

Chemspeed offers Automated Workstations and Partial or Entire Product Development Solutions

SMOLE, SMOLEFIN - Paradigm Shift in Polyolefin R+D and QC

Standardized & Accelerated
Catalyst Synthesis, Screening, Optimization, Storage

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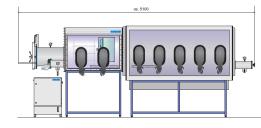


You certainly face challenges in polyolefin catalysts R&D like ...

- Coping with significant volume growths
- New and / or better catalysts lacking from limitation of traditional experimental work
- Bans on commonly used additives
- Push to release innovative highly effective / specialized products quickly
- Single catalyst assembly in days inherently restricting catalyst diversity for optimized product and / or new product performances
- Lack in quality and reproducibility
- Catalysts synthesized are typically one-off, no sustainable knowledge preservation





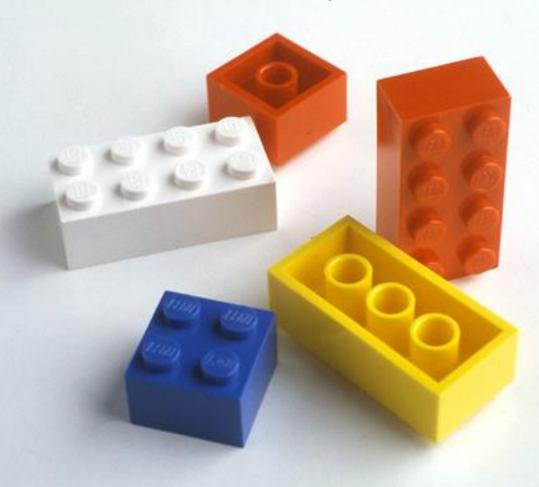




Standardized and accelerated polyolefin R+D with ultimately standardized catalyst logistics



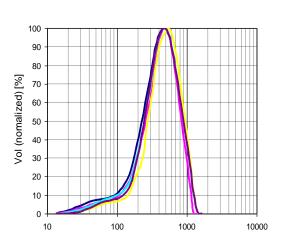
What if handling of toxic or sensitive compounds in small amounts became that easy?



Selection of Approved Customer Testimonials

Sinopec:

"I am very pleased to expand the implementation of highoutput research in Sinopec," said Vice President at Sinopec BRICI. "Chemspeed has been an excellent company providing us a convincing solution for the highly challenging automated polyolefin catalyst synthesis and subsequent reformatting, in particular SMOLEFIN. I believe these tools will provide a strategic advantage to our R&D organization in our effort to rapidly develop novel catalysts for local and global use. In addition to accelerating and standardizing experimentation, the Chemspeed solution also enables R&D data under one informatics platform which will help Sinopec BRICI scientists to be more productive and innovative."



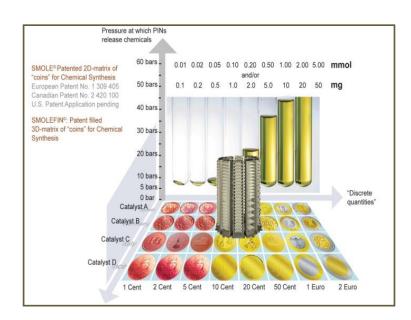
Petrochina Research Institute:

"In order to accelerate and standardize its Polyolefin R+D, PetroChina Research Institute (PRI) in Beijing PRC, has chosen Chemspeed's High-Throughput & High-Output Workflows for Polyolefin Catalyst Synthesis and Screening based on Chemspeed-pioneered, fully automated integrated ISYNTH array reactors, fully automated well-plate format based pressure screening reactor, as well as fully automated, individually controlled and operated process reactors in conjunction with its proprietary unrivalled overhead gravimetric dispensing of solid, liquid and highly viscous liquid raw materials."



