

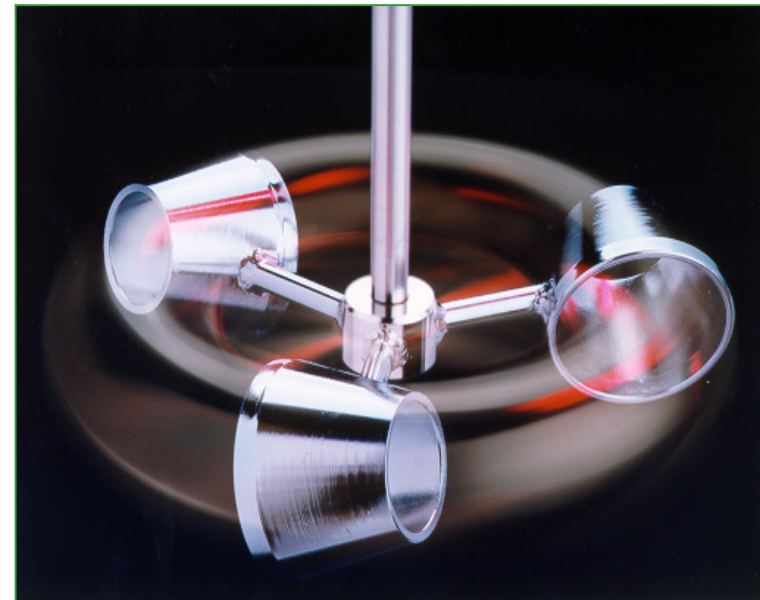
# Conical Agitator Systems

**Trendsetting Mixing Technology**

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- **The Fundamentals of VISCO JET®**
- **Flow Characteristics**
- **VISCO JET® Impellers**
- **Application Areas**
- **Product Range**
- **Examples**



## ***Main Mixing Applications***

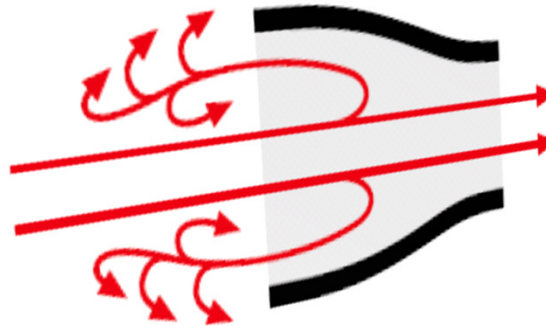
### **5 different mixing tasks:**

- 1. Homogenization**
- 2. Suspension**
- 3. Dispersion**
- 4. Aeration / Deaeration**
- 5. Heat transfer**





## Principle



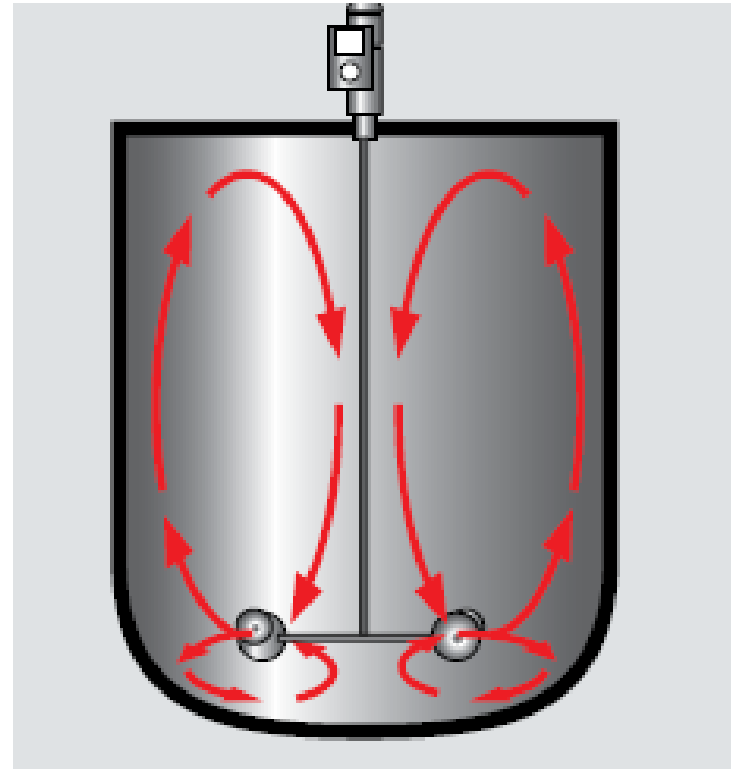
- Venturi effect
- accelerated laminary flow
- overlapping flow
- turbulent mixing

