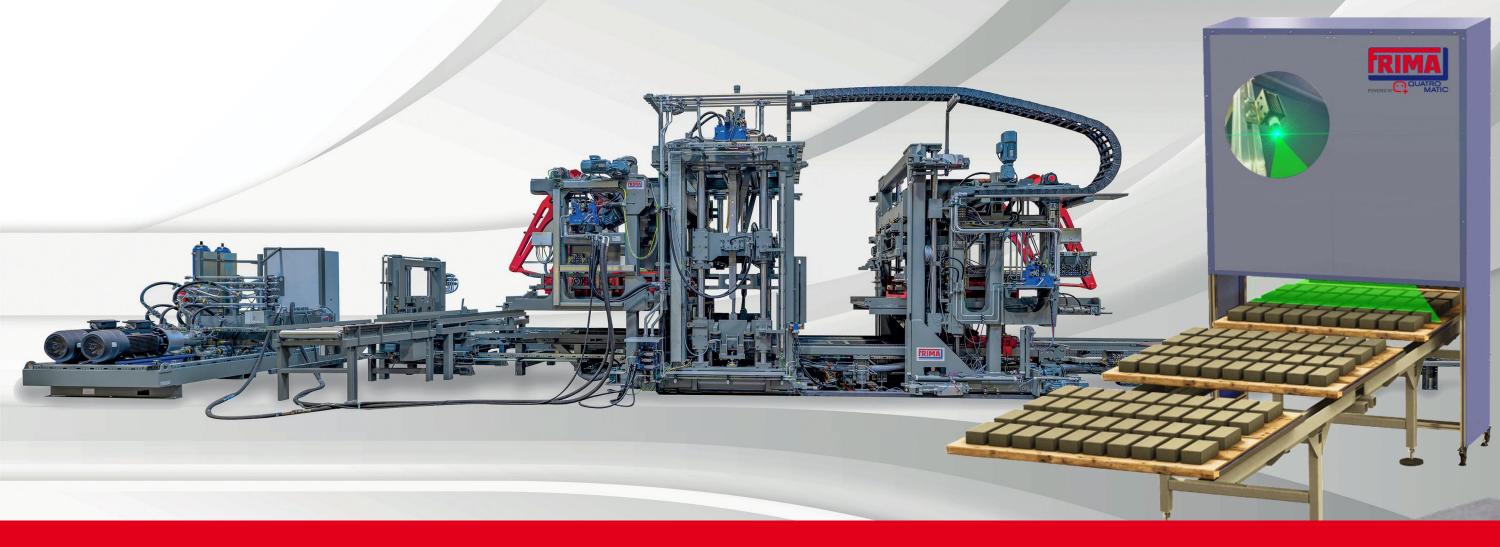


## AI-BASED AUTOMATIC QUALITY CONTROL AQC



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## **Manual QC today**

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- Impossible to setup equipment once and for all
- + Strong influence of human factor on the production process
- Lack of tools for **automatic** continuous production control and accounting
- → Low level of adoption of Industry 4.0\* technologies









<sup>\*</sup> A new approach to production based on the mass introduction of information technology into industry, automation of business processes and the spread of artificial intelligence



Automatic quality control system for paving tile production based on artificial intelligence.

It can be installed in the **existing production** without stopping the production process.

Works with the conveyor line of any manufacturer, without modifications to the equipment

#### **Functions in production:**

- + Reduces production losses
- Improves overall product quality
- New level of automation and control of the production process



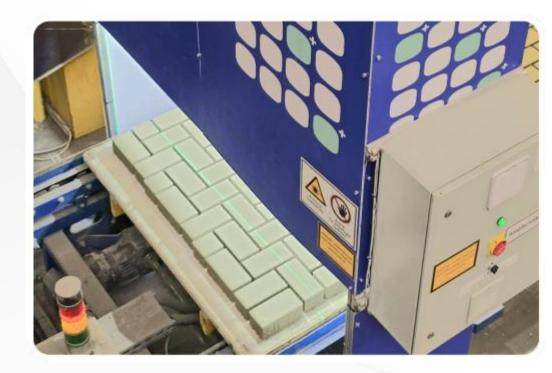


FRIMA AQC is installed on the wet side after the vibropress and before the curing chamber without interfering with the production process

