC 22 manufacturing process HFC 23 (=CHF3) is inadvertently generated as a by-product. In Changshu Haike's case, the process produced HFC 23 at levels less than 3% of HCFC 22 production in the past, all of which, except some sampling, has been directly released to the atmosphere since there is no Chinese governmental regulation on the emission of HFC 23. The entity has not recovered or sold the HFC 23 generated to the market.

#### Proposed decomposition technology:

The project will adopt a thermal decomposition technology from a French company VICHEM to destroy HFC 23 emissions. VICHEM is a leading supplier of advanced oxidation systems to destroy gas emission, liquid and solid waste. The company started business in 1948 in technologies for the protection of the environment and specialized in the treatment of hazardous, very hazardous and halogenated waste. VICHEM's thermal decomposition technologies have been successfully applied in Rhodia, UK (2003), Solvay, France (1991), Adisseo, France (2003) and Arkema, France (1992). Its reliability and high destruction efficiency have been proved. So far, there are no advanced proven domestic technologies that are specialized in HFC 23 destruction in China. Through the transfer of VICHEM's technology to the proposed project, not only the performance of HFC 23 destruction process can be guaranteed, but also the relevant technical know-how can be transferred to China. Moreover, choosing the most advanced technology for HFC 23 destruction is also important in the sense that the technology employed by the project will not be substituted within the project period.

Steam Soft Water Gaseous Effluent Fuel(NG) Neutralization Air Tower Stack 1200°C Incinerator (Thermal Oxidizer) Neutralization liquid HCFC 22 Plant Absorption **HF Solution** Tower Product HF solution Quench recycling → Liquid Effluent

Figure 5: Flow Diagram of HFC 23 Thermal Decomposition Process

The HFC 23 thermal decomposition process flow of the VICHEM technology to be applied in the project is given in Figure 5. The detailed description is as follows:



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#### Thermal Oxidizer (Incineration Furnace)

HFC 23 emission is fed to the thermal oxidizer directly from the HCFC 22 process. In the thermal oxidizer, natural gas (NG), combustion air coming from a combustion air fan and HFC 23 waste stream will be fully mixed and form a high speed volute. The thermal oxidizer will be equipped with a speed controller to adjust oxygen excess.

The intensive mixed HFC 23 waste stream, NG, and air will then be burned in a burner to form hot fumes (the temperature is higher than 1,200 in the burner). The gases from the complete combustion enter a furnace (1,200), which has a 2-second residence time. The furnace is not a flame zone but is used only for finishing off the last reactions. The decomposition rate of this process can reach 99.999%.

#### Quench

The flue gas leaving the thermal oxidizer is cooled in a quench tower. During the cooling process a circulating pre-cooled aqueous HF solution is used to quench the reaction and cool the flue gas to temperatures that can be handled in the absorption tower (the temperature can drop from 1200 to 45 in 0.001 second). This process can avoid the generation of dioxin. The majority of acid gases (HF and HCl) are absorbed into solution through this cooling process. Any unabsorbed acid gases along with CO<sub>2</sub>, N<sub>2</sub> (from the air) pass from the quench tower to the caustic scrubber.

#### Absorption tower

The remaining acid gases along with CO<sub>2</sub>, N<sub>2</sub> are fed to the bottom of an absorption tower. The acid gases can be absorbed by soft water through this process. The resulting diluted HF solution is refluxed to and accumulated in quench tower, and then discharged for sale when its mass concentration reaches about 40%. CO<sub>2</sub> and N<sub>2</sub> will pass through the caustic scrubber before being vented into the atmosphere.

#### Neutralization tower

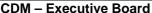
Fumes coming from absorption tower will be sent to a neutralization tower where they are washed by caustic soda solution (NaOH). Acid gases will be removed after washing. The neutralized effluent reaches the requirements of Class III in *Integrated Wastewater Discharge Standard (GB8978-1996)*. It is directly discharged to the clean water tank of Arkema (Changshu), where it meets with other wastewater discharged from the wastewater treatment station of Arkema (Changshu), and finally discharged into the the wastewater treatment center (WTC) of FCIP through the wastewater pipe network. The treated effluent in WTC is in compliance with the requirements of Class I in *Integrated Wastewater Discharge Standard (GB8978-1996)* and discharged to the Long River (see Table 2 for details)).

#### Exhaust stack

The tail gas from neutralization tower will be transferred to exhaust stack and finally emitted to the atmosphere. The gas emission will meet the *Integrated Emission Standard of Air Pollutants (GB16297-1996)*.

This project will employ an advanced and clean HFC 23 decomposition facility with high burning efficiency and decomposition rate to reduce HFC 23 emission to the maximum extent. The pollutants discharged from the proposed HFC 23 incineration facility also completely comply with the threshold value of air pollutants in Table 3 in *Pollution Control Standard for Hazardous Wastes Incineration (GB 18484-2001)*.







#### **Technology transfer**

The decomposition facility is a proven technology from VICHEM. The decomposition efficiency is high and reliable (more than 99.999%). All gases and wastes exhausted from the facilities are in compliance with local and national regulations in terms of environmental protection. The emission levels of pollutants are far lower than those required by the current regulations on air quality in China.

As mentioned previously, the technology for thermal oxidation of HFC 23 is not available indigenously. Although the decomposition technology and equipment of VICHEM to be used at the Changshu Haike may be different from those used at UK and France, the fundamental processes of thermal oxidization are identical. Therefore, it is anticipated that with the knowledge and experience of VICHEM gained in UK and France, the decomposition process will be equally successful in the facility of Changshu Haike.

At macroscopic level, the transfer of this technology in Changshu Haike will contribute to the development of the environmental technology in China, not only from the viewpoint of GHG emission reductions but also from one of stratospheric ozone layer protection; At microscopic level, operating know-how will be transferred to Changshu Haike by training the technical staff and workers to operate and maintain the whole operation process and equipment<sup>1</sup>.

#### A.4.4 Estimated amount of emission reductions over the chosen crediting period:

Annual GHG emission reductions of the proposed project are estimated to be 3,473,451 tCO<sub>2</sub>e. For detailed calculation please refer to section B.6.3. During the first crediting period (2008-2014), the total GHG emission reductions of the proposed project are estimated to be 24,314,157 tCO<sub>2</sub>e.

The crediting period is expected to be renewed to 21 years in total. As the project is planned to start from 1/1/2008 with the renewable crediting periods, the emission reductions during the first crediting period are estimated as:

Years	Annual estimation of emission reductions in tons of CO <sub>2</sub> e
2008	3,473,416
2009	3,473,416
2010	3,473,416
2011	3,473,416
2012	3,473,416
2013	3,473,416
2014	3,473,416
<b>Total estimated reductions</b> (tons of CO <sub>2</sub> e)	24,313,912
Total number of crediting years	7 years
Annual average over the crediting period of estimated reductions (tons of CO <sub>2</sub> e)	3,473,416

#### A.4.5. Public funding of the project activity:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This is elaborated in other sections of this PDD as well.



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No Official Development Assistance (ODA) Fund are used in this project

#### SECTION B. Application of a baseline and monitoring methodology

### B.1. Title and reference of the <u>approved baseline and monitoring methodology</u> applied to the <u>project activity</u>:

Approved baseline methodology AM0001/Version 05 – Incineration of HFC 23 waste streams

Approved monitoring methodology AM0001/Version 05 – Incineration of HFC 23 waste streams

The approved baseline and monitoring methodology is available on the UNFCCC website:

http://cdm.unfccc.int/methodologies/PAmethodologies/approved.html

## B.2 Justification of the choice of the methodology and why it is applicable to the <u>project</u> activity:

AM0001 is applicable to the CDM project that can satisfy the following conditions:

- a) The project activity is the destruction of HFC 23 (CHF<sub>3</sub>) waste streams from an existing HCFC22 production facility;
- b) The HCFC-22 production facility has an operating history of at least three years between beginning of the year 2000 and the end of the year 2004 and has been in operation from 2005 until the start of the project activity;
- c) The HFC-23 destruction occurs at the same industrial site where the HCFC-22 production occurs (i.e. no offsite transport occurs); and
- d) Where no regulation requires the destruction of the total amount of HFC23 waste.

The proposed project can meet all the three requirements above:

- a) The proposed project will decompose the HFC 23 generated from the existing HCFC 22 production facility;
- b) The existing HCFC 22 production facility started its operation in May 2000 and has been in operation for more than three years and has been in operation from 2005 until the start of the project activity. The actual annual production of HCFC 22 production was 7,937.7 tons in 2002, 13,179.3 tons in 2003 and 18,106.5 tons in 2004 respectively;
- c) The HFC 23 destruction is located within the HCFC 22 facility of Arkema (Changshu) Fluorochemical Co. Ltd to treat HFC 23 gas emission from the HCFC 22 process within Arkema (Changshu) Fluorochemical Co. Ltd HCFC 22 facility; and
- d) There is no regulation in China restricting HFC 23 emissions at this moment or in the near future.

In addition, the decomposition technology and process of HFC 23 to be employed in the proposed project as described in Section A4.3, is same as defined in AM0001 /Version 04. In this PDD, the

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aforementioned approved baseline methodology is used in conjunction with the approved monitoring

Therefore, AM0001 methodology is fully applicable to the proposed project.

methodology AM0001/Version 05 ("Incineration of HFC 23 waste streams").

#### B.3. Description of the sources and gases included in the project boundary

The project boundary is defined as the facility to decompose the HFC 23 in the baseline methodology as shown in Figure 6, including incinerator, neutralization tower, exhaust stack etc., while HCFC 22 production facility and the transportation of HF solution are out of the project boundary.

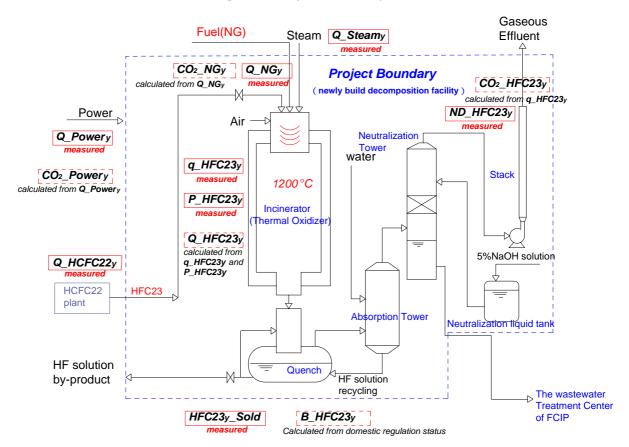


Figure 6: Project Boundary

The description of sources and gases included in the project boundary see the Table below.





