

COURSE OVERVIEW PE1018
AI in Fertilizer Manufacturing

Course Title

AI in Fertilizer Manufacturing

Course Date/Venue

Session 1: July 20-24, 2025/Tamra Meeting Room, Al Bandar Rotana Creek, Dubai UAE

Session 2: November 10-14, 2025/Glasshouse Meeting Room, Grand Millennium Al Wahda Hotel, Abu Dhabi, UAE



Course Reference

PE1018

Course Duration/Credits

Five days/3.0 CEUs/30 PDHs

Course Description



This practical and highly-interactive course includes real-life case studies and exercises where participants will be engaged in a series of interactive small groups and class workshops.

This course is designed to provide participants with a detailed and up-to-date overview of Artificial Intelligence in AI in Fertilizer Manufacturing. It covers the artificial intelligence and its role in fertilizer manufacturing processes; the AI for raw material optimization, ammonia and urea production, process control and automation; the AI-driven optimization of granulation processes, machine learning for predicting granule size distribution, AI-powered monitoring of pellet hardness and stability and AI-assisted process control for consistent fertilizer granule quality; the AI for predictive maintenance of fertilizer plant equipment; and the AI for heat exchanger and boiler efficiency optimization.

Further, the course will also discuss the AI in chemical reactor performance monitoring, pump and compressor health monitoring and pipeline and storage tank monitoring; the AI for fertilizer chemical formulation optimization, nitrogen, phosphate and potash fertilizer processing; the AI-driven optimization of coated fertilizer formulations and machine learning for predicting nutrient release rates; the AI-powered quality control for coated fertilizer granules; and the AI-assisted process monitoring for controlled release fertilizers.



During this interactive course, participants will learn the AI for fertilizer drying and cooling optimization, energy efficiency in fertilizer manufacturing and fertilizer plant safety and risk management; the AI for environmental compliance and emission monitoring and AI-powered digital twin technology for fertilizer plants; the AI in advanced control systems and process automation, smart fertilizer manufacturing and AI-driven decision making; the future AI trends in fertilizer manufacturing; and the AI for AI-driven predictive analytics in fertilizer production including reducing operational costs and increasing efficiency.

Course Objectives

Upon the successful completion of this course, each participant will be able to:-

- Apply and gain a comprehensive knowledge on artificial intelligence in fertilizer manufacturing
- Discuss artificial intelligence and its role in fertilizer manufacturing processes
- Carryout AI for raw material optimization, ammonia and urea production and process control and automation
- Apply AI-driven optimization of granulation processes, machine learning for predicting granule size distribution, AI-powered monitoring of pellet hardness and stability and AI-assisted process control for consistent fertilizer granule quality
- Employ AI for predictive maintenance of fertilizer plant equipment, heat exchanger and boiler efficiency optimization
- Implement AI in chemical reactor performance monitoring, pump and compressor health monitoring and pipeline and storage tank monitoring
- Illustrate AI for fertilizer chemical formulation optimization as well as nitrogen, phosphate and potash fertilizer processing
- Discuss AI-driven optimization of coated fertilizer formulations and machine learning for predicting nutrient release rates
- Apply AI-powered quality control for coated fertilizer granules and AI-assisted process monitoring for controlled release fertilizers
- Carryout AI for fertilizer drying and cooling optimization, energy efficiency in fertilizer manufacturing and fertilizer plant safety and risk management
- Employ AI for environmental compliance and emission monitoring and recognize AI-powered digital twin technology for fertilizer plants
- Apply AI in advanced control systems and process automation as well as smart fertilizer manufacturing and AI-driven decision making
- Discuss the future AI trends in fertilizer manufacturing and apply AI for AI-driven predictive analytics in fertilizer production including reducing operational costs and increasing efficiency

Exclusive Smart Training Kit - H-STK®



*Participants of this course will receive the exclusive “Haward Smart Training Kit” (H-STK®). The H-STK® consists of a comprehensive set of technical content which includes **electronic version** of the course materials conveniently saved in a **Tablet PC**.*

Who Should Attend


This course provides an overview of all significant aspects and considerations of artificial intelligence in fertilizer manufacturing for fertilizer manufacturing engineers, data scientists/analysts, operations managers, R&D specialists, supply chain managers, AI and machine learning engineers, environmental engineers, researchers and other technical staff.

