

# Biogaz Europe 2014

«Very congenial and humanly rich Exhibition. Well-sized and attractive Exhibition» (Fujielectric)



## Report

**STAGED IN SAINT-BRIEUC** (Brittany) in the heartland of France's main biogas territory in the West of France, the 4th edition of Biogaz Europe tackled head-on key issues that surround the production of biogas today and the implementation of new installations. It was characterised by its treatment in detail of a number of subjects in a series of **conferences and technical workshops** in parallel to an **international exhibition** as well as **study tours** to some special interest sites in the area.

Since the beginnings of Biogaz Europe in 2010, our primary objective has been to **create a genuinely meaningful platform for the sector** to continually evolve from, year on year. By « meaningful platform » we mean a setting where visitors can meet with potential future clients or suppliers, catch up with existing ones, interact with the full spectrum of industry colleagues and keep abreast of industry trends, challenges and opportunities via specific and pertinent conferences. We equally strive to create a **friendly and congenial** atmosphere on the day, because quite simply, life is better that way!

These efforts have been more than rewarded by the success of this edition, which reached new heights in terms of the overall visitor and exhibitor numbers and their levels of satisfaction... *read on!* We would like to extend our sincere gratitude to our partners, exhibitors and visitors, who made all of this possible!

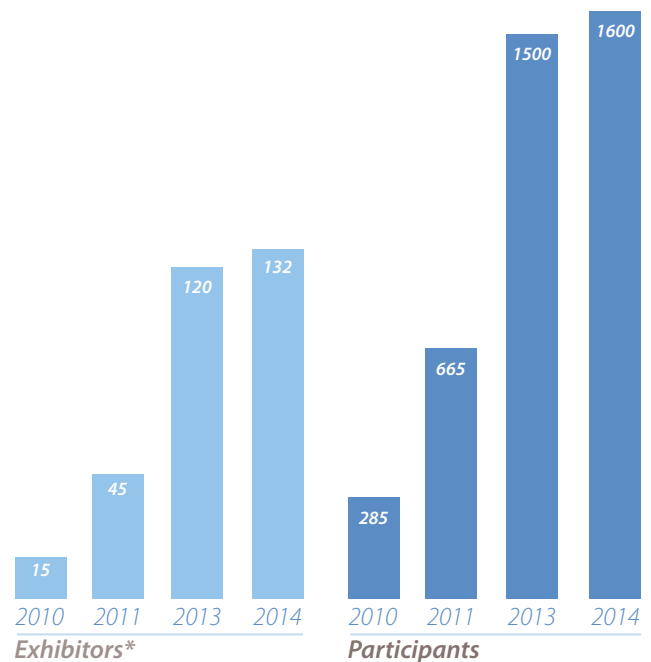
The BEES team



What our partners said:

« **Biogaz Europe is pro! Visitors are pro, the organisation is pro!** » (Côtes d'Armor Chamber of Agriculture)

« **Biogaz Europe 2014, the best biogas Exhibition in France to date** » (Bioénergie Internationale, media partner)



\*Exhibitors and represented marks and companies  
2014 figures certification in process by Expocert

### Inauguration of the Exhibition & Press Conference by Stéphane le Foll, Minister of Agriculture

Sign of the times, Biogaz Europe has been honoured by the visit of M. Stéphane le Foll, bringing encouraging messages for the sector!

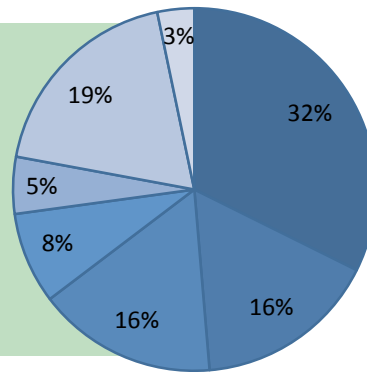


Read the press release (French):  
<http://agriculture.gouv.fr/Developpement-methanisation-agricole>

Watch the video (French):  
<http://www.biogaz-europe.com/Default.aspx?aid=552#Entretiens>

PARTNERS





- Agriculture / Agro-industry
- Producer/Distributor of Biogas components
- Consultancy
- Planning/Developer of Biogas plants
- Financing
- Other Services
- Substrates

## The Exhibition

### Exhibitors

The fourth edition of Biogaz Europe in Saint Briec brought together **132 exhibitors and represented companies**, including turnkey plant or full system suppliers, consultancies, suppliers of components, gas motors and district heating systems, financiers and legal advice bureaus.