**The medium is  
stimulated to  
move itself!**



# Principle

- two main whirls
- homogeneous mixing
- flow especially in the corners and at the bottom
- minimal vortex formation



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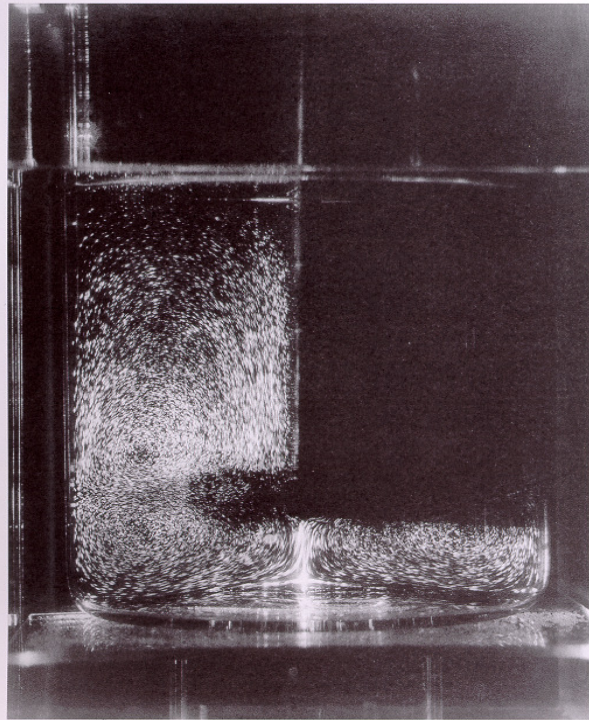


Propeller



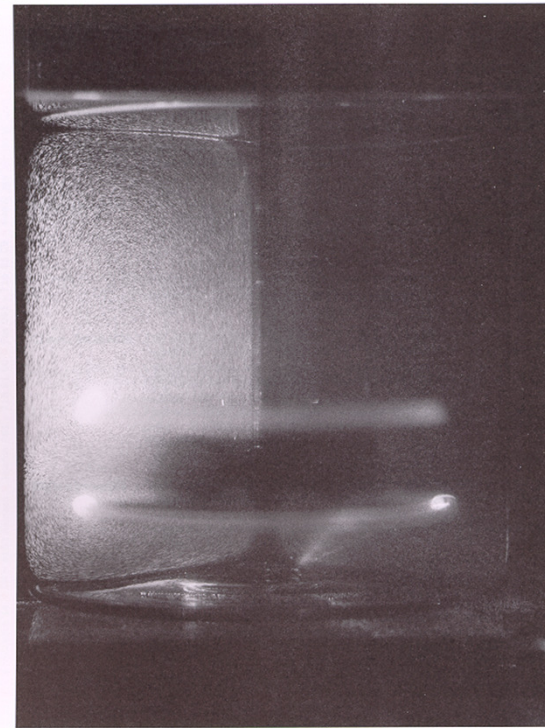
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## Light-Section Images



Vom VISCO JET-Rührer erzeugte Strömung

creates two main whirls

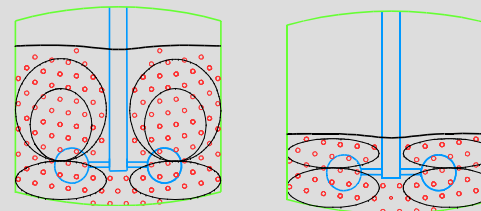


Stabile Luftringe in der VISCO JET Strömung (Seitenansicht)

