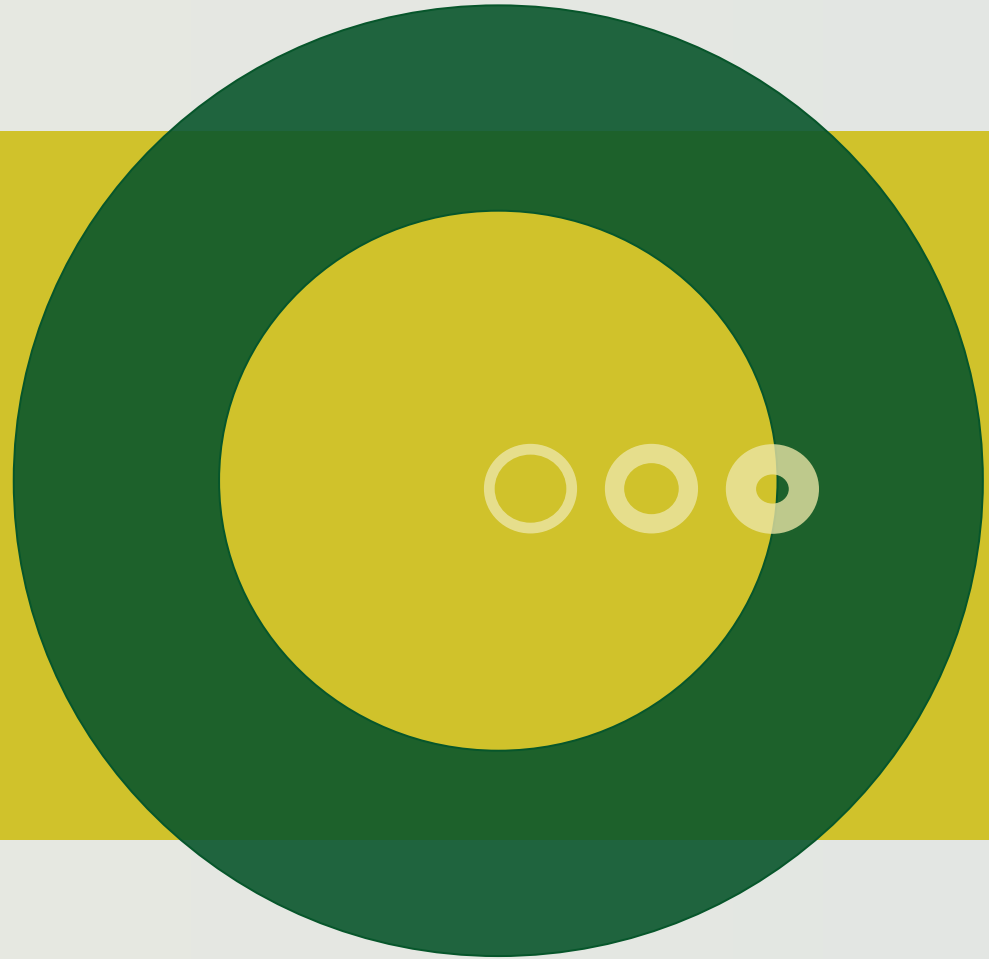


# WP5: Logistics & Economics

Logistic of Biogas  
Production



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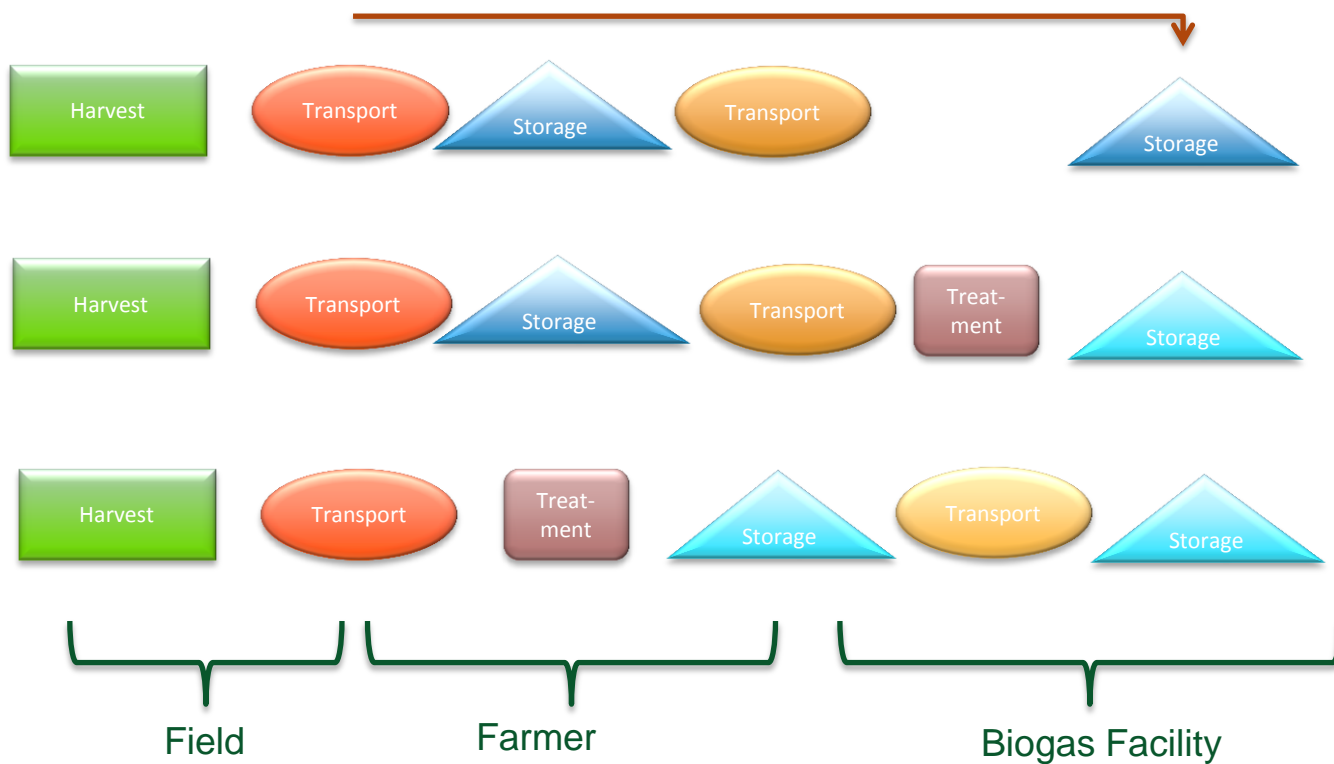


Milestones	2013			2014			2015			2016		
1. Selection of biomasses	X	X										
2. Simple submodel for two biomasses		X	X									
3. Maternity Leave				X	X							
4. Improved submodel for two biomasses					X	X	X					
5. Modelling of additional biomasses						X	X	X	X			
6. Final model for calculation revenue on sale of individual biomasses								X	X	X		
7. Model integrated into yearly variation of biomass demand and availability										X	X	
8. Seminars							X				X	

## Progress: On schedule

- ✓ Biomasses have been selected
  - Wheat straw, rape straw, grass from meadows, maize straw, beets
- ✓ Simple and improved submodel for two biomasses is ready
  - Wheat straw, rape straw
- ✓ Modelling of additional biomasses has been initiated
  - Grass from meadows ready, maize and beets ready before end of 2014

## Designing the model



## Example: Wheat straw

Straw bale or briquette?

Transport in field/on road?

Loading/unloading?

Stored in open barn, closed barn, silo, container?