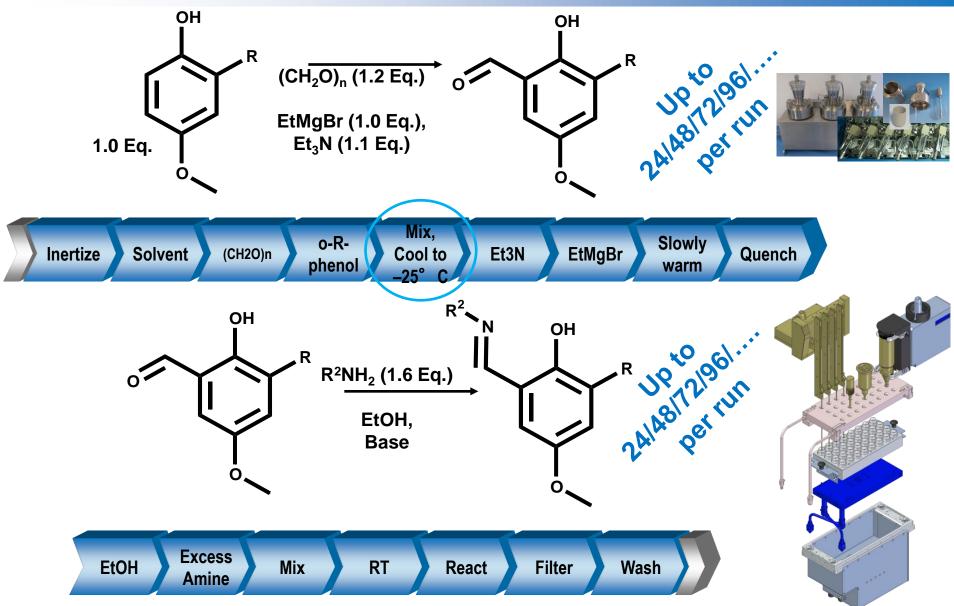
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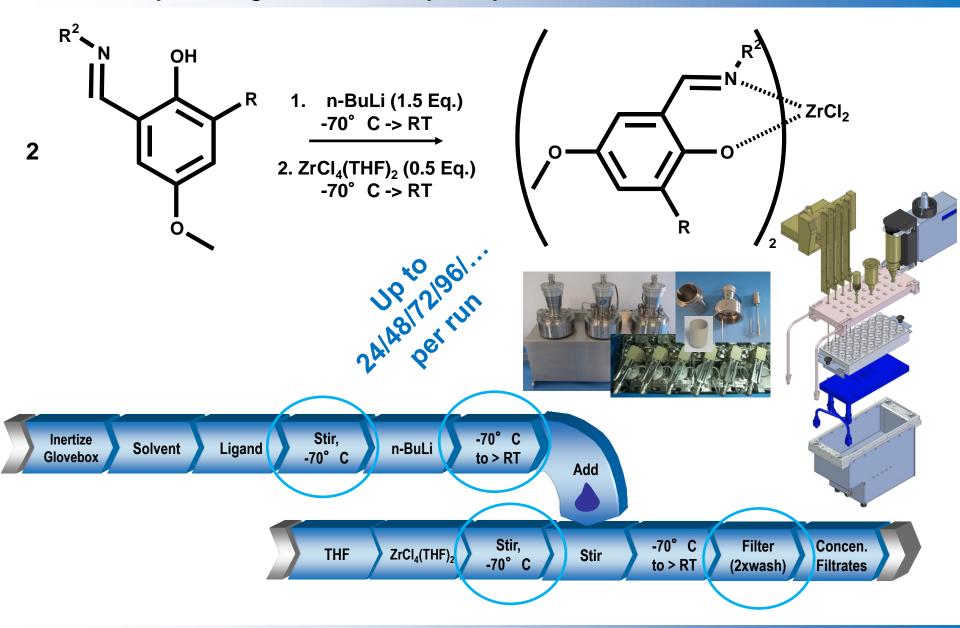


Case study – single site ligand synthesis



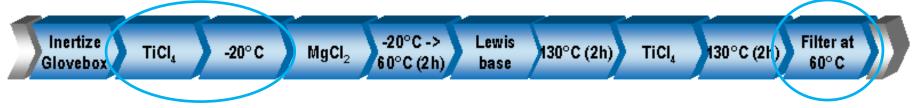


Case study – single site catalyst synthesis



Case study – ZN-catalyst synthesis

Ziegler-Natta



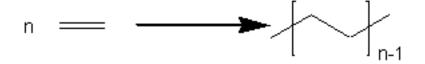
Hermetically closed continuous feed supply lines for e.g. TiCl4 with reactor cooling down to -50° C



