

From Food Waste to Innovative Bio-based Products



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- Specialist in **Food Industries.**
- **19 years experience on R&D projects**, technological consultancy and training:
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 - 15 years as Head of Environment, BioEnergy and Hygiene Dept.
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- Knowledge Member of the **Spanish Biogas Association.**
- Member of the Executive Committee of **EHEDG** (European Hygienic Engineering and Design Group).



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ABOUT AINIA



private non-profit

710 associates

186 people

13,8 M € revenue

customer-led services · independence · confidentiality · integrity · commitment

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We give support and add value to companies, leading innovation and technological development in a responsible and committed way

| More than **1.100 associated companies** | More than **20 years** of experience in applied R&D |
| A staff of **200**, mainly **technologists** | **12.000 m²** of facilities |

We work for the Food, Pharma, Chemical and Cosmetic sectors

We are specialists in **Food Technology** | **Biotechnology** | **Nanotechnology** | **Electronics** and Communications | **Chemical Technologies** | **Environmental** and energetic technologies |

We provide Solutions for Food & Health | Food Quality & Safety | Design and Industrial Production | Sustainability | Packaging |



12.000 m2

7 laboratories

10 pilot plants

OUR INFRASTRUCTURES

Our infrastructures are prepared to respond to the technological needs:

▶▶ **7 laboratories:**

Chromatography | General Chemistry | Physical Tests (food and packaging materials) | Microbiology | Molecular Biology | Cell Culture Laboratory | Bio-Security Level P3 Laboratory |

▶▶ **10 pilot plants:**

Unit Operations in food Processing | Biogas | Supercritical Fluid Technology (scf) | Packaging | New Product Development | Water | Hygiene | Bio-Production | Spectroscopy | Vision |

▶▶ 5 polyvalent and multifunctional rooms

▶▶ Researchers' room (100 people)

▶▶ 12.000 m² of facilities

▶▶ Assembly hall (120 people)



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PRACTICAL RESULTS FOOD WASTE



Alta tecnología extractiva



4 Extractors x1000 L.

1st multi-purpose industrial supercritical CO2 extraction plant

ALTEX works as a **service company** offering industrial production under contract or test manufacturing.

Applications:

-Obtaining nutraceutical products and dietary supplements such as: **vitamins**, **antioxidants** from plants or **essential oils**, fish oil or derivatives deodorised and purified, etc. Extraction, fractionation and purification of **herbal or medicinal plant extracts** for cosmetic and pharma applications.

► CLUMBER Project.



AINIA developed a **Winery Waste Biorefinery**, including new **bioprocesses** like:

- Fermentation** of *Bacillus cereus* group on wine **vinasses** to be used as a "bioestimulant" of plants.
- Enzymatic** process of grape **peels/seeds** to aminoacids to be used as "biofertiliser".



► Anaerobic Digestion.



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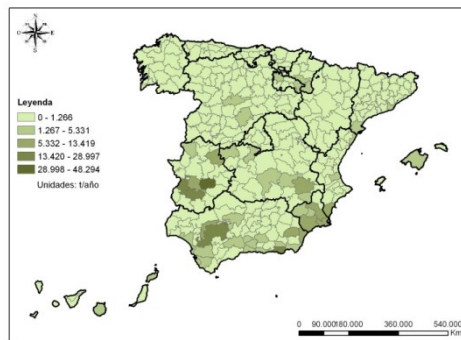


2007-2011

Food waste characterization and quantification.
DATABASE with **180** subcategories of agro-food waste in **330** Spanish subregions.

www.probiogas.es

Project data has been used to define the **Spanish BioEconomy Strategic Plan 2020**.



