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I. INTRODUCTION

In recent years, the effects and consequences of climate change have become more pronounced. These changes are greatly influenced both by the used technologies, but also by the waste that is formed in enormous quantities in different industries, including garment industry, which is a fundamental part of everyday life and an important sector in the global economy.

Clothing represents more than 60% of the total textiles used and in the last 15 years, clothing production has approximately doubled, driven by a growing middle-class population across the globe and increased per capita sales in mature economies. At the same time, clothing use has declined by almost 40%. Both developments are mainly due to the "fast fashion" phenomenon, with quicker turnaround of new styles, increased number of collections offered per year, and often, lower prices [1].

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The fashion industry has a massive impact on the environment, being responsible for 20% of the world's wastewater, 10% of carbon emissions and large amounts of waste. Every second, a garbage truck full of textiles is dumped in the landfill or incinerated. But an unseen impact is the pollution of the oceans with plastic fibers. About 60% of the materials used in clothing are made of plastic. According to the United Nations Environment Program the fashion industry has contributed to the pollution of the oceans with about 1.4 million trillion plastic fibers due to the use of synthetic fibers such as polyester, acrylic and nylon [2].

Globally, less than 1% of clothes are recycled as clothing, partly due to inadequate technology.

Regardless of the size of the country, environmental pollution is the same. The fashion industry in Moldova is a big generator of waste at the pre-consumption stage, but especially at the post-consumption stage. At the pre-consumption stage, the waste is generated by the growing number of garment companies and their production capacities, which do not sort and recycle the waste, so waste go directly to the landfill, with small exceptions.

The consumption of clothes in Moldova is quite high and is caused primarily by the traditions and culture of the country. It generates an enormous amount of waste at the post-consumption stage.

The problem of sorting, collecting, and recycling textile waste today became extremely important because it can generate savings on the one hand, and on the other hand it would protect the environment.

This paper aims to analyze the situation in the Republic of Moldova regarding environmental management in the garment industry with focus on textile waste recycling, and to present the existing potential for increasing the sustainability of the apparel industry by encouraging the transition to the principles of circularity.

II. ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT AND WASTE RECYCLING IN THE MOLDOVA'S GARMENT INDUSTRY

a) *Overview of Moldova's Garment Industry and its trends*

Moldova's Apparel Industry is a key sector of the Moldovan economy (more than 5% in total Manufacturing Industry). Is the largest and best-

performing industry of the Moldovan economy and an important employment generator (16000 employees or approx. 20% of the total number of employees in the manufacturing industry), creates jobs and employs women, a big part of them being young and provides key alternatives to migration for Moldovan women, allowing them to earn money while staying at home with their families.

Moldova's apparel industry is one of the largest exporters in the Moldovan economy (about 12 percent of the total exports). Over 70% of the total value of clothing production manufactured in the Republic of Moldova, are export oriented.

The COVID-19 pandemic has disrupted the Moldovan apparel industry like never before. In the pandemic period the number of employees within the Apparel Industry has decreased on average with 33%. Exports in the first half of 2020 fell by more than 38%. But since May 2020, the industry has experienced a recovery trend. In 2020, the export of the garment industry amounted to US \$ 289,801.1 Thousand, or 89.1% compared to year 2019, and the share of this industry in the country's total exports was at the level of the previous year (more than 11%), which means that the industry remains one of the top exporters (Table 1).

Table 1: Export of the garment industry, mil US\$

Indicators	2019	2020	2020/ 2019, %
Textile and Apparel Export	325,363.29	289,801.08	88.9
Total Exports	2 779 164.47	2 485 159.94	89.4
The share of Apparel industry in total exports, %	11.7	11.7	

Source: [3].

Most of Moldova's Apparel companies provide C&M (Cut & Make), CMT (Cut, Make Trimming) and FOB (Free on Board) services for European clients. Some companies produce and sell only under their own brand.

Regardless of the business model practiced by Moldovan garment companies, they must consider environmental and occupational safety standards if they want to retain and / or attract new European customers.

The consequences of the COVID-19 pandemic result not only in the economic decline of the garment industry, but also in the increase in the amount of waste, which will further influence environmental pollution.

b) *Integration of international environmental, health and safety standards into current practices of Moldova's apparel companies*

European Apparel and Textile Confederation EURATEX developed an ambitious program to improve the sustainable growth of the European textile and clothing industry. According to this program, the textile and fashion products of European Union producers must be exceptional in terms of environmental protection, consumer safety and labor rights, which means that special attention is paid to the existence of quality, environmental and occupational safety management systems at the garment manufacturers. Moldovan apparel companies should align with these conditions if they want to retain and / or attract new European customers. To meet these requirements Moldova's Apparel companies must implement Integrated Management Systems based on the provisions of the following international Standards ISO 9001 (Quality), ISO 45001 (Health and Safety), and ISO 14000 (Environment).

The Integrated Management System can be created using different combinations of the three international standards as follows:

1. Integrated Management System "Quality - Occupational Health and Safety" based on the requirements of ISO 9001 and ISO 45001 standards.
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The most complex version of the Integrated Management System is the fourth version, which combines quality assurance, vital safety, and environmental protection. The implementation of Integrated Management Systems that demonstrate business practices based on responsibility and sustainability, as a rule, requires investments that ensure the success of each factory, but also of the industry as a whole and become increasingly important for international customers, and in many cases even requested by them. With the support of the MCP Project (Moldovan Competitiveness Project) funded by USAID, the Government of Sweden, and the UK aid more than 20 apparel companies implemented Integrated Management Systems. This practice has shown visible results. Orders worth tens of millions of Euros have been

secured from existing customers, but new customers have also been attracted by Moldovan Apparel companies that have implemented Integrated Management Systems. This demonstrated that implementation of Integrated Management Systems needs to be extended, given that in the future there will be increasingly stringent requirements for the business activity of companies in the garment industry to meet the requirements of customers and consumers who have undergone essential changes such as due to the influence of the Covid-19 pandemic.

Foreign clients encourage their partners apparel manufacturers from the Republic of Moldova to make ongoing efforts to ensure optimizations for sustainability, and commitment to environmental protection and compliance with occupational health and safety requirements given that the industry uses a very high labor force. Moldovan apparel companies must comply with requirements regarding:

- having a valid environmental permit,
- holding and displaying the environmental policy to address the environmental impact,
- monitoring the impact of the apparel manufacturer's economic activity on the environment,
- setting and approving objectives on environmental issues related to reduction in water consumption and waste disposal, as well as energy consumption and GHG emissions - greenhouse gases,
- providing recycling waste opportunities and monitoring the amount of recycled waste.

c) *Moldovan Legal framework regarding environmental protection and waste management*

In the Republic of Moldova, the legal requirements in the field of environmental protection and waste management are provided by the Environment Agency which is responsible for implementing the state policy in this field. It ensures the implementation of the environmental legislation, harmonized with the European Union legislation established in the Association Agreement between the Republic of Moldova and the European Union, in the chapters "Environment", "Climate change" and "Trade and trade-related issues" (about 50 EU directives, regulations and decisions). The Agency is responsible for the implementation of new environmental tools such as: creation, maintenance and management of the environmental impact assessment system deriving from economic activities, the strategic environmental assessment system, the integrated environmental information system, the monitoring system of the quality of the environment, the monitoring system of natural resources, the integrated environmental authorization system, etc. [4].

The Moldovan legal and institutional frame work regarding environmental protection and waste management contains 49 documents. But the main documents related to environment and waste management are the following:

1. *Environmental Strategy for the period 2014-2023*, approved by Government Decision no. 301 of 24.04.2014, which sets out the priority directions of development in this field. The basic goal of the strategy is to guarantee the population of the Republic of Moldova the right to a sustainable unpolluted and healthy environment, in harmony with economic development and social welfare. The general objective is to create an efficient environmental management system, which will contribute to increasing the quality of environmental factors and ensure the population the right to a clean, healthy, and sustainable natural environment [5].
2. *The Waste Management Strategy in the Republic of Moldova for the years 2013-2027*, approved by Government Decision no. 248 of April 10, 2013. The main objective of the strategy is to establish the indicative direction of the activities for the development of the infrastructure and services necessary for the proper management of waste to protect the environment and the health of the population. Regarding the industrial waste (to which the apparel waste also refers) in a certain strategy it is indicated that the organization of the production waste management activity is the obligation of the generator, i. e. of the enterprise. In the strategy it is clearly indicated that the economic units carry out these activities with their own means or contract the sanitation services. Waste management followed by the apparel factories must be in line with these requirements [6].
3. *Law of the Republic of Moldova No. 209 of 29-07-2016 on waste*, which mentions the waste hierarchy, which includes prevention, preparation for reuse, recycling, other recovery operations, including energy recovery and disposal. According to Article 13, paragraph 2 of this law, to ensure a high degree of recovery, the initial waste generators and waste holders are required to collect at least the following categories of waste separately: paper, glass, metal, and plastic [7]. The garment factories in the Republic of Moldova comply with these provisions of the law and collect cardboard and film separately. As for the fabric and apparel cutting waste, which is formed in the cutting sections, the law does not require their separate collection. As there is no mandatory legal requirement, today, fabric waste, which appears in the cutting sections, is neither collected separately, nor recycled.

The environmental issues, which are closely connected to the waste management, can no longer be addressed separately from the economic problems of the apparel enterprises from Moldova. Global competitiveness and the increasing use of limited resources are leading to considerable economic change. The policy of the European economy tends towards transformations in order to produce more with less resources. That is why the sustainable development of garment companies in the Republic of Moldova is closely linked to the responsible management of the environment, including waste. This requires regulations, incentives and public procurement policies that promote production and consumption patterns that are compatible with a country's sustainable ecological

development. Of particular importance is the education of all kinds of producers and consumers in the field of waste sorting, to be recycled and processed.

d) *Types of waste and their disposal in the garment industry in Moldova*

The Moldovan garment industry is a large waste generator. The value chain of this apparel industry generates a wide range of waste. Among them two categories of waste can be listed:

i. *Pre-consumer waste*

Based on the interviews carried out with more than 25 Moldovan apparel companies we identified that at this stage, the following types of waste are generated (Table 2):

Table 2: The types of waste generated by the apparel value chain

#	Value chain stage	Type of waste
1	Supply	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The film in which the fabric and some accessories are packed. - Cardboard tubes from fabric, cardboard boxes in which some accessories are packed.
2	Cutting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fabric cuttings of different sizes, having different compositions as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o 100% natural fiber fabrics (linen, cotton, silk, modal, viscose) o Mixed fabrics: 92-97% natural fiber plus 3-8% elastane o 100% synthetic fiber fabrics (polyester, polyamide, nylon) o Mixed fabrics of two types of fibers (natural and synthetic in proportion of 40% -60%) o Mixed fabrics of three types of fibers (natural, synthetic and elastane). - Scrap paper (first and last layer to cut) - Non-compliant parts (either mistakes were made in cutting or non-conformities were detected in the fabric).
3	Manufacturing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Thread spool tubes - Broken needles
4	Quality Control	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fabrics, accessories, unfinished and finished goods with irrecoverable defects.

