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Technological Advancements in Co-Processing



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INTRODUCTION



General requirements for using AF

- Maximum reduction of fuel costs
- High clinker quality
- Stable condition in operation
- Low maintenance
- → CO₂ reduction

Improvement in AF quality is necessary to achieve this and increase TSR in Cement Plants





A Tec's innovation for alternative fuel preparation

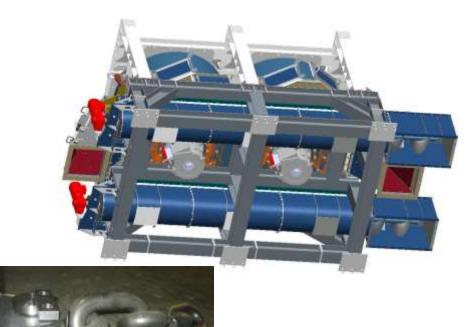


General information

- Two Grinding chambers
- Power controlled
- Direct drive

Grinding tools

- Four horizontally rotating chains
- Special chain links
- Perforated screens







Advantages of the A TEC Rocket Mill

- Smallest particle sizes possible (<15 mm)</p>
- Variable product size possible by changing perforated screen
- Higher specific surface (improved shredding technology)
- Reduction of inorganics (ash)
- Reduction of moisture (drying effect)



Higher calorific value of final product



Higher specific surface (improved shredding technology)

Samples below show final size < 15 mm





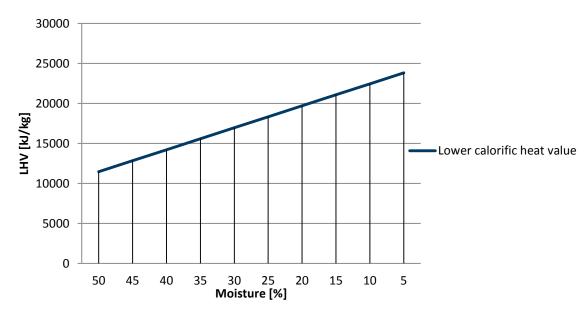






Advantages of the A TEC Rocket Mill

- Simultaneous drying in Rocket Mill
- Total moisture reduction approx. 10 %
- Additional drying with process waste gas (optional)

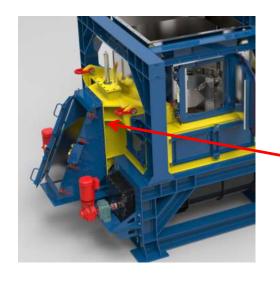




Advantages of the A TEC Rocket Mill

- Reduction of inorganics (ash)
- Easy discharge of inorganics











Final Product

- → The maximum size of final product with a screen with ø 15 mm is max. 15 mm approx. 50% < 5 mm.
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- Increased specific surface ("fluffy" like cotton)
- Drying effect during the grinding process approx. 10 %
- Additional drying with process waste gas





Positive Impact on Pyroprocess

- Better burnout of AF in kiln due to improved physical properties
- High clinker quality
 - Reduction of Fe2+ content (brown clinker)
 - Less sulphur circulation
- Less water content in system
- Higher substitution rates and higher capacity
- → Stable condition due to more homogenized product



Technical data

Final product size	< 15 mm	< 60 mm	
Screen size	Ø 15mm	rectangular 40 x 50mm	
Output size	< 15 mm / ~ 50% < 5 mm	< 40 mm / ~ 40% < 20 mm ~15 t/h	
Throughput	~ 8 t/h		
Specific power consumption	70 kWh/t < 15 mm final	40 kWh/t < 60 mm final	
Dimension	8.530 x 4.160 x 6.000 l x b x h (mm)		
Weight	60.000 kg		
Drive Unit	2 x 315 kW		
Rotor Speed	~ 580 min-1		