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	Source	Gas	Included?	Justification/Explanation
Baseline	HCFC 22 production facility	CO <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>4</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O	Yes No No No	Main emission source Note: as defined in the Figure 6, the source of HFC 23, i.e. HCFC 22 production facility, is out of the project boundary. For simple and conservative For simple and conservative For simple and conservative
Project Activity	HFC 23 decomposition facility	HFC 23	Yes	Not destroyed by the thermal oxydizer (leak into air). The amount of HFC 23 not destroyed is estimated at 0.001% of the quantity of HFC 23 supplied to the destruction process. Note: The HFC 23 which leaks into water effluent is considered by GHGs emission reduction calculation. Theoretically HFC 23 can also leak to the water effluent and then escape to the atmosphere. This possibility is ignored because it is infinitesimally small; the solubility of HFC 23 is 0.1% wt at 25°C water
		CO <sub>2</sub>	Yes	The thermal decomposition process converts the carbon in the HFC 23 into CO <sub>2</sub> , which is released to the atmosphere.
		CH <sub>4</sub>	Yes	The thermal decomposition process uses natural gas as fuel. The main content of natural gas is CH <sub>4</sub> .
		N <sub>2</sub> O	No	Negligible (see the explanation below this table and Annex 3 for details)

As pointed out in Annex 3, there are some possible emissions of GHGs outside the project boundary that will not be measured, such as potential HCFC 22 leakage, and  $N_2O$  from fuel consumption, power generation. These small flows are judged as negligible in the context of this project based on the information below as well as the estimation of their error ranges<sup>2</sup>.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Their error ranges are all below other measured quantities.



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HCFC 22 is also one of GHG with GWP of 1,700 (reference: IPCC Second Assessment Report). Since the project activity does not cause any changes to the existing HCFC 22 plant, there is no leakage effect associated with HCFC 22 production outside the project boundary; and

A small quantity of N<sub>2</sub>O emissions are also produced during thermal destruction process while the N<sub>2</sub>O emissions, on a CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent basis, are a small fraction of the CO<sub>2</sub>e emissions and so are ignored.

The steam and electricity used by the thermal decomposition process are also the sources of GHGs (N<sub>2</sub>O and CO<sub>2</sub>) out of the project boundary, which are included in the leakage item. The transport of HF solution is another source of leakage. The choices for these sources or gases in the leakage calculation are given in the Section B.6.1.

#### Description of how the baseline scenario is identified and description of the identified baseline scenario:

According to the approved baseline methodology AM0001/Version 05, in the absence of regulations requiring the destruction of HFC 23 waste, the typical situation in non-Annex I Parties like China, the fraction of the waste stream required to be destroyed by the regulations that apply during year y  $(r_v)$  is zero. Absent regulations on HFC 23 emissions, the HFC 23 waste is typically released to the atmosphere so the baseline scenario is zero destruction (see Section B.6.1 for details).

#### Description of how the anthropogenic emissions of GHG by sources are reduced below those that would have occurred in the absence of the registered CDM project activity (assessment and demonstration of additionality):

If the proposed decomposition facilities were not installed, all HFC 23 would be emitted to the atmosphere, as there is no local market demand of HFC 23. There are no commercial incentives for the entity to set up the decomposition facility mentioned in this project at present, and its destruction is not mandatory for Changshu Haike. The proposed thermal oxidation facility converses HFC 23 with high GWP of 11,700 into CO<sub>2</sub> with low GWP of 1, which results in almost complete destruction of HFC 23 (99.999%). The net GHG emission reduction achieved by the proposed project activity is the quantity of waste HFC 23 actually destroyed less the GHG emissions generated by the destruction process less leakage due to the destruction process (see Section B.6.1. and B.6.3. for details). The decomposed amount of HFC 23 will be monitored on an ex-post basis.

The proposed project activity meets with "additionality" criteria for the following reasons:

- 1) China has so far no restriction on emitting HFC 23 into the air, and also has no plan to introduce regulations on HFC 23 emission control;
- 2) The Montreal Protocol is, at present, the only law implemented in China that impacts HCFC 22. The Montreal Protocol stipulates that the HCFC 22 production should be ceased by the year 2040 ( HCFC 22 as a raw material is not limited by Montreal Protocol ) .Since the demand for HCFC 22 as raw material for polymer production is increasing, HFC 23 will continue to be generated as a byproduct of HCFC 22 manufacture;
- 3) There are no commercial incentives for Changshu Haike to set up the decomposition facility mentioned in this project at present or in the future and there is no significant market for HFC 23 in



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China.

Therefore, GHG emission reductions would not occur in the absence of the proposed project activity. However HFC 23 can be almost completely decomposed with the proposed project activities and thus the quantity of HFC 23 destroyed is greater than the baseline quantity destroyed in this project. The project is therefore proven to be additional in accordance with the requirements for proving additionality outlined within AM0001/Version 05.

The amount of GHG emission reductions according to methodology AM0001/Version 05 from this project is expected to be 3,473,451 tCO<sub>2</sub>e for a typical year as shown in section B.6.4.

#### **B.6.** Emission reductions:

#### **B.6.1.** Explanation of methodological choices:

Calculation of GHG emission reduction measured in tons of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalents (tCO<sub>2</sub>e) is according to methodology AM0001/Version 05:

#### **Emission Reduction:**

The GHG emission reduction achieved by the project activity is the quantity of waste HFC 23 actually destroyed less the greenhouse gas emissions generated by the destruction process less leakage due to the destruction process. Specifically, the greenhouse gas emission reduction (ER<sub>y</sub>) achieved by the project activity during a given year (y) is equal to the quantity of HFC 23 waste from HCFC production facility (Q\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub>) destroyed by the project activity less the baseline HFC 23 destruction (B\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub>) during that year multiplied by the approved Global Warming Potential value for HFC 23 (GWP\_HFC 23) less the greenhouse gas emissions generated by the destruction process (E\_DP<sub>y</sub>) less greenhouse gas leakage (L<sub>y</sub>) due to the destruction process.

$$ER_v = (Q_HFC 23_v - B_HFC 23_v) * GWP_HFC 23 - E_DP_v - L_v$$

#### Where:

- ER<sub>y</sub> is the greenhouse gas emission reduction during year y measured in tons of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalents (t CO2e);
- Q HFC 23<sub>v</sub> is the quantity of waste HFC 23 destroyed during year y measured in metric tons (t);
- B HFC 23<sub>v</sub> is the baseline quantity of HFC 23 destroyed during year y measured in metric tons,
- GWP HFC 23 is the Global Warming Potential that converts 1 ton of HFC 23 to tons of CO<sub>2</sub>.
- equivalents (tCO<sub>2</sub>e/t HFC 23). The approved Global Warming Potential value for HFC 23 is 11,700 tCO<sub>2</sub>e/t HFC 23 for the first commitment period under the Kyoto Protocol;
- E DP<sub>v</sub> is the GHG emissions due to the destruction process year y (t CO<sub>2</sub>e); and
- L<sub>v</sub> is the GHG leakage due to the destruction process year y (t CO<sub>2</sub>e).

The quantity of waste HFC 23 destroyed (Q\_HFC  $23_y$ ) is calculated as the product of the quantity of waste HFC 23 supplied to the destruction process (q\_HFC  $23_y$ ) measured in metric tons and the purity of the waste HFC 23 (P\_HFC  $23_y$ ) supplied to the destruction process expressed as the fraction of HFC 23 in the waste [Q\_HFC  $23_y$  = q\_HFC  $23_y$  \* P\_HFC  $23_y$ ].

The destruction process uses fuel (NG), steam and electricity. The electricity is purchased from the East China Power Grid. The steam is from the existing boiler of FCIP, which is additionally generated for the



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project. Therefore, the emissions associated with these two energies are included in the leakage calculation ( $L_y$ ) in terms of methodology AM0001. The emissions due to the destruction process ( $E_DP_y$ ) are the emissions due to the NG use, the emissions of HFC 23 not destroyed and the greenhouse gas emissions of the destruction process. Thus:

$$E_DP_y = ND_HFC 23_y * GWP_HFC 23 + Q_FF_y * E_FF_y + Q_HFC 23_y * EF$$

#### Where:

- ND HFC 23<sub>v</sub> is the quantity of HFC 23 not destroyed during year y,
- Q\_FF<sub>y</sub> is the quantity of NG used by the destruction process during year y measured in metric tons  $(m^3)$ :
- E\_FF<sub>y</sub> is the emissions factor for NG combustion during year y measured in tons CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent per cubic meter of natural gas (t CO<sub>2</sub>e/m³); the value of E\_FF<sub>y</sub> will vary by region and over time, but is of the order of 1.96\*10-3 tCO<sub>2</sub>e/m³. Further details can be referred in Annex 3.

The quantity of HFC 23 not destroyed (ND\_HFC  $23_y$ ) is typically small; the monitoring plan provides for its periodic on-site measurement. Theoretically HFC 23 can also leak into the water effluent and then escape to the atmosphere. This possibility is ignored because it is infinitesimally small; the solubility of HFC 23 is 0.1% wt at  $25^{\circ}$ C water.

The thermal destruction process converts the carbon in the HFC 23 into  $CO_2$ , which is released to the atmosphere. The quantity of  $CO_2$  produced by the destruction process is the product of the quantity of waste HFC 23 (Q\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub>) destroyed and the emission factor (EF). The emission factor is calculated as follows:

EF = 44/[(molecular weight of HFC 23)/(number of C in a molecule of HFC 23)] = 44/[70/1] = 0.62857

The thermal destruction process also produces a small quantity of  $N_2O$  emissions. The  $N_2O$  emissions, on a  $CO_2$  equivalent basis, are a small fraction of the  $CO_2$ e emissions and so are ignored.

#### **Baseline:**

The baseline quantity of HFC 23 destroyed is the quantity of the HFC 23 waste stream required to be destroyed by the applicable regulations. The quantity required to be destroyed by the applicable regulations is:

B HFC 
$$23_v = Q$$
 HFC  $23y * r_v$ 

Where  $r_y$  is the fraction of the waste stream required to be destroyed by the regulations that apply during year y. In the absence of regulations requiring the destruction of HFC 23 waste, the typical situation in non-Annex I Parties like China,  $r_y = 0$ . Absent regulations on HFC 23 emissions, the HFC 23 waste is typically released to the atmosphere so the baseline scenario is zero destruction.

To exclude the possibility of manipulating the HCFC 22 production process to increase the quantity of HFC 23, Q\_HFC  $23_y$  is limited to a fraction (w) of a maximum quantity of HCFC22 production at the originating plant that is eligible for crediting (Q\_HCFCy,max).

Q HFC 
$$23_v \le Q$$
 HCFC  $22_{y,max} * w$ 



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#### Where:

- Q\_HCFC 22<sub>y,max</sub> is maximum annual production of HCFC 22 at the originating plant that is eligible for crediting (metric tones per year);

The maximum annual HCFC 22 production quantity that is eligible for crediting (Q\_HCFC22<sub>y,max</sub>) is the lower value between:

- a) the actual HCFC 22 production in year y (Q HCFC22<sub>y</sub>); and
- b) the maximum historical annual HCFC 22 equivalent production level (Q\_HCFC 22<sub>Hist</sub>) at this plant (in tons of HCFC 22) during any of the last three (3) years between beginning of the year 2000 and the end of the year 2004. In Changshu Haike's case, Q\_HCFC 22<sub>Hist</sub> only includes the actual HCFC 22 production since there is no CFC production at swing plants.
- w is the waste generation rate (HFC 23<sup>3</sup>)/(HCFC 22) for the originating plant (metric tons of HFC23 per metric tons of HCFC22).

