

Industrial high temperature heat pump for steam and hot water production

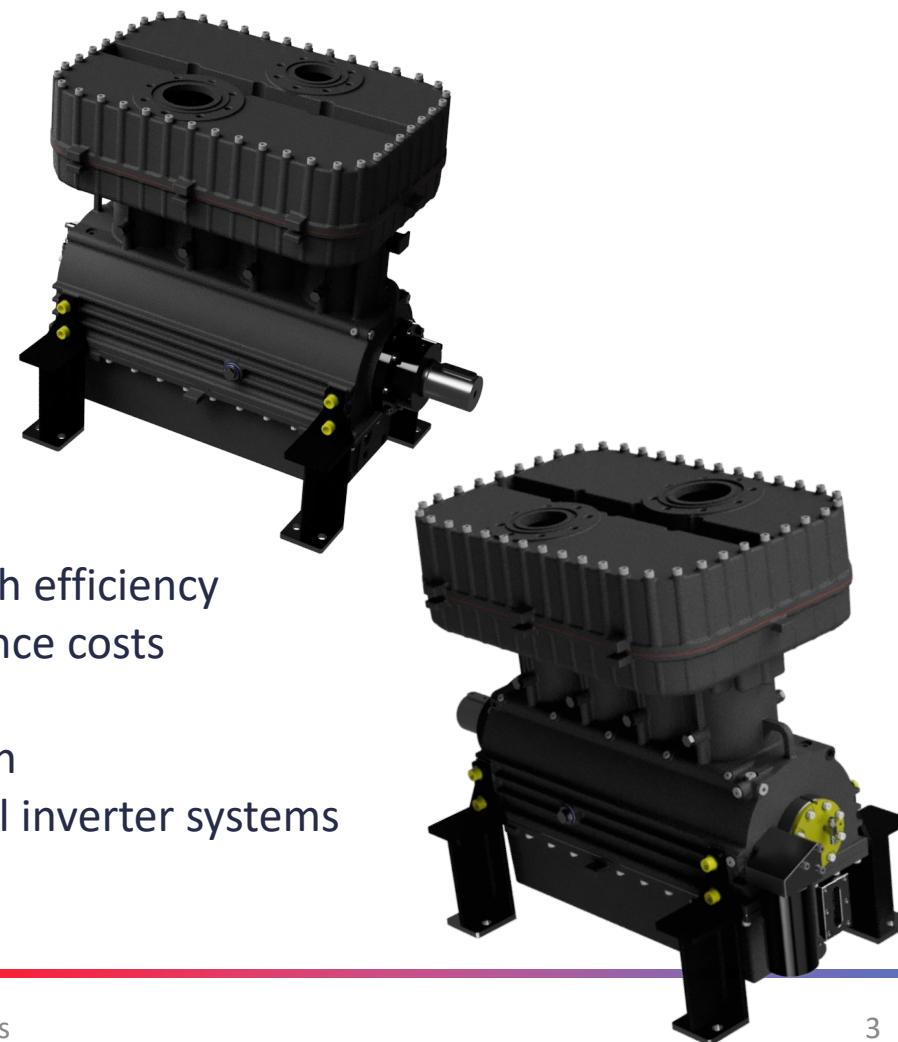
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