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Wool

Scouring Systems

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Main Features

- Scour medium
 - aqueous
 - solvent
- Scour vessels
 bowls
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- Wool Transport
 - rakes
 - drums
 - conveyor belt

- Applied Agitation
 - squeeze rollers
- Counter Current Flow





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Ancillary Features

- Opening
 - pre-scour

Blending

- before
- after
- Accumulator
- Drying
 - control regain

- Recovery Systems
 - water
 - solvent
- Effluent Control
 - separate
 - concentrate



Scour Variables

- Detergents and Builders
- Temperature
- Water Quality

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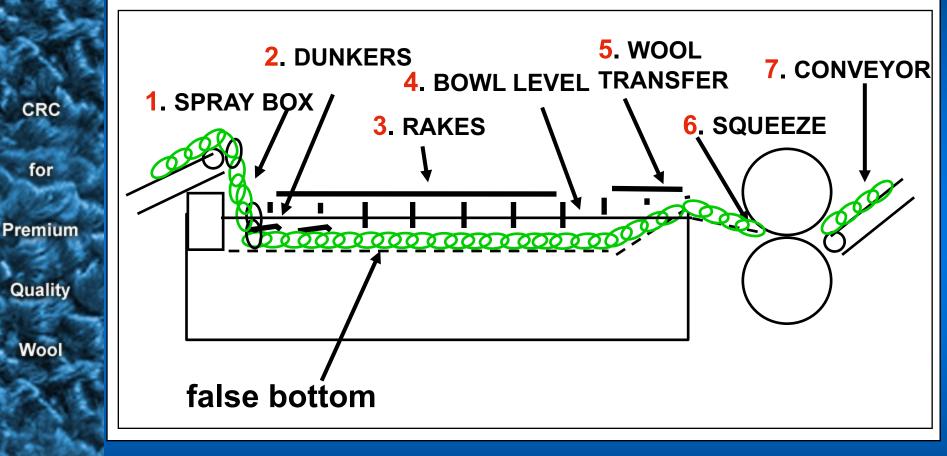
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- Other Physical Variables
 - scour feed rate
 - wool mat thickness
 - wool transport
 - squeeze roller pressure
 - relative roller speeds
- Bowl Arrangement



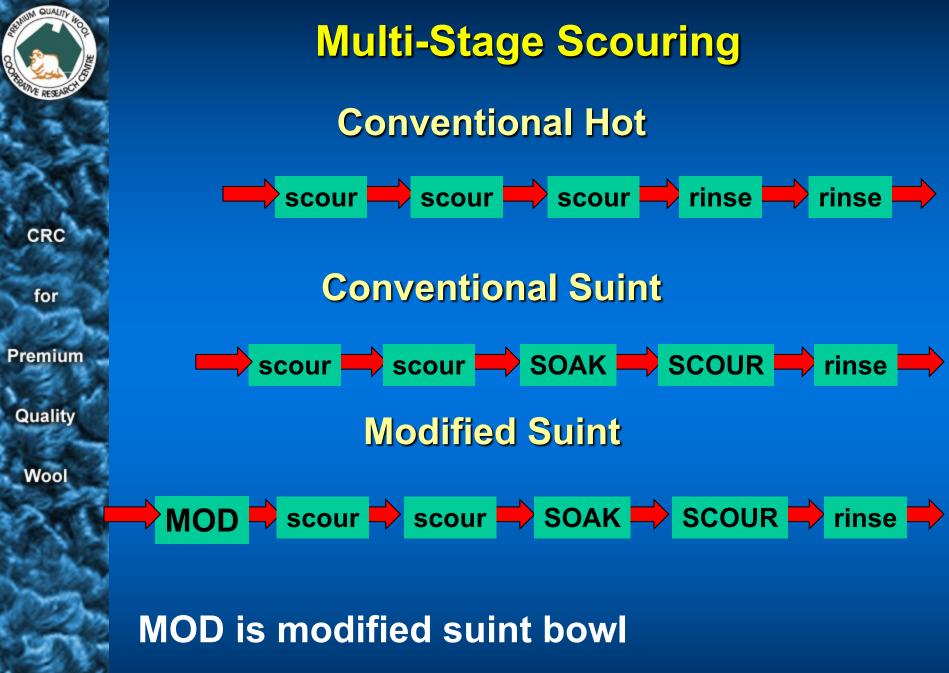
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Bowl Features



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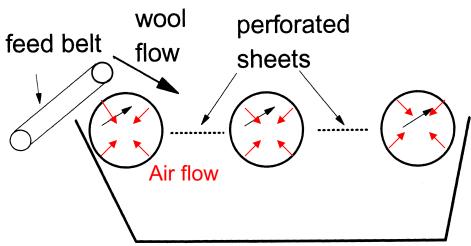
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Scour Examples



Fleissner Drum Scour



WRONZ Mini-bowl

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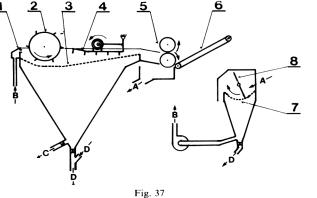
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WRONZ Mini-bowl.

I — jet box, 2 — dunker, 3 — woolway screen, 4 — headrake, 5 — squeeze rollers, 6 — transfer conveyer, 7 — side tank screen, 8 — flock removal. A-B liquor circulation in the bowl, C drawoff to HST, D flow to drain.

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