

Summary

Grinding and mixing are important but energy intensive unit operations of food processing. As unified theory is still under development, equipment design is still empirical. As food material is diverse in shape, size and moisture content and different from that is available in other parts of the world, indigenous efforts for design and development of these equipment and for modifications of existing equipment for suitable adoption for food processing are very much required. Significant scope exists for “Make in India” concept in this area.