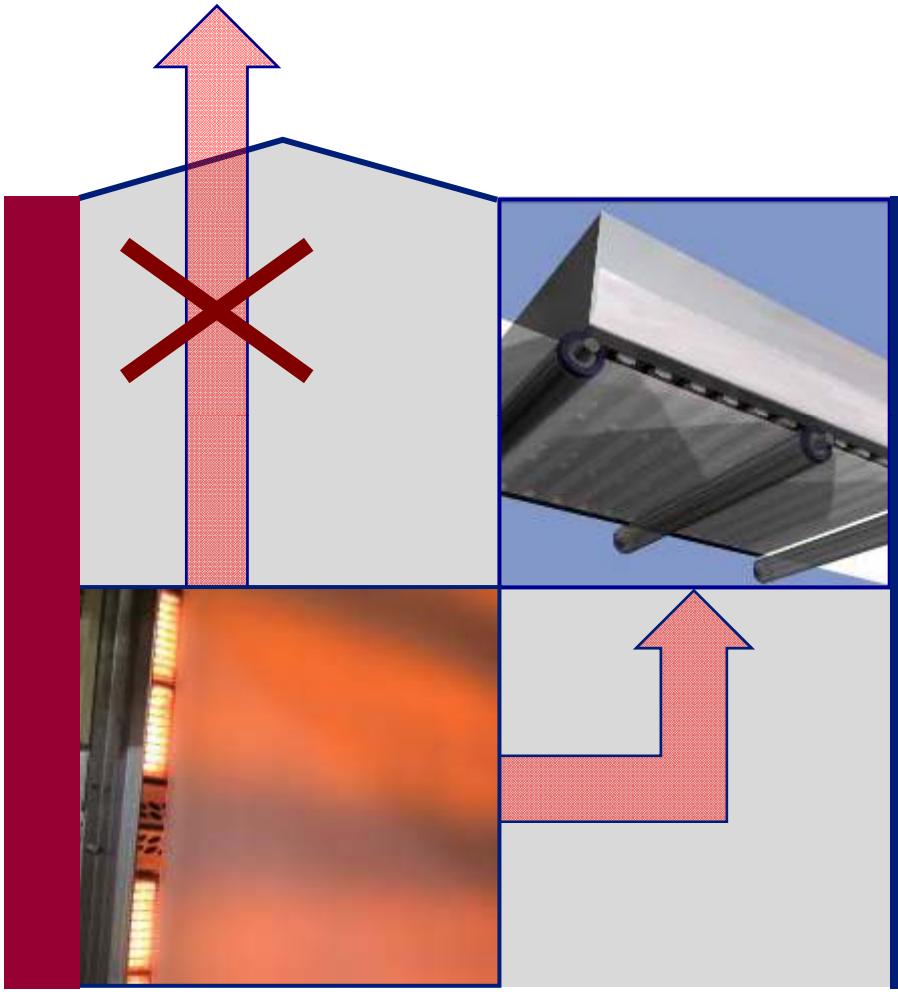

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The Professional Integration of Infrared and Hot Air Dryers

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Sustainability –
The Vision for the Future of Paper Production