De-aeration

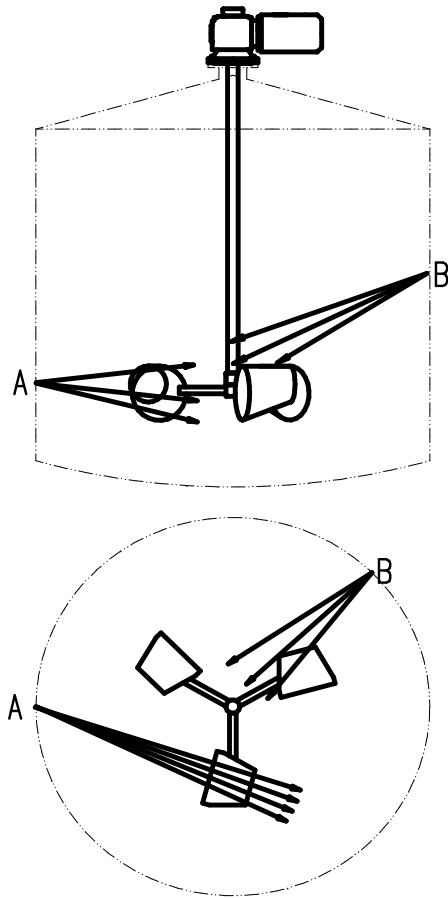
# Conical Systems– The Advantages

- Low mixing speed
  - sensitive mixing procedure
  - no heating up
  - low arbrasive wear
  - low forces
- Minimal vortex formation
  - No air pocket formation
  - No foam formation
- Energy savings due to reduced power consumption
 
$$P = Ne \times \rho \times (n/60)^3 \times d_2^5$$
  - the low **rotation speed** optimizes the power consumption significantly
- Uncomplicated design and installation
  - Usually one impeller level
  - Small mixer drives
  - Usually no top bearing or bottom bearings required
  - No baffles
- Easy cleaning.....





## Cleanability



- Only one or two nozzles are required to clean cone impeller
- CIP method

# VISCO JET® Mixing Elements



**VISCO JET® Classic**  
with “closed” cones



**Spiral version, 3-fold, for high  
viscosity products**

Limits?

Not suitable for mixing applications  
that require high shear rates

(e.g. dispersion paints, lumping  
powders) .... until.....

.... VISCO JET CRACK was designed



VISCO JET CRACK





## Application Areas

- Application in watery up to highly viscous liquids
- In all tank sizes from 0.25-400,000 gallons (1l - 1,500,000l) and more
- For use in horizontal tanks, containers, silos and other vessels
- Fields of Applications: Coatings, paper industry, food, beverage, confectionary, cosmetics, pharmaceuticals, chemistry etc.



# Agitation in Laboratories with VISCO JET® VJ100 and VJ900



## Agitation in Laboratory and Pilot Plant with VISCO JET® VJ150



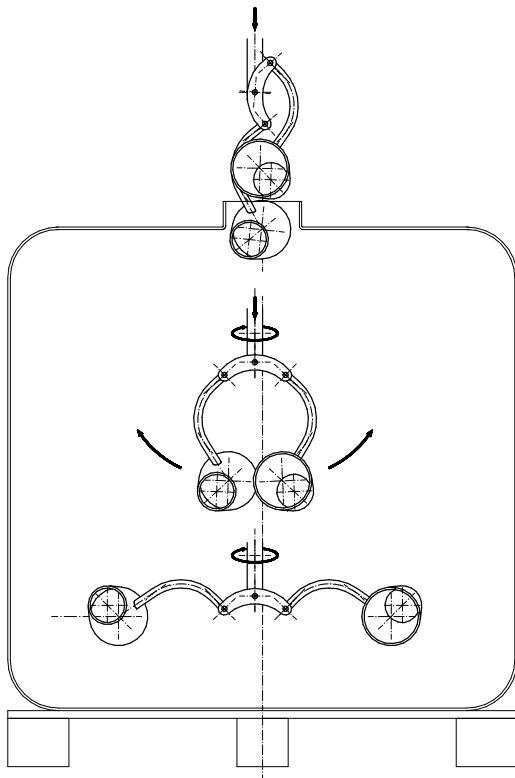


## Agitation in IBC-Containers with VISCO JET® VJ350



- mixing in transport container
- transfer to another container is not necessary
- for viscosities up to 40.000 mPas