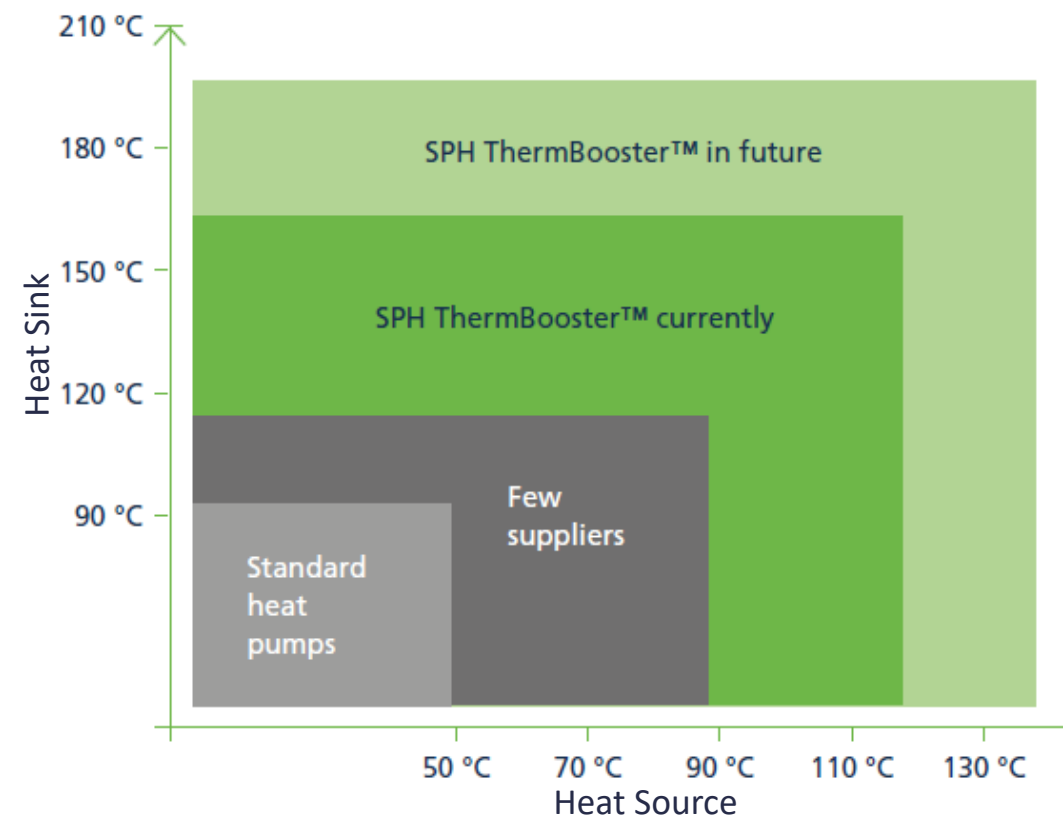
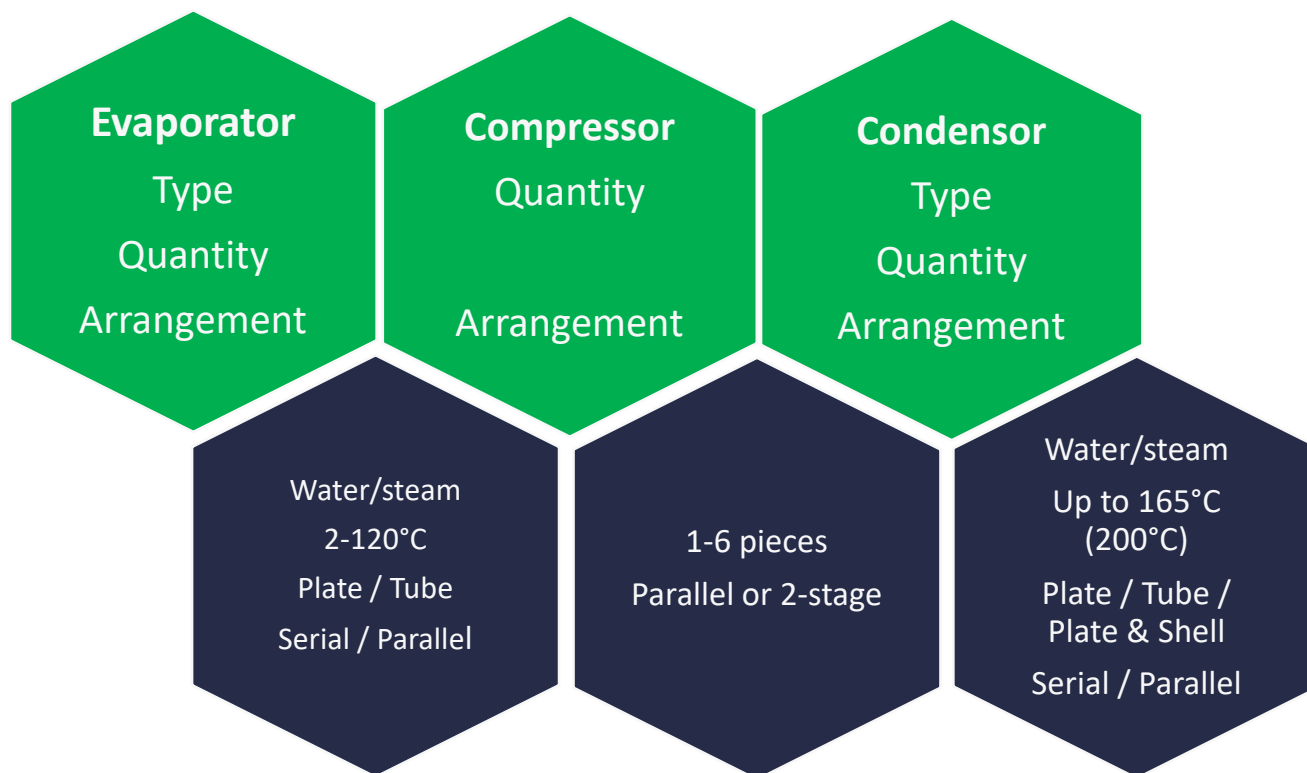
SPH – High temperature - Piston compressor