Course Certificate(s)


Internationally recognized certificates will be issued to all participants of the course who completed a minimum of 80% of the total tuition hours

Certificate Accreditations

Certificates are accredited by the following international accreditation organizations: -

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British Accreditation Council (BAC)

Haward Technology is accredited by the **British Accreditation Council** for **Independent Further and Higher Education** as an **International Centre**. BAC is the British accrediting body responsible for setting standards within independent further and higher education sector in the UK and overseas. As a BAC-accredited international centre, Haward Technology meets all of the international higher education criteria and standards set by BAC.

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The International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET - USA)

Haward Technology is an Authorized Training Provider by the International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), 2201 Cooperative Way, Suite 600, Herndon, VA 20171, USA. In obtaining this authority, Haward Technology has demonstrated that it complies with the **ANSI/IACET 2018-1 Standard** which is widely recognized as the standard of good practice internationally. As a result of our Authorized Provider membership status, Haward Technology is authorized to offer IACET CEUs for its programs that qualify under the **ANSI/IACET 2018-1 Standard**.

Haward Technology's courses meet the professional certification and continuing education requirements for participants seeking **Continuing Education Units** (CEUs) in accordance with the rules & regulations of the International Accreditors for Continuing Education & Training (IACET). IACET is an international authority that evaluates programs according to strict, research-based criteria and guidelines. The CEU is an internationally accepted uniform unit of measurement in qualified courses of continuing education.

Haward Technology Middle East will award **3.0 CEUs** (Continuing Education Units) or **30 PDHs** (Professional Development Hours) for participants who completed the total tuition hours of this program. One CEU is equivalent to ten Professional Development Hours (PDHs) or ten contact hours of the participation in and completion of Haward Technology programs. A permanent record of a participant's involvement and awarding of CEU will be maintained by Haward Technology. Haward Technology will provide a copy of the participant's CEU and PDH Transcript of Records upon request.

Course Instructor(s)

This course will be conducted by the following instructor(s). However, we have the right to change the course instructor(s) prior to the course date and inform participants accordingly:



Mr. Robert Harvey, MSc (Cum Laude), BSc is a **Senior Process & Chemical Engineer** with over **30 years** of in-depth industrial experience within the **Oil & Gas, Refinery, Petrochemical, Mining** and **Power** industries. His expertise widely covers in the areas of **Operations Abnormalities & Plant Upset, Fertilizer Manufacturing Process Technology, Fertilizer Storage Management (Ammonia & Urea), Petrochemical & Fertilizer Plants, Nitrogen Fertilizer Production, Petroleum Industry Process Engineering, Gas Processing, Process**

