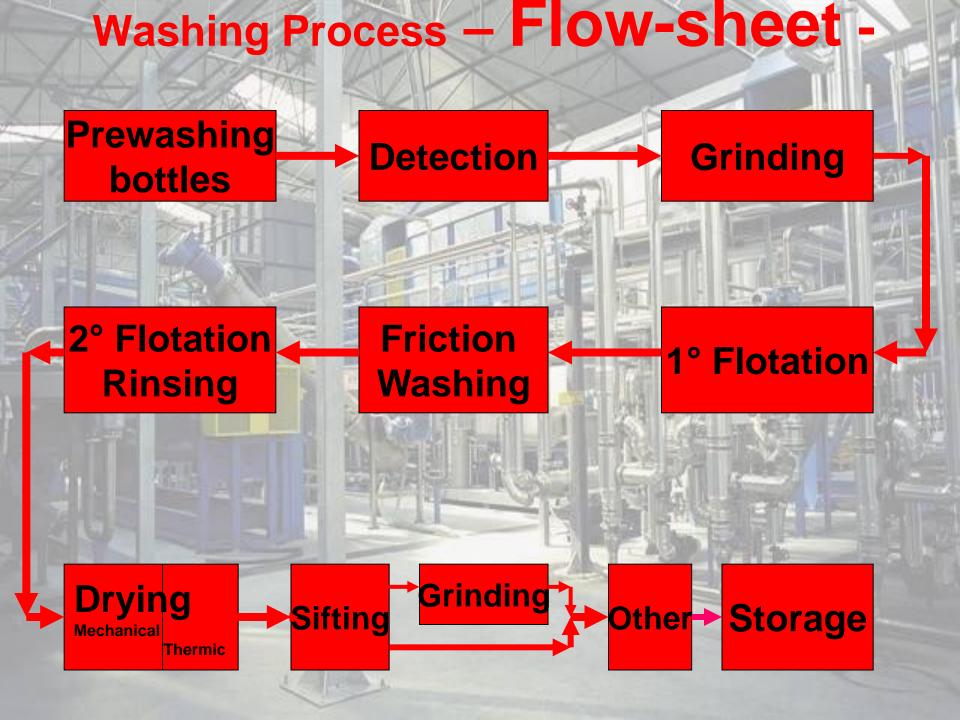


After accurate study of physics and chemistry of the washing process, AMUT has setup a

has setup a recycling system tested in various plants.

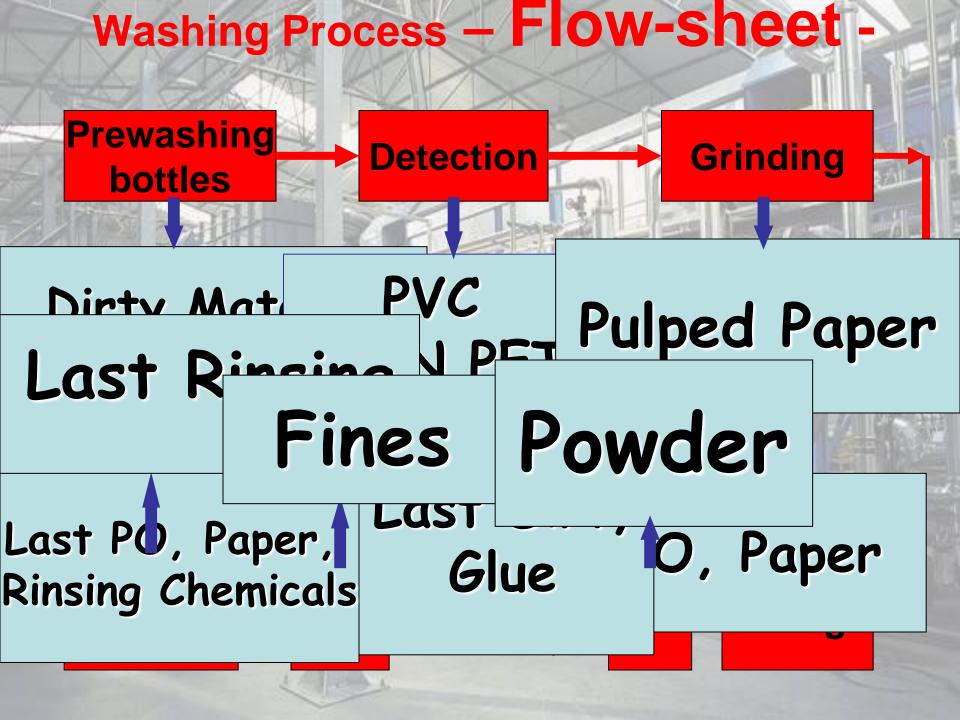


# The bottles and flakes washing is performed by following combined actions:

mechanical (friction),

chemical (chemical product),

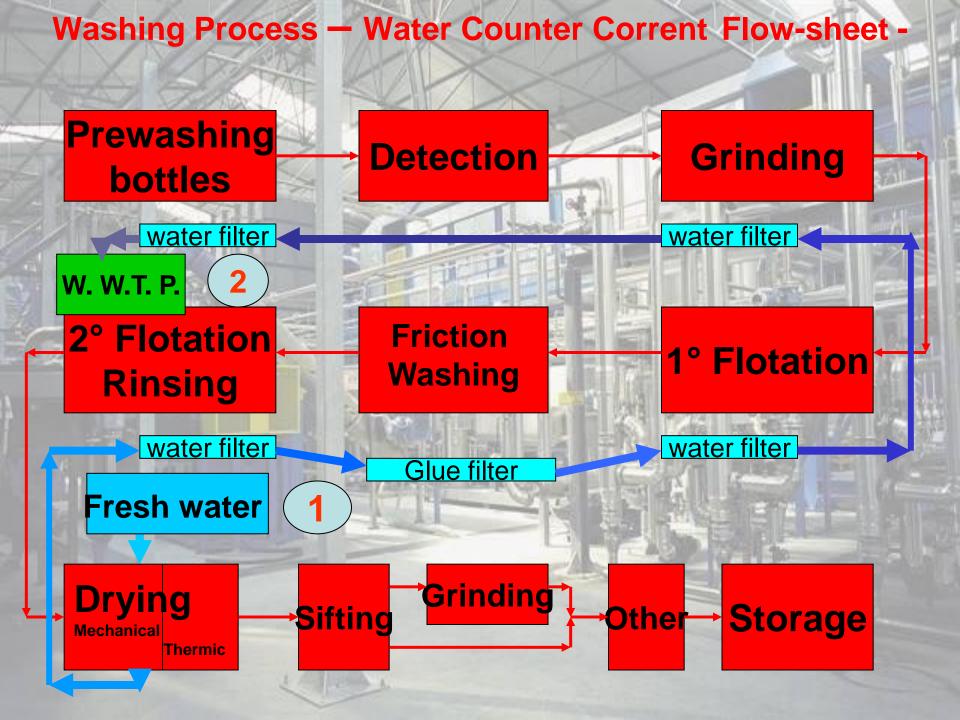
physical (high temperature)

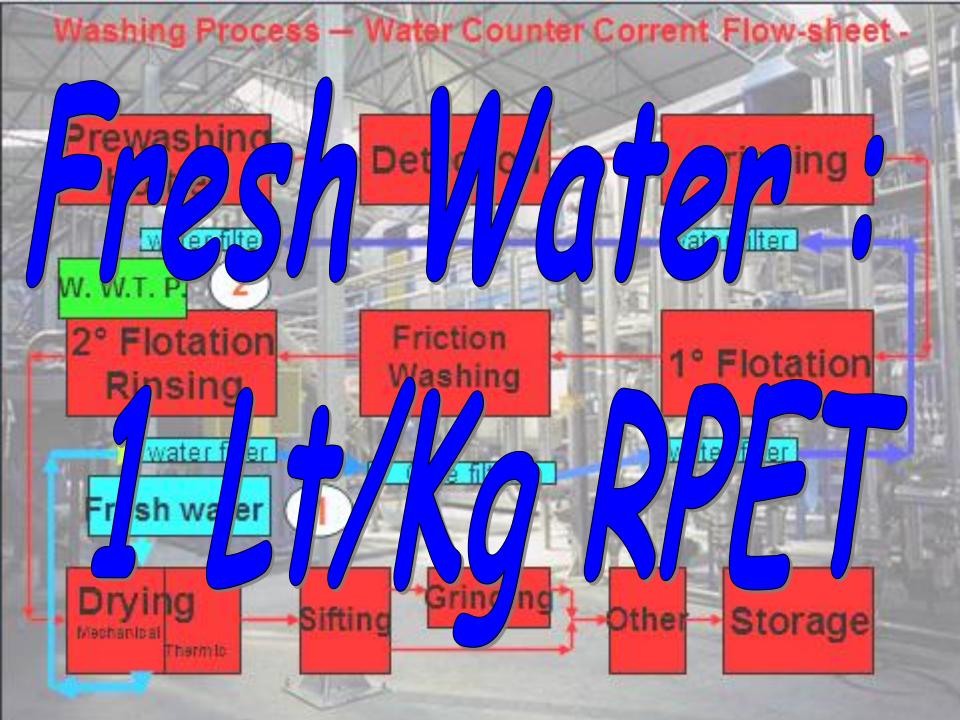


The continuous Recycling of the Process Water though Filter is made in all Washing Steps.



In every washing step, water is continuously renewed by inlet in the final point of fresh water, which goes back in counter current until the starting point.

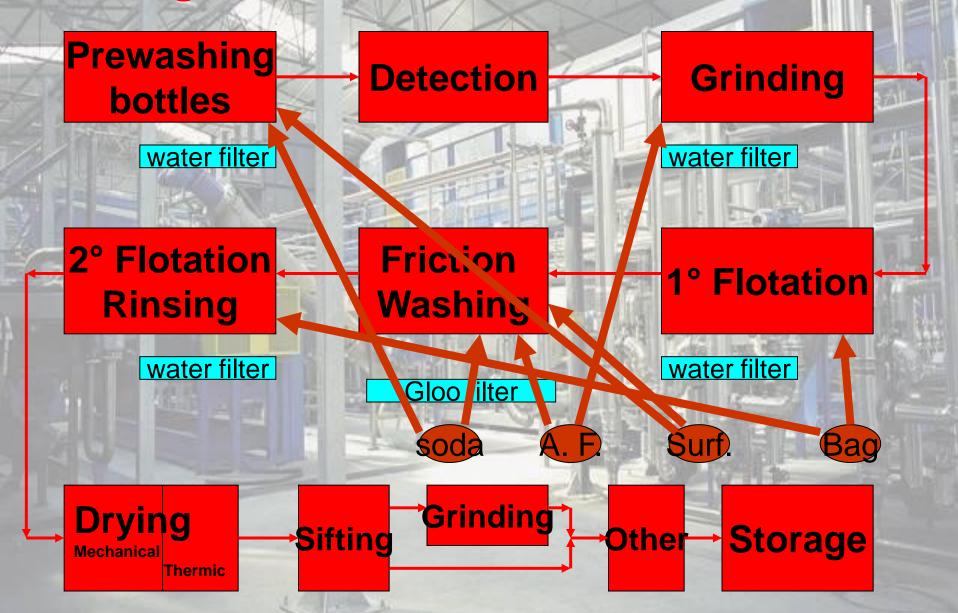






In every washing step water is continuously conditioned with ecological chemicals for the perfect elimination of pollutants and glue from the scraps.

