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During the month of November we have prepared for shift start and hot commissioning. All safety interlocks are tested according to Cortus standard and the entire plant is now ready for commissioning. The shift work started according to plan on December 2nd, and we are now manned 24/7. The first shift week has followed the plan for commissioning and last Friday tests and boiling of the steam boiler (movie: <http://www.cortus.se/hoganas.html>). Also, during the first shift week, the gasifier has been heated up and so has the dryer. We are still focused on implementing milestone 2 in December.



Steam system in different shapes.

During the month, we have had visitors from our Japanese partner, Forest Energy, for discussions of a hydrogen project. Furthermore, we have had visits from one of the Nordic region's largest refineries. During Jernkontorets "Ståldag" December 3rd, Cortus founder Rolf Ljunggren presented the Probiostål project with focus on the importance of industry collaboration. Rolf also presented Cortus and the project at "Mangold Insights Investor Day" November 15.



Rolf presents the Probiostål project during Jernkontorets "Ståldag" 3/12. Link:

<https://twitter.com/Jernkontoret/status/1201852534459117568/photo/1>



Rolf presents Probiostål project and Cortus on "Mangold Insights Investor Day" 15/11. Länk:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XMOpgVEW8ck>