## Operation of the VISCO JET® Tornado



- can be inserted into closed containers through openings with Ø 150 mm
- the impeller unfolds
- due to the centrifugal moment the impeller unfolds to an outer diameter of 650 mm
- easy to clean after use

# Operation of the VISCO JET® Tornado





## An Agitator for Stainless Steel Containers: Container Agitator VJ520



# VISCO JET® VJ370/VJ380 Agitator for Closed or Open Drums



## Column Agitators for All Volumes and Sizes of Transport Containers



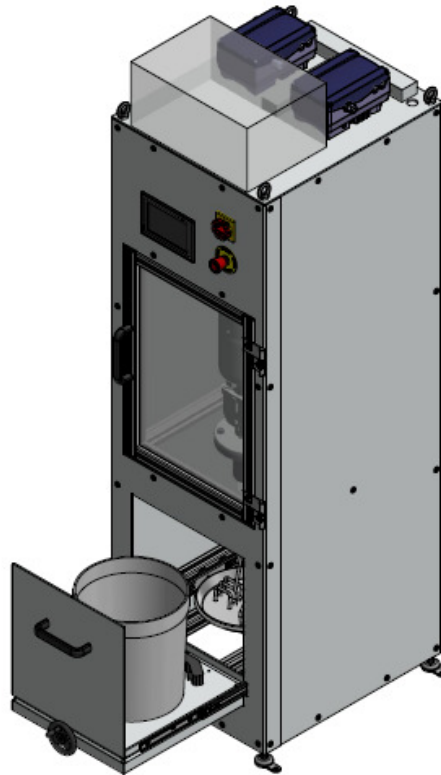
VJ400 BH  
column agitator with manual lifter  
for buckets and vessels 5 – 200 l



VJ400 VA column agitator for fully  
automatic operation with PLC  
control system for serial production



## **NEW – VJ411, Semi-automatic Agitator**



**VISCO JET® Column Agitator VJ411,  
up to 10 programmable mixing procedures for buckets and bin  
with max. diameter 340 mm and max. height 350 mm**

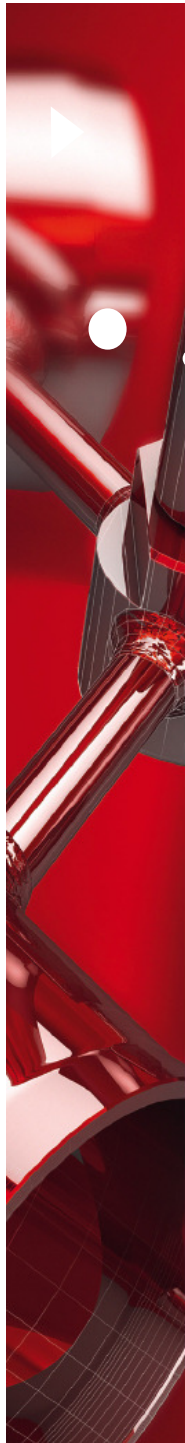
**NEW – VJ405**

**Programmable semi-automatic or full-automatic agitators for  
highest safety requirements**

**VISCO JET®**  
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**VISCO JET® wall mounted/floor mounted column agitator  
VJ421/ VJ431 with electric lifting 12000-18000 mm for  
highest demands in function and cleanability**



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## Column Agitators – The New Generation

