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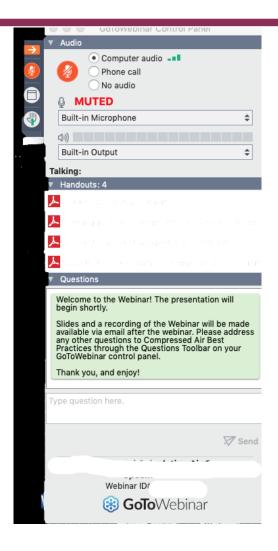
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Nitrogen Generation System Upgrade **Helped A Pacific Northwest Brewery** Save Thousands and Increase Production Efficiency



Reuben's Brews is a family-owned and independent craft brewery in Seattle, WA. They started as an award-winning home brewery in 2010 and quickly grew into several production facilities and taprooms. In 2012 they opened their commercial brewery, and in 2015 opened another that surpassed their 5-year goal in 5 weeks.

"I describe it as a rocket ship ride. The support from our community, the love for our beer, has been tremendous and it's pulled us along very fast to the point where we have this production facility today."

They have a strong commitment to their local community and started a philanthropic foundation, Reuben's Brews Foundation, geared towards raising money for local non-profits.

Their values are integral not only to the business and how they engage with their community, but how they brew their beer as well. Their 4 pillars include:

- Breadth we want to brew all styles of beer, well
 Brew by the glass backwards how do we want it to taste, with quality
- being utmost important
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 3. Balanced & Drinkable verified through blind tasting competitions so
 they know they are doing it right

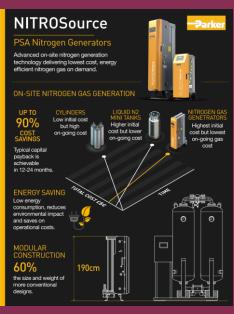
 4. Guided experience helping people through their beer experience and
 letting them know why the pillars are so important

Needless to say, quality is extremely important to their process and



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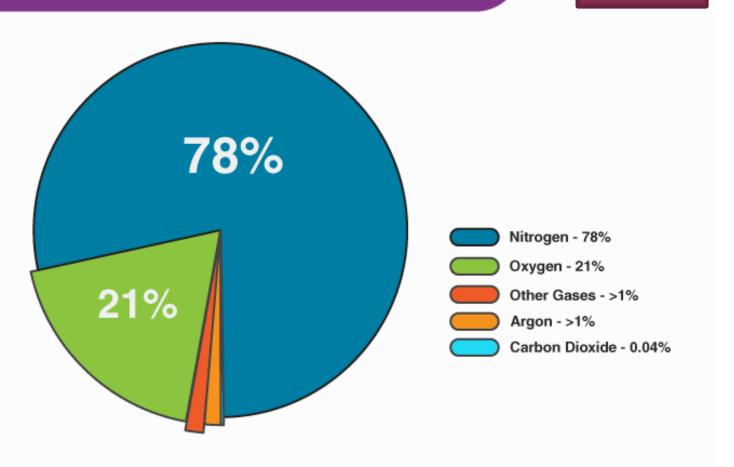






Nitrogen Is The Most Plentiful Gas On Our Planet!











Is It A Liquid Or A Gas?

Introduction - Common Uses of Nitrogen

- As a gas for it's inert properties:-
 - Removal of oxygen in vessels & processing equipment which contain flammable liquids or vapours.
 Commonly called purging and blanketing in the Chemicals Industry
 - "Sparging" of fluids (e.g. edible oils) to remove 0x, 5...
 - Gas packing of foodstuffs to remove oxygen and extend shelf-life
 - Humane slaughter of poultry
 - Furnace atmospheres e.g nitriding to improve surface hardness of gears etc

- As a liquid for it's cryogenic properties:-
 - Food freezing & chilling
 - Cooling chemical reactions & condensation of VOCs from chemical vent-streams
 - ow temperature grinding (e.g lbber, fats & spices)
 - "De-flashing" moulded rubber components
 - Low temperature testing of electronic equipment
 - Shrink fitting & pipe freezing







