

Nanomilling Overview

LOCATION: CENTRAL MILLING BUILDING GSK Cork



Typical Process Flow

- Prepare liquid suspension
- Mill liquid suspension
- Collect milled suspension
- Spray Dry Milled Suspension
- •Discharge Spray Dried Granule.

Main Process Equipment

- Batch Make-Up Vessel
- •8 Wet Bead Mills8
- 2 off Suspension Vessels
 - -Waste Receiver Vessel for off grade suspension.
- •Spray Dryer Unit, complete with rotary atomiser, gas recirculation system(nitrogen) closed loop, product collection cyclone and filter, heater, and condenser and condensate collection system.
- Product Discharge System.



Process Engineering

- •Glovebox technology to accommodate the complete range of OHC-3 compounds.
- •Dedicated Purified water distribution loop within the facility.
- •Dedicated dispensary within the facility, (to cater for OHC-3 compounds). This can operate in either a serial or batch mode for dispensing.
- •Contained Solids charging to Batch Make-Up vessel using in-line high shear homogeniser.
- Batch Size Range within the facility 100-600 litres

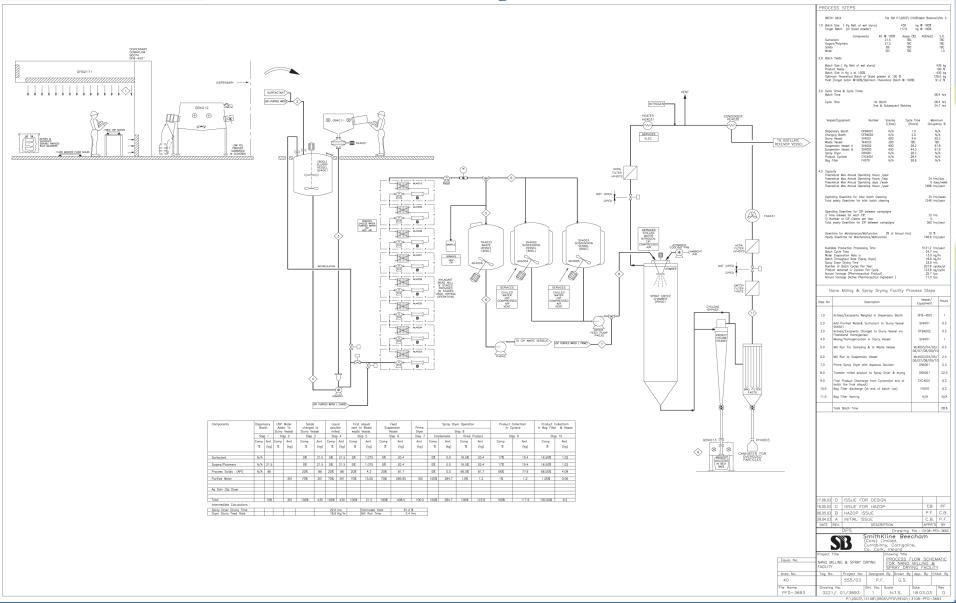


Process Engineering

- Process areas clean room finishes, ISO 8.
- •Dedicated HVAC extract, shared HVAC supply with core area .HEPA filtration on supply and extract.
- Design is based for Aqueous based products only.
 (No Solvents.)
- •CIP skid and distribution for cleaning of complete installation. Dedicated sanitisation vessel.
- System Controlled by Delta V.
 - Data capture system for process parameters.



Process Flow Diagram



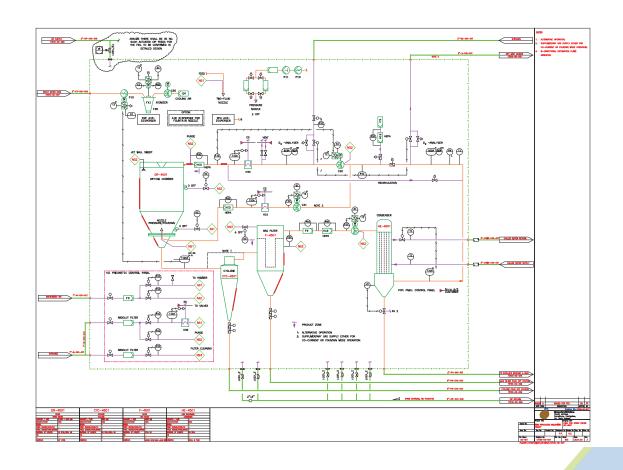
Spray Dryer

Details:

- 1. PSD 3 Unit from Niro
- 2. Droplet Formation Type:Rotary Atomiser
- 3. Gas Recirculation Loop-nitrogen or air
- 4. Evaporative Capacity: 13kgs/hr of water.
- 5. Product separation: cyclone and dust filter.
- 6. Co-current flow in drying chamber
- 7. Chilled water supply to condenser.
- 8. Two feed vessels,..... each vessel 600 litre capacity.



NIRO SPRAY DRYER: PSD-3-R-CC



Facility and Equipment Photographs

Dispensing GloveBox



Suspension
Feed Tank to
Spray Dryer.





Spray Drying Chamber

Inlet Gas HEPA Filter

Drying Chamber



Drying Chamber Outlet, Cyclone Seperator, Dust Filter

<u>Drying</u> Chamber



Dust Filter

Cyclone



Discharge Glove Box



Floor Layouts