Exhibitors of Biogaz Europe 2014 came from 12 countries (Germany, Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Spain, France, Italy, Luxembourg, The Netherlands, Sweden, Switzerland, USA), and this is what they said:

#### What the exhibitors said:

**97%** consider that the event has met or surpassed their expectations

**94%** consider the number of visitors was good or excellent

**97%** consider the quality of visitors was good or excellent

- «Congratulations for the event organisation, it is really a qualitative event!» (Biogaz Hochreiter)
- «I would like to thank you for all you work related to Biogaz Europe – we really feel that the Danish companies gained a lot from the visit and hopefully we have catalyzed more cooperation between Danish and French biogas stakeholders» (Danish Innovation network for Biomass)
- «2 days to meet with decision makers and to discuss real projects, which get off the ground» (Biogaz PlaNET)
- «We had concrete discussions about concrete projects» (Air Liquide)
- «Two wonderful days at Biogaz Europe with Alto Instruments» (Sierra Instruments)
- «Congratulations to the whole organisation team for the quality of the event. Excellent outcomes in terms of contacts, image and media coverage.» (Crédit Agricole)

### Visitors by activity.

*a visitor may feature in one or more categories.*

## Visitors

As for the visitors, they were equally satisfied, with **93% considering that the event met or surpassed their expectations.**

More than 96% found what they were looking for and/or other development possibilities

Biogaz Europe aimed to appeal to farmers, who responded in numbers...

**1/3 of the visitors coming from agriculture!**

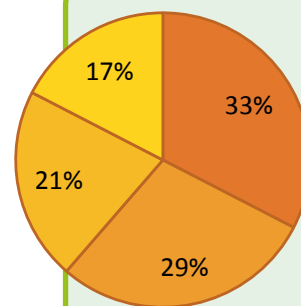


## The exhibitors 2014 (and represented companies)

2G SOLUTIONS  
3EI  
A16 (IT)  
AAMF  
AB ENERGY (IT)  
A-CONSULT AGRO (DK)  
ADDINOL LUBE OIL GMBH (BE)  
ADEME BRETAGNE  
AEB METHAFRANCE  
AGRO BUSINESS PARK (DK)  
AGROTEL (DE)  
AILE  
AIR LIQUIDE  
ALGOTEC INTERNATIONAL  
ALTERNATIVE ENERGY SOLUTIONS SAS – AES ENERGIES  
ALTO INSTRUMENTS  
AMMONGAS (DK)  
ARMORGREEN  
AROL ENERGY  
ASSENTOFT SILO (DK)  
B07 (DE)  
BARTH MOTEURS EURL  
BERNARD VAN LINGERICH  
MACHINENFABRIK GMBH & CO (BVL GROUP) (DE)  
BIO DYNAMICS (BE)  
BIO4GAS EXPRESS FRANCE  
BIOCOVER (DK)  
BIOÉNERGIE INTERNATIONAL  
BIOÉNERGIE INTERNATIONAL  
BIOGAS PLUS (NL)  
BIOGAZ HOCHREITER FRANCE  
BIOGAZ PLANET FRANCE  
BIOGAZ VALLÉE®  
BIOPROCESS CONTROL (SE)  
BORGER  
BRUGG TUBES  
BTS BIOGAS (IT)  
BÜHLER (DE)

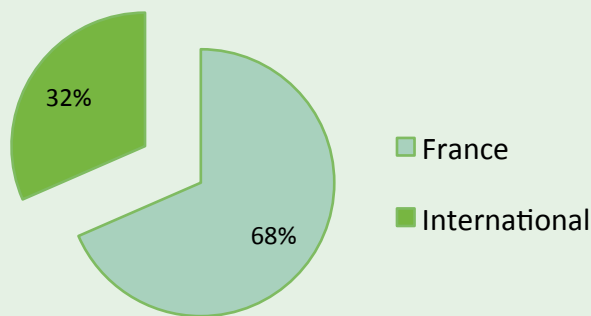
COGENCO  
COLAS  
COMBIGAS (DK)  
CONSEIL RÉGIONAL BRETAGNE  
CORRADI & GHISOLFI SRL (IT)  
CRÉDIT AGRICOLE BRETAGNE  
- PÔLE ECONOMIE DE L'ENVIRONNEMENT  
CRÉDIT MUTUEL DE BRETAGNE  
DALKIA FRANCE  
DANISH BIOGAS SOLUTIONS (DK)  
DORSET GREEN MACHINES (NL)

LE JOURNAL DES ENERGIES R  
LEDJO ENERGIE  
MEMBRANE SYSTEMS EUROPE  
B.V. (NL)  
METHAJADE  
METHANEVA  
MOTORTECH (DE)  
MT-ENERGIE FRANCE  
MWM FRANCE  
NETZSCH FRERES  
NEWECO-TEC (DE)  
ODIPURE



