High automation, increased energy efficiency and a wider range of applications

are the key highlights of the recoSTAR dynamic recycling lines and complement a well-proven technology.

The **rECO** concept is an innovative approach that improves the energy efficiency of the recycling line. The overall energy consumption kW/kg is reduced by approx. 10%. The benefit for the client is reduced costs, benefit for the environment is reduced carbon footprint.

The **rECO package** includes amongst others:

- ► New drive concept for the main extruder drive
- ► New drive configuration for SMART feeder
- ► Main motors in IE3 standard
- ► Barrel heating with infrared heaters
- Energy recovery solutions are optionally available for various process steps.

Feeding via cyclone in-line with production line, nip roll feeder and conveyor belt; simplified start-up through control of filling level.

Side feed compounding with

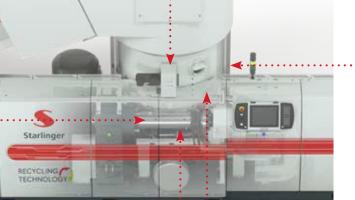
output feedback loop allows

up-cycling through exact do-

sing straight into the extruder.



Dynamic automation package: constant production, higher output and flexibility. Optimal operation point through speed controlled SMART feeder drive and actively controlled input slider.





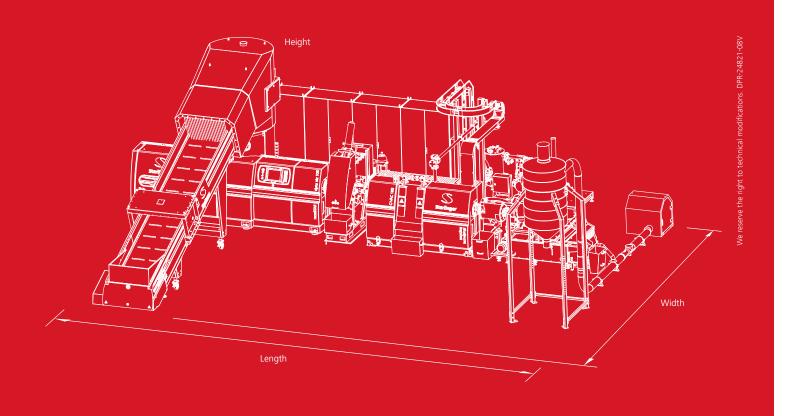
Large SMART feeder for a wide range of input materials. Enlarged operation window due to water cooled bottom.

Radiant extruder heat is used for the SMART feeder air-flush, allowing higher moisture content.



Optimally prepared material is continuously fed into the extruder by centrifugal force. User friendly control panel design, LED user elements, automatic start-up and stand-by, one-button start/stop, etc..

Extruder screw and barrel are wear resistant; optionally ultra wear resistant.



Dimensions in mm / inch

Туре	65
Height in mm	3850
Height in inches	150
Width in mm	10000
Width in inches	400
Length (with degassing) in mm	8500
Length (with degassing) in inches	340

Туре	65	85	105	125	145	165	215
Output [kg/h]*	150 – 250	300 – 500	400 – 750	650 – 1000	850 – 1200	1200 – 1600	2000 – 2400
Output [lbs/h]*	330 - 550	660 - 1100	880 - 1650	1430 – 2200	1870 – 2650	2650 - 3530	4400 – 5290
Energy consumption [kWh/kg]	0.2 – 0.35	0.2 – 0.35	0.2 – 0.35	0.2 – 0.35	0.2 – 0.35	0.2 – 0.35	0.2 - 0.35
Energy consumption [kWh/lb.]	0.09 – 0.16	0.09 – 0.16	0.09 – 0.16	0.09 – 0.16	0.09 – 0.16	0.09 – 0.16	0.09 – 0.16
* without degassing							
SMART feeder							
Diameter [mm]	900	1100	1270	1430	1580	1650	2050
Diameter [inch]	35.5	43.5	50	56.5	62.2	65	81
Drive power [kW]	37/45	75/90	132/160	160/200	200/250	200/250	400/500
Extruder							
Screw diameter (L/D) [mm]	65 (24; 40*)	85 (24; 40*)	105 (24; 40*)	125 (24; 40*)	145 (24; 40*)	165 (24; 40*)	215 (24, 40*)
Screw diameter (L/D) [inch]	2.5 (24; 40*)	3.3 (24; 40*)	4.1 (24; 40)	4.9 (24; 40*)	5.7 (24; 40*)	6.5 (24; 40*)	8.5 (24; 40*,
AC drive [kW]	45/55	75/90	110/132	160/200	200/250	315/345	470/530
* with degassing							
Downstream equipment							
Degassing: vacuum, cascade vacuum, high vacuum	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
Water ring pelletiser	•	•	•	•	•	•	C
Strand/automatic strand pelletiser	alternative						
Underwater pelletiser	alternative						

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RECYCLING LINE recoSTAR dynamic

for post-consumer waste and production scrap, wide range of applications, **inline recycling**, superior functionality with **SMART feeder**, dynamic **automation package** for higher output, **increased energy efficiency**





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85	105	125	145	165	215			
3850	4100	4100	4100	4100	4800			
150	160	160	160	160	189			
10000	10000	10000	11000	11000	11000			
400	400	400	440	440	440			
9500	10800	14000	16000	17000	19000			
380	430	550	630	670	750			

RECYCLING LINE recoSTAR dynamic



State-of-the-art recycling technology with extended functionalities such as SMART feeder and dynamic automation package. Designed for processing film, fibres, thermoplastic in-house production scrap and washed post-consumer waste from materials such as PE, PP, PET, PES, PA, PLA, PS, PPS as well as foamed products. The most efficient solution for hygroscopic and wet materials.



The SMART feeder extruder by centrifugal force. optional degassing extruder The dynamic automation package regulates the ideal volatile contamination and operation point. Automatic speed adjustment of rotating very humid or organically disc and positioning of load- contaminated input material to increased output. Higher hygroscopic input material levels of humidity can be the H-VAC module. processed.



The wear-resistant optimally prepares the input **extruders** are designed and removal of solid contaminants is chosen depending on material and feeds it into the manufactured in-house. The are available. The optional wpolymer type and preferred purifies the melt from monomers. Highly printed, controlled intake slider leads requires the C-VAC module, recommended.



available.

Melt filters for continuous The pelletising system backflushing function reduces pellet shape. In case of costs for filter screens and operator intervention. In case of higher contamination, a power backflushing or continuous melt filter is

The high pellet quality ensures the production of

automatic strand pelletising, broken strands are automatically inserted into the strand added to increase the possipelletiser without operator interference. Alternatively, manual strand, water ring, or underwater pelletising are



an end-product with the characteristics of the original product. Up to 100 % reuse is possible. Additives can be bilities of reuse by adjusting pellet characteristics.



SMART feeder

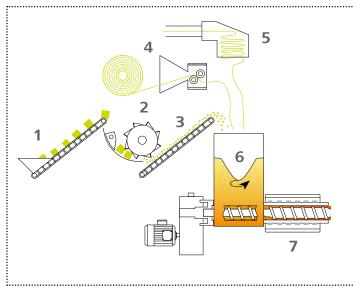
for ideal material preparation prior to extrusion through performing simultaneously the following:

- S shrink & cut
- M mix & homogenize
- A active feed & control
- **R** rotate & friction
- T temperature & dry





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1. Conveyor belt/screw Single-shaft cutter, stand-alone
Conveyor belt with metal detector

7. Extruder 4. Nip roll feeder Edge trim cyclone
SMART feeder