In the Republic of Moldova, preventive evaluations show that the pre-consumption stage generates an amount of approx. 8-10 thousand tons of fabric waste and approx. 3-5 thousand tons of other types of waste.

To clarify the situation regarding the waste management in the apparel industry, more than 25 garment enterprises small, medium, and large one, specialized in manufacturing of different assortments of finished products (clothes for men, women, children) from different fabrics (natural, synthetic, and mixed), which produce under their own brand and / or and provide services for foreign customers were interviewed. Following the interviews, it was found that practically no factory sorts the fabric waste that appeared at pre-consumption stage.

The practice of waste disposal in the garment industry of the Republic of Moldova is as follows:

- The film and the cardboard are collected separately, practically by all the enterprises, and they are handed over to the companies, specialized in the collection and processing of some types of waste.
- Apparel cutting waste is not sorted, and not recycled.
- A very small number of companies that process the raw material received from the international clients in C&M regime, collects the fabric waste and returns it to the client at the client's request, once the order is delivered.
- Most companies have concluded contracts with sanitation companies that pick-up waste from the company and transport it to existing landfills.
- A small amount of fabric waste is provided to farmers for tying the vine.
- Recently some apparel manufacturers started to offer the apparel cutting waste from Jersey fabrics to some organizations who produce handmade rugs.

ii. *Post-consumer waste*

This waste is generated by the last stage of the value chain and represents those garments that are no longer worn or used. In the Republic of Moldova, the waste record at the post-consumption stage is not performed.

At present, there is no single approach to the responsibility of producers for the collection of this waste. In the European Union, France has imposed specific legislation for extended producer responsibility in this field, with visible results. Also, some global companies have started to implement voluntary programs to recover used clothes from customers. In the Republic of Moldova this responsibility is not applied to enterprises. There is no well-developed process for collecting and using / processing this type of waste. Moreover, an impressive amount of second-hand clothes is imported into Moldova, which leads to an essential increase in the amount of waste at post-consumption stage. Only during 2019, second-hand garments worth 100.2 million MDL were sold, which was more than 2 times more than in 2018 (46.9 million MDL). All this amount of goods was imported. Second-hand clothes have a very short service life, which means that they reach the landfill very quickly.

e) *Overview of current recycling practices and recycling opportunities in the garment industry in the Republic of Moldova*

In the Republic of Moldova, the separate collection and recycling of textile including apparel cutting waste is a less promoted aspect in selective waste collection companies. That is why very often textile waste is dumped in landfills along with other types of waste.

Despite this fact, there is a practice of collecting and recycling certain waste in Moldova.

At present, the Ministry of Agriculture, Regional Development and Environment of Moldova, has issued 39 permits to enterprises that carry out waste management activities [8].

The information provided on waste collection and recycling companies shows that all these companies collect and recycle waste other than textile and apparel cutting waste. As mentioned, garment companies collect and hand over film and cardboard for recycling. As for the collection of apparel cutting waste generated during the manufacturing process, that is formed at garment companies at the pre-consumption stage, it is neither sorted, nor collected and nor recycled.

However, there are some initiatives in this area such as [9]:

1. *Collection and recycling of pre-consumption waste.*
The organization Ra Planet transforms any type of fabric into beautiful and turbid carpets of all beauty. Ra Planet is a store with products for arts and crafts

in Chisinau. But the amount of waste collected and recycled / used is still very small.

- *Collection of post-consumer textile waste.* Several organizations are active in this field. Some of them collect clothes that the owner no longer needs but are in good condition and sold them. The money collected is for charity. While clothes that are not in good condition are redistributed to animal shelters. Other organizations collect clothes and after they are sorted and redistributed to the socially vulnerable, the elderly, the homeless. Different NGOs collect clothes in street containers and in stores through the so-called "take back" programs. There are various advantages and disadvantages of these channels, but the main differentiation is that street collection methods can affect the quality of clothes and subsequently limit the possibilities for reuse and recycling.

Based on the existing practice of collection and recycling of apparel cutting waste, it can be concluded that at the current stage the main method of disposing of apparel waste in the Republic of Moldova is storage in existing landfills. This method has several drawbacks:

- It requires enormous landfill capacity for the storage of this type of waste,
- The landfills pose a threat to the water supply of the population. Every time it rains, the water drains through the garbage and picks up chemicals such as paints and bleaches from textile waste stored in the landfill. The water accumulates at the bottom of the landfill, often in large quantities and can often be more toxic than sewage water.
- The time required for the degradation of most textiles, when disposed of by storage, is long.
- Textiles, even from biodegradable natural fibres, do not degrade easily in landfills due to the lack of sunlight and oxygen.
- During degradation, textile waste emits greenhouse gases and pollutes the soil and water by contamination with chemicals and dyes,
- Wool fibres decompose relatively quickly, but during decomposition methane is produced, which is a strong greenhouse gas,
- Synthetic fibres generally do not decompose, which is a permanent source of soil and water pollution.

Discussions with garment manufacturing companies have shown that some companies use the method of incinerating the apparel cutting waste. However, it should be noted that incineration for energy recovery is a method of disposing of textile waste in industrial combustion plants. According to European legislation, incineration is not a form of recycling, but only a form of energy recovery or controlled waste disposal. Although it is preferable to use the method of waste disposing by storage, according to some studies, the amount of energy used for textile production is

significantly higher than that recovered. In addition, combustion processes in low-performance installations can lead to the release of hazardous chemicals into the atmosphere. Thus, after greenhouse gases have been removed into the atmosphere during the production process, it happens once again, this time by combustion.

As reported by the companies interviewed, virtually all of pre-consumption waste are disposed of in landfills, except for rather small quantities, waste arising from the production of clothing made of light, natural fabrics, or Jersey-type fabrics, some of which:

- Is sold to farmers for the tying of vines,
- Is sold to car repair centres, which are used as a material for hygienic purposes,
- Is sold to produce hand-made items.

III. CONCLUSIONS

Globally, textile waste accounts for 5% of total waste, being a huge source of pollution, second only to the oil industry, according to statistics. The impact of the fashion industry on the environment is huge. In the Republic of Moldova, the garment industry generates a large amount of waste, which rains down on the environment too, because the main method of disposing of apparel waste is storage in existing landfills, which requires enormous landfill capacity. The landfills pose a threat to the water supply of the population and produce during decomposition methane, which is a strong greenhouse gas.

Statistics show that in the Republic of Moldova as well as at the world level, during the last 10 years the quantity of purchased clothes has increased almost twice, which generated an increase in waste. Of the amount of waste generated by the fashion industry only a small quantity is reused.

However, there are some initiatives for recycling waste obtained in the garment industry. Practice shows that a small amount of waste was used to make handmade rugs that are sold quite well. There are certain initiatives for the collection and use of waste that appear at the post-consumption stage.

In order to multiply the existing practices of collection and recycling of the waste appeared in the garment industry, an information and training of both the enterprises and the population regarding the benefits of the circular economy is required.

The waste management in general, including waste management in the garment industry, as well as the training of skills in this field is closely linked to the legislation of the Republic of Moldova regarding waste. The main legislative instrument in this field is Law on waste. It presents a waste management hierarchy that includes: Extended producer responsibility, Waste recovery, Waste reuse and recycling, Waste disposal, Waste incineration and co-incineration. But the existing

legislation does not reflect the particularities of the garment industry waste. The law in force does not reflect the collection and recycling of textile waste.

The need and demand for textile waste recycling is enormous as well as for efficient management of textile waste and recycling of garments, in order to ensure environmental protection.

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I. INTRODUCTION

In popular use of quality gurus and experts in the field, the word Quality is meeting customer requirements. However, this is too imprecise and limited idea of quality to be of any use. Quality is based upon supplier actual experience with the product or service, measured against requirements-stated or unstated, conscious or merely sensed, technically operational or entirely subjective in meeting requirements aimed at the needs, requirements and expectations of customer and supplier, present and future.

Quality is production of product or offering service which fulfills an aggregate needs and requirement of customers and suppliers, in all aspects. customers and suppliers quality priorities may be very different. suppliers quality priorities are producing non defectives profitable products which customer can buy satisfactorily and use effectively. Profitability is suppliers need where as customers ability and capability to use products for functions it produced appropriately is suppliers requirement. Because what is seen and added as important by the supplier in exceeding customers need, requirement and expectation may be very different from the priority concerns of the customer.

This article present the general concept of quality and quality management. Core concepts of process control using mathematical techniques to measure, analyze and monitor product quality and maintain processes to fixed targets by monitoring, controlling and managing quality to manufacture a product as designed with in allowable Percentage Defectives is aim of this article.

II. ANALYSIS AND RESULT

Quality control is essential activities and techniques employed at the point of operation or production to achieve and maintain the quality of a product, process, or service. It includes a monitoring activity, but is also concerned with finding and eliminating causes of quality problems so that the requirements are continually met.

Currently, many scholars and quality practitioners and controller are measuring if or weather process is in control for incapable process by measuring distribution of number of observed defectives data. They are measuring and monitoring processes on which control limit of data with sample size n and sample number m directly doubled if number of defectives of data doubled and both processes data are treated as in control as if both processes are producing products with in allowable Percentage Defectives. For instance, figure below shows control chart of sample data of two processes with doubled number of defectives for the same number of sample size (50) and Sample number (10) where both process are in control with doubled control limit value proportional to defectives.

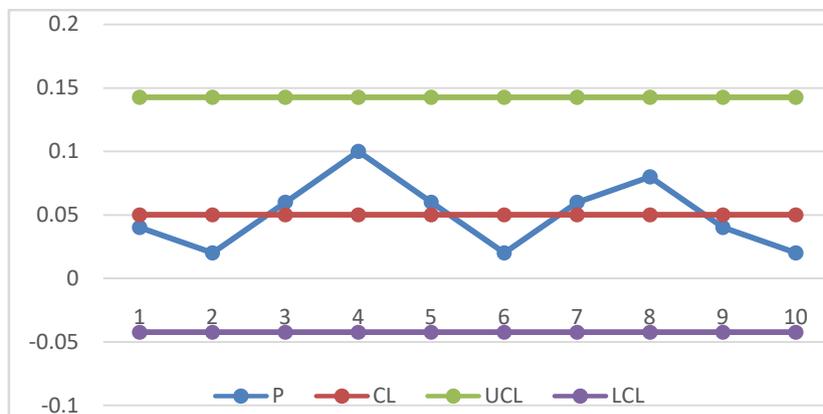


Figure 1: Control chart for number of defectives data I

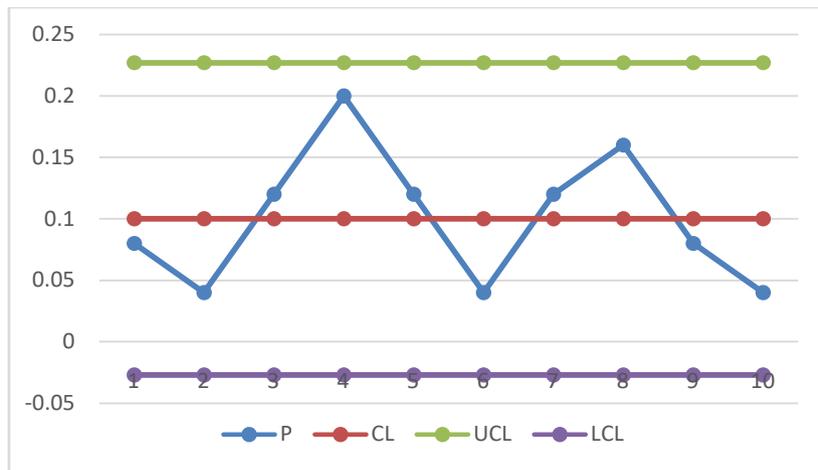


Figure 2: Control chart for number of defectives data II

Note: Percentage Defectives of both processes are 0.05 and 0.1 which doubled as number of defectives double. Since they are monitoring defectives distribution in relation to control limit doubled or tripled as number of defectives doubled or tripled, they forget to compare with allowable defectives that meets permissible Percentage Defectives for sample size n and sample number m of sampling.