Laser scans and photographs the board with the product, detecting height deviations and defects of the face layer: cracks, pits, stains, inclusions

Displays a real-time photo of the board on the operator's screen, highlighting with a colored border the different types of deviations for each item, allowing the operator to prevent the production of faulty products

Saves and accounts for all pallets produced for further batch analysis









- Measurement of product height and density
- + Detection of defects in the face surface
- Classification of paving tile colors
- Collection and analysis of production statistics
- Active feedback to the factory
- Remote monitoring **24/7** from anywhere in the world



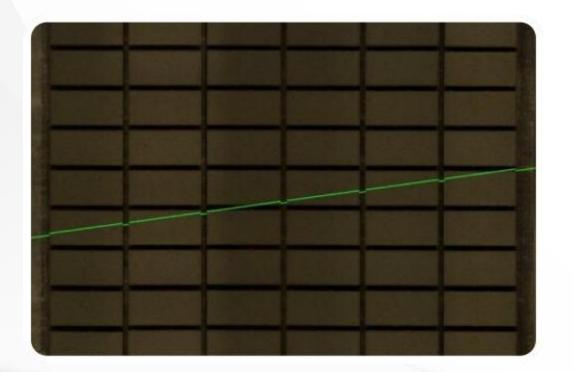


Using a high-precision laser, FRIMA AQC measures the height of all products on the board with an accuracy of 0.5 mm

This precision allows you to control the average height of the items and produce at the lowest permissible height, which significantly reduces raw material costs

Savings on raw materials

3-5%



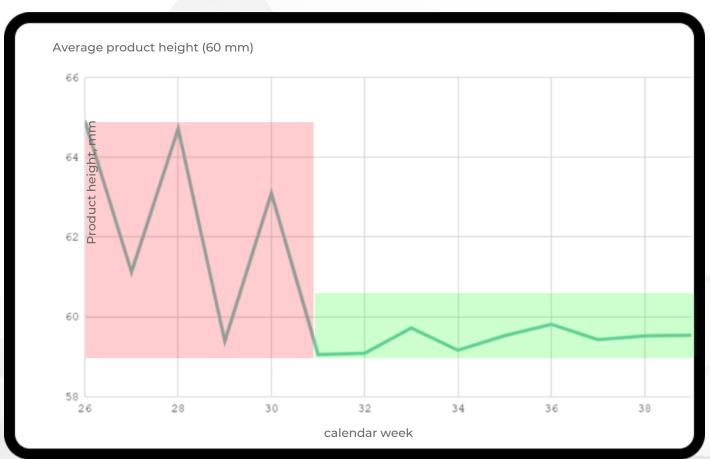




# A real example of FRIMA AQC implementation



Calendar week	60 mm products		
	average height	number of cycles	
26	64,92	2 448	
27	61,12	5 309	
28	64,71	10 771	
29	59,39	13 661	
30	63,10	9 857	
31	59,05	13 966	
32	59,08	12 396	
33	59,72	7 206	
34	59,16	9 228	
35	59,53	9 894	
36	59,81	13 376	
37	59,43	18 643	
38	59,52 10 108		
39	59,54	1 926	
Total cycles:	138 789		