**VJ450 with manual lifter, lifting height 1200 mm**

**VJ455 mit electric lifter, lifting height 1200-1400 mm**

**VJ480 Mobile Column with manual lifter, lifting height 1200 mm**

**VJ485 Mobile Column with electric lifter, lifting height 1200-1400 mm**



# VISCO JET® Tank Agitator VJ500



## Example: Paper factory in Switzerland



**Volume: 250.000 litre**

**Product: Kaolin pigment slurry**

**Viscosity: 500 mPas**

**Height: 15 m**

**Diameter: 4,8 m**

**Density: 1800 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**



## Example: Paper factory in Switzerland



**Paddle impeller 4 levels  
with baffles**

**=> Bad mixing result  
with strong  
sedimentations!**



## Example: Paper factory in Switzerland

**Now:**

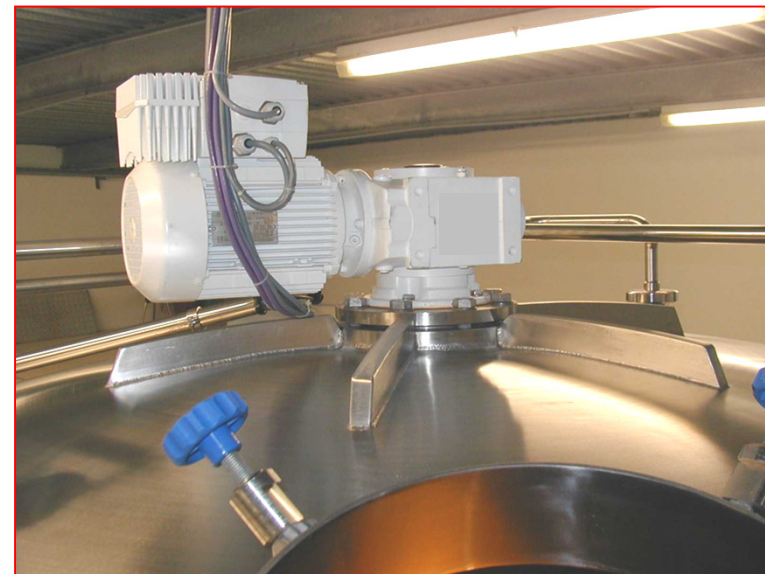
Use of a VISCO JET®,  
d2 = 2.800 mm, 2 x 2-fold

**Result:**

- ↪ Excellent mixing result
- ↪ No sedimentation



## Homogenizing ....



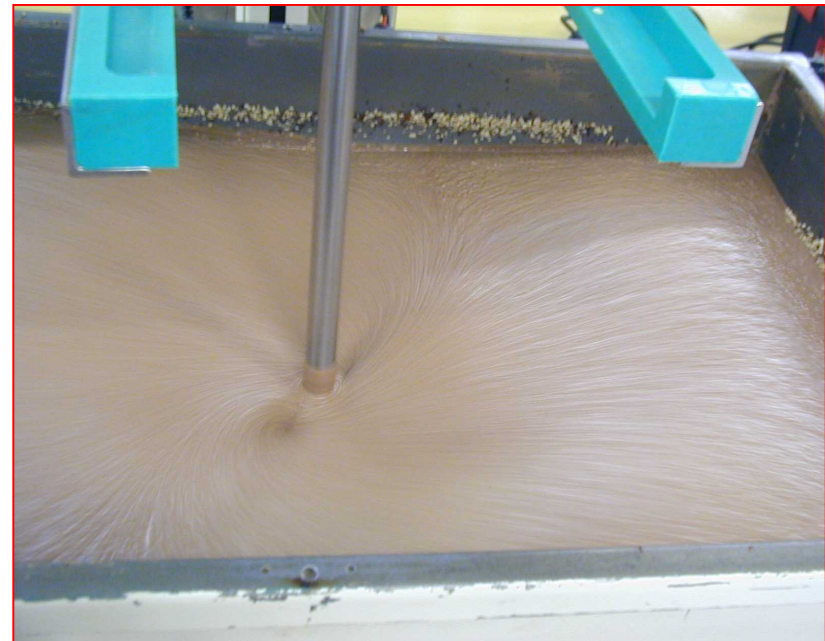
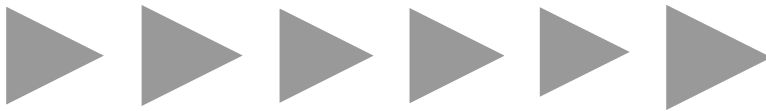


