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**Dry Complex** Deodorization System Dry Combined Odor Removal System



#### The need to remove odors



- · Intensifying complaints about odor in residential areas near public treatment facilities
- Reinforcement of odor regulation according to the improvement of citizen's living standard
- · It is necessary to remove harmful substances to the human body contained in odorous substances.
- \* A bad odor is an odor that causes an unpleasant and disgusting feeling to people.

#### Schematic diagram of odor removal system



Ammonia and hydrogen sulfide are sequentially removed through a dehumidification process and iron hydroxide-based adsorbent. Then, the voc's are removed through the activated carbon tower and the air is discharged to secure clean air quality.

\* VOC's : volatile organic compounds

### **Effect of Odor Removal**

Improvement of life quality in residential areas around public facilities

Decreases of complaints due to odors and improving working conditions for field works

By preventing the release of hydrogen sulfide and ammonia, VOC's into the atmosphere, the clean air quality is secured

Securing odor source data for complex odor-causing substances and Customized odor removal process design

#### Primary deodorization principle (removal of hydrogen sulfide and ammonia)





<Removal mechanism of hydrogen sulfide and ammonia>

· Hydrogen sulfide is removed by adsorption reaction through a porous iron hydroxide-based adsorbent. Then, ammonia and some voc's are adsorbed into the formed pores for primary purification.

#### Secondary deodorization principle (VOC's removal)

- Physical adsorption purification through high specific surface area of activated carbon
- · It has excellent adsorption performance for Mercaptans, hydrocarbons, organic chlorine compounds and aldehydes (VOC's). so it absorbs the components contained in the complex odor

Carbon Matrix

Pores available to both small and large molecule adsorption

Pores available only to small molecule adsorption



<Activated carbon physisorption principle>

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#### Dry complex odor removal system



#### **Process Features**

- Removal of ammonia and moisture using dehumidification process
- · Removal of hydrogen sulfide using iron hydroxide
- Removal of complex odors by removing aldehydes using activated carbon

#### **Existing odor removal**

- Short adsorbent replacement cycle due to wetting
- Unaware of the need for dehumidification
- Low removal rate due to low reactivity
- between hydrogen sulfide and iron oxide. High operating cost due to short replacement cvcle
- The application of a multi-stage chemical cleaning (scrubbing) tower increases costs such as facility investment, chemicals, and electricity.
- A large amount of waste liquid and waste water generated by chemical cleaning through scrubbing
- Requires additional facilities to prevent the generation of nitrogen oxides (NOx) during combustion deodorization and high operating costs due to fuel use

#### Dry odor removal

- A dry process through dehumidification to prevent deterioration of adsorption capacity due to wetting
- 60% reduction in dehumidification cost through two-stage heat exchange dehumidification
- Since hydrogen sulfide is separately removed by iron hydroxide(Fe(OH)<sub>3</sub>), it exhibits excellent compound odor removal performance compared to the existing process Reduction of initial installation cost due to
- minimum residence time
- Reduction of operating costs by using minimal power
- Unmanned operation possible and easy on-site maintenance
- No wastewater generated by the use of chemicals

## Sludge Concentration Tank-derived Odor Removal **Demonstration Test at Jungnang Water Regeneration Center**









Odor generation and verification point







1<sup>st</sup> deodorization bed

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2<sup>nd</sup> deodorization bed

Complex odor measurement and analysis : Korea EMC 05 E&Chem

#### **Concentration Tank-derived Odor Removal Demonstration Test** at Jungnang WWTP





#### **Demonstration test** driving conditions

- Space velocity : 4,800hr<sup>-1</sup>
- Residence time : 0.75 sec
- Throughput : 400 L/min

Hydrogen sulfide (odor-causing substance) removal rate

#### 100% removal

(Operation period: 49 days)

#### Diluted drainage after inflow of odor and treatment

- Dilution of inflow odor : 100 to 60,000 times
- Influence of sludge loading situation and weather
- · Dilution of odor after treatment : 10~150times
- Results measured through air dilution sensory method
- Development of dry complex odor removal process with excellent odor removal performance

Division	Inflow	1 <sup>st</sup> deodorization	2 <sup>nd</sup> deodorization
Dilution factor	448	207	30

\* Complex odor measurement and analysis progress (Measuring Agency : Korea EMC)

