

#### **Biomass gasification in P&P industry**

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## **Andritz Bioenergy Systems**

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 Gasifiers and Power boilers are handled by the Bioenergy Systems Unit (established 2006) as part of

#### ANDRITZ RECOVERY AND POWER DIVISION

- Power boiler completes the Andritz package for pulp and paper applications
- Bioenergy Systems is also introducing gasifiers to produce lime kiln fuel, gas to boilers and turbines and bio liquids/chemicals production





**PRODUCTS HAVE** 

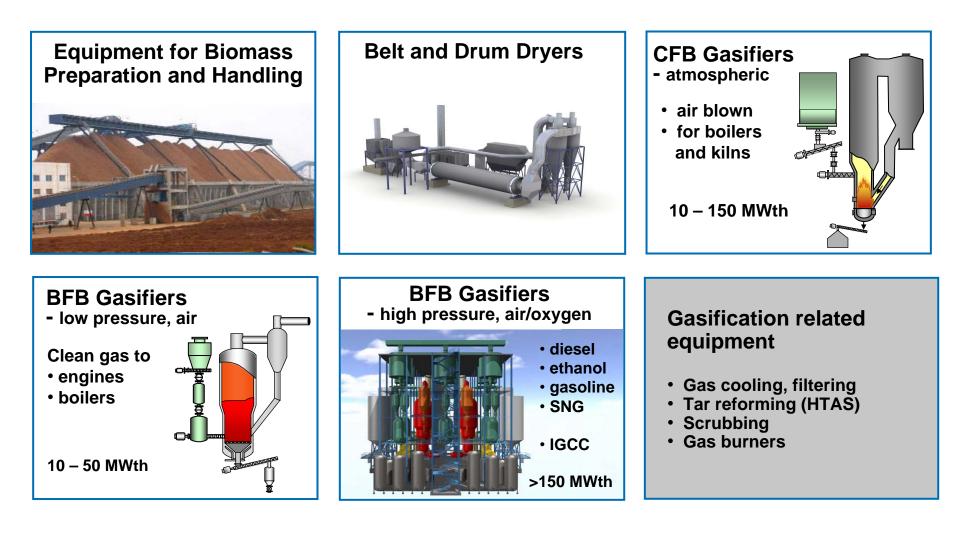
ORGANIZATION

EXECUTION

**RECOVERY BOILERS** 

**COMMON PROJECT** 

## **ANDRITZ** portfolio for biomass gasification

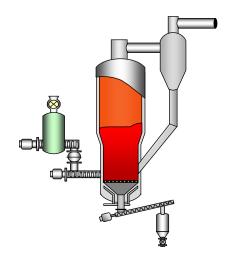




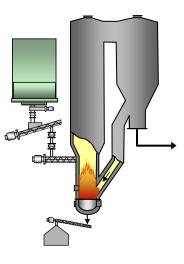


#### Two gasifier product lines

Bubbling fluidized bed	Circulating fluidized bed
<ul> <li>Atmospheric 10-50 MWth</li> <li>Pressurized 30-?00 MWth</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Atmospheric 10 -150 MWth</li> </ul>



BFB



CFB



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#### **Wood-fuels**

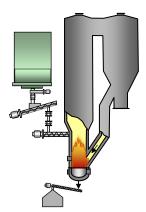
- Bark
- Forest residue
- Stumps
- Wood chip
- Saw dust
- Pellets







#### **Product line 1**



#### **CIRCULATING FLUIDIZED BED GASIFIERS (CFB)**

Former Ahlstrom Pyroflow CFB Gasifiers





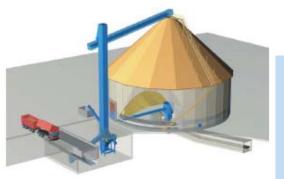
## Lime kiln gasification

- 1. To replace lime kiln oil/natural gas consumption with biomass based gasification gas
- 2. To utilize mill biomass side products for gas generation
- 3. To utilize low temperature waste heat in fuel drying available at the mill
- 4. Integrate expertise and experience of ANDRITZ units

#### LIME KILN GASIFICATION PLANT:

#### Fuel handling – Dryer – Gasifier – Lime kiln burner & kiln modifications

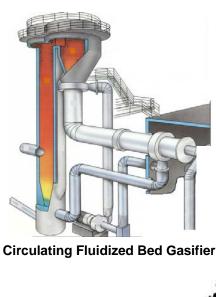
#### WHOLE CHAIN OF ANDRITZ PRODUCTS



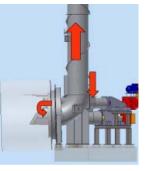
**Fuel handling** 

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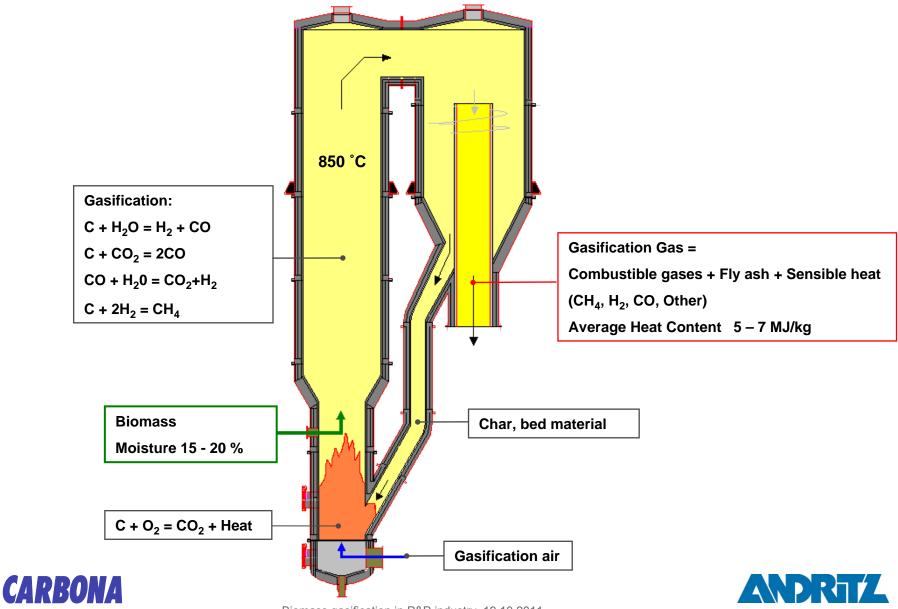
Lime Flash

**Gas Combustion** 



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#### Principle of circulating fluidized bed gasifier



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#### Metsä-Botnia, Joutseno gasification project





## Metsä-Botnia Joutseno, gasification plant

## Plant start in summer 2012

#### Target

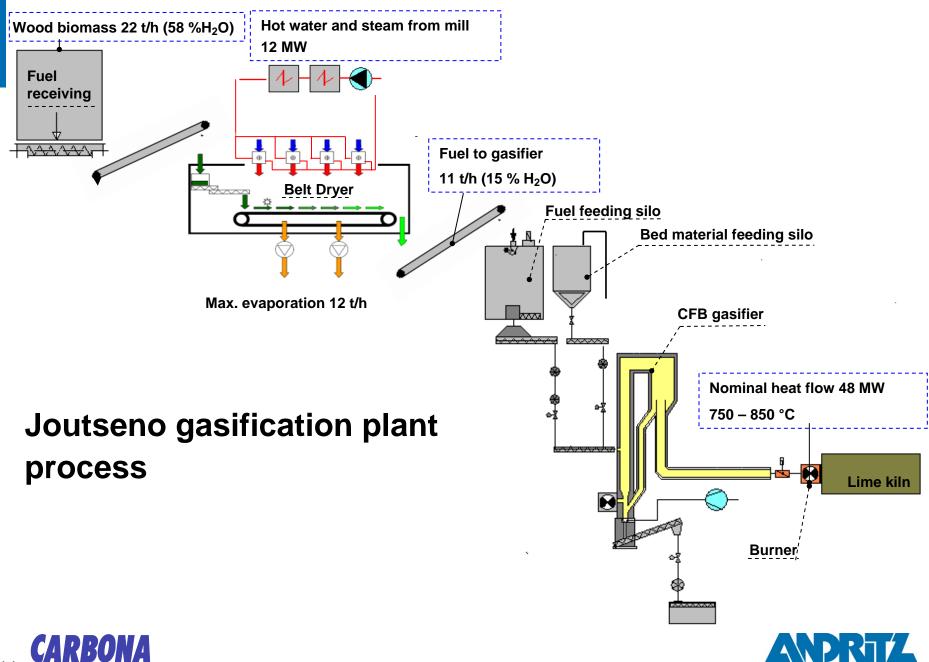
- 1. To replace 100% NG at lime kiln with gasification gas
- 2. To utilize biomass side products from mill
- 3. To utilize waste heat available from mill for biomass drying
- 4. To deliver whole line of Andritz products from fuel handling to lime kiln burner

#### Andritz deliveries

- 1. Fuel handling Andritz Wood Processing
- 2. Fuel drying Andritz Environmental & Process
- 3. Gasifier ANDRITZ Carbona
- 4. Lime kiln burner Andritz Chemical & Fiber
- Capacity numbers
  - heat flow to lime kiln 48 MW (lime kiln burner capacity)
  - dryer evaporation capacity 12 t/h, max.
  - fuel handling 150 m<sup>3</sup>/h (loose m<sup>3</sup>)

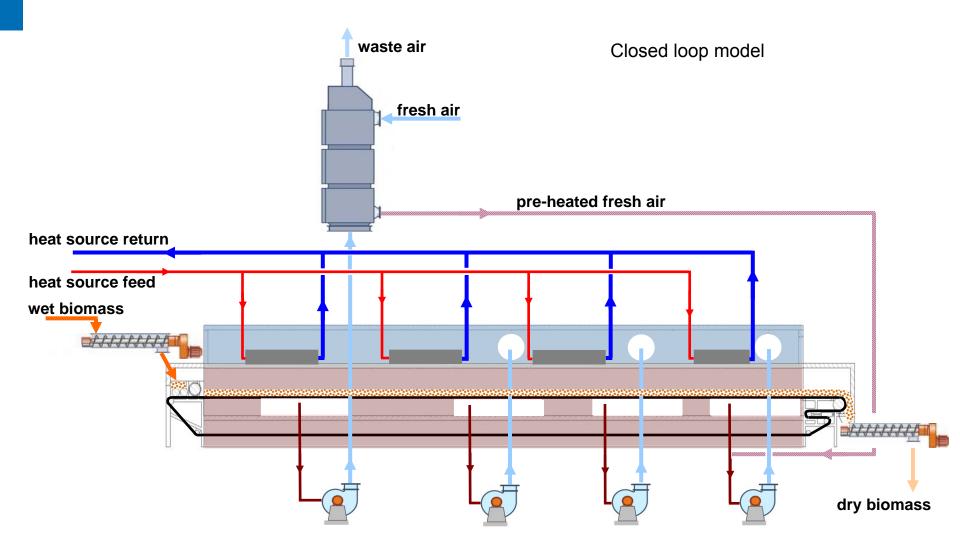






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#### Andritz belt dryer, functional principle







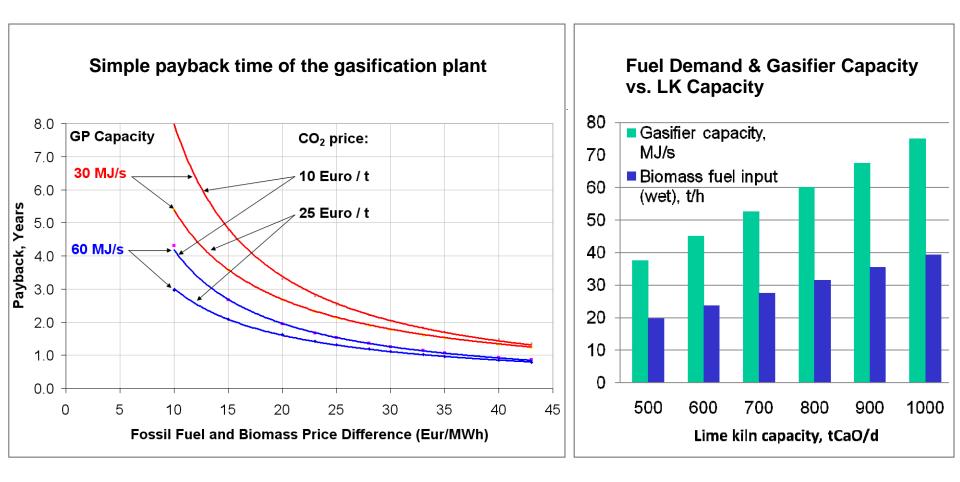
#### Andritz belt dryer







## Lime kiln gasifier simple payback time







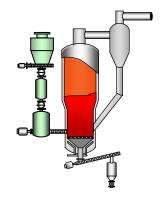
## Summary of lime kiln gasifier features

- Can utilize cheapest fuel residues with high ash content
- Degree of fuel drying moderate, can be adjusted according to kiln properties
- Low temperature heat to be used in belt drying
- Harmful fuel ash/soil in gas can be minimized
- Lime quality not to be affected
- Total replacement of fossil fuels
- Lime kiln capacity stays as before because:
  - fuel heating value controlled by degree of drying
  - small excess air in gas combustion
  - flue gas amount remains close to fossil fuel combustion
  - lime flash to deal with elevated kiln exhaust temperature (if needed)
- Excellent gasifier operation history during decades
- CO2 benefits and short pay-back time for the investment



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#### **Product line 2**



#### **BUBBLING FLUIDIZED BED GASIFIERS (BFB)**

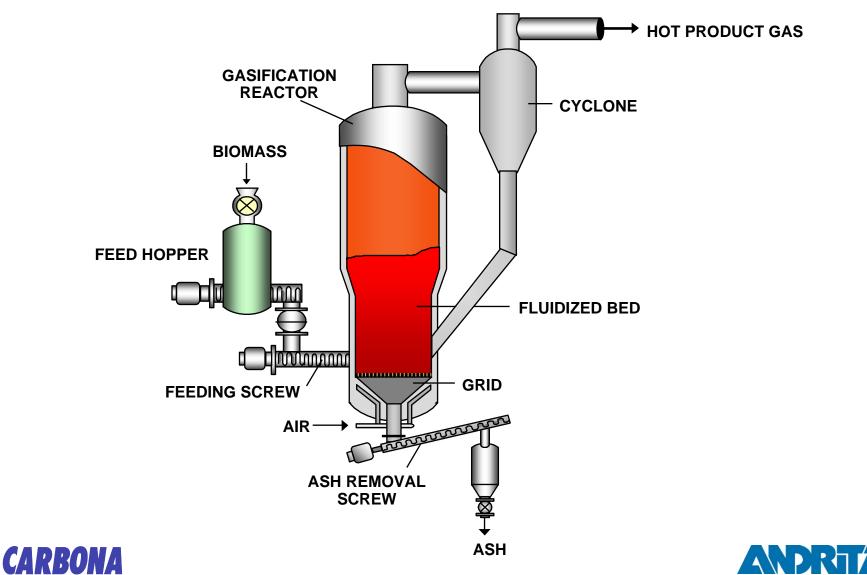
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## **Principle of Bubbling Fluidized Bed Gasifier**

#### High or low pressure





#### **ANDRITZ Carbona gasification development platforms for BTL/SNG**

Skive Gasification Plant in Denmark and Pilot Plant at the Gas Technology Institute, USA

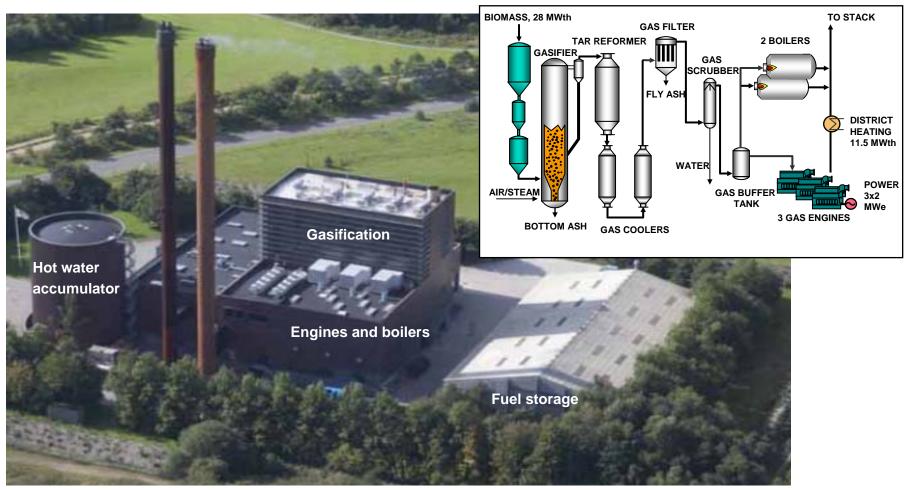






# LCV gas for power generation Air blown BFB gasification

Gasification / gas engine CHP plant in Skive, Denmark





## **Skive Gasification CHP Plant**

Main parameters & equipment



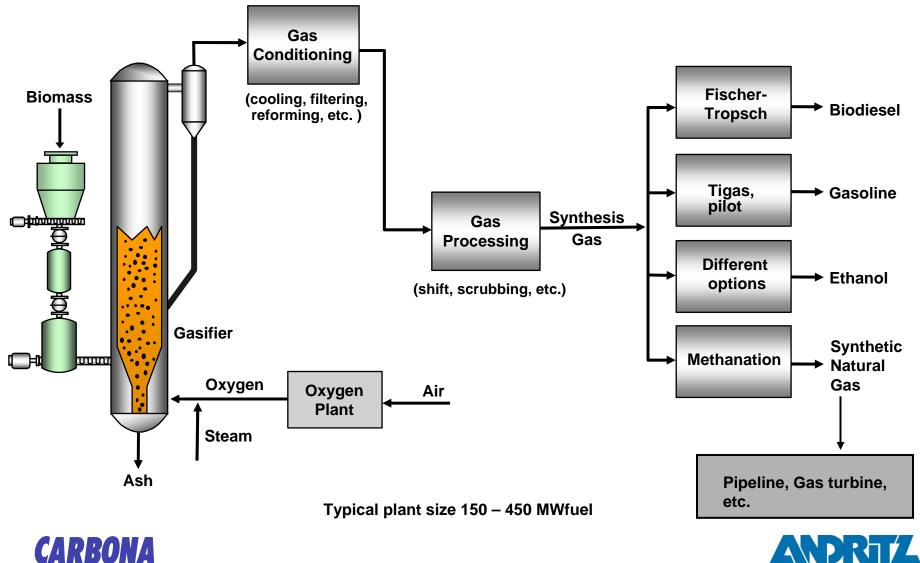






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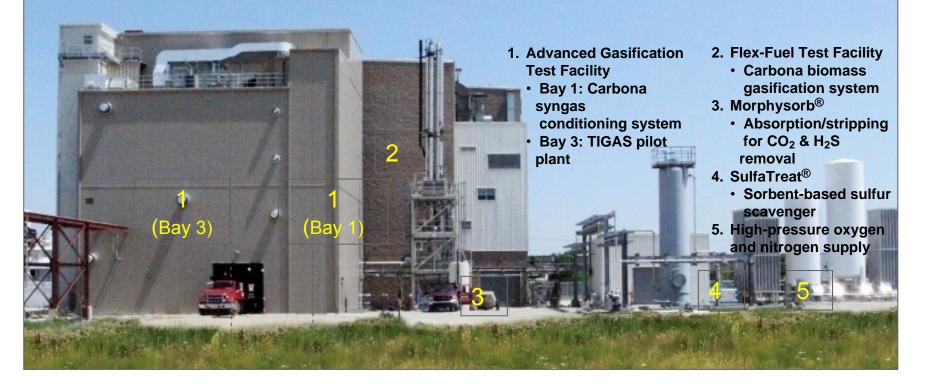
# Pulp mill becomes a biorefinery ANDRITZ Carbona active projects



#### **Gas Technology Institute**



GTI Energy & Environmental Technology Campus Des Plaines, Illinois







# UPM has two possible BTL-biorefinery locations: Rauma and Stracel mill sites

 Environmental impact assessment has been completed in UPM's Rauma mill site in Finland.

 Environmental impact assessment is ongoing at UPM's Stracel mill site in Strasbourg, France.







(Source: UPM-Kymmene)



## **Tigas: Wood to Gasoline**

U.S. Department of Energy Golden Field Office

DOE Award No. DE-EE0002874

Government share: \$ 25,000,000

Cost share: \$ 9,771,643

Period of performance: 12/28/09 through 12/31/14

Final investment decision in place



#### Demonstration plant at GTI

- Gasification and TAR reforming (Carbona, existing)
- Morphysorb AGR unit (GTI, existing)
- Utility units & control system (GTI, existing)
- Syngas compression (new)
- TIGAS synthesis unit (new)
- Gasoline & waste water storage (new)





## Tigas, Wood to Gasoline, project team



- UPM-Kymmene is one of the world's largest pulp and paper companies with more than 100 production facilities.

- Provides: gathering, handling and transporting of wood; 1<sup>st</sup> commercial plant site  HALDOR TOPSOE
 CATALYSING YOUR BUSINESS
 Haldor Topsoe is a leading worldwide supplier of catalysts and catalytic technology for fuel conversion and upgrading.
 Provides: TIGAS process, syngas cleanup including tar reforming and conversion; overall project management



ConocoPhillips is a leading oil refiner & contributor to TIGAS
Provides: Liquids fuels handling, transportation and marketing, sample characterization, pilot plant design, construction, operation and scale-up assistance

# **CARBONA**

Carbona is a supplier of biomass gasification and gas cleanup plants
Provides: fluidized-bed gasification, tar reforming,

commercialization support



- GTI is the developer of gasification technology, licensor of acid gas removal process, and owner/ operator of pilot plant test facility - Provides: design, construction, and operation of pilot plant plus modeling, data analysis, commercialization support



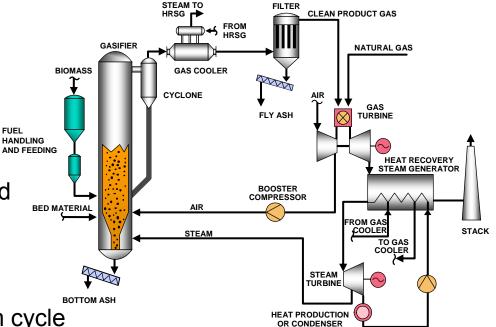
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# High efficiency power generation

IGCC technology to be commercialized

- High-efficiency Biomass Based Power Generation, ne 40-50%
- Basic concept:
  - Pressurized air-blown BFB
     gasifier (20 bar, demonstrated in Tampere/Finland)
  - Hot gas cleaning by filtration (300-500 °C)
  - gas cooling, integrated steam cycle
  - gas turbine with air extraction
  - burner for high temperature LCV gas (LHV 5 MJ/m3n)
  - new or existing steam cycle for integration, repowering
- Most plant components are of conventional technology
- IGCC process is demonstrated in smaller scale (Värnamo)





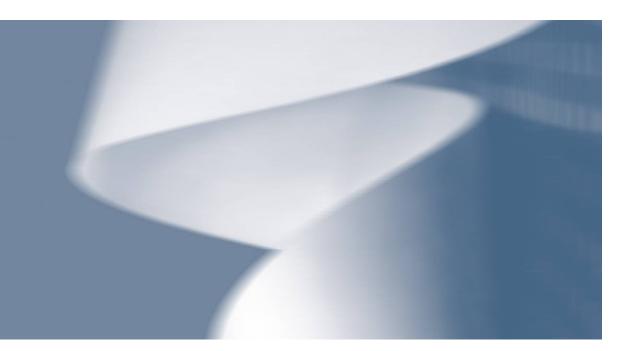




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