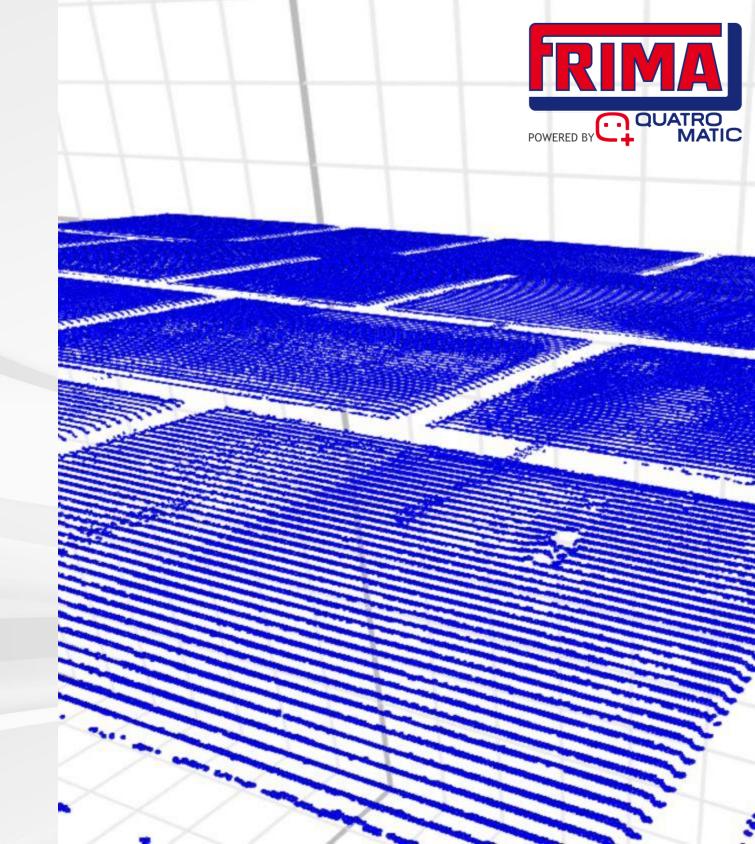
Reduction of the average height of the products by 8%!



FRIMA ACQ measures the height of huge number of points on each tile

Calculates the volume of each tile and all products on the board with high accuracy

Determines the exact density by dividing the mass by the resulting volume (scales must be installed on the conveyor)









Changed the settings of the vibropress:

The height is normal

but the density is too low



The operator changed the settings again:

**Height is normal** 

**Density normal** 

within the optimally permissible limits that allow to produce products without defects in accordance with standard, saving on raw materials







### **Defect detection**



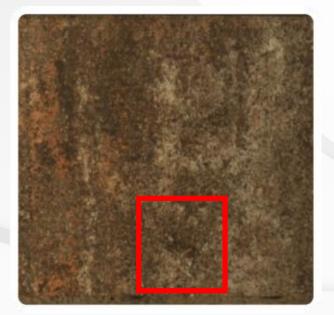
FRIMA AQC recognizes 95% of defects in the face surface of products, such as:

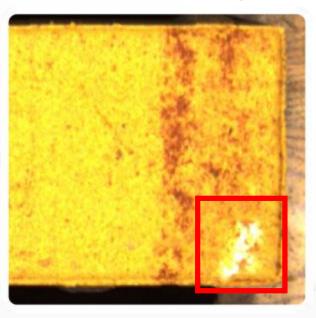
- + Stains
- + cracks
- + Pits
- inclusions

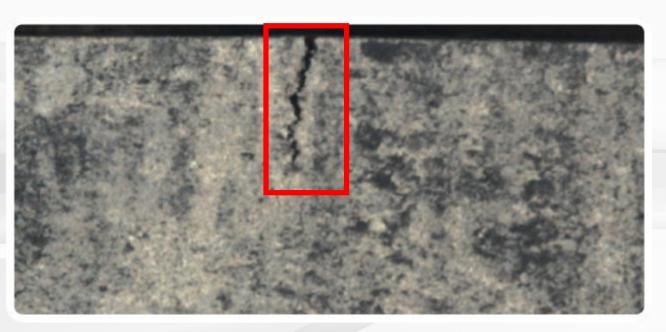
Detected defects are displayed in the operator interface in real time

