

## **Session 9 - MDEC 2004**

### **Final Plenary Consultation**

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- Summary - MDEC 2003 Survey
- Review of MDEC 2004
- Plan for next MDEC
- Final Remarks

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## Delegates Survey Results-MDEC 2003

- Hilton Suites, Markham/Toronto
- November 4 & 5 – Technical Program
- November 6 – Roundtable Forum
  - Selection and Application of DPFs
  - Engine/Equipment Maintenance and Emissions
  - NO<sub>2</sub> Generation and Control
  - Control Technologies Maintenance & Performance

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## How useful did you find the sessions?

Session #	Unsatisfactory	Satisfactory	Fully satisfactory	Superior	Outstanding
DEEP	3%	9%	30%	42%	15%
Field - I	3%	6%	39%	39%	12%
Monitoring & Simulation	3%	19%	34%	38%	6%
Control - I	3%	13%	53%	17%	13%
Field - II	--	16%	29%	45%	10%
Power Train	7%	10%	43%	30%	10%
Control - II	3%	10%	43%	33%	10%
Regulatory Issues	8%	12%	35%	38%	8%

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## How valuable did you find the display area?

- Unsatisfactory nil
- Satisfactory 23%
- Fully Satisfactory 55%
- Superior 16%
- Outstanding 6%

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## Delegates Affiliation

- Mining Company 44%
- Mining Supplier 25%
- Government 16%
- Union 3%
- Other (consultants) 12%

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## Delegates Location

- USA 39%
- Ontario 33%
- Canada 13%
- GTA 6%
- Overseas 9%

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## How did you rate the quality of papers?

Items	Unsatisfactory	Satisfactory	Fully satisfactory	Superior	Outstanding
Technical value	--	7%	37%	43%	13%
Presentation	3%	10%	32%	39%	16%
Visual material	--	17%	27%	40%	17%

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## How did you rate the conference ?

Item	Unsatisfactory	Satisfactory	Fully satisfactory	Superior	Outstanding
Overall	3%	9%	19%	44%	25%
Location	--	17%	23%	27%	33%
Venue	--	6%	26%	29%	39%
Organization	7%	3%	7%	33%	50%
Length of papers	7%	19%	37%	33%	13%

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## General Comments

- Informative & good to see some solid progress
- Great chance to learn more about emissions
- Have a speaker during lunch, need to have different speakers
- Would help if agenda showed where a copy of the paper is included in the proceedings
- Keep up the good work, prefer meeting in October
- Excellent, as a 1st time attendee a lot of useful information
- Need copies of papers missing from notebook
- 90 minutes for lunch might be more practical

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## General Comments - continued

- Could use a couple of less papers per day (ie. 8-4:00 instead of 5:00)
- This is my first time, I would recommend it to anyone who wants to improve the environment underground
- Topics for 2004-Actual maintenance practice by mines, DOCs – are they needed?
- As more traps/catalysts are used what are future modes, any fuels/lubes impacts
- Can the organizers provide a CD with a copy of the presentations.
- Vendor presentations are OK for technical data but should avoid sales pitch

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## Review of MDEC 2004

- Eight Sessions
- A new session on Fuel Cells
- Keynote Speaker at lunch
- Longer time for Lunch
- Conference adjourned by 4:30 PM
- Conference cost
- Registration

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## Planning for Next MDEC

- Presentations topics
- Name of presenters
- Workshop topics
- Roundtable forum
- Management Committee
- Conference Time
- Conference Venue
- MDEC every year/alternate year

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## Suggestions

- Please send your suggestion, comments
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**THANK YOU**

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