The historical waste generation rate w is estimated for the three (3) most recent years of operation up to 2004.

According to the AM0001 methodology there are three options for calculating w:

- 1. "Direct measurement of HFC 23 release is to be used where data are available, otherwise
- 2. Mass balance or other methods based on actual data are to be used. Uncertainty in emission rate estimates shall be quantified and conservative emission rate estimates shall be used when calculating expected emission reductions.
  - Regardless of which option is followed it is stated that "The value of w is set at the lowest of the three historical annual values estimated as specified above and is not to exceed 3% (0.03 tons of HFC 23 produced per ton of HCFC 22 manufactured)".
- 3. If insufficient data is available for calculating HFC 23 emissions for all three most recent years up to 2004, then w is set at the default value of 1.5%.

In Changshu Haike's case, the gas composition has been directly monitored on a monthly basis by using gas chromatography. Each monthly data is used to calculate corresponding mass ratio of HFC 23/HCFC 22, based on which the ratio for each year is obtained. Since sufficient measured data is available for the calculation of HFC 23 generation rate, the 1.5% default value for *w* is not applicable to the proposed CDM project.

#### Leakage:

Leakage is emissions of greenhouse gases due to the project activity that occur outside the project boundary. The sources of leakage due to the destruction process in the proposed project are:

- GHG (CO<sub>2</sub> and N<sub>2</sub>O) emission associated with the production of purchased electricity and steam;
- CO<sub>2</sub> emission due to transport of HF solution.

$$L_v = Q_Power_v * E_Power_v + Q_Steam_v * E_Steam_v + ET_v$$

<sup>3</sup> The quantity of HFC 23 used to calculate this coefficient is the sum of HFC 23 recovered for sale plus the waste HFC 23.

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#### Where:

- QPower, is the quantity of electricity used by the destruction process during year y (kWh);
- E\_Power<sub>y</sub> is the greenhouse gas emissions factor for electricity used by the destruction process during year y (t CO<sub>2</sub>e/kWh);
- Q Steam<sub>y</sub> is the quantity of steam used by the destruction process during year y (t Steam);
- E\_Steam<sub>y</sub> is the greenhouse gas emissions factor for steam used by the destruction process during year y (t CO<sub>2</sub>e/t steam);
- ET<sub>y</sub> is the GHG emissions associated with transport of HF solution during year y (t CO<sub>2</sub>e), which is negligible small as shown in Section B.6.3.

The N<sub>2</sub>O emissions from power generation, on a CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent basis, is much smaller when compared to the GHG emissions reduction and so are ignored

#### Basic assumptions and calculation of parameters:

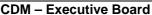
Some basic assumptions and calculation of parameters are summarized below to show that the proposed project activity meets the applicability conditions of the AM0001 methodology.

- 1) Emission Reduction: In absence of regulations to restrict HFC 23 emissions, all HFC 23 of the existing HCFC 22 production facility that is not recovered for sale in the case of Changshu Haike, is assumed to be released to the atmosphere.
- 2) ND\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> is a fraction of Q\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> that is not destroyed during the destruction process, and is to be released in the stack to the atmosphere. However, this emission occurs within the project boundary and is not treated as leakage. In the monitoring plan section, the volume of the ND\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> is monitored, calculated and finally converted into the yield amount (ton) of non-decomposed HFC 23 by a coefficient as shown in Treatment of Uncertainties of Annex 4.
- 3) Local regulation: At present, there is no regulation to restrict HFC 23 emissions in China. So B\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> can be set as zero. This condition will be checked annually and, if relevant regulation is introduced in China, B\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> will be modified as specified in the approved methodology AM0001.
- 4) Eligible HCFC 22 annual production: The annual production amount of HCFC 22 and the cut-off ratio w of HFC 23/HCFC 22 are the two key parameters for Changshu Haike to determine eligible HFC 23 annual production. To avoid manipulation of HCFC 22 production amount which could result in inflated amount of HFC 23, the AM0001 has introduced an additional requirement that the existing production facility, where the HFC 23 waste originates, shall have at least three years of operation history between 2000 and 2004 and that Q\_HCFC 22<sub>y, max</sub> is limited to the lower value between the actual HCFC 22 annual production (Q\_HCFC 22<sub>y</sub>) and the maximum historical annual production level during any of the last three years between 2000 and 2004 (Q\_HCFC 22<sub>Hist</sub>).

Accordingly, based on the actual operation history and detailed production records documented for the existing HCFC 22 production facility, in Changshu Haike's case, the eligible HCFC 22 production that is in compliance with the requirement of the AM0001, are 7,937.7 tons in 2002, 13,179.3 tons in 2003 and 18,106.5 tons. Thus the value recorded in 2004 (18,106.5 tons) shall be the maximum historical production amount of HCFC 22 (Q\_HCFC  $22_{\rm Hist}$ ).

5) Cut-off condition: The cut-off condition, specified in the parameter w in the methodology, is to be







checked against the actual situation on an ex post basis. Based on the lowest latest annual historical data during 2002 to 2004 in Changshu Haike's case, the actual performance for the waste generation ratio w is 1.87% (2002), 1.64 % (2003), and 1.84% (2004). Therefore, the "cut-off" condition is set as 1.64%.

#### B.6.2. Data and parameters that are available at validation:

Data / Parameter:	Q_HCFC 22 <sub>Hist</sub>
Data unit:	t-HCFC 22
Description:	Maximum historical HCFC 22 production between 2002 and 2004
Source of data used:	Provided by Changshu Haike
Value applied:	18,106.5
Justification of the	HCFC 22 production in 2002: 7937.7 t
choice of data or	HCFC 22 production in 2003: 13179.3 t
description of	HCFC 22 production in 2004: 18106.5 t
measurement methods	
and procedures actually	
applied:	
Any comment:	Key parameter

Data / Parameter:	W
Data unit:	%
Description:	HFC 23 generation rate at Changshu Haike
Source of data used:	Provided by Changshu Haike
Value applied:	1.64
Justification of the	HFC 23 generation rate in 2002: 1.87%
choice of data or	HFC 23 generation rate in 2003: 1.64%
description of	HFC 23 generation rate in 2004: 1.84%
measurement methods	
and procedures actually	
applied:	
Any comment:	Minimum rate in the last 3 years of operation between 2002 and 2004

Data / Parameter:	GWP_HFC 23
Data unit:	tCO <sub>2</sub> e/ t HFC 23
Description:	Global Warming Potential Value of HFC 23 for the first commitment period
	under the Kyoto Protocol
Source of data used:	IPCC Second Assessment Report
Value applied:	11,700
Justification of the	IPCC default value
choice of data or	
description of	
measurement methods	
and procedures actually	
applied:	
Any comment:	For the first commitment period under the Kyoto Protocol, Global Warming
	Potential values used shall be those provided by the Intergovernmental Panel on
	Climate Change in its Second Assessment Report ("1995 IPCC GWP values").









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Data / Parameter:	EF
Data unit:	tCO <sub>2</sub> e / tHFC 23
Description:	Emission factor of HFC 23
Source of data used:	Calculation in the methodology
Value applied:	0.62857
Justification of the	The emission factor is calculated in the methodology as follows:
choice of data or	
description of	EF = 44/[(molecular weight of HFC 23)/(number of C in a molecule of HFC)]
measurement methods	23)] = 44/[70/1] =0.62857
and procedures actually	
applied:	
Any comment:	The thermal destruction process converts the carbon in the HFC 23 into CO <sub>2</sub> ,
	which is released to the atmosphere. The quantity of CO <sub>2</sub> produced by the
	destruction process is the product of the quantity of waste HFC 23 (Q_HFC23 <sub>y</sub> )
	destroyed and the emission factor (EF).

Data / Parameter:	$E_FF_y$
Data unit:	$tCO_2e/m^3$
Description:	Emission factor of fuel (NG)
Source of data to be	Calculated from component analysis report of natural gas
used:	
Value applied:	$1.96*10^{-3}$
Justification of the	Calculated from component analysis report of natural gas
choice of data or	$E_FF_y = 44 * average number of carbon atoms of NG / 22.4$
description of	
measurement methods	
and procedures actually	
applied:	
Any comment:	Very minor contribution and does not affect the final results of the project emission
	reduction significantly.

#### **B.6.3** Ex-ante calculation of emission reductions:

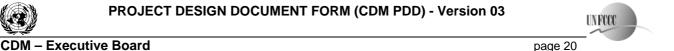
#### **The Project Emissions:**

Within the system boundary, GHG emissions include  $CO_2$  release due to conversion of HFC 23 in thermal oxidation process,  $CO_2$  equivalent of non-decomposed HFC 23 and GHG ( $CO_2$  and  $N_2O$ ) release from burning of fuel (in this case NG is used as fuel).

Theoretically HFC 23 can also leak to the water effluent and then escape to the atmosphere. This possibility is ignored because it is infinitesimally small; the solubility of HFC 23 is 0.1% wt at 25°C water.

The following indirect CO<sub>2</sub> emissions are not considered, as these are very insignificant and not measurable. This is in accordance with the approved AM0001/Version 05.





CO<sub>2</sub> released in the manufacture of packing material for absorption tower (caustic scrubbing tower) as this packing material is not consumable item. This packing material requires change only when broken;

- CO<sub>2</sub> released in the fabrication/manufacture of equipment and machinery used in the project activity;
- CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent of N<sub>2</sub>O released from the project activity, which is insignificant in comparison to the GHG emission reductions.

E\_DP<sub>y</sub> = ND\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> \* GWP\_HFC 23 + Q\_FF<sub>y</sub> \* E\_FF<sub>y</sub> + Q\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> \* EF = 
$$296.947*0.001\%*11,700+141,213.6*1.96*10^{-3}+296.947*0.62857$$
 =  $498 \text{ tCO}_2\text{e}$ 

Where the parameters are those specified in the AM0001/Version 05 and also in Section B.6.1.

In the ex-ante calculation of Q HFC  $23_v$ , Q HFC  $23_v = Q$  HCFC  $22_{v,max} * w = Q$  HCFC  $22_{Hist} * w =$ 18.106.5 \* 1.64% = 296.947 t-HFC 23.

The data for NG (141,213.6 m<sup>3</sup>) is from the technical specifications of the proposed decomposition system. E  $FF_v = 1.96*10^{-3} \text{ tCO}_2\text{e/m}^3$ , the detailed calculation is given in the Annex 2.

#### **Estimated Leakage:**

The description related to leakage, including definition, each gas, source, effects and formulae is partly given in Section B.6.1. Other information is provided as follows:

HCFC 22 is a type of GHG with GWP of 1,700 (reference: IPCC Second Assessment Report). Since the project activity does not cause any changes to the existing HCFC 22 plant, there is no leakage effect associated with HCFC 22 emission in the project.

