Biogaz development in France

- **Food industry:**
  - 127 digestors
  - +5 per year

- **Municipal Plants:**
  - 5 plants built since 2003 (capacity: 340 kT MSW/y)
  - 2 plants in building today (Montpellier, Marseille)
  - 2012: around 20 plants

- **Sewage treatment plants:** 68
  - decreasing
  - old plants
## On-farm biogas

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Means and purpose to develop biogas

- **Today:**
  - new price for electricity (2006)
  - help to investment (French state, EU)
  - Different tools: biogas calculator, GHG calculator, rules guide

- **in the future:**
  - simplification for environmental rules
  - Purpose: 1000 plants in agriculture for 2013
Which valorisation for digestate?

- Spreading plan
- Homologation
- Normalization (NFU44051/NFU44095 = enrichment)

⇒ Very important problem in France
⇒ Which solutions for other countries?
Les premières installations en France

GAEC Oudet (Champagne Ardennes), 30 kWe

Exploitation Lebbe (Aquitaine)

SCEA des trois chênes (Nord Pas de Calais), 250 kWe

GAEC du Château (Champagne Ardennes), 80 kWe