#### Odor type

· Concentration tank-derived occurrence

#### **Processing criteria**

· Hydrogen sulfide less than 1ppm, Dilution drainage less than 100

- **Field test conditions**
- · 400 L/min, Operating hours (49 days)

#### Sampling location

· Inflow, primary (DeHyS-250), secondary (impregnated activated carbon)

#### **Digested Sludge Reservoir-derived Odor Removal Demonstration Test at Tancheon Water Regeneration Center**



- Odor inflow method : Up-stream method



<Digestive Thalis Reservoir at Seoul Tancheon Water Regeneration Center -> Pilot-plant about 70m>



<Installation site appearance & design>

#### **Digested Sludge Reservoir-derived Odor Removal Demonstration** Test at Sludge storage tank





#### Hydrogen sulfide inlet and outlet concentrations

• Average inlet concentration(ppm): 18.16 • Average outlet concentration(ppm): 0.41 Average hydrogen sulfide removal rate(%): 97.76

Division	Inflow	1 <sup>st</sup> deodorization	2 <sup>nd</sup> deodorization
Dilution drainage	3,000	1,000	448

\* Complex odor measurement and analysis progress (Measuring Agency : Korea EMC)

#### Odor type

· Digested sludge reservoir

#### **Processing criteria**

· Hydrogen sulfide less than 1ppm, Dilution drainage less than 100

#### Field test conditions

· 2,500 L/min

#### Sampling location

· Inflow, After dry adsorption, After wet adsorption

#### Proposal of odor removal demonstration test in sewage treatment plant

Expected odor conditions	
• Expected hydrogen sulfide(H <sub>2</sub> S)	
concentration: 1~40 ppm	•
• Expected ammonia (NH <sub>3</sub> ) concentration :	
1~60 ppm	
• Expected dilution factor of inflow complex	•
odor: 1,000~60,000 times	٠

#### Schematic diagram of odor removal system



A odor removal system inhales the complex odor diluted in the air from the odor source. After the primary and secondary deodorization processes are carried out through the dehumidification process, the odor-free air is discharged. However, in the case of dry gas, dehumidification facilities are excluded.

#### **Odor Removal Target**

Division	Removal rate	1 <sup>st</sup> deodorization	2 <sup>nd</sup> deodorization
Hydrogen sulfide(ppm)	99%	1 or less	1 or less
Complex odor	80%	1,000 or less	300 or less
Moisture	-	50RH% or less	50RH% or less

#### Demonstration test driving conditions

- **Demonstration test capacity**: 10 CMM, 8 HP
- Test bed size: 1.0 m<sup>3</sup>
- Odor inflow method : Up-stream
- method (Utilize an air blower)
- **Residence Time**: 6 sec
- Space Velocity: 600 hr

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Catalytic Desulfurization System

Desulfurization catalyst system



#### Iron oxide(Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>) catalyst

 $(Fe_2O_3)$ 



#### **Desulfurization Catalytic Reaction Mechanism**

Iron oxide  $3CO_2 + 3H_2S + H_2O + 3O_2 \implies 2CO_2 + H_2SO_4 + 2S + H_2CO_3(CO_3^2 + 2H^+) + 2H_2O_3(CO_3^2 +$ 

### Schematic diagram of biogas production facility



## Hydrogen Sulfide(H<sub>2</sub>S) Desulfurization Catalyst Test I

ltem		Unit CATALI		Remarks
Dilution drainage	3,000	wt%	30 or more	Catalytic reaction experiment result criteria



#### **Experimental Conditions**

- H<sub>2</sub>S = 1,600 ~ 1,800 ppm
- $\cdot O_2 = 1 \sim 2\%, O_2$
- Humidity : RH 100%
- · Bed volume : 100ml
- (Capa.: 36g(60ml))

**CATALITE®** 

- Flow rate : 50ml/min
- Space Velocity = 50 hr<sup>-1</sup>
- Contact time = **72 sec**

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#### Hydrogen sulfide(H<sub>2</sub>S) Desulfurization Catalyst Test II



#### Desulfurization catalyst removal efficiency with oxygen inflow concentration



Oxygen concentration(%)	Adsorption capacity(wt%)
0.1	27.5
0.5	42.1
1.0	85.0
(1.5	90.0
2.0	87.0
2.5	80.4