### Washing Process — Chemicals Flow-sheet



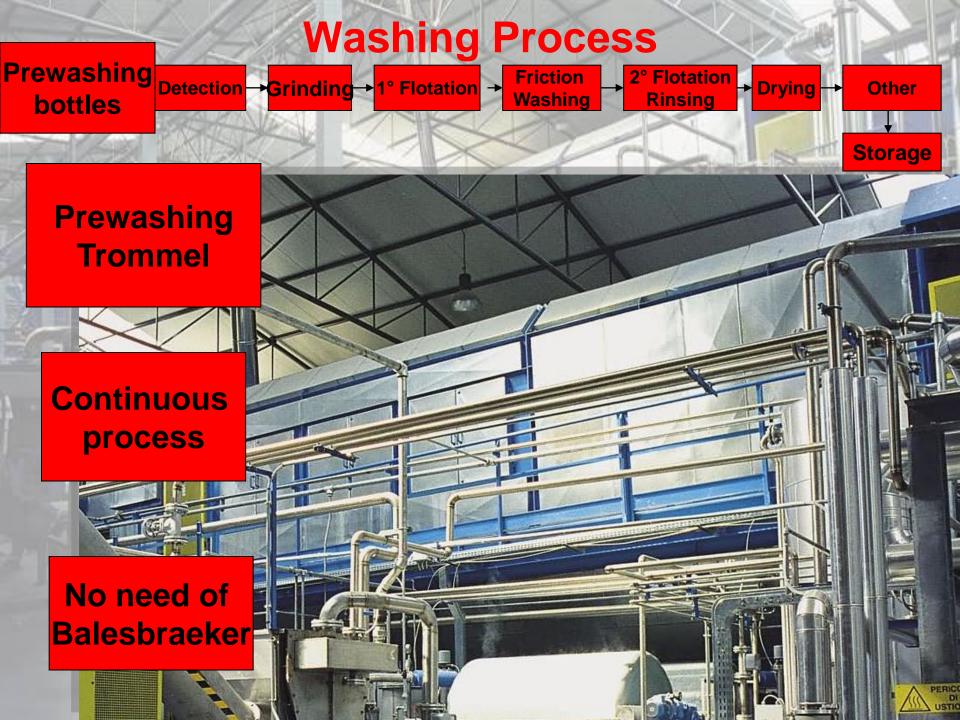
Total Consuption of Chemicals: 10 Lt/Ton of RPET

2° Flotation Rip

The right products
In the right position
In the right
proportion

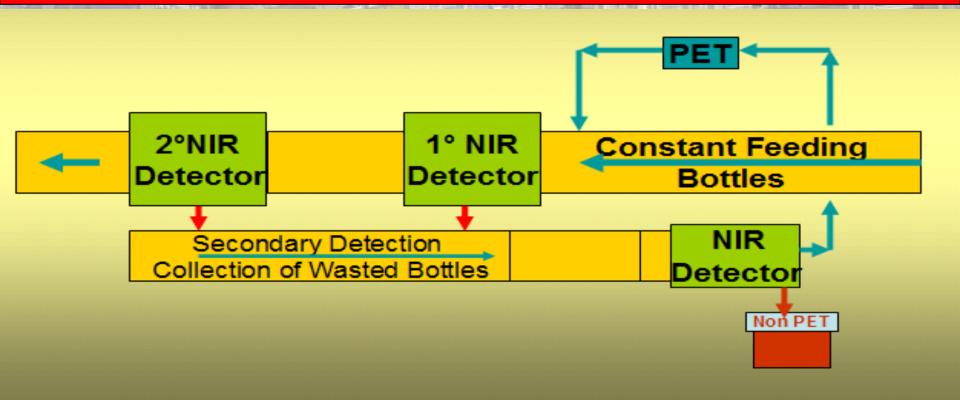






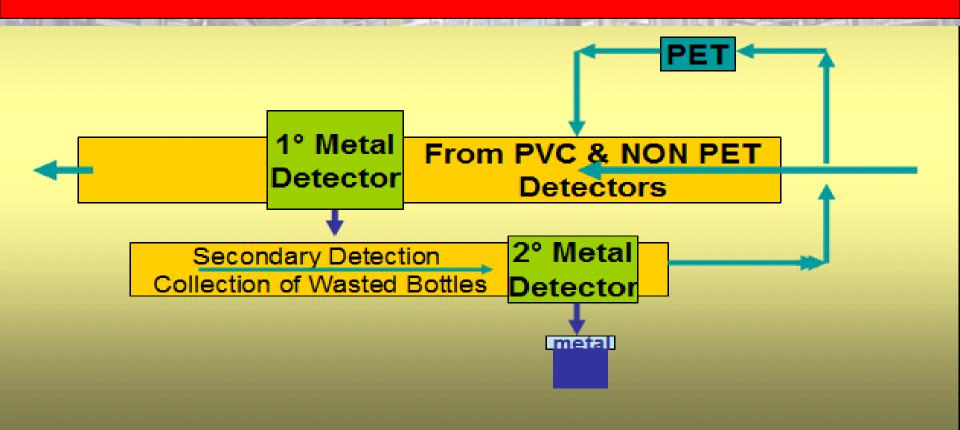


#### **Automatic PVC e Non PET Detection**





#### **Detection Metall**





## **Constant Feeding**

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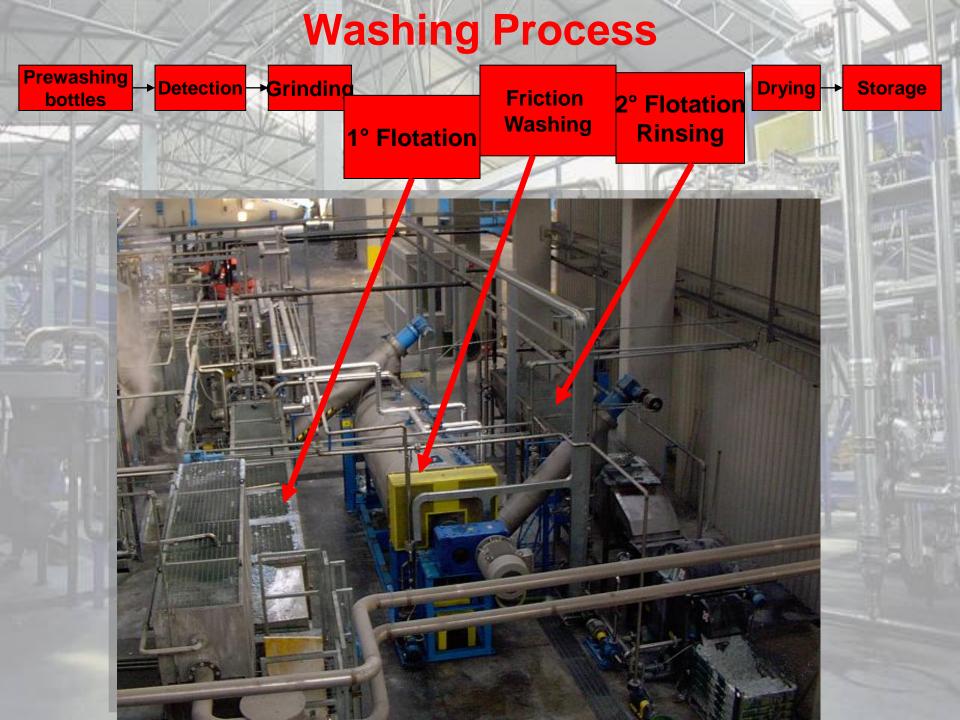
**Dosing bottles** to Detectors

