

The Evolution of Hot In-Place Recycling

presented to

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by

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Today's Discussion

1. JP Road-Tech Ltd Introduction
2. The Need for Sustainable Paving Solutions
3. The JP6000 Recycling System
4. HIR Projects in China
5. Ontario HIR Discussion

1. JP Road-Tech Ltd Introduction

- New Canadian Company Headquartered in Toronto, Ontario
- Ontario based HIR Systems Design, Manufacturing and Contracting Operations.
- Granted the N.A. Exclusive Rights to the JP6000 Asphalt Recycling System
- Committed to the Continuous Improvement of Green Asphalt Technology



Experienced Team

- Over 10 million m² of HIR Project Experience Past 10 Years
- 4.5 million m² in Canada (including 900,000 m² MTO)
- 6 million m² in China.



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Customer Satisfaction

HIR Observations from China

This presentation includes observations and images from five HIR projects I visited during a four-month trip to China in 2023



The China Trip was Hosted by

- The Jiapeng Group, China
- Designs, Manufactures and Operates JP6000 Systems in China
- Provides Long Term Technical Support to JP Road-Tech Ltd
- Performs Conventional Road & Bridge Design/Construction

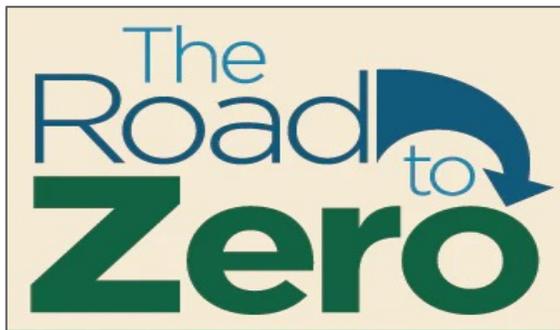


The Jiapeng Team



2. The Need for Sustainable Technologies

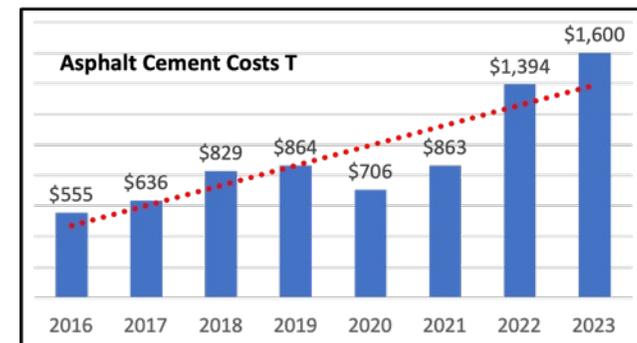
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Reduce
Emissions



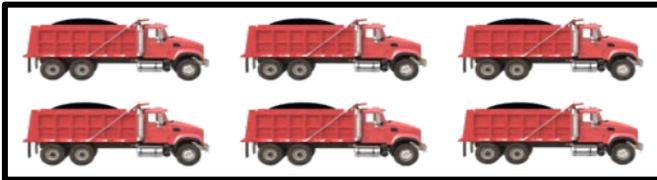
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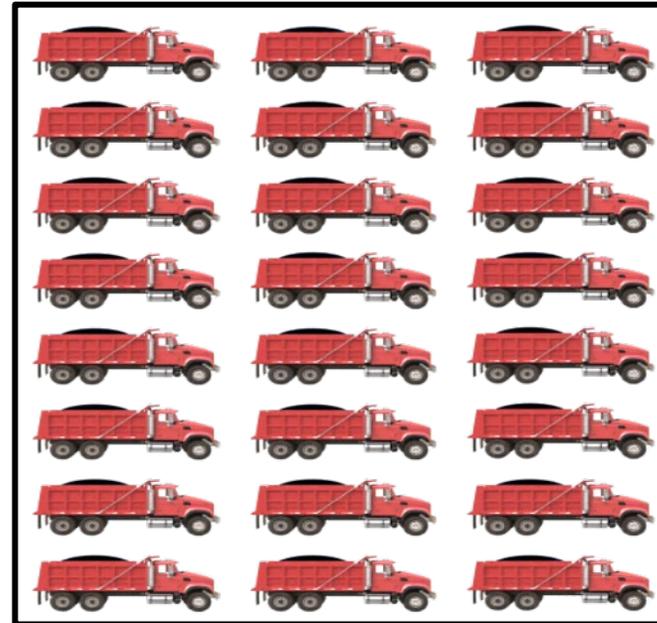
Manage
Life Cycle Cost