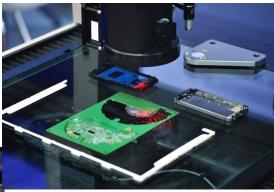
Gas Nitrogen Uses

- Industrial Uses for Nitrogen (N2) Gas
- Gas for Tire Inflation. Helps to eliminate expansion and contraction of air due to temperature fluctuations
 - Food and Beverage Manufacturing Nitrogen gas is used in several commercial foods and drinks production processes. For example, gaseous nitrogen is currently used in alcoholic beverage sparging to attain top-quality brew, to putting nitrogen in to packaging for freshness
- Elimination of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) ...
- Mining Safety
- Electronics
- Pharmaceutical manufacturing
- Autoclaves
- Metal Manufacturing for strengthening steel
- Used as a Refrigerant
- Controls volatility in hazardous environments







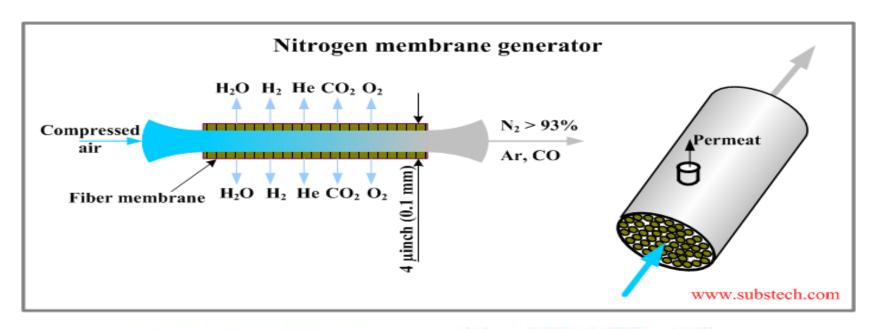








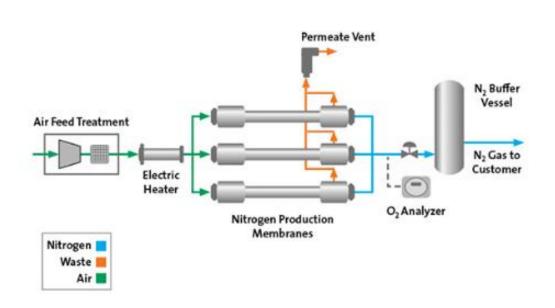
Ways To Utilize Your Compressed Air System To Generate Nitrogen





COMPRESSED AIR / VACUUM / COOLING

Nitrogen Membrane Generator



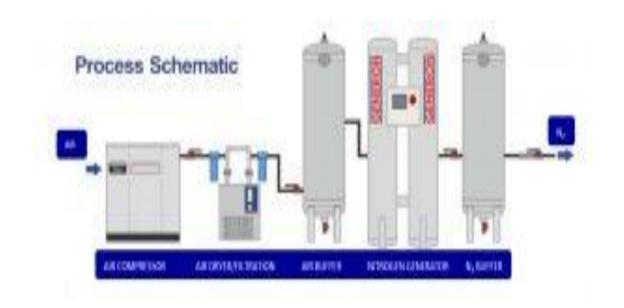






PSA Schematic

- Compressed air is discharged from the compressor
- Compressed air is dried to remove moisture
- Pressure Swing Adsorption is used by air passing generally from bottom to top where "other" gad molecules adsorb to a media such as molecular sieve
- After a certain duration of time the media becomes saturated and valving switches towers to the regenerated tower







Pressure Swing Adsorption

Molecular Sieve is used to adsorb the gas molecules and let the nitrogen molecules pass through to be used in the process







