Reliable heat technology for production

Units and systems for heating and drying of your products

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10 reasons that speak for Vötsch

**Competence**
Vötsch becomes your competent partner with more than 90 years of experience in the field of heat treatment.

**Ind individuality**
You will receive customised solutions in virtually all areas (vacuum, clean room, handling, control technology, etc.).

**Scope of Service**
From different types of heating (electric, gas or oil, heat transfer media, infrared radiation or microwaves), we offer the best solution for your particular process.

**Progressiveness**
Modern production methods ensure consistent quality at a high level.

**Product Quality**
Our devices are designed for a long-term use.

**Confidence**
An extensive range of maintenance contracts and service packages, provides an individual service.

**Service**
A competent on-site service is available worldwide with specially trained service technicians.

**Know-how**
Regular training sessions ensure a constantly updated knowledge among our employees.

**Expert Knowledge**
Benefit from the experience of our employees in Thermal Engineering.

**Reliability/Security**
As a member of the Schunk Group (with around 7,900 employees), Vötsch Industrietechnik GmbH is a company with a solid financial basis.
Units and systems by Vötsch Industrietechnik – Advantages at a glance

- Intensive and uniform temperature distribution in the chamber. All products are exposed to the same temperature conditions irrespective of their shape and size.
- Easily accessible maintenance provisions guarantee shortest service times.
- Short process times due to high heat output and great ventilation.
- Quickly ready for use – by a short recovery time after opening the door.
- Low temperatures and low power consumption due to external wall insulation and high thermal decoupling of the inner and outer housing.
- Reliable and trouble-free operation through the use of high-quality components.
- Comprehensive technical documentation.
- The devices and systems comply with the latest technology and the current standards.

Wide range of applications . . .

- Automobile Technology
- Chemistry
- Electricals/Electronics
- Micromechanics
- Glass/Ceramics/Optics
- Plastics Technology
- Aerospace
- Mechanical Engineering
- Metal, alloy processing
- Micro-Structure Technology
- Surface Treatment
- Pharmaceutical
- Textile/Fiber
- and other

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Advantages at a glance
- Short process duration due to high volume of circulating air
- Short recovery time due to automatic switch-off of heating and circulating air fan when door is opened
- Homogenous temperature distribution, thanks to directed air ductwork
- Application-orientated air ductwork, both horizontal (standard) and vertical (optional).

Indispensable . . .

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The standard heating and drying VTU ovens are available in 7 model sizes and can be supplied with a working chamber of between 200 and 8000 litres and nominal temperatures of up to 400 °C.

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**Processes which involve drying of surface coatings, mould and impregnated resin varnishes** can lead to the air being enriched by released substances (e.g. solvents), forming an explosive compound. If a source of combustion is present at the same time it can lead to an explosion.

**TU 60/60 and LTU 60/60 set standards for daily use, both in production and in the laboratory.**

**Heating and drying oven TU 60/60**

Chamber dryer for paints and varnishes (surface coatings)

**LTU 60/60**

Chamber drying oven (VTL)

Tempering oven for the automotive industry

Tempering oven for silicones

Tempering oven for semiconductor manufacturing
Explosion-proof heating and drying ovens

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Explosion-proof drying oven with temperature conditioning unit

Tempering ovens, series VAW

For use at temperatures up to 750 °C . . .

The tempering ovens series VAW represent a construction concept which was proved, tested and enhanced over decades and therefore, is suitable for many heat treatment processes on different materials. The nominal temperatures are 500 °C, 650 °C or 750 °C depending on the model in question.

The ovens are suitable for almost all heat treatment processes under normal and controlled atmospheres, e. g.:

- Tempering and hardening of steel
- Ageing and stress-relieving of metals
- Solution annealing of light metals
- Preheating of metals for the subsequent manufacturing processes
- Sintering of plastic materials based on polytetrafluoroethylene basis (PTFE)
- Burning-in of special coating materials after drying
- Burning-off of organic residues on metal parts
- Nadcap compliant systems (AMS 2750 D) for the aerospace industry.
Heating and drying processes, such as e.g. during the production of integrated circuits, under the highest possible degree of cleanliness are a precondition for a low failure rate and hence for profitable results.

The VTF clean room heating and drying ovens meet the stringent requirements of clean room technology.

Optimum production results are guaranteed by the highest purity in the oven – in accordance with clean room class ISO 5, according to DIN EN ISO 14644-1.

The VTF clean room heating and drying ovens are available in 6 sizes with chamber volume 60 to 3,125 l and nominal temperatures up to 350 °C.
Safe Products . . .