Sampling, Sample size and sample numbers, which shall be determine by Costs and time required are two basic for quality monitoring and process control to manage quality of products and services so that we can manage Quality let alone quantity of product is one factor which determine Sample numbers of Rational sub group. Rational sampling group sample size of sampling is basic factor to determine Rational permissible number of defects per sample where as Sample numbers of Rational sub group ascertain number of permissible defects of total sample.

Note: As number of product sampled increase number of defective products in relation to sample size increase. Thus, Sampling with lower number of Sample numbers of Rational sub group should produce lower number of defective products in relation to sample size where as Sampling with higher number of Sample numbers of Rational sub group can have higher number of defective products in relation to sample size. Moreover as quantity of sample size increase number of permissible defective products should decrease logarithmicly. Because variation in production of specified sample is low and expected quality level should be high and number of defective products in relation to sample size must be low to attain and assure quality level we must meet and exceed expectation. Hence process capability is more than one and increase as sample size increase.

There fore

$$D = \frac{Ns}{\log n}$$

Where

D- number of permissible defectives

Ns- total number of product sampled which is n*m

n- sample size

m - sample numbers

Note: sample size is base where as number of sampled is factor of quality control logarithm function. Mean or control limit of control chart of number of defectives should be number of permissible defectives of sampling.

We can say process is in control if number of defectives of sampling Rational sub group is less than or equal to number of permissible defectives of sampling. Based on mutual understanding tolerance can be added mainly to decade and set upper control limit which shall be based on Proportion of population covered with $\gamma\%$ Confidence of sample size n. Process must be in control and produce products at list with three $\gamma\%$ Confidence of sample size n from Mean or control limit. Thus upper and lower control limits of number of defectives control chart must be:

$$D \pm 3 * I$$

Where

D is number of permissible defectives

I is number of tolerable defectives with $\gamma\%$ Confidence of sample size n

$$UCL = D + 3 * I$$

Thus

$$CL = D$$

$$LCL = D - 3 * I$$

Note: $\gamma\%$ Confidence of sample size n should be determined based on ratio of sample size to products from which it sampled.

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Example: table below show number of defectives (d) Samples data of 20 Sample number with 90% Confidence of 200 sample size to monitor process using

number of defectives control chart where Sn is sample numbers and d is number of defectives.

Table 1: Number of defectives data

Sn	d	Sn	d	Sn	d	Sn	d
1	1	6	2	11	2	16	4
2	3	7	1	12	4	17	2
3	4	8	3	13	3	18	1
4	2	9	5	14	1	19	3
5	1	10	3	15	3	20	2

Sample Number = 20

Sample size n=200

Total number of product sampled Ns is:

$$NS = m * n = 4,000$$

Number of permissible defectives D is:

$$D = \text{Log}_{200}^{4,000} = 1.56541201$$

Note: with 1.56541201 number of permissible defective expected process capability Cp_E is approximately 1.3 with 0.00782706 percentage of defectives which is more than data process capability Cp_d of 1.2 with 0.0125 percentage of defectives. thus tolerance is required as per agreement and For 90% Confidence of 200 sample size I= 0.981

Thus, Control limits of control chart are:

$$CL = 1.56541201$$

$$UCL = 4.50841201$$

$$LCL = -1.37758799$$

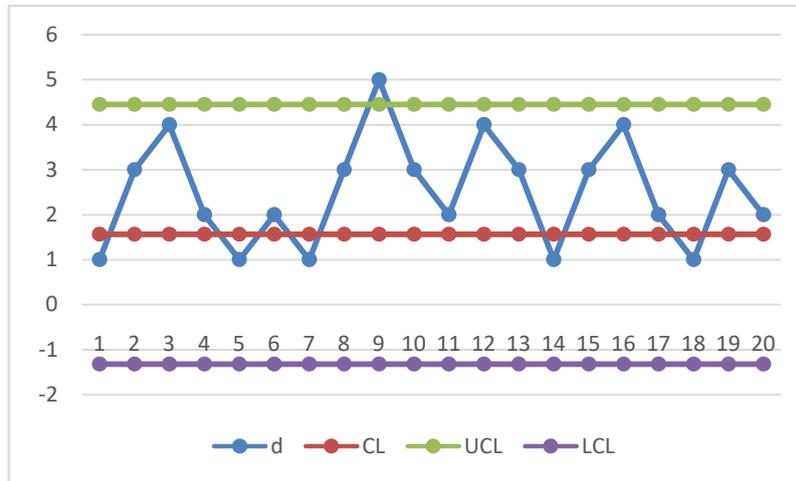


Figure 3: Control chart of number of defectives data and permissibility

Note: with 90% Confidence of 200 sample size tolerated process capability Cp_i is less than 1.2 with 0.02254206 percentage of defectives which is less than data process capability Cp_d of 1.2 with 0.0125 percentage of defectives. Thus, we can say that the process is capable even though it is out of control with out of control data of number of defectives.

Moreover, with defectives tolerance of 90% Confidence of 200 sample size

1. Five samples of data produce defectives less than number of permissible defective, Hence process at that sample meet customer requirement satisfactorily and the product produced of that sample shall be fully accepted by customers.
2. Hence sample of sample number 9 produce defectives more than number of Tolerable defectives, process is out of control to meet customer tolerable requirement and the product produced of that sample shall be fully rejected by customers.

3. The rest 14 samples produce defectives more than number of permissible defective but less than number of Tolerable defectives, hence process is in control to meet customer tolerable requirement and the product produced of samples shall be tolerated and accepted by customers as per their agreement and level of data process capability Cp_d.

III. DISCUSSION AND CONCLUSION

Quality is based upon supplier actual experience with the product or service, measured against requirements-stated or unstated, conscious or merely sensed, technically operational or entirely subjective in meeting customer requirements aimed at the needs, requirements and expectations of customer and supplier, present and future. Quality management mean improving the quality of everything, i.e. creating a high quality company; high quality man, machine, material, methods and information in satisfying or exceeding customers and suppliers present and future

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Sampling, Sample size and sample numbers, are two basic for quality monitoring and process control mathematically to manage quality of products and services within tolerable number and/or Percentage Defectives as per customers and suppliers agreement so that they manage and meet Quality by satisfying or exceeding customers and suppliers need, requirement and expectation. Mutual agreement of customers and suppliers on sampling, Sample size and sample numbers, and on $\gamma\%$ Confidence of sample size n determine factors of control chart control limits and hence permitable and Tolerable number of defectives of Rational sampling group quality level so that product can be accepted or rejected and process can be monitored if or weather capable and in control to produce product as designed with in allowable Percentage Defectives.

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I. INTRODUCTION

Faced with the degradation of ecosystems and the quality of life, social and political concern for the environment has continued to grow. Economic life can no longer ignore this aspect thanks to laws, imposed standards and political initiatives.

Whatever their intentions, actors need environmental management tools to assess changes in the environment. Thus, the decisions taken in a sustainable development policy need to be designed and evaluated according to a suitable frame of reference. By going through all the environmental impacts that an activity can generate, we observe a variety of indicators to study.

Unlike the economic point of view where a single indicator, the financial cost, characterizes the impact of an activity, the environmental assessment must be based on a multi-criteria analysis. It is a combination of several impacts; it also takes into account the particular importance of each of them with regard to environmental aspects. Thus, a multicriteria analysis allows decision-makers to argue their decision by reducing the risk of a conflict situation and also seeking solutions that correspond to the best compromise for all stakeholders.

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The analysis of the performances of the various technologies leads in a traditional way to calculate their energy balances. In addition, especially when one seeks to optimize a system, the development of its exergy balance is of great interest, because this balance makes it possible to quantify irreversibilities. Drawing up an exergy balance does not pose any particular difficulty but requires to be done with great care.

The exergy provides thermodynamics with very relevant tools to be coupled with other approaches: economic, ecological, environmental, technological, etc.

As an indication, exergy analysis and economic analysis form the thermo-economic basis, which is also called exergo-economic analysis [1, 2]. Thus, an exergy loss directly implies economic losses [3, 4]. The consideration of exergy efficiency as an additional criterion for comparison with environmental criteria, through ELCA, will provide LCA with more relevant tools for accounting for the consumption of abiotic resources. Thus, the increase in the exergy efficiency of the processes was considered as a solution to reduce the environmental impacts through the reduction of the degradation of natural resources. The most important contribution of ELCA in the framework of the implementation of a sustainable development undoubtedly remains the perspective of life cycle which makes it possible to save resources and to solve the pollution problems in a definitive way, avoiding thus moving them from one point in the production chain to another.

The choice of the field of refrigeration may seem reductive, in fact, a proven technology exists: absorption. These performances can also be considered as resulting from a natural optimization, resulting from know-how acquired over several decades of research, and responding to current technical and economic constraints. This technology can therefore serve as a test for the various thermodynamic criteria which will be defined below.

Absorption machines have several advantages such as environmental protection. In addition, this type of refrigeration machinery does not use CFCs (chlorofluorocarbons) which deplete the ozone layer, Kang et al. [5], Boer et al. [6], Göktun [7], Laouir et al. [8]. They are possibly silent compared to vapor compression machines, Riffat and Guoquan [9].

A recent study [10], combines a conventional vapor compression refrigeration system with an absorption refrigeration machine. Indeed, this system has the advantages of both processes, which results in a more profitable system. Electricity / thermal consumption is considerably reduced.

The results obtained show that the value of the coefficient of performance is greater than that of a system operating in stand-alone mode. From another perspective, R. Haghbakhsh [11] investigated the feasibility of using DES absorbents (Reline, Ethaline or Glyceline) as an operating fluid in absorption refrigeration cycles further analysis was performed to assess thermodynamic properties and determine optimal operating conditions.

The results indicate that these ESD / water working fluids can be adapted to absorption refrigeration cycles although their energy efficiency appears to be relatively low.

Based on an exergetic approach, a study of a new combined cycle power plant assisted by high temperature solar energy was proposed by F. Calise [12].

It is a high temperature solar cooling system coupled with a conventional combined cycle; the aim being to improve the efficiency of the system and the electrical capacity.