- Data
 - 4 Cylinders
 - 576 m³/h theoretical displacement
 - 35 bar/18 bar HD/ND
 - Open design
 - For engines from 110 kW to 200 kW
- Specifically developed for use in ultra-high temperature heat pumps
- Optimized for HFOs and HCs
- Optimized valve system and optimal temperature control ensures high efficiency
- Robust industrial design for a long service lifetime and low maintenance costs
- Integrated oil conditioning
- Very good partial load capability thanks to speed-controlled operation
- Use of premium efficiency motors (IE4) in combination with industrial inverter systems





ThermBooster – Building Kit

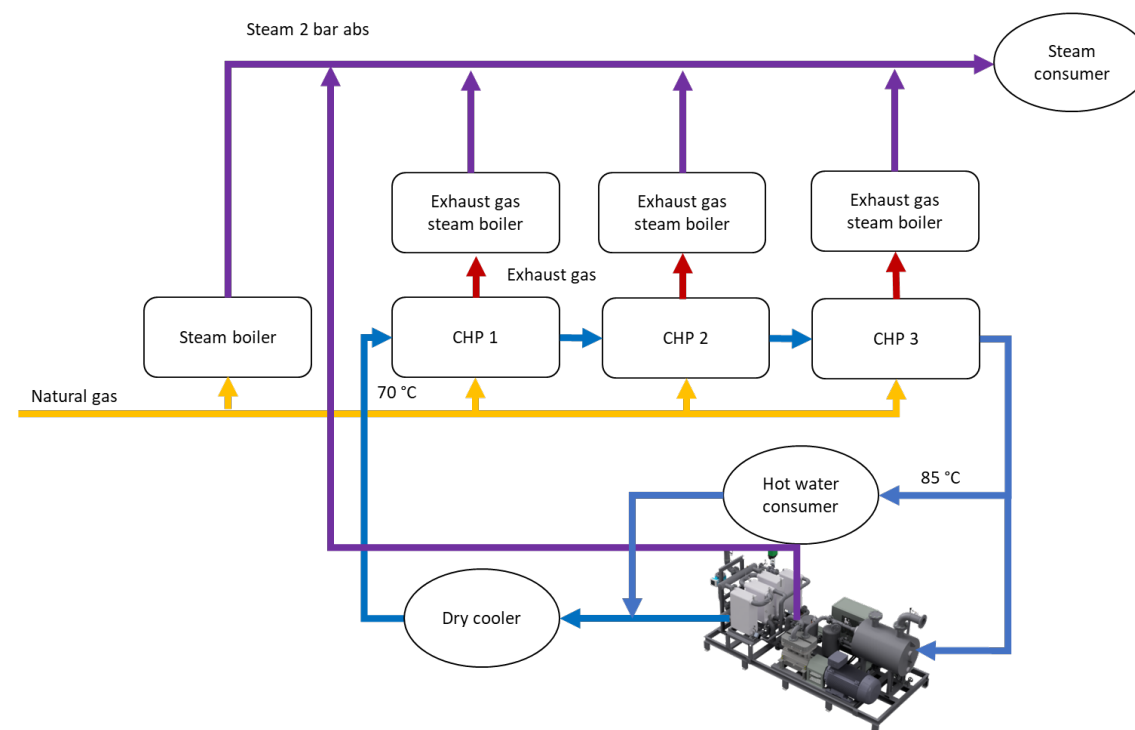


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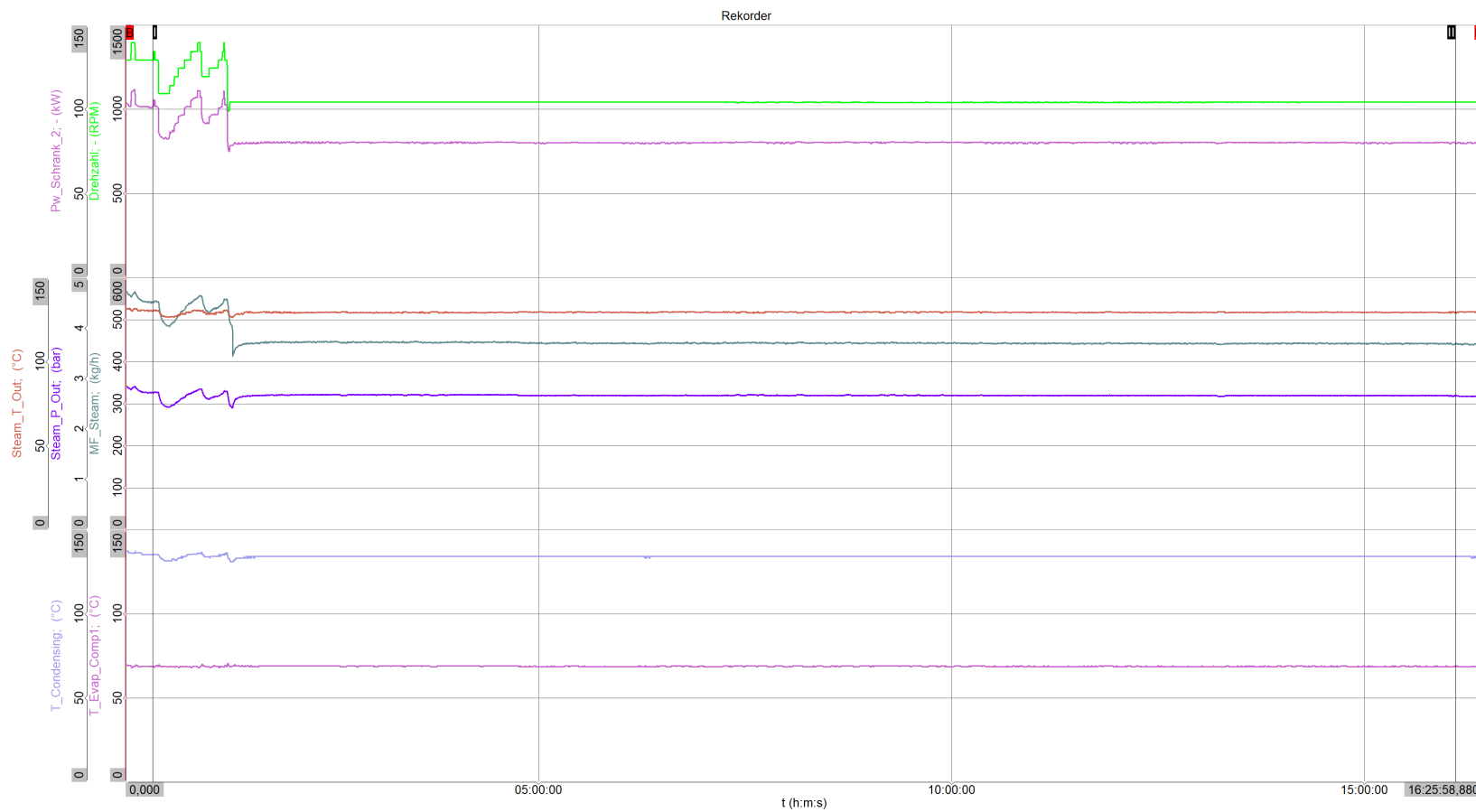