Raw material

Maximizing the recycling rate

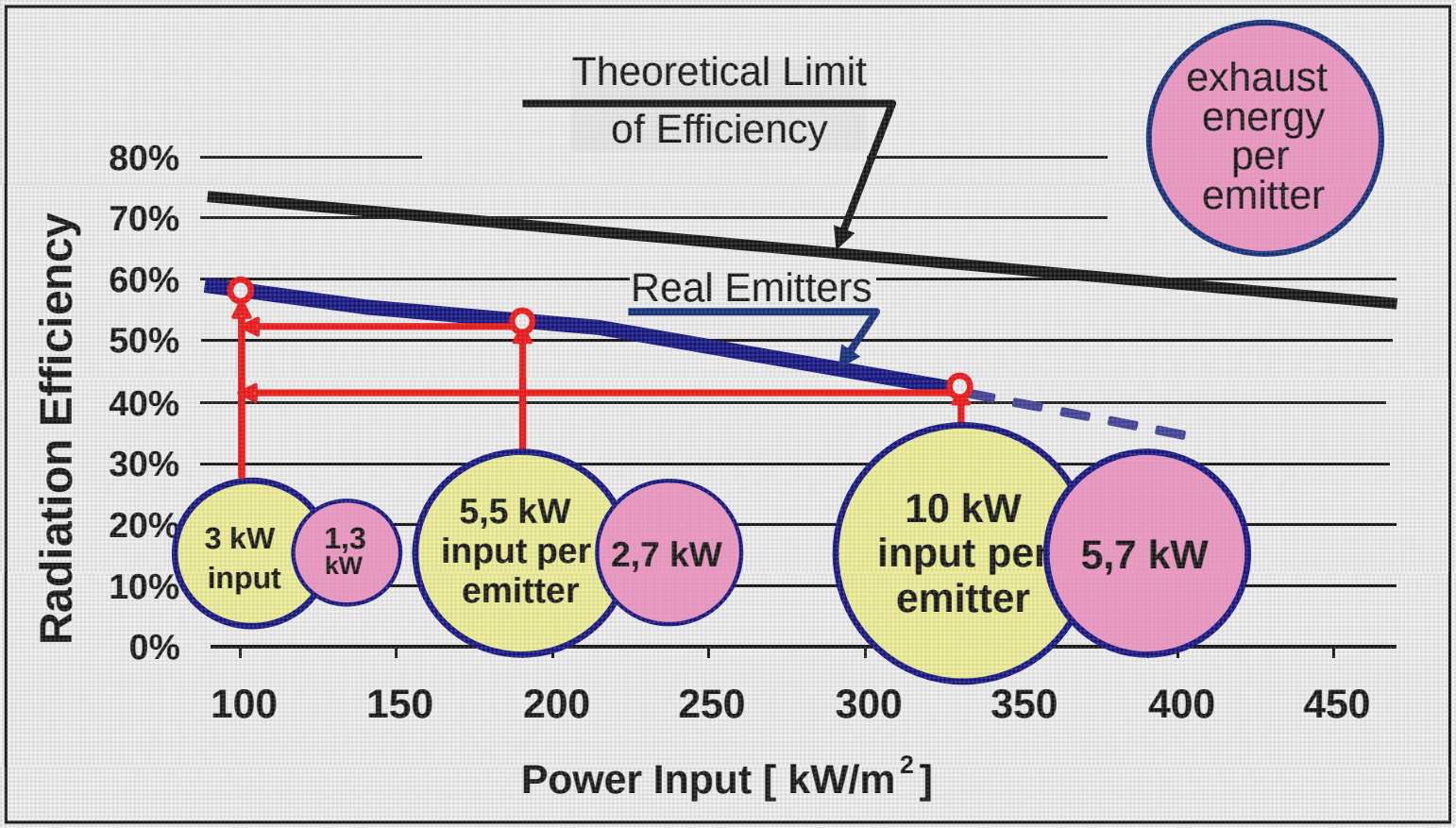
Energy

Reducing worldwide primary energy consumption by half

Water

Lowering consumption of fresh water to less than 1 liter per kg

Efficiency of Gas Heated IR - Emitters



