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HSIANG TAN IRON AND STEEL PLANT HU-NAN

HSIANG TAN, CHINA

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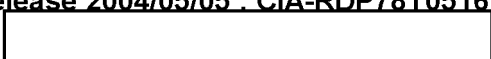
The Hsiang Tan Iron and Steel Plant is located approximately 2.5 nautical miles due south of Hsiang Tan at geographic coordinates 27 48N - 112 54E.

The plant consists of one by-products coke oven battery and associated by-products section, one blast furnace, one large rolling mill, and several forge/foundry/fabrication buildings. This plant has no apparent steel-making facilities .

The plant was observed on  and in both instances only the coke oven battery appeared to be in operation. There was no new construction during this period.

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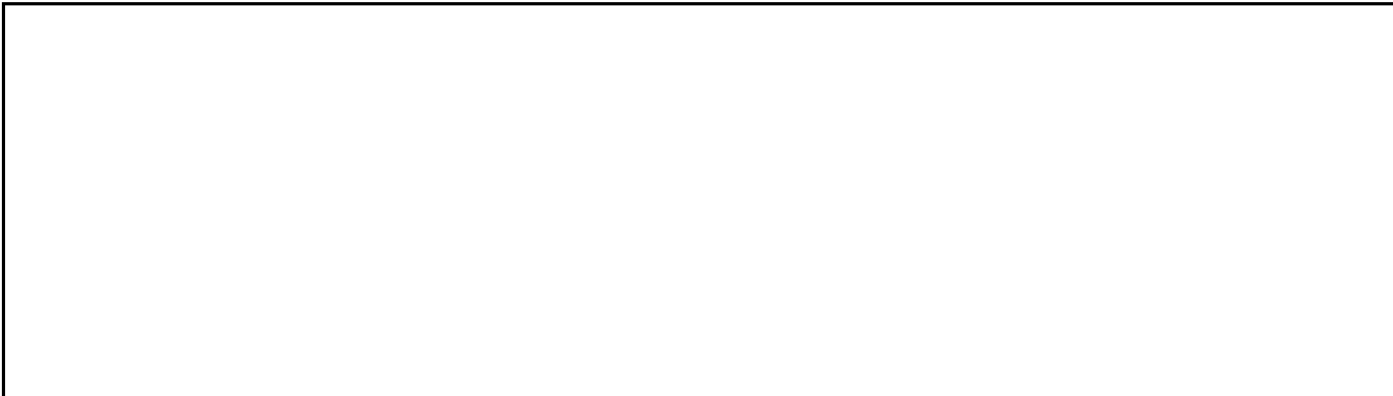


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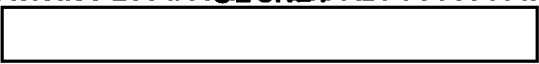
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PLANT HU-NAN
HSLIANG TAN, CHINA
27 48N 112 54E

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FIGURE 1

KEY TO ANNOTATIONS

1. ROLLING MILL
2. ONE BLAST FURNACE
3. ONE BY-PRODUCTS COKE OVEN BATTERY

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