- Installation Q2 - 2023
- ThermBooster
 - Single Compressor
 - Heat Source:
 - Water
 - 85/70°C (185°F/158°F)
 - Cooling water from CHP
 - Heat Sink:
 - Saturated Steam
 - 2 bar abs (29 psi abs), 120°C (248°F)
 - Feed in existing steam network
- Heat Pump performance:

• Heating capacity:	514 kW (812 kg/h)
• Cooling capacity:	407 kW
• Electrical consumption:	118 kW
• COP:	4,4
• Refrigerant:	R1233zd
- 4,1 GWh thermal power production per year
- 550 t CO2 emissions per year will be avoided by this solution



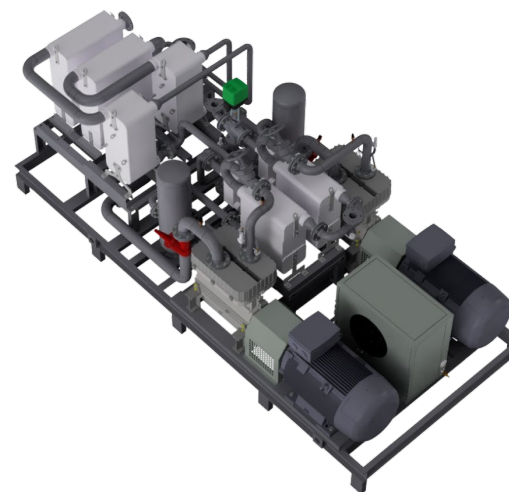
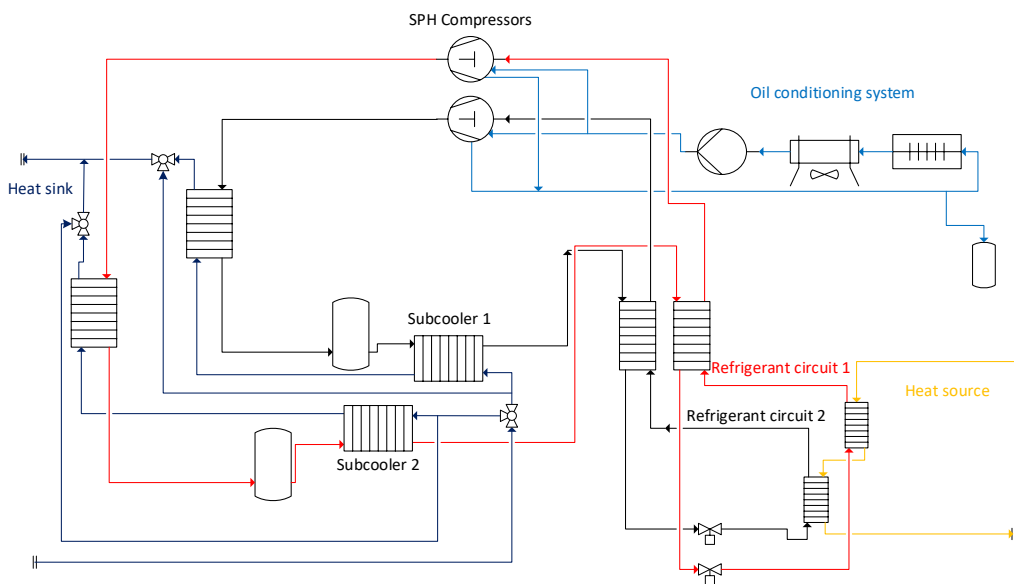
Steam production – Gelatin industry