The system is analyzed from an exergy point of view, on the basis of an energy-economic model for which the efficiency is higher compared to that of a conventional model.

The results showed that the components of the Joule cycle (combustion chamber, turbine and compressor) are the main sources of irreversibility.

The optimization of the double and triple effect cycles, resulting from research carried out in the laboratory, has enabled the design of high-performance installations, which are now on the market. Note that the cycles implemented today result from a thermodynamic analysis including the second principle.

The analysis of absorption cycles has been developed from an energetic as well as an exergetic point of view. The latter is based on the notion of exergy destruction and therefore the degradation of the quality of energy transformations taking place within the components of an installation.

Two types of absorption / compression cycles have been selected. [13, 14] The first is single-acting, the results of the latter are compared to the conventional absorption machine. The results of the second double-acting configuration were also compared with those of the conventional double-acting absorption machine. In terms of performance, the single-stage hybrid machine offers relatively greater results when compared to the double-stage one [15].

In another approach, the integration of other organic absorbent / refrigerant pairs is envisaged, in

order to further optimize the exergy and energy performance of the machine [16].

The most common refrigerant mixtures are water and lithium bromide mixtures, water being the refrigerant and lithium bromide the solvent and the mixture of ammonia and water in which ammonia is the fluid. refrigerant and water the solvent. A certain number of characteristics required of the fluids used in compression machines can be transposed to absorption machines. In particular: high enthalpy of vaporization, Non-toxicity, Low viscosity, High thermal conductivity, A moderate cost.

Recently, research has focused on the study of new refrigerant / absorbent pairs that can be an excellent alternative to conventional pairs. Wang et al [17], in 2011, presented a study of a diffusion absorption refrigeration (DAR) system operating with the R23 / R134a couple as refrigerants and DMF (N, N-dimethylmethanamide) as absorbent, it These torques have been proven to be a solution for the use of low energy sources.

A study, carried out by Ben Ezzine et al in 2010 [18] shows that the R124 / DAMC couple provides a higher COP than that of ammonia / water and that it presents an intercurrence for solar refrigeration. An experimental study prior to the latter two, in 2008 carried out by Muthu et al [19], shows that the COP of a refrigeration system using the R134a / DMAC couple reaches 45% under the test conditions and that this couple can be also used for low energy sources.

It is customary to evaluate the efficiency of energy transformations by calculating the energy yield, in fact, according to the first principle of thermodynamics, for each process, energy is conserved. It can neither be destroyed nor produced. In contrast, the exergy approach, as determined as the energy method, results from the second principle of thermodynamics, and focuses on the degradation of energy during a process. Exergy potentially presents a powerful tool that is used to carefully assess the quality of the flows involved in a well-defined process. The resulting analysis can be used as a benchmark in optimizing energy systems [20]. This analysis also makes it possible to identify areas of failure in a process in order to design new systems contributing to sustainable development [21]. Different indicators resulting from exergy analysis have been supported by [22] to assess the sustainability of an energy process within the framework of industrial ecology. These parameters take into account exergy efficiency and environmental efficiency.

Indeed, different methods have been proposed for the energy evaluation of the performance of anthropogenic systems. The motivation for these studies was mainly rooted in the economic industry, but there were implicit and explicit environmental concerns permeating.

The inability of standard exergy analysis to determine the best configurations when monetary costs have been approached, in the field of process analysis, by: a theory of common economics and thermodynamics, correctly termed thermo-economics, developed to industry standards over the past ten years or so on the basis of formulations. In this approach, the yields are calculated via an exergy analysis, and the non-energy costs (capital, interest, overheads, labor, maintenance, insurance, etc.) are linked to the technical and thermodynamic parameters of the process considered.

One of the objectives of EEA (Extended exergy accounting) is to go beyond thermo-economics and to develop a formally complete theory of costs based either on an exergy or monetary metric, that is to say a general pricing method in which kJ / kg or kJ / kW are perfectly and systematically equivalent to $\text{€} / \text{kg}$ and $\text{€} / \text{kW}$, respectively).

The first extrapolations of exergy in the context of sustainable development focused on the valuation of natural resources and process waste (Belhani, 2008) [23]. The basic idea is to minimize the irreversibilities related to non-renewable resources. The exergy also brings a good clarification which identifies two primordial criteria, the quality and the degradation of the energy;

Life Cycle Analysis is concerned with the environmental impacts generated throughout the product life cycle. However, the objective is to go beyond taking the environment into account and provide practical recommendations on the integration of social and economic dimensions in decision-making, from a life cycle perspective [24]. Consequently, the life cycle analysis becomes a step in a more comprehensive approach to sustainable development and not an objective in itself. According to Grisel and Osset [25], life cycle management aims to improve the environmental performance of an industrial sector through eco-design. The eco-design or control of the environmental impacts of a product is based, at best, on its Life Cycle Analysis (LCA) [26]. Eco-design appears as a process of integrating environmental aspects into the design and development of products, the objective of which is to reduce the environmental impacts of products throughout their life cycle. Thus, eco-design appears as a solution so that companies can integrate the priorities of individuals with regard to sustainable development into commercial interrelationships [27]. Breset and Van Hemel defined eco-design as a sustainable solution which consists in finding the perfect balance between ecological and economic requirements in product development.

Eco-design integrates environmental considerations into product life cycle reasoning. To be more precise, this concept means reducing from design the impacts in economic, social and environmental

terms, and maximizing the concept of sustainable development over all stages of a product's life cycle. By adopting an eco-design approach, companies can develop products that are more respectful of the environment while maintaining the objectives of competitiveness, quality and time to market. Therefore, LCA aims to enable companies that use it to improve their performance from an eco-efficiency perspective. This is a concept that was revealed at the Rio conference in 1992. According to the WBCSD (World Business Council for Sustainable Development), it is about providing goods and services at competitive prices that meet the needs. human beings and improve the quality of life while gradually reducing ecological impacts and resource consumption throughout their life cycle.

Cornelissen redefined the concept of sustainable development, incorporating the notion of exergy, as follows: "for sustainable development, the destruction of the exergy reservoirs of natural resources must be minimized to a level at which there is no no damage to the environment and to which the supply of exergy to future generations is secured".

Indeed, exergy and LCA can be used for sustainable development. The methodology which brings together these two tools in a single composition called Exergy Life Cycle Analysis. Indeed, it will take advantage of the strong bridges separated from each approach for the establishment of sustainable development on the one hand.

Exergy is reputed to be an effective means in the political decision-making of energy strategies as it is the only function which harmonizes energy, environment, economy and sustainable development [28]. The classic definition of "nothing is created, nothing is lost, everything is transformed", with the exception of nuclear reactions, makes the concept of the depletion of materials and non-renewable energies subjective.

On the other hand, the consumption of resources is also a form of damage to the environment; a resource is a substance, an ordered state, out of balance with the environment, therefore having a high exergy value; the consumption of a resource therefore reflects a loss of exergy value.

Lombardi [29] rethinks that exergy efficiency is an additional element of review to the environmental criteria used in the methodological framework of LCA, because exergy cannot replace the impact assessment methods of the methodological framework of LCA.

Exergy can be utilized by combining with ACV at three levels:

- Simultaneously with LCA for inventory accounting and as a criterion for the depletion of natural resources, thus constituting an additional criterion judging the effectiveness of the scenarios studied;

- A pre-selection criterion, judging the effectiveness of the scenarios studied before being analyzed by a full LCA;
- A post-selection criterion, judging the effectiveness of the scenarios studied beforehand by a complete LCA.

However, improving the exergy efficiency of processes is revered as a way to reduce environmental impacts through reducing degradation of natural resources. The objective of this study is to carry out a comprehensive analysis of the life cycle of a cooling system from renewable energy sources, presenting its consequences on the environment.

II. SYSTEM PRESENTATION

In this paper, we propose to study a hybrid compression/absorption heat pump for which we have introduced new refrigerants chosen for their environmental characteristics and which allow the system to be adapted to a source with low enthalpy value.

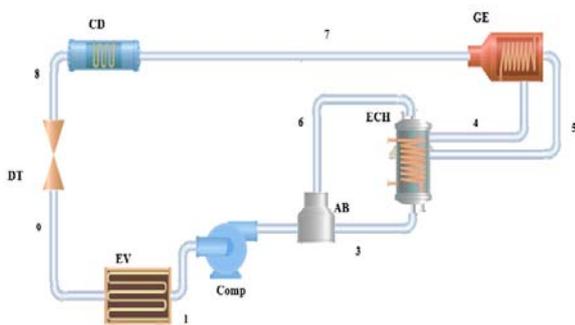


Fig. 1: Hybrid heat pump

The heat pump (figure 2), subject of this study, is a combination of the conventional absorption pump and the compression pump. A compressor is injected into the cycle, upstream of the absorption part, in order to improve the absorption process. The system operates at three pressure levels: the refrigerant vapor leaving the evaporator (1) is at the lowest pressure (PEV). It is compressed by an isentropic transformation (2) into an intermediate pressure (P2) and finally injected into the absorber. The rich solution from the absorber (3) is heated by the lean solution from the bottom of the generator (5) by a solution heat exchanger. The condenser (5) and the generator operate at the third pressure level (PCD) which is the condensing pressure.

Numerical analysis was performed using Aspen plus software. The thermodynamic properties of binary mixtures were determined using the NRTL model based on experimental results. When it is necessary to choose a working fluid for an application, it is generally desired that it lead to high energy performance and that it be suited to the operating conditions of the cycle.

A certain number of characteristics required of the fluids used in compression machines can be transposed to absorption machines. The criterion of non-toxicity is essential, the fluid must be non-flammable, non-explosive, non-corrosive, and has no dangerous physiological action.

Some researchers have focused on new refrigerant / organic absorbent pairs that can be a good alternative to classic pairs.

The configuration proposed represents an improved cold production system for which a new organic pair R245fa / DMAC (1,1,1,3,3-Pentafluoropropane / N, N-dimethylacetamide) has been integrated. This family of refrigerants is characterized by a low global warming potential (GWP).

The results showed that the new configuration has the same energy performance as that of the conventional system. The optimum COP is around 45% for R245fa / DMAC, however, the same value is obtained for a conventional system where the operating pressure is in the order of 600kPa. In addition, the added value lies in the adaptation of the machine to organic mixtures which have a relatively low temperature and between 60 ° C and 80 ° C, which allows the use of energy sources with low energy value. The exergy analysis also revealed a decrease in the irreversibility of the system.

In reality, the use of such refrigerants allows the installation to be adapted to a low energy source.

III. EXERGETIC ANALYSIS

The exergy balance is based on the exergy destruction method, it is calculated for each component as follows [30]:

$$Ex_{Di} = \sum [((m) Ex)]_{in} - \sum [((m) Ex)]_{out} \pm \sum (Ex)_{\dot{Q}} \pm \sum W \quad (1)$$

The first two terms represent the exergy of the flows entering and leaving the control volume.

The third and fourth terms are the exergy associated with the heat transfer \dot{Q} of the source maintained at a constant temperature T and equal to the work obtained by the Carnot engine operating between T and T_0 , and is therefore equal to the maximum reversible work that can be obtained from thermal energy \dot{Q} . The last term is the mechanical work transferred to or from the control volume.