Cuantificación de residuos por agrupaciones

Agrupación	Descripción	Residuos	Unid.	Agrupación	Descripción	Residuos	Unid.
GA_A	Purín de cerdo	218	litro	VA2_C	No conformes tubérculos	48	litro
GA_B	Estiércol de vaca	26.712	litro	VA2_D	No conformes cítricos	0	litro
GA_C	Jalisco	5.424	litro	VA2_E	No conformes frutas no cítricos	90	litro
GA_D	Residuos de otros especios	7.275	litro	VA2_F	Transformación hortalizas	45	litro
AA_A	Residuos matadero carne	14.403	litro	VA2_G	Transformación tubérculos	10	litro
AA_B	Residuos matadero avícola	0	litro	VA2_H	Transformación cítricos	0	litro
AA_C	Residuos de esterilización	3.362	litro	VA2_I	Transformación frutas no cítricos	75	litro
AA_D	Residuos C2	0	litro	VA2_J	Residuos - piel, correa	0	litro
AA_E	Lodos EDAR: cáscara	1.089	litro	VA2_K	Alpechin IF	0	litro
AA_F	Lodos EDAR: lactosa	59.403	litro	VA2_L	Residuos industria vino	0	litro
AA_G	Lactosuero	0	litro	VA2_M	Residuos industria soja	367	litro
AA_H	Residuos de productos lácteos y otros	13.591	litro	VA2_N	Residuos industria azucarera	0	litro
AA_I	Residuos de pescado	371	litro	VA2_O	Paja de cereal	281	litro
AA_J	Lodos EDAR: penoso	143	litro	VA2_P	Lodos EDAR: transformados vegetales	0	litro
AA_K	Incendentes cereales	0	litro	VA2_Q	Cultivos energéticos	0	litro
AA_L	Incendentes hortalizas	209	litro	IB2_A	Glucosa	287	litro
AA_M	Incendentes tubérculos	240	litro	IB2_B	Residuos (DMS) (biocatal)	0	litro
AA_N	Incendentes cítricos	0	litro	IB2_C	Residuos (DMS) (biocatal)	0	litro
AA_O	Incendentes frutas no cítricos	224	litro	IB2_D	Residuos paja remolacha (biocatal)	0	litro
AA_P	No conformes hortalizas	42	litro				

FICHA	RESIDUO CARACTERIZADO	TIPO	CATEGORÍA	SUBCATEGORÍA
An1_100	HARINA DE AVE	An	An1	An1.110

PARÁMETROS IMPORTANTES DEL PROCESO ANAEROBIO				
ANÁLISIS DETALLADO	PROM_CSR	MIN_CSR	MAX_CSR	FUENTE
ST - %	98,8			Probiogas
SV -NST	83,0			Probiogas
pH a 20°C	6,1			Probiogas
CE - mS/cm	3.450,0			Probiogas
N-NH4 - mg/kg	5.684,0			Probiogas
ODO total - mgO2/kg	772.215,0			Probiogas
DOO soluble - mgO2/kg	220.776,0			Probiogas
COT - mg/kg	7.829,0			Probiogas
Alcalinidad - mg CaCO3/kg	1.000,0			Probiogas
AGV - mg HAc/kg	2.074,7			Probiogas
NIT - mg/kg	80.460,0			Probiogas
P total - mg/kg	32.545,0			Probiogas
K total - mg/kg	5.781,0			Probiogas
C/N				Probiogas
COT/Norg	0,1			Probiogas
Biogás - NL/kg SV	660,0			Probiogas
Metano - NL/kg SV	513,0			Probiogas

Base de datos de potencial de producción de biogás de las materias primas agroindustriales

Clasificación PROBIOGÁS: Agrupación: Subcategoría:

Descripción de la materia prima:

Caracterización química:

Potencial de producción de biogás:

Fecha del ensayo:

Temperatura (°C):

VCO (g/L):

Yield (day):

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Demonstration of a new **INTEGRAL Biogas and Biodiesel** valorization system for food waste from city restaurants.

2009-2011

Awarded Project
LIFE Best Environment Projects 2012

www.integral-b.com





1st car in Spain to use **biomethane from agro-food waste** as a biofuel.

2010-2013



www.agrobiomet.es



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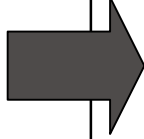


Sustainable **small-scale biogas production** from agro food waste for energy self-sufficiency