Packaged Nitrogen Skid For Coal Mining

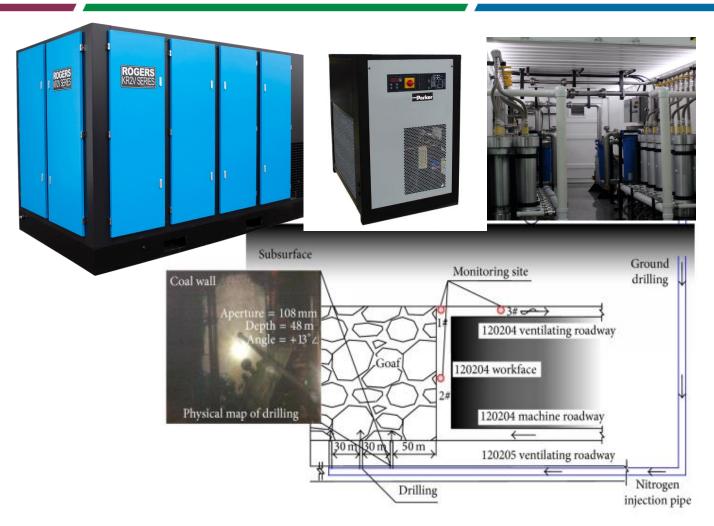






Nitrogen Use In Mines

- 400-500HP Air Compressor
- Refrigerated dryer to remove moisture
- Nitrogen generator with membrane packages
- Into drilled hole down to void
- By adding positive pressure nitrogen an inert atmosphere is created for fire safety







Improving System Specific Power

- How can adding nitrogen generation to my air system improve efficiency of my air system?
- In my years of experience, many compressed air users operate compressors at part loads.
- If there is additional air available in your compressed air system and depending on types of control schemes, by increasing your demand by adding nitrogen generation you can improve your specific power of your air system.



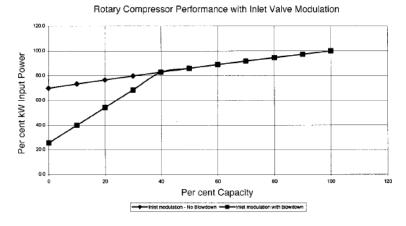


Figure 4.1A Shows Inlet Valve Modulation from 100% to 40% capacity and unloading at that point.

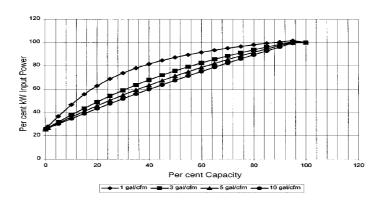


Figure 4.1B Shows Average Power ν Percent Capacity with various sizes of primary receiver.



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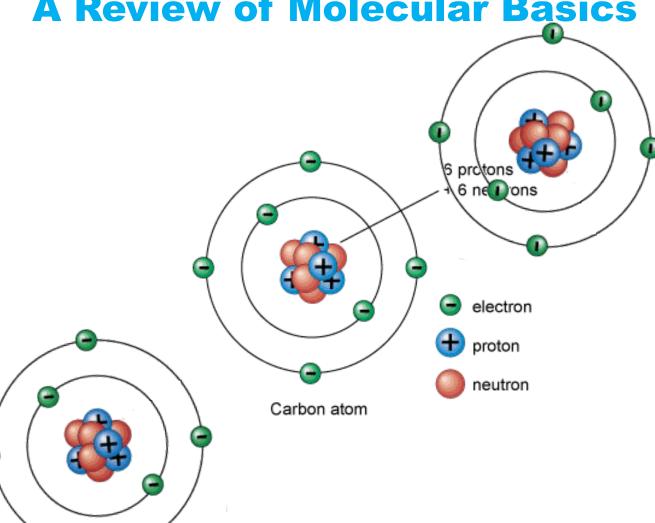
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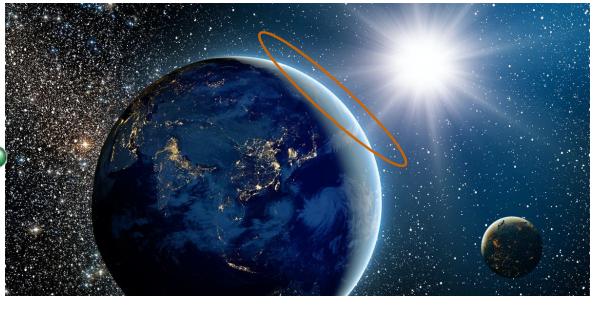
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Chemistry Warm-Up:

A Review of Molecular Basics

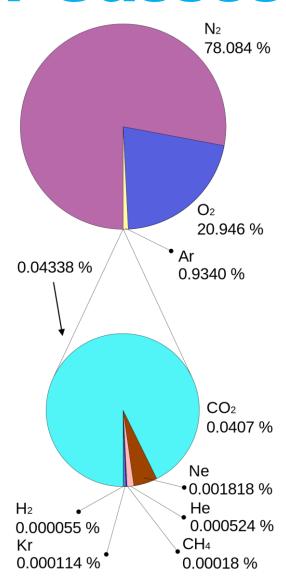






Air is a Mixture of Gasses

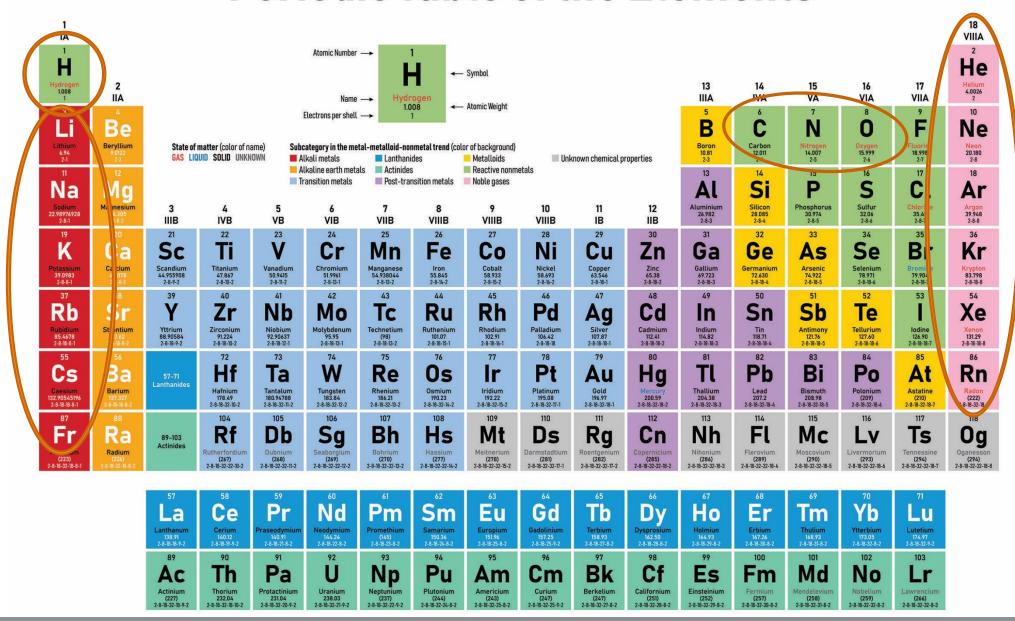
- Nitrogen N₂
- Oxygen O₂
- Argon Ar
- Carbon Dioxide CO₂
- Neon Ne
- Helium He
- Others:
 - Methane, Krypton, Hydrogen
- What about Water Vapor?
 - Variable depending on location, temperature, altitude, etc.