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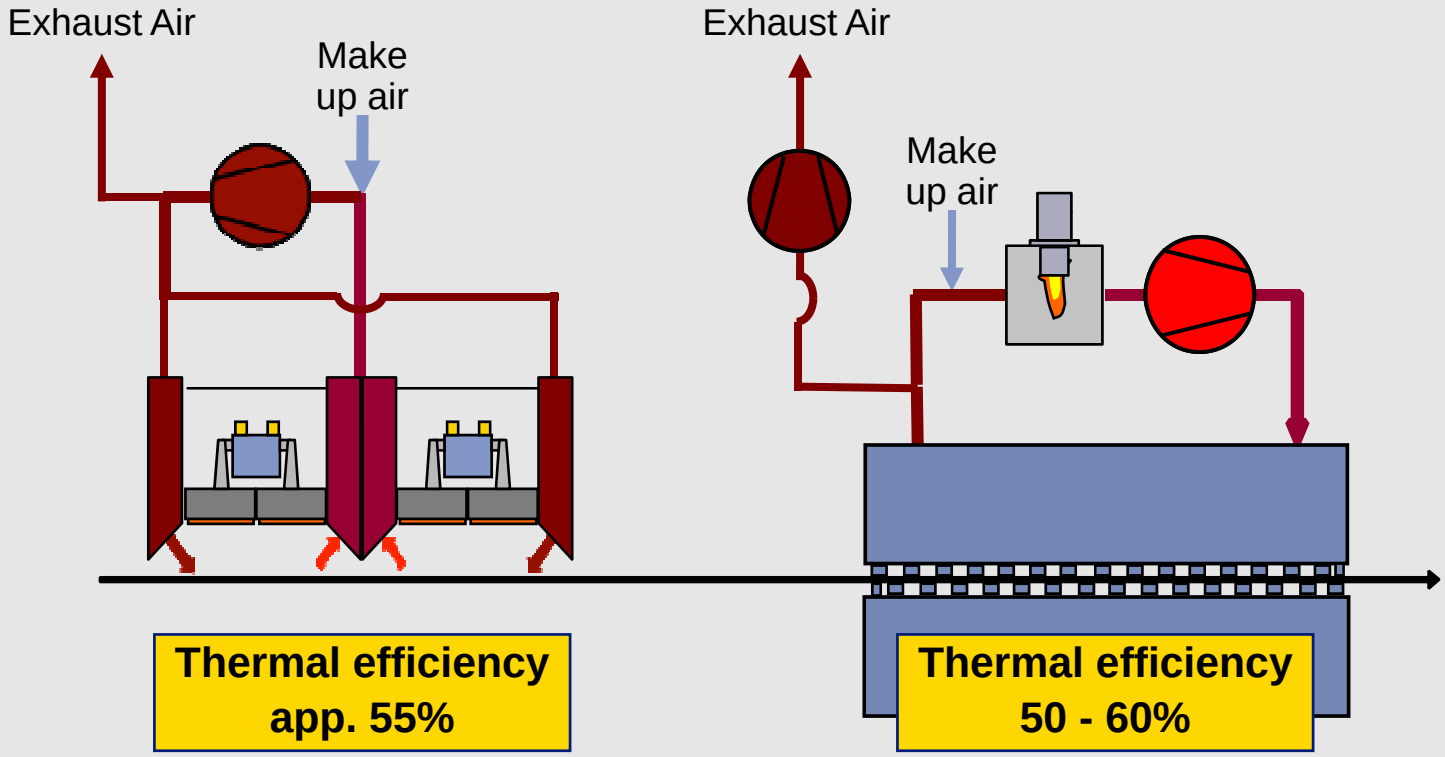

In conventional concepts infrared and hot air systems are operated with separate circulation air systems

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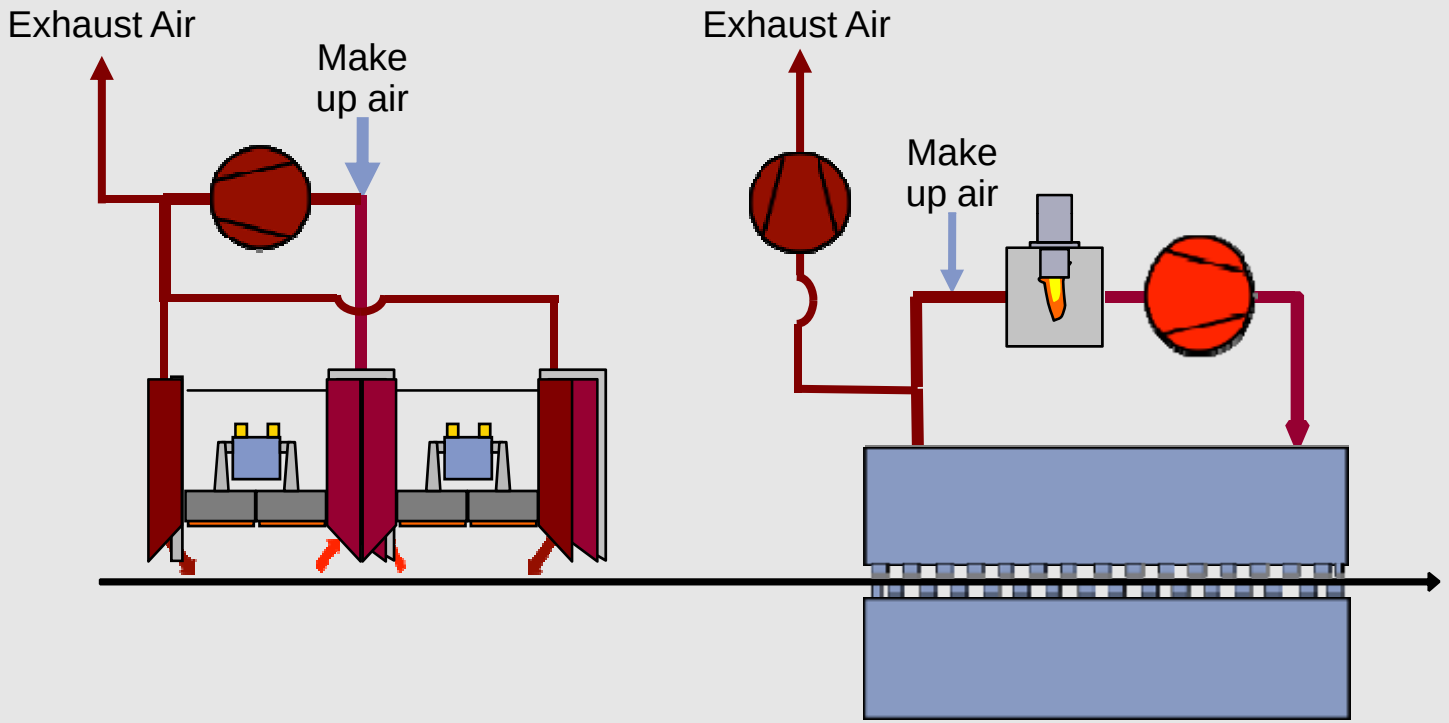