Timely detection of defects reduces the share of defective products

by 50%











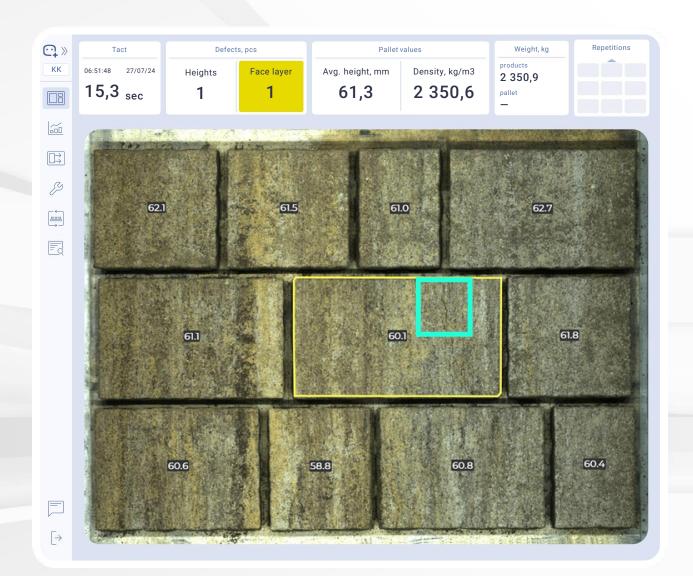
#### Wet side

Signal to the operator interface when problems are detected: face layer defects, height and density deviations, recurring defects

Reporting recurring molding problems to the chatbot

Sending a signal to the conveyor controller to stop the conveyor and prevent the production of defective products

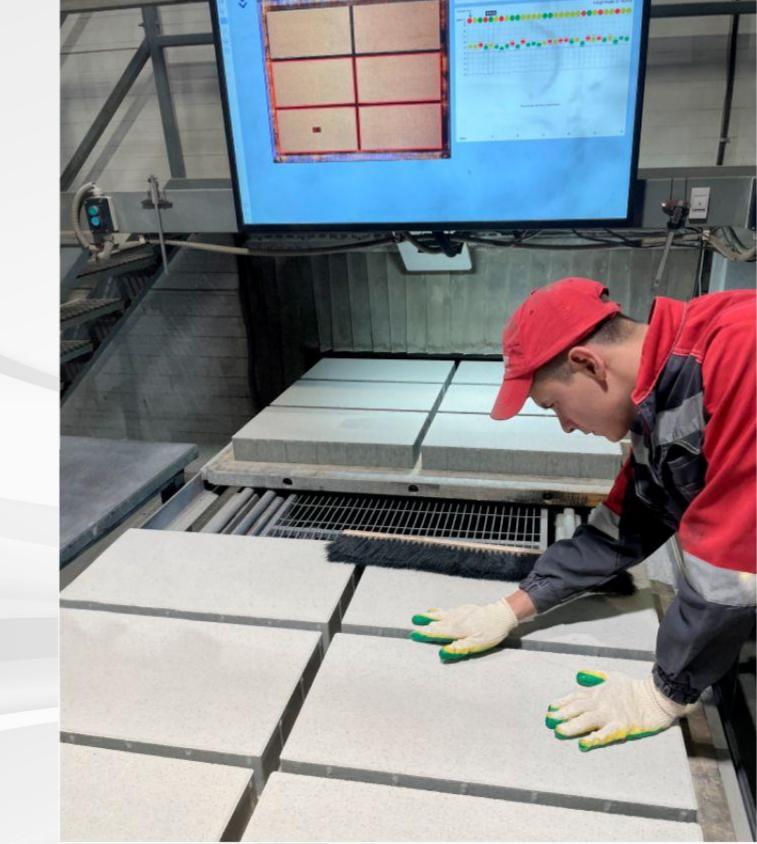
Reducing the impact of the human factor





### **Dry side**

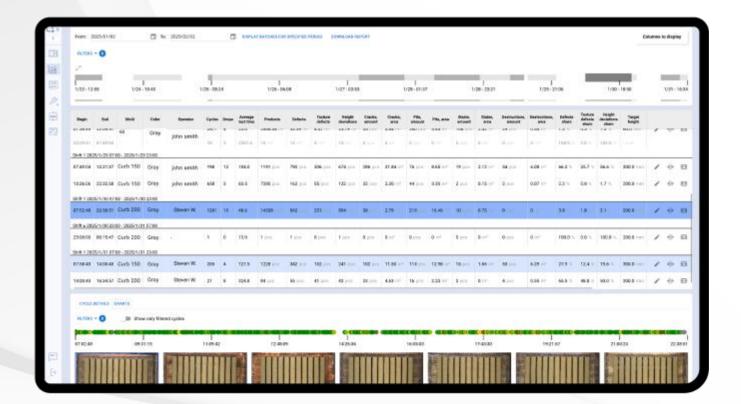
- + Possibility to stop the conveyor when a defective product comes out
- Hint to the sorterman indicating the item needs to be replaced
- Predicting the time after which the pallet with the defective product will be released
- Possibility to transmit the coordinates of the defective product to the sorting robot

