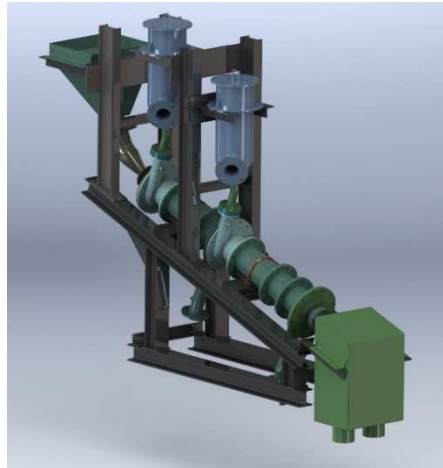


TriFlo® Dense Medium Separation at SGS Minerals Services Lakefield

SGS Canada Inc. and Ecomin S.r.l., Italy are pleased to announce the signing of an agreement for the installation of a pilot TriFlo® separator at SGS Canada Inc.'s Lakefield testing facility in Lakefield, Ontario, Canada. This will be the only two stage dense medium separator available for testing in Canada.



This agreement allows SGS Canada Inc. and Ecomin to combine their single and multistage dense medium separation expertise in the testing of “difficult to separate” materials for the minerals processing and recycling industries.

SGS is the world's leading inspection, verification, testing and certification company with more than 95,000 employees and a network of more than 2,400 offices and laboratories around the world.

For more than 75 years, SGS Canada Inc.'s Lakefield site has grown into the international industry leader in metallurgical testing supported by the highest quality analytical, mineralogical and environmental services. The impressive range of services offered at the Lakefield site is the result of continued demand from the industry and has earned it a reputation as the world's leading provider of bankable metallurgical services.

Ecomin specializes in the design, engineering, equipment manufacture and supply of plants into the fields of ore beneficiation, recycling, hydrometallurgical, chemical and environmental protection.

The TriFlo® is a multistage stage dense medium separator providing up to three adjustable density separations in a single vessel. The TriFlo's® unique features allow improved commercial scale performances not obtainable with traditional and other dense medium separators.

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