In this project, about 2,793.4 t of HF solution is generated per year as by-product for sale. The emissions associated with transporting HF solution are estimated as follows:

CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent of emission associated with transporting HF solution, i.e. the product of E HF solution, and Q HF solution, equals to 0.133 t CO<sub>2</sub>e (4.76\*10<sup>-5</sup> \*2,793.4), which is very small compared to the GHG emission reductions and so is ignored.

The effluent from neutralization liquid tank is directly discharged to the tailwater pond in a central position of Arkema (Changshu)'s plant area, and then into the wastewater treatment centre of FCIP through the pipe network as described in Section A.4.3, and therefore no sludge is generated in this project. This indicates that no emission associated with sludge transportation occurs for the proposed project.

As analyzed above, ET<sub>v</sub>, can be neglected, i.e. ET<sub>v</sub> is zero.

Thus:

 $L_v = Q$  Power, \* E Power, + Q Steam, \* E Steam, + ET,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> See the Annex 3 for detailed calculation.





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=  $316,800*8.6585*10^{-4} + 277.2*0.33+0$ =  $366 \text{ tCO}_2\text{e}$ 

Where the parameters are those specified in the AM0001/Version 05 and also in Section B.6.1. The data for power (316,800 kWh/a) and steam (277.2 t-steam/a) are from the technical specifications of the proposed decomposition system.  $E_Power_y = 8.6585*10^{-4} tCO_2e/kWh$  and  $E_Steam_y = 0.33 tCO_2e/t$  steam, their detailed calculations are given in the Annex 3.

#### **Baseline emissions:**

The baseline quantity of HFC 23 destroyed in a year y is described as

$$B_{\text{HFC }}23_{\text{y}} = Q_{\text{HFC }}23_{\text{y}} * r_{\text{y}}$$

Where the parameters are those specified in the AM0001/Version 05 and also in Section B.6.1. For Q HFC 23<sub>v</sub>, its definition and conservative assumptions should be referred in Section B.6.1.

In the absence of regulations requiring the destruction of HFC 23 waste, the typical situation in non-Annex I Parties like China,  $r_y = 0$ . Absent regulations on HFC 23 emissions, the HFC 23 waste is typically released to the atmosphere so the baseline scenario (B HFC  $23_v$ ) is zero destruction.

Thus, the baseline emissions are:

Q HFC 23<sub>v</sub> \* GWP HFC 23 = 296.947 \* 11,700 = 3,474,280 t 
$$CO_2e$$

The total emission reduction in a regular year is expected to be:

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ER<sub>y</sub> = (Q_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> - B_HFC 23<sub>y</sub>) * GWP_HFC 23 - E_DP<sub>y</sub> - L<sub>y</sub>

= (Q_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> - B_HFC 23<sub>y</sub>) * GWP_HFC 23 - (ND_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> * GWP_HFC 23 + Q_FF<sub>y</sub> * E_FF<sub>y</sub>

+Q_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> * EF) - (Q_Power<sub>y</sub> * E_Power<sub>y</sub> + Q_Steam<sub>y</sub> * E_Steam<sub>y</sub> + ET<sub>y</sub>)

= 296.947*11,700-(296.947*0.001%*11,700+141,213.6*1.96*10<sup>-3</sup>+296.947*0.62857)-

(316,800*8.6585*10<sup>-4</sup> + 277.2*0.33+0)

= 3,474,280-498-366

= 3,473,416
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Where  $ER_y$  is the total emission reduction of the project activity in the given year y, measured in tons of  $CO_2$  equivalent.

#### **B.6.4** Summary of the ex-ante estimation of emission reductions:

Year	Estimation of Project activity Emission (tonnes of CO2e)	Estimation of baseline emission (tonnes of CO <sub>2</sub> e)	Estimation of leakage (tonnes of CO2e)	Estimation of Emission reductions (tonnes of CO <sub>2</sub> e)
2008	498	3,474,280	366	3,473,416
2009	498	3,474,280	366	3,473,416
2010	498	3,474,280	366	3,473,416
2011	498	3,474,280	366	3,473,416
2012	498	3,474,280	366	3,473,416





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2013	498	3,474,280	366	3,473,416
2014	498	3,474,280	366	3,473,416
Total (t CO2e)	3,486	24,319,960	2,562	24,313,912

#### B.7 Application of the monitoring methodology and description of the monitoring plan:

#### **B.7.1** Data and parameters monitored:

Data / Parameter:	q_HFC 23 <sub>y</sub>		
Data unit:	kg-HFC 23		
Description:	Quantity of HFC 23 supplied to the destruction process		
Source of data to be used:	Flow meter		
Value of data applied for the purpose of calculating expected emission reductions in section B.5	18,106.5 * 1.64% * 1000 = 296947 Historical maximum annual HCFC 22 production and the minimum rate in the last 3 years of operation between 2002 and 2004 are applied to calculate q_HFC 23 <sub>y</sub> in the case of no actual monitoring data.		
Description of measurement methods and procedures to be applied:	Measured by two flow meters in series; Calibration will be done every six months by an officially accredited entity. The zero check on the flow meters will be conducted every week. If the zero check indicates that flow meter is not stable, an immediate calibration of the flow meter will be undertaken. Most of the time, both flow meters measure the same amount of HFC 23 flows simultaneously. If the flow meter readings differ by greater than twice the claimed accuracy, then the reason for the discrepancy is investigated and the fault remedied. For the sake of conservativeness the lower value of the two readings will always be used to estimate the HFC 23 waste flows.  The monthly quantity of HFC 23 waste flows (q_HFC23 <sub>m</sub> ) is the sum of the lower periodic <sup>5</sup> reading of the two meters, as follow:  q_HFC23m = \sum \sum \min^m (q_HFC23_{1,t}, q_HFC23_{2,t})  t= number of period in a month		
QA/QC procedures to be applied:	A QA & QC organization will be formed. We plan to measure by two flow meters in series but read simultaneously. The flow meters will be calibrated every six months by an officially accredited entity. The zero check on the flow meters will be conducted every week. If the zero check indicates that flow meter is not stable, and immediate calibration of the flow meter will be undertaken.		
Any comment:	Monthly recorded, electronically archived		

Data / Parameter:	P_HFC 23 <sub>y</sub>
Data unit:	%
Description:	Purity of HFC 23 supplied to the destruction process
Source of data to be	Gas chromatography

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> The periodic frequency of less than one hour can be used, as documented in the PDD.





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used:	
Value of data applied	100% is assumed here. The actual analysis of HFC23 purity doesn't exist since
for the purpose of	the proposed project hasn't started.
calculating expected	
emission reductions in	
section B.5	
Description of	Measured by sampling and using gas chromatography
measurement methods	
and procedures to be	
applied:	
QA/QC procedures to	Will be measured by gas chromatography.
be applied:	Its quality can be ensured through an internal audit procedure. One analyst is
	responsible for sampling and analyzing, and the other for checking the results.
	The verification of gas chromatography will be conducted pursuant to the
	Verification Regulation of Gas Chromatograph (JJG700-1999), using HCFC22
	and HFC23 as standard substances. The analysis will be repeated in case of doubt
	regarding its veracity.
Any comment:	Monthly recorded, electronically archived

Data / Parameter:	ND_HFC 23 <sub>v</sub>
Data unit:	kg-HFC 23
Description:	Quantity of HFC 23 in gaseous effluent
Source of data to be	Gas chromatography
used:	
Value of data applied	0.001% of the quantity of HFC 23 supplied to the destruction process
for the purpose of	
calculating expected	
emission reductions in	
section B.5	
Description of	When the thermal oxidizer stops, analysis of the effluent gas is done to check
measurement methods	leaked HFC 23 by sampling
and procedures to be	
applied:	
QA/QC procedures to	Will be measured from the gas effluent of the destruction process.
be applied:	Its quality can be ensured through an internal audit procedure. One analyst is
	responsible for sampling and analyzing, and the other for checking the results.
	The verification of gas chromatography will be conducted pursuant to the
	Verification Regulation of Gas Chromatograph (JJG700-1999), using HFC23 as
	standard substances. The analysis will be repeated in case of doubt regarding its
	veracity.
Any comment:	While the monitoring methodology AM0001 /Version 04 does not specify the
	type of equipment used to monitor ND_HFC 23 <sub>y</sub> , the proposed project intends to
	use gas chromatography for the gas flow in the stack. It is reasonable to measure
	with gas chromatography a sample fraction (%) of HFC 23 in the stack to be
	released to the atmosphere and also measure a sample volume of such emission
	gas with flow meter and take their product and converts it from volume to mass
	to yield amount (ton) of non-decomposed HFC 23. Such conversion factor is
	assumed to be constant as shown in Annex 3.
	Monthly recorded, electronically archived





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Data / Parameter:	Q_FF <sub>y</sub>
Data unit:	$m^3$ .
Description:	Quantity of NG used by the destruction process
Source of data to be used:	NG meter
Value of data applied	141,213.6 m <sup>3</sup>
for the purpose of	
calculating expected	
emission reductions in	
section B.5	
Description of	Measured by using a NG meter
measurement methods	
and procedures to be	
applied:	
QA/QC procedures to	Will be metered using NG meter
be applied:	NG purchase and consumption records as well as the invoices for sold NG are
	used as cross-check proofs.
Any comment:	Monthly recorded, electronically archived

Data / Parameter:	Q_HCFC 22 <sub>y</sub>
Data unit:	t-HCFC 22
Description:	The quantity of HCFC 22 produced in the plant generating the HFC 23 waste
Source of data to be	Weight meter
used:	
Value of data applied	18,106.5
for the purpose of	
calculating expected	
emission reductions in	
section B.5	
Description of	Checked by the production record monthly and aggregately yearly
measurement methods	
and procedures to be	
applied:	
QA/QC procedures to	Will be obtained from production records of the facility where the HFC 23 waste
be applied:	originates.
	The documents, such as inventory records and sales information, are used as
	cross-check proofs.
Any comment:	Reference data to check cut off condition and rough estimation of Q_HFC 23 <sub>y</sub>
	Monthly recorded, electronically archived

Data / Parameter:	Q_HCFC 22 <sub>v,max</sub>
Data unit:	t-HCFC 22
Description:	Maximum annual production of HCFC 22 at the originating plant that is eligible
	for crediting
Source of data to be	HCFC22 production records
used:	
Value of data applied	18,106.5





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for the purpose of	
calculating expected	
emission reductions in	
section B.5	
Description of	The lower value between the actual HCFC 22 annual production (Q_HCFC 22 <sub>y</sub> )
measurement methods	and the maximum historical annual production level during any of the last three
and procedures to be	years between 2000 and 2004 (Q_HCFC 22 <sub>Hist</sub> )
applied:	
QA/QC procedures to	Will be obtained from production records of the facility where the HFC 23 waste
be applied:	originates.
Any comment:	Yearly recorded, electronically archived

Data / Parameter:	HFC 23 <sub>y</sub> _sold
Data unit:	t-HFC 23
Description:	HFC 23 sold by the facility generating the HFC 23 waste
Source of data to be	Sales record
used:	
Value of data applied	0
for the purpose of	
calculating expected	
emission reductions in	
section B.5	
Description of	Sales record
measurement methods	
and procedures to be	
applied:	
QA/QC procedures to	The production records of the facility where the HFC 23 waste originates are
be applied:	used as cross-check proof.
Any comment:	Reference data to check cut off condition and rough estimation of Q_HFC 23 <sub>y</sub>
	Yearly recorded, electronically archived

Data / Parameter:	$r_{y}$ .
Data unit:	%
Description:	Fraction of HFC 23 subject to regulation
Source of data to be	Governmental authority
used:	
Value of data applied	0
for the purpose of	
calculating expected	
emission reductions in	
section B.5	
Description of	Estimated in consideration of governmental laws and regulations on HFC 23
measurement methods	control
and procedures to be	
applied:	
QA/QC procedures to	It is periodically validated and evaluated by the HFC 23 Decomposition
be applied:	Workshop Supervisor. The results will be recorded and documented for
	personnel of other relevant departments to perform an internal verification or
	validation.