HIR = 75% Reduction in New Paving Materials

**HIR =
6 Loads Per Lane Km**



**Mill & Fill =
24 Loads Per Lane Km**



HIR = 90% Reduction in Trucking

Mill & Fill 60 Loads Per Lane km

30 Loads → Plant



30 Loads → Paver



RAP



HMA



HIR 6 Loads Per Lane km

0 Loads → Plant



6 Loads → HIR

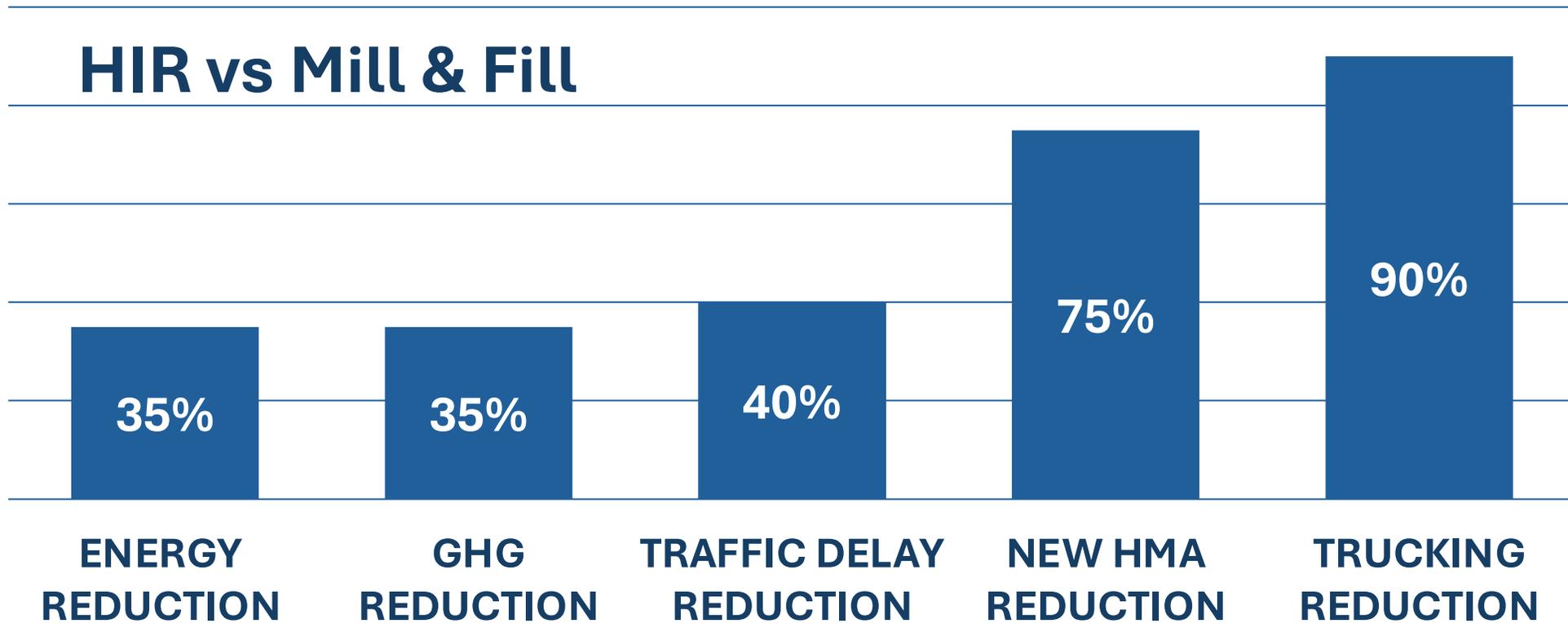


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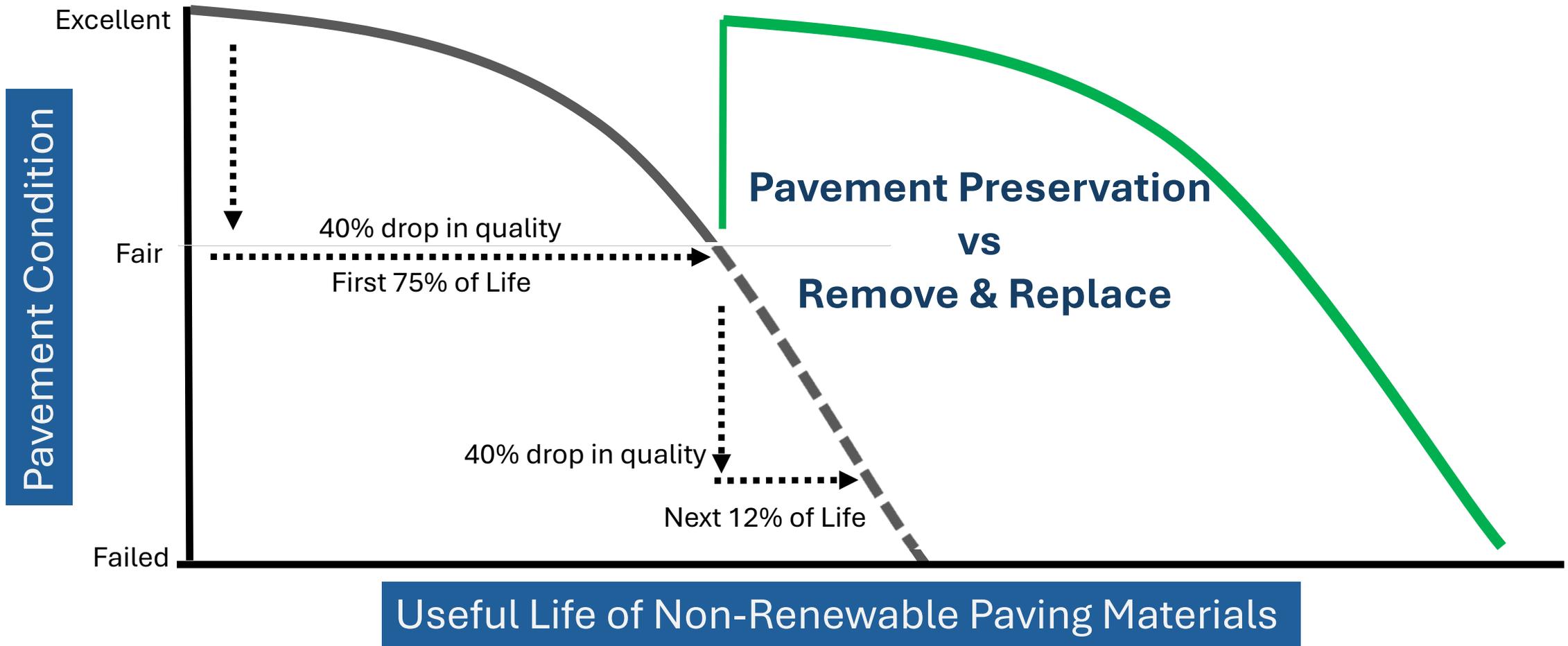


