# Turboexpander Design & Manufacturing

## Configurations & Specifications

### Applications:
- Hydrocarbon Processing: LNG | LPG | NGL | DPC
- Geothermal Power Generation
- Air Separation
- Refrigeration
- Industrial Power Recovery | Pressure Letdown

### In-House Capabilities:
- 90,000 square feet dedicated to Design | Engineering | Parts Machining | Fabrication | Quality Control | Inspection & Testing
- Engineering expertise in Gas Dynamics | Rotor Dynamics | FEA Analysis | Tribology | Structural Design
- Specialization in Anti-Surge Systems | Automatic Thrust Control | Oil & Magnetic Bearings | IGV Systems
- State-of-the-art design and manufacturing tools applied: 3D CAM, CAD & Laser Scanning, CNC Machines
- ISO 9001: 2008 Certified Supplier

### Turboexpander Configurations

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<th>Turboexpander Configurations (1) (2)</th>
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<td>Temperature</td>
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\(1\) Configurations: EC* = Expander-Compressor / EG = Expander-Generator / ED = Expander-Dyno (Oil Brake)**

\(2\) High Pressure/High Power does not apply on ED equipment

\(3\) Bearing Types: AMB = Active Magnetic Bearings / Oil = Oil Bearings

*EC is available with Oil and Active Magnetic Bearings
**Operates at a lower power level than the range shown above
***Maximum RPM of 105,000 applicable to ED only
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**Turboexpanders**

Turboexpander configurations include expander-compressor, expander-generator, expander-dyno (oil brake) and expander-compressors with active magnetic bearing units. Turboexpanders range from 3kW to 14MW, are capable of handling up to 3,000 PSIG pressure, can operate at speeds up to 105,000 RPM, and accommodate temperatures between -195°C to 260°C.

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