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Any comment:	Yearly recorded, electronically archived
Data / Parameter:	Q_Power <sub>y</sub>
Data unit:	kWh
Description:	Electricity consumption by the destruction process
Source of data to be	Electricity meter
used:	
Value of data applied	316,800
for the purpose of	
calculating expected	
emission reductions in	
section B.5	
Description of	Metered
measurement methods	
and procedures to be	
applied:	
QA/QC procedures to	Will be metered using electricity meter.
be applied:	Electricity purchase and consumption records as well as the invoices for sold
	electricity are used as cross-check proofs.
Any comment:	Monthly recorded, electronically archived

Data / Parameter:	E_Power <sub>y</sub>
Data unit:	tCO <sub>2</sub> e/ kWh
Description:	Emission Factor of power
Source of data to be	The China power grid emission factors issued by the National Development and
used:	Reform Commission of China (NDRC) (16/10/2006)
	(http://cdm.ccchina.gov.cn/WebSite/CDM/UpFile/File1053.pdf)
Value of data applied	8.6585*10 <sup>-4</sup>
for the purpose of	
calculating expected	
emission reductions in	
section B.5	
Description of	Combined margin method specified in ACM0002 is applied:
measurement methods	$E_Power_y = (EF_{OM} + EF_{BM}) / 2$
and procedures to be	= (0.9448 + 0.7869) / 2
applied:	$= 8.6585*10^{-4} tCO_{2}/kWh.$
QA/QC procedures to	Refers to updated China power grid emission factors issued by the National
be applied:	Development and Reform Commission of China (NDRC)
Any comment:	Yearly recorded, electronically archived

Data / Parameter:	Q_Steam <sub>y</sub>
Data unit:	kg-steam
Description:	Steam consumption during deposition
Source of data to be	Steam meter
used:	
Value of data applied	277,200
for the purpose of	
calculating expected	





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emission reductions in section B.5	
Description of	Metered
measurement methods	
and procedures to be	
applied:	
QA/QC procedures to	Will be metered using steam meter.
be applied:	Steam purchase and consumption records as well as the invoices for sold steam
	are used as cross-check proof.
Any comment:	Monthly recorded, electronically archived

Data / Parameter:	E_Steam <sub>y</sub>
Data unit:	t CO <sub>2</sub> e/t steam
Description:	Emission Factor of steam
Source of data to be	Calculation based on the data provided by Changshu Haike and IPCC default
used:	value
Value of data applied	0.33
for the purpose of	
calculating expected	
emission reductions in	
section B.5	
Description of	E_Steam <sub>y</sub> = coal consumption of unit steam generation (t-coal/t-steam) * CO <sub>2</sub>
measurement methods	emission factor (t CO <sub>2</sub> e/t-coal) (IPCC value)
and procedures to be	
applied:	
QA/QC procedures to	Refers to updated "National Electricity Power Industries Statistics Data" and
be applied:	IPCC
Any comment:	Yearly recorded, electronically archived

In addition the quantities of gaseous effluents (CO, HCl, HF,  $Cl_2$ , dioxin and  $NO_X$ ) and liquid effluents (PH, COD, BOD, n-H (normal hexane extracts), SS (suspended solid), phenol, and metals (Cu, Zn, Mn and Cr) are measured every six months to ensure compliance with environmental regulations.

#### **B.7.2** Description of the monitoring plan:

The monitoring plan (MP) defines a standard against which the project performance in terms of its greenhouse gas (GHG) reductions and conformance with all relevant Clean Development Mechanism criteria will be monitored and verified. It is therefore a tool to help coordinate all the monitoring requirements for generating certified emission reductions from the project.

The information included in this MP will be available at the project site. The implementation of the MP will ensure that the management at Changshu Haike can track emission reductions generated by the project.

New employees will also benefit from the existence of an MP since they can quickly be made aware of the importance of keeping emission reduction data. In addition, the MP will be useful in efficiently communicating with the Designated Operational Entity (DOE) during audits and saving valuable time.

AM0001 monitoring methodology is based on direct measurement of the amount of HFC 23 waste

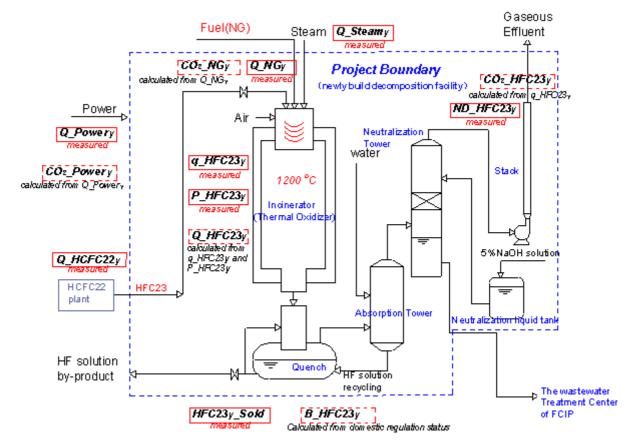
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destroyed and of the energy used by the destruction process as shown in Figure 7.

Figure 7: Monitoring Approach



This monitoring methodology provides for direct and continuous measurement of the actual quantity HFC 23 destroyed, as well as the quantities of electricity, steam and fossil fuel used by the destruction process.

With regard to the data and parameters monitored in the Section B.7.1, the project will take the following monitoring process:

- 1. The quantity of HFC 23 supplied to the destruction process (**q\_HFC 23**<sub>y</sub>) will be directly and continuously measured by using two flow meters. In order to have more accurate data, the flow meters will be recalibrated every six months by an officially accredited entity. The zero check on the flow meters will be conducted every week. If the zero check indicates that flow meter is not stable, and immediate calibration of the flow meter will be undertaken. When one flow meter is recalibrated, the other flow meter will continue measuring the quantity of HFC 23 fed to the destruction process.
- 2. The purity of HFC 23 supplied to the destruction process (**p\_HFC 23**<sub>y</sub>) will be checked monthly by sampling and using gas chromatography. Combinations of continuous flow measurement and calculation will be used to estimate quantities of other materials, e.g., air that may be in the HFCs if this is appropriate.
- 3. The quantity of HCFC 22 produced (**Q\_HCFC 22**<sub>y</sub>) will be measured by weighing. The amount of HFC 23 generated from the HCFC 22 plant will be checked yearly by comparing the amount of HCFC 22 produced to the sum of the HFC 23 recovered for sale, and HFC 23 decomposed.
- 4. Maximum annual production of HCFC 22 at the originating plant that is eligible for crediting



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(Q\_HCFC  $22_{y, max}$ ) will be obtained through comparing the actual HCFC 22 annual production (Q\_HCFC  $22_{y}$ ) and the maximum historical annual production level during any of the last three years between 2000 and 2004 (Q\_HCFC  $22_{Hist}$ ), and the lower one of these two data is the Q\_HCFC  $22_{y, max}$  in the year y.

- 5. The electricity consumption ( $\mathbf{Q}$  **power**<sub>v</sub>) will be measured by a meter.
- 6. The steam consumption ( $\mathbf{Q}$  steam<sub>v</sub>) will be measured by a meter.
- 7. The fuel consumption ( $\mathbf{Q} \mathbf{F} \mathbf{F}_{\mathbf{v}}$ ) will be measured by using a fuel meter.
- 8. The quantity of leaked HFC 23 in gaseous effluent (ND\_HFC 23<sub>v</sub>) will be measured by sampling.
- 9. The quantities of gaseous effluents (CO, HCl, HF, organic carbon dioxin and NO<sub>x</sub>) will be measured twice a year to ensure that the project is in compliance with the relevant environmental standard in China (GB18484-2001: National Pollution Control Standard for Hazardous Wastes Incineration,).
- 10. The quantities of liquid effluents (PH, COD, BOD, SS, fluoride and metals) will be measured twice a year and checked against the relevant environmental standard in China (GB8978-1996: National Integrated Wastewater Discharge Standard).

#### Monitoring structure:

During the project implementation, operators of each shift will record the monitoring data both electronic and paper-based, and the shift heads should check the records to ensure their accuracy. One professional monitoring person will be assigned to collect the monitoring data and other supporting data to make a weekly report to the manager of HFC 23 decomposition facility. The manager will not only give a report to the General Manager every month, but also prepare the semi-annual monitoring report to DOE for emission reduction verification with the assistance of the monitoring personnel.

Personnel from other departments will support the monitoring work of the HFC 23 decomposition. Plant manager of HCFC 22 production, quality assurance department manager and information centre personnel will provide monitoring personnel information he/she needed, such as data about HCFC 22 production, sample analysis results and computer system maintenance.

The personnel that interact with monitoring will be trained to acquire comprehensive knowledge with regards to general and technical aspects of CDM project. And the monitoring equipment supplier will provide instruction on installation, operation, maintenance and calibration of their equipments.

#### **Management structure:**

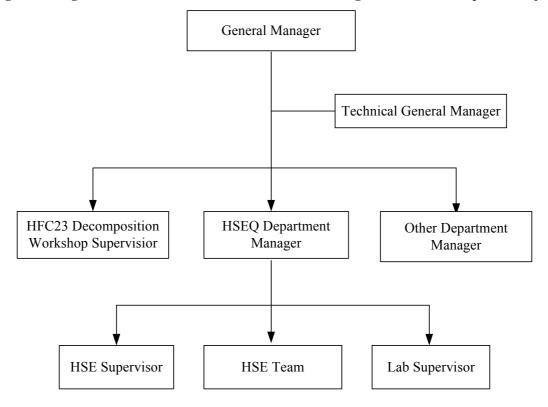
Arkema Changshu has established ISO management system through acquiring the certificates of ISO 9001:2000 and ISO14001: 2004. These two certificates were issued in 2003 and in 2005 respectively. As part of Arkema Changshu platform, Changshu Haike will also implement the aforementioned environmental management systems, and enlarge their applicable scopes to cover the project activity after the proposed project is implemented.

Changshu Haike will establish a special environmental management department to ensure the smooth implementation of environmental management. The organization structure of environmental management for the project activity is shown in Figure 8.

