

ECONWARD

HIGH SOLIDS THERMAL HYDROLYSIS PRE-TREATMENT TECHNOLOGY FOR ORGANIC WASTE



Equipment included

- ✓ Autoclave system ✓ Support structure
- Vacuum system

- Cooling tower
- Feeding & Outlet Hopper
- SCADA Software

BIOMAK® FEATURES

Processing capacity	65,000 tonnes per year
Uptime	<90% (7884 h)
Process type	Semicontinuous, fully automated
Optimal feedstock	Particle size <140mm ; TS: 20%-80%
Dimensions	20 m (l) x 6 m (a) x 16 m(h)
Operating conditions	2.5 - 4 barg ; 139 °C - 152 °C
Residence time	20 minutes

OPEX



Water 0.220 m³/t



Heat **Demand**

120-170 kWh,/t





Liquid effluent

 $0.112 \text{ m}^3/\text{t}$



Maintenance

120,000 €/year



Personnel

Max. 2 per shift (shared with exisiting facility)

INTEGRATION IN ANAEROBIC DIGESTION



Key Benefits

30% additional processing capacity

20% - 50% additional specific biogas production

Increased organics separation efficiency and recovery >90%

Increased biogas quality: +10% CH $_4$ content; -50% H $_2$ S concentration

10% - 15% less solid digestate

Full process stability

65,000 tonnes/year 10% P/C

35% TS 8% Light residuals

67% Organics 5% Heavy residuals

Feedstock example





Additional savings

- Less heat required in operation
- Potential avoidance of a pasteuriser
- No need of chemical reagents
- Less expenses on the H₂S cleaning and biogas upgrading
- Water savings from using the BIOMAK® liquid effluent in low solids AD
- High stability avoiding operational stops and reducing digester maintenance
- Capability to process new MSW streams

▼ 70,562 tonnes/year

32% TS



HOMOGENEOUS

Raw Biomass