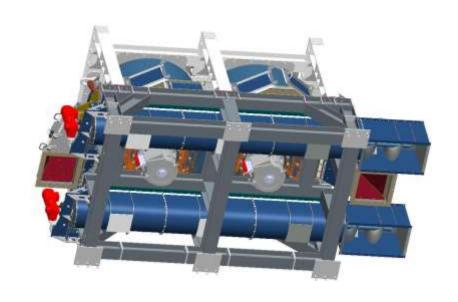


Maintenance & Wear costs

Life time wear parts	chain approx. 300h screen approx. 1000h		
Wear costs	3,50 (15mm) / 1,75 (60mm)	€/t	
Time for changing one set of wear parts	approx. 1-1,5	h/unit	
Maintenance/cleaning	5	h/week	

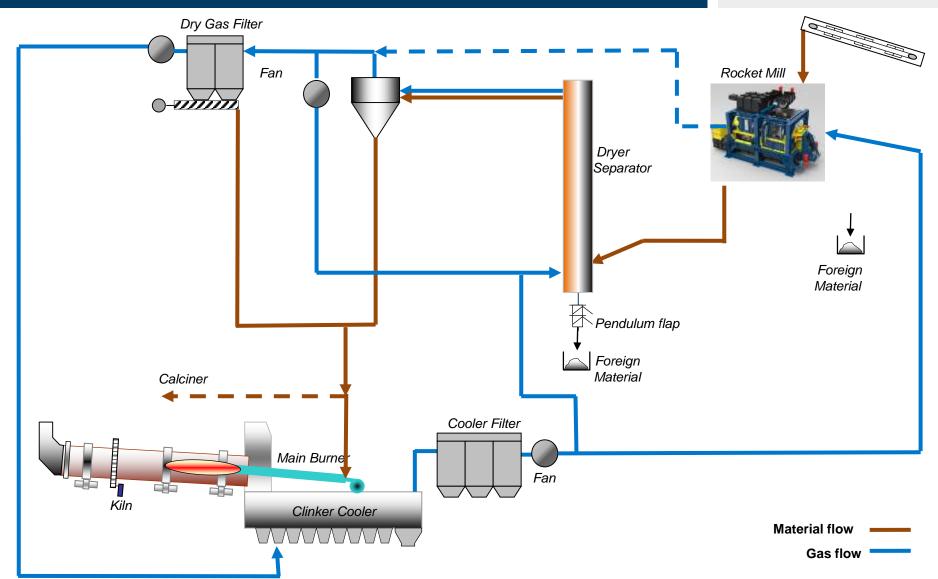
ROCKET MILL animation





SAF DRYING





ROCKET MILL plus DRYER SEPARATOR



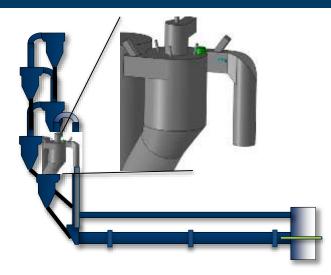
Advantages

- Maximum reduction of moisture content
- Additional separation of inorganics(ash)
- Less wear in the transport system
- Higher specific surface (improved shredding technology)

Highest possible calorific value of final product

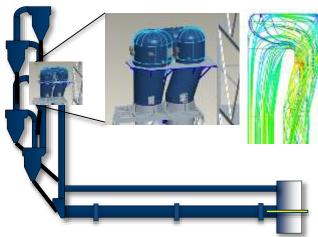
MAXIMIZE AF UTILIZATION IN CALCINER





Combustion Chamber

- Provides optimized conditions for ignition in hot air (Tertiary air with 21% Oxygen)
- Increase in retention time allows combustion of bigger particles

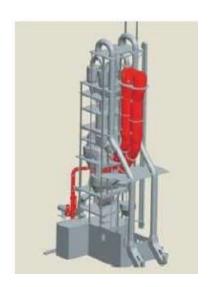


Post-Combustion Chamber

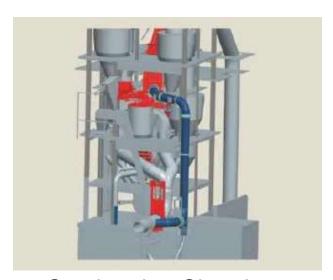
- Ensures burn-out after high feed rates of complex fuels (AF)
- Mixing of strands Improves burn-out and SNCR process

