

# **DIRECT IRON REDUCTION KILN**





# CALDERYS

**150+** years of combined experience

**6,500+** people and contractors in over 30 countries

**50** plants in the 5 continents

One of the world's largest supplier in high temperature solutions

Enlarged portfolio of solutions from refractory bricks and monolithics to steel casting fluxes and green molding sand solutions

**Calderys is a leading global provider for industries operating in high temperature conditions. We specialize in thermal protection for industrial equipment with a wide range of refractory products, and advanced solutions to enhance steel casting, metallurgical fluxes and molding processes.**

In 2023, Calderys joined forces with HarbisonWalker International, the largest supplier of refractory products and services in the United States.

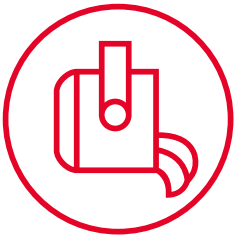
Together, we form a high-growth, customer-centric provider with a comprehensive offering and a truly global reach. Drawing on over 150 years of combined experience, we support our customers in their energy transition needs. We count more than 6,500 people and contractors, in over 30 countries.

**Our international network of experts ensures an end-to-end offer with tailored services.**

We are constantly developing innovative products and techniques in order to **optimize costs and performance**, combining world-class Research & Development and technical experts, as well as responsive supply chain and sales departments.

Our global structure allows us to design the customized solutions of today while **anticipating the industries' needs of tomorrow**. Calderys pays particular attention to the industry's impact on the environment and has a sustainability program articulated around three pillars: supporting our customers in their energy transition needs, improving our environmental footprint and being committed to people and local communities.

**Health and safety is an integral part of how we do business.** The same attention to detail that helps us provide personalized products and solutions is also applied to our rigorous health and safety criteria. Our activities require the highest level of professionalism to carry out our projects. To guarantee the strictest standards, Calderys employs a number of safety, occupational health and environmental protocols across all its entities worldwide — applicable to both our own employees as well as subcontractors and temporary workers.



# OUR VALUE TO THE IRON & STEEL INDUSTRY

As a prominent ally to the Iron & Steel industry, Caldeyrs has steadily enlarged its service solutions from ironmaking, liquid steel processing, continuous casting, reheat furnaces and other equipments. With innovation and sustainability as fundamental parts of our DNA, we have pioneered a tremendous number of new applications, such as pitch-free tap-hole clay for blast furnaces and our cutting-edge mold fluxes. Through the combination of HarbisonWalker International and Caldeyrs' expertise, the company is offering complementary product portfolios and total care services, bringing a vast array of solutions to support customer needs in all refractory and casting fluxes applications.

## What we bring to the Iron & Steel industry

- Close watch over ESG topics, such as product CO<sub>2</sub> footprint calculation, proposing a large range of refractory products resistant to H<sub>2</sub>; as well as Environment, Health and Safety (EHS) concerns like the reduction of respirable crystalline silica (RCS) and Phenol (PaH).
- Complete portfolio of customized solutions from ironmaking, liquid steel processing, continuous casting, reheat furnaces and other equipment.
- Full set of refractory services: from engineering & design, installation, project management, dry-out & commissioning, to maintenance and refractory assessments.
- Process analysis including fluid flow and numerical simulations.
- Technical support from trial to after sales.





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## AN EXPERT IN DRI TECHNOLOGY

Calderys, a leading refractory technology and solutions provider in the iron & steel and petrochemical industries, is fully committed to net zero. A world leader in providing refractory solutions for petrochemical processes such as natural gas reforming that requires high hydrogen and high temperature conditions.



Leveraging on rich hydrogen experience coupled with strong innovation focus Calderys has developed a full range of refractory solutions for direct reduction processes enabling the green transition of the iron and steel industries. In addition, Calderys has a complete range of refractory products for EAF and smelters that require melting DR pellets.



**It has executed many DRI projects around the globe that includes engineering & design, refractory products, installation services and inspection.**