#### **Desulfurization catalyst discoloration**



Detection of H<sub>2</sub>S less than 1ppm as a result of checking the detector tube

#### **Biogas pretreatment site test results I**





- Biogas Application : biogas production for use in boilers and incineration
- Process gas concentration : hydrogen sulfide 10 ppm or less
- Sampling location : 1 front and 1 rear of test bed respectively
- Conditions for field testing : 15L/min, Average hydrogen sulfide concentration (approximately 5,000 ppm), operating time (720 hr)
- Air injection : 500 ml/min, inflow composition (CH<sub>4</sub> 60%/CO<sub>2</sub> 30%/H<sub>2</sub>S 0.5%/H<sub>2</sub>O 5%/O<sub>2</sub> 1%)
- \* Goal : Hydrogen sulfide removal rate of 99% or higher (99.5% or higher)



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#### Biogas pretreatment site test results II

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#### Goyang Biomass energy facility

- Food waste treatment capacity : 260 ton/day
- Biogas generation : 20,000~24,000 m³/day
- Hydogen sulfide(H<sub>2</sub>S) Concentration : around 150 ppm



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Chungnam

Jeonbuk

Gwangju

Jeonnam

- Biogas Usage : Utilization of Urban Gas in Goyang City
- **Processing gas concentration** : 10 ppm or less in hydrogen sulfide (urban gas supply line 0.9 ppm))
- Sampling Location : Desulfurization Facility Shear and Urban Gas Supply Line
- $\cdot\,$  This is the first supply facility for the desulfurization catalyst.
- Air supply blower for catalytic reaction maintains oxygen concentration according to biogas flow rate.



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Dry System for **VOC's Removal** Dry system for removing VOC's



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#### **Necessity to Remove Waste Plastic VOC's**

- · VOC's line of odor complaints intensified near waste plastic recycling facilities
- · When discharged into the atomphere due to the occurance of a large amount of VOC's, air qulity deteriorates
- · Large amounts of harmful organic compounds are discharged during melting of waste plastics.
- \* VOC's are volatile organic compounds including emission regulations and odorous substances.

### Flow Chart of Waste Plastic Recycling VOC's Removal System



When recycling waste plastics, VOC's generated by thermal decomposition are absorbed. And the high boiling point VOC's are removed from condensate through the dehumidification facility and the low boiling point VOC's are removed from the VOC's through an activated carbon tower and discharged to the atmosphere to secure clean air quality

\* VOC's: Volatile Organic Compounds

Effect of removing VOC's	
Improvement of life quality in the residential areas around public facilities	By preventing the release of VOC's into the atmosphere, the generation of fine dust is suppressed and clean air quality is secured
Decrease of complaints due to odors and improving working conditions for field works	Securing odor source data for complex odor-causing substances and Customized odor removal process design

#### **VOC's removal principles**

- · Physical adsorption purification through high specific surface area of activated carbon
- · It has excellent adsorption performance for mercaptans, hydrocarbons, organochlorine compounds and aldehydes. So it absorbs the components contained in complex odor



<Activated carbon physisorption principle>

## Types of VOC's occurred in Waste Plastic recycling processe

<VOC's occurrence according to the type of recycled plastic by the Pocheon's company>

Subs	Туре
Propane, Polym	PP
Ethane, Polym	PE
Styrene, To	PS
Butadiene, Styre	ABS

#### stance containing

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oluene, Ethylbenzen, etc

ene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene, etc

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#### Odor removal test for waste plastic recycling in Pocheon



#### Existing inflow conditions

- Existing facility handing capacity : approximately 100 m<sup>3</sup>/min
- $\cdot$  Types of recycled plastics : PP, PE, PS, AB, etc



Existing VOC's removal facility(30m<sup>3</sup>)



Generation of large amounts of VOC's fume



- Empirical test operating conditions Space velocity : 300 hr<sup>1</sup> / Residence time : 12 sec / Throughput : 500 L/min
- VOC's removal rate(Styrene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene)
   100% removal (operating period: 60 days)

## Qualitative analysis of plastic recycling heat process

#### Request for GC-MS (Seoul National University of Science and Technology) analysis



<GC-MS measurement results through hexane absorption method (Qualitative analysis)>



It mainly consists of the above components and there are many other types of aromatic organic compounds.



