

# OPICO Grain Dryers

Speed and efficiency are key features of the OPICO range of recirculating batch dryers, with automated features allowing farmers to keep pace with harvest and larger capacity combines, whilst reducing the time needed to manage the dryer.

Available as gas or diesel fuelled models and with 3 phase or PTO drive these self-contained units constantly recirculate the grain to ensure thorough, consistent and economical drying. Loading time and unloading time are also minimised with high capacity loading augers, recirculating augers and unloading augers to keep grain flowing.



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The diesel fuelled Magna range offer high volume, with the largest having a holding capacity of 48t, drying up to 480 tons of grain per day on automatic versions. Unique to the Magna range is the Duax heat core – heat retaining bricks that ensure a more even and consistent drying temperature with the added benefit of saving up to 10% on diesel costs.

The gas fuelled GT range of dryers provide clean, cost effective, controllable heat. Liquid propane is vaporised in the dryer and burnt in a ring burner to achieve high temperatures and an even safe heat.

Both gas and diesel fuelled dryers can be specified for fully automated operation – allowing you to sleep while they dry! These models load, dry, cool and unload automatically, giving unattended drying hour after hour, seven days a week and require minimal labour allowing more efficient use of farm resources.

This summer has seen extreme temperatures and controlling grain temperature has been a key consideration for some. OPICO dryers have been used to blow ambient cooler air through the grain to prevent over-heating.

Furthermore, the action of a recirculating batch dryer cleans and polishes the grain whilst also removing chaff, weed seeds and

broken grains. Resulting in higher hectolitre weights and in turn the value of the crop; giving an advantage over on-floor stores or continuous flow systems. A Sky Vac dust extractor can be added for even more impressive results.

The lower capital investment needed already makes an OPICO dryer an attractive purchase. Recent improvements to extend working life include galvanized

or stainless steel components in areas that are susceptible to corrosion will help reduce ownership costs and result in a higher residual value.

Easy to install and relocate when necessary, OPICO recirculating mobile batch grain dryers start from £46,114 gas fuelled range (GT 395QF) and from £46,148 for the diesel fuelled range (Magna 120 Eco).