

Q-RING*** SYSTEM

AERATED FLOOR AND BREATHABLE COVER Q-RING™

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THE RESULT OF TWENTY YEARS OF EXPERIENCE IN BIOLOGICAL WASTE TREATMENT, THE Q-RING™ SYSTEM IS AMONG THE MOST COST COMPETITIVE METHODS ON THE MARKET TO ALLOW EFFICIENT PROCESSING OF ORGANIC WASTE.

THE SOLUTION COMBINES LOW INVESTMENTS WITH EXCELLENT PERFORMANCES, THANKS TO THE Q-RING™ BREATHABLE FABRIC STUDIED BY ENTSORGA TO ENSURE OPTIMAL CONDITIONS FOR THE OXIDATION PROCESS, WHILE ALLOWING FOR AN EFFECTIVE ODOR ABATEMENT.





MOSTLY USED IN **THE FINAL CURING PHASE OF COMPOST**, THE Q-RING[™] SOLUTION GUARANTEES **EFFICIENT AND CONTROLLED BIOMASS MATURATION**: WHILE FORCED AERATION IMPROVES OXYGENATION, THE Q-RING[™] FABRIC PROTECTS THE FEEDSTOCK FROM RAIN AND OUTSIDE HUMIDITY WHILE ALLOW RELEASING PROCESSED AIR AND GUARANTEING **EXCELLENT ODOR ABATEMENT**.

MAIN FEATURES

This process solution consists of:

A forced aeration system (1) provided by a network of air ducts (2) embedded in a concrete floor (3) and equipped with anti-clogging nozzles, to allow a homogeneous distribution of the air in the heap. In case of existing flooring, it is possible to install air ducts above the floor.

Q-Ring™ cover (4), a semi-breathable fabric in which the mid layer is permeable, to allow **reducing humidity and filter the process air,** abating odors, before release to the atmosphere. The exterior layer of the cover is waterproof and allows avoiding the formation of leachate.

A **wetting system**, is installed between the Q-Ring[™] cover and the feedstock

An **automatic control system** allows monitoring process parameters, and to adjust wetting and air flow rates.

STRENGHTS

- Reduced investment: one of the most cost effective systems on the market
- **Modularity:** the technology adapts easily to different process configuration and existing infrastructure
- Standardization: continuous monitoring guarantee efficiency, durability and ease of use

The Q-Ring[™] fabric ensures:

- Waterproof: avoids uncontrolled wetting of the feedstock and the consequent production of leachate
- Maximum breathability and odor control
- High durability and resistance
- Light, easy to install and customizable: the cover is produced and cut to measure

1. FORCED AERATION SYSTEM



2. FORCED AERATION DUCTS



3. AERATED CEMENT SLAB



4. Q-RING[™] COVER



APPLICATIONS

Without need of modifications, the Q-Ring[™] system is suitable for all types of aerobic biological treatment:

- COMPOSTING the organic fraction of waste, digestate and sludges
- BIOSTABILIZATION of waste before landfilling
- **BIODRYING** of waste and biomass and subsequent production of Solid Recovered Fuel (SRF)







