

Technical Data

Easy Access	ECLN	Pellet Rate lbs/hr	Pellet Rate kg/hr*	Flake Rate lbs/hr	Flake Rate kg/hr*	Maximum Water Rate Gpm	Maximum Water Rate M ³ /hr
2008 BF	12.1 BF	2,000	1,000	400	200	80	18
	12.2 BF	4,000	1,800	180	80	300	68
	12.2 DW	4,000	1,800	400	180	450	102
2016 BF		5,000	2,300	500	230	40	9
	16.2 BF	5,000	2,300	500	230	300	68
	16.2 DW	5,000	2,300	500	230	300	68
2016 DW		5,000	2,300	500	230	300	68
	16.2 DW	5,000	2,300	500	230	300	68
	12.3 BF	10,000	4,500	1,000	450	300	102
	12.3 DW	10,000	4,500	1,000	450	600	68
3016 BF		14,000	6,400	1,400	640	50	136
	16.3 BF	14,000	6,400	1,400	640	300	11
	16.3 DW	14,000	6,400	1,400	640	300	68
3039 BF		14,000	6,400	1,400	640	300	102
	16.3 DW	14,000	6,400	1,400	640	600	136
	32.3 BF	22,000	10,000	2,200	1,000	150	34
	32.3 DW	22,000	10,000	2,200	1,000	350	102
3032 DW		22,000	10,000	2,200	1,000	800	182
	32.3 DW	22,000	10,000	2,200	1,000	1,000	227
4032 BF		35,000	16,000	3,500	1,600	300	45
	32.4 BF	35,000	16,000	3,500	1,600	500	114
4032 DW		35,000	16,000	3,500	1,600	1,350	307
5032 BF		50,000	23,000	5,000	2,300	300	68
	32.5 BF	50,000	23,000	5,000	2,300	350	125
5032 DW		50,000	23,000	5,000	2,300	1,500	341
5035 BF		75,000	34,000	7,500	3,400	350	79
	48.5 BF	75,000	34,000	7,500	3,400	400	90
5018 DW		75,000	34,000	7,500	3,400	3,000	682
6018 BF		100,000	45,500	10,000	4,500	400	90
6018 DW		100,000	45,500	10,000	4,500	3,000	682
8051 BF		150,000	68,000	15,000	6,800	400	90
8051 DW		150,000	68,000	15,000	6,800	3,000	682

* Not a direct conversion from pounds per hour.

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Pelletizer Model No.	TWS Model No.	Water Rate Gpm	Water Rate M ³ /hr	Pellet Rate lbs/hr	Pellet Rate kg/hr	Gala Dryer Model No.
6	TWS-40	40	10	1,000	450	2008 BF
	TWS-80	80	20	2,000	900	
	TWS-140	140	30	3,500	1,300	
7	TWS-200	200	40	5,000	2,300	2016 DW
	TWS-280	280	70	7,000	3,000	
	TWS-360	360	80	9,000	4,000	
	TWS-480	480	100	12,000	6,000	

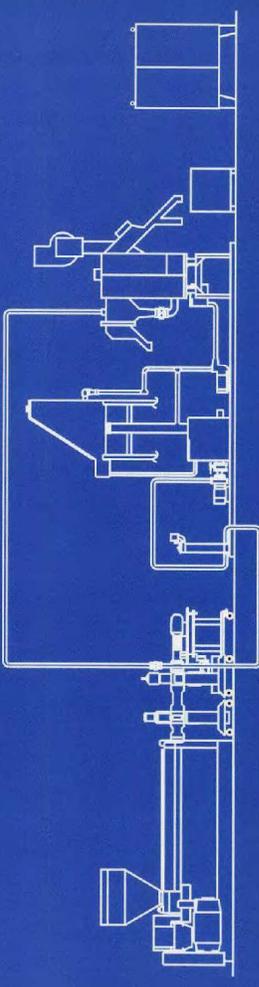
Warranty: Gala Industries, Inc. will repair or replace with a similar part, F.O.B. its factory, any part of its manufacture, with the exception of die plates, which within TWO YEARS from shipment date proves defective in material or workmanship. Gala's warranty does not cover equipment failure due to chemical reactions, stress corrosion cracking due to chlorides in the water, or for deterioration of wear parts due to normal use.

