→ Function and Location of various Boiler Mountings and Accessories

→ Mountings

Pressure Gauge

- ✓ Function: To measure the pressure inside the boiler
- ✓ Location: It is mounted on the top of the boiler shell

Water Level Indicator

- ✓ Function: To indicate the level of water inside the boiler.
- ✓ Location: It is fitted at the front end of the boiler

> Steam Stop Valve

- ✓ Function: To control the supply of steam from boiler to steam pipe
- ✓ Location: It is mounted on the top of the boiler shell

> Feed Check Valve

- ✓ Function: To control the supply of water to boiler
 To stop escaping of water from boiler
- ✓ Location: It is fitted slightly below the level of water

> Blow-off Cock

- ✓ Function: To empty the boiler when it is not in use To remove mud at regular interval
- ✓ Location: It is fitted at the lower part of water space

> Fusible Plug

- ✓ Function: To protect the boiler against the damage from overheating
- ✓ Location: It is fitted in the boiler shell above the furnace

> Safety Valve

- ✓ Function: To release the excess steam when pressure inside the boiler is over limit
- ✓ Location: It is fitted on the top of the boiler shell

→ Accessories

> Super Heater

- ✓ Function: To convert the wet steam into superheated steam
- ✓ Location: It is located in the path of flue gas before economizer

Economiser

- ✓ Function: To heat feed water using waste heat of flue gases
- ✓ Location: It is located before the entry of feed water to boiler

> Air Pre-heater

- ✓ Function: To heat the air using waste heat of flue gases
- ✓ Location: It is located between Economiser and chimney