**... in 8 m³ Vessel**



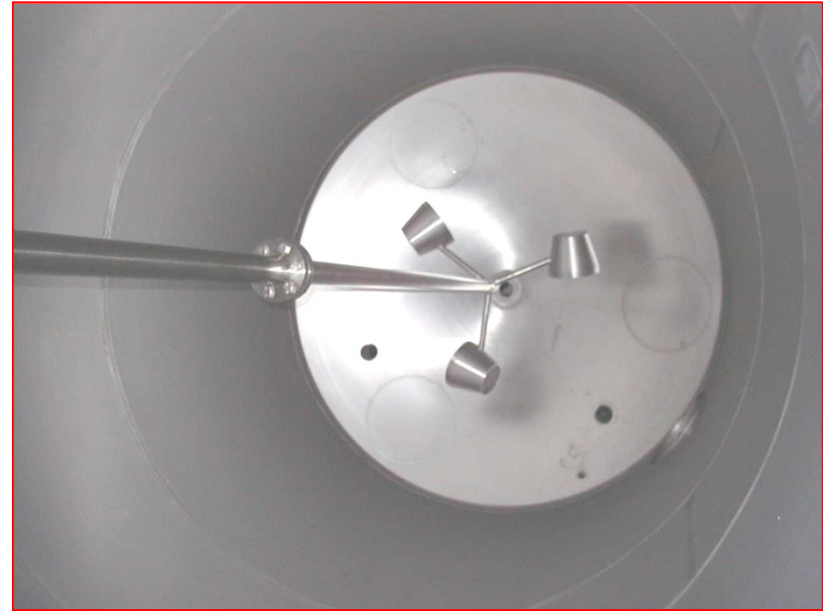
## **Example: Suspension in Squared Vessel**