Wide insulated suction channels replace the small blowing and suction air channels

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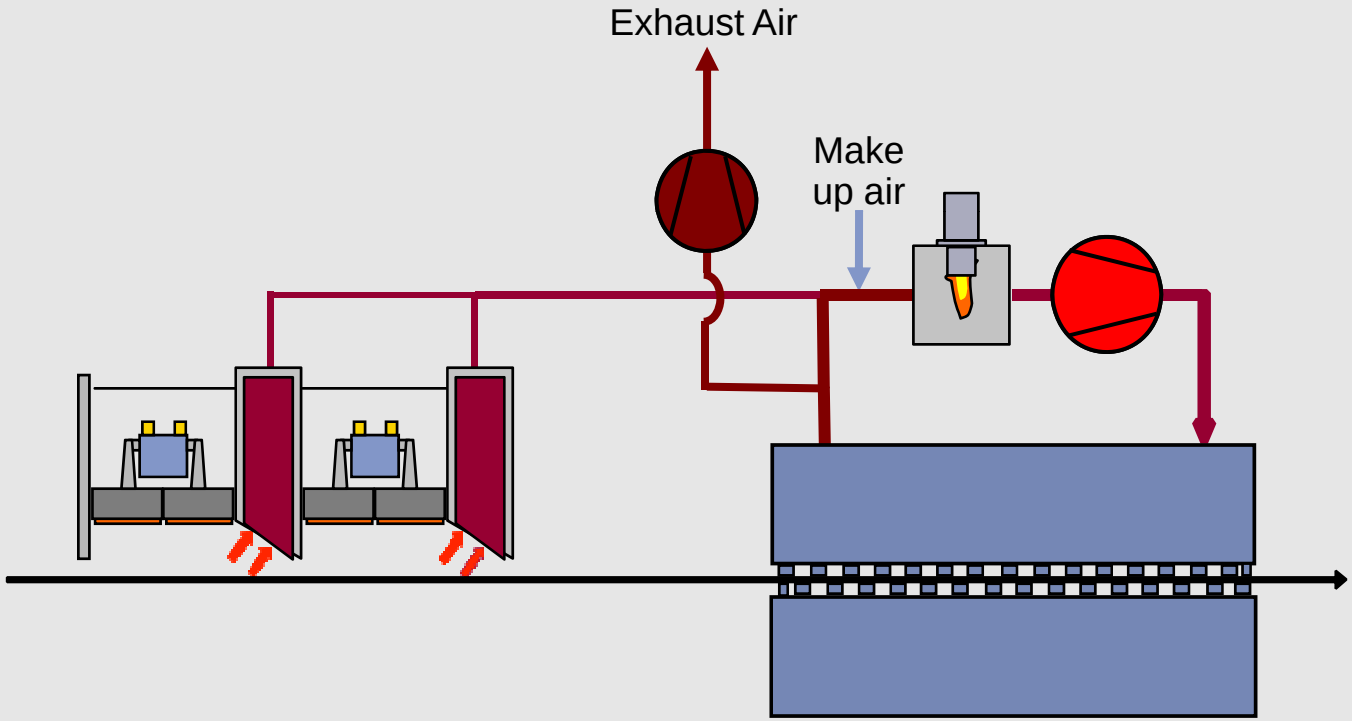

The exhaust gases of the infrared system replace the make up air of the air dryer

