

# Static Wixers

### **Description**

Samhwa static mixers from JLS provide continuous in-line mixing of fluids, gases, or powders using no moving components. Alternating helical mixing elements provide thorough radial and axial blending in a

short length by dividing the main flow into two equal streams as material passes each element. The number of divisions increases by 2<sup>n</sup>, where "n" is the number of elements.



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Samhwa mixers are custom-

designed for each application. The number of elements is determined by the specific application. Mixers can be jacketed or electrically heated, and supplied with fixed or removable mixer elements. Sizes range from 2 mm to more than 2 meters in diameter.

#### **Advantages**

- Provide excellent mixing or blending of two liquids, a liquid and a gas, two gases, or two powders
- Plug flow device (first in, first out)
- Short, uniform residence time
- Uniform temperature, no "hot spots"
- Smooth shape and edge sealing of elements allows no dead spaces for product to hangup or degrade
- Can be used for materials with low to high viscosities, up to 20,000 poise or more
- No maintenance (since no moving parts)
- Can process highly corrosive materials
- Can be used in high viscosity heat exchangers to increase heat transfer coefficients three to four times standard open tube designs

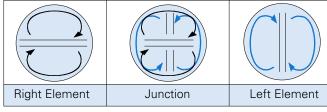
## **Applications**

#### **Processes:**

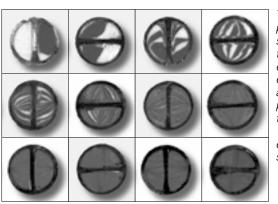
- Mixing
- Reacting
- Coloring
- Polymerization
- Heat exchange
- pH control
- Neutralization
- Diffusion
- Gas mixing
- Powder mixing
- Liquid mixing
- Laminar and turbulent mixing applications
- Obtaining product temperature uniformity
- Extrusion
- Compounding

#### Industries:

- Polymer processing
- Fiber production
- Plastics extrusion
- Foods including edible oil, mayonnaise, ice cream, chocolate, beverage, milk, yogurt, and cheese
- Pharmaceutical
- Injection molding
- Fine films



Flow is constantly rotated so that particles entering at the center of the stream are continuously forced to the outer wall and back again.



These photos show the flow at each element as it passes through a 12 element string.

#### **Materials**

Elements can be constructed of:

- Stainless steel
- Hastelloy
- Teflon
- Carbon steel
- PVC
- PP (Polypropylene)
- PE (Polyethylene)
- FRP (fiberglass reinforced plastics)
- Tantalum
- Kynar
- Inconell and many other materials

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# **Mixing Application Questionnaire** For a quotation on static mixers for your application, please copy this page, complete, and fax to JLS. Company\_\_\_\_\_\_Dept./Div.\_\_\_\_\_Building\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Contact \_\_\_\_ Phone\_\_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Submit quote by\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Process Information** Stream / Fluid #1 #2 #3 Total Mixture Product name (stream) Flow rate \_\_\_\_ /hr. Pressure Temperature Density Viscosity Connection size

# **Design Information**

Housing □ Yes □ No Size:		Housing	
Type element ☐ Helical ☐ High shear	Material	Element	
No. of elements		Flange	
Mixer length (mm) max.	Pressure Drop	Allowable	
Connection type		Operating	
Material of construction	Design Condition	Pressure	
Heating jacket ☐ Oil ☐ Steam ☐ Electric ☐ None	Design Condition	Temperature	
Injection ring ☐ Yes ☐ No	Testing required: ☐ Yes ☐ No Type:		
Use ☐ Mixing ☐ Uniform temperature	ASME Code Stamp: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Other stamp type:		