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Figure 8: Organization Structure of Environmental Management for the Proposed Project



The HSE (Health, Safety, and environment) Team under HSEQ (Health, Safety, environment, and quality) Department is responsible for planning and carrying out the environmental activities both during the construction and operational phases of the project. This team will consist of 11 employees.

During the construction phase, the HSE Team will be responsible for:

- Assisting HSEQ Department Manager for the preparation of the environmental management plans specific to the construction activities of this HFC 23 decomposition project;
- Identifying risk areas at the construction site;
- Ensuring implementation of mitigation measures;
- Reviewing the environmental management reports received from the HFC 23 decomposition workshop;
- Participating in accident investigation;
- Record keeping of environmental and safety information (e.g. accidents);
- Assisting HFC 23 decomposition workshop in preparing an emergency response plan; and
- Providing HSE training for the HFC 23 decomposition project personnel.

During the operational phase, the HSE Team will be responsible for:

- Reviewing the environmental management reports received from the HFC 23 decomposition workshop;
- Record keeping environmental information (e.g. spills, leaks, accidents);
- Participating in accident investigation;
- Assisting HFC 23 decomposition workshop in updating an emergency response plan; and



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Providing HSE training for the HFC 23 decomposition project personnel.

HSEQ Department will support HSE Team in the following areas:

- Preparing the Emergency Response Plan during the construction phase and updating the plan during the operational phase;
- Preparing the staff training plans and arrangements;
- Reviewing the environmental management reports received from the HFC 23 decomposition workshop;
- Participating in accident investigation;
- Compiling material safety data sheets for the chemicals handled in the HFC 23 decomposition project; and
- Record keeping environmental information (e.g. spills, leaks, accidents).

Staff training regarding HSE will facilitate smooth and effective implementation of the HFC 23 decomposition project during its construction and operational phases. The technology supplier will also provide specialized training for and instruction on installation, operation, maintenance and calibration of all the new equipment.

#### **Emergency Preparedness and Response:**

Environment emergency preparedness and response procedure is established in Changshu Haike to address reasonably foreseeable emergency situations, to set up an organization to develop and mitigate the consequences of an accident, and to provide appropriate emergency preparedness information to entity personnel, contractors, emergency response organizations and the community. It includes:

- 1) Identifying basic situation of environment risk;
- 2) Emergency preparedness;
- 3) Environmental emergency response;
- 4) Emergency organization;
- 5) Corrective and preventive action;
- 6) Emergency response drill;
- 7) Record; and
- 8) Training

The procedure above will be regularly checked and revised for improvement.

In addition, the supplier of the proposed thermal decomposition system will also provide detailed technical solutions for emergency preparedness. In case the thermal destruction facility encounters emergency shutdown, all equipment will immediately switched to a safe mode.

The unintended emissions associated with the production process would be related to main failures in the incinerator and/or gas cleanup systems. If these equipment/systems cannot work properly, the following emergency measures should be initiated: 1) to stop air admission to the thermal oxidizer (incineration furnace) and then directly release tail gas of HCFC 22; or immediately stop producing HCFC 22 to avoid the generation of HFC 23 gas; 2) to immediately initiate emergency response system to ensure that the residual waste gas in the incineration system is fully purified and in compliance with national related emission standard. An emergency response system is designed and installed in the incineration system. This can cool gas with high temperature in the case of accidents instantly (avoid the generation of dioxin),





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fully neutralize and absorb acid gas such as HF and HCl, and finally achieve the emission in compliance with the related standard.

The fire wastewater generated in emergency case will be collected by an emergency cofferdam around the incinerator and gas cleanup systems, and then moved in a timely fashion into the wastewater treatment station of Arkema (Changshu) for further treatment. When meeting with the requirements accessing to the WTC of FCIP, it is discharged into the tailwater pond and then into the WTC through the wastewater pipe network for final treatment.

A special cofferdam will be also built for the storage tank of HF solution in case of emergent spill.

#### **Quality Assurance and Inspection:**

The quality control and inspection procedure will be established for monitoring and calibration of the proposed project activity to assure monitoring accuracy. Such procedure will include, but not limited to, following features:

- Annual test and calibration of monitoring equipment, including semi-annual recalibration by an officially accredited entity and weekly zero check of the two flow meters for HFC 23;
- Definition of malfunction of monitoring equipment;
- Corrective actions in case of malfunction/breakdown or for more accurate monitoring and reporting;
- Internal audit:
- Project performance review.

#### **Data Management System**

A computer system saves and archives the data collected during monitoring process. The monitoring personnel are primarily responsible to manage the computer system and to save data also in hard copy. If the Designed Operational Entity (DOE) makes a reasonable request for information not directly related to the proposed project, Changshu Haike is responsible for its provision provided that certain confidentiality is secured and, furthermore, it should be archived in the data management system.

Paper information, for example maps, tables, and governmental approval on environmental impact report, is utilized to supplement the monitoring, in order to verify credibility of the saved information.

#### Date of completion of the application of the baseline study and monitoring methodology and **B.8** the name of the responsible person(s)/entity(ies)

The date of completion of the baseline study: January 10, 2007 The contract information of the person who determines the baseline:

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SECT	ECTION C. Duration of the project activity / crediting period					
<b>C.1</b>	2.1 Duration of the <u>project activity</u> :					
	C.1.1.	Starting date	of the project activity:			
		01/01/2008.				
	C.1.2.	Expected op	erational lifetime of the project activity:			
		21 years				
C.2	Choice of the <u>crediting period</u> and related information:					
	C.2.1.	Renewable crediting period				
		C.2.1.1.	Starting date of the first <u>crediting period</u> :			
		01/01/2008.				
		C.2.1.2.	Length of the first <u>crediting period</u> :			
		7 years and 0 month				
	C.2.2.	Fixed crediting	ng period:			
		C.2.2.1.	Starting date:			
N/A						
		C.2.2.2.	Length:			

N/A



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#### **SECTION D.** Environmental impacts

## **D.1.** Documentation on the analysis of the environmental impacts, including transboundary impacts:

As required by "Environmental Impact Assessment Law of China", the proposed project shall go through an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and the project entity shall submit an EIA Report to local Environmental Protection Bureau for approval. An EIA report for the proposed project has been undertaken pursuant to the stipulation of the law and ordinance above and approved by the Jiangsu Province Environmental Protection Bureau, China on November 13, 2006. The full EIA report is available for review by the Validator on request. The final conclusions of EIA are summarized as follows.

- 1) The implementation of the proposed project will achieve GHG emission reductions by decomposing all HFC 23 of Arkema Changshu; these emission reductions will contribute to mitigation of climate change;
- 2) The proposed project complies with national current industrial policies since it belongs to comprehensive utilization project of "three wastes<sup>6</sup>";
- 3) Site selection is appropriate. The proposed project is located in the existing HCFC 22 production facility at Arkema Changshu, with convenient communication. The existing public facilities of Arkema Changshu can ensure normal operation of the proposed project;
- 4) The proposed technology is feasible. The technological process meets with the requirements of clean production and reaches an international advanced level;
- 5) The proposed project is in accordance with local overall planning. Its implementation will achieve significant social benefits and economic benefits;
- 6) Some adverse impacts on the environment in construction period and operation period will be treated through adopting environmental protection countermeasures to make sure that the newly increased "three wastes" comply with national environmental regulations and standards; and
- 7) Therefore, the project is fully acceptable from an environmental perspective.

The adverse impacts on environment in construction period mainly include dust, noise and construction garbage, as a result of construction. These slight impacts can be mitigated by undertaking appropriate countermeasures.

The main impacts in operation period, which is identified by the EIA report, are summarized below.

#### Gaseous effluents:

Incineration of HFC 23 generates hydrogen fluoride (HF) and hydrogen chloride (HCl). Therefore, the combustion gas from the thermal oxidizer (furnace) is quenched and scrubbed with water and caustic soda to completely remove such acid substances before being vented to the atmosphere. The rapid quenching prevents the generation of dioxins.

The gaseous emission and control measures are shown in Table 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Three wastes: wastewater, waste gas, and solid wastes.

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**Table 1 Gaseous Emission and Control Measures** 

Pollutants	Control Measures	Gas Emission concentration and velocity	Pollution Control Standard for Hazardous Wastes Incineration, GB18484-2001	Compliance Status
HF	quench + water	$\leq 1.2 \text{ mg/m}^3$ $\leq 6.1*10^{-4} \text{ kg/h}$	≤9.0 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ≤ 0.19 kg/h	Yes
HCL	washing +	$\leq 12 \text{ mg/m}^3$ $\leq 6.1*10^{-3} \text{ kg/h}$	≤100 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ≤0.46 kg/h	Yes
CO	scrubbing +	$\leq 60 \text{ mg/m}^3$	≤100 mg/m <sup>3</sup> .	Yes
NOx	exhaust stack (25m)	≤240 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ≤ 0.122 kg/h	≤500 mg/m³. ≤1.425 kg/h	Yes
Dioxins		$\leq 0.12 \text{ TEQ ng/m}^3$	≤0.5 TEQ ng/m <sup>3</sup> .	Yes

Data source: provided by VICHEM (the supplier of thermal decomposition facilities proposed in this project)

From the Table 1, we can see that all the gaseous emission of the project can meet the requirements of Class II in the Table 2 of the *Integrated Emission Standard of Air Pollutants (GB16297-1996), and also* completely comply with the threshold values of air pollutants in Table 3 in *Pollution Control Standard for Hazardous Wastes Incineration (GB 18484-2001)*.

#### <u>Liquid effluent:</u>

As mentioned in Section A4.3, the effluent of neutralization tower can reach the requirements accessing to the wastewater treatment center (WTC) of FCIP. Therefore, it is directly discharged to the tailwater pond of Arkema (Changshu), where it meets with other wastewater discharged from the wastewater treatment station of Arkema (Changshu) and the pH value adjusted is to an acceptable level, and finally discharged into the WTC through the wastewater pipe network. The treated effluent in WTC is in compliance with the requirements of Class I in *Integrated Wastewater Discharge Standard (GB8978-1996)* and discharged to the Yangtze River (see Table 2 for details)).

**Table 2 Wastewater Discharge from the Project** 

Item	Pollutants	Wastewater	The	The Discharge	National	Compliance
No.		Discharge	Standard	Concentration	Integrated	Status
		Concentration	Accessing	of WTC	Wastewater	
		of the	to WTC		Discharge	
		Proposed			Standard	
		Project			(GB8978-1996)	
1	PH	6~9	6~9	6~9	6~9	Yes
2	Fluoride	≤40 mg/L	≤40 mg/L	≤ 10 mg/L	≤10 mg/L	Yes
3	SS	≤400 mg/L	≤400 mg/L	≤ 70 mg/L	≤ 70 mg/L	Yes

Data source: EIA report

#### Noise:

In this project, the main source of noise is air blower of the thermal oxidizer, induced draft fan for waste gas treatment and various kinds of water pump. In order to reduce the noise, the project will apply equipment with low noise level and adopt measures such as sound insulation and vibration absorption in the plant. The noise and its control are summarized in Table 3:







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#### **Table 3 Main Noise Sources and Control Measures**

No.	Main source of noise	No. of equipments	Noise level dB ( A	Control measures	dB (A) after noise control
1	Air blower of the thermal oxidizer	1	95	Basic noise reduction, sound insulation, installation of sound eliminator	≤70
2	Induced draft fan for waste gas treatment	1	90	Sound insulation, Basic noise reduction, installation of sound eliminator	≤65
3	Various kinds of water pump	10	80	Basic noise reduction、sound insulation	≤60

Data source: EIA report.