Equipment Design & Troubleshooting, Process Equipment & Piping Systems, Fertilizer Manufacturing Process Technology, Production Management, Process Plant Optimization & Continuous Improvement, Production Process Optimization, Process Analyzers, Process Equipment Design, Vinyl Chloride Monomer (VCM) Manufacturing & Process Troubleshooting, Cement Manufacturing Process Technology & Standards, Process Equipment & Piping System, Process Plant Optimization & Continuous Improvement, Process Plant Performance & Efficiency, Troubleshooting Process Operations, Modern Aluminium Production Processes, Cement Kiln Process, Process Engineer Calculations, Steel Making Process, Process Diagrams Review, Process Hazard Analysis (PHA), Process Mapping, Strategic Process Control in Process Industry, Revamping & Debottlenecking, Pressure Vessel Operation, Heat Mass Balance, Distillation-Column Operation, & Troubleshooting, Debottlenecking, Unit Performance Optimization, Real Time Online Optimization, Operations Planning Optimization, Engineering Problem Solving, Bag Filters Operation & Maintenance, Chemical Reaction Engineering Application, Phosphatic Industry, Diammonium Phosphate, Monoammonium Phosphate, NPK, Troubleshooting Improvement, Production Management, Distillation-Column Operation & Troubleshooting, Monomer Handling Safety, Complex Operational Troubleshooting, Incident Root Cause Analysis & Corrective Action, Fertilizer Manufacturing, Continuous Improvement & Benchmarking, Energy Efficiency for Process Plants, Pressure Vessel Operation, Reactors & Storage Tanks, Dehydrating Columns, Heat & Material Balance, P&ID Reading & Interpretation, Detailed Engineering Design, HAZOP Leadership, Project HSE Review (PHSER), Safe Handling of Propylene Oxide & Ethylene Oxide, Safety in Process & Industrial Plants, Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and Effective Risk Assessment & HAZOP Studies. Further, he is also well versed in Feasibility Studies Analysis & Evaluation, Project Gate System Procedures, Change Management Skills, Change Management Strategy, Developing Commercial Contracts, Project Management Skills, Project Scheduling & Cost Control, FIDIC & Other Model Contracts, EPC & EPCM Contracts, Knowledge Management, Job Evaluation, Creative Problems Solving & Innovation Skills, Problem Solving & Decision Making, Strategic Planning & Creative Thinking and Mind Mapping.

During his career life, Mr. Harvey has gained his practical and field experience through his various significant positions and dedication as the **Commercial Director, Manufacturing Director, Chief Operating Officer, Head Projects Division, Project Leader, Lead Technical Advisor/Consultant** and **Project Consultant** to various international companies such as the Trade and Industrial Policy Strategies (TIPS), PGBI Johannesburg, IDC Green Industries SBU/Arengo 316 Pty Ltd, Ferrum Crescent Limited, CEF Limited, Rio Tinto Alcan, Industrial Development Corporation of SA (IDC) and AECI Limited.

Mr. Harvey has **Master (Cum Laude)** and **Bachelor** degrees in **Chemical Engineering**. Further, he is a **Certified Instructor/Trainer**, a **Certified Internal Verifier/Assessor/Trainer** by the **Institute of Leadership & Management (ILM)** and has delivered various trainings, seminars, conferences, workshops and courses globally.

Training Methodology

All our Courses are including **Hands-on Practical Sessions** using equipment, State-of-the-Art Simulators, Drawings, Case Studies, Videos and Exercises. The courses include the following training methodologies as a percentage of the total tuition hours:-

- 30% Lectures
- 20% Practical Workshops & Work Presentations
- 30% Hands-on Practical Exercises & Case Studies
- 20% Simulators (Hardware & Software) & Videos

In an unlikely event, the course instructor may modify the above training methodology before or during the course for technical reasons.

Accommodation

Accommodation is not included in the course fees. However, any accommodation required can be arranged at the time of booking.

Course Fee

US\$ 5,500 per Delegate + **VAT**. This rate includes H-STK® (Haward Smart Training Kit), buffet lunch, coffee/tea on arrival, morning & afternoon of each day.

Course Program

The following program is planned for this course. However, the course instructor(s) may modify this program before or during the workshop for technical reasons with no prior notice to participants. Nevertheless, the course objectives will always be met:

Day 1

0730 – 0800	Registration & Coffee
0800 – 0815	Welcome & Introduction
0815 – 0830	PRE-TEST
0830 – 0930	Overview of AI in Fertilizer Industry What is Artificial Intelligence (AI)? • Role of AI in Fertilizer Manufacturing Processes • Key AI Technologies (Machine Learning, Deep Learning, IoT, Digital Twins) • AI versus Traditional Fertilizer Production Methods
0930 – 0945	Break
0945 – 1030	AI for Raw Material Optimization AI-Driven Raw Material Selection for Nitrogen, Phosphorus, and Potassium (NPK) Fertilizers • Machine Learning for Predicting Raw Material Quality • AI-Based Forecasting of Raw Material Supply & Demand • AI-Powered Blending Optimization for Fertilizer Composition
1030 – 1130	AI in Ammonia & Urea Production AI-Driven Optimization of Ammonia Synthesis in the Haber-Bosch Process • Machine Learning for Urea Production Efficiency Enhancement • AI-Powered Monitoring of Nitrogen Recovery Rates • AI-Assisted Process Control for Minimizing Waste in Ammonia Production
1130 – 1215	AI for Process Control & Automation AI-Driven Predictive Process Control • Machine Learning for Real-Time Process Optimization • AI-Powered Anomaly Detection in Fertilizer Production • AI-Assisted Early Fault Detection in Manufacturing Units
1215 – 1230	Break



1230 – 1330	AI in Fertilizer Granulation & Pelletizing AI-Driven Optimization of Granulation Processes • Machine Learning for Predicting Granule Size Distribution • AI-Powered Monitoring of Pellet Hardness and Stability • AI-Assisted Process Control for Consistent Fertilizer Granule Quality
1330 – 1420	Hands-On: AI-Based Data Analysis for Fertilizer Production Implementing AI Models for Raw Material Quality Prediction • AI-Driven Process Monitoring in Ammonia Production • Machine Learning for Fertilizer Granulation Optimization • AI-Powered Real-Time Fertilizer Quality Control
1420 – 1430	Recap Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed Tomorrow
1430	Lunch & End of Day One

Day 2

0730 – 0830	AI for Predictive Maintenance of Fertilizer Plant Equipment AI-Driven Predictive Failure Detection in Production Units • Machine Learning for Equipment Condition Monitoring • AI-Powered Maintenance Scheduling for Critical Machinery • Case Studies of AI-Driven Maintenance in Fertilizer Plants
0830 – 0930	AI for Heat Exchanger & Boiler Efficiency Optimization AI-Assisted Heat Exchanger Fouling Prediction • Machine Learning for Optimizing Boiler Performance • AI-Powered Efficiency Monitoring in Thermal Processing Units • AI-Driven Predictive Maintenance for Heat Exchangers
0930 – 0945	Break
0945 – 1100	AI in Chemical Reactor Performance Monitoring AI-Based Real-Time Monitoring of Reactor Conditions • Machine Learning for Optimizing Reaction Efficiency • AI-Driven Prediction of Catalyst Deactivation Rates • AI-Powered Fault Detection in Chemical Reactors
1100 – 1215	AI for Pump & Compressor Health Monitoring Machine Learning for Pump Failure Prediction • AI-Powered Vibration Analysis for Rotating Equipment • AI-Driven Compressor Performance Monitoring • AI-Assisted Predictive Maintenance for Fertilizer Plant Pumps
1215 – 1230	Break
1230 – 1330	AI for Pipeline & Storage Tank Monitoring AI-Based Pipeline Corrosion Detection • Machine Learning for Real-Time Tank Level Monitoring • AI-Driven Pressure and Leak Detection in Pipelines • AI-Powered Optimization of Storage Tank Inventory
1330 – 1420	Hands-On: AI for Predictive Maintenance & Equipment Health AI-Based Vibration Analysis for Rotating Machinery • Machine Learning Models for Pump Failure Prediction • AI-Driven Predictive Maintenance for Heat Exchangers • AI-Powered Efficiency Monitoring in Fertilizer Production Equipment
1420 – 1430	Recap Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed Tomorrow
1430	Lunch & End of Day Two