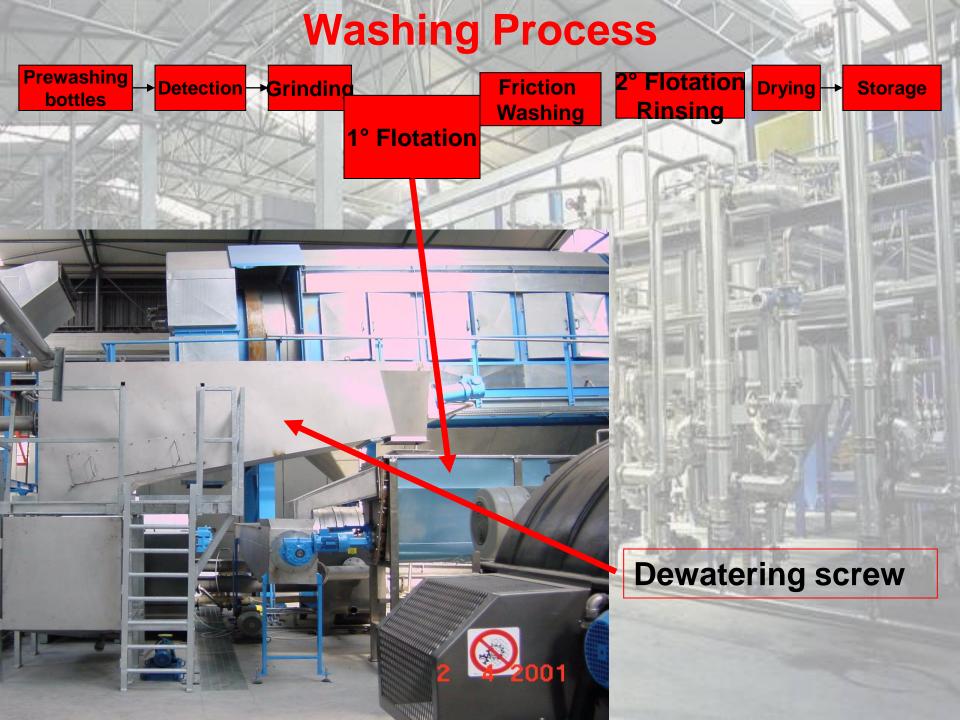














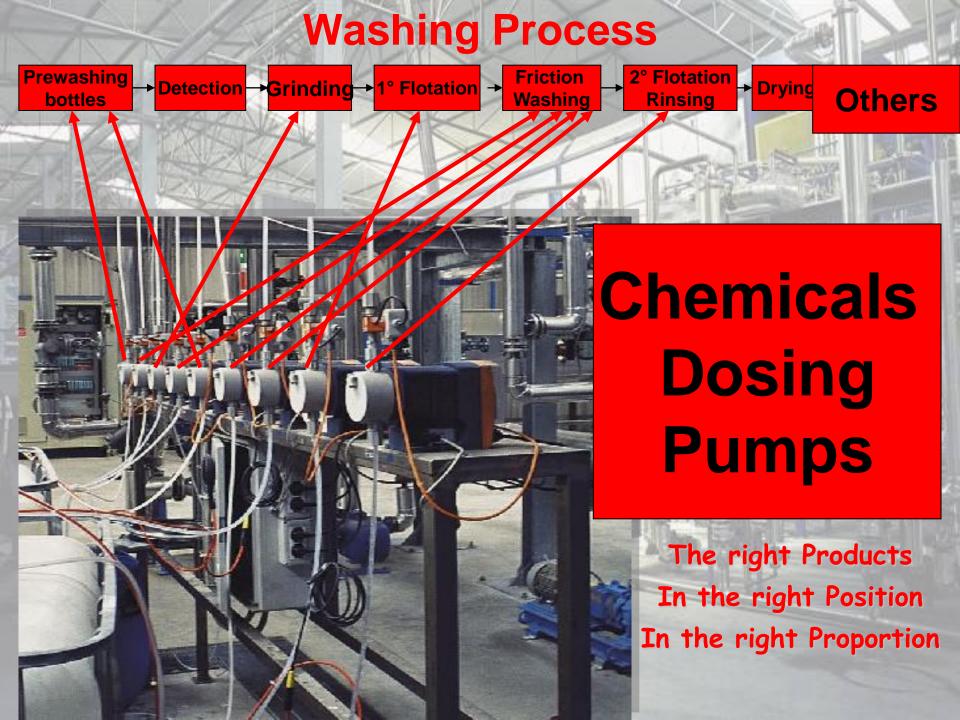




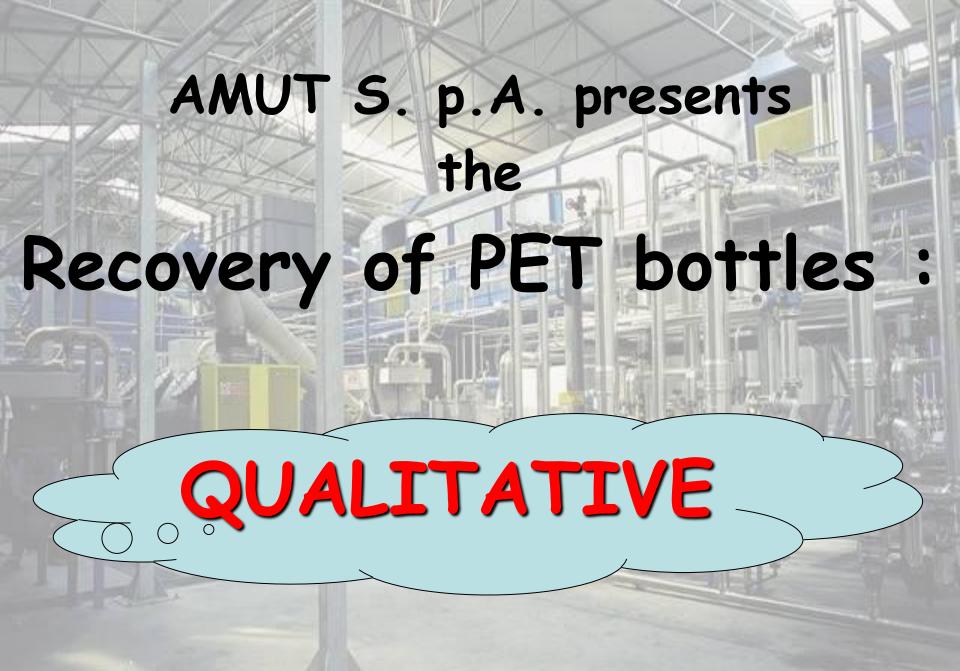












#### **FLAKES CHARACTERISTICS**

- a) Color b
- b)  $\Delta$  Color b
- c) PVC bottles with double Detector
- d) Polyolefines
- e) Paper
- f) Glue
- g) PH
- h) Humidity
- i) Filterability

< 2

< 4

**25 ppm** 

10 ppm\*

10 ppm\*

10 ppm

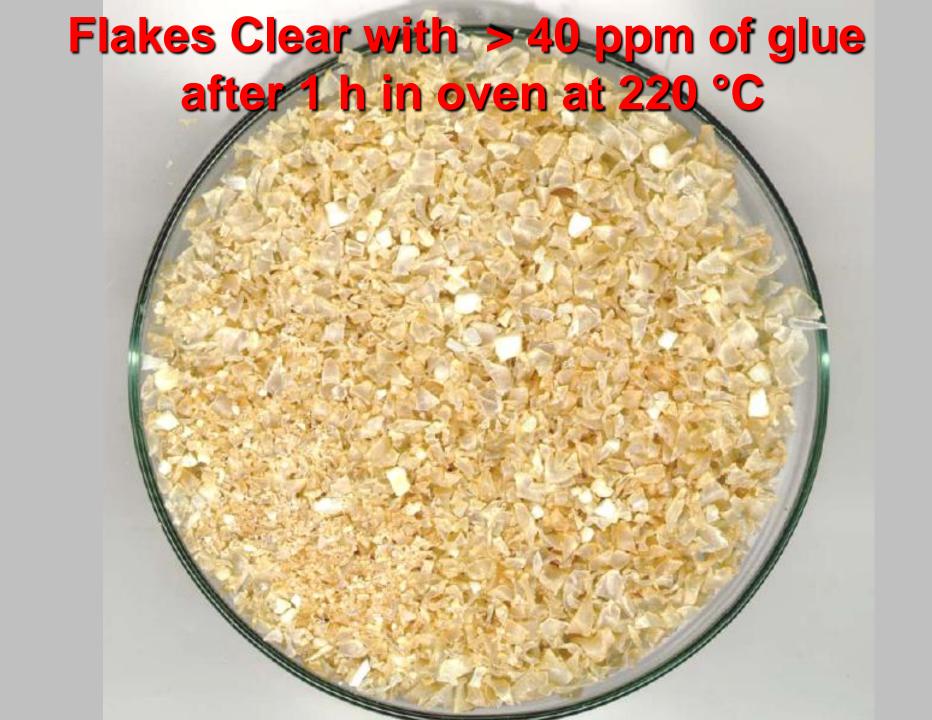
< 10

0,7%

100bar/h cm<sup>2</sup>

\* The average weight of the flakes is 10 ppm







# EXPECTED CONSUMPTION Plant 1.250 kg/h

x kg RPET

- a) Absorbed electric power exc. Storage 0,38 KW
- b) Consumption of Water
- c) Air for detectors PVC /non PET
- d) Filtering material for main filter.
- e) Steam
- f) Conditioning product

Soda+Detergent+Antifoam

1,00 Lt

0,1 N mc

0,01 Kg

0,85 Kg

0,010 Kg

## EXPECTED CONSUMPTION Plant 2500 kg/h

x kg RPET

- a) Absorbed electric power exc. Storage 0,25 KW
- b) Consumption of Water
- c) Air for detectors PVC /non PET
- d) Filtering material for main filter.
- e) Steam
- f) Conditioning product
  Soda+Detergent+Antifoam

1,00 Lt

0,1 N mc

0,01 Kg

0,80 Kg

0,010 Kg

Consumi rilevati su impianto Erreplast Da Gennaio 2001 a Ottobre 2001

2.000 Kg/h

€/ton

Electric consuption: Kw/ton RPET 287 = 34,00

Water

It/Kg RPET 1,08 = 0,001

Soda

: Kg/Kg RPET 0,005= 1,55

**Anti foan** 

: Kg/Kg RPET 0,003= 12,30

**Surfactant** 

: Kg/Kg RPET 0,002= 6,20

**Diatomite** 

: Kg/Kg RPET 0,009= 8,30

Gas

: mc/ton RPET 69,3 = 19,00



# COMSUMPTION of WATER 1,0 litre / Kg RPET WASTED WATER 0,8 litre / Kg RPET

### **WASTED WATER characteristics**

- a) COD/BOD
- b) S.S. (suspended solid)
- c) Mineral oil
- d) pH Alkaline
- e) Total tension-active

10.000/5.000 mg/litre

30 g/litre

present

<0,2% soda

< 100 ppm



OPERATION COSTS OF THE R	1250 kg	/ <b>h-</b> 6	6250 t/y	<b>2500</b> l	kg/h -	12500 t/y		
A) OPERATION COSTS	costs per unit	€			€/t RPET			€/t RPET
Manpower	23.250	€/y	14 Pe	ople	52,08	17	People	31,62
Electrical utility	0,098	€/Kw h	360 K	(w/t	35,28	250	Kw/t	24,50
Steam	20,64	€/t steam	0,85 t sto	eam/t	17,54	0,80	steam/t	16,51
Chemicals: Soda+Detergent+Antifoan	1,60	€/I	9,00	I/t	14,40	9,00	I/t	14,40
Filtering material	0,72	€/Kg	9,00 K	<b>K</b> g/t	6,48	9	Kg/t	6,48
Rutine mantenance	26,00	€/h	400 h	h/y	1,66	850	h/y	1,77
Special mantenance	26,00	€/h	800 h	h/y	3,33	800	h/y	1,66
Grinder knives 120/80	7.000,00	€	3,33 s	et/y	3,73			
Grinder knives 150/80	7.000,00	€			me801   150	4,66	set/y	2,61
Grinder risharping120/80	186,00	€	50 Tir	me/y	1,49			
Grinder risharping150/80	217,00	€	HE E	600		70	time/y	1,22
Dumping operation	51,10	€/t	20	%	12,78	20	%	12,78
Waste water	0,05	€/lt	1250	l/h	0,05	2500	l/h	0,05
Spares-unforseen events	50.000,00	€/y			8,00			
Spares-unforseen events	75.000,00	€/y						6,00
	TOTAL				156,82			119,59
B) ROW MATERIAL COSTS	costs per unit							
Bottles	100,00	€			100,00			100,00
Foreign + Lost material (fine)	E 23 5	Sill Silver	20+3	%	23,00	20+2	%	23,00
	TOTAL				123,00			123,00
TOTAL RUNNING COST €	/Kg RPET		€/t l	RPET	279,82	4	E/t RPET	242,59
C) DEPRECIATION COSTS	costs per unit	€			€/t RPET			€/t RPET
Washing plant	3.000.000,00	€	7years 6	6%	85,99	1 5 55	-	
Washing plant	4.500.000,00	€				7years	6%	64,49
Wastewater treatment plant	330.000,00	€	7years 6	6%	9,46			·
Wastewater treatment plant	360.000,00	€				7years	6%	5,16
Building	1.000.000,00	€	20years 6	6%	13,95	20years	6%	6,97
	TOTAL				109,40			76,63
TOTAL COSTS €/KG RP	TOTAL COSTS €/KG RPET						t RPET	319,22

## MANPOWER LOW COSTS (5 days/week)

The necessary operators for each shift are:

- N.1 for bottle bales feeding
- N.1/2 for manual control
- · N.1 Supervisor

The necessary additional operators for the day shift are :

- · N.1 for flakes analysis
- · N.1 for the produced flakes handling
- · N.1 for ordinary maintenance