The noise level of the project can be reduced to great extent through the control measures in the table above and attenuation of enclosure and green belt. Therefore, it almost does not lead to any changes on the current noise level at the boundary of industrial enterprises, fully in compliance with the relevant national standard (National Standard of Noise at the Boundary of Industrial Enterprises: GB12348-90).

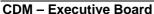
There are no transboundary impacts due to the project activity.

D.2. If environmental impacts are considered significant by the project participants or the <u>host Party</u>, please provide conclusions and all references to support documentation of an environmental impact assessment undertaken in accordance with the procedures as required by the host Party:

As assessed in the environmental impact assessment report, the environmental impact of the proposed project is low.









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# SECTION E. Stakeholders' comments

### E.1. Brief description how comments by local stakeholders have been invited and compiled:

Pursuant to the relevant provisions in Article 21 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Law of China: "For construction project which has the potential to generate adverse environmental impact to or affect the public environmental benefits, the EIA report draft should consulted with concerned units, experts and the public in form of hearing or other appropriate forms before the construction application submitted for permission." *Interim Method for Public Participation in Environmental Impact Assessment* (hereinafter referred to as "Interim Method"), issued by SEPA on March 18, 2006, further stipulates the scope, procedure, ways and time limit of public participation in EIA, aiming at making the environmental information public and strengthening social supervision.

As required by the Interim Method, a two-stage<sup>7</sup> public participation process was conducted in Changshu Haike's case. It was conducted through a combination of consultation meeting and questionnaire-based survey.

The comments from local stakeholders were invited through the following channels:

- Announcement on the web of FCIP (see Figure 9);
- Consultation meeting with the local stakeholders (see Figure 10);
- Public notice in the bulletin board of neighbour enterprises, residential area, and management committee of FCIP, etc; and
- Questionnaire-based survey.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> The first-stage public participation is conducted at the beginning of EIA activity, and the second after completing the EIA report draft.



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Figure 9: Announcement on the Web of FCIP



Figure 10: Consultation Meeting with the Local Stakeholders







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The contents of questionnaire are designed according to the principles of simplicity, popularization, directness, comprehensibility and avoiding inducement (see Table 4).

As shown in Figure 3 of Section A.4.1.4, the proposed project is surrounded by other enterprises. The nearest residential area is Fushan Town. Therefore, the identified local stakeholders include residents, neighbour enterprises, and relevant governmental agencies. They are chosen as the interviewees of questionnaire. Some relevant indexes including scope and extent of environmental impacts, degree of public attention, etc. are considered comprehensively to determine the number of questionnaire. For Changshu Haike's case, 40 copies of questionnaire were distributed and 39 copies were returned in the first-stage stakeholder consultation, and 58 copies were distributed and returned in the second-stage stakeholder consultation. They are all valid and reliable.

To facilitate the conduction of questionnaire-based survey, the aforementioned announcements of inviting stakeholders' comments were respectively on the web of FCIP and posted in the bulletin board of neighbour enterprises, residential area, and management committee of FCIP, etc during April 28<sup>th</sup> - June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2006 (for the first-stage stakeholder consultation) and during June 22<sup>nd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2006 (for the second-stage stakeholder consultation).

In the process of public participation, Changshu Haike considered, collated, and addressed the stakeholders' comments raised in the consolation meetings and the questionnaire-based survey.

### **E.2.** Summary of the comments received:

## The First-stage Public Participation:

On April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2006, the consultation meeting in the first-stage public participation was held in the office of the Management Committee of FCIP. It aimed at offering public access to basic information about the proposed CDM project, and soliciting public suggestions and opinions. The participants mainly included representatives of local government, neighbour enterprises, and residents. The questionnaires were also distributed to the participants.

No comments have been received during the announcement period on the Web of FCIP.

The comments received in the consultation meeting and during the questionnaire-based survey are summarized below:

The public opinions on the proposed CDM project:

- The public generally recognize that the proposed CDM project has significant social and environmental meanings;
- Most of interviewees are satisfied with the site selection;
- Most of the public think that the main environmental impact is air pollution, and have a little worry about the adverse impact of the future operation of the project on local environment; and
- Most of interviewees support the implementation of the project.

The public suggestions and requirements are as follows:





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- The project entity should adopt active and effective measures to control the discharge of the pollutants;
- The implementation of the project should contribute to the local social-economic development, and create employment opportunity for local residents; and
- The project progress should be informed in a timely manner.

The project entity's response to the above-mentioned comments, suggestions, and requirements:

- The suggestions and requirements of the public will be integrated into the technological design of the project to ensure the compliance status of pollutants discharge;
- The project entity will make great efforts in promoting social-economic development and mitigating employment pressure; and
- The project entity and EIA unit will make the project progress available to the target public through dissemination actions, and make preparation for the second-stage stakeholder participation.

#### **The Second-stage Public Participation:**

On June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2006, the project entity held the consultation meeting in the second-stage public participation in the meeting room of the Management Committee of FCIP (see Figure 10). The meeting aimed to make public access to EIA conclusions, and solicit the attendants' opinions and suggestions on the environmental protection measures to be adopted in the project implementation.

#### **Main Contents:**

# 1. Introduction of the project entity:

Dr. Wang Fucai, General Manager of Changshu Haike & HSEQ General Manager of ARKEMA Group Greater China, as the representative of the project entity, made an introduction comprising the following elements:

- The purpose of the consultation meeting;
- Powerpoint presentation about CDM, basic statement of the proposed project, possible impacts on local environment, countermeasures to prevent or mitigate adverse environmental impacts, main conclusions of EIA report, channels and time limit of public access to EIA report (condensed version) and supplementary information, etc.

### 2. Summary of received comments in question & answer section:

It is generally recognized by the attendees that:

- The project will reduce GHG emissions, transfer waste gas into useful material, and improve the environment;
- The countermeasures to mitigate environmental impact are effective and feasible; and
- The project implementation will create local employment opportunity and promote local socialeconomic sustainable development.

The attendees raised the following questions/suggestions:





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- How to monitor the pollutants generated by the project, such as HF acid and dioxin, and ensure its compliance status?
- An effective and reliable emergency response mechanism should be established to minimize the project risks.
- The production and development of the project entity should take environment protection as the premise;
- Effective and timely communication with nearby residents should be established to strengthen mutual understanding.

Dr. Wang Fucai appropriately responded to the above-mentioned questions/suggestions:

- Hydrofluoric acid, as raw material, will be used directly in production, and therefore there is no
  direct harm to environment. Advanced equipment and technology, and reliable process control and
  safety management can ensure that non-compliance action will not occur. All key process parameters
  are on-line monitored by the equipped process parameters track system to control the emission level
  of dioxin within the threshold value of the standard.
- A complete accident/incident reporting system has been established. If accident happened, including crisis management of environmental incident, our emergency response system will be activated;
- As one of members of "Responsible Care", Changshu Haike will actively promoting environmental protection;
- Changshu Haike will be self-disciplined and responsible in the construction and implementation of this project to ensure not to pollute local environment. The residents will be offered the access to production status and potential environmental impact. A fixed communication channel will be established to create harmonious relationship between local residents and the project entity.

All the comments and questions received during questionnaire investigation are summarized in Table 4. Public opinions are reflected by some qualitative indicators including 'satisfied', 'unsatisfied', etc. Meanwhile, a quantitative calculation result of each qualitative indicator (see the fifth column of the Table 4) confirms that the local stakeholders have sufficient support for the proposed CDM project in Changshu Haike.

Table 4 Questionnaire Investigation Result in the Second-stage Public Participation

No	Question	Opinion	No. of interviewee	Percentage (%)
1	Are you satisfied with the current status of local environment?	Satisfied	9	15.5
		Unsatisfied	47	81.1
		Not clear	1	1.7
		Fairly unsatisfied	1	1.7
2	Do you know this CDM project will be implemented in this area?	Very clear	10	17.2
		Know a little	47	81.0
		Do not know	1	1.8
3	Do you think it is important to carry	Very important	16	27.6







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	out this CDM project?	Important	42	72.4
		Not important	0	0
4	Do you think the selection of project location is reasonable?	Reasonable	52	89.6
		Not reasonable	3	5.2
		Does not care	3	5.2
5	Which problem do you think is the main environmental problem caused by this project?	Air pollution	43	74.1
		Water pollution	19	32.8
		Noise pollution	3	5.2
	Are you satisfied with the countermeasures adopted to mitigate adverse environmental impacts?	Satisfied	48	82.8
		Unsatisfied	3	5.2
6		Not familiar with the countermeasures	7	12.0
	What impacts does this project have on local environment?	Improve	37	63.8
7		Damage	21	36.2
		No change	0	0
	What position do you take on this CDM project from the viewpoint of environmental protection?	Firmly support	33	56.9
8		Agree on the condition	23	39.7
		Not care	2	3.4
		Oppose	0	0

# E.3. Report on how due account was taken of any comments received:

All of the comments were responded properly as described in Section E.2.

Any public comments and NGO's comments that are received will also be integrated into the final version of the PDD.



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# Annex 1

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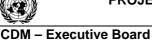


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# Annex 2

# INFORMATION REGARDING PUBLIC FUNDING

No Official Development Assistance (ODA) Fund is used in this project.



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# Annex 3

### **BASELINE INFORMATION**

Indicator	Definition	Value	Data source
Q_HFC 23 <sub>y</sub>	Quantity of HFC 23 destroyed during year y	-	Calculated from q_HFC 23 <sub>y</sub> and P_HFC 23 <sub>y</sub> .
q_HFC 23 <sub>y</sub>	Quantity of HFC 23 waste fed to the destruction process	-	Monitored by flow meters
P_HFC 23 <sub>y</sub> .	Purity of HFC 23 fed to the destruction process	-	Measured by gas chromatograph
$r_y$	Fraction of HFC 23 subject to regulation	0	Estimated in consideration of governmental laws and regulations on HFC 23 control
B_HFC 23 <sub>y</sub>	Baseline quantity of HFC 23 destroyed	0	Calculated by Q_HFC $23_y * r_y$
Q_HCFC 22 <sub>y</sub>	The quantity of HCFC 22 produced in the plant generating the HFC 23 waste	18,106.5 t HCFC 22	Provided by Changshu Haike
w	HFC 23 generation rate	1.64% (t HFC 23 / t HCFC 22)	Provided by Changshu Haike
GWP_HFC 23	Global Warming Potential value of HFC 23 for the first commitment period under the Kyoto Protocol	11,700 (tCO <sub>2</sub> e/ t HFC 23)	IPCC default value
HFC 23 <sub>y</sub> _sold	HFC 23 sold by the facility generating the HFC 23 waste	0	Provided by Changshu Haike

The following sections are the calculations of associated  $\underline{CO_2}$  emission factors and estimation of "Order of Magnitude" of emissions from each source.