HIR = A More Sustainable Solution

HIR vs Mill & Fill



HIR = Doubles the Useful Life of Paving Materials



HIR = GreenPave Gold

HIR GreenPave Score		
✓	Long Life Pavements	3
✓	Recycled Content	5
✓	Local Materials	2
✓	Reduced Energy	3
✓	Reduced GHG Emissions	3
✓	Total Score. ($\geq 15 = \text{Gold}$)	16

- Climate change & sustainability awareness
- Inspired by GreenRoad (WSDOT)
- Reviewed GreenLITE (NYSDOT)
- Customized for Ontario (since 2008)

MTO GreenPave

Focus specifically on the pavement component only

GreenPave Certified	GreenPave Certified	GreenPave Certified	GreenPave Certified
			
BRONZE	SILVER	GOLD	TRILLIUM
9 to <12 Points	12 to <15 Points	≥ 15 Points	FOR FUTURE DEVELOPMENT

3. The JP6000 Recycling System

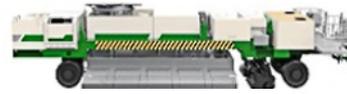
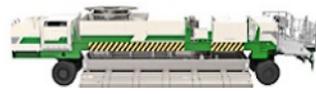


Baomao Expressway, Shanxi Province
May 2023

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JP6000 Equipment