In the fields of pharmaceuticals, medicine, genetic engineering, biotechnology, food and all life sciences research-intensive industries, total safety is a must.

Hot air sterilisers of Vötsch Industrie-technik offer the right products for the dry-heat sterilisation and are compliant with FDA and GMP requirements and the clean room conditions in conformity with ISO 5 and ISO 7, acc. to DIN EN ISO 14644-1.

**GMP**
Good Manufacturing Practice

**FDA**
Food and Drug Administration
Vacuum heating and drying oven VVT

The advantages of vacuum drying

- Heat-sensitive material (e.g. pharmaceutical products) will be gently dried
- Shorter drying times due to pressure reduction
- Extremely low oxygen levels in the drying process prevent oxidation
- Vapourizing liquids (e.g. solvents can be recovered)
- Optimum drying conditions for light, powdery products because the product is not swirled (no convection)
- No "skinning" operation on the product to be dried and hence more uniform drying is ensured
- Steam and water generated from other processes can be reused as heating medium
- Flexible heating

Vacuum heating and drying ovens VVT are available with a chamber capacity of 260 to 1,500 l.

Customised Solutions

VVTD vacuum dryer with air circulation and push-through design

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The areas of application

- Warming up and hot storing of machine components such as spinning nozzles and pumps, e.g., in the plastic industry
- Releasing of welding and casting constructions
- Warming up of heavy components
- Pre-heating of materials for subsequent treatment
- Tempering of plastic components

The advantages

- High nominal temperature of 350 °C
- Easy charging by crane from top
- Short warming-up time
- Also for the drying of coatings according to EN 1539
Microwave heating and drying ovens VHM

The future...

The KIT (Karlsruher Institute of Technology), EADS and IFB (Institute of Aircraft Design, University of Stuttgart), has developed a microwave system VHM which is an internationally patented system. It is the first to reap the benefits of microwave technology for industrial applications.

The plant is characterised by a very high field homogeneity and thus produces uniform product heating.

Microwaves target volumetric heating of materials. The furnace chamber is not heated by the microwave field. Energy loss and production time can be greatly reduced.
Infrared systems for industrial drying and heating processes

The sun as an example . . .

“Rapid Warming” with IR-Technology

Infrared technology involves rapid heating which transmits energy at the speed of light in the form of electromagnetic radiation without any direct contact or transmission medium (e.g. air, water, etc.). This makes IR heating particularly suitable for especially sophisticated applications (e.g. in vacuum and under clean room conditions).

Customised Solutions

2-zone continuous oven for hardening carbon fibre composite material components in combination with hot air and infrared heating

Passage oven with infrared
Ovens tailored to suit your requirements

Chambers in special sizes
- Recirculation operation
- Fresh air operation
- Protective gas design
- Air distribution systems to ensure uniform temperature distribution and thermal characteristics
- Accessible
- Clean room design

Door designs
- 1-panel, 2-panels hinged door
- Lift door
- Rolling shutter
- Folding doors in places with space constraints

Loading systems
- Wire mesh shelves
- Drawers
- Charging trolleys, transport trolleys
- Trolley for rotating drums
- Bogie
- Propulsion and guidance systems for heavy loads
- Mechanical installations such as bogies, conveyor belts, rotary devices

Tempering oven with mobile bogie for use in CFRP helicopter cockpits

Double chamber drying oven in stainless steel and serving-hatch version.

Tempering oven with rolling shutter – 7 m high

Tempering oven with SIEPATI® software and BarCode Scanner
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Mechanical installations such as bogies, conveyor belts, rotary devices

Tempering oven in the CFRP production

Drawer-type oven with 3 drawers and 5 rotary drives each

Drawer-type oven with 1 drawer and 1 rotary drive

Tempering oven with trolley for heavy loads
Ovens for heat treatment of different materials in automated processes, such as automotive/electronic components, lamps, etc. equipped with vertical or horizontal conveyors.

Component carriers for automated, accurate positioning, loading and unloading are made available on request.

**Conveyor system**
- Chains
- Strap hinges
- Wire mesh belt conveyors
- Roller conveyor
- Overhead conveyor
- Tissue and plastic strips
- Pneumatic conveyors

**Convection chambers**
- Vertical or horizontal air flow
- Infrared zones

**Cooling zones**
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- Circulating water cooling
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**Clean room continuous oven for hardening of sealing plugs used in manufacturing of medicine bottles**

**Oven for tempering of compensators**

**Oven for glue hardening at dashboards**

**Oven for vulcanization and forming of vehicle coolant pipes**

**Clean room oven for curing the coatings on plastic glasses**

**Continuous oven for hardening of sinter metal parts**
Operation and control with SIMPAC®

All the equipments and installations of Vötsch are equipped with the operation and control software SIMPAC®.

