

## R & D Projects Undertaken

- 1. Augmentation of PREE Solvent Extraction Test facility at RED
- 2. Pilot Scale Production for Nanosize Rare Earth Phosphates and Development of Industrially Potential Application areas
- 3. Design and Development of Environmentally Secure Rare Earth based Colorants
- 4. Inflight processing of metallised ilmenite in a DC plasma furnace for continuous production of Titania Rich Slag and Pig Iron.
- 5. Production of Aluminium-Silicon Master Alloys from Sillimanite through Plasma Processing
- 6. Development of Cerium Oxide based nano materials for applications as Chemical-Mechanical Planarisation/Polishing (CMP) Slurry.
- 7. Recovery of Heavy Rare Earths from Phosphoric Acid using Phosphorous Based Commercial Extractants and their mixtures
- 8. Synthesis and properties of electrodeposited nickel/ceria nanocomposite coatings
- 9. Catalysis by Nano Crystalline Ceria Modifies with Transation Metals.
- 10. Design and scale up of Annular Centri-fugal Extractor (ACE)
- 11. Processing of monazite through sulphuric acid for the recovery of Rare Earths,
  Thorium and Uranium
- 12. Preparation of Mullite and Zirconia Toughened Mullite from Sillimanite
- 13. Study of suitability of magnetic separators as replacement for air tables for recovery of monazite
- 14. Versatile Nano Zirconia production facility at Indian Rare Earths Limited, OSCOM

- 15. Development of high-field composite varistors based on Rare Earth Oxides
- 16. Development of Smart Magneto Rheological Elastomers Based on Rare Earth Magnets
- 17. Process development for the production of Nano Titania from ilmenite and set up a pilot plant to process 1 ton/ batch
- 18. Pilot plant Production of Environmentally Secure Rare Earth Oxide Brown Pigment for Surface Coating Applications