Preheaters x 3

Heater Miller

Windrow Heater

Mixer Paver



Mixer Paver

JP6000 Process

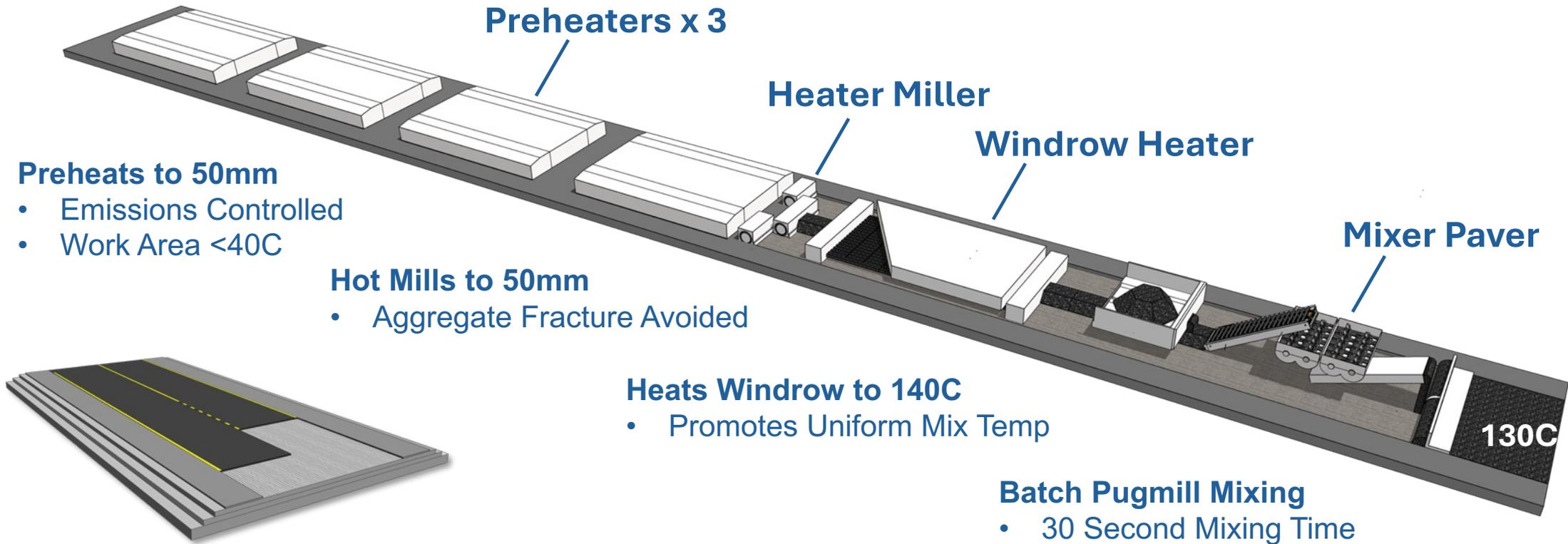


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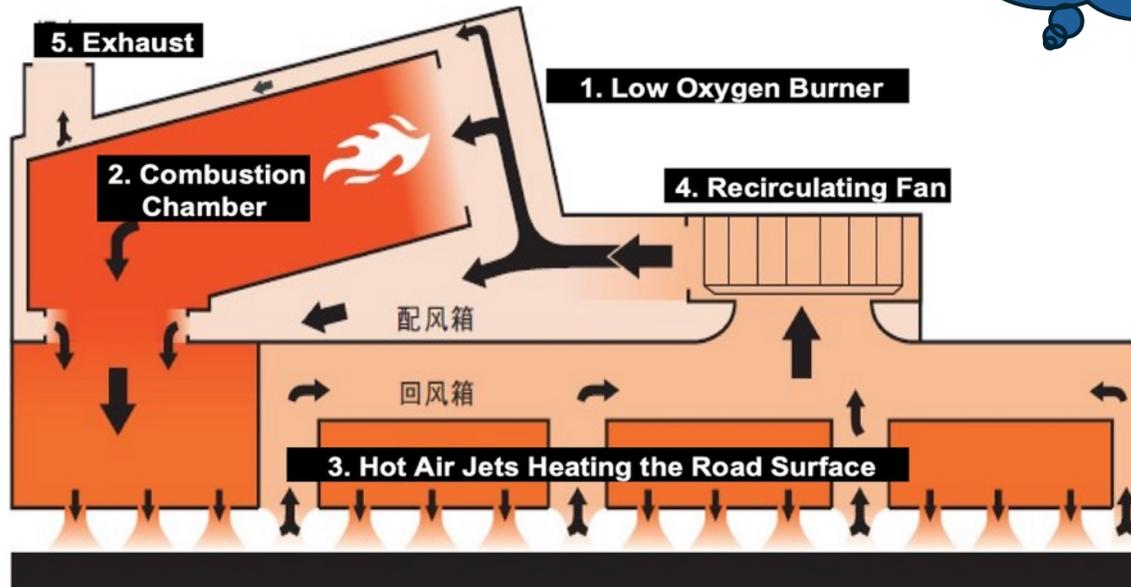


Recirculating Hot Air Heating Systems

Low Emission



Energy Efficient



1. Low Oxygen Burner
2. Combustion Chamber
3. Hot Air Jets the Heat Surface
4. Recirculating Fan.

Air is heated by the (1.) Low Oxygen Burner in the (2.) Combustion Chamber and is then forced through (3.) Hot Air Jets to heat the road surface. (4.) The Recirculating Fan returns it to the combustion where reheated for reuse and emissions are incinerated.

Digital Temperature Controls

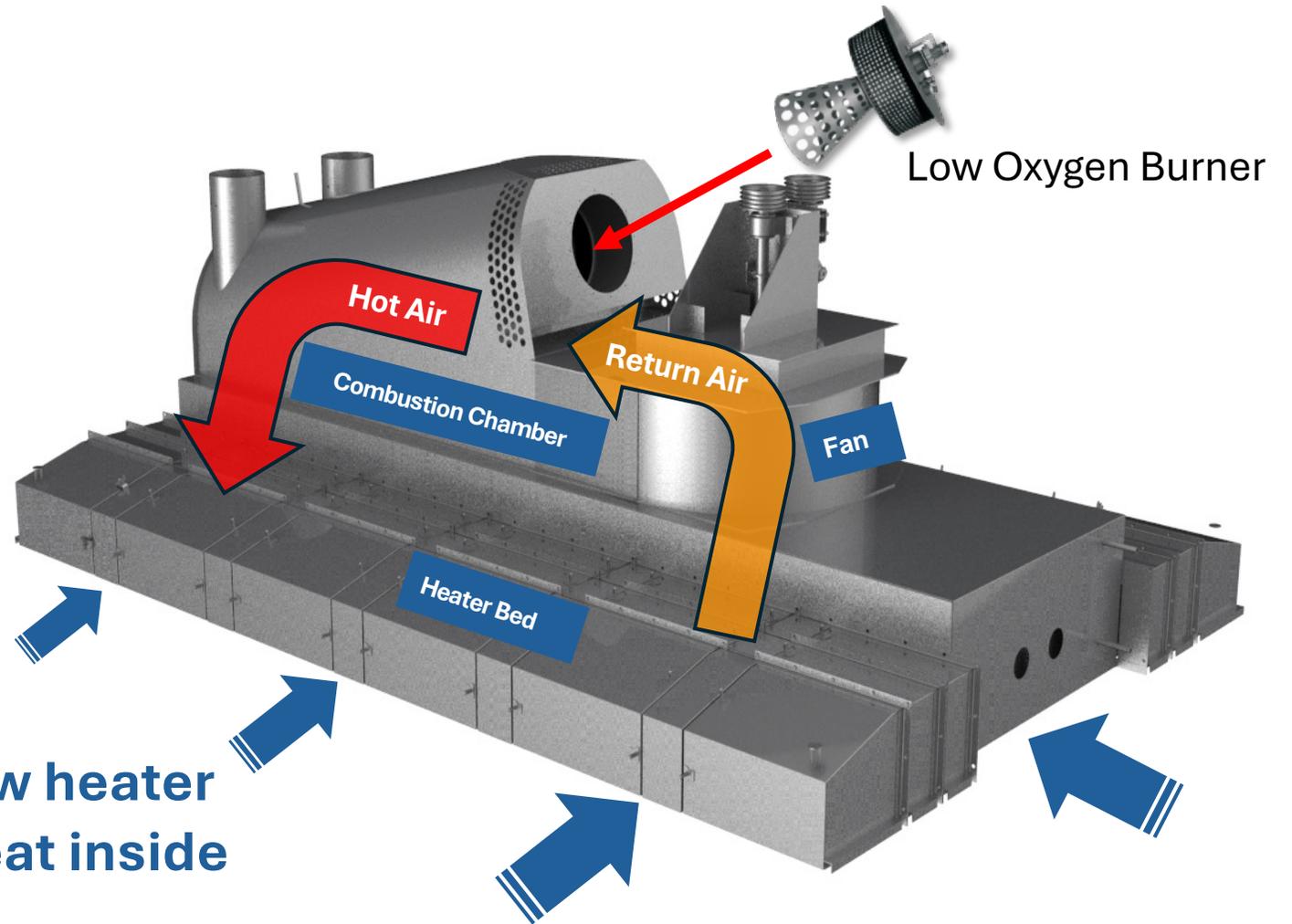
Digital controls are widely used to ensure the designed temperature targets are achieved at each major operation of processing.