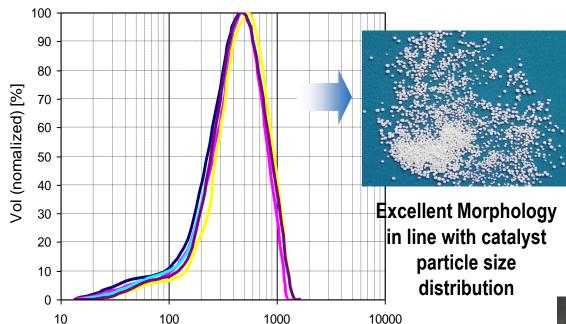




Case study slurry-phase PE – PSD reproducibility



Excellent Reproducibility



Particle size distribution (heterogeneous)

High-precision mixing, heating, feeding control





ISYNTH reactors - generic applications for polyolefin and rubber R+D

- Ligand synthesis
- Donor synthesis
- Organometallic synthesis

Video: ISYNTH

48x8, 24x20, 12x100ml (other volumes upon request)

Video: MTP pressure block

- Solution-phase screening, incl. prepolymerization
- Slurry-phase screening, incl. prepolymerization

96x1, 48x2, 24x8, 12x20ml (other volumes upon request)

Video: ISYNTH

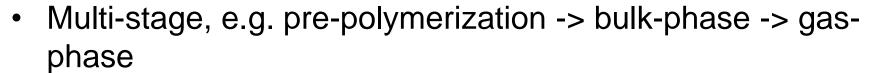


Process Research Reactor – generic applications for PO R+D

- Ligand synthesis scale-up
- Organometallic synthesis scale-up
- ZN catalyst synthesis
- Prepolymerization
- Solution-phase
- Slurry-phase
- Bulk-phase
- Gas-phase

Video: 100 ml process reactors

100, 250, 1000ml (other volumes upon request)



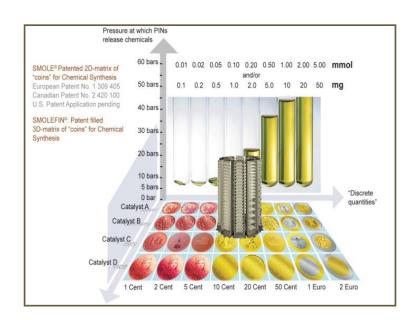
With individual sets of conditions for each reactor!





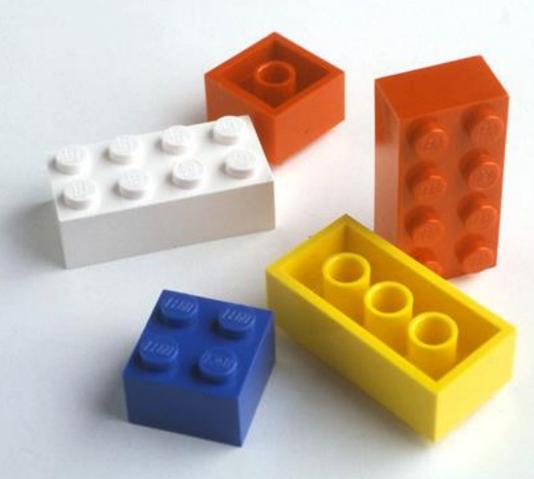
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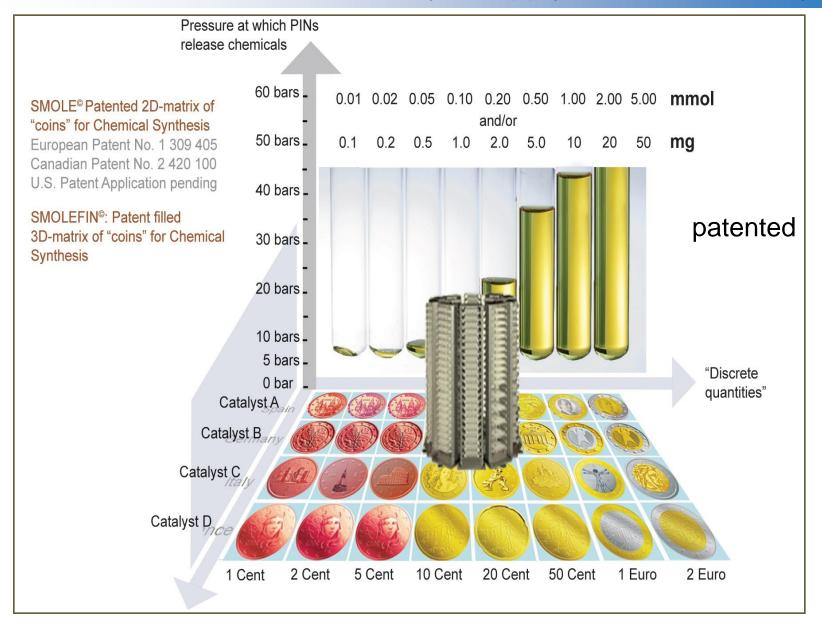




