

PINEAPPLE

REDUCE DECAY, CONTROL ETHYLENE AND EXTEND STORAGE LIFE

Food safety concerns, reducing decay and extending storage life without the dependency of chemicals have increased the demand of safe, proven alternatives such as OZONE.

Thanks to PC Engineering ozone generators, pineapple packers and processors are able to extend product life, decrease decay and enhance food safety practices naturally, without altering the organoleptic properties and meeting HACCP standards.

SCIENCE-BASED SOLUTION

PC Engineering solutions provide a safe and proven alternative for pineapple packers and processors.

The ozone, efficiently fumigated inside the cold storage room is used during pineapple storage helps to maintain the high quality of the fruit for long time, preventing the decay and consuming the ethylene.

OPTIMUM SAFETY AND EFFICACY

The unique closed-loop concentration control and remote monitoring capabilities provide optimum safety and efficacy. The measurement sensors and on-board computer maintains ozone concentration at desired set-point. The solution includes fail-safe ambient air sensors and water sensors, which constantly ensure the safety of working area and the constant efficacy of the system.

The remote monitoring service constantly tracks system performance and provides detailed reports and automated alerts.

KEY FACTS

Reduce decay:

- Kill surface and airborne microorganisms
- Stop nesting of decay
- Extend storage life

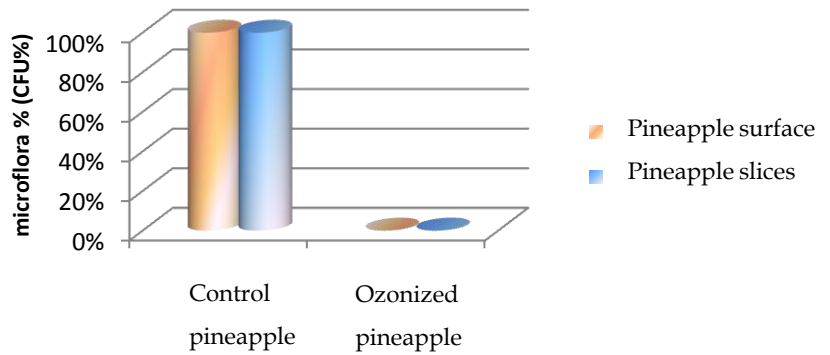
Control ethylene levels in storage rooms:

- Maintain fruit pressure
- Increase storage and shelf-life
- Gain options in market timing

USDA and FDA approved



Microflora on fruit surfaces
before and after ozone
fumigations



OZONE BENEFITS

| | STORAGE WITH OZONE TECHNOLOGY |
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| MICROFLORA CONTROL | All pathogens are killed. No microbial resistance phenomena |
| ETHYLENE CONTROL | Converts ethylene to water and carbon dioxide (process is outside the fruit) |
| RESIDUE ON FRUIT | No |
| ORGANOLEPTIC PROPERTIES and FRUIT QUALITY | Natural quality maintained |
| REGULATORY COMPLIANCE | None |
| CORROSION | None, using ozone at the indicated concentration |