Measurement Example, Steam

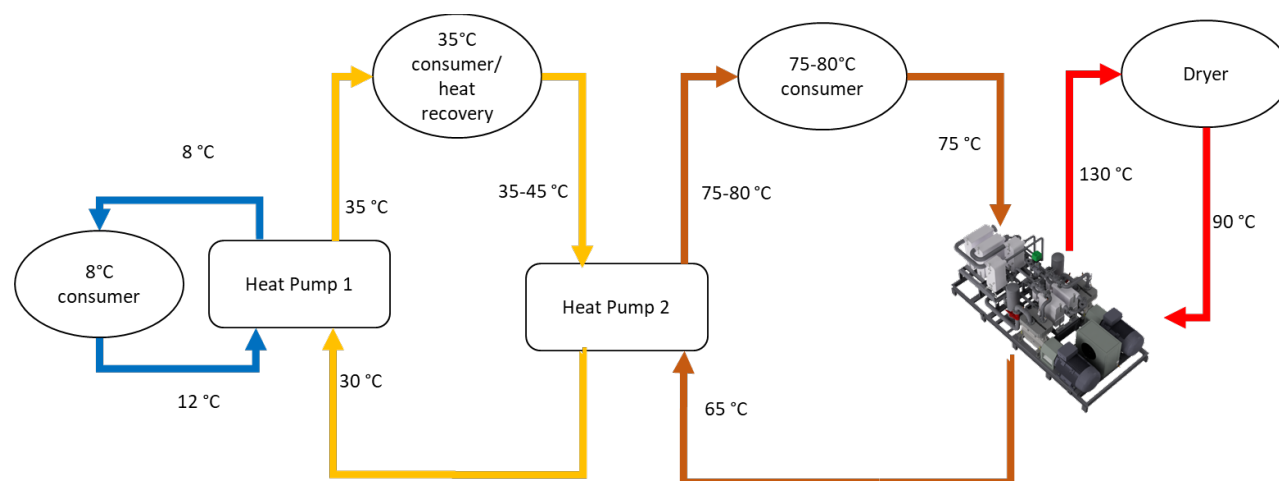
- 15h stationary measurement
- Steam pressure: 2,7 bara (39 psia)
- Steam temperature: 130 °C (266°F)
- Evaporation temperature: 69°C
- Condensation temperature: 134 °C
- Steam Mass flow: 445 kg/h
- Thermal Power steam : 280 kW
- Electrical Power: 80 kW
- COP : 3,5
- Carnot Quality: 56%