Periodic Table of the Elements





Molecular Weight

ATOMIC MASS

14.00674 2s²2p³

Melting point: -209.86°C Boiling point: -195.8°C

NITROGEN

Latin name: Nitrogenium

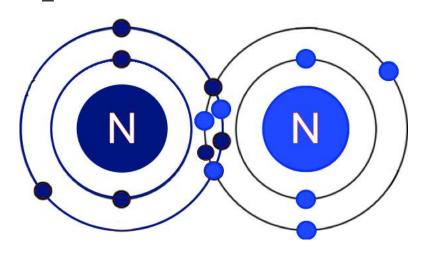


ATOMIC NUMBER

Molecular Weight of a Diatomic Molecule of Nitrogen = ~28

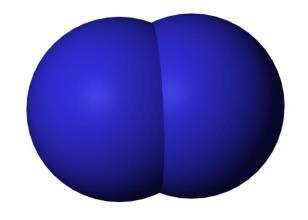


N₂ Covalent Triple Bond

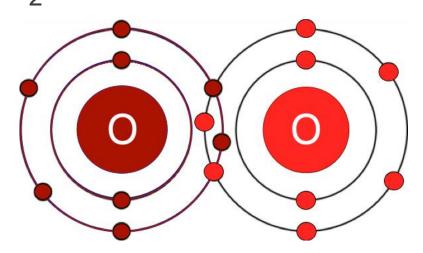


Bond Energy: ~ 944 kJ/mol

Molecule Diameter: ~300 pm

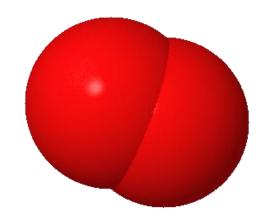


O₂ Covalent Double Bond



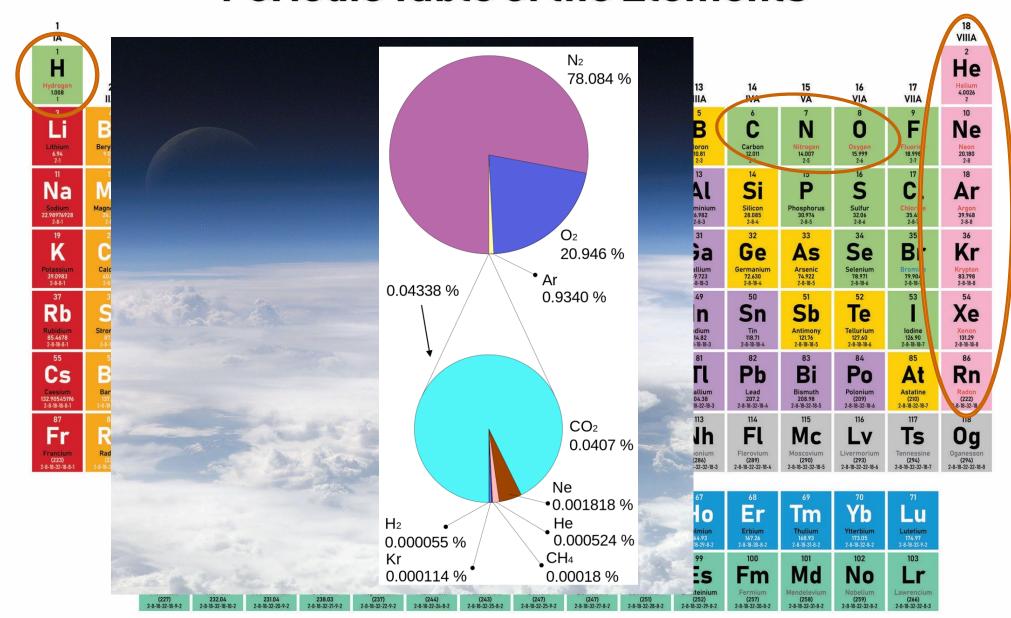
Bond Energy: ~ 495 kJ/mol

Molecule Diameter: ~292 pm





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How Redundancy & Preventative Maintenance Play a Role In The Reliability of Onsite Nitrogen Gas Generation

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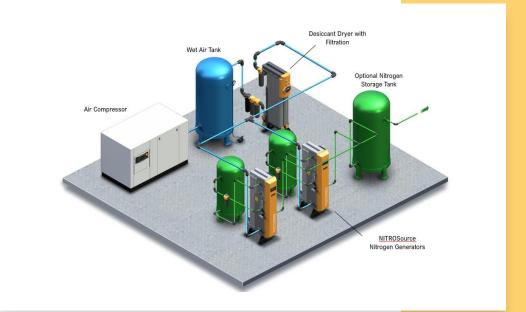
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What is Redundancy?

- **Definition:** "The duplication of at least two components that are interconnected and designed for the same purpose"
- There are 2 types
 - Full
 - Partial
- Main Goal increase the reliability of the overall system!





Benefits of Redundancy

- Peace of Mind
- Increased Uptime
- Wear & Tear (Alternate Machines)
- Helpful during maintenance
- Easier to schedule maintenance





What is Preventative Maintenance?

Definition: "The regular & routine maintenance of equipment and assets in order to keep them running & prevent any costly unplanned downtime from unexpected equipment failure"



% Analyzer					
Description	12	24	36	48	60
12 Month Non EST Service Kit (Every 12 Months)	✓	✓	✓	✓	1
24 Month PPM Service Kit (Every 24 Months)		✓		✓	
36 Month Standard Service Kit (Every 36 Months)			✓		
60 Month Standard Service Kit (Every 60 Months)					✓

Typical Preventative Maintenance for A Nitrogen Generator

- 12 Month Interval
 - Exhaust Silencer
 - Filter Elements
- 24 Month Interval
 - Oxygen Analyzer (% or PPM)
- 36 Month Interval
 - Solenoid Valves
- 60 Month Interval
 - Stroke Cylinders
 - Valve Discs & Guides
 - Valve Bonnets
 - O-Rings









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Conclusion / Summary







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