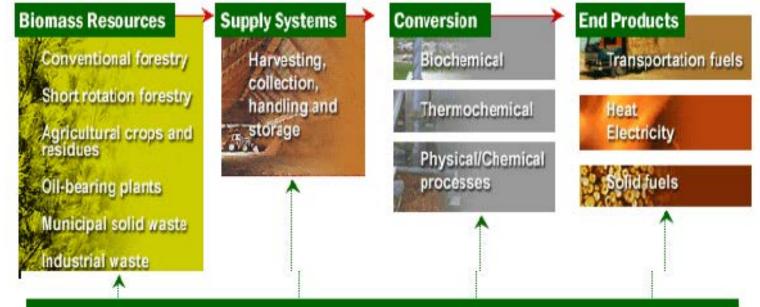




Task 37 Energy from Biogas An Overview

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Scope of Task 37 Studies

- Agricultural slurries, crops & crop residues
- Organic fraction of municipal solid waste
- Waste water treatment/sewage sludge

- Heat, electricity generation & CHP
- Up-grading to biomethane Injection into grid/compression for vehicle fuel



Work in progress

- 1. Pre-treatments of feedstocks, including ligno-cellulosic biomass
- 2. AD process monitoring techniques/process optimisation
- 3. AD of sewage sludge
- 4. Economics of small-scale biogas production
- 5. Digestate up-grading techniques
- 6. Biogas in Smart Grids
- 7. Biomethane as a vehicle fuel
- 8. Emissions monitoring and control
- 9. Success Stories (focus on successful projects)
- 10.Dissemination through contacts with local/national authorities and industry



Quality management of digestate from biogas plants used as fertiliser

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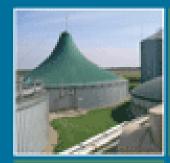


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