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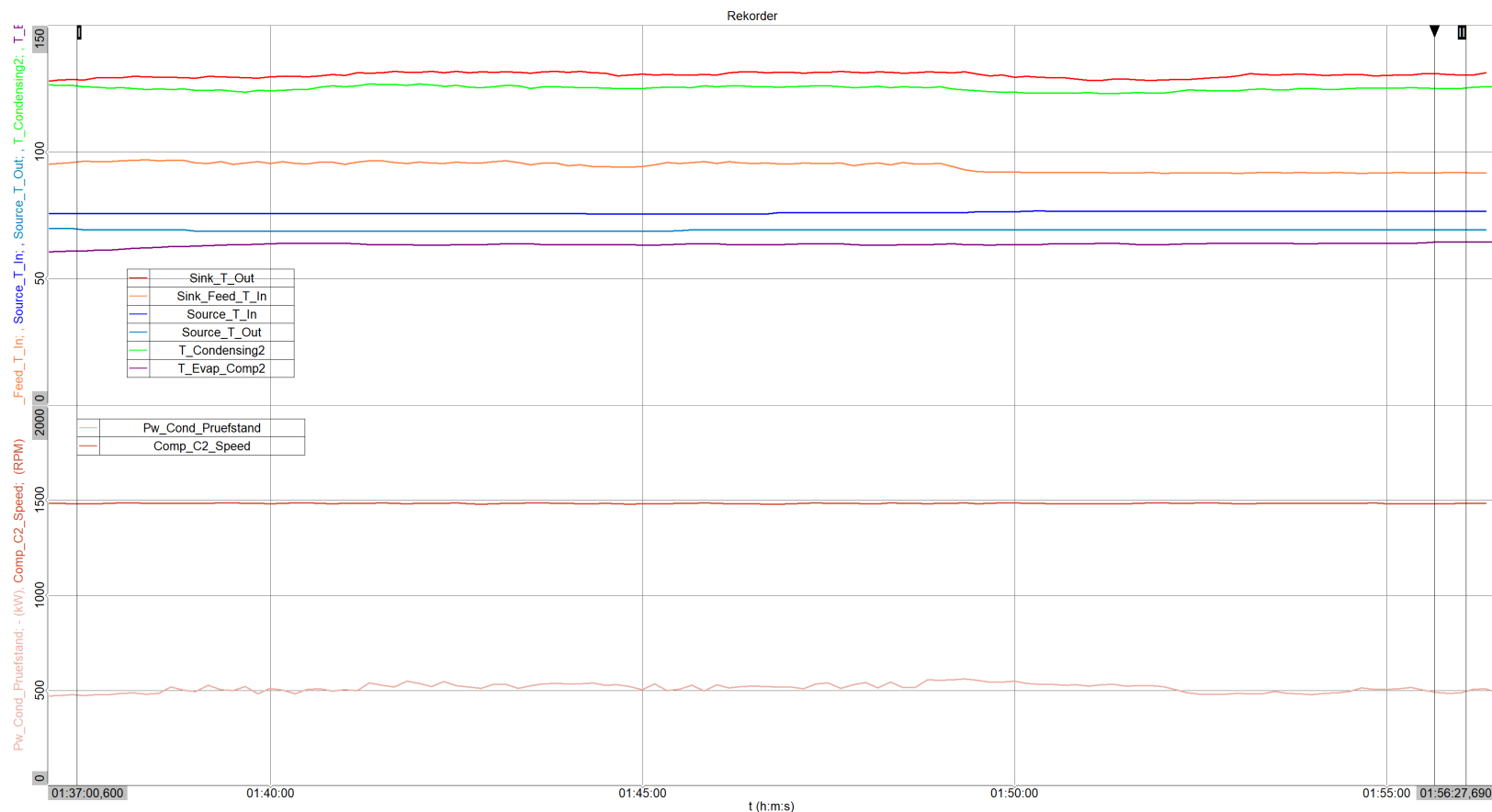


- ThermBooster
 - Dual-circuit, two compressors
 - Heat Source:
 - Water
 - 75/65°C (167°F/149°F)
 - Waste heat from cooling process and chillers
 - Heat Sink:
 - Pressurized hot water
 - 90°C/130°C (194°F/266°F)
 - For drying process
- Heat Pump performance:

• Heating capacity:	1017 kW
• Cooling capacity:	809 kW
• Electrical consumption:	229 kW
• COP:	4,4
- In total 4 compressors will be installed
 - 3 running
 - 1 as redundancy



- Delivered March/April 2023, Commissioning planned for Q2/3 - 2023
- Greenfield installation in the Netherlands
- Target: CO₂ free industrial production of innovative new thermoplastics made from waste
- Installation of 2 systems
- 1,5 MW continuous need
- ~7200 h/a running time
- ~10,8 GWh ~ 39 TJ of heat will be produced per year
- Usage of 1,25 Mm³ of natural gas will be avoided per year
- By using green electricity, ~2400 t CO₂ emissions will be avoided every year



Measurement Example, Water

- 20 min measurement
- Sink 90°C/130°C (194°F/266°F)
- Source 76°C/69°C (169°F/156°F)
- Evaporation temperature: 64°C (147°F)
- Condensation temperature: 125 °C (257°F)
- Thermal Power sink : 500 kW
- Electrical Power: 111 kW
- COP : 4,5
- Lorenz Quality: 44%



Research Projects



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2,2 bar (32 psia) steam in the paper industry



AHEAD: ADVANCED HEAT PUMP DEMONSTRATOR

11 bara (160 psia) steam in the pharmaceutical industry
ThermBooster + MVR system