# ZONING CONCEPT

## DOME



### Process requirement

- Heat insulation

### Special focus for product design

- Low iron
- Monolithics except bricks for pipe exit

## SHAFT



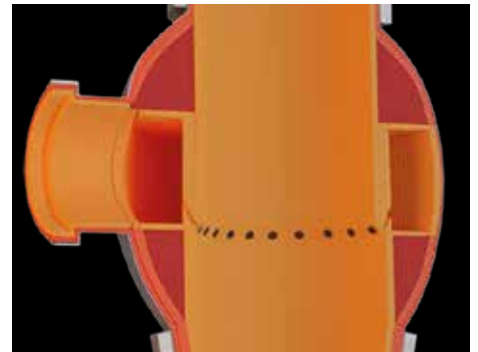
### Process requirement

- High abrasion & CO resistance

### Special focus for product design

- Low iron
- Possibility of phosphate bonded
- Bricks

## PLENUM

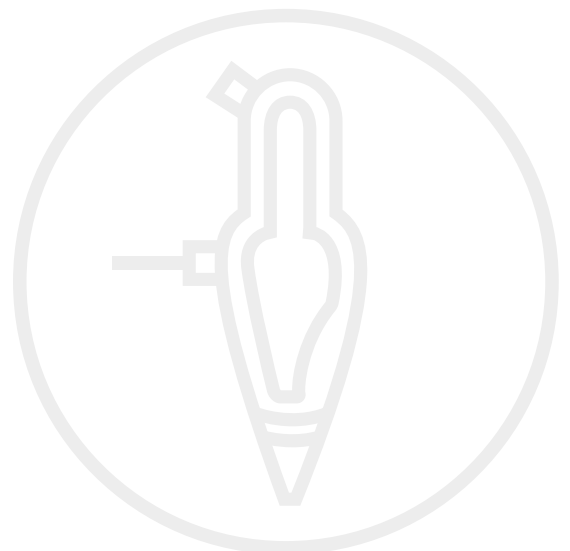


### Process requirement

- Low abrasion resistance, high H<sub>2</sub> and heat load resistance

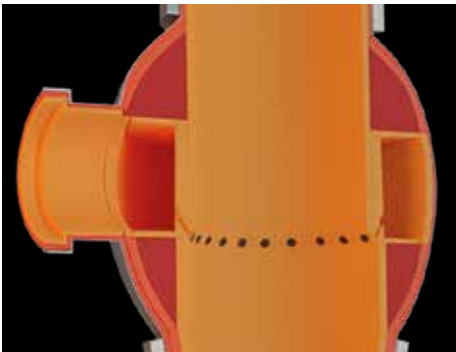
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# ZONING CONCEPT

## INJECTION NOZZLE



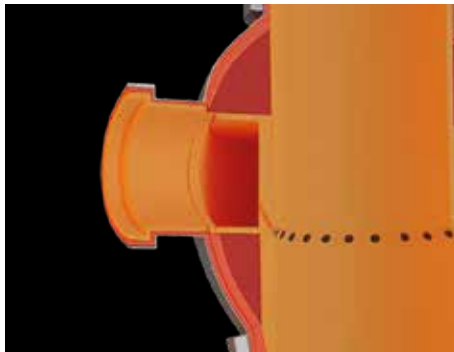
### Process requirement

- High abrasion and high H<sub>2</sub> and heat load resistance

### Special focus for product design

- Low silica
- Bricks

## TRANSFER LINE



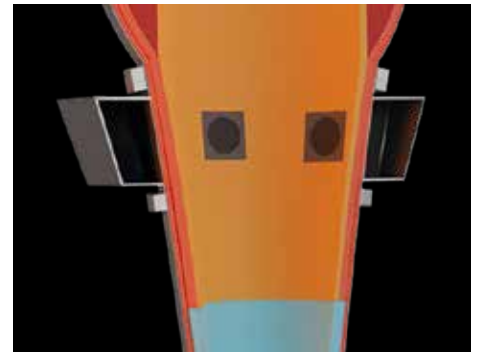
### Process requirement

- Medium abrasion and high heat load resistance

### Special focus for product design

- Low silica
- Bricks

## LOWER SHAFT

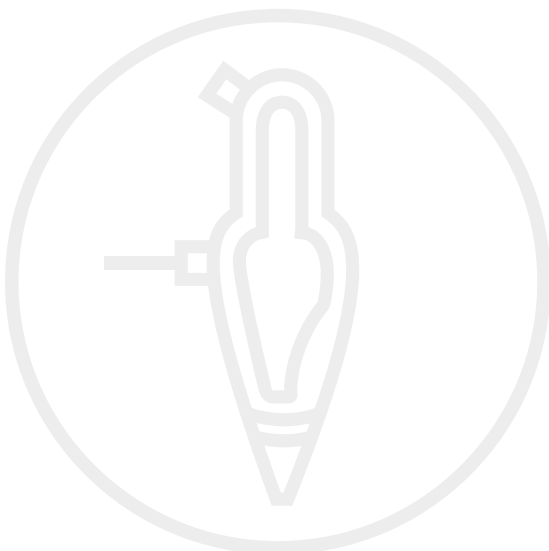


### Process requirement

- Low abrasion and low CO and H<sub>2</sub> resistance

### Special focus for product design

- Low iron fire clay, andalusite bricks, insulating monolithics
- Low iron
- Bricks
- Insulating monolithics



# OUR SERVICES



## **ENGINEERING AND DESIGN**

- Thermal
- Mechanical
- Thermomechanical
- Corrosion
- Abrasion
- Shape and design