$Ex_{\dot{Q}}$ is the thermal exergy and is expressed as follows [31, 32]:

$$Ex_{\dot{Q}} = \dot{Q}(1 - T_0/T) \quad (2)$$

We can also express the loss of exergy in terms of exergy efficiency; it is the rate between the exergy of entry and that of exit [33]:

$$\eta_{ex} = \frac{\text{outlet system exergy}}{\text{intlet système exergy}} \quad (3)$$

Several hypotheses were taken into account in the exergy study:

- Kinetic and potential exergy is neglected.
- All transformations are in a stable state.
- Pressure and heat losses in the system component are neglected.
- The exchange temperature is the logarithmic mean temperature of the inlet and outlet.
- The reference temperature and pressure P_0 and T_0 are respectively 1atm and 25°C .

IV. ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS

The sum of the exergy destruction gives the irreversibility of the life cycle of the system and therefore the impact indicator of the depletion of natural resources.

Exergy analysis is a focused approach and it does not take into account the exergy developed throughout the production chain.

It is in this sense that the Analysis of cumulative exergy consumption (CExC).

Indeed, this method is used to assess the exergy of all-natural resources consumed in a process.

It takes stock of the quality of the resources and it is expressed as follows:

$$CExC = \sum_i^N Ex_{r,i} \quad (4)$$

With: $Ex_{r,i}$ the exergy of natural resource i which is part of the process and N is the number of natural resources.

This approach has been applied for different industrial processes [34].

CExC analysis is based on the same principle of LCA where all the elements involved in the process are taken into account.

In fact, the notion of exergy has been exploited in the context of life cycle analysis as an alternative to methods of measuring the depletion of natural resources [35].

Likewise, the added value in relation to sustainable development is to reduce irreversibilities due to the use of non-renewable resources.

Improving exergy efficiency imperatively leads to a reduction in environmental impacts.

In the same context, efforts have been made to oust the multicriteria side of the LCA environmental study by a single quantity which is exergy.

Indeed, it was introduced in the LCA methodology to be used as a uniform indicator of the total environmental impact [36].

It is approved as a unit of measure for the potential of a pollutant to cause environmental degradation [37]. This will allow us to minimize the amount of data with a single magnitude that clarifies

vision without resorting to parameters used in conventional LCA and which are deemed to be subjective;

a) Solar source

From the perspective of producing energy more economically, the ability to limit wastage rates is a major issue. The proposed new model uses the principle of cogeneration, already applied in some thermal power plants, and which consists in producing both electricity and heat from the same primary source.

In the case of solar cogeneration, this involves combining, in a single module, conventional photovoltaic solar cells and a waste heat recovery system. The main objective is to improve the performance of the machine while preserving the environment. The originality of the project is based on the addition of a photovoltaic system to serve the compressor.

In addition, the use of the heat released by the photovoltaic cells will heat the coolant in order to improve the operation of the generator. This concept offers a relatively high production of electricity and heat on the same surface and improves the efficiency of these panels, which decreases with increasing temperature. For the modeling of the improved heat pump, the work was carried out for a condensing temperature equal to 40°C , the temperature of the generator in fact varies according to the daily solar radiation.

The basic function of the photovoltaic installations analyzed in the context of this work is the production of electricity.

The functional unit of the LCA should be determined in correspondence with the function of the observed system and serves as a basis of comparison for the analysis of the results of different photovoltaic power generation systems.

The environmental impact assessment stage translates elementary flows into environmental impacts. It includes classification of emissions by impact category, intermediate characterization and damage characterization. The indicators selected in this work include environmental impact indicators and energy flow indicators, namely:

- Global warming potential at 100 years (GWP100) in kg CO₂ equivalent.
- Consumption of renewable primary energy in MJ.
- Consumption of non-renewable primary energy in MJ.
- The environmental assessment of the PV system is based on three different stages:
- Generation of impact factors on PV systems to estimate the environmental impacts of the PV system.

- Evaluation of the productive life cycle of the photovoltaic installation on the prospective site and on the reference site (reference sunshine).
- -Voluntary environmental effects of the PV system reported to the UF functional unit.

Two types of results are expected for the environmental impacts: the environmental impacts linked to the producible estimated on the anticipated site of the installation and the so-called reference environment.

To calculate these impact factors, two steps are necessary:

The first step is to calculate the impact factors per process such as:

$$Imp_n = FI_n \cdot QR \quad (5)$$

The impacts of each of the processes are calculated according to equation (5) and then added to obtain the impacts corresponding to each PV subsystem (PV infrastructure, additional infrastructure, site, maintenance). The impacts of the PV system are finally obtained by summing the impacts of each PV subsystem.

At the end of the first step, the impacts of the PV system on its life cycle are defined to calculate the environmental impacts by the power of the PV system:

$$Imp_{sysPV (kWc)} = \frac{Imp_{system\ pv}}{Puiss_{nom}} \quad (6)$$

The PV impact factor (kWp) corresponds to the environmental impacts of the photovoltaic installation per nominal power.

To assess the producible, we opt for a simplified method allowing component manufacturers to have a reference calculation to estimate production and thus serve as a basis for comparison for different products.

To estimate the production potential over the life cycle of the PV system, Equation (7) is used:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{E_{total}}{\text{lifetime of the modules}} \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{100-\delta \cdot n}{100}} \\ & = \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{100-\delta \cdot n}{100}} \left(\frac{P_c \cdot Ir_{plan} \cdot Pr_{instal}}{\phi_{irrSTC}} \right) \quad (7) \end{aligned}$$

The degradation of the modules reduces the efficiency of the photovoltaic system during the lifetime. A linear degradation of 0.7% per year must be considered, which corresponds to a total degradation of 20% at the end of the life of the modules.

A 30-year module life should be considered.

The value of the coefficient of performance of a PV system, which is a correction factor for the overall efficiency of the photovoltaic installation, depends on:

- DC / AC conversion system
- Actual operating temperature of the modules

- Type of module integration

The following equation is used to assess the environmental impacts of the PV system based on the functional unit:

$$Imp_{UF} = \frac{Imp_{system\ pv}}{E_{total}} \quad (8)$$

Impacts by functional unit must be calculated for each impact category chosen.

b) Wind source

The life cycle stage responsible for the majority of the impact for the two wind energy sectors is the manufacture of components, using mainly fossil energy.

In order to carry out the LCA of a product, it is essential to define its function. In our case, the functional unit chosen for this LCA is as follows: "1 kilowatt-hour, from wind power production capacity, delivered to the electricity grid, for a lifespan of 20 years" State-of-the-art environmental assessments report that the majority of studies consider a system life of 20 years (Arvesen, 2012).

An average load factor is used in order to be as representative as possible over the lifetime of the installation. The environmental impact assessment step translates elementary flows into environmental impacts. It includes the classification of emissions according to impact categories.

It makes it possible to detect the main contributors to the impact on each indicator. The phases of the life cycle are first studied in order to understand their responsibilities as a whole and then to specify which processes and substances are responsible for the impact.

c) Biomass source

This part is devoted to the LCA of a biomass recovery system, namely forest residues.

The UF chosen for this study is a ton of biomass that feeds our system. This UF is generally chosen by studies aiming to recover agricultural and forestry waste [38].

The structure of the project consists of subdividing the system into a set of elementary modules [39].

The application of life cycle analysis in the bio-resources sector reveals specific issues.

Until now, the questions asked to the specific problems of LCA applied to products of biomass origin have not all been answered and the answers that have been provided have not been the subject of a consensus. Real at the level of the LCA community.

From the extraction of their raw material to their end of life, biomass products are the source of various carbon-biomass flows.

V. RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

The objective of this investigation is to analyze the different models, so management and life cycle thinking are very important.

The best solution must have the lowest environmental impacts; this exergetic methodology makes it possible to evaluate the scenarios considered and to achieve this objective.

a) Solar heat pump

In figure 2, we can see the contribution of each stage of the life cycle on the indicator of global warming for solar configuration. The stage mainly responsible for the impact is the construction phase with a contribution of 88%

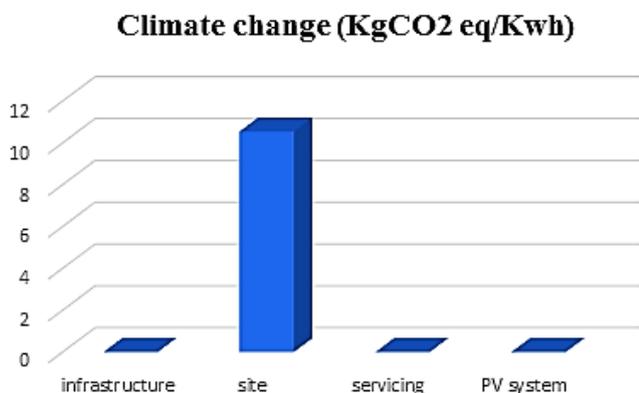


Fig. 2: Climate change (KgCO2eq/Kwh).

In the following Figure 3, we can see the contribution of each stage of the life cycle on the indicator of Ozone Layer Depletion. Mainly, the element responsible for the impact is the PV system with a contribution of 90%.

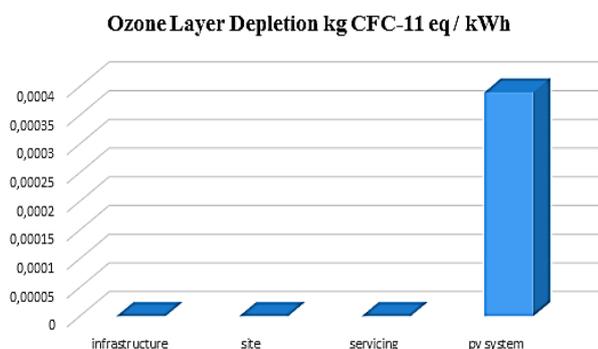


Fig. 3: Ozone Layer Depletion kg CFC-11 eq / kWh

For renewable primary energy consumption (figure 4), the contribution of each stage of the life cycle is also assessed. Essentially, the element responsible for the impact is the site.

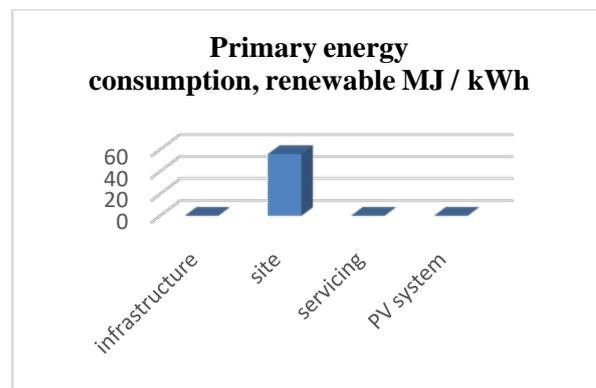


Fig.4: Primary energy consumption, renewable MJ / kWh

The following figure 5 shows the contribution of each indicator to the system life cycle.

Obviously, that of non-renewable primary energy consumption has the most important contribution.