Day 3

0730 – 0830	AI for Fertilizer Chemical Formulation Optimization AI-Driven Prediction of Optimal NPK Ratios • Machine Learning for Nutrient Solubility and Availability • AI-Powered Simulation of Fertilizer Dissolution Rates • AI-Assisted Process Control for Balanced Fertilizer Formulation
0830 – 0930	AI in Nitrogen, Phosphate & Potash Fertilizer Processing AI-Driven Process Optimization for Nitrogen-Based Fertilizers • Machine Learning for Improving Phosphate Extraction Efficiency • AI-Powered Potash Refining and Impurity Removal • AI-Assisted Predictive Modeling for Fertilizer Nutrient Stability
0930 – 0945	Break
0945 – 1100	AI for Fertilizer Coating & Controlled Release Technologies AI-Driven Optimization of Coated Fertilizer Formulations • Machine Learning for Predicting Nutrient Release Rates • AI-Powered Quality Control for Coated Fertilizer Granules • AI-Assisted Process Monitoring for Controlled Release Fertilizers
1100 – 1215	AI for Fertilizer Drying & Cooling Optimization AI-Driven Moisture Content Prediction in Drying Units • Machine Learning for Optimizing Cooling Rates • AI-Powered Monitoring of Drying Bed Efficiency • AI-Assisted Fault Detection in Drying & Cooling Units
1215 – 1230	Break
1230 – 1330	AI for Energy Efficiency in Fertilizer Manufacturing AI-Driven Energy Consumption Forecasting • Machine Learning for Process Heat Recovery Optimization • AI-Powered Monitoring of Fuel Efficiency in Kilns and Reactors • AI-Assisted Predictive Analytics for Reducing Energy Waste
1330 – 1420	Hands-On: AI-Based Process Optimization AI-Driven Optimization of Fertilizer Formulation • Machine Learning for Phosphate Extraction Efficiency Improvement • AI-Powered Predictive Analytics for Controlled-Release Fertilizers • AI-Assisted Energy Efficiency Monitoring in Fertilizer Production
1420 – 1430	Recap Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed Tomorrow
1430	Lunch & End of Day Three

Day 4

0730 – 0830	AI for Fertilizer Plant Safety & Risk Management AI-Driven Hazard Identification in Fertilizer Plants • Machine Learning for Accident Prediction and Prevention • AI-Powered Real-Time Gas Detection and Leak Prevention • AI-Assisted Emergency Response and Safety Drills
0830 – 0930	AI for Environmental Compliance & Emission Monitoring AI-Driven Predictive Analytics for Greenhouse Gas Emissions • Machine Learning for Reducing Ammonia & NOx Emissions • AI-Powered Real-Time Monitoring of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) • AI-Assisted Compliance with Environmental Regulations
0930 – 0945	Break
0945 – 1100	AI-Powered Digital Twin Technology for Fertilizer Plants What is a Digital Twin? • AI-Driven Real-Time Plant Simulation Models • Machine Learning for Process Optimization in Digital Twins • AI-Powered Predictive Analytics for Plant Performance Monitoring