Fumes and Heat are Captured & Contained



**Negative pressure below heater
contains the fumes & heat inside**



Prevents Blue Smoke & Binder Damage

Common HIR Problem

- Blue Smoke Emissions
- Binder Damage



JP6000 Solution

- Effective Emissions Control
- Effective Temperature Control



Enhanced Worker Safety

Common HIR Problem

- Workers Exposed to Hazardous Fumes
- Work Area Temperature >50C



JP6000 Solution

- Negative Pressure contains Fumes.
- Work Area Temperature <40.



Enhanced Motorist Safety

Common HIR Problem

- Reduced Motorist Visibility
- Workers are Endangered



JP6000 Solution

- Emissions are Controlled
- Cars Pass Safely



Hot Milling

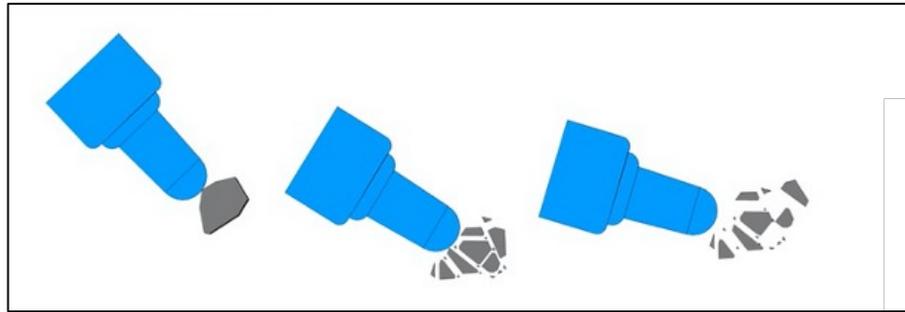
- Prevents Aggregate Fracture
- Gradation is Maintained



The Hot Milling Advantage

Cold Milling Problems

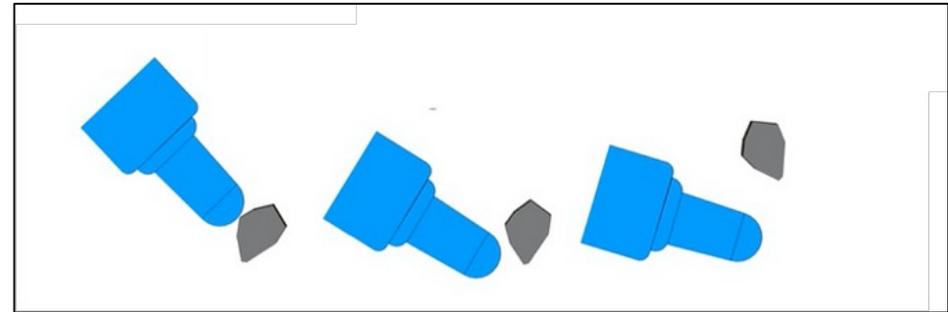
- Aggregates Fractured
- Gradation Altered / High Fines
- Average RAP Content +/- 20%



Cold Milling

Hot Milling Solution

- Surface Heated / Softened
- Prevents Aggregate Fracture
- Average Hot RAP Content +/- 80%