Density 0.2T/m<sup>3</sup>



Ø= 7-9 cm  
Density 0.5 T/m<sup>3</sup>



## Example: Wheat straw, Data entry sheet

Entry for straw	
<b>Yield</b>	
Yield	676 ton
Cultivated area	200 ha.
Yield per hectare	3,38 ton/ha.
Dry matter	85%
Organic matter - VS/TS	95%
<b>Methane potential</b>	
Straw	230 L CH <sub>4</sub> /kg VS
Extruded straw	277 L CH <sub>4</sub> /kg VS
Briquetted straw	277 L CH <sub>4</sub> /kg VS
<b>Field expenses</b>	
Raking	0 kr./ton
Baling	-145 kr./ton
<b>Distance to farmer/barn</b>	
Distance	0,5 km
Tractor equipped with frontloader & 2 bale trailers	-650 kr./hr.
Capacity	20 bales/load
Loading rate, field	2,7 min/ton
Loading rate, stock	2,1 min/ton
<b>Farm loading</b>	
Tractor with frontloader	
Tractor with frontloader	-650 kr./hr.
Loading rate	2,07 min/ton

These entries are locked

- Can be changed in a separate sheet if need be

## Example: Wheat straw, Data entry sheet

**Entry for straw**

**Yield**

Yield 676 ton

Cultivated area 200 ha.

Yield per hectare 3,38 ton/ha.

Dry matter 85%

Organic matter - VS/TS 95%

**Methane potential**

Straw 230 L CH<sub>4</sub>/kg VS

Extruded straw 277 L CH<sub>4</sub>/kg VS

Briquetted straw 277 L CH<sub>4</sub>/kg VS

**Field expenses**

Raking 0 kr./ton

Baling -145 kr./ton

**Distance to farmer/barn**

Distance 0,5 km

Tractor equipped with frontloader & 2 bale trailers -650 kr./hr.

Capacity 20 bales/load

Loading rate, field 2,7 min/ton

Loading rate, stock 2,1 min/ton

**Farm loading**

Tractor with frontloader

Tractor with frontloader -650 kr./hr.

Loading rate 2,07 min/ton

White boxes signify required user input



## Example: Wheat straw, Data entry sheet

**End product**

Ekstruderet straw ▼

**Extruding expenses**

Extruder, mixer, conveyor	-5.500.000	kr.
Capacity	10.000	ton/yr
Operation and maintainance	-99	kr./ton
Insurance	-50.000	kr./yr
Service life	10	yr

Choose end product

**End product**

Briquetted straw ▼

**End product**

Straw bales ▼

**Farm storage**

Open barn ▼

Barn, concrete floor ▼

Barn, gravel floor ▼

Barn, concrete floor, briquettes ▼

Choose type and size of storage at farm and at facility

## Example: Wheat straw, Comparison sheet

### Wheat straw calculator

End product:	Straw bales
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#### Expected costs:

Baling and raking	-145 kr./ton
Farm storage	-349 kr./ton
Plant storage	-267 kr./ton
Transport	-211 kr./ton
Pretreatment	- kr./ton
Cost per ton	-972 kr./ton
<b>Total cost</b>	<b>-657.402 kr.</b>

#### Expected income:

Energy yield	2.185 kWh/ton
- Electricity	874 kWh/ton
- Heat	1.093 kWh/ton
Income from electricity	970 kr./ton
Income from heat	273 kr./ton
Income per ton	1.243 kr./ton
<b>Total income</b>	<b>840.447 kr.</b>

<b>Difference, kr</b>	<b>183.045 kr.</b>
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### Decentral briquetting

End product	Briquetted straw
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#### Expected costs:

Baling and raking	-145 kr./ton
Farm storage	-42 kr./ton
Plant storage	-356 kr./ton
Transport	-181 kr./ton
Pretreatment	-1.001 kr./ton
Cost per ton	-1.725 kr./ton
<b>Total cost</b>	<b>-1.166.294 kr.</b>

#### Expected income:

Energy yield	2.632 kWh/ton
- Electricity	1.053 kWh/ton
- Heat	1.316 kWh/ton
Income from electricity	1.168 kr./ton
Income from heat	329 kr./ton
Income per ton	1.497 kr./ton
<b>Total income</b>	<b>1.012.191 kr.</b>

<b>Difference, kr</b>	<b>-154.103 kr.</b>
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# Example: Wheat straw Print sheet

## Economy : Straw to Biogas

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### Harvest

End product	Straw bales
Cultivated area	200 ha.
Transport: Field to farmer	0,5 km with Tractor & frontloader
Transport: Farmer to facility	20 km with Truck & trailer
Loading equipment	Tractor with frontloader at farm, Telescopic loader at facility

### Yield

Yield	3,38 Ton/ha.
Dry matter	89%
Ash	3%
Gas potential	277 L CH <sub>4</sub> /kgVS
Gas yield	805 m <sup>3</sup> CH <sub>4</sub> /ha.