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#### **PILOT TEST VOC's analysis results**



#### · Special note

- Manufacturer's plastic throughput is not constant
- unbalanced types of plastics

#### $\cdot$ Conclusion

- Wide range of influent concentration according to throughput
- Regardless of the inflow concentration, the removal rate is 100%

#### **Emission acceptance standard**

#### · Complex odor

Division	Emission acceptance standa Division (Dilution Drainage)		The range of Strict emission acceptance standard (Dilution Drainage)		
	Industrial area	Other regions	Industrial area	Other regions	
Outlet	1000 or less	500 or less	500~1000	300 ~ 500	
Site boundary	20 or less	15 or less	15~20	10~15	

#### · Designated odor substance

Division	Emission accep (pp	otance standard om)	The range of strict emission acceptance standard (ppm)	Application
	Industrial area	Other regions	Industrial area	period
Ammonia	2 or less	1 or less	1~2	
Methyl mercaptan	0.004 or less	0.002 or less	0.002 ~ 0.004	
Hydrogen sulfide	0.06 or less	0.02 or less	0.02 ~ 0.06	
Dimethylsulfide	0.05 or less	0.01 or less	0.01 ~ 0.05	
Dimethyl disulfide	0.03 or less	0.009 or less	0.009 ~ 0.03	
Trimethylamine	0.02 or less	0.005 or less	0.005 ~ 0.02	From
Acetaldehyde	0.1 or less	0.05 or less	0.05 ~ 0.1	2005. 2. 10
Styrene	0.8 or less	0.4 or less	0.4 ~ 0.8	
Propionic aldehyde	0.1 or less	0.05 or less	0.05 ~ 0.1	
Butyl aldehyde	0.1 or less	0.029 or less	0.029 ~ 0.1	
n-vale raldehyde	0.02 or less	0.009 or less	0.009 ~ 0.02	-
I-vale raldehyde	0.006 or less	0.003 or less	0.003 ~ 0.006	-
Toluene	30 or less	10 or less	10~30	From
Xylene	2 or less	1 or less	1~2	2008.1.1
Methyl ethyl ketone	35 or less	13 or less	13 ~ 35	
Methyl isobutyl ketone	3 or less	1 or less	1~3	-
Butyl acetate	4 or less	1 or less	1~4	-
Propionic acid	0.07 or less	0.03 or less	0.03 ~ 0.07	From
n-butylic acid	0.002 or less	0.001 or less	0.001 ~ 0.002	2010.1.1
n-valeric acid	0.002 or less	0.0009 or less	0.0009 ~ 0.002	
I-valeric acid	0.004 or less	0.001 or less	0.001 ~ 0.004	
I-butyl alcohol	4.0 or less	0.9 or less	0.9 ~ 4.0	

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\* Annex 3 of the Enforcement Rules of the Odor Prevention Act

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#### **MIRESORB®**

Adsorbent for arsenic removal



## Arsenic (As)

- $\cdot\,$  It is classified as a first-class carcinogen and mainly causes skin and liver cancer.
- $\cdot$  It found in elemental conditions but exists mainly as sulfides
- Trivalent arsenic is about 40 to 60 times more toxic than pentavalent arsenic
- $\cdot$  It exists in various forms such as Realgar(As\_4S\_4), Orpiment(As\_2S\_3), Arsenopyrite(FeSAs)

## Arsenic contamination status of domestic and foreign groundwater

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Overseas



Drinking water standards in countries and organizations including WHO and USEPA: 10 μg/L

#### **MIRESORB®** Overview

MIRESORB<sup>®</sup>, an arsenic and heavy metal adsorbent in the water quality of E&C Solution Co., Ltd., is a porous adsorbent manufactured based on iron hydroxide. MIRESORB<sup>®</sup> Is a product that guarantees performance through batch characteristics, column tests, on-site pilot test and actual delievery. Compared to foreign products, the performance is equal or higher and the price is 1/2 and the cost performance is very good



- As an insoluble inorganic compound, there is no concern about dissolution
- $\cdot$  Performance assurance available in various EBCTs.  $\,\cdot$  Arsenic (V) adsorption capacity :
- Principal component: amorphous iron hydroxide(Fe(OH)<sub>3</sub>)
- $\cdot$  Specific surface area : 200~250m<sup>2</sup>/g

- Grain size : Customization
- $\cdot$  Designable with packing factor
- Arsenic (V) adsorption capacity : 1 wt% or more
- Adsorption capacity of heavy metals : 1wt% or more

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#### **MIRESORB®** Arsenic Adsorption Principle



#### <Arsenic adsorption mechanism>

Based on adsorption principle for arsenic removal mechanism using iron hydroxide, arsenic ions are physically adsorbed on the OH-groups of the porous adsorbent.