## TOTAL: 12 / 15

A) OPERATION COSTS	costs per unit	€		<b>€/t RPET</b>		€/t RPET
Electrical utility	0,098	€/Kw h	360 Kw/t	35,28	250 Kw/t	24,50
Steam	20,64	€/t steam	0,85 t steam/	17,54	0,80 t steam/t	16,51
Chemicals: Soda+Detergent+Antifoan	1,60	€/I	9,00 l/t	14,40	9,00 l/t	14,40
Filtering material	0,72	€/Kg	9,00 Kg/t	6,48	9,00 Kg/t	6,48
Waste water	0,05	€/It	1250 I/h	0,05	2500 l/h	0,05
Electricity: -	minimum uninstalled	ise of t	transports			THE

Steam : - hot water recycling=max. care in the energetic recovery

- steichiometric use of chemicals

(100ppm surfactants residual in wasted water)

- reduction of the glue in powder

- recycling of hot water

Waste water : - limited quantity=reduced water treatment plant

1250 kg/h- 6250 t/v

2500 kg/h -12500 t/v

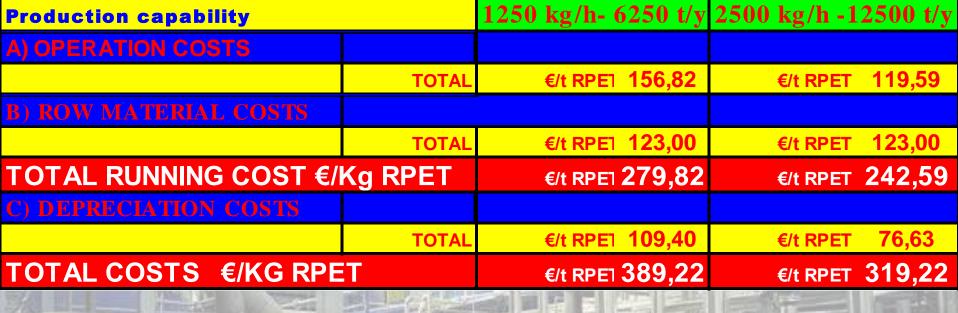
- low Ph

PRODUCTION CAPABILITY

Chemicals:

Filtering Material:

- low consumption of treatment reagents

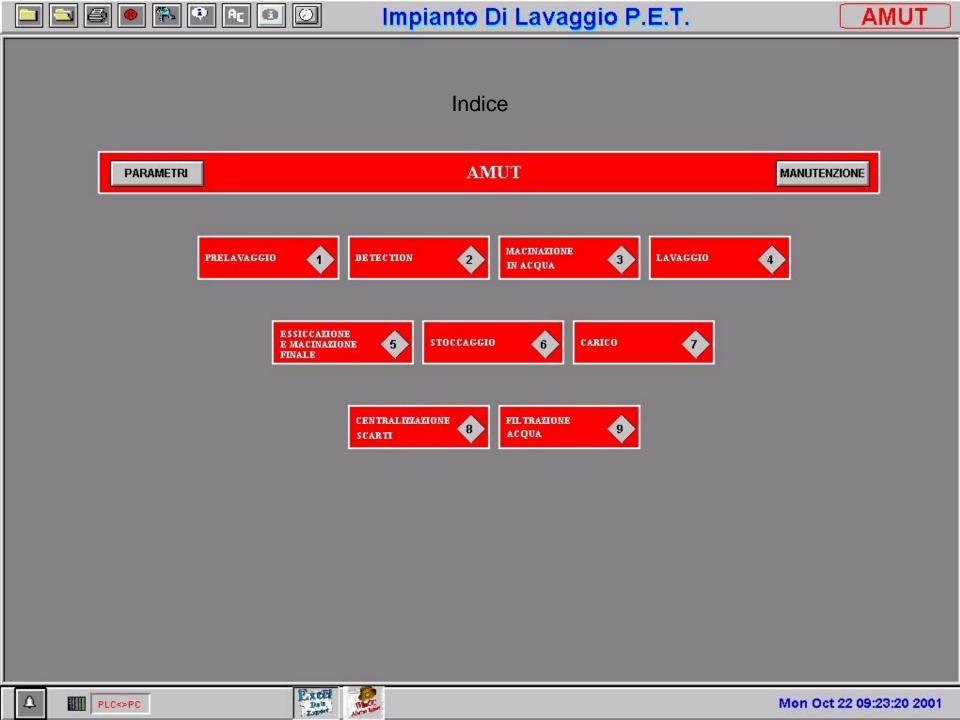


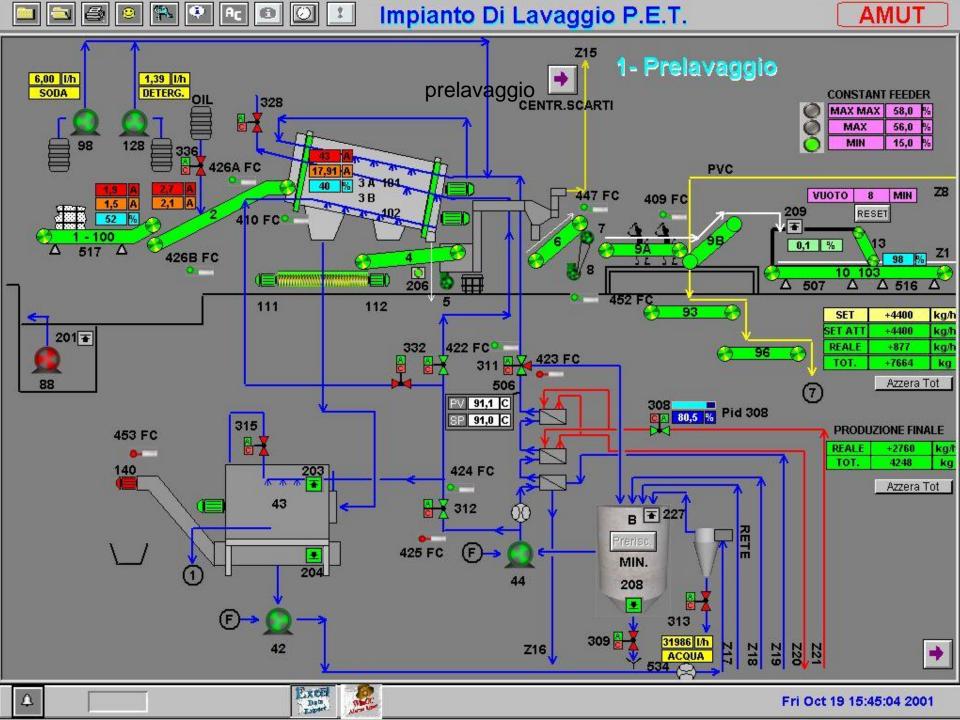
## CURRENT PRICES

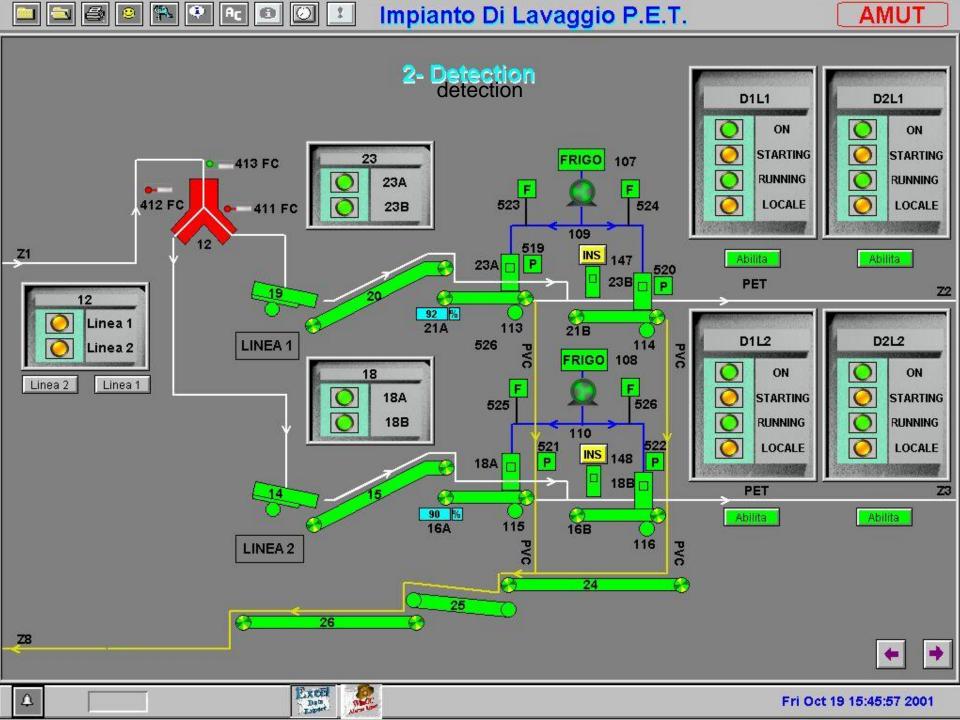
- RPET CLEAR: 600 € / TON
- RPET LIGHT BLUE 540 € / TON
- · PET bottle grade

