COLUMN FLOTATION CELL
At MBE we believe in constantly reinventing ourselves. And in line with this we are always on the lookout for new avenues and opportunities.

McNally Sayaji Engineering Limited (MSEL), with factories in Kumardhubi, Asansol, Bangalore and Baroda, is one of the country’s leading manufacturers of Crushing, Screening, Milling, Material Handling and other heavy equipment, serving the core sectors of the economy. These sectors include Coal, Mining and Mineral Processing, Power, Steel, Ports, Cement, Aluminum and Non-Ferrous Metals.

The manufacturing units have ISO 9000 certification.

We have marketing and branch offices at Kolkata, Baroda, Mumbai, Kumardhubi, Bangalore, Chennai, Secundrabad, Cochin, Nagpur, Vizag and Vijaywada. This makes us capable of comprehensive customer support at all times.

MSEL has inducted technology over the years through strategic alliances and developed focused R&D and Design & Development teams, who offer optimum and cost effective solutions to meet customer needs.

**MBE-NML COLUMN FLOTATION**

National Metallurgical laboratory is one of the renowned laboratories in India dedicated for continuous research and development in the field of Metallurgy and Mineral beneficiation. We are proud to be their partners in the Journey of building column Flotation cell. After successful lab, pilot scale testing and various commercial scale installations, we introduce MBE-NML Column Flotation cells to the world of processing industries.

The basic Success of any Flotation cell lies in the fact that the bubbles meet hydrophobic particles of the feed and carry them to overflow. For this to happen it is always better to create more no of bubbles and also of finer size and that’s what column Flotation does. The conditioned feed enters the column at about two thirds height. The unique sparger system specially designed by NML, installed at the bottom generates bubbles with sufficient kinetic energy & of finer size so as to trap all the hydrophobic particles. The design of column Flotation ensures that there is enough time for the particles to come in contact with the bubbles and carry them to the overflow. The hydrophilic particles settle down at the bottom which is discharged. The mineralized bubbles reach the upper portion of the column, i.e. cleaning zone, they encounter a blanket of wash water which sweeps away gangue and slurry water entrapped in the froth.
**Salient Features of MBE-NML Column cells:**

- Unique sparging System designed by NML ensures proper size and distribution of bubbles
- The complete Equipment requires very less maintenance because of less moving parts
- The sparging system is made of inert material which is sturdy & ensures resistant to abrasion and PH.
- The operation is completely automated with Superior control over operating variables

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MBE-NML COLUMN CELLS INSTALLED
SERVICES OFFERED BY MBE FOR COLUMN FLOTATION CELLS

- Slurry sample testing to study the Feasibility of Column Flotation cell
- Pilot scale Column Flotation cell tests
- Design, Fabrication, supply and Erection and Commissioning of Commercial Scale Column Flotation Cells circuit on turnkey basis
- After sales service which involves supply of spares as OEM

Sillimanite Flotation at Indian Rare Earths Limited, Orissa
Limestone Reserve Flotation at CALPRO, Salem

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