<Pilot-plant PFD for arsenic removal>

### MIRESORB® arsenic removal and adsorption performance evaluation



Adsorbent	Pseudo First-Order			Pseudo Second-Order		
Ausorbent	q₀(mg/g)	K1(1/h)	R <sup>2</sup>	q₊(mg/g)	K₂(g/(mg∙h))	R <sup>2</sup>
MIRESORB™	19.76	0.227	0.990	20.88	0.015	0.958
Competitor	19.58	0.076	0.977	21.74	0.005	0.986

#### Isothermal adsorption evaluation



	Langmuir Isotherm			Freundlich Isotherm		
Adsorbent	q <sub>™</sub> (mg/g)	Kı(L/mg)	R <sup>2</sup>	<b>K</b> ₅ ([mg/g]·[mg/L] <sup>1/n</sup> )	n(1/n)	R²
MIRESORB™	50.387	0.38	0.91	19.04	3.68(0.27)	0.98
Competitor	29.07	0.33	0.94	12.00	4.35(0.23)	0.95

Ref. : "Arsenic (V) Removal by an Adsorbent Material Derived from Acid Mine Drainage Sludge", Applied Sciences(2021) Vol.11, No.1 47

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#### MIRESORB<sup>®</sup> columm test for low concentration arsenic removal

#### MIRESORB<sup>®</sup> columm test for high-concentration arsenic removal





<Lab test using arsenic contaminated water>



In the case of column experiments using actual mine drainage, adsorption performance is maintained even after 5,800 bed volume is removed.

Ref. : "Arsenic (V) Removal by an Adsorbent Material Derived from Acid Mine Drainage Sludge", Applied Sciences(2021) Vol.11, No.1 47

As(V) Removal Plot <Columm A>



In the case of performance experiments using actual mine drainage, the AS(V) removal rate is maintained at 99% or more for 48 days. Contaminated water used (Raw water : Mine drainage in area B) - Arsenic (V) contained : approximately 500 ppb

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#### MIRESORB® pilot test for low-concentration arsenic and zinc removal



#### Inflow raw water condition

- Demonstration test capacity : 100ml/min
- Arsenic (V) inflow concentration : 70 ~ 400 mg/L
- Test bed size : 90L(Packed, 50L)
- Raw water inflow method : Using a metering pump





Raw water inflow site



Installation of demonstration equipment



<Examination Point>



<Arsenic removal efficiency analysis>

ICP-AES, 5110 SVDV, Agilent microscopic inorganic element analysis

# MIRESORB<sup>®</sup> pilot-test results for low-concentration arsenic removal and zinc removal



< Removal efficiency of Arsenic (IV) with time(day) in pilot test >

Zn Removal Plot



< Removal efficiency of Zinc(II) with time(day) in pilot test >

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#### MIRESORB® on-site application and delivery site

## MIRESORB® results of on-site application test operation

#### X Arsenic and Heavy Metal Process in North Gyeongsang abandoned gold mine

- · A system that coarse contaminants in raw water are removed by precipitation in storage tank, and arsenic and other heavy metals are removed by adsorption in adsorption tank, finally being discharged.
- $\cdot$  The contaminated water is fed to the storage tank through bottom line by hydrostatic pressure and it comprises several layers such as perforated tube, limestone, arsenic-removing adsorbent and sand from the bottom.



#### Arsenic removal efficiency with time(day) for inflow, and resulting outflow concentrations



#### Zinc removal efficiency with time(day) for inflow, and resulting outflow concentrations



#### Analysis report

#### Analysis report

#### Analytical device - ICP MS

1. Pilot Test Part 7 2. Trial run result Part 7 3. Lab Test Part 5



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Inductively coupled plasma atomic emission spectrometer test report

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Inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometer test report

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# Environment, Energy and Chemistry **E&CHEM** SOLUTION

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#### **DSULFER**®

Iron hydroxide stabilizer for inhibiting hydrogen sulfide production in a digester



#### By-product from anaerobic digestion process



#### **