Special Features

- Convenient input of process values and program operation via a colour touch panel and a graphical display
- Program memory for up to 100 programs, with a total of 1,000 interfaces
- Two-stage password protection, against non-authorized access
- Integrated monitoring system for temperature
- Ethernet interface RJ 45 connector
- Operating and fault messages are displayed on the color touch-panel
- Built-in Web server for handling and monitoring in the browser
- Vötsch software package SIMPATI® for PC is PC compatible for convenient management and archiving of records
- Special user interface for use in a production environment (simplified start/stop processes).

Vötsch software package SIMPATI® for PC . . .

SIMPATI® software is capable of complete documentation and graphical analysis.

With an optional installation of the software on your PC or laptop, the user can create profiles for Windows application and document all process parameters. The full power of the PC can be simultaneously experienced on the Windows.

Benefits of the software

- Up to 99 units can be networked
- Programming and selection of programmes for automatic processes; no costly programming required
- Not only for operation and control, but also for documentation, visualization and managing of process data
- Print graphical presentation of process data and copy into other programmes for evaluation. Internal interfaces ensure compatibility (with Microsoft Word, Microsoft Paint, Microsoft Excel, National Instruments Labview)
- Access via PC network and your Internet Browser
- Transfer of messages via email to an existing mail server (SMTP)
- Reads programmes, production data (product, operator, unit) via bar code (optional)
- SIMPATI® software, pharmaceutical version is compliant with FDA 21 CFR Part 11.

Complete traceability of the production process with BarCode-reading technology

BarCode-Leser  WebServer  LabVIEW  SQL Server  E-Mail
A strong partner – professional and customer-oriented . . .

Vötsch Industrietechnik is a competent partner for thermo-technical equipment and facilities.

We provide a high quality of service in compliance with standard DIN EN ISO 9001.

Competent and customer-friendly

- Individual consultation
- Project design and development
- Production and installation
- Quality control
- Commissioning and instruction/training
- Documentation (DQ, IQ, OQ)
- Service (calibration, re-qualification, maintenance, spare parts, recycling redundant systems)
- Training and workshops

Our service is 365 days for you – round the clock

Vötsch cares for research and development, production and process technology for reliable quality and safety of its plants and equipments.

Our trained service personnel provide on site service for the installation, commissioning of the plant and operator training.

We consult on all matters pertaining to heating technology.

We offer seminars and workshops in our training centre on current issues.

We come to your place and train your employees on site.
Our solutions are deployed around the world in research, development, production and quality assurance of numerous products. Our experts from 22 companies are at your service in 15 countries at 40 locations, ready to provide support to ensure high operational reliability of your systems.

Vötsch Industrietechnik, a subsidiary of Weiss Umwelttechnik is one of the most innovative and significant manufacturers of environmental simulation systems. With these testing systems, we can simulate all climatic conditions around the globe and beyond, under accelerated conditions. Whether temperature, climate, corrosion, dust or combined shock testing: We have the proper solution. We supply systems in all sizes, from standard versions up to customised, process-integrated facilities - for high reproducibility and precise test results.

Vötsch Industrietechnik also offers a wide product portfolio in the field of heating technology. With an experienced team of engineers and designers, we develop, plan and produce high-quality and reliable heating technology systems for virtually any field of application. Products include heating/drying ovens, clean room drying ovens, hot-air sterilisers, microwave systems and industrial ovens. The portfolio reaches from technologically sophisticated standard versions to customised solutions for individual production operations.

A further Weiss Technik company, Weiss Klimatechnik, also offers reliable climate solutions wherever people and machinery are challenged: in industrial production processes, hospitals, mobile operating tents or in the area of IT and telecommunications technology. As one of the leading providers of professional clean room and climate solutions, we deliver effective and energy-saving solutions. Our experts will guide you from the planning to the implementation of your projects.

Weiss Pharmatechnik, a subsidiary of Weiss Klimatechnik, is a competent provider of sophisticated clean room and containment solutions. The product range includes barrier systems, laminar flow facilities, security workbenches, isolators and double door systems. The company emerged from Weiss GWe and BDK Luft- und Reinraumtechnik and has decade-long experience in clean room technology.