

Sludge Treatment We turn a problem into a resource

Re-move pollutants

Re-think innovation

Re-duce greenhouse gasses

Re-turn on investment

Re-circulate resources



Who is AquaGreen?







Technology Company Within the Clean-Tech area.

Patented Technology We have two patents pending

Co-operation with DTU We are located at the DTU Campus.

Business Focus

Our main focus territory is currently near markets and our main focus fields are

- Municipal Waste Water Treatment
- Industrial Waste Water Treatment
- Aqua Culture Industry.







What do we do?

First, we dry, using super heated steam, and then we pyrolyse the sludge

The energy source is the organic content in the sludge.

We utilize this calorific value in the sludge by burning the pyrolysis gasses.

...and excess thermal energy, for district- or local heating

The end product is a biochar/soil improver with plant available phosphorus, and can be processed into activated carbon (filter material)



Recycle resources











Our technology supports 11 out of UN's 17 Sustainable Development Goals





2 plants treating sludge from 50.000 PE will be running in Denmark from summer 2021. We will sell a 500 kW model serving 75.000 PE also in Norway, Sweden and Germany 2021-22





Burning platform 1: Sludge banned on farmland



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Burning Platform 2: Climate change -> Farming Industry -> Biogas Industry

IPCC (Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change) states

- 1. Phase our fossil fuels
- 2. Carbon accumulation outside the atmosphere required:
 - Plant trees
 - CO₂ from air or flue gas to be captured and stored
 - Produce and use biochar (or activated carbon)







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Why is biochar good for the environment and agriculture?

- Biochar is a marketable product
- Biochar is transportable (biomass volumes reduced with 90%)
- Biochar eliminates CO₂ emission from biomass residue
- Biochar is a fertilizer product with nutrients (P, K)
- Biochar is a soil improver
- Biochar increases water capacity
- Biochar may reduce leaching of N
- Biochar ensures carbon storage -> carbon removal credits
- Biochar can now be up-cycled to Activated Carbon in our reactor





Burning Platform 3: Industries with "hazardous" waste

- Diseases eliminated
- Environmental pollutants eliminated
- Heavy metals evaporated and captured
- Volumes reduced up to 90%





Farming greenhouse gas emissions can be reduced with 50 % Equivalent to 11 % of Denmark's total GHG emissions



^{*) 89%} of all nitrous oxide and 78% of all methane is emitted from farming

- The farming industry accounts for 22% of the GHG emissions in Denmark 10.5 million CO₂-eq
- AquaGreen's technology can reduce the manure storage time (29%) and eliminate the emissions after spreading manure and sludge (38%)
- A total reduction of 50% of the GHG-emissions from the farming industry can be obtained, which equals 11% of Denmark's total GHG emissions.

What are the benefits?







Return on Investment – 2-6 years today and will improve further as plants get bigger in the coming years

The ROI depends on:

- Income/savings:
 - Usage of and price for excess energy
 - Current disposal cost
 - Price of bio char/activated carbon
 - Carbon removal credits
 - CSR/PR/Image Value
- Size of equipment/volume processed



Processing cost/ton



Acknowledgements from all regions in the world Europe, Asia and North America







Yes, our planet is under pressure

Yes, we are running out of Phosphorus

- But, our ancisters can be able to grow crops

Yes, we have environmental challenges

- But, our groundwater can be protected

Yes, we have climate challenges

- But, CO₂ emissions can be reduced
- And, we can produce sustainable energy



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