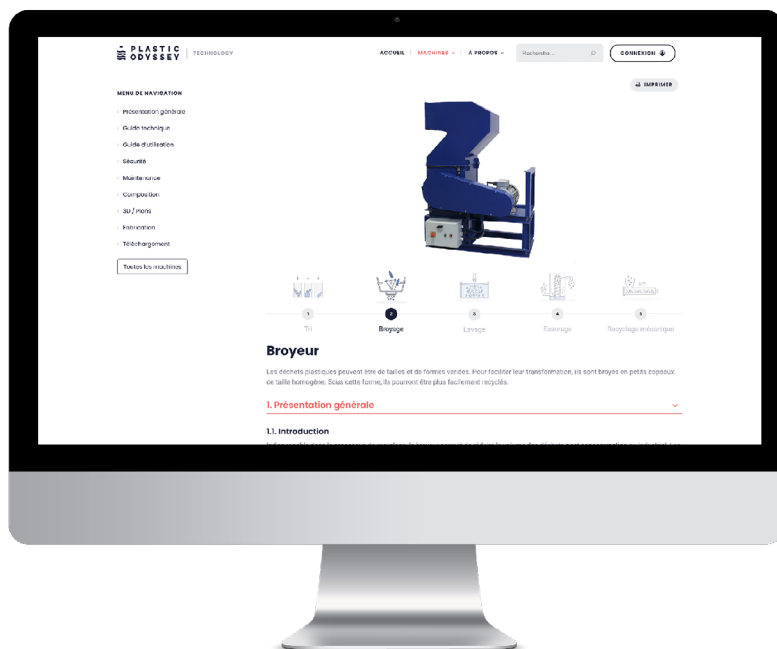
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## Plastic Odyssey Technology: a New Platform to Download Open-Source Recycling Machines Blueprints



### A New Open Source Platform About Plastic Recycling

After 4 years of Research and Development, Plastic Odyssey is launching its brand new open source platform for tomorrow's recycling entrepreneurs. [www.plasticodyssey.tech](http://www.plasticodyssey.tech) allows the technologies used on board the vessel Plastic Odyssey to be shared with as many people as possible. The ship will leave on a world tour in November to develop recycling social entrepreneurship around the world.

#### Contents and objectives of the technological platform

- **Disseminate** recycling machine plans and technical knowledge on plastic waste
- **Share** business models based on recycling and recovery of plastic waste
- **Connect** an ecosystem of local actors to create a global recycling network

**Transform plastic waste into new useful objects to meet a local need and create an economically sustainable industry with accessible tools.**

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## Technologies designed according to three characteristics

### Low-tech: simple and accessible manufacturing

They can be built and repaired with standard parts and tools. Construction can be done locally and at low cost.

### Open source: free access to knowledge

Designs are made available free of charge and without patents to maximize their replication and therefore impact.

### Local scale: designed for on-the-ground use

They are designed to create local and decentralized channels, as close as possible to the waste deposits.

 Read more about [www.plasticodyssey.tech](http://www.plasticodyssey.tech)

## What is Plastic Odyssey?

Simon BERNARD, CEO and co-founder of Plastic Odyssey:

*« Plastic Odyssey is a recycling laboratory that experiments and develops new ways of recovering plastic waste.*

*We design technologies that can be replicated and adapted worldwide, to create recycling networks where they do not yet exist. Alongside the machines, we document and disseminate existing business models and we support entrepreneurs to develop new ones. These business models are adapted to each region of the world. »*

 Discover [Plastic Odyssey in vidéo](#)

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