**Efficient flow in  
the corners**





## Storage Mixing Tanks for Paints and Plaster





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Top Entry VJ500

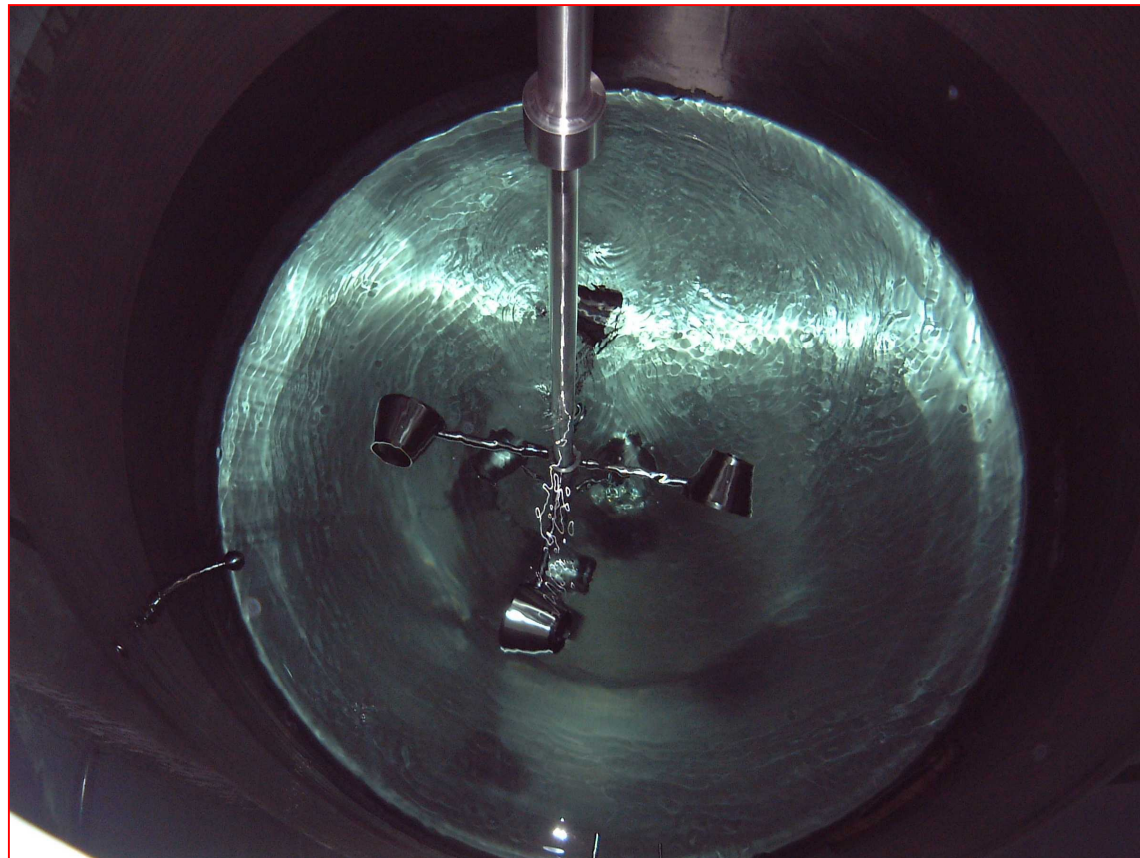


Sublevel VJ600



Side Entry VJ620

# Storage Tank





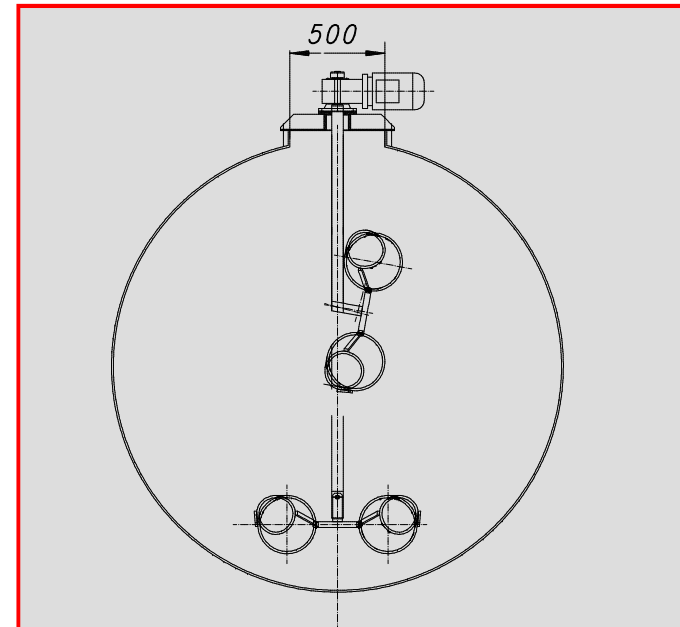
# VISCO JET® Tank-agitator Type VJ510



**for horizontal tanks**

## **VISCO JET® Tank-agitator Type VJ510**

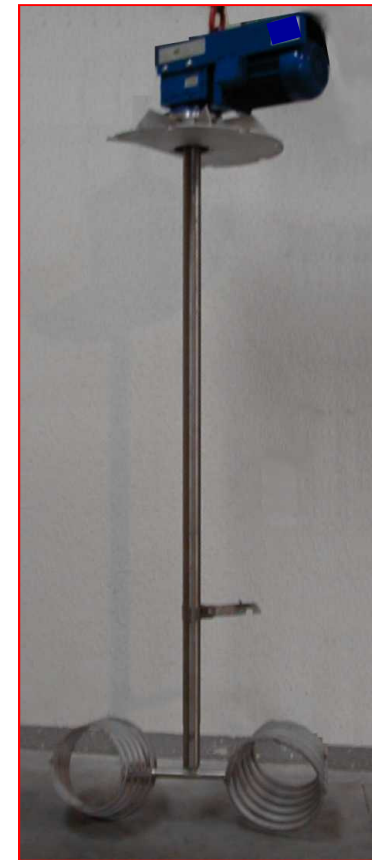
- mixing directly in the transport tank  
=> no decanting necessary
- the impeller can be inserted through an opening  $\geq 500$  mm
- only one agitator is necessary
- example of a horizontal road tank with 25.000 litre (6,600 gal)  
=> drive with 3,0 kW is enough  
=> completely homogenized within 7 minutes



## VISCO JET® tank-agitator VJ510



**tank 25.000 litre**



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# Thank you very much!