## **REFRACTORY PRODUCTS**

- Total inhouse product solutions - bricks, monolithics, jointing products
- External procurement - anchors, support, etc. approved through stringent quality control



## **INSTALLATION, PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND SERVICES**

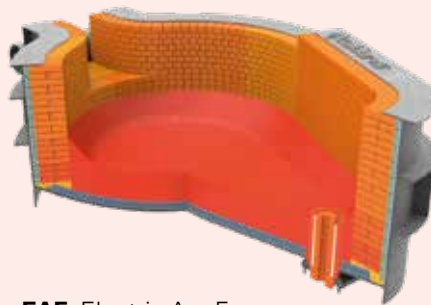
- Direct / supervised installation
- Project management
- Maintenance services



# OUR REFRACTORY SOLUTIONS FOR EAF & SMELTER/SAF/OSBF

As DRI technology is being introduced into the integrated steelmaking process, the subsequent downstream process is bound to change. Calderys is well in advance in working on existing solutions such as EAF, and future technologies like Smelter/SAF/OSBF.

- **DRI:**  
Direct Reduced Iron
- **HBI:**  
Hot Bricketed Iron
- **Scrap**

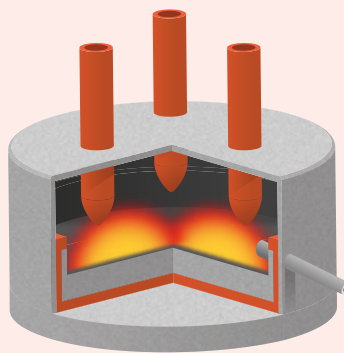


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Ladle Furnace, RH  
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**Smelter/SAF/OSB:**  
Electric Arc Furnace



**BOF:** Basic Oxygen Furnace



**Secondary steelmaking**  
Ladle Furnace, RH  
Degasser, etc.



# **OUR H<sub>2</sub>-COMPATIBILITY BACK-GROUND EXPERIENCE**

Calderys refractory product development and selection is based on rich experience and extensive R&D work. Our bricks, monolithics and mortars are designed to resist the direct reduction iron process:

- corrosion resistance by reducing gases, including 100% hydrogen.
- abrasion resistance to burden material
- thermomechanical stability

**Our solution is optimized for 100% hydrogen environment**

## **FROM THE BACK-GROUND EXPERIENCE IN PETRO-CHEM INDUSTRY**

Calderys has a rich experience in the petrochem industry supplying refractory material, consultation, project engineering, installation, supervision, dry out and maintenance. Refractory requirements are very stringent as most of the operations take place at high temperature and high partial pressure of hydrogen. These experiences are very valuable in the context of DRI.



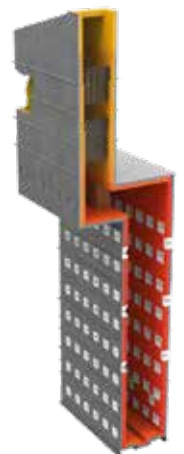
**H<sub>2</sub> reformer with  
convection section  
duct and stack**



**Secondary reformer**



**Ethylene cracker**



**Cold collector line  
and NH<sub>3</sub> cracker**

## A SOLUTION WHENEVER YOU NEED US

Category	Product name	Composition %			Other characteristics
		Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	SiO <sub>2</sub>	Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	
Bricks	CALDE® BRICK F45 CO	47.5	49	1.1	Fireclay high fired low iron oxide
	CALDE® BRICK A65 CO	65	33	0.9	Andalousite enriched with corundum
	CALDE® BRICK M75 CO	74.5	24	0.7	High proportion of corundum
	CALDE® BRICK C92FM	93	6.5	0.2	High corundum mullite bonded, silica not free providing high thermal shock and chemical inertia
	CALDE® BRICK C90P	90.8	7	0.3	1.6 % of P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> is added to ensure phosphate bonding
	CALDE® BRICK M75P	75	23	0.6	1.08 % of P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> is added to ensure phosphate bonding
Monolithics	CALDE® FLOW MM 68 CO	68	26	0.8	Self flowing - Abrasion and carbon monoxide resistant
	CALDE® GUN F 55 CO	55	35	2.2	Gunning - Abrasion and carbon monoxide resistant
	CALDE® GUN MW148 CO HR	51	38	0.7	Gunning - High Strength and resistant to carbon monoxide
	CALDE® CAST 40 TR	95	4.4	0.1	Tabular alumina based free from silica and iron and widely used in petrochem
Jointing Products	CALDE® TROWEL HA 55	48	46	0.7	Sodium silicate bonded
	CALDE® TROWEL HC 85	86	9	0.5	Sodium silicate bonded
	CALDE® TROWEL PC90U	88.2	6.2	0.2	Phosphate bonded