# 1. Calculation of associated CO2 emission factors

# 1.1 CO<sub>2</sub> emission factor of NG consumption (E FF<sub>v</sub>)





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NG is used as fuel in the proposed project, which has a higher content of methane  $(96.863\%^8)$  and thus can be as pure methane  $(CH_4)$ . The  $CO_2$  emission from NG consumption is calculated as follows:

E\_FF<sub>y</sub> = 44 \* number of carbon atoms of methane / 22.4  
= 
$$44*12/22.4$$
  
=  $1.96*10^{-3} \text{ tCO}_2\text{e/m}^3$ 

Where 44 is the molecule weight of CO<sub>2</sub> and 22.4 is volume [m<sup>3</sup>] of any gas per kilo mol under the normal condition.

## 1.2. CO<sub>2</sub> emission factor for power consumption (E Power<sub>v</sub>)

E\_Power<sub>y</sub> is the greenhouse gas emissions factor for electricity during year y with unit of tCO2e /kWh. In this project, the electricity required for this project will be supplied by the East China Power Grid which covers four provinces and one municipality (Shanghai Municipality, Jiangsu Province, Zhejiang Province, Anhui Province and Fujian Province).

On October 16, 2006, the National Development and Reform Commission of China (NDRC) issued the emission factors for the CDM projects<sup>9</sup>. The operating margin emission factor ( $EF_{OM}$ ) and the build margin emission factor ( $EF_{BM}$ ) for the Central China Power Grid are 0.9448 tCO<sub>2</sub>e /MWh and 0.7869 tCO<sub>2</sub>e /MWh respectively. In this project, the combined margin method specified in ACM0002 is applied. So, E Power<sub>v</sub> = ( $EF_{OM} + EF_{BM}$ )/2=(0.9448+0.7869)/2=8.6585\*10<sup>-4</sup> tCO<sub>2</sub>e/kWh.

# 1.3. CO<sub>2</sub> emission factor for steam consumption (E Steam<sub>v</sub>)

The steam needed for this project is supplied by FCIP, the related parameters are shown in the Table below:

Parameter	Value	Data source
Coal consumption of unit steam generation	0.14 kgce/kg-steam	Provided by Changshu Haike
CO <sub>2</sub> emission factor	2.35 tCO <sub>2</sub> /t-coal	IPCC default value

Therefore, E Steam  $_{v} = 0.14*2.35 = 0.33 \text{ tCO}_2\text{e/t-steam}$ 

#### 1.4. CO<sub>2</sub> emission factor in transporting HF solution (E HF solution<sub>v</sub>)

The by-product HF solution of the proposed project will be sold and shipped to a company. The information related to HF solution transport is shown in the Table below:

Parameter	Value	Data source
Freighter load	150 t	Changshu Haike
Transportation distance	2 km	Changshu Haike
Fuel efficiency	900 km/t-diesel	Changshu Haike
CO <sub>2</sub> emission factor	3.21 tCO <sub>2</sub> / t-diesel	IPCC default value

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Data source: Component Analysis Report of Natural Gas, PetroChina West East Gas Pipeline Company, February 16, 2006

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> http://cdm.ccchina.gov.cn/WebSite/CDM/UpFile/File1053.pdf





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Thus:

E\_HF solution<sub>y</sub> = =  $(1/150)*(2/900)*3.21 = 4.76*10^{-5}$  (tCO<sub>2</sub>e/t-HF solution)

## 2. "Order of Magnitude" of emissions from each source

The order of magnitude of emissions from each source in Changshu Haike's case is estimated in the Table below.

Category	Source	Emission on a CO <sub>2</sub> equivalent basis (Order of	Order of
		magnitude)	magnitude
			relative to
			HFC 23
			decomposed
Baseline	HFC 23 decomposed	296.947 [t-HFC 23/a] * 11,700(GWP)=3,474,315 [t	-
emissions		$CO_2e/a$	
Project	HFC 23 (leak into the	3,474,315 [t CO <sub>2</sub> e/a] * 0.001% (leak ratio) = 35 [t	0.001%
emissions	air)	$CO_2e/a$	
	CO <sub>2</sub> from decomposed	296.947 t-HFC 23/a * 44/70 (t CO <sub>2</sub> /t-HFC 23) = 187 [t	0.005%
	HFC 23	$CO_2e/a$	
	CO <sub>2</sub> from natural gas	$141,213.6 \text{ [m}^3 \text{ NG/a]} * 1.96*10^{-3} \text{ [t CO}_2\text{e/m}^3 \text{ NG]} = 277\text{[t]}$	0.008%
		$CO_2e/a$	
	CO <sub>2</sub> from electricity	$316,800 \text{ [kWh/a]} * 8.6585*10^{-4} \text{tCO}_2\text{e/kWh} = 264 \text{ [t]}$	0.008%
	consumption	$CO_2e/a$	
	CO <sub>2</sub> from steam	$277.2 \text{ [t-steam/a]} * 0.33 \text{ [t CO}_2\text{e/t-steam]} = 91 \text{ [t CO}_2\text{e/a]}$	0.003%
	consumption		
	N <sub>2</sub> O from fuel	It is a small quantity and so is ignored in terms of	-
	consumption	AM0001 technology. Therefore, the N <sub>2</sub> O emissions are	
	•	not quantified here.	
	N <sub>2</sub> O from power	Ditto	-
	consumption		
	HFC 23 leak to effluent	As stated in AM0001 methodology, theoretically HFC	-
	liquid	23 can also leak to the water effluent and then escape to	
	•	the atmosphere. This possibility is ignored because it is	
		infinitesimally small. Therefore, HFC 23 leak to effluent	
		liquid is not quantified here.	
	CO <sub>2</sub> from sludge	No sludge is generated in this project. This amount is	-
	transport	zero.	
	CO <sub>2</sub> from HF solution	2,793.4 [t-HF solution/a] * 4.76*10 <sup>-4</sup> [t CO <sub>2</sub> e/ t-HF	0.00004%
	transport	solution] = 1.33 [t $CO_2e/a$ ]	
	CO <sub>2</sub> trapped in the	The amount is judged to be negligible small (the origin	-
	absorption tower	of such trapped carbon is not needed to be assessed).	

As shown in the Table above, the project emission is the order of 10<sup>-4</sup> in comparison to the effect of baseline emissions (all HFC 23 except sampling is decomposed). Therefore, it is concluded that the emission reductions are dominated by the quantity of HFC 23 destroyed.



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#### Annex 4

#### MONITORING INFORMATION

As shown in Annex 3, the quantitative relative scale of the baseline emissions and  $\mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{p}}\mathbf{p}_{\mathbf{y}}$  (project emissions) is around the order of  $10^4$  as shown in section B. So, the quality control of  $Q_{\mathbf{p}}\mathbf{p}$  dominates the uncertainty range of whole emission reductions.

In order to control the quality level of  $Q\_HFC\ 23_y$ , the following measures/procedures will be undertaken:

- 1). **Recalibration of the measurement.** All the measurement equipment will be recalibrated according to international rules and standards for measurement. Flow meters will be recalibrated every six months in order to reduce measurement error, and other meters will be recalibrated monthly. The zero check on the flow meters will be conducted every week. If the zero check indicates that flow meter is not stable, an immediate calibration of the flow meter will be undertaken;
- 2). **Settling the loss of monitoring data**. In case of some accident to miss some monitoring data during some period happened, *Q\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub>* is calculated based on the statistical method of the past records and HCFC 22 production record. More conservative one among these are used and checked by the verifier (DOE) for its applicability. If other non-significant parameters were missing, the most conservative data is used during such a period based on the historical operation data;
- 3). Checking the cut-off condition. It is checked for every interval during verification (annually or every 6 months usually) for the continuous HFC 23 flow from the existing HCFC 22 facility.

The cut-off condition as well as domestic policy (under the existence of quantitative domestic regulations) and gas leakage from the valves (flow after the flowmeters) is to be checked annually will be assessed on an *ex-post* basis. These will be verified by the DOE at the time of verification.

#### **Assessment of Uncertainties:**

There are four potential sources of uncertainties associated with the monitoring of *Q\_HFC 23y*.

- 1) **Mixture of HFCs of different GWPs.** The sources of HFCs are well separated (if HFCs other than HFC 23 are to be decomposed). It is sufficient to monitor the input HFCs separately by type. (In the HCFC 22 production process, only HFC 23 is generated as a by-product among HFCs);
- Non-decomposed HFC 23 in the incinerator (ND\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub>). The ND\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> in Changshu Haike's case is very small with the order of 0.001%. In order to monitor this amount, monthly sampling of emission gas from the stack will be conducted using gas chromatography, as explained in Section B.7.1. The gas chromatography shows volume % of the non-decomposed HFC 23 relative to the total volume of the emission from the stack, a coefficient (density) is used to convert ND\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> from volume to weight. Such coefficient is fixed in original design, but in reality it varies due to water content of the emission gas. The correction for this coefficient has been conducted based on four-year lab analysis result statistics in 2002-2004 and implemented since February, 2006. However, the fraction of the non-decomposed HFC 23 is so small (0.001%) that such variation of the coefficient is negligible small compared to the monitoring error of the supplied HFC 23 and thus the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> This effect is associated with project emissions, *not* baseline emissions.



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coefficient can be deemed to be a constant.

It is not necessary to check the liquid from the absorption tank because the solubility of the HFC 23 is negligible.

3) The amount of HFC 23 supplied to the incinerator (q\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub>). q\_HFC 23<sub>y</sub> is the product of HFC 23 flux by time (usually measured by flowmeter). In order to improve the accuracy level, the approved monitoring methodology AM0001 stipulates recalibration and zero check as stated previously and independent monitoring of two flowmeters in series as shown in Section B.7.

Moreover, the purity of each HFC is to be checked by gas chromatography monthly to reflect any abrupt phenomena which may last for more than 24 hours.

The following concern is considered for the decomposition amount, which should NOT be credited:

HFC 23 to be produced more than normal rate as a by-product of HCFC 22. There is a possibility that the operating conditions of the HCFC 22 plant vary, such that the feedstock efficiency is reduced and an increased proportion of HFC 23 is produced. In order to avoid rewarding this potential for inefficient operation, a "cutoff" level of HFC 23 generation is to be introduced. Any amount of HFC 23 produced at levels, which exceed this "cut-off" cannot be credited as reductions even though in practice it will be decomposed. The time-dependent value of "cut-off" on the baseline emissions of HFC 23 is defined as "HCFC 22 production (t) × waste generation ratio (fixed) – HFC 23 annual sales volume (t)" in each year t; and

These assessments will be also checked by the DOE responsible for verification of the emission reductions on an *ex-post* basis.

The order of magnitude of emissions from each source both in the baseline scenario and the project scenario is assessed in Annex 3