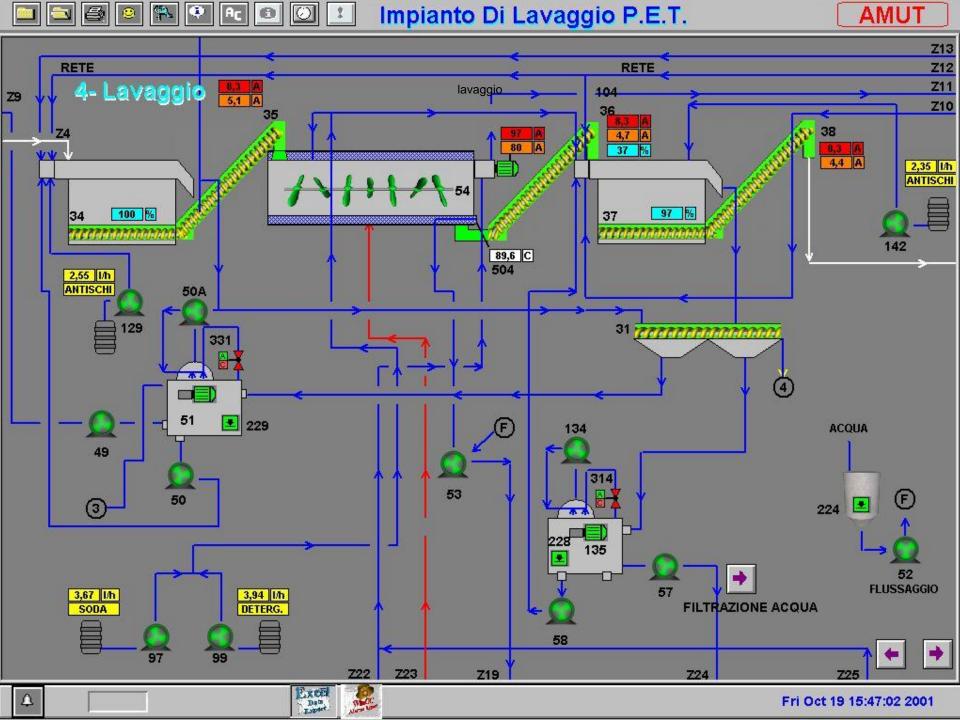
1.050 € / TON

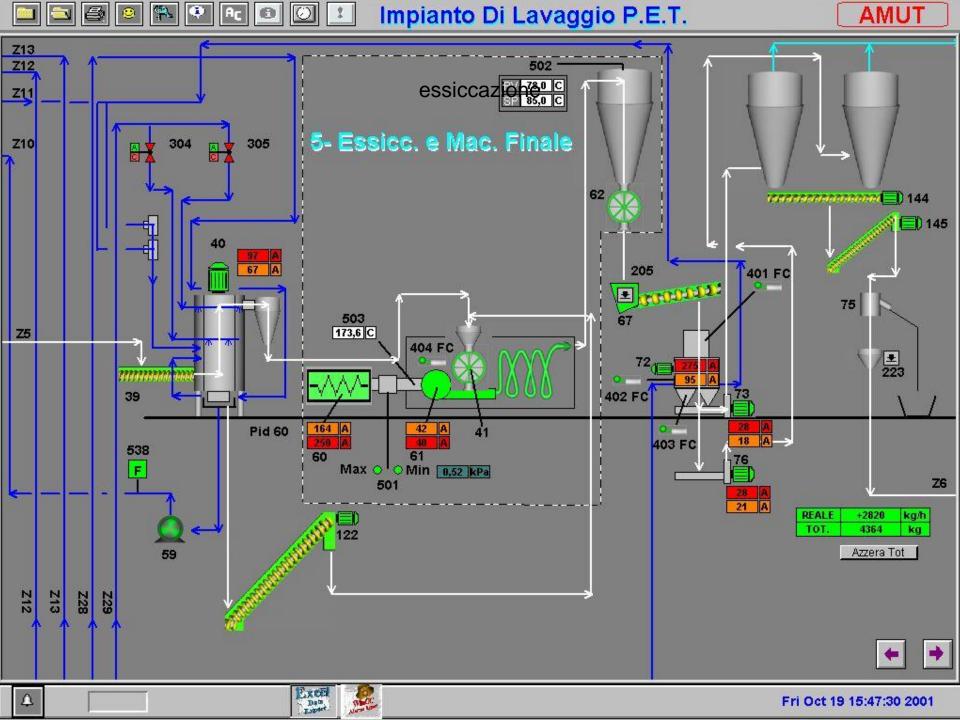


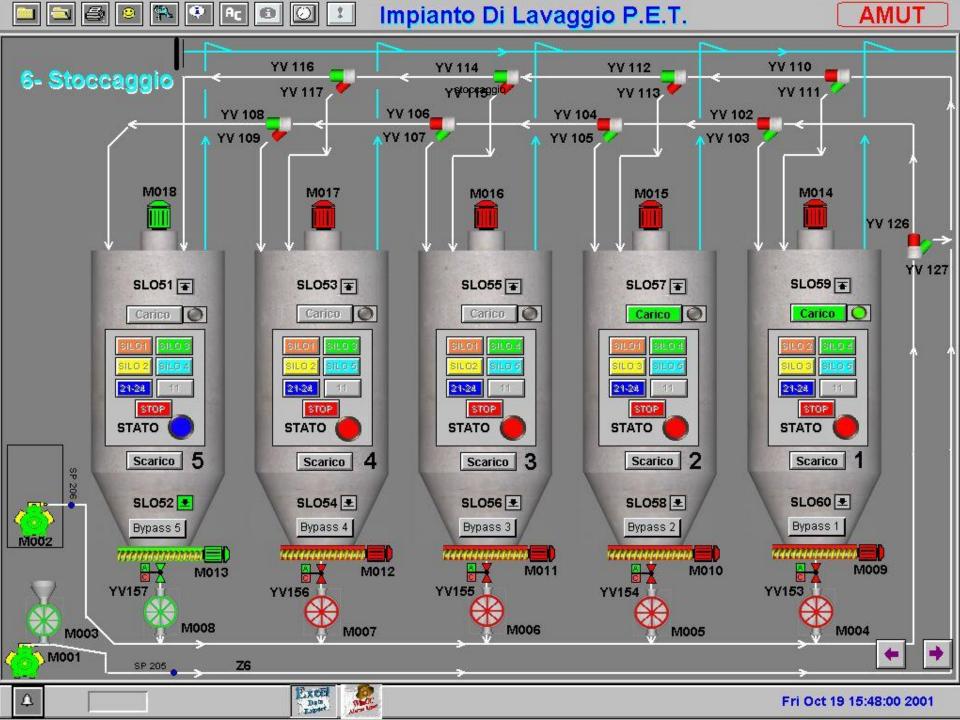


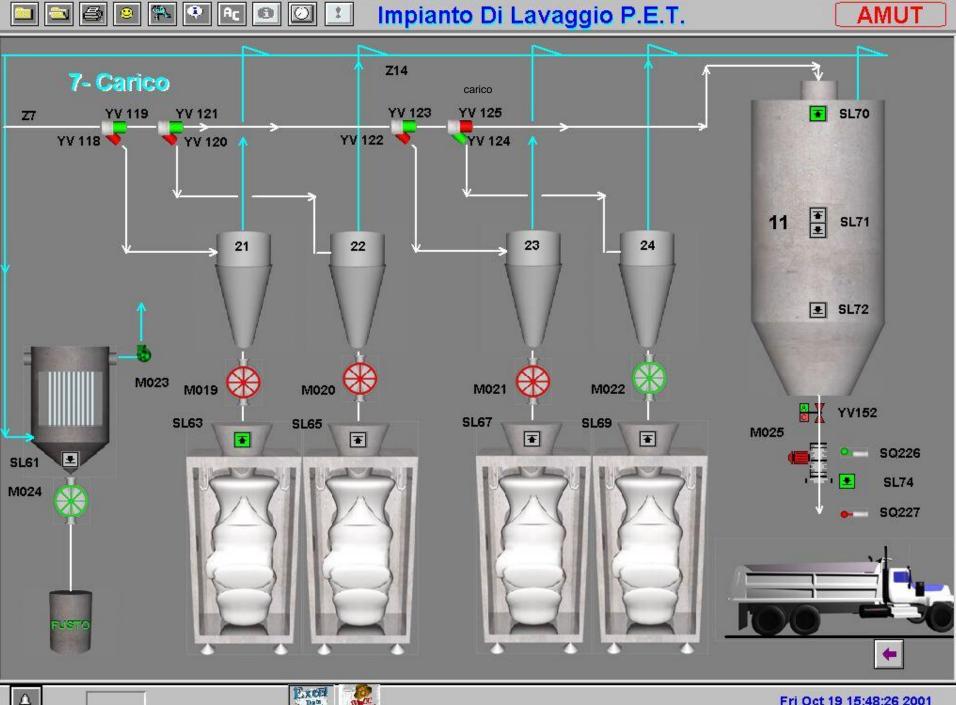








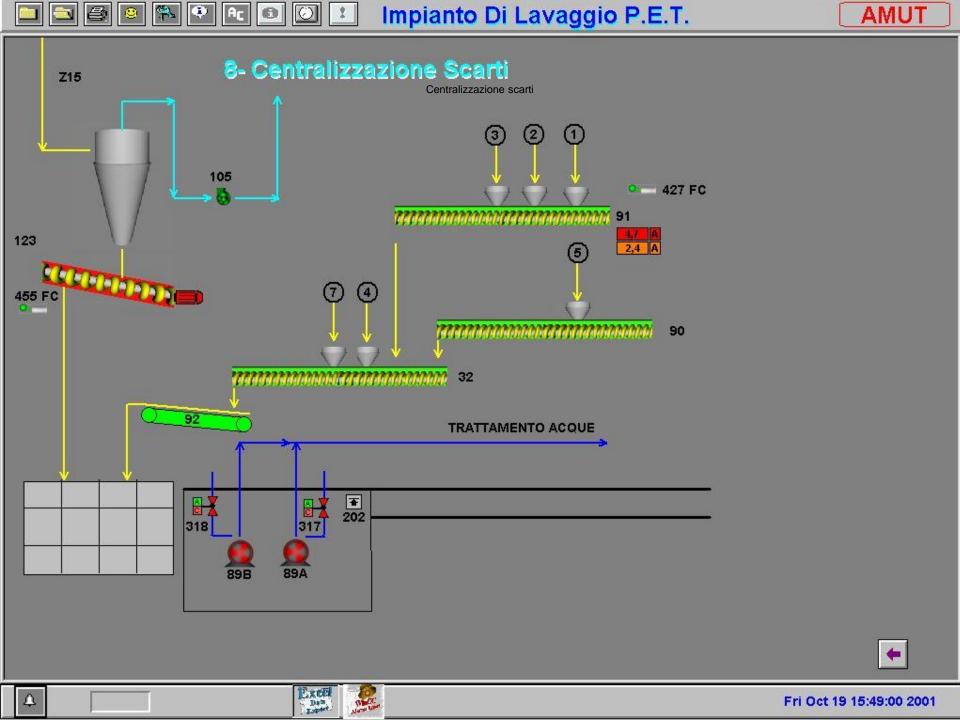


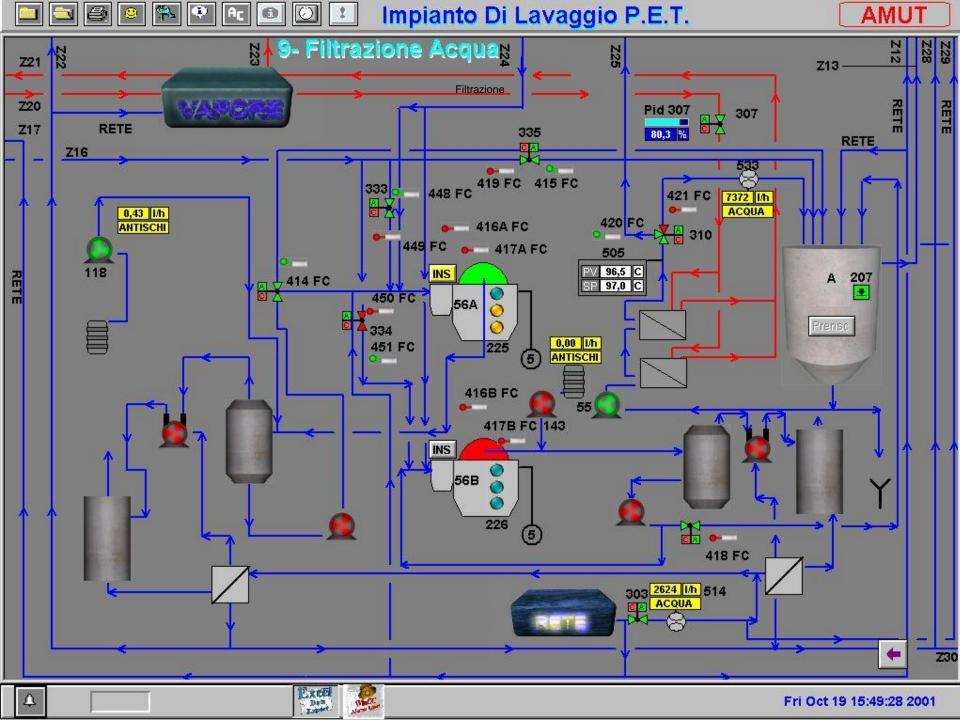














#### 11- Parametri

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PARAMETRO	SET POINT	U	PARAMETRO	SET POIN	TU				
IMPOSTAZIONE VELOCITA TAMBURO 3	40	%	TEMPO LAVORO LAMA FILTRO 56A	3	sec				
IMPOSTAZIONE CORRENTE TAMBURO 3	25,0	Α	TEMPO RIPOSO LAMA FILTRO 56A CON LIV. ALTO	60	sec				
VOLUME IN CONST.FEEDER MIN	15,00	%	TEMPO RIPOSO LAMA FILTRO 56A CON LIV. MEDIO	250	sec				
VOLUME IN CONST.FEEDER MAX	56,00	%	TEMPO RIPOSO LAMA FILTRO 56A CON LIV. BASSO	400	sec				
VOLUME IN CONST.FEEDER SUP.MAX	58,00	%	TEMPO LAVORO LAMA FILTRO 56B	3	sec				
TEMPO PAUSA NASTRO ESTRAZIONE DAL C. FEED.	1	sec	TEMPO RIPOSO LAMA FILTRO 56B CON LIV. ALTO	60	sec				
SOGLIA AMP. MULINO AD ACQUA 30	290	Α	TEMPO RIPOSO LAMA FILTRO 56B CON LIV. MEDIO	250	sec				
SOGLIA AMP. DI LAVORO FRICTION WASHER 54	80	Α	TEMPO RIPOSO LAMA FILTRO 56B CON LIV. BASSO	400	sec				
SOGLIA AMP. MAX. FRICTION WASHER 54	89	Α	TEMPO RIPOSO E.V. 332 LAV. INTERNO TAMBURO 3	30	min				
SOGLIA AMP. CENTRIFUGA 40	81	Α	TEMPO LAVORO E.V. 332 LAV. INTERNO TAMBURO 3	30	sec				
SOGLIA AMP. MULINO FINALE 72	210	Α	RIT. APERT. E.V. 328 DURANTE LAV. INT. TAMBURO 3	25	sec				
QUANTITA ACQUA IN INGRESSO	1400	l/h	TEMPO RIPOSO E.V. 336 LUBRIF. NASTRO 2	30	min				
TEMPO LAVAGGIO CESTELLO FORATO CENTR. 40	20	sec	TEMPO LAVORO E.V. 336 LUBRIF. NASTRO 2	720	sec				
TEMPO LAVAGGIO PARETI CENTRIFUGA 40	30	sec	TEMPO RIPOSO NASTRO 140	30	min				
TEMPO RIPOSO LAVAGGIO CENTRIFUGA 40	15		TEMPO LAVORO NASTRO 140	600	sec				
TEMPO LAVAGGIO LINEA DURANTE CAMBIO SILO	1	sec	TEMPO RIPOSO PULIZIA UGELLI FILTRI	10	min				
TEMPO LAVORO SCARICO FANGHI 309	2	sec	TEMPO LAVORO PULIZIA UGELLI FILTRI	5	sec				
TEMPO PAUSA E. V. SC. DA IDROC. PRELAV 313	120	min	TEMPO RIPOSO COCLEA 123 IN AUTOMATICO	5	min				
TEMPO LAVORO E.V. SC. DA IDROC. PRELAV. 313	2	sec	TEMPO LAVORO COCLEA 123 IN AUTOMATICO	5	min				
TEMP. MIN SERBATOIO "A" FRICTION WASHER	70	°C	SOGLIA MIN DEPRESSOSTATO ESSICCATORE	0,25	kpA				
TEMP. MIN SERBATOIO "B" PRELAVAGGIO	65	°C	SOGLIA MAX DEPRESSOSTATO ESSICCATORE	2,40	kpA				
TEMP.PRERISC. SERBATOIO "A" FRICTION WASHER	85	°C							
TEMP.PRERISC. SERBATOIO "B" PRELAVAGGIO	80	°C							
SOGLIA TEMP. INGRESSO ESSICCATORE	175	°C							
TEMP. ALLARME INGRESSO ESSICCATORE	300	°C							
IMPOSTAZIONE VELOCITA COCLEA 34	100	%							
IMPOSTAZIONE VELOCITA COCLEA 37	100	%							



























#### Impianto Di Lavaggio P.E.T.



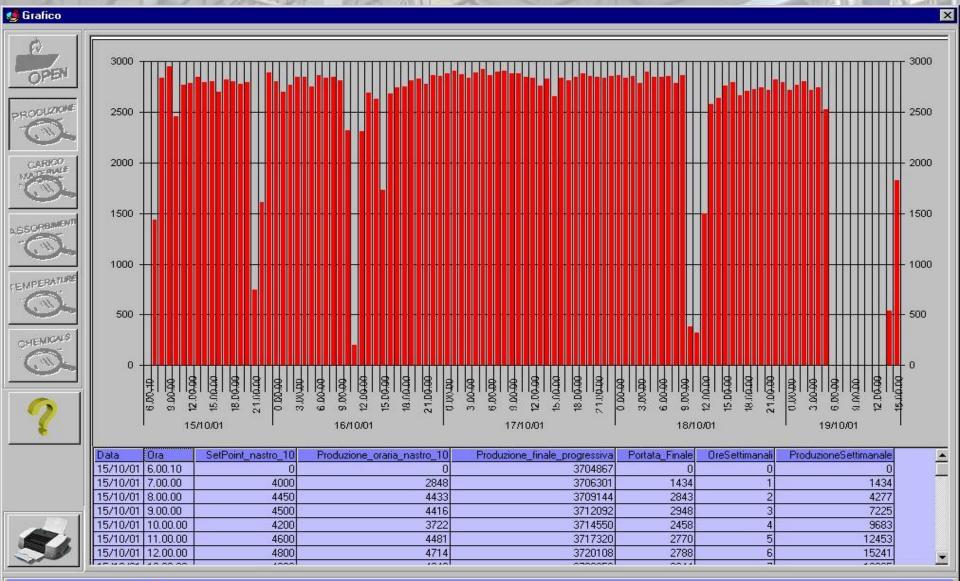