Hot Milling

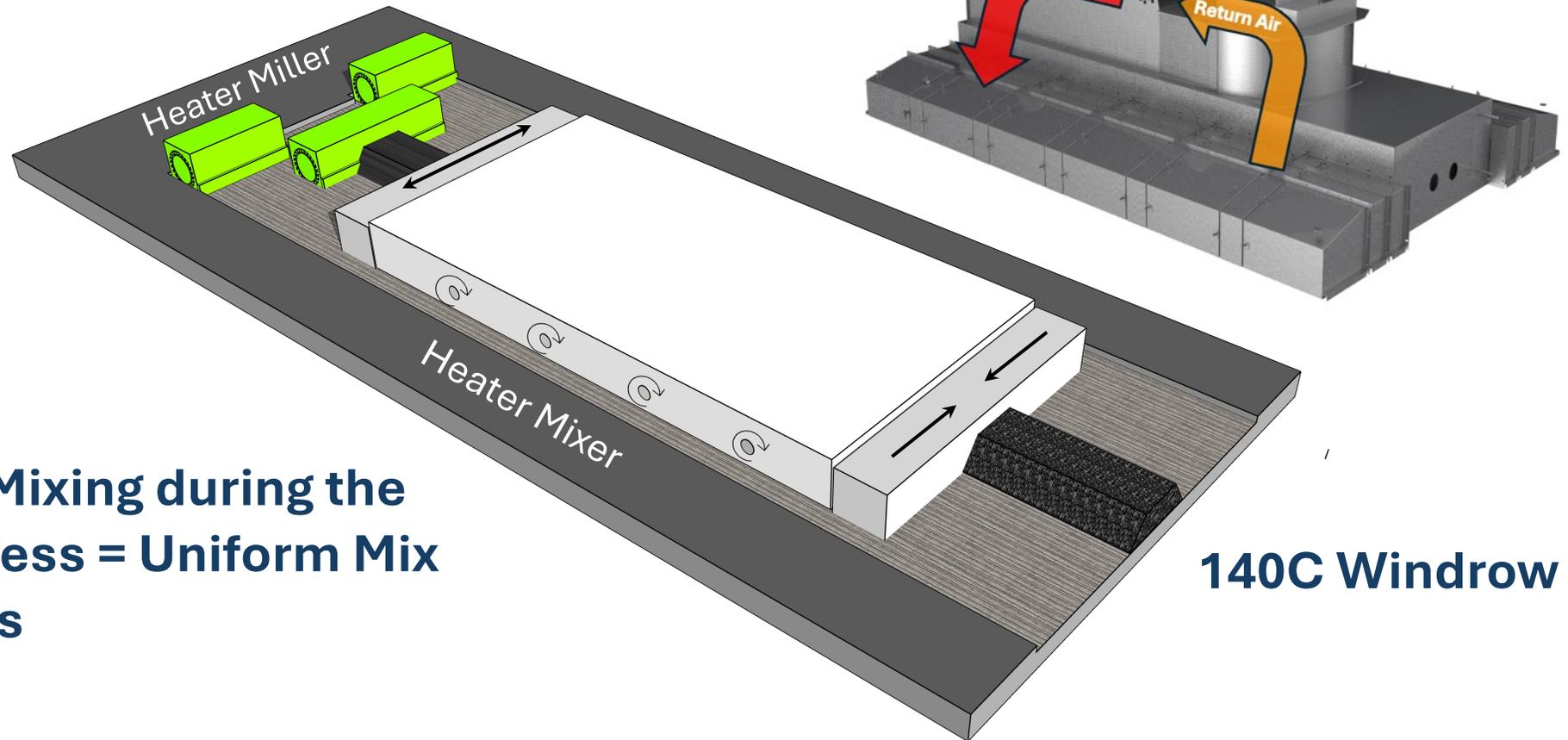
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- Heats Windrow to 140C
- Low Oxygen Environment
- Creates Uniform Mix Temperatures

The Windrow Heater

The Windrow is Heated to $>140^{\circ}\text{C}$ in a Low Oxygen Environment



Continuous Mixing during the Heating Process = Uniform Mix Temperatures

The Windrow Heater

- Increases Windrow Temp to 140C
- Heats/Mixes in Low Oxygen Environment
- Creates Uniform Mix Temperatures
- Improves Rejuvenator Effectiveness
- Improves Mix Laydown & Workability
- Improves Compaction



