

# Biogas plant for agriculture

- Reduce emissions
- Produce energy
- Increase profitability

## References since 2008

**FALKENSTEIN**  
Biogas Plant, Germany



**Input:**  
Corn silage, whole crop silage,  
sweet sorghum silage

**Digester:**  
Steel tanks  
 $2 \times 3,100 \text{ m}^3$

**FORCATE**  
Biogas Plant, Italy



**Input:**  
Grass- and corn silage

**Digester:**  
Steel tank  
 $1,700 \text{ m}^3$

**SZEPIETOWO**  
Biogas Plant, Poland



**Input:**  
Rye-, corn- and grass silage, sugar  
beet pulp silage, waste pulp,  
potatoes, fruit pomace  
**Digester:**  
Glass coated steel tank  $5,000 \text{ m}^3$

**Ed GOPAC**  
Biogas Plant, Ukraine



**Input:**  
Corn silage

**Digester:**  
Steel tank  
 $5,670 \text{ m}^3$

## Lectures / Publications

**FISCHER, T. and Dr. K. Backes 2017**

**Agricultural based Biogas Plants in Europe**  
International Conference on Intelligent Agricultural  
Maschinery in Taiwan, IIF of New Agricultural  
Ressources Curculation Application Organisation:  
Taiwan Livestock Institute, Taiwan, Yunlin, Huwei,  
December 2017

**FISCHER, T. and Dr. K. Backes 2013**

**Grünschnitt und Grassilage: Technische und  
biologische Aspekte der Vergärung**  
9. Biogastagung Dresden zum Thema: Anaerobe  
biologische Abfallbehandlung  
Forum für Abfallwirtschaft und Altlasten e.V.,  
11./12.11.2013 Dresden



Agricultural based Biogas Plants in Europe  
Torsten Fischer and Dr. Katharina Backes



# Agricultural substrates  
# Presentation of individual plants  
# Special Biogas concept with  
upright digester  
# Digestate separation



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# Vergärung von Grünschnitt und  
Grassilage  
# Vergleich Mais- und Grassilage  
# Entschwefelung  
# Gärrest-Nutzung

## Brochure

**Biogas Plants:**  
Engineering • Construction  
Operation • Optimization



**Biogas Plants**  
Engineering • Construction  
Operation • Optimization

The sustainable and  
intelligent way of producing  
renewable energy  
and managing waste



# Tailor-made biogas plants  
# Independent engineering office  
# Experience with different  
feedstock  
# Technical details of biogas plants  
# 160 references worldwide

# Biogas plants for the sugar industry

- Reduce emissions
- Produce energy from waste
- Increase profitability

## References since 2011

<b>ANKLAM</b> Biogas Plant, Germany			Input: Sugar beet, vinasse  Fermenter: Enamelled steel tank 4 x 4,600 m <sup>3</sup>
<b>VIERVERLATEN</b> Biogas Plant, Netherlands			Input: Sugar beet pulp, sugar beet fragments, potato waste  Fermenter: Steel tank 4 x 4,600 m <sup>3</sup>
<b>DINTELOORD</b> Biogas Plant, Netherlands			Input: Sugar beet, vegetable waste (potatoes, chicoree)  Fermenter: Glas coated steel tanks 4 x 4,600 m <sup>3</sup>

## Lectures / Publications

<b>FISCHER, T. and LATINOVIC, S. 2021</b> <b>"A real gas - How biogas is contributing to the success of sugar producers"</b> Publication in journal <b>Sugar Producer</b> , Edition Aug/ Sep, S.18ff (2021)			#
<b>FISCHER, T. and LATINOVIC, S. 2021</b> <b>"Proven solutions for biogas plants in the sugar industry"</b> Publication in journal <b>Sugar Industry</b> , Company report, Edition May, Issue No 5 (2021)			#

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# Lectures / Publications

FISCHER, T. 2022

## First-person sleuthing: investigation a digestate dryer

Publication in journal BioenergyInsight,  
Edition Jan/ Feb, Volume 13, Issue 1, S. 36ff

FISCHER, T. and LATINOVIC, S. 2021

## "A real gas - How biogas is contributing to the success of sugar producers"

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Edition Aug/ Sep, S.18ff (2021)

FISCHER, T. and LATINOVIC, S. 2021

## "Discovering biogas plants for the ethanol industry"

Publication in journal "biofuels international",  
Edition July/ August (2021) S. 31ff

FISCHER, T. and LATINOVIC, S. 2021

## "Proven solutions for biogas plants in the sugar industry"

Publication in journal Sugar Industry, Company report,  
Edition May, Issue No 5 (2021)

THIES, R., LATINOVIC, S. and Dr. K. BACKES 2021

Delving into the integration of biogas and bioethanol production in Argentina with Krieg & Fischer Ingenieure and Bioelectrica: "A match made in heaven."