One day of lab testing is **free**.
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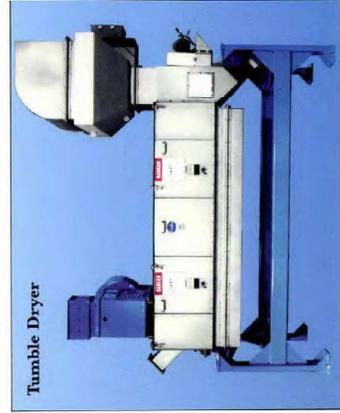


Quality

Dryers



The Gala Easy Access Dryer is designed with large hinged doors. These doors allow quick and simple access for cleaning and maintenance. The Easy Access dryer is capable of drying rates to 150,000 lbs/hr (68,000 kg/hr), depending on the product. The noise level of an Easy Access Dryer at 3 feet with 1/8" (3mm) in diameter x 1/8" (3mm) long LDPE pellets is 93 to 95 dBA or less; this can be reduced to 85 dBA with optional low noise modifications and the buyer insulating the pellet outlet and air outlet lines. For more information request brochure CCD.



The Gala Tumble Dryer is designed to process pellets that are too brittle for other drying systems. This dryer is used for final drying of highly filled pellets, pellet or flake cooling, classifying, and drying of recycled flake material. The Tumble Dryer is easy to clean and operate, is quieter, and is subject to less wear when drying highly abrasive materials. Call for more information.

Gala's Easy-Clean Low Noise Dryer (ECLN) is designed to operate at 80 dBA or less, at 3 feet, processing 1/8" (3mm) in diameter x 1/8" (3mm) long LDPE pellets, with the buyer insulating the pellet outlet and air outlet lines. The innovative, solid, streamline design aids regular cleaning and maintenance, as well as minimizing costly down time between product or color changes. The ECLN is capable of drying up to 100,000 lbs/hr (45,500 kg/hr) depending on the product. For more information request brochure CCD.



Systems



Complete pelletizing systems include a pelletizer, tempered water system, dryer, electrical control panel, and extruder or melt pump. Gala systems are capable of processing a wide variety of thermoplastic based polymers, including acrylic, nylon, polycarbonate, polyester, polyvinyl chloride, rubber, gum bases, and hot melt adhesives. The systems can produce pellets from 20 to 12,000 lbs/hr (10 to 6,000 kg/hr).

Gala systems are available to produce **micropellets** in many polymers. Pellets can be produced in sizes .020" (0.5mm), and smaller, to .125" (3mm), and larger, depending on the polymer.

Gala systems can be purchased as a complete system or as individual components. Components are suitable for new or existing lines. For more information request brochure UWS.



Gala can provide a complete recycling system, including a separator, to detach paper and debris, washers to remove paper, dirt, and other debris, and dryers to remove excess moisture. Each component contains its own circulating system and is individually skid mounted for easy installation and mobility. The recycling equipment can be purchased as a complete unit or as individual components. For more information request brochure RDS.

Pelletizers

Gala Underwater Pelletizing Systems are used worldwide for scrap recovery, pilot operations, research and development, as well



as by processors and compounders. These systems are used to produce standard size pellets or micropellets from a wide variety of thermoplastics and elastomers. They are used to produce pellet rates from 20 to 12,000 lbs/hr (10 to 6,000 kg/hr).

Gala pelletizers are compact, durable, quiet, economical, and energy efficient. The cutter blades are double edged, inexpensive, and easy to replace.

The process water is used to quench and transport the pellets, in a closed loop, from the cutting chamber to the dryer without exposure to the surrounding environment. It minimizes product contamination and water loss. After leaving the dryer, the water is collected, filtered, pressurized, tempered, and circulated.

Gala avoids the use of sharp angles upstream of the die plate. Horizontal polymer flow allows easy access to the die plate and cutter blades.

