

The invention relates to an installation for drying organic matter, especially kitchen and food wastes or other biological matter, including matter that contains packaging residues, napkins, straws or the like. Said installation comprises the following components: a) a vacuum mixer (M) having a closable charging opening for introducing the organic matter and a closable discharge opening, disposed at the bottom or laterally towards the bottom, for the dried matter, b) at least one vacuum pump (VP) for evacuating the air in the mixer to generate the vacuum, said pump being connected to at least one evacuation tube mounted above the maximum filling level in the housing of the mixer (M), c) a heater (H) for heating the organic matter, d) at least one condenser (K), connected to the air evacuation duct (AL) of the vacuum pump (VP) and having a cooling unit (KA) connected thereto to condense the evacuated air, and e) a discharge duct (AW) for the condensate obtained from the evacuated air by cooling in the condenser (K).