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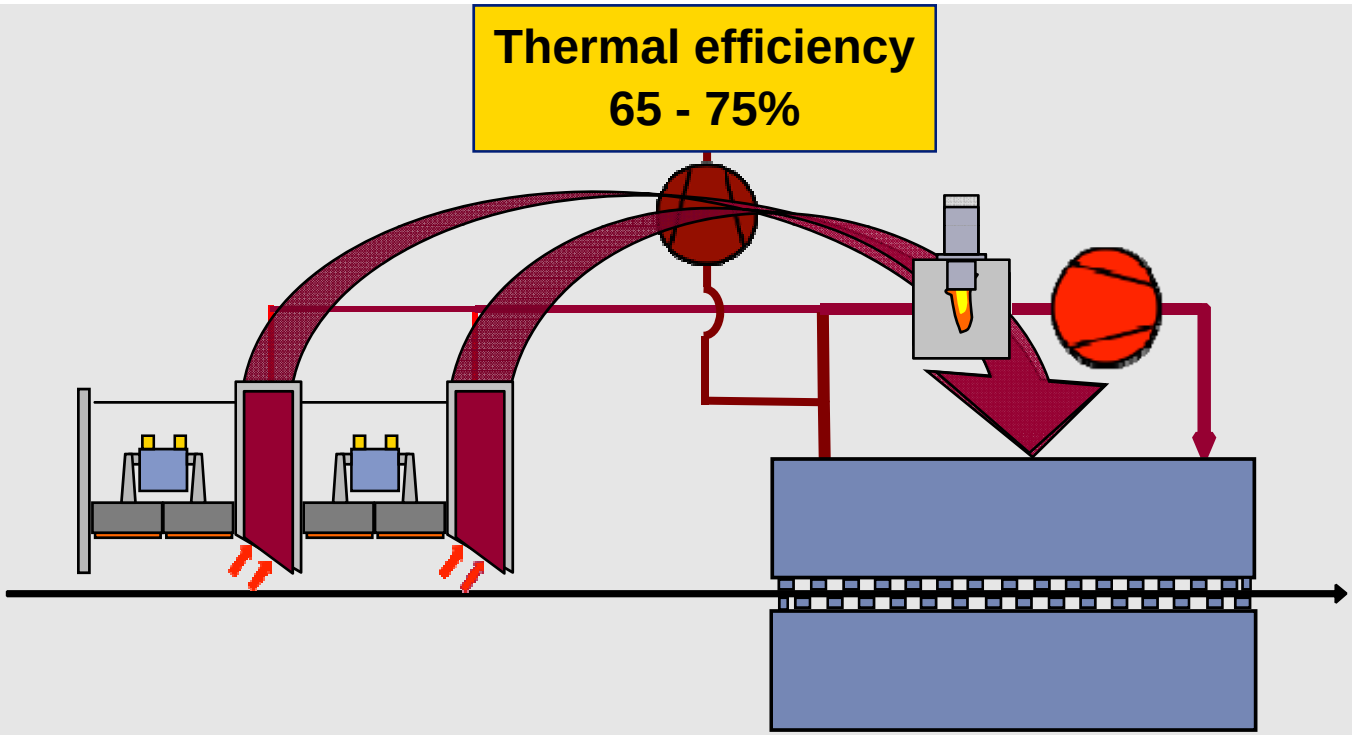

The burning chamber is not needed during operation (at optimum setting used for system heat up only)