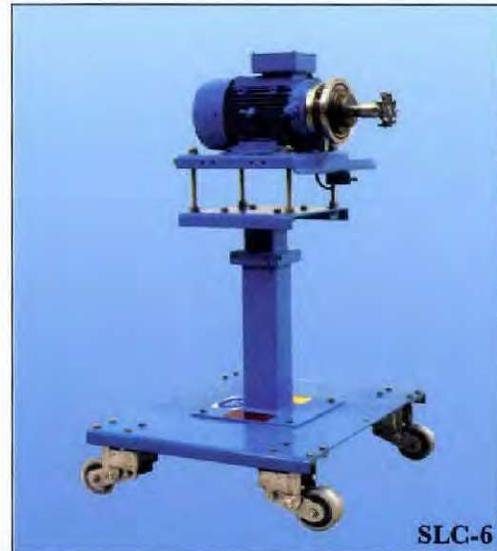
Gala's self-aligning cutter hub allows the hub/blades to conform to the plane of the die face correcting any subtle misalignment between the die face and the pelletizer shaft. The self-aligning cutter hub also reduces the amount of pressure needed to keep the blades



correctly aligned. With constant accurate alignment and minimum pressure, maximum blade and die face life is assured. The self-aligning hub is attached to the shaft the same way a rigid cutter hub is and can be used on all Gala Underwater Pelletizers including the SLC. Call for more information.



The design of the PAC (Pneumatically Adjustable Cutter) is similar to that of the standard SLC (Spring Loaded Cutter). The PAC has a spring-loaded blade holder connected with a driven shaft in such a way that it can be shifted in an axial direction. The blades are pressed against the die plate at the optimum pressure for the current operating condition. This allows cutting pressure to be increased during start-up, then decreased to the minimum pressure needed during normal operation.



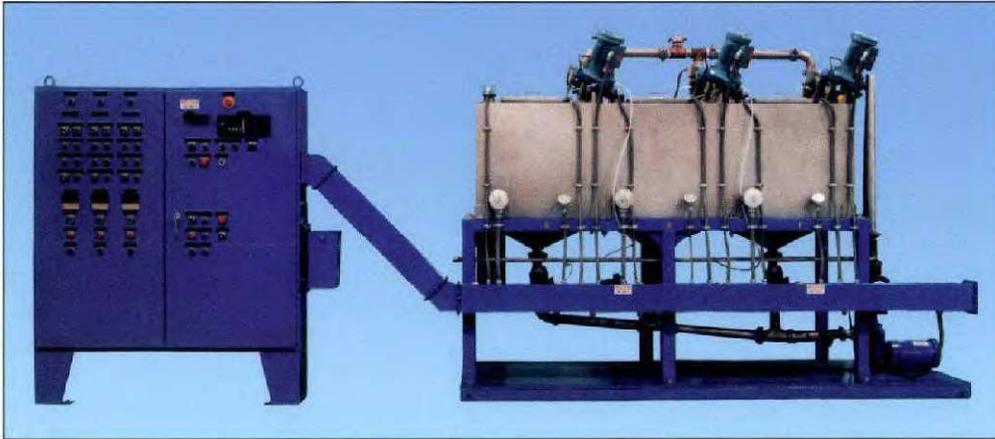
The SLC (Spring Loaded Cutter) pelletizer utilizes a spring-loaded cutter to automatically adjust cutter hub assembly alignment to the die face. The SLC is compact, rugged, economical, and energy efficient; it produces rates up to 6,000 lbs/hr (3,000 kg/hr).

For further information see the specifications on the back of this brochure and request brochure UWS.



Gala's Model 6 and 7 pelletizers employ a manual hand wheel to adjust the blade to the die face. These models are used to produce pellet rates up to 12,000 lbs/hr (6,000 kg/hr) and are capable of cutting a wide range of polymers - from hot melt adhesives and TPR to polyester and nylon.

Auxiliary Equipment



Gala's Crystallization/Cooling System is designed for materials that require a longer residence time in the process water. For more information request brochure CCS.



An Adjustable Spring Loaded Gas Stand allows accurate pelletizer alignment every time. Call for more information.



A Fines Removal Sieve is used to remove foreign matter from the process water. Call for more information.



The Waterbox By-pass System is used to control process water temperature and arrival time in the cutting chamber. For more information request brochure WBBPS.



A Polymer Diverter Valve diverts material from the upstream equipment to allow quick, efficient product changes and/or screen changes. For more information request brochure PDV.