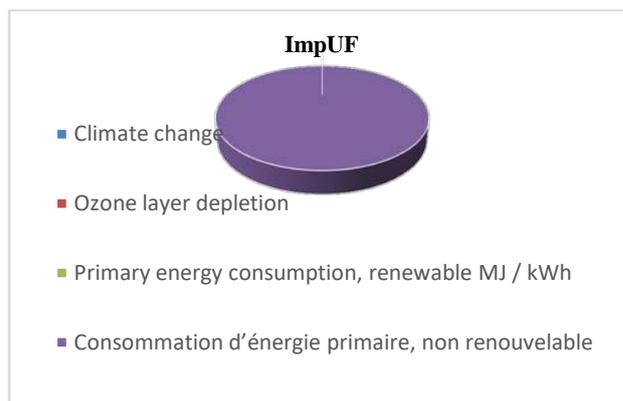


Fig. 5: ImpUF

The indicators that result from the exergy methodology are irreversibility and CexC. They have been evaluated in the installation and shown in the following figure 6.

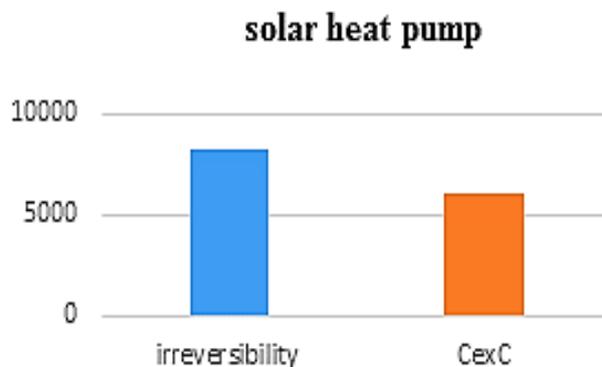


Fig. 6: Exergy impact of the solar heat pump

In the following figure 7, we can see the contribution of each stage of the life cycle on the acidification indicator. Primarily, the stage responsible

for the impact is the manufacturing phase with a 60% contribution including an avoided impact of 22% through end of life.

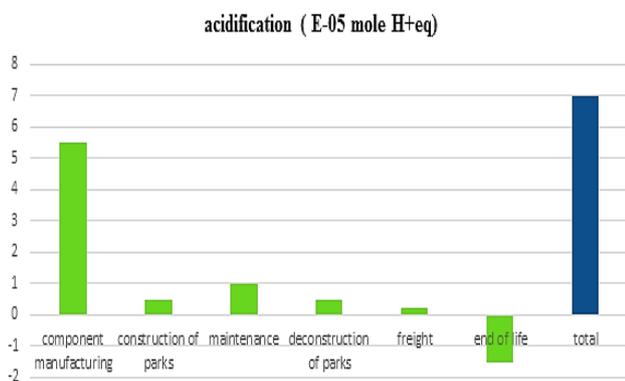


Fig. 7: Environmental impacts of 1 kWh on the acidification indicator

b) Improved cycle using wind energy

Global warming is dominated by the construction of the various components with a larger share of the nacelles.

The main sources of impact related to the manufacture are for the rotors the composition of the blades, the amount of steel in the nacelles and in the masts, and finally the manufacture of clinker in the concrete of the foundations. These materials emit CO2 primarily because of the energy they consume to be produced.

In figure 8, we can see the contribution of each stage of the life cycle on the indicator of global warming. The step primarily responsible for the impact is the manufacturing phase with a 66% contribution including an avoided impact of 23% through end of life.

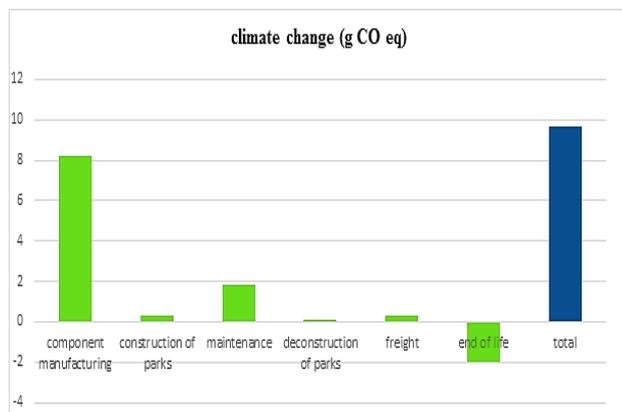


Fig. 8: Environmental impacts of 1 kWh on the global warming indicator

The steel industry is considered to be a major emitter of greenhouse gases, with up to two tonnes of CO2 emitted for one tonne of steel produced. These emissions are mainly linked to the energy used in the various transformation processes.

The impact of the rotors is entirely related to the use of epoxy reinforced fiberglass, the production process of which requires a great deal of energy.

The impact of the operation and maintenance phase is linked to the transport of maintenance workers because of the CO2 emitted directly by the technicians' vans.

The total contribution of the construction and deconstruction parts of the fleets is linked to the quantity of fuel used in construction machinery. Freight has little impact on this indicator despite a type of truck transport.

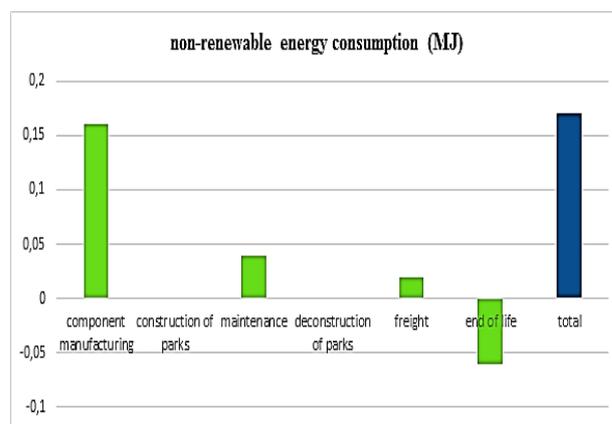


Fig. 9: Environmental impacts of 1 kWh on the CED indicator (non-renewable)

In Figure 9, we can see the contribution of each stage of the life cycle on the indicator of CED NR. The step primarily responsible for the impact is the manufacturing phase with a 64% contribution including an avoided impact of 29% through end of life.

In general terms, the substances responsible for the impact are the main types of non-renewable resources used for energy production: oil, gas, coal and uranium. These impacts are mainly related to the production of steel for masts and nacelles as well as plastic / epoxy fibers for blades and nacelles.

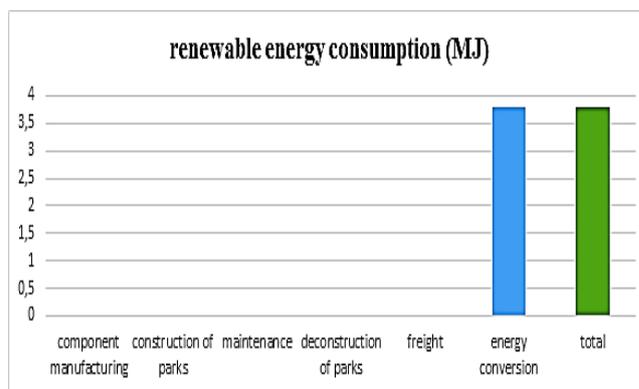


Fig. 10: Environmental impacts of 1 kWh on the CED indicator (renewable)

In Figure 10, we can see the contribution of each life cycle stage on the indicator of CED R. The

stage mainly responsible for the impact is the conversion of kinetic energy using wind power. In fact, we are studying the impact of 1 kWh from the wind power sector, it is logical to find this kilowatt hour in the demand for non-renewable energy.

In addition to the environmental impacts presented above, the figure 11 shown below shows the two ecological indicators that result from the exergy analysis, namely, the irreversibility and the CexC assessed in the installation.

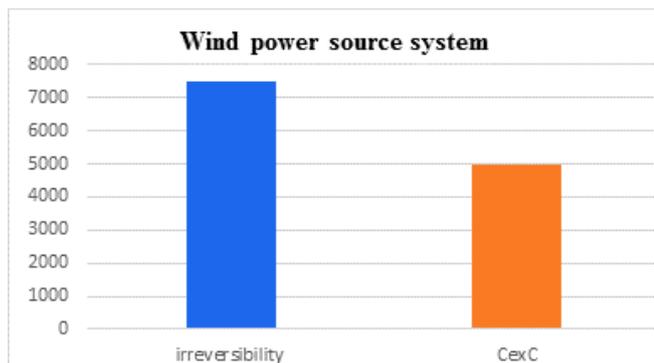


Fig. 11: Exergy impact of the wind heat pump

c) Improved hybrid heat pump coupled to a biomass power plant

The biomass carbon balance is not always zero. In the case of the landfill scenario, the degradation being slow and incomplete, at the end of its life, all the biomass carbon is not enlarged. One of the simplifying methodological choices adopted with regard to the consideration of flows linked to biomass carbon is to make the hypothesis of neutrality, on the basis that the fixed carbon is enlarged during the product's life cycle.

The methodological choice of not taking into account the flows linked to biomass carbon does not make it possible to assess the negative or positive impact of these flows. For example, it puts a cut and burnt forest and a sustainably managed forest at the same level. On the contrary, taking into account biomass carbon will make it possible to differentiate an exotic wood product from sustainably managed forests from a product resulting from deforestation which cannot claim CO₂ removal. Likewise, this methodological choice does not make it possible to account for the improvement in the energy efficiency of biomass boilers.

Thus, the climate change indicator may turn out to be negative, reflecting a beneficial effect in the fight against climate change, if the biomass carbon is not fully expanded during its life cycle and if it offsets the GHG emissions of fossil origin. This will be all the more true as biomass carbon will be permanently stored, that is to say beyond 100 years.

Evaluating the environmental impact of a product, essential for decision support in the context of progress initiatives, is a difficult and complex subject to

deal with, encompassing many parameters and affecting multiple criteria.

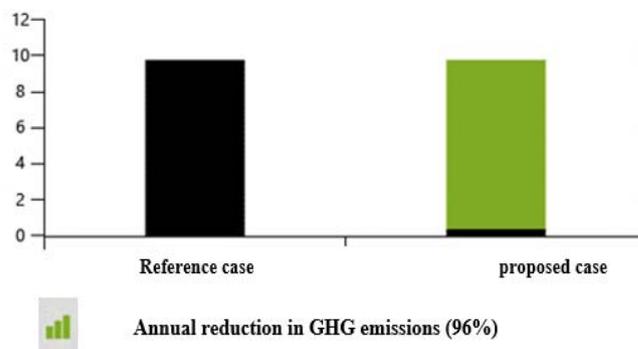


Fig. 12: Annual reduction in GHG emissions

In addition to the environmental impacts presented above, the figure 13 illustrated below represents the two ecological indicators that result from the exergy analysis, namely, the irreversibility and the CexC assessed in the installation.

VI. GENERAL CONCLUSIONS

At a time of awareness of the finitude of resources and the growing need for energy, the concept of sustainable development must take a central place in the evolution of society. To achieve this goal, it is now recognized that a profound change in consumption is needed; whether it is energy consumption or finished products. We believe that this paradigm shift is only possible if all actors move forward in concert on the various issues we are facing. Everyone at their own level must therefore be able to make the decisions that are binding on everyone. This is the logic that motivated the study of this thesis, we are studying the possibility of a sustainable cold production solution.

