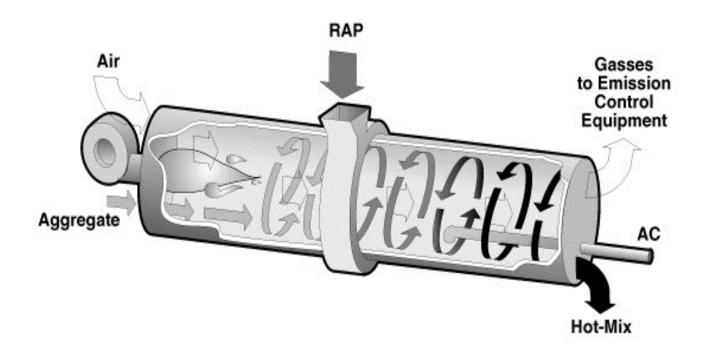
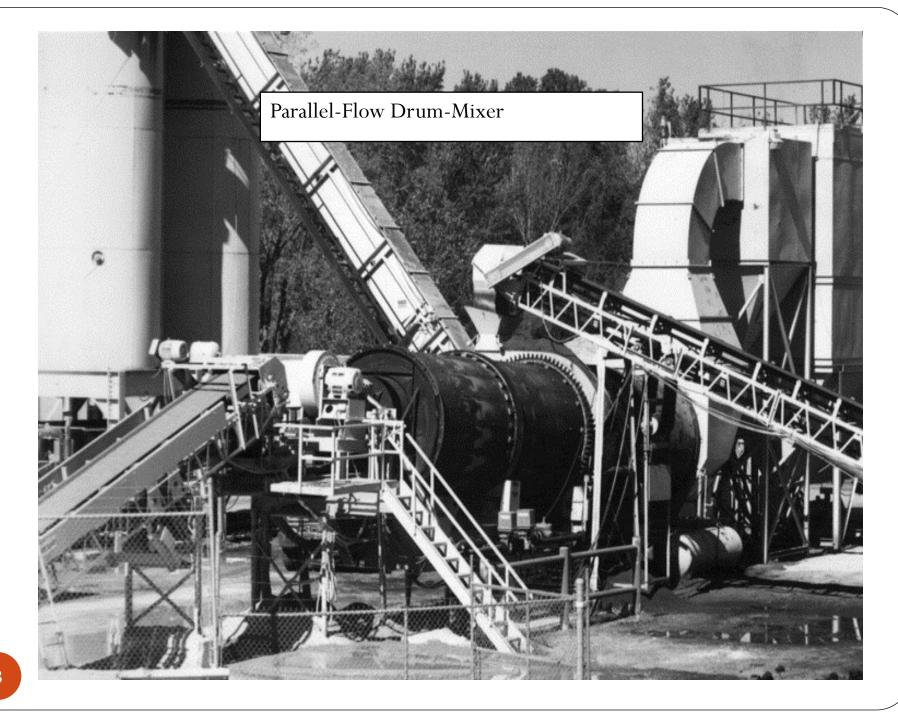
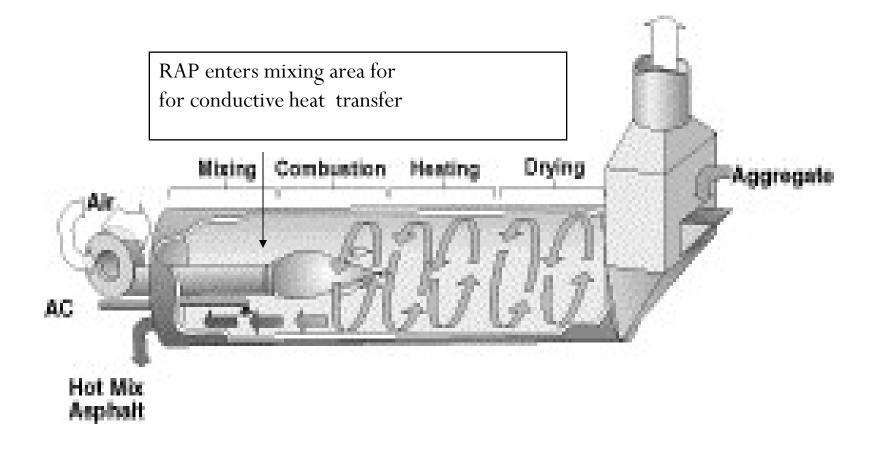
HOT MIX RECYCLING WITH A DRUM MIXER PLANT