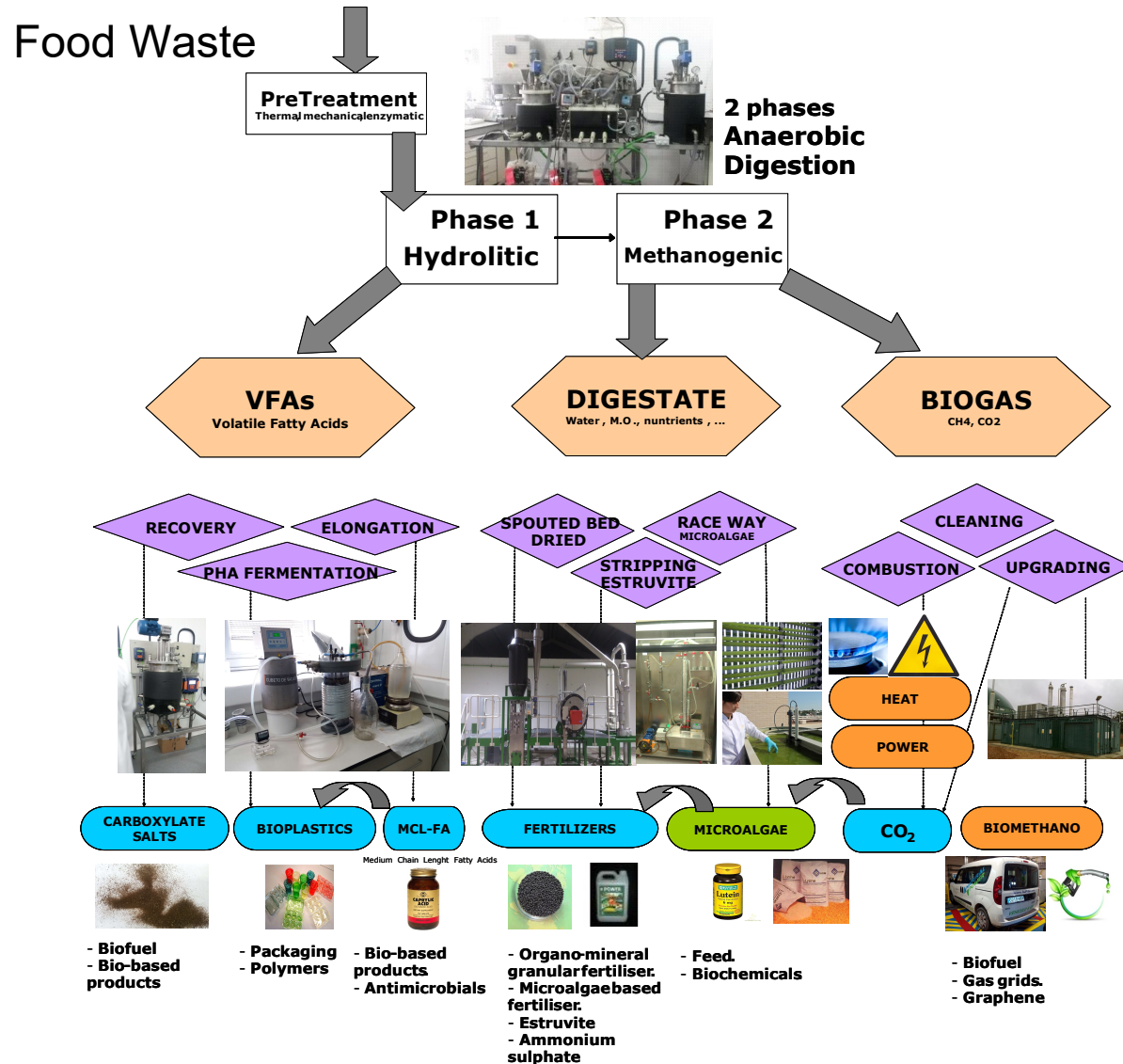
www.biogas3.eu



From food waste biogas plants to biorefineries.

Biogas plant TODAY	 Future biogas plant based in the concept of BIOREFINERY
<p>1- Biogas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Power. • Heat. • Biomethane <p>2-Digestate.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compost. • Direct land application. 	<p>1-Plataform VFAs (carboxylates):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carboxylate salts (as building block) • PHA (bioplásticos). • MCL-FA. <p>2-Plataform digestate</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New biobased solid fertilisers like ammonium sulphate or estruvite. • Microalgae for biobased products, specially for biofertilisers. <p>3. Plataform biogas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Power, heat and biomethane. • CO₂ and CH₄ to biochemicals and biobased products (bioplastics, etc.)

From food waste biogas plants to biorefineries through 2-phases anaerobic digestion



Software helping to select best biorefinery configuration



Identificación

Usuario [Configurar Red](#)

Contraseña

ACEPTAR CANCELAR

Proyectos **Proyecto ID1-PROYECTO PARA EL ...**

PROYECTO PARA EL CLIENTE 1

Q Total (l/d) Carbox. (%) Algas (%)

R. Raceway R. Inclinado

Caldera Cogeneración Biometano



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Sustratos

Sustrato	Q (kg/d)	Q (l/d)	Volume Ratio (%)	COD (g O2/L)	NTK (g N/L)	Phosphorous (mg P/L)	ALK. (g CaCO3/L)	TS (g TS/L)	VS (g VS/L)	NH4+ (g N/L)	Potassium (mg/L)	Chloride (g/L)	Sulphate (g SO42-/L)	Liq. Fract. (g liq/kgw)	Density (kgw/L)	BMP (%)
Estiércol Cerdo	2.500	2.500	25	32,5	3,3	1.100	7,5	17,3	11,7	3,1	3.300	0,85	0,03	983	1	0,6234
Estiércol Vaca	7.500	7.500	75	154	5,5	5.374	5,4	132	93	1.486	5.000	19,8	0	891,5	1	0,75
Estiércol Pollo	0	0	0	262	21,75	5.664	0	250	175	1	8.963	0	0	750	1	0,6598
MEZCLA	10.000	10.000	100	123,625	4,95	4.305,5	5,925	103,325	72,675	1,8895	4.575	15,0625	0,0075	914,375	1	0,71835