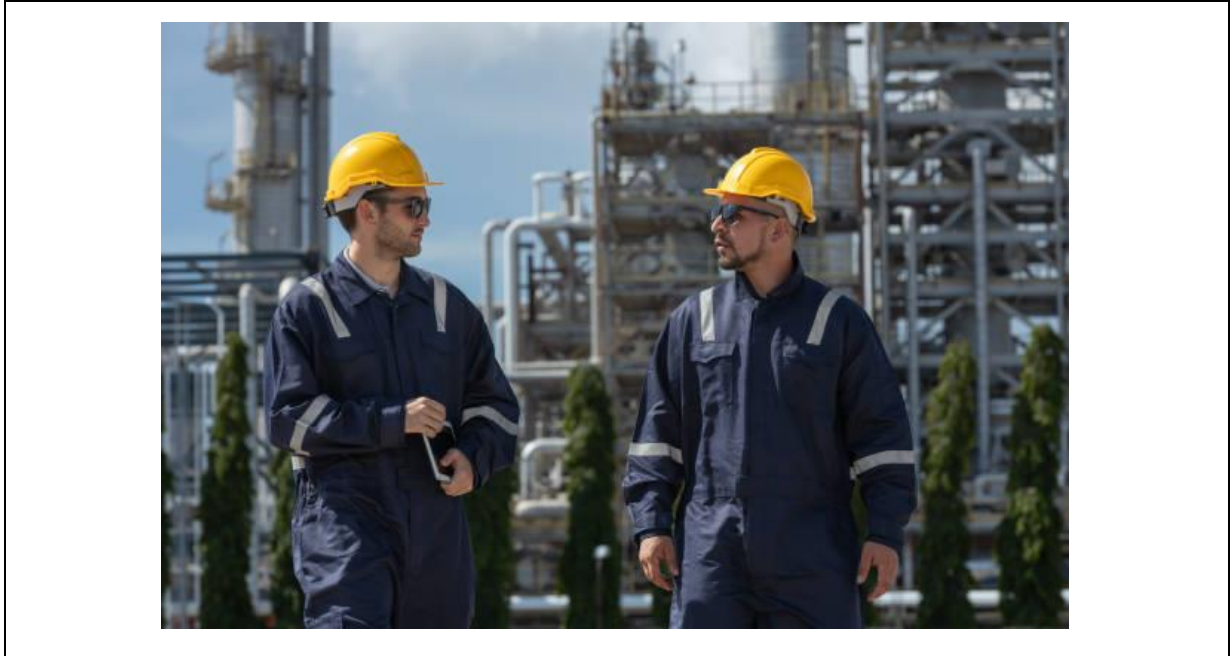
1100 – 1215	AI in Advanced Control Systems & Process Automation AI-Assisted Distributed Control System (DCS) Optimization • Machine Learning for Advanced Process Control (APC) • AI-Driven Fertilizer Plant Automation Strategies • AI-Powered Decision Support Systems for Operators
1215 – 1230	Break
1230 – 1330	AI for Smart Fertilizer Manufacturing & AI-Driven Decision Making AI-Powered Real-Time Production Scheduling • Machine Learning for Fertilizer Supply Chain Optimization • AI-Driven Raw Material Procurement and Inventory Management • AI-Assisted Fertilizer Pricing and Profitability Forecasting
1330 – 1420	Hands-On: AI for Safety & Digital Twin Applications AI-Driven Risk Prediction Model for Fertilizer Plants • Machine Learning for Environmental Compliance Monitoring • AI-Powered Fertilizer Plant Digital Twin Simulation • AI-Assisted Fertilizer Production Scheduling Optimization
1420 – 1430	Recap Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed Tomorrow
1430	Lunch & End of Day Four

Day 5

0730 – 0930	Future AI Trends in Fertilizer Manufacturing AI-Powered Autonomous Fertilizer Production Systems • AI-Driven Real-Time Nutrient Monitoring in Agriculture • AI-Assisted Smart Fertilizer Delivery Technologies • AI for Sustainable and Eco-Friendly Fertilizer Production
0930 – 0945	Break
0945 – 1100	AI for AI-Driven Predictive Analytics in Fertilizer Production AI-Powered Predictive Maintenance Evolution • AI-Driven Smart Factory Operations • AI-Assisted Workforce Optimization in Fertilizer Plants • AI-Powered Automated Process Troubleshooting
1100 – 1215	AI for Reducing Operational Costs & Increasing Efficiency AI-Driven Fertilizer Plant Profitability Optimization • Machine Learning for Cost Reduction in Fertilizer Production • AI-Powered Energy Efficiency Improvement Models • AI-Assisted Raw Material and Product Cost Minimization
1215 – 1230	Break
1230 – 1345	Hands-On: AI-Powered Fertilizer Manufacturing Optimization Model AI-Based Fertilizer Process Control Simulation • Machine Learning Model for Predictive Maintenance Strategy • AI-Powered Emissions Tracking and Compliance System • AI-Assisted Fertilizer Pricing and Supply Chain Optimization
1345 – 1400	Course Conclusion Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about Topics that were Covered During the Course
1400 – 1415	POST-TEST
1415 – 1430	Presentation of Course Certificates
1430	Lunch & End of Course

Practical Sessions

This practical and highly-interactive course includes real-life case studies and exercises:-



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