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SMOLEFIN - 3-dimensional, ready-to-apply chemicals library

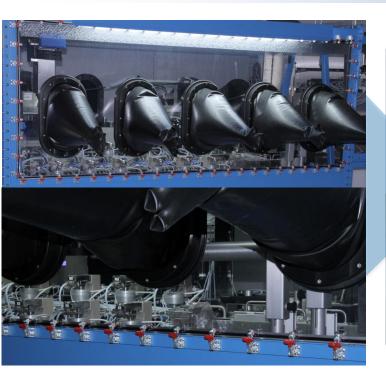




Polyolefins Rubbers Master Workflow - evolutionary extension of your workflow at any time 0.01 0.02 0.05 0.10 0.20 0.50 1.00 2.00 5.00 mmol SMOLE® Patented 2D-matrix of coins" for Chemical Synthesis ·Homogeneous and Heterogeneous Catalyst Synthesis 0.2 0.5 1.0 2.0 5.0 10 20 Ligand and Donor Synthesis SMOLEFING: Patent filled Reformatting / Storage 30 bars .. Screening 20 bars Globally Optimization Standardized, "Discrete ·QC 0 bar Ready-to-Apply Competitor Benchmarking DoE, Data Management Library Catalysts from traditional & semi-automated synthesis, production & competitors Traditional & semi-automated catalyst testing, analytics, shipping Video: SMOLE, SMOLEFIN Polyolefin Screening & **Integrated Catalyst & Catalyst Synthesis Filling** Storage **Optimization Polymer Analytics WORKFLOW MGT** SYNTHESIZER AUTOPLANT **SYNTHESIZER SWING SMOLEFIN SOFTWARE POSYCAT AUTOPLANT POSY**



Customer example - AUTOPLANT POSYCAT & SWING SMOLEFIN



AUTOPLANT POSYCAT



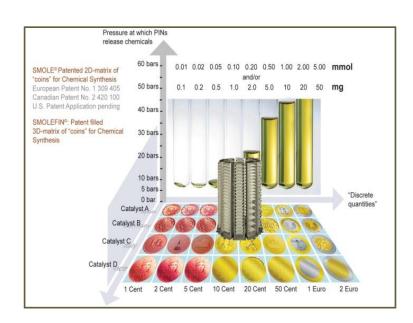


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Company Product Lines - No 1 in Workflow Platforms

All product lines designed on one hardware and software platform

- Sample Preparation
- Synthesis
- Process Dev.
- Formulation
- Application
- Testing