Reducing energy needs and CO₂ emissions is of major interest in the general context of rising energy prices and ecological demands.

Traditional approaches to energy optimization often focus on improving the efficiency of individual equipment, or that of energy infrastructure. This is where the energy integration of processes comes into play, with the objective of optimizing processes from a global perspective.

Exergy Analysis itself is a valuable tool in energy integration. Within the imposed framework of minimizing total annual costs, entropy analysis helps determine the optimal plant concept, optimize energy conversion and use, and improve profitability.

It is an original contribution concerning the impact on the environment of all anthropogenic activities and showing that exegergetic efficiency constitutes a fundamental criterion for the preservation of the environment.

The objective of this work is to study cold production scenarios in order to determine which is the most eco-efficient.

This study was eventually expanded. The results obtained confirmed the possibility of adapting the heat pump to a renewable energy source. In our case, we opted for three types of sources: solar, wind and biomass.

The results can be seen as tools to help define new energy and environmental policies.

The consideration of exergy efficiency as an additional comparison criterion to environmental criteria, through the Exergy Life Cycle Analysis, will endow Life Cycle Analysis with more relevant tools for accounting for the consumption of abiotic resources. Thus, the increase in the exergy efficiency of the processes was considered as a solution to reduce the environmental impacts through the reduction of the degradation of natural resources. As a result, ELCA was retained in this work as a tool for comparing cold production scenarios. It has provided us with relevant tools for comparison between the different stages of the models proposed by identifying areas of potential for environmental improvement.

Nomenclature

P = Pressure (bar, Pa)

T = Temperature (K, °C)

x = Mass fraction

ExD = Destruction of exergy.

\dot{m}_i = mass flow (kg.s⁻¹)

W = Power (W)

Q = heat exchanged flow (W)

Ex = Specific exergy of a flow (kJ.kg⁻¹)

η_{ex} = Exergy efficiency

Impn: Impact of process n

Fin: conservative impact factor

QR: reference quantity

ETotal: value of the producible

Pc: maximum power of the photovoltaic installation (expressed in kWp)

Ir: average annual irradiation in terms of installation

Main: Performance ratio or coefficient of performance of the photovoltaic system: illumination under STC conditions (equivalent to 1 kWp / m²)

δ : Annual degradation of modules

n: Service life of the modules (expressed in years)

ImpUF: Impact of the PV system per functional unit

ImpSystem PV: Impact of PV system

ETotal: value of the producible

Subscribed

i = Component or stage i

T = Total

0 = Reference

EV = Evaporator

COMP = Compressor

GE = Generator

ECH = Solution exchanger

AB = Absorber.

V = Steam

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I. INTRODUCTION

Merchandising process involves its hard role from examine order till shipment, and thus they plays a very dangerous role in completing an order. The single mistake of each stage will be reflected only in the end process of shipment, so appropriate destinations that cause problem should be encircled priory to avoid issues. Every organization in today's condition, seeking for some proficient method to improve, in that way lean techniques utilization could be troublesome in implementing though it has its ideal improvement of all asserts like labour, cash and strategies. To accomplish these, the lean creation theory I utilized here is Kaizen and six sigma. The authors discussed about the lean role in the industries that is discussed by various authors.

The idea of 'Lean creation' was at first acquainted with the more extensive open in the book "The machine that changed the world" composed by Womack et al. (1990). The term is likewise perceived as 'Lean assembling' or simply 'Lean', to a business methodology with the target of ceaselessly limit squander and augment the progression of data and items (Liker, 2004; Ohno, 1988)(1).

Lean has subsequently expanded to business practice generally. Lean administration is turning into the norm for deliberate profitability improvement. Inefficient activity wiped out the unwanted exertion, space, and capital required and lead time is diminished while quality increments and the expense of value diminishes. Lean implementation faced various obstacles related to human aspects such as the lack of knowledge of daily kaizen practices for process improvement(5).

The Time Study observing framework, a yield of the examination, is a compelling and effective device to improve profitability in the whole sewing segment,

whose advantages stretch out to the entire association. Wasteful action is eliminated the result is that less effort, space, and capital are required and lead time is reduced whilst quality increases and the cost of quality decreases(6).The fundamental standards of lean and its goal is that the idea is based upon the worth creation forms, which implies that every movement, inside or outer, that doesn't support the end client, is recognized as waste, and will be killed from the procedure (Liker 2004; Hodge et al. 2011; Shah and Ward, 2007).

Here, certain changes in process were implemented to avoid non value added activities and getting gradual improvements in bottleneck areas.

II. METHODOLOGY

Garment Export Company is one of the important components in an export industry of India. The garment exporting is the second largest export from India after gems and jewellery export according to the year 2002 survey. The garment export is being in important contributor for the foreign exchange earnings of the country (Deshpande 2009). The Indian exports had a decline by one percent in 2017 when compared to 2016. This is highly possible only because of applying certain lean techniques and developing the standard process to make a prominent work flow.

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Process flow of an order



Hereby, above mentioned was the process flow happening in the merchandising process and highlighted stages are the bottle neck operations where efficient development is needed.

Lean Techniques were implemented to overcome the problem were occurred in production department is discussed here.

a) *Changing of order sheets*

According to Stern, Susan vi et al 1984 The textile exporting is the next largest source after agriculture in India. The textile has provide the jobs over 10 million employees. India has been the one of the

large exporters due to its skilled workforce of the employee, low wages, trained technicians etc. This made India to be the strong economy which gives the improvement of 7 per cent in 1983. Eliminating the waste of time and effort gradually increased them to next stage.

Here, some sheets of order sheets are not considered and used by the production unit. So order sheets was converted from six sheets into three sheets in which only required information are described short and clearly. This type of changes avoids paper waste, unwanted process, avoiding confusion and also minimizes the time to get it completely done.

Specification sheet: Pattern details, shade number, fabric width, parts of merchandise and accessories trims as shown in Fig. 1

Quantity sheet: About quantity, sizes and their comments as shown in Fig. 3

Embellishment sheet: About the embellishment and its placements as shown in Fig. 2

WORKAHOLIC		SPECIFICATION SHEET			QCC
Order Ref code : W/	Project : Workaholic 2019 - 2020 Client : Merchandise : Half sleeve shirt Date placed :	Category : Men	Fabric : Shade no : Fabric width :	Fabric swatch	
Pattern : Allen Solly Half Sleeve Regular Fit Shirt measurements					
<p>Front</p> <p>Workaholic and size label placement Small spread collar Patch pocket Half sleeve Outer placket with matching 18L buttons Straight cut with 1" hem at the bottom</p>			<p>Back</p> <p>Straight yoke</p>		
<p>Accessories/Trims :</p> <p>Workaholic and size label Matching thread Matching 18L buttons</p>		<p>Canvas for collar Placket canvas</p>		<p>*NOTE:</p>	

Fig. 1: Specification sheet

WORKAHOLIC		EMBELLISHMENT SHEET		QCC														
Order Ref code : W/	Project : Workaholic 2019 - 2020 Client : Merchandise : Half sleeve shirt Date placed :	Embellishment type : Embroidery (Satin fill embroidery with satin outline)	<p>Shade Card:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Shade number (color)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Shade number (color)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Shade number (color)</p>															
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Fig. 2: Embellishment sheet

Fig. 4: Client approval form

c) *Minimizing the timeline for each process*

According to Pankaj Sharma 2005, Indian exporting is typically lower than China in which China has 6 time more revenue in garment than India. The cycle time of a product is an important aspect in which it affects both price and delivery schedule.

Involving too much of time and no committed time leads to delay in process and delivery, to minimize the problem, deadline line for each process was allotted with confirmation of all team workers including production unit.

These are the proposal deadlines for each department

Sales manager confirming the enquiry- 5 days

Enquiry team working for their quotation – 2 days

Working for sample – 3 Days

Sales manger should get PO from client after confirming the sample – Minimum 2 days

Fabric should reach production at maximum – 30 Days

Production Process – Maximum 15 days (Depends On Quantity)

Client reachable - 60 days from PO (Compulsory)

Payment Clearance- 15 days from receiving goods.

d) *Catogirizing the datas according to priorwise*

According to Arashdeep Singh (2015) The 2d S, Seiton, manner 'neatness' and targets to have matters in the proper location or proper layout in order that humans can acquire or use something they want quick. To do that, one need to prioritise the need and importance of products/gadget to maximise ease of place. The key questions who, what, why, in which, while and the way (Imai, 1986) have to be requested of oneself in respect of each object. This pastime involves ensuring distinctive places for all items within the place of business, thereby facilitating employees to have green manipulate over the operations and allows employees to meticulously plan substances, supplies, or tools requirements.

There numerous datas in drive like internal request, purchase request, fabric booking, sample request, order sheet request etc. There will be more orders to look simultaneously but some have prior attention due to high value order or orders that received advanced payment etc.. In that case all these orders in a sheet will be highlighted in different way to indicates the importance and status of each orders shown in Fig 5 This reduces the confusion of getting jammed of finishing certain works. This goes by a flow and every order gets good time management and most probably the delay in each process will be eliminated.

Request No	Request Date	Purpose (Head of Account)	Client name	Value	Approved value	Expected date	Request settled date	Payee	Remarks
460	27.02.2020	Travel Request	Size Trial	400		Close In Internal		Alagumalai	Approved
571	04.03.2020	Travel	Hindustan	400		06.03.2020		Arun	Approved
572	04.03.2020	Vendor card	Office	500		07.03.2020		Mithun	Approved
854	06.03.2020	Machine service- Tinapur	flat lock machine	5,300.00		06.03.2020		Well known syndicate	Approved
851	26.02.2020	Office expense	Sales ban	2,500.00	200.00	26.02.2020			Approved
774	22.02.2020	Accessories	KCT-Yugam	4,423.00	4,423.00	24.02.2020			Approved/Hold
462	06.03.2020	Travel	Siechem	5,500.00	5,500.00	06.03.2020		Dinesh	Paid
464	06.03.2020	Client Visit	Intimate	4,150.00	4,150.00	07.03.2020		Ganesh	Paid
848	19.02.2020	Sizeset Washing	Sizeset	480	480	20.02.2020		Kokila	Paid
563	24.02.2020	Rabwin Goods Transportation Diesel	Rabwin	500	500	26.02.2020		Ganesh	Paid
562	25.02.2020	side set bag	Alor jessie	479	479	25.02.2020		Ganesh	Paid
564	25.02.2020	Counter	Ermas	2,250.00	2,250.00	25.02.2020		Ganesh	Paid
562	28.02.2020	Official card	KCT-Yugam	700	700	28.02.2020	11.03.2020	Akhaya	Paid
459	26.02.2020	Travel Request	Pollex and Tianode	3,300.00	3,300.00	27.02.2020		Job Anudass	Paid
853	27.02.2020	Office car - Fuel	KCT-Yugam and ZF	800	800	27.02.2020	11.03.2020	Akhaya	Paid
561	08.02.2020	Freight	KPR	500	500	12.02.2020		Ganesh	Paid
	17.02.2020	Bus Parcel	Pollex - Polo	500	500	17.02.2020		Ganesh	Paid
561	19.02.2020	Freight - Truck	Besten	498	498	19.02.2020		Ganesh	Paid
	25.02.2020	Bus Parcel	Shanaz	320	320	28.02.2020		Ganesh	Paid
786	04.03.2020	Accessories and fabric	Ashtech	594	594	06.03.2020	11.03.2020	Akhaya	Paid
457	25.02.2020	Travel	Travers & gown shankar	1,850.00	1,850.00	25.02.2020		Dinesh	Paid
761	05.02.2020	Packet, Collar & Cuff	Sathya	56,850.00	56,850.00	25.02.2020		Vetri	Paid
761	05.02.2020	Accessories	Sathya	23,854.00	23,854.00	25.02.2020		Vetri	Paid

Order in Process

Order waiting for fabric

Order is in Hold

Fig. 5: Status of orders in different colors

e) Minimizing the Sample pieces

According Fabrizio, Tapping (2006) The movement which does not add any value to the work is waste of motion. If the company is not having a efficient job process and office design leads to more walking, reaching or bending than necessary. The seiso is to clean the work place and setting things in order.

