

For a zero-waste future

### Waste Pre and Co-processing in Cement Kilns: Concepts and Benefits

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Geocycle is waste management brand of Holcim, one of the world's leading

supplier of construction materials





Geo means "earth" in Greek, while Cycle calls to mind the cycle of life. "Geocycle" refers to our ability to convert waste into a safe, useable resource



## Waste Management Hierarchy



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#### Pre-Processing is...

... making the waste similar to fuel in properties by physical changes like size reduction, separation, segregation and preparing homogeneous mixture

#### **Benefits:**

- Reduce the waste volume
- Homogenize the waste
- Makes waste similar to fuel in properties
- Reduces the impacts on process
- Creates regional job in waste collection, pretreatment, etc.



#### Co-Processing is...

...the use of waste materials/pre-processed waste in RII's (Resources Intensives Industrial processes) such as cement, lime, steel, glasses, power generation etc instead of using fossil fuels & natural resources.

#### **Benefits:**

- Upgrades waste management within the waste hierarchy
- Reduces global environmental impacts
- Decreases (largely) the costs of waste management
- Creates regional job in waste collection, pretreatment, etc.
- Is a zero-emission technology





### Sources of Material for Pre and Co-processing

26 categories of industries that are sources of co-processable material worldwide

have been identified by Holcim

- 1. Agricultural Production Crops
- 2. Agricultural Production Livestock
- 3. Agricultural Services
- 4. Metal Mining
- 5. Coal Mining
- 6. Oil and Gas Extraction
- 7. Mining and Quarrying of Nonmetallic Minerals
- 8. General Building Contractors
- 9. Heavy Construction Contractors
- 10. Special Trade Contractors
- 11. Food and Kindred Products
- 12. Lumber and Wood Products, Except Furniture
- 13. Furniture and Fixtures

- 14. Paper and Allied Products
- 15. Chemicals and Allied Products
- 16. Petroleum Refining & Related Industries
- 17. Rubber and Miscellaneous Plastic Products
- 18. Leather and Leather Products
- 19. Glass Products
- 20. Primary Metal Industries
- 21. Fabricated Metal Products
- 22. Indus. and Comm. Machinery and Computers
- 23. Electronic & Electrical Equipment
- 24. Transportation Equipment
- 25. Photographic Equipment and Supplies
- 26. Electric, gas, and sanitary services



## But All Wastes Are Not Co-processable

#### List of "Banned Wastes"

- Asbestos containing waste
- Anatomical hospital waste
- Bio-hazardous waste
- Electronic scrap
- Entire batteries
- Explosives
- High concentration cyanide waste
- Mineral acids
- Radioactive waste
- Unsorted municipal solid waste



#### Waste & Sustainability: The Challenge



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BENEFITS

 Mixing/blending of wastes with varying physical and chemical properties

 Process wastes as per the capability of process and feed points (keep the limiting constituents under control)

Produce cement as per the prescribed BIS standards



## **Reduction of GHGs**



#### **Pre-Processing Platforms at a glance**



## **Pre-Processing System Design**

#### Equipment

- Arm Handler and Pay loader
- Shredder and Belt conveyors
- Magnetic Separator
- Star Screen



## **Co-Processing System Design**

#### Equipment

- Walking Floor
- Chain Belt Conveyor
- Weigh Feeder
- Long Belt Conveyor
- Sacrificial belt Conveyor
- Rotary Air Lock

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- Safety Shut off Gate
- Feed chute at Calciner







## AFR at ACC Kymore

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- 15. CARBON BLACK
- **16. CADBOURY LAMINATES & TRADE REJECTS**
- 17. OZONE DEPLETING SUBSTANCES ODS (2012) FIRST TIME IN INDIA ACC KYMORE HAS COPROCESSED ODS WITH SPECIALLY DESIGNED FEEDING SYSTEM IN CEMENT KILN

# **Pre-Processing Facility at ACC Kymore**









# Fire Fighting facility at PCPF Kymore

- Fire water tank- 1200 M3
- Detection System UV/IR Flame detectors and LHS cables
- Suppression System

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- Hydrant and Hose real System
- Medium velocity Water Spray System (MVWS)
- Low expansion foam system
- Early suppression fast response (ESFR) type sprinkler system
- Portable Fire Extinguishers













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