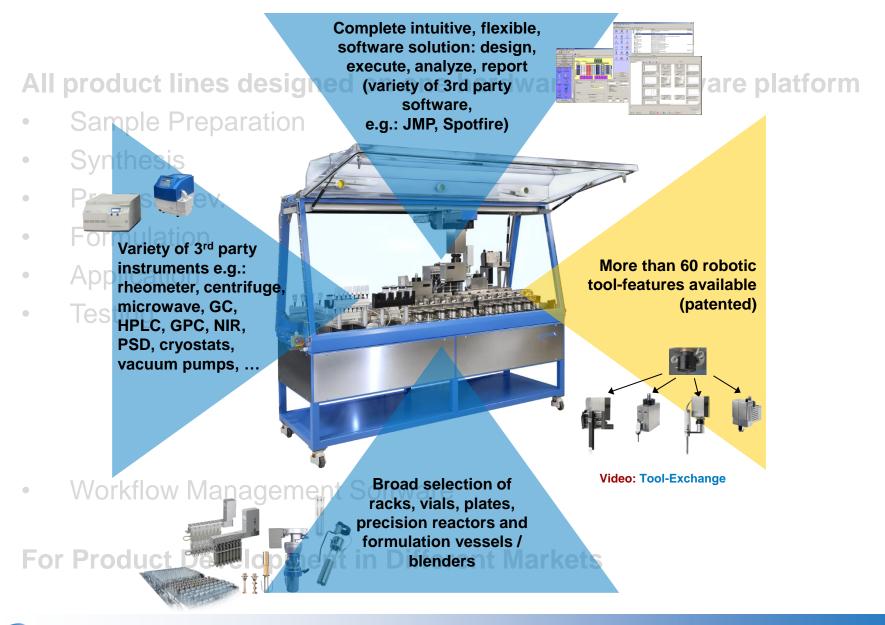


Workflow Management Software

For Product Development in Different Markets



4 Dimensions of Scalable Flexibility and Modularity





Chemspeed's knowledge & uniqueness - gravimetric substance handling



Overhead gravimetric dispensing of solids, liquids, viscous liquids, pastes, waxes from sub mg to 100's of grams

(patented)



Solid dispensing (submg to mg)

Video:

Solid dispensing (20 g)

Video:

Solid dispensing (100 g)

Video:

Liquid dispensing (submg to mg)

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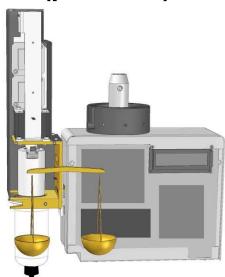
HV dispensing and aspirating

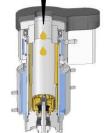
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V dispensing and aspirating

Video:

Wax dispensing





Overhead gravimetric dispensing directly into conditioned, measured, stirred reactors

Robotic Tool Integrated Balance, resolution 0.1 mg Additional Desktop Balance, resolution 0.01 mg





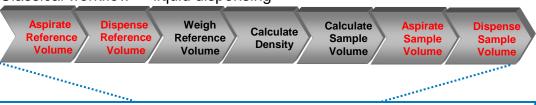




Classical workflow - solid dispensing



Classical workflow - liquid dispensing



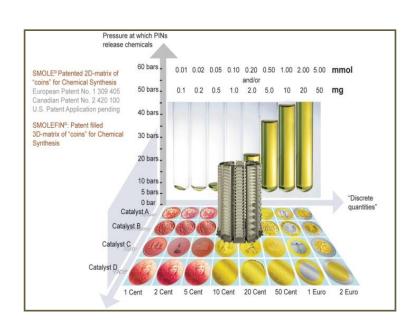
Chemspeed's way: condensing multiple time-consuming, error-prone operations in one task





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Chemspeed Technologies is the leading provider of high-throughput and high-output research & development workflow-solutions from single bench-top / standalone automated workstations. Chemspeed Technologies AG is the leading provider of high-throughput and high-output research & development workflow-solutions from single bench-top / standalone automated workstations (powder dispensing - sample preparation - synthesis - process development - formulation - application - testing) up to complete and integrated product development workflows for the entire product development processes in the chemical, material science, renewables & energy, pharmaceutical, agrochemical, specialty chemical, home care, cosmetics and nutrition industries, as well as academia.





About Chemspeed Technologies

- Swiss company, located nearby Basel
- 19 years of expertise in speeding up research and innovation in chemical industry and academia
- Pharmaceuticals, Agrochemicals, Fine & Speciality Chemicals, Renewables, Catalysts, Polymers, Nanomaterials, Biomaterials, Lubricants, Paints & Coatings, Personal & Home Care, Nutrition
- Globally operating, global installation base (Asia, Europe, America)
- More than 70% of Chemspeed staff have an academic degree in chemistry or engineering
- Proprietary technology base (reactors, robotic tool exchange, gravimetric dispensing, SMOLE, SMOLEFIN) with unlimited, license-free access for our customers
- Research achievements with Chemspeed tools belong solely to our customers











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