

various combinations of process and control technologies are technically possible; a number of the more important ones are given in Tables A.4.1 and A.4.2. In considering any approach, it is of paramount importance to consider the unique nature of each smelter. This uniqueness factor is determined by the nature of the ore concentrates and the metallurgy required to successfully treat these concentrates. It is these aspects that govern the selection of a metallurgical process for metal winning and, in turn, the degree of sulfur containment. Each smelter requires an individual technical and economic assessment of feasibility.