

# Agricultural Biomass Utilization Challenges & Opportunities Sustainable Power, Heat, RNG, SAF, GH2, Biochar & Graphene

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### **Overview**



"De-Carbonizing the planet by generating carbon-negative clean energy, sustainable transportation fuels, graphene and valuable carbon capital opportunities while eliminating harmful methane release from environmentally devastating waste is one of the <u>single largest growth opportunities in human history</u>.

We accomplish this while solving many of mankind's biggest energy, environmental, economic and social problems. SynTech has the team and the technology needed to solve these problems and lead the way in decarbonizing the planet, reversing global warming and combatting climate change."—Wayne McFarland, CEO



SynTech's **BioMax**® advanced thermal conversion technology delivers **CARBON NEGATIVE CLEAN ENERGY** from biomass and other problematic wastes



### Multiple revenue streams from

Power, Heat, Fuel, Biochar & Graphene, Project Development, Manufacturing, Waste Remediation and Carbon Capital Opportunities

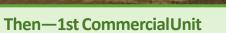
### **BioMax**®—History and Development



#### Over 126,000 hours of operation at commercial scale (equivalent to 14+ years)

### **Organic Walnut Producer, CA**





2008 BioMax® 50

Continuous Operation

50kW Gross



Now—Gen 1 and Gen 2 Array

Dec 2012

Jan 2015

BioMax® Gen 1 Runs 24x7 BioMax® Gen 2 Runs 24x7

125kWe Gross 155kWe Gross

Mushroom Farm, CA



3 Gen 1 Array

Jan 2015

(3) BioMax®

Gen 1 Units

375kWe Gross

#### **Pecan Producer, TX**



4 Gen 2 Array

September 2017

(4) BioMax<sup>®</sup> Gen 2 Units

620kWe Gross

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X2iwiHY6Q0k

For additional information on Technology, please see Appendix A "Technology Details"

### **BioMax**®—Feedstock Flexibility



### **Abundant localized feedstock supplies**

#### **Ready to Use**

Many biomass feedstocks require no pre-processing beyond simple sorting, including:













#### **Processed Biomass**

Additional biomass feedstock is abundantly available with sorting, drying and densification, including:













#### **Future Feedstocks**

Global demand for small scale remediation of site-produced, problematic waste streams provide growing markets for new products, including:

#### Institutional Solid Waste from:

- Hospitals & Medical Centers
- College & University Campuses
- Resorts & Hospitality Centers
- Defense and Correction Facilities
- Sport Stadiums & big box stores
- Big Box Retailer & Grocers



#### **Processed Municipal Solid Waste**

- Curbside MSW
- Can be blended to remediate Bio-solids
- Processed into Refuse Derived Fuel Pellets
- Remediates two horrific waste problems

### **BioMax**®—Scalability without technology or scale-up risk



### BioMax®—can be scaled from 155kWe to 25MWe+

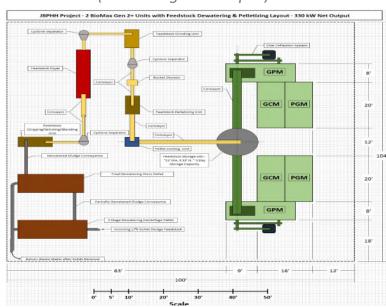
- —with absolutely no new technology risk and
- —with absolutely no scale-up risk

## A single BioMax® Gen2 (165kWe gross output)



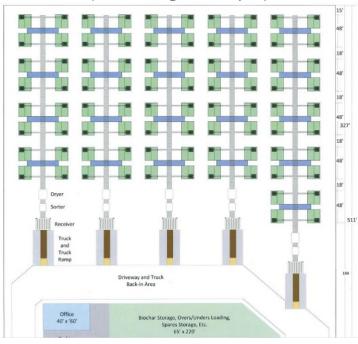
### A twin BioMax® Gen2 array

(330kWe gross output)



#### A BioMax® Gen3 Array

(15MWe+ gross output)



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### **BioMax**® **Biochar**—High Quality Byproduct Enhances Project Economics





- Biochar is the only byproduct created by the BioMax® process.
- Biochar is an excellent carbon "sequestration" media
- SynTech's Biochar has been Certified Organic by USDA and IBI
- Highest quality biochar meeting "activated carbon standards"
- Selling price of \$200 \$5,000 / ton creates significant project returns

#### Biochar has many market applications including



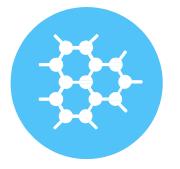
Organic fertilizer and soil amendment



Enhancement for anaerobic digesters and composting processes



Activated carbon for air/water filtration, desalination, fracking fluid clean-up

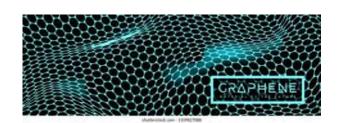


Raw material for refined production of carbon black, graphite and graphene

Each 75 pounds of feedstock yields +/- 1 pound of market ready graphene

### **BioMax®** Graphene—leading the way forward in material sciences





Graphene is pure carbon and highly conductive with exceptional thermal properties Extraordinarily light (A sheet of graphene of one square meter of weighs only 0.77 milligrams)

200 times stronger than steel with a density like to that of carbon fiber

One of the most sought-after elements on the planet.

Graphene—has a extremely high market value per ton

- —is produced from high-quality SynTech Biochar®
- —has many market applications including



Solar & Photo Voltaic Composites



Electric Vehicle & other advanced energy storage



Aerospace & Defense composites & applications



BioMed & Medical technologies & appliances



### **BioMax**®—Environmental Benefits/Annual Carbon Displacement analysis

	Single BioMax Gen2 Unit	BioMax Gen3 System (4 reactors and 1 Dresser-Rand engine)	3MW BioMax Gen3 System
Biochar Carbon Sequestration	57.8 ~ 232.3 (typically 115) short tonnes CO2 per year	231.2 ~ 928.8 (typically 460) short tonnes CO2 per year	1,192 ~ 4,791 (typically 2,372) short tonnes CO2 per year
Fossil Fuel Displacement	1,121 tonnes CO2 from coal <u>o</u> r  660 tonnes CO2 from natural gas	4,484 tonnes CO2 from coal <u>or</u> 2,640 tonnes CO2 from natural gas	23,120 tonnes CO2 from coal <u>or</u> 2,640 tonnes CO2 from natural gas
Methane and CO2 Emission Avoidance	<b>7,255</b> tons CO2 E/year	<b>29,020</b> tons CO2 E/year	<b>149,600</b> tons CO2 E/year
Total Carbon Negative Impact	Up to <b>8,608</b> tonnes CO2 E/year	Up to 34,432 tonnes CO2 E/year	Up to 177,500 tonnes CO2 E/year

### **Market Reach & Industry Opportunities**





**Nut Processors** 



Forestry



**Biomass Producers** 



Agriculture



Landfill Operators



Wastewater Treatment Facilities



**Digester Operators** 



Animal Bio-solids Producers



Colleges & Universities



Hospitals & Medical Centers



**Defense Installations** 



Correctional Facilities



Resorts, Hospitality & Sports Stadiums



**Shipboard Applications** 



Distributed Infrastructure



Micro, Smart & Off-Grid Applications



**Energy Traders** 



Electric Vehicle Operators



SAF Consumers



**Public Utilities** 



Municipalities



Impact Investors



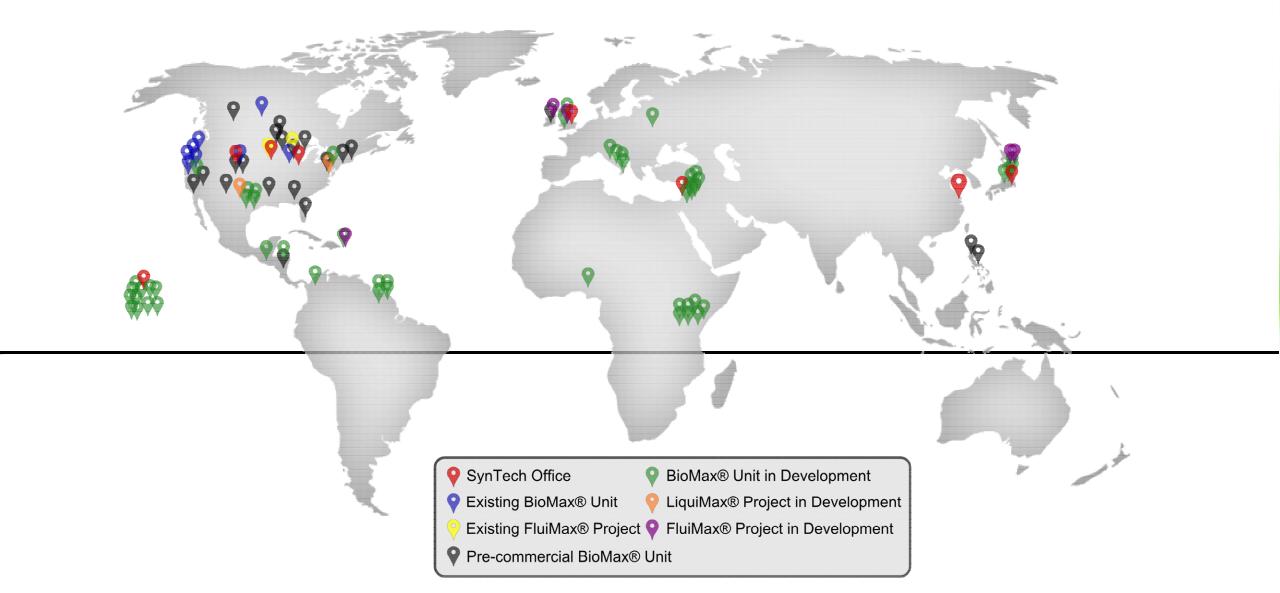
Foundations & Family Offices



Villages and Communities

### **Historic & Planned Global Reach**







# Thank You!

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