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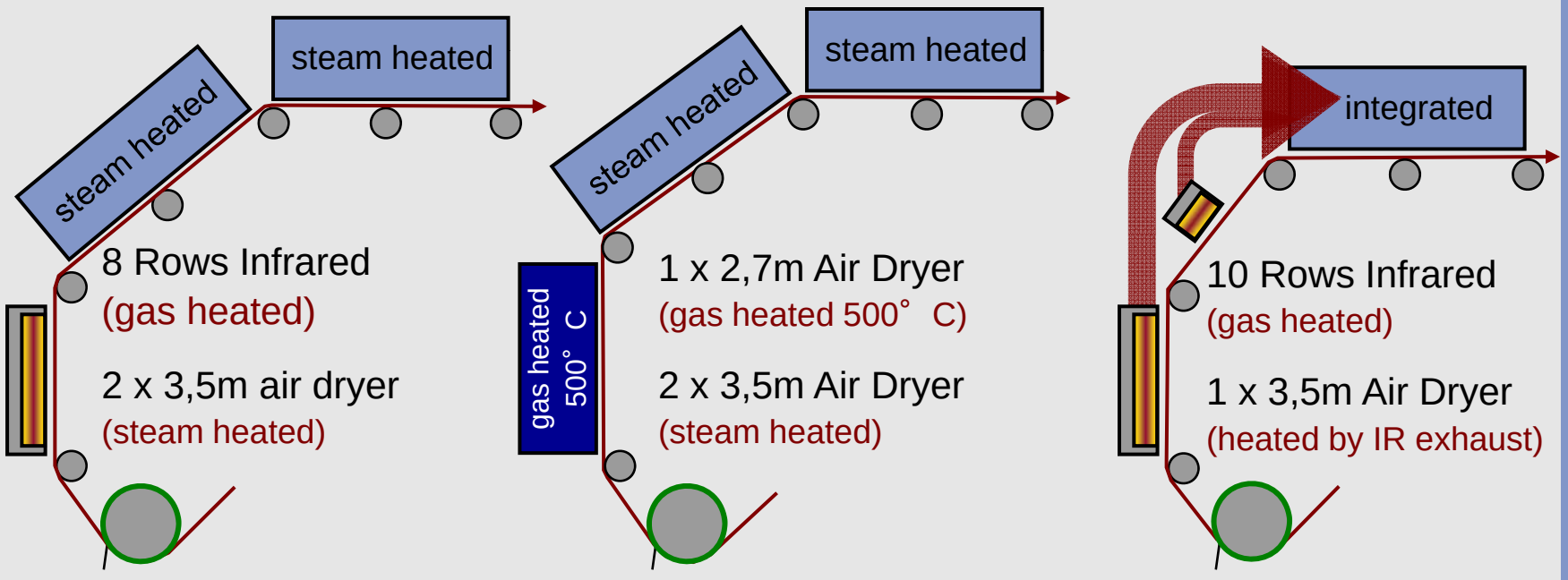
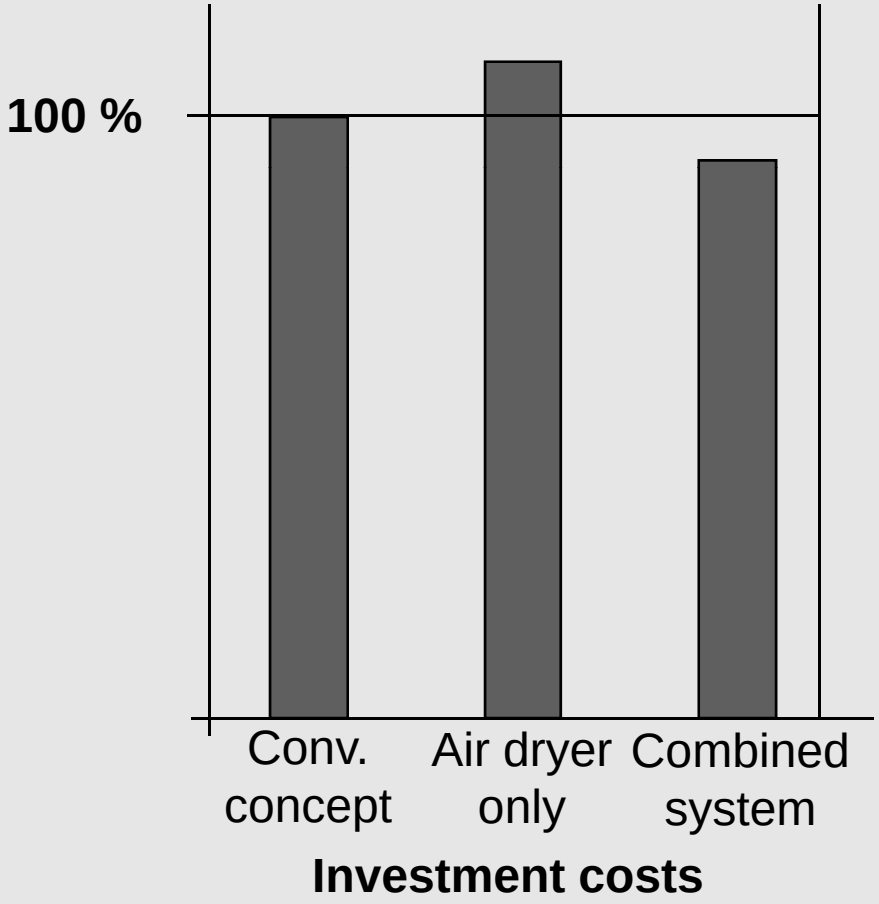
Advantages and Customer Benefits for CE-Projects

Example: Comparison of non contact drying concepts for cWTTL
> energy consumption < > quality aspects < > space requirements <