Publication in journal Bioenergy-Insight,  
Edition Jan/Feb, Volume 12 Issue 1, S. 32 ff (2021)

FISCHER, T. 2020

## Investigating the chemically-damaged biological system of a biogas plant

Publication in journal Bioenergy-Insight,  
Edition Nov/Dez, Volume 11 Issue 6, S. 36 ff (2020)

FISCHER, T. 2020

## First-person sleuthing, investigation of a never-built biogas plant.

Publication in journal Bioenergy-Insight,  
Edition Jul/ Aug, Volume 11 Issue 4, S. 34 ff (2020)

FISCHER, T. 2020

## First-person sleuthing, investigation of a silage plate

Publication in journal Bioenergy-Insight, Edition Mar/ Apr, Volume 11 Issue 2, S. 38 ff (2020)

FISCHER, T. 2019

## First-person sleuthing, broken mixer in digester tank

Publication in journal Bioenergy-Insight, Edition Nov/ Dec, Volume 10 Issue 6, S. 96 ff (2019)

FISCHER, T. and Dr. K. BACKES 2019

## The real engineering challenge when implementing biogas plants with biogas upgrading and mobility

IBBK-Conference: "Fortschritt bei Biomethan-Mobilität", international conference with exhibition and excursion, 15.-17th October 2019, Akademie Schloss Kirchberg, Schwäbisch-Hall, Baden-Württemberg

FISCHER, T. 2019

## First-person sleuthing, gas holder roof rupture

Publication in journal Bioenergy-Insight, Edition Jul/ Aug, Volume 10 Issue 4, S. 28 ff (2019)

### • Bioenergy accident investigation

Torsten Fischer of Krieg + Fischer Ingenieure discusses a legal investigation related to the deficiencies of a digestate dryer at a German biogas plant

## First-person sleuthing: investigating a digestate dryer



Photo:   
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### INDUSTRY REPORT



promoted content: biofuels

Krieg + Fischer Ingenieure has been successfully designing biogas plants for the past 30 years and is looking towards helping bioethanol facilities utilise this potential

## Discovering biogas plants for the ethanol industry



Company reports

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### Proven Solutions for Biogas Plants in the Sugar Industry



Krieg + Fischer Ingenieure is an expert engineering company specializing in the design and planning of biogas plants.   
Torsten Fischer has been ...

needs and different options for each component of the biogas plant.

Biogas is untapped potential for most of sugar producers. It offers an opportunity to shift from fossil fuels, reduce carbon emissions and increase profitability. Our first reference for sugar industry dates back to 1988 with a biogas plant designed for Dulat Sugar and Sugar Producers. Based on this successful cooperation, same client awarded contracts for three more biogas plants (Verenigden suiker en suikercentrale) to our office and became one

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### • Bioenergy biogas

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## A match made in heaven



In country biogas plant in Argentina ... that biogas can ... included in the blueprint value added on a production, economic ... (AB) offers a proven solution ... new storage from com...

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### • Bioenergy accident investigation

Torsten Fischer of Krieg + Fischer Ingenieure discusses a legal investigation related to a biogas project that never materialised

## First-person sleuthing, investigation of a never-built biogas plant



material ... to court and sue the investor. ... Fischer Ingenieure, ... legal witness for more than 10 years, covering 120 cases



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## First-person sleuthing, investigation of a silage plate



consideration of "do something positive" I started the report ...

the court was: "Would it have been

possible to implement the 'green' project would have been

submitted the permission documents to the court?

The judge said: "Yes, but it would have been difficult to implement the project."

The judge delivery time

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### • Bioenergy accident investigation

Torsten Fischer of Krieg + Fischer Ingenieure discusses an accident investigation involving a broken mixer in a digester tank in Germany

## First-person sleuthing, broken mixer in digester tank



My role was to determine ... the reason for the breakage ... expensive to repair ... he asked me to do it ... cost to ... to ...

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### • Bioenergy accident investigation

The author has been an expert legal witness for more than 10 years for over 120 cases and wrote his first report about a biogas plant accident more than 15 years ago. In this personal account, we learn about an investigation into an accident at a biogas plant

## First-person sleuthing, gas holder roof rupture



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