

AUTOMOTIVE



Cost Effective and Energy Efficient Climate Control

Optimize production, eliminate condensation & corrosion and reduce operating costs





Climate Control

Munters is the world leader in humidity control with an extensive range of products and services that help our customers achieve their production goals. In the automotive industry, we have extensive experience delivering cost effective and energy efficient solutions for exhaust testing, parts and materials storage, injection molding, car window manufacturing, paint and coating processes, environmental chambers, and in many other application areas.

Munters Dehumidification Solution

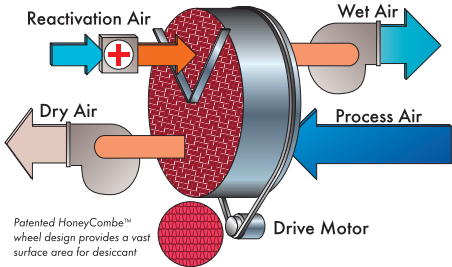
All Munters dehumidifiers provide efficient and consistent humidity control regardless of the ambient or outdoor conditions, ensuring consistent conditions for manufacturing all year round with our patented Honeycombe™ Rotor Technology: two air streams pass simultaneously through two sectors of the desiccant rotor. One air stream is dehumidified to the required humidity level.

The other air stream dries the rotor so it can absorb moisture again and this accumulated moisture is then exhausted away externally. We deliver cost effective solutions at the highest quality level, that are manufactured under strict control regulations in our ISO 9001: 2008 and 14001 certified facilities. And our systems can be designed according to your requirements.



Engine and brake testing, exhaust gas measurement

To be able to register reliable measurements even for the lowest emissions, Munters technology helps supply well-defined dilution air purified at specified temperatures and low humidity levels. The system allows for variations in the air-flow, enabling tests to be exactly tailored to specific requirements. Standardized tests for product development and certification can be carried out to simulate summer and winter conditions.

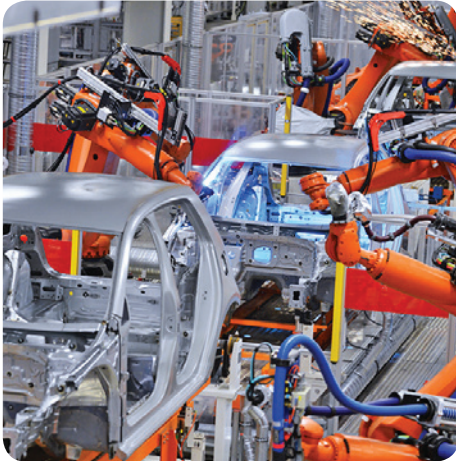


Benefits

- Production processes are optimized and remain constant year round
- Condensation is prevented
- Corrosion problems are prevented
- Low operating cost compared to alternative methods
- Testing and environmental conditions are adjustable and can be reproduced time and time again

Reduce defects in laminating, molding and fabrication processes

Munters dehumidification equipment is used during manufacturing of automotive parts to reduce the unwanted effects of moisture. Our equipment creates the proper environment for testing, production assembly, and transportation of components such as safety glass, air bags, tires and plastics, along with many other products.



Reliable acoustic chambers, wind tunnels and climate chambers

Test and measurement of engines, assemblies and finished vehicles are critical checkpoints in the manufacturing process. Test stations such as wind tunnels, soak boxes, environmental chambers and anechoic chambers require exact environmental conditions to ensure performance measurements are accurate and repeatable— assuring quality targets are met. Munters enables automotive manufacturers to simulate any environmental dew points as low as -70°C (-94°F).

Munters solutions are a vital part of test chambers, and provide repeatable and controllable humidity levels for:

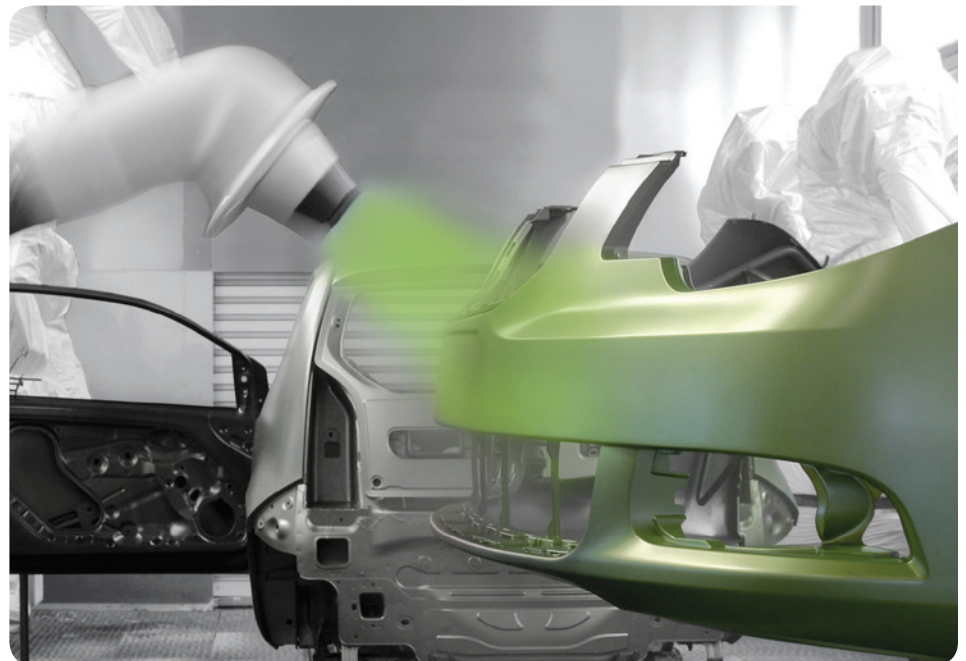
- Hot and cold start tests
- Heating and air conditioning performance evaluations
- Windscreen/window defrost/de-mist tests
- Functional, durable and structural assessment in extreme environments
- Component and material performance assessments
- Controlled thermal 'soaks' and solar radiation assessments

Painting & Coating

High quality finishes and reduced drying times (with shorter drying tunnels) can be achieved when dry air is used during priming, painting and coating processes. Coating specifications often require a maximum Relative Humidity – too often unachievable during humid summer months which often result in premature coating failures, like cracks and blisters. By using humidity and temperature control, the quality of paint and coating processes remains consistent all year round; alleviating costly disruptions in production. This improvement in overall drying consistency in turn reduces rework incidences and keeps manufacturing costs down. Munters equipment also controls containment by using high-efficiency filters and fans, and can clean the air before releasing it into the environment.

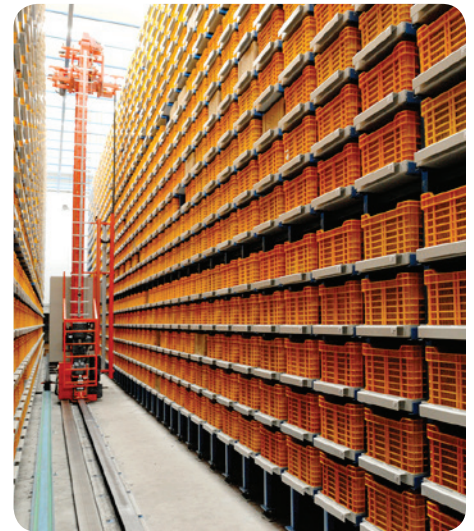
Additionally, treatment of paint booth exhaust air laden with Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs), such as solvents, is easily accomplished with Munters Zeol rotor concentrator systems. The system concentrates a large exhaust volume containing a low concentration of VOCs into a small concentrated stream using zeolite Honeycombe™ media. The concentrated VOCs can be efficiently and cost-effectively destroyed in an oxidizer.

Munters heat exchangers, such as Thermo-T™, recover heat from energy consuming processes, such as the abatement of paint booth exhaust, at temperatures up to 1093°C (2000°F). Energy can be recovered and returned as process make-up air, used to preheat combustion air, or used for plant or office heating.



Storage without waste

Machinery and stored car components sensitive to humidity such as metal parts, electronics, raw materials, etc., run the risk of corroding; leading to waste and rejection of sub-standard parts. This destructive process is arrested by storing and transporting components in a low humidity climate.



Munters expertise and global service

Our Munters trained service engineers and applications specialists are here to help customers find the right solution for their needs. Our support continues throughout the lifetime of the equipment with our global service network and choice of service plans designed to ensure smooth operation at all times.



Munters is a global leader in energy efficient air treatment solutions.

Munters manufactures engineered products that can economically control humidity and temperature, provide energy recovery, and/or utilize direct or indirect evaporative cooling for comfort, process and environmental protection.

With permanent or temporary solutions, Munters offers a wide variety of options to meet specific climate, application and budget requirements.

Munters has net sales approaching \$1 billion USD with more than 20 manufacturing facilities across the globe and sales offices in over 30 countries.

Munters employs over 3,000 people worldwide.

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