Evolución

Características	ENT. AD1	CARBOX	ENT. AD2	GAS (m3/d)	SSL	SOLIDO	SPOUTED	LIQUIDO	STRUVITE	STRIPPING	m Algas (strp)	m Algas (Dir)	m Algas
Q (kg/d)	10.000,00	4.000,00	6.000,00	207,69	6.000,00	304,16	187,52	5.126,25	4.152,26	3.737,04	14.948,15	5.126,25	20.074,40
COD (g O2/L)	123,63	123,63	123,63	593,40	24,73	234,11	0,00	1,08	1,20	1,20	0,67	0,08	0,76
NTK (g N/L)	4,95	4,70	4,70	0,00	4,47	14,98	178,95	3,86	3,52	1,56	0,58	0,20	0,78
Phosphorous (g P...)	4,31	4,31	4,31	0,00	4,31	18,51	76,47	3.537,63	0,98	1,09	1,02	0,45	1,47
ALK. (g CaCO3/L)	5,93	5,93	5,93	0,00	5,93	5,93	0,00	5,93	6,58	2,93	10,93	3,04	13,97
TS(g TS/L)	103,33	37,92	37,92	0,00	24,29	230,00	970,00	10,64	10,64	9,46	7,07	1,09	8,16
VS (g VS/L)	72,68	18,17	18,17	0,00	4,54	43,01	0,00	1,87	1,87	1,66	2,17	0,33	2,50

Resultados

Resultados	CARBOXILATOS	SPOUTED	GAS	STRUVITA	STRIPPING	m ALGAS	TOTAL
Masa (Kg)	0,00	187,52	207,69	31,61	25,25	100,37	0,00
Importe (€)	0,00	3.750,32	6.121,49	284,47	0,00	802,98	10.959,26

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CHALLENGES FOR THE FUTURE

Challenge #1
TO CREATE NEW BIO-BASED VALUE CHAINS

To design **innovative models** to enable the build-up of **sustainable** new, **circular**, **local** bio-based value chains

Challenge #2
TO BOOST THE CONCEPT OF BIOREFINERY
IN NEW AND EXISTING BIOINDUSTRIES

Can a existing food factory or a waste treatment
be transformed in a biorefinery?

Challenge #3
**NEW BIOTECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENTS
TO ENABLE FOOD WASTE CONVERSION**

To develop advanced bioconversion technologies of food waste into bio-based products.

Challenge #4
WASTE WATER OF FOOD INDUSTRIES AS A
SOURCE OF BIORESOURCES

Recovery and/or bioconversion of valuable components, as well as water reuse

Inspiration

NEXT EXIT 





PHBOTTLE PROJECT (VIDEO)



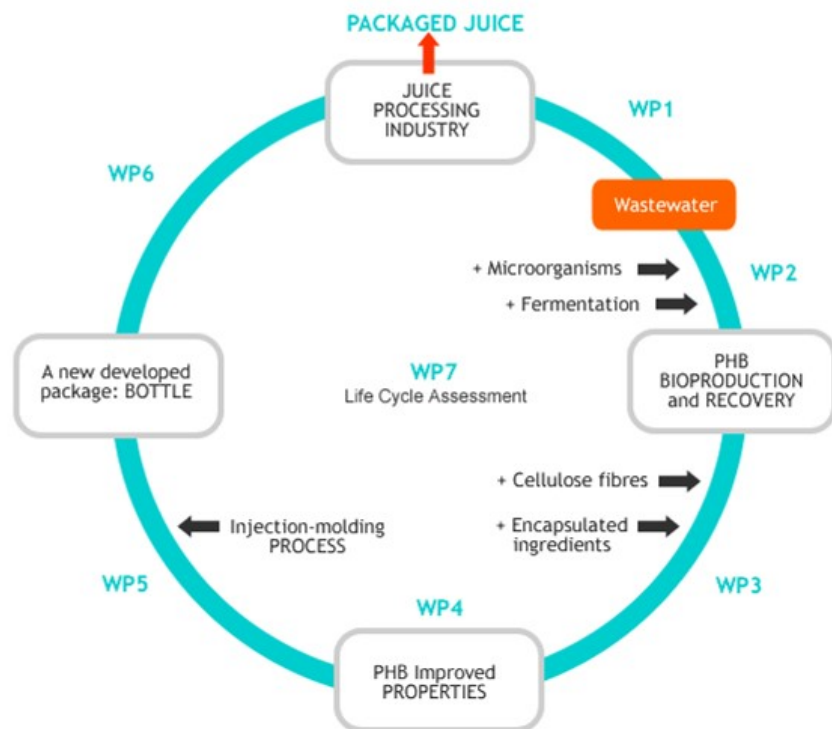
FP7 NMP.2011.2.3-1.



To develop a bioplastic (PHB, polyhydroxybutyrate) by fermentation of juice processing wastewater.

2011-2015

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