Investment and Operating Costs
Example: NC Drying after a Top Coater for cWTTL

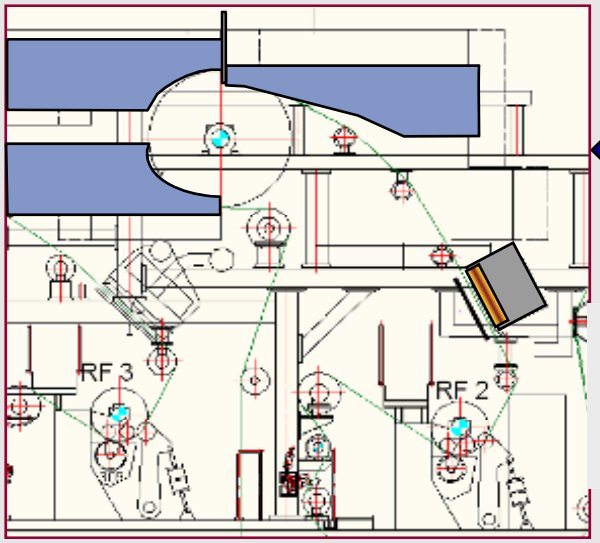


qDry Pro Rebuild Potential
Reference: N.N. / Germany 2010

Main project target: Remarkable reduction of energy costs

Total energy input:

Pay back period < 2.5 years (Germany)



before rebuild

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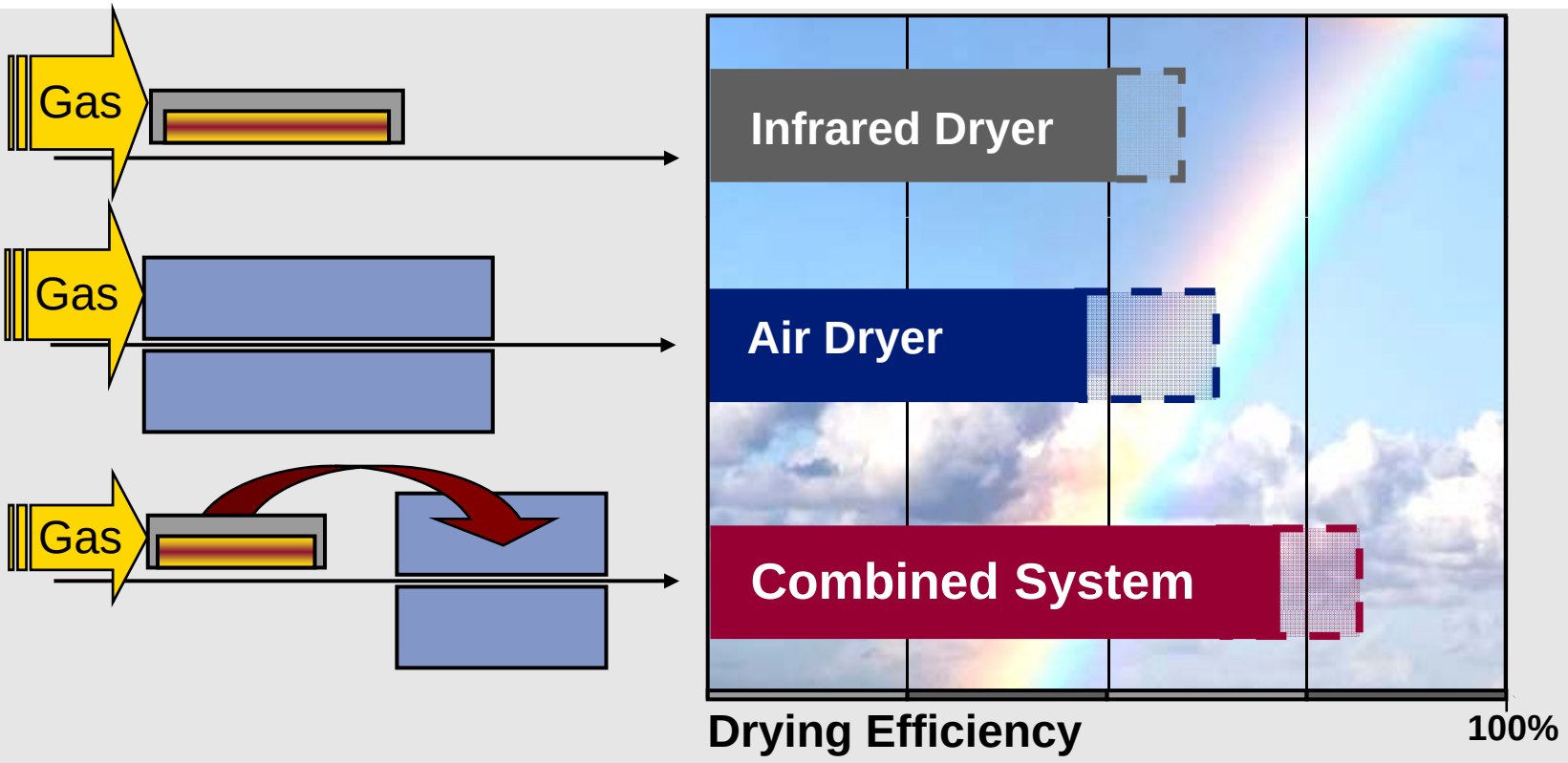