The Mixer Paver

Combines the Mixer and Paver Functions into One Machine

Reduces Mix Temperature Loss Between Mixing and Paver Processes

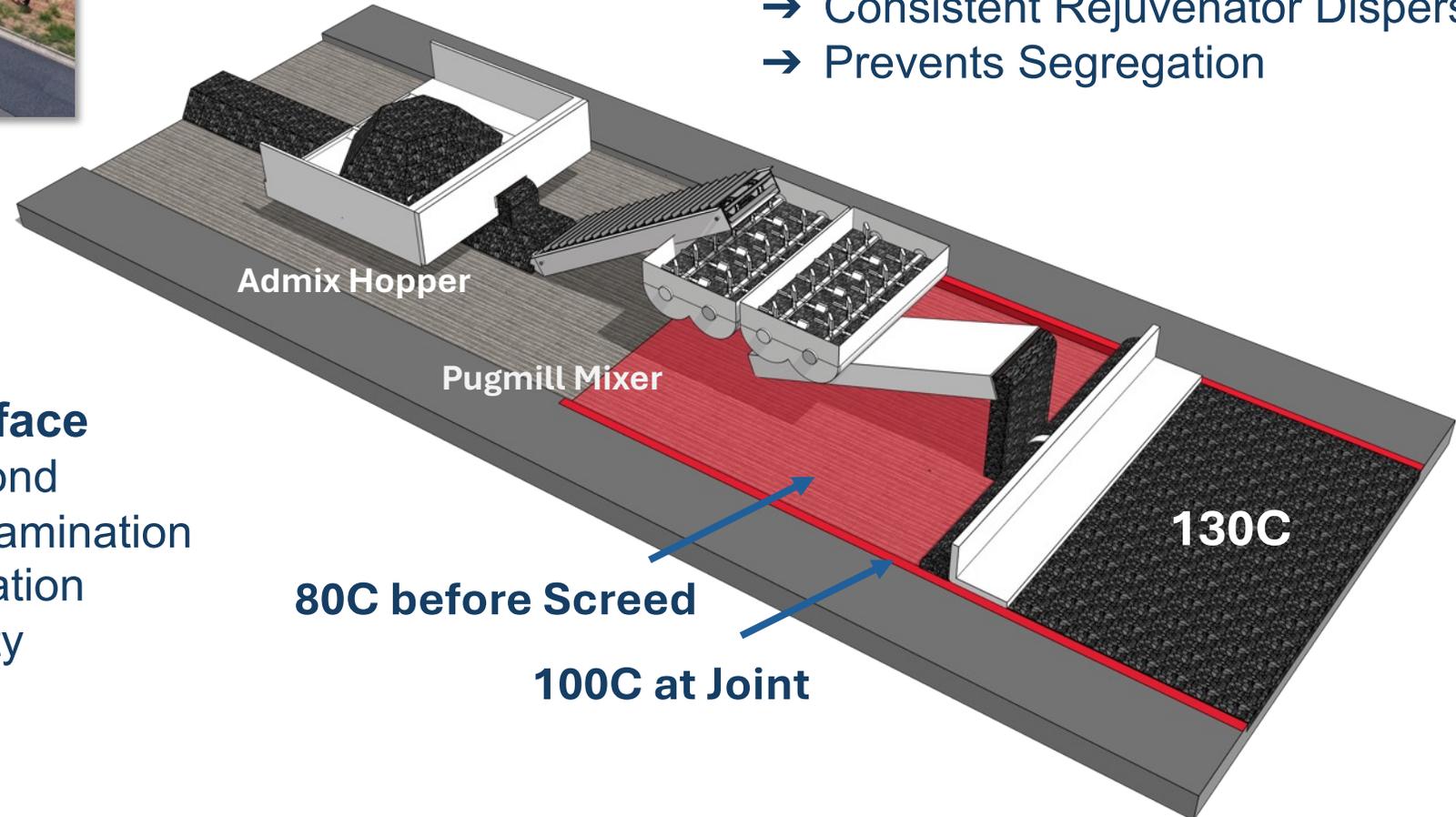


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Weighed Batch Mixing System

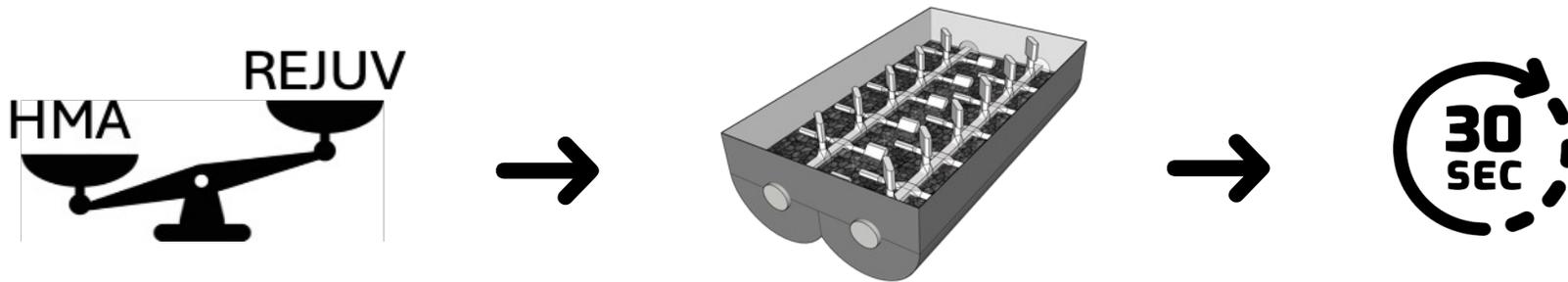
- 30 Second Mixing Time
- Accurate Rejuvenator Metering
- Consistent Rejuvenator Dispersion
- Prevents Segregation



Preheated Paving Surface

- Creates a Thermal Bond
- Prevents Surface Delamination
- Prevents Joint Separation
- Improves Compatibility

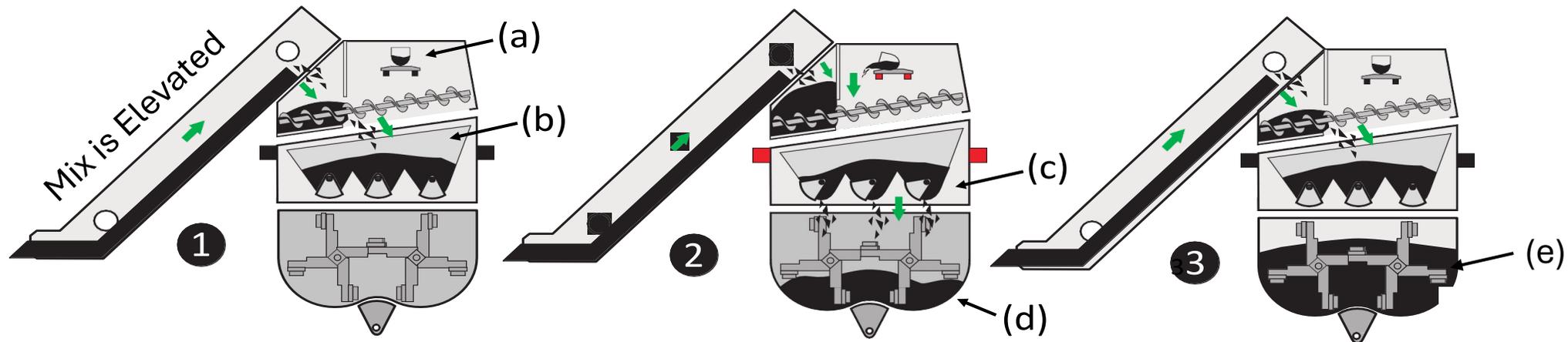
Batch Mixer = Precise Metering & Homogenous Mixing