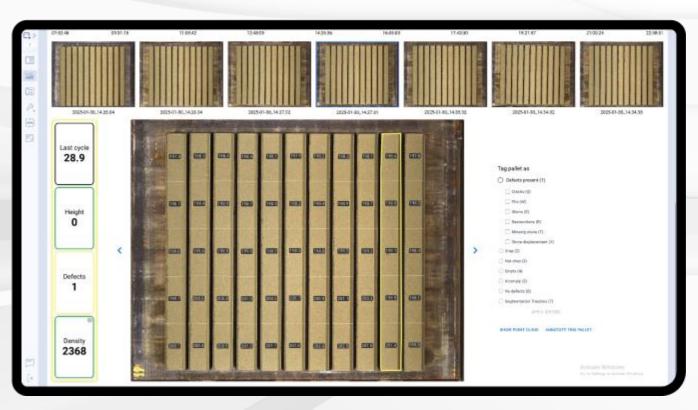




- + Automatic accounting for all batches produced with comprehensive information on each batch
- Filtering the entire batch history by operator, mold, color
- Photo archive of each batch containing
   all detected defects with the possibility of filtering by any parameter
- Display of all idle times in the batch

100% Accuracy in production indicators









A simple and easy to use user interface is available for any type of device in a regular web browser.

FRIMA AQC allows you to always be aware of what is happening in the plant at any time from anywhere in the world - you can monitor the entire production in real time









Reduction of losses from production of defective products	by 80%	FRIMA AQC detects face layer defects on the wet side in <b>95</b> % <b>of cases</b>	
Material savings	3-5%	FRIMA AQC measures the height of all products with an accuracy of <b>0.5 mm</b> , can be molded to the <b>lower tolerance limit</b>	
Reduction of overproduction	by 80%	FRIMA AQC detects deviations and <b>alerts the operator in real time</b> , so that the required number of mixes can be predicted more accurately	
Automatic collection of production statistics and report generation	by 100%	FRIMA AQC classifies <b>colors and molds</b> , and automatically keeps track of products by batch	



Now at factories overproduction of products by 5-7% is considered the norm.

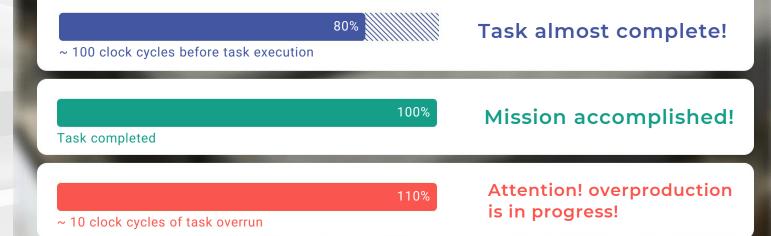
With FRIMA AQC, the operator sets the quantity to be produced and tracks it in real time:

- Number of products including defects
- + How many more products need to be produced
- + Excess molding

FRIMA AQC helps the operator accurately meet production targets and the plant minimize costs from overproduction



Current batch					
Form fitting Acro Classics		Color Amethyst	2	Finalize	
	Finished product 844,81 <sub>M2</sub>	defective 92,37 <sub>M2</sub>	M. height 60,1 mm	Cf. density 2 350,9 kg/m3	
Production task 9	952,46 м²	~ 100 clock cycles before task execution			





#### FRIMA AQC improves productivity:

Measurements are performed automatically, the operator is constantly at the workplace,

- he doesn't need to frequently go to the conveyor to check the products, especially when setting up a new batch
- Setup time of new batch is reduced by 5-10 minutes
- A full work shift of **10 hours** per month is released when changing product type 2 times a day





The smooth operation of **FRIMA AQC** is ensured by:

- Industrial fanless computer
- + IP54 protection of electronic components
  - The camera lenses are protected by filters
- and the special arrangement prevents dust from accumulating







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