REFERENCE PROJECT





Calciner loop duct



Combustion Chamber

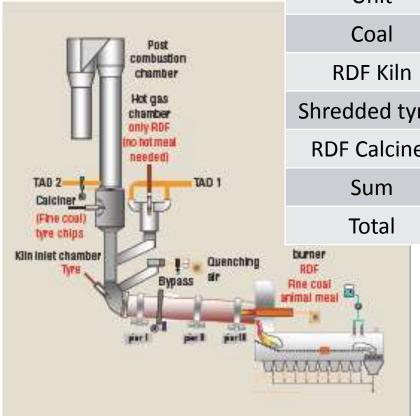


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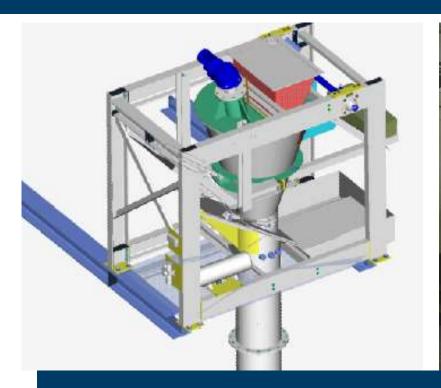


Fuel Type	LHV	Kiln	Calciner	
		Kiln Burner	Bottom Part	Comb. Chamber
Unit	MJ/kg	%	%	%
Coal	28	35		4
RDF Kiln	20	11		
Shredded tyres	28		15	
RDF Calciner	18			35
Sum		46	15	39
Total		46	54	



A TEC SWING CHUTE



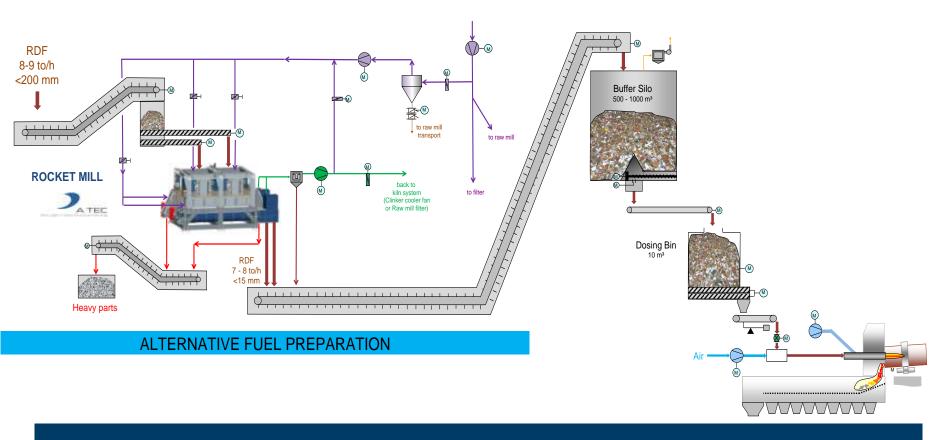




The Swing Chute is used as safety equipment for feeding alternative fuels in the combustion system. In the event of an operating problem, the gravity-driven chute swivels out and completely closes the combustion system. *No drive is required*.

INCREASE TSR IN MAIN BURNER





High quality AF produced in Rocket mill and A Tec expertise in fuel injection system optimization will make 60 - 70% TSR in main burner possible.

SUMMARY



- Improving AF utilization in cement plants requires High quality AF.
- Dried AF with higher specific surface, produced using Rocket Mill plus Dryer separator, assists fast burn-out and maximizes TSR.
- → A Tec Combustion chamber and post-combustion chamber enables >90% TSR in Calciner with stable kiln operation.
- Increasing TSR in main burner requires high quality AF and expert evaluation to modify / replace main burner.

SUMMARY



- ▶ Based on our expert knowledge in PYROPROCESSING and ALTERNATIVE FUEL PREPARATION, we have comprehensively optimized a complete solution covering all crucial steps from engineering to supplying equipment and plant construction.
- As a complete system supplier with long term experience in waste treatment and handling, we are able to guarantee significant commercial and environmental benefits.

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