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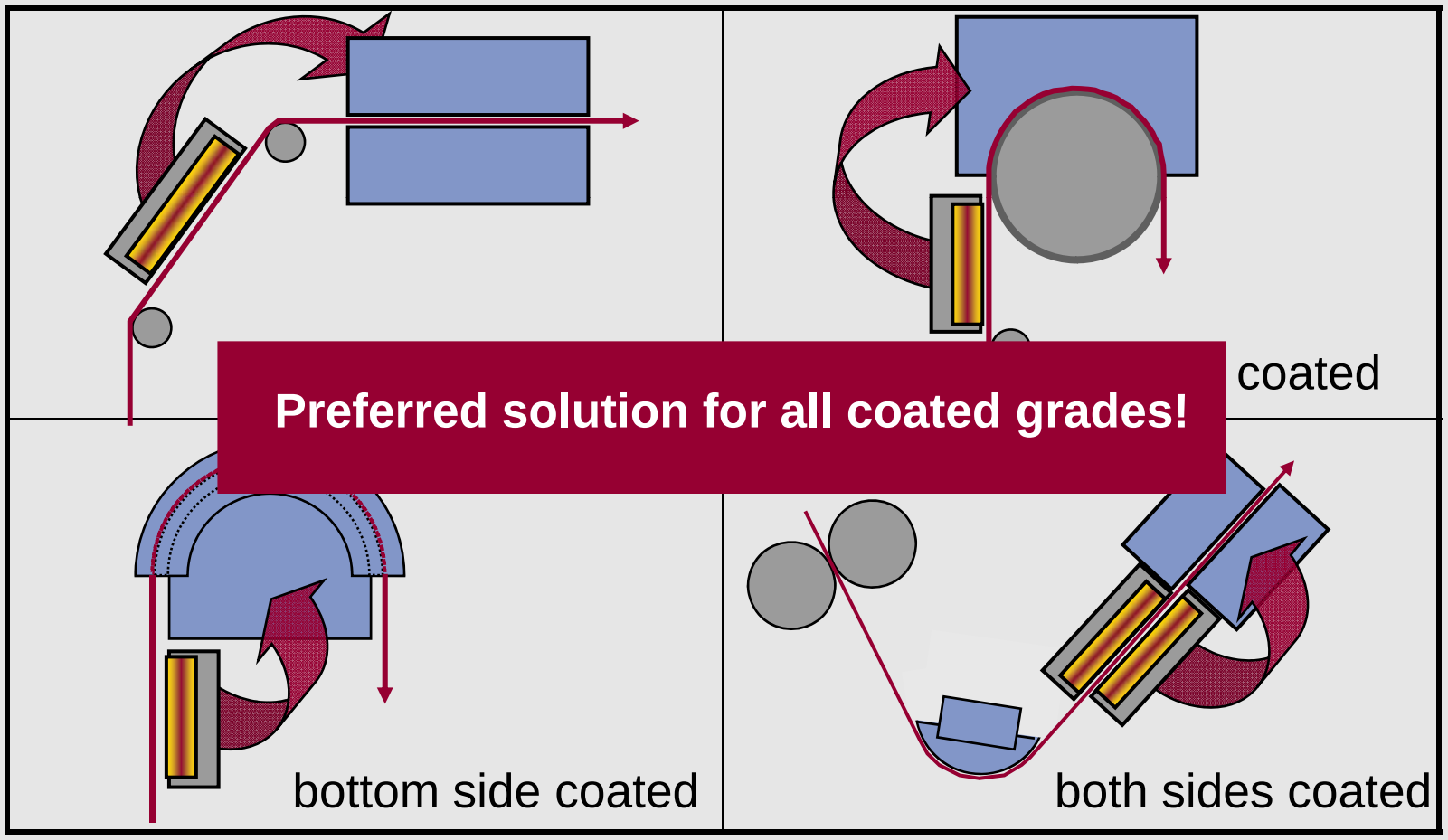
System Solutions

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