Giving more sample pieces to a specific client without getting purchase order is giving a way for client to involve in illegal process like implementing our designs with other vendor with minimum cost where that vendor does not have overheads and it is so easy for them to quote for less amount.

f) Created CRM Profile

According to Takhar (2004) has mentioned the benefits associated with 5S, such as fewer mistakes, high speed work management, better inventory management, improved employee discipline, and a more impressive environment to handle potential customers.

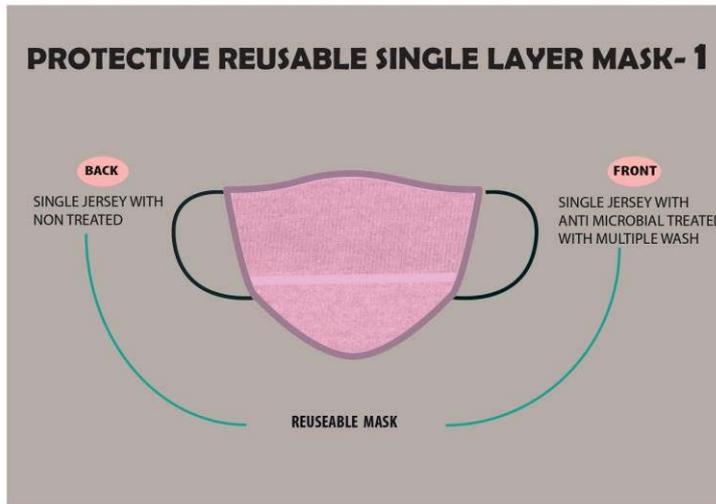
To get more effective relationships with client, created CRM profile, this is a platform in which all recurring clients can be added and started to have a relationship management with industry. In CRM all new output designs and quotations will be uploaded, so client get a chance to look details about all the merchandises and this helps to get more promoted about the ideas of design and create awareness about the industry works.

g) Proposal idea for new technique effective woven mask

Unfortunately, whole world was supposed to face a pandemic situation "Covid-19" which made everyone of us to protect ourselves with mask. When

comes to surgical, using of onetime usable mask is not most appreciable for day to day life.

So used technology in potential way and made an effective reusable woven single layer innovative cheap mask with best possible price that can be easily affordable and also highly effective. Here it is explained it in detail with design, pattern details, sourcing details and effectice costing.



PATTERN DETAILS

8" Width and 7" Length
1/2" fold on all sides

FABRIC DETAILS

Single Jersey - 120 GSM
30s Count Yarn
Bleached One

ELASTIC DETAILS

6" Elastic for Single side
Total 12" for a Single mask

SOURCING DETAILS

Yarn :	Knitting Details	Washing	Antimicrobial Treatment
30s OE - Bleached White	Single jersey	Autoclave or Silicon	We need to do the 100nm (Since for this corona virus have a 120nm in that size)
Sulochana Mills - MOQ 60 Kg	110-130GSM	PRODUCT LIFE : 10 - 15 washes	PSGTECHS COE INDUTECH
30days PDC Acceptable	32" Dia		We have given a approximate price will cnfirm the price after the lockdown is completed

DESIGN DESCRIPTION

- Fitting
- User friendly - No Irritation,soften feel and reusable
- No Nose pad - It is hazardous for longterm use.
- Production against Nano Particles -

COSTING DETAILS

Yarn Price /KG	214
Knitting Charge /KG	18
Washing /KG	16
Antimicrobial finsih /KG	180
Total'	428
5% Processing waste	21.4
Fabric Price	449.4
Consumption per Mask	7grams
Cost Per Mask	3.1458
Elastic Price per meter	5
Elastic Per Mask(12" including both side)	1.5
Sewwing thead (2 Meter)	0.016
Cutting	0.8
Stitching	2
Total	7.4618
Production & Management Over Heads	1
Margine 20%	1.49236
Grand Total	9.95416
Selling Price	10

Thus the above mentioned 7 methods are implemented in a way of lean approach to avoid non value added activities and to make a standardised flow in merchandise process.

to make the flow easier. To find the ranking of each changes, conducted a survey with 25 sample of merchandisers and designers. Their points for each changes was noted, consolidated and given below as Fig 7.

III. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

The proposal ideas had directed a standardized, effective and efficient flow of the process

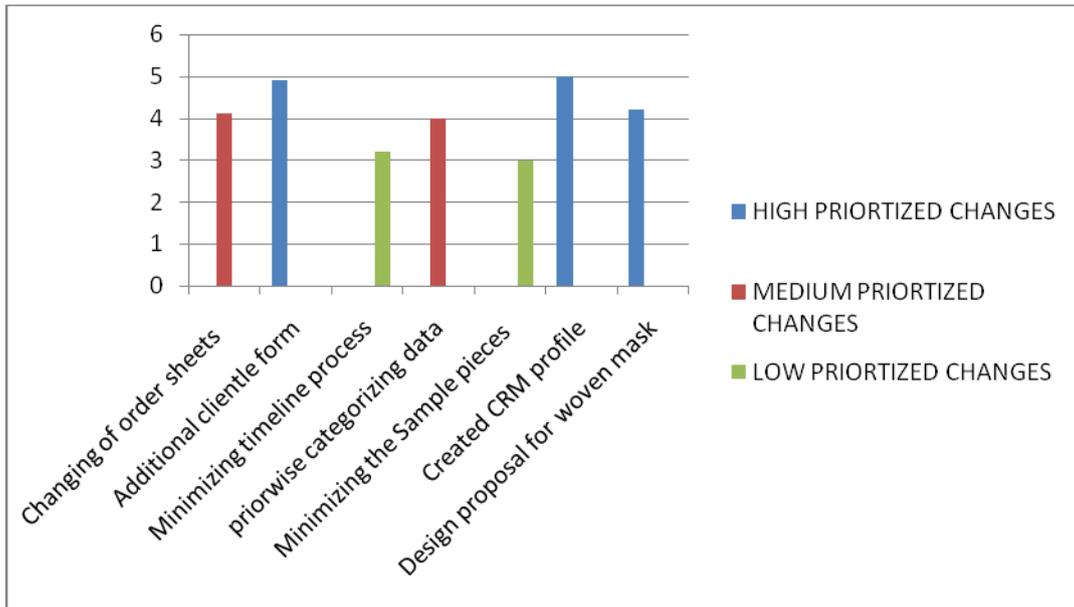


Fig. 7: Ratings of each methods

High Prioritized Effective Changes	Medium Prioritized Changes	Low Prioritized Changes
<p><u>Additional form to clientle</u>- This gradually decrease the confusion between client and sales manager, sales manager and enquiry team and enquiry team with designers to follow up with correct flow.</p>	<p><u>Changing of order sheets</u> - This changes avoids paper waste, unwanted process, avoiding confusion and also minimizes the time to get it completely done.</p>	<p><u>Minimizing Timeline for each process</u>- It may not be suitable for all type of orders, it depends on clients, merchandise, fabric availability and quantity.</p>
<p><u>Created CRM profile</u>- Chances of attracting clients and maintaining their relationship for a long time.</p> <p><u>Design Proposal for effective woven mask</u> – This is cheap effective method that can be used for a month with expected filtration</p>	<p><u>Priorwise Data</u> - This reduces the confusion of getting jammed of finishing many requests. This goes by a flow and every order gets good time management and most probably in delay in each process will be eliminated.</p>	<p><u>Minimizing the Sample pieces</u>- Not all clients get satisfied with this point, as we are a startup company, we cannot demand for samples with clients.</p>

IV. CONCLUSION

Thus from the above study it was understood that the merchandising is an important job and lot of non value added activities are involved in it and making the task more risk. Therefore in this study, by considering the risks involved, the lean techniques has been selected and implemented for reducing the non value added activities and making easy job for merchandisers.

Thomas A. Fabrizio (2006) Reduction of waste in the office helps to increase the cost or time of doing the work This can be applied to the most of the problems in industry by doing the 5s the seven waste can be eliminated such as correction and rework, waiting, unnecessary motion, over processing ,equipment downtime, Inventory and storage and inspection. Most of the companies feel that 5 per cent of work is only value added and others are non value added or wasted activity.

As per the discussion, applying principles of lean techniques had a major role in developing the order process in a most possible way. It helps to reduce time, to reduce overlapping work and confusion and it also helps to maintain a standard way to move in a flow.

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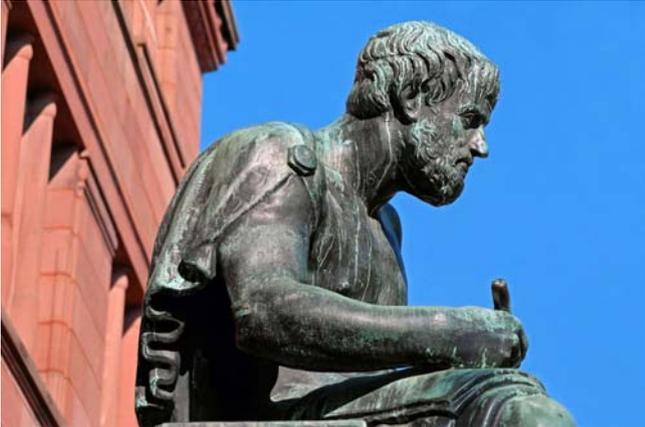
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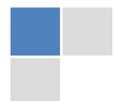
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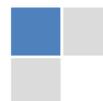
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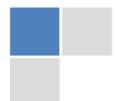
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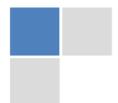
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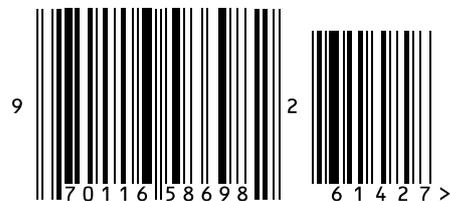


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