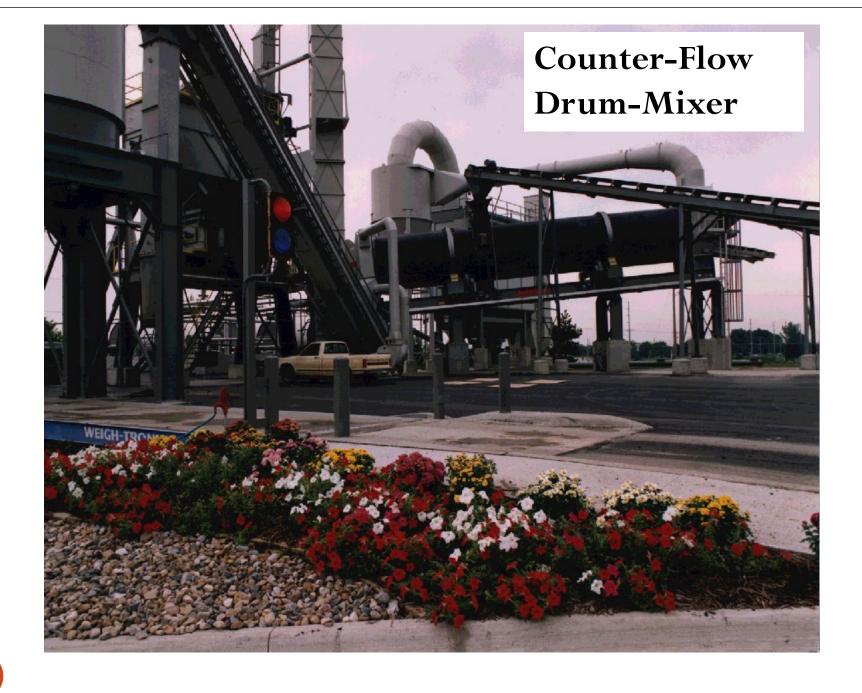
Parallel-Flow Drum-Mixer

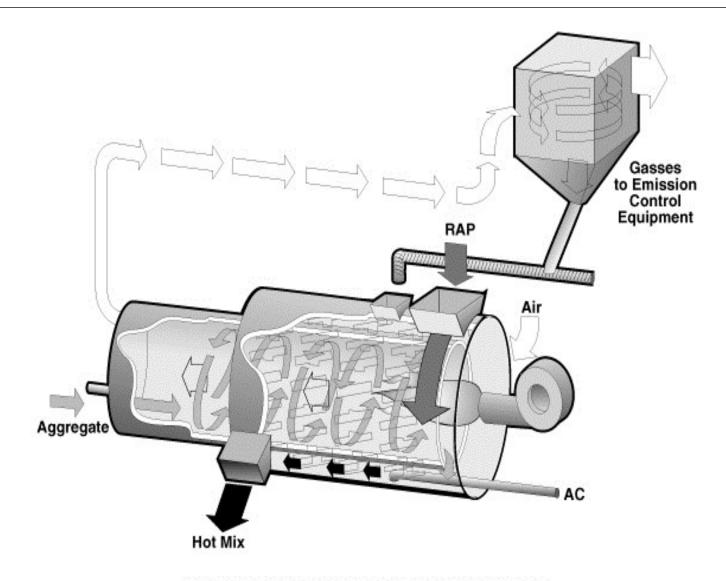




Counter-Flow Drum-Mixer

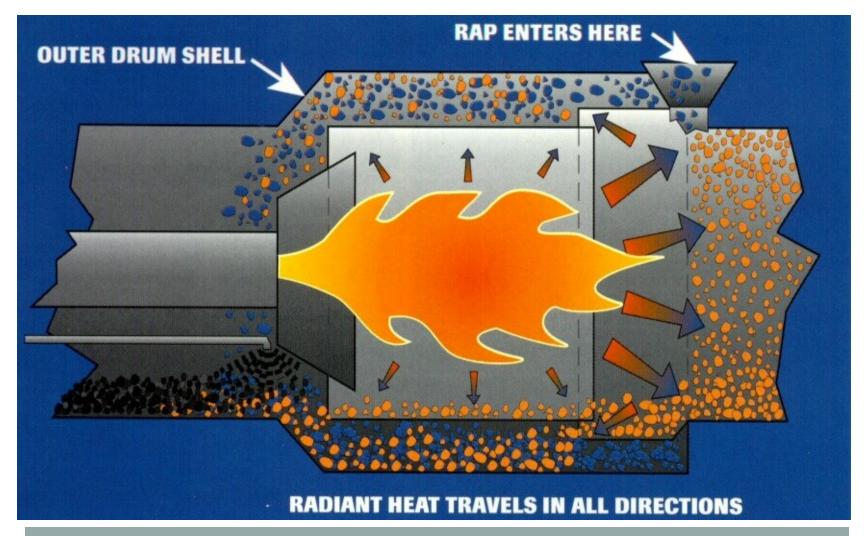






UNITIZED COUNTER-FLOW DRYER CONTINUOUS-MIXER

Schematic of a Triple Drum Plant



Red Arrows Indicate Direction of Travel of Radiant Heat



Amount of RAP in Drum Plant Recycling

Factors

Moisture Content of RAP
Temperature of Superheated Aggregate
Temperature of RAP
Temperature of Recycled Mix

Amount of RAP

Maximum: About 70 %

Practical: About 30 % - 50 %

HOT IN-PLACE RECYCLING



Surface recycling

- On site, Hot In-Place method that rehabilitates deteriorated HMA pavements and thereby minimizes use of new materials
- Depth recycled: 25 50 mm (one to two inches)

4 Basic Steps

- Softening pavement with heat
- Scarification or mechanical removal of softened material
- Mixing with recycling agent, new aggregate, new binder, or new mix
- Laydown and paving

A definition

- Recycling agent
 - An aromatic oil generally a specialty product.
 - A soft asphalt binder (a PG 52, or an AC 5)

Reasons for surface recycling

- Pavement geometry is preserved
- Corrects surface distresses not caused by structural inadequacy
- Can modify existing surface mix
- Can improve surface frictional resistance
- Relatively cheap
- Needs less traffic control

Early Propane Heater and Scarifier