U.M.	SET POINT	ATTUALE	ACK	DESCRIZIONE
HRS	24	18	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CATENA NASTRI 1, 2
HRS	500	18	FATTO	CONTROLLAME OUS PROJECTION I NASTRI 1, 2
HRS	6000	1631	FATTO	SOSTITUIRE OLIO RIDUTTORI NASTRI 1, 2
HRS	500	203	FATTO	INGRASSARE CUSCINETTI NASTRO 1
HRS	48	42	FATTO	INGRASSARE CUSCINETTI NASTRO 2
HRS	120	81	FATTO	INGRASSARE CUSCINETTI DEL TAMBURO ROTANTE 3
HRS	500	132	FATTO	CONTROLLARE OLIO RIDUTTORI DEL TAMBURO ROTANTE 3 E COCLEE DI SCARICO 111, 112
HRS	6000	1631	FATTO	SOSTITUIRE OLIO RIDUTTORI DEL TAMBURO ROTANTE 3 E COCLEE DI SCARICO 111, 112
HRS	120	81	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CUSCINETTO POSIZIONAMENTO TAMBURO ROTANTE 3
HRS	120	81	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CUSCINETTI NASTRI 4, 6, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96
HRS	500	78	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CUSCINETTI DEL VENTILATORE TRASPORTO BOTTIGLIE 5
HRS	120	81	FATTO	LUBRIF. CUSCINETTI TAMBURO ASP. ETICHETTE 7, NASTRO SEL.9, CONSTANT FEEDER 10,13
HRS	500	125	FATTO	CONTROLLARE OLIO RIDUTTORE NASTRO ESTRAZIONE DAL CONSTANT FEEDER 10
HRS	6000	1631	FATTO	SOSTITUIRE OLIO RIDUTTORE NASTRO ESTRAZIONE DAL CONSTANT FEEDER 10
HRS	120	81	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CUSCINETTI NASTRI 15, 20
HRS	120	81	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CUSCINETTI NASTRI 16A, 16B, 21A, 21B
HRS	120	81	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CUSCINETTI SPAZZOLE NASTRI 16A, 16B, 21A, 21B
HRS	120	81	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CUSCINETTI NASTRI 27, 29
HRS	120	81	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CUSCINETTI MULINO AD ACQUA 30
HRS	500	289	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CUSCINETTI MOTORE MULINO AD ACQUA 30
HRS	120	81	FATTO	CONTROLLO OLIO POMPE 46, 47
HRS	120	85	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CUSCINETTO DEL SEPARATORE 33
HRS	120	81	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CUSCINETTI VASCHE PREFLOTTAZIONE E RISCIAQUO
HRS	120	66	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE BUSSOLE INFERIORI DELLE COCLEE 35, 36, 38, 67
HRS	500	187	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CUSCINETTI SUPERIORI DELLE COCLEE 35, 36, 38, 67
HRS	500	125	FATTO	CONTROLLARE LIVELLO OLIO RIDUTTORI COCLEE 35, 36, 38, 67
HRS	6000	1631	FATTO	SOSTITUIRE OLIO RIDUTTORI COCLEE 35, 36, 38, 67
HRS	250	108	FATTO	CONTROLLARE OLIO DI TUTTE LE POMPE
HRS	6000	1631	FATTO	SOSTITUIRE OLIO DI TUTTE LE POMPE
HRS	500	132	FATTO	CONTROLLARE OLIO RIDUTTORE FRICTION WASHER 54
HRS	6000	1631	FATTO	SOSTITUIRE OLIO RIDUTTORE FRICTION WASHER 54
HRS	120	81	FATTO	LUBRIFICARE CUSCINETTI E BADERNE DEL FRICTION WASHER