1. The Rejuvenator & HMA are weighed separately.

2. The Weighed Batch is released to Pugmill

3. 30 second Mixing Time in Twin-Shaft Pugmill



Smooth and Consistent



High Quality Recycled Pavement

- Consistent Surface
- 130C Behind Paver
- Hot Joints
- Recycling Widths 3.5 to 4.5 Meter
- Consistent Compaction
- Smooth Ride



Looks and Performs Like a Newly Paved Surface



4. HIR Projects in China

Typical Projects

- 4 Lane Expressways
- 100,000 to 300,000 m²
- Polymer Modified Binders
- Some Projects SMA
- 50 mm depth
- 20% Admix
- 0.3% to 0.6% Rejuvenator



Shaanxi Province - 225,000 m²



Xinjiang Province – 260,000 m²



Henan Province – 175,000 m²



Consistent Test Results

Test		Measured Data	Design Data	Result
Asphalt Content	Asphalt using (%)	4.52	4.43	pass
Marshall	stability (kN)	16.14	≥8	pass
	flow value(mm)	2.2	2.0-4.0	pass
	Air void (%)	4.6	4 - 6	pass
Onsite Tests	compaction%	94.3	93%	pass
	friction coefficient	82	>55mm	pass
	thickness (mm)	55mm	50mm	pass



Test Method	Unit of Measure	Specification	Before HIR	0.3% Rejuvenator	0.4% Rejuvenator	0.5% Rejuvenator
Penetration 100g, 5s, 25°C	0.1mm	40-60	24	47	60	68
Ductility 5cm/min, 15°C	cm	Measured	5.7	19.1	24	28.2
Softening Point	°C	≥47	63.0	55.5	52.5	49.5



Jiapeng R&D & Manufacturing Center, Dalian City



What we are working on

- Improvements to Quality, Efficiency Production & Environmental Impact
- Next Generation Rejuvenators
- On-Site Aggregate Heating System
- Intelligent Control Systems

Jiapeng Asphalt Rejuvenator

- Restores the original properties of the asphalt binder
- Joint study with the University of Waterloo, Canada
- Developed by the Jiapeng Group

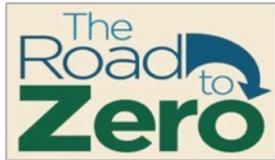


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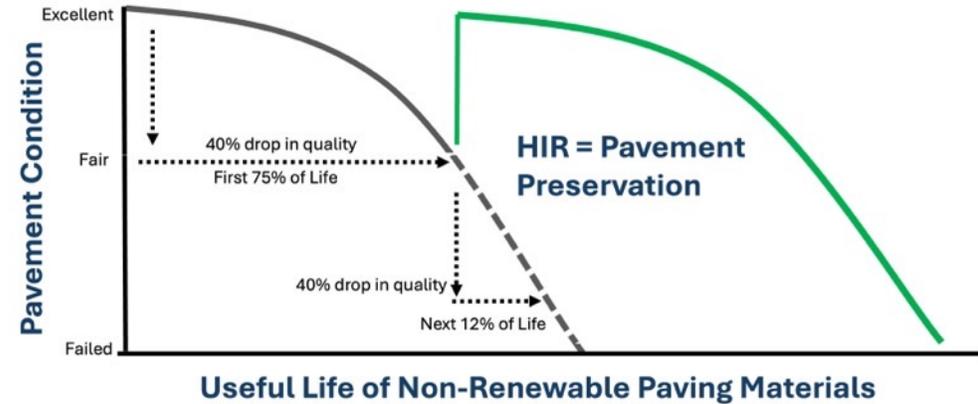


Conserve Materials

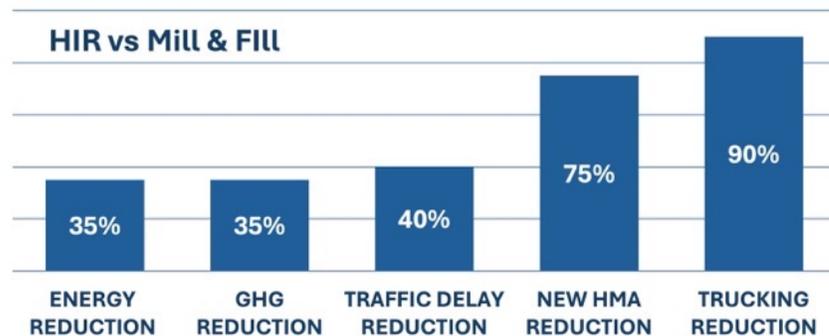


Manage Life Cycle Cost

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HIR = Reuse and Reduce



HIR = GreenPave Gold

HIR is GreenPave Gold Rated

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