### Storage

Storage needed	4225 m <sup>3</sup> bales or 1502 m <sup>3</sup> briquettes
Farmer site, storage	Open barn, 5000 m <sup>3</sup>
Facility, storage	Barn with concrete floor, 5000 m <sup>3</sup> <i>Note: Storage facility used for multiple purposes</i>

### Pretreatment

Briquetting	
Cost, yearly	-kr. 626.590
Hereof, paid by straw	6 % (straw) and 80 % (other)

### Economy

Expected costs	kr.	-511.237
Expected yield	kr.	916.298
Difference	kr.	405.062

# Models for rape straw and meadow grass are ready, too

Produktionsomkostninger for rapshalm til biogas		
Udskrevet d.		21-10-2014
<b>Høstmetode</b>		
Færdigt produkt	Ekstruderet halm	
Transport til landmand	0,5 km med Traktor med halmvogn og frontlæsser	
Transport til anlæg	100 km med Traktor og halmvogn	
Maskiner anvendt til læsning	Traktor med frontlæsser hos landmand og Traktor med frontlæsser på anlæg	
<b>Udbytte</b>		
Opdyrket areal	60 ha.	
Udbytte	195 Ton/ha.	
Tørstofindhold	91%	
Askeindhold	9%	
Gaspotentiale	356 L CH4/kgVS	
Gasudbytte	945 m3 CH4/ha.	
<b>Lagring</b>		
Lagerbehov	1218 m3 halmballer eller 433 m3 briketter	
Valgte lagre hos landmand	Staklade på 5000 m3 <i>Bemærk: Lagrene fyldes delvis med andet end halm</i>	
Valgte lagre på anlæg	Staklade på 5000 m3 <i>Bemærk: Lagrene fyldes delvis med andet end halm</i>	
<b>Forbehandling</b>		
Ekstrudering		
Årlige låneomkostninger	-kr. 729.673	
Procentvis udnyttelse af maskine	1,9 % til halm og 92 % til andet	
<b>Økonomi</b>		
Forventet omkostninger	kr.	-231.401
Forventet udbytte	kr.	322.772
Difference	kr.	91.371

Produktionsomkostninger for enggræs til biogas		
Udskrevet d.		21-10-2014
<b>Høstmetode</b>		
Færdigt produkt	Ingen forbehandling	
Transport til landmand	Dækket af høstomkostninger	
Transport udover 12 km	5 km med Traktor med halmvogn	
Maskiner anvendt til høst	Pistemaskine	
Maskiner anvendt til læsning	Skal ikke omlæsses	
<b>Udbytte</b>		
Areal	12 ha.	
Udbytte	69,6 Ton/ha.	
Tørstofindhold	80%	
Askeindhold	5%	
Gaspotentiale	234 L CH4/KgVs	
Gasudbytte	1017 m3 CH4/ha	
<i>Bemærk: Gasudbytte afhænger af græsblanding og høsttidspunkt</i>		
<b>Lagring</b>		
Lagerbehov	249 stk rundballer	
Valgt lagringsmetode	Ingen lagring/lagring i det fri	
<i>Bemærk: Kun lagret på anlæg</i>		
<b>Forbehandling</b>		
Ikke valgt		
<b>Økonomi</b>		
Omkostning, landmand	-80 øre/kgTS	
Forventet omkostninger	kr.	-44.025
Forventet udbytte	kr.	69.502
Difference	kr.	25.477

## Cost calculations – questions answered by the model

- "How is cost affected if..."
  - Another type of storage is chosen?
  - The methane potential increases?
  - The straw is pretreated?
  - Beets are produced instead of maize?
  - The distance to the facility changes?
  - Straw is briquetted locally instead of at the facility?
  - Electricity cost changes?
  - Trucks are used for transport instead of tractors?
- 50-100 parameters can be varied for each crop
- The outcomes can easily be compared

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