## Portata settimanale













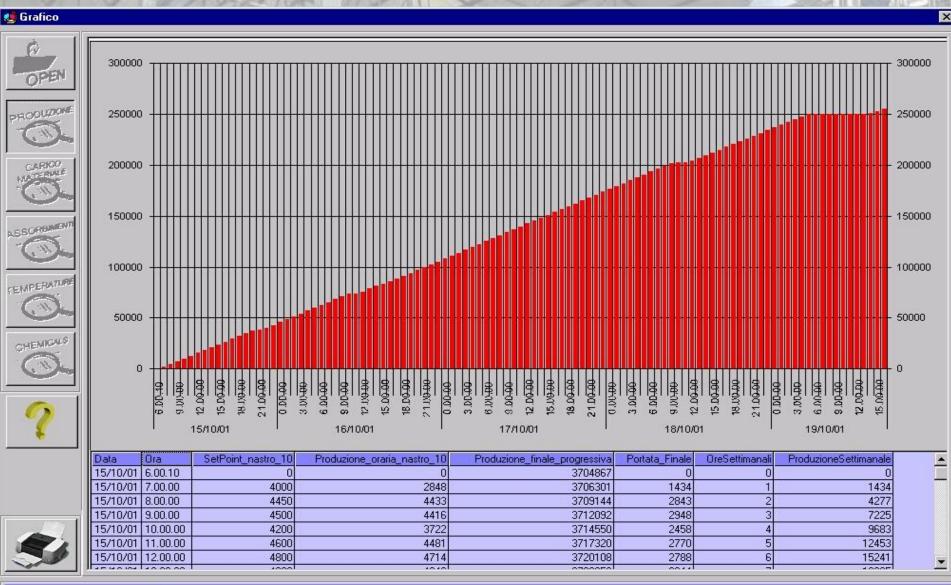
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## Produzione settimanale











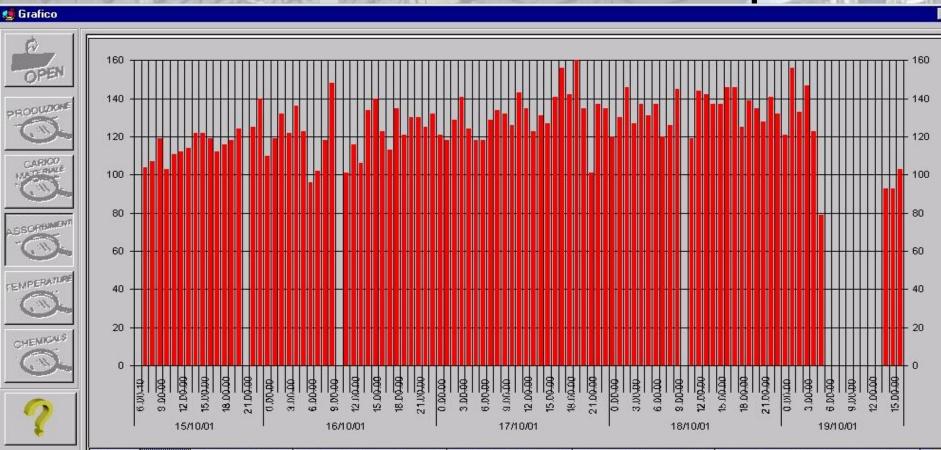








## Assorbimento mulino acqua



	Data	Ora	Corrente_Mulino_30	Corrente_Friction_Washer_54	Corrente_Centrifuga_40	Corrente_Mulino_Finale_72	Pressostato_differenziale_essicatore	1
	15/10/01	6.00.10	0	72	0	84	0.84957269999999996	Ī
	15/10/01	7.00.00	104	79	59	95	0.4316239	Ī
	15/10/01	8.00.00	107	82	64	101	0.42393160000000002	
-	15/10/01	9.00.00	119	79	65	100	0.46153850000000002	
ш	15/10/01	10.00.00	103	80	69	85	0.4230768999999999	
	15/10/01	11.00.00	111	81	65	100	0.4452991	
_	15/10/01	A STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR	112	82	68	93	0.41538459999999999	
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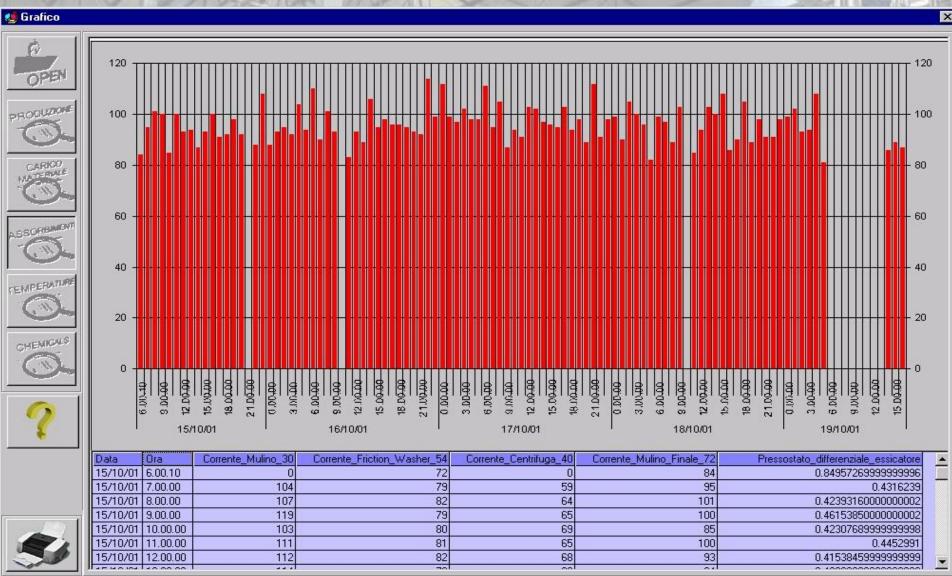








## Assorbimento mulino finale











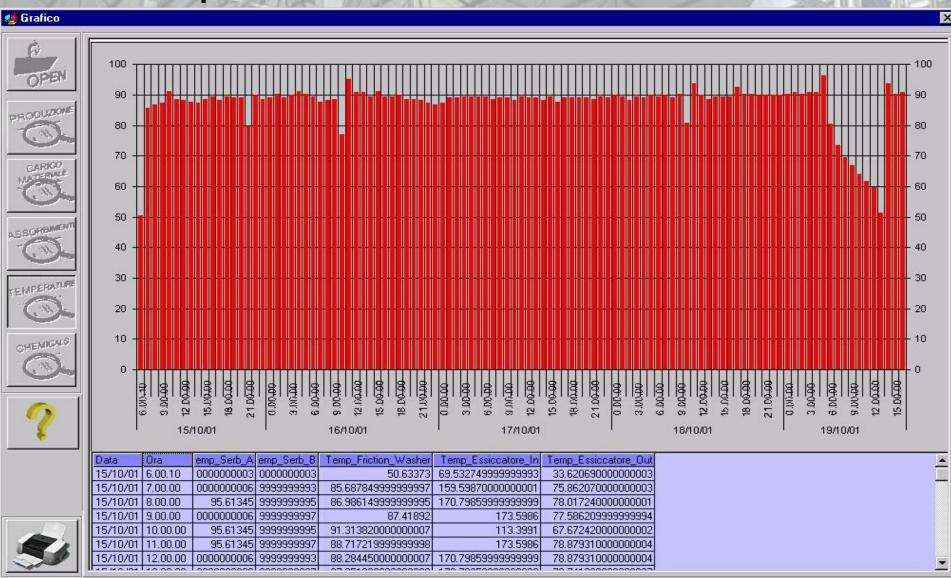








## Temperatur of the Friction Washer









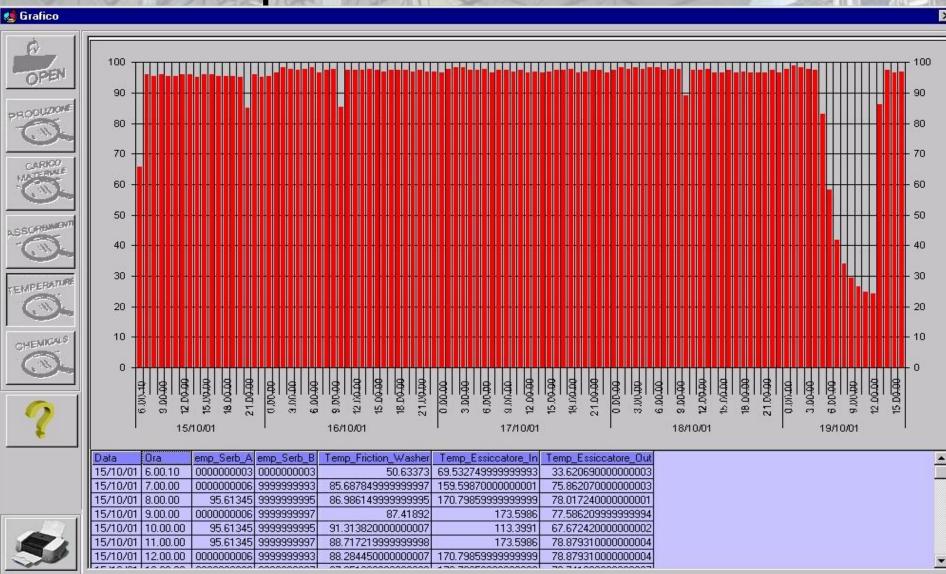








## Temperatura serbatoio A









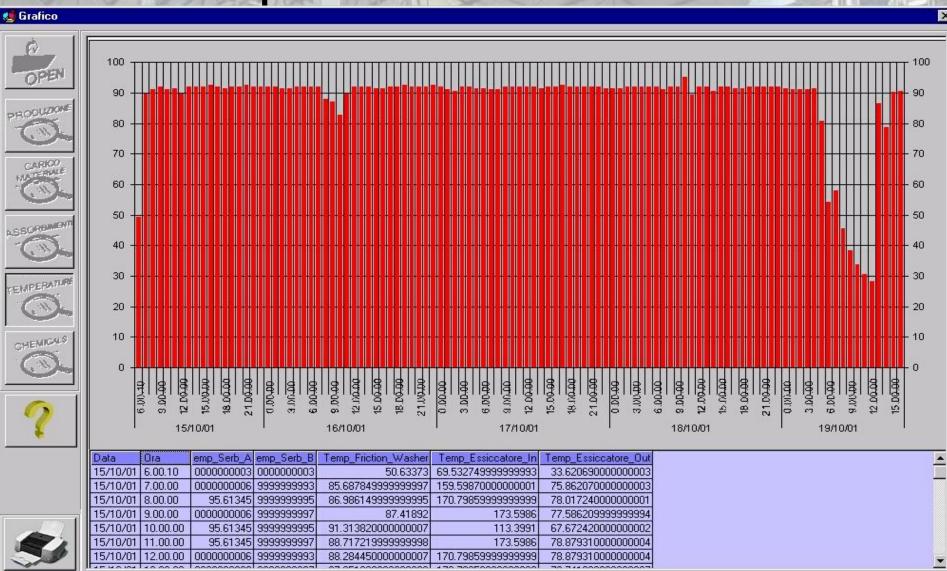








## Temperatura serbatoio B







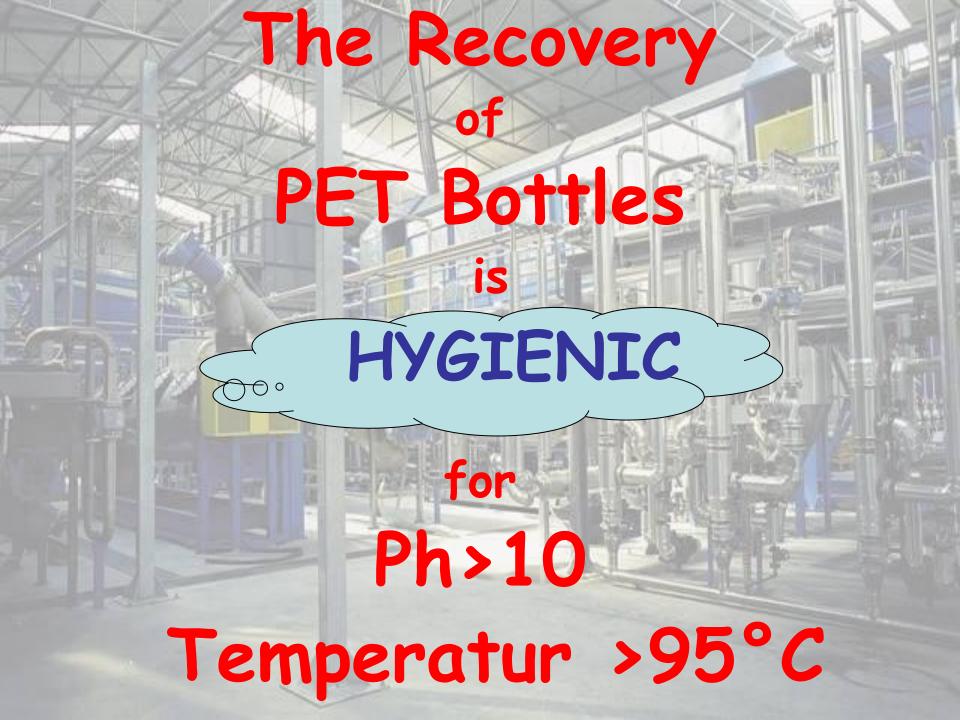
















#### Spettabile

AMUT Spa Via Cameri 16 28100 - Novara

San Martino di Trecate, 11.11.2003

Ns. Rif.: GP

Alla cortese attenzione del Vs. Dott. Sereni

#### **OGGETTO:** verifica cariche batteriche

Sono stati condotti test di laboratorio per evidenziare, ed eventualmente quantificare cariche batteriche presenti su PET precedente a processo di riciclo (ciclo di lavaggio a caldo) e successivamente a tale operazione:

#### Carica batterica totale (TSA - 48 h a 37 °C)←

PET bottles 2,5 x 10<sup>5</sup> ufc/ml (unità formanti colonia)

PET flakes 3 ufc/ml

Il valore riscontrato su PET flakes è da considerarsi come inquinamento da campionamento.

#### Funghi e Lieviti (SAB – 72 h)

PET bottles + + + (contaminazione elevata)

PET flakes non rilevabili ←

Coliformi totali (VRBL - 24/48 h a 37 °C)

PET bottles 7 x 10³ ufc/ml

PET flakes non rilevabili ◆

Enterobatteriaceae (VRBG - 24/48 h a 37 °C)

PET bottles 1,7 x 10<sup>5</sup> ufc/ml
PET flakes non rilevabili

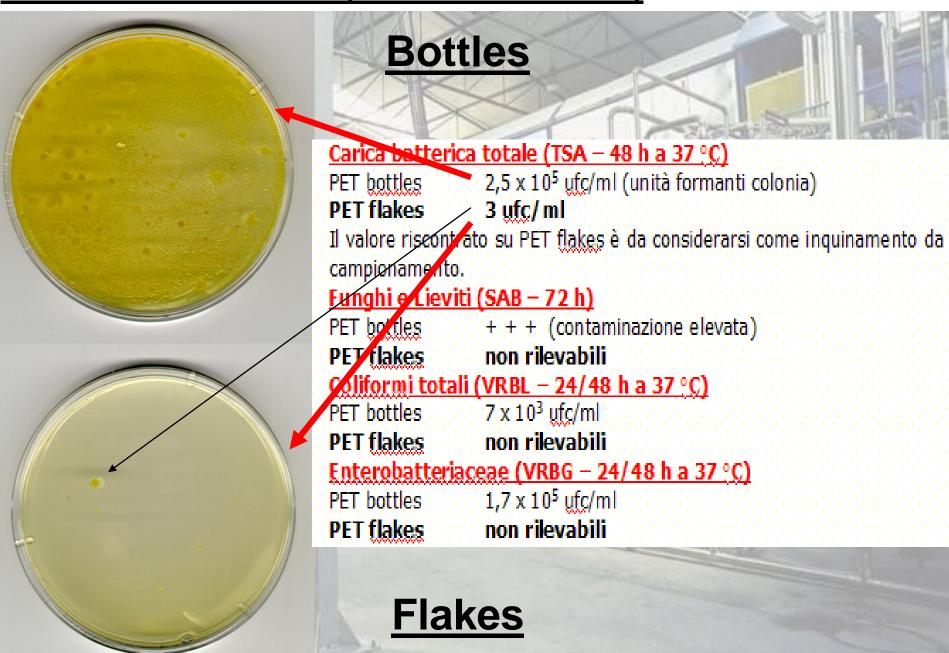
Total bacterial charge

Units made colonies

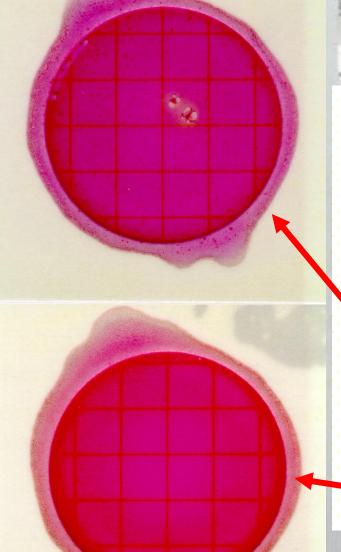
-Pollution of sample

Not considerable

## Carica batterica totale (TSA - 48 h a 37 °C)



## Enterobatteriaceae (VRBG - 24/48 h a 37 °C)



## **Bottles**

### Carica batterica totale (TSA - 48 h a 37 °C)

PET bottles 2,5 x 10<sup>5</sup> ufc/ml (unità formanti colonia)

PET flakes 3 ufc/ml

Il valore riscontrato su PET <u>flakes</u> è da considerarsi come inquinamento da campionamento.

#### Funghi e Lieviti (SAB - 72 h)

PET bottles + + + (contaminazione elevata)

PET flakes non rilevabili

Colformi totali (VRBL - 24/48 h a 37 °C)

PET bottles 7 x 10<sup>3</sup> ufc/ml

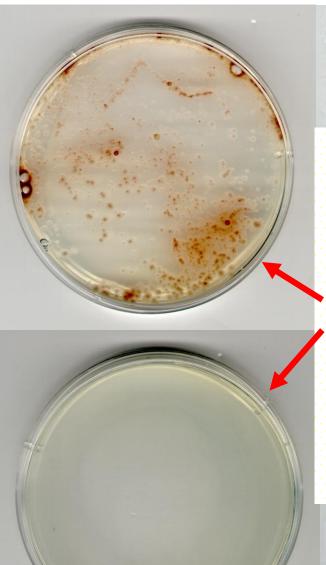
PET flake non rilevabili

Enterobatte iaceae (VRBG - 24/48 h a 37 °C)

PET bottles 1,7 x 10<sup>5</sup> ufc/ml
PET flakes non rilevabili

**Flakes** 

## Funghi e Lieviti (SAB – 72 h)



# **Bottles**

#### Carica batterica totale (TSA - 48 h a 37 °C)

PET bottles 2,5 x 10<sup>5</sup> ufc/ml (unità formanti colonia)

PET flakes 3 ufc/ml

Il valore riscontrato su PET <u>flakes</u> è da considerarsi come inquinamento da campionamento.

#### Funghi e Lieviti (SAB - 72 h)

PET bottles + + + (contaminazione elevata)

PET flakes non rilevabili

#### Coliformi totali (VRBL - 24/48 h a 37 °C)

PET bottles 7 x 10<sup>3</sup> ufc/ml
PET flakes non rilevabili

#### Enterobatteriaceae (VRBG - 24/48 h a 37 °C)

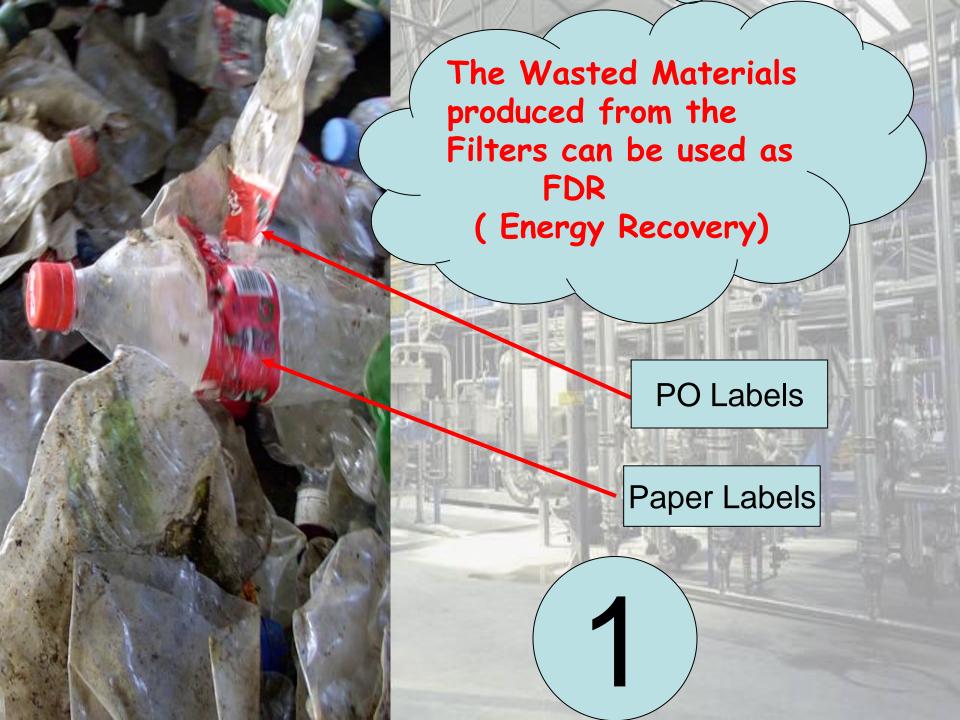
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PET flakes non rilevabili

# **Flakes**

















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A fully automated system produces high quality PET flakes by a mechanic treatment of plastic containers coming from the differentiated collection of rubbish.

# ERREPLAST The plant











The PET recovery plant has a process capability up to 20.000 ton/year of PET post consumer bottles with a potentiality of 3.600 kg/hour input and 3.000 kg/hour output.

# **MONTELLO**

The Montello plant, completely realised by Italian technology, represents today the most advanced centre of Recycling.

A fully integrated system produces high quality PET flakes from the automatic sorting plant of plastic post-consume waste coming from the differentiated collection.



