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2 Bio Energy Technologies for Sustainable Future

- 3 Platform for Carbon Sequestration Hazira Plant
 - Project status and results-Hazira Plant, KDMIPE & CM&SG

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- Nodal agency for Sustainability.
- Sustainable Growth is organically linked to our overall growth
- Our Vision: Sustainable Growth
- Our focus: Triple bottom-line growth
- Our Policies on SD:
 - Corporate policy on SD
 - Policy on sustainable water management
 - Policy on greening supply chain
 - We subscribe to Green buildings

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Working Areas

- Carbon & Energy Management
- Clean Development Mechanism(CDM)
- Sustainable Water Management
- Low carbon and renewables
- R&D on CO2 reformation
- Waste Management
- SD Reporting
- Future areas
 - Supply chain
 - Biodiversity

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Carbon Capture Technology for Sustainable Development

> Planning of Bio Energy project

Biomass – a Sustainable Option





Why Algae?













Hazira Plant – A Background





You would be glad to know

Hazira Plant is the one of the largest Sour Gas processing plant in India

- Installed Capacity: 52.5 MM\$CMD
 - Designed Capacity: 46.9 MMSCMD
 - Processing :
 - 37-40 Million M³ Gas/Day
 - 6000 M³ Condensate /Day

Hazira Plant – A Fact Sheet



Area a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a	638 Hectare (6.38 sq km)
Boundary Wall	19 Kms
Employees	800
Initial Investment- CAPEX	Rs 1300 Crore (210 Million US\$)
Commissioned In	Sept' 1985



Hazira Plant -Energy Life line of North West India





Milestones at Hazira Plant







Project Objective(s) -CCSP-WP6





World's Number 3 Exploration & Production Company : Platts

Bio Fixation of CO₂ by Microalgae



- Acid Gas Quantity : 0.5 MMSCMD
- Acid Gas Composition
 - 98 mole% CO₂
 - 2 mole% H₂S
- Vent Gas Composition : $CO_2 23\%$, $O_2 15\%$ and $N_2 60\%$.
- Experimental Study : CO₂ Sequestration using Algae
- Tasks
 - Reactor construction and algal strain selection
 - Installation of reactor and pre test
 - Experimental CO₂ Sequestration studies
 - Biomethanation potential of algae and pilot scale studies of bio gas production

Bio Fixation of CO₂ by Microalgae



Project Objective(s):

- 1. Reactor construction and algal strain/strains selection
- 2. Installation of reactor and pre test
- 3. Establishing the protocol and experimental CO 2 sequestration studies
- 4. Biomethanation potential of algae and pilot scale studies of biogas production from algae

Conclusion:

- 1. The pilot carbonation column is able to bring down 33% initial CO2 concentration to an average of 15% CO 2 concentration. The whole 33% CO2 present in vent gas can be sequestered in liquid by employing pressurized water scrubbing system and the carbonated liquid can be transported to algal ponds / photobioreactors set up. The advantage of the transport of carbonate liquid is its cost effectiveness if land available for the algal growth is limited.
- Chlorella sp. yield is about 18g/m 2/day which on anaerobic digestion yields about 386 L CH 4/g VS fed.



Bio Fixation of CO₂ by Microalgae

Outcome of Pilot Study

Reduction of CO_2 in vent gas from 33 mol% to 15 mol%.

- 4 m³ water to treat 20 m³ of vent gas.
- Biomass production: 18000 kg.
- Methane production: 1136 m³

Deatiled report shared on CCSP portal CO2 free vent gas Water In Vent gas

Photobioreactor



Proposed Future Set Up



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Counter current water scrubber

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Sample details



- 178 Water Samples from different water bodies of
 - 10 states of India were collected and 40 numbers
 - of micro algae Strains have been isolated and identified.
- Scenedesmus, Pyramimonas, Chlorococcum,
 Westella, Chlorella, Ankistrodesmus, Quadrigula.
 Kirchneriella, Coelastrum, Oocystis are the main
 genera isolated and identified.

Lab study



- Morphological and growth characterization of microalgal isolates
- Optical and Fluorescent staining done using Nile red
- Lipid content analysis of microalgal isolates and analysis of fatty acid profile. 21 algal isolates showed to contain significant lipid content.
- Studies on enhancement in lipid accumulation in microalgal isolates.
- Hydrocarbon content analysis of microalgal isolates.
 14 algal isolates showed to contain significant hydrocarbon content.

Photomicrographs of isolated Algal Strains





Scenedesmus sp. after Fluorescent Staining



Without Staining After Nile Red fluorescent Staining



Field Study



Out of 40 micro algal isolates the following 7 micro algae were identified for outdoor cultivation showing the higher Lipid and higher hydrocarbon content

Field Study





1000 L Raceway pond

Field Study



- CFTRI-1, shortlisted strain for lipid content studied to maximize the biomass and lipid content in outdoor conditions reached up to 3000 liter pond.
- Second strain KA 7 RC reached up to 95 liters in two ponds each out side to maximize the biomass. Further study is in progress.
- Hydrocarbon producing algal isolate HT-BG 11 has shown improvement in growth and is now expanded to 45 liters in each of the two ponds to adapt the culture in outdoor conditions.

Project finding



For Lipid Production				
Sr.No.	Isolate Code	Microalgal species	% (W/W)	
1	CFTRI-1	Scenedesmus sp.	63.00	
2	KA7-1	Unidentified sp.	57.23	
3	KA7-2	Scenedesmus sp.	50.80	
4	KA7RC	Scenedesmus sp.	48.00	
5	KA5	Pyramimonas grossii	36.33	
For Hydrocarbon Production				
1.	MYS-BH	Selenastrum gracile	46.75%	
2.	HTBG-II	Kirchneriella contorta	> 40%	



Thank You.....

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