Exhibitors by activity

- Manufacturers or suppliers of plant components
- Planners or manufacturers of biogas plants
- Biogas applications & usage
- Services



Exhibitors by country

CAP OUEST ASSURANCES  
CDEAI  
CERFRANCE ENERGIE  
CHAMBRES D'AGRICULTURE  
CHAPLAIN ENERGIE  
CIAT  
CIE ENERGY  
CLARKE ENERGY  
CLIMATELEC

DOWNTOWN GREEN ENERGY S.R.L (IT)  
EILAN  
ELCOWA  
ENERIA CAT  
ENGINEERING MESURES  
ENOGIA  
ENVITEC BIOGAS  
ERIGÈNE SA  
EURO POWER TECHNOLOGY  
EURO TRANSFERT / HRS  
EVALOR  
EXPLORAIR  
FCI (USA)  
FINETECH  
FLIEGL FRANCE  
GE JENBACHER (AT)  
GR ENERGIES  
GRDF  
GREENPRO  
GRTGAZ  
GRUTER & MARCHAND  
HALL 1 - BOOTH E17 (DE)  
HOLDING VERTE  
HONEYWELL (USA)  
HOST FRANCE  
HRS HEAT EXCHANGERS (ES)  
HUNING (DE)  
INNOLAB FRANCE  
KERBOAS-CDEAI  
L.E.E. S.À R.L. (LU)  
LANDIA  
LANDIA (DK)

OEKO-BIT (DE)  
OPAL  
PASQUIET EQUIPEMENTS  
PENTAIR HAFMANS (NL)  
PERA  
PÖTTINGER FRANCE  
PRO2 ENVIRONNEMENT  
RMIG FRANCE SA  
ROBILLARD ENVIRONNEMENT  
ROUTIER ENVIRONNEMENT  
S3D  
SCHNELL (DE)  
SDMO INDUSTRIES  
SERGE FERRARI- MEMBRANES  
SIERRA INSTRUMENTS (USA)  
SITA BIOENERGIES  
SPÉCIAL TEXTILE  
STREISAL GMBH (DE)  
TH INDUSTRIE  
THERMAFLEX  
TRAME  
UNION INSTRUMENTS (DE)  
VAL'ID  
VALOGREEN  
VERDEMobil BIOGAZ  
VERDESI FRANCE  
VOGELSANG FRANCE  
VÖGLIN INSTRUMENTS (CH)  
WATERLEAU (BE)  
WATTS INSULATION (BE)  
WELTEC AGRIPOWER  
WOLF SYSTÈME SAS  
XERGI SAS



**In 2014 the central theme of the event was to focus in on the details.** This 4<sup>th</sup> edition of Biogaz Europe thus tackled head-on key issues surrounding the production of biogas today and the implementation of new installations, thanks to a rich programme in parallel to the exhibition, prepared in collaboration with our partners.



## Conferences and workshops

More than 700 people attended the conferences and practical workshops, **with a satisfaction rate of 97%** (satisfied or more than satisfied)!



*Conferences and workshops with high attendance.*

- «As a developer of a collective project on a farm (in the process of choosing a plant builder), we have learnt a lot from the conferences and the quality of exhibitors» (SAS Métha-Ferchaud)
- «Very good Exhibition, conferences are a major asset» (Pole Cristal)

### Download the presentations

Access the speakers' presentations here:

<http://www.biogaz-europe.com/Default.aspx?aid=451#conferences>

## Study Tours

This year, the overall topic of the study tours revolved around **agricultural anaerobic digestion** and **digestate management**. The 4 sites visited offered an interesting overview of different digestate treatment solutions, for different types of agricultural projects. Two tours have been organised in parallel on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January morning:

- Circuit 1 : **SARL GAZEA** and **GAEC du Clos de la Pierre** in Plélo
- Circuit 2 : **ANDELEC** in Andel, and **EARL de la Fontaine Neuve** in Saint-Donan



*Informative Study Tours to get to get a feel for application of theory into practise.*

## Side events

Taking advantage of the congenial atmosphere, and the fact that the whole sector gathered at the Exhibition, different partners and exhibitors have also organised meetings or press conferences in parallel with the Exhibition:

- Eilan's press conference
- GRTgaz' conference & cocktail
- INBIOM's networking cocktail
- ... and obviously many other cocktails!

### Filmed interviews



The presence of key players on the Exhibition provided a unique opportunity to capture the "**current state of affairs**" in a number of video interviews which are available for viewing on the event website:

<http://www.biogaz-europe.com/Default.aspx?aid=564>

For further information on the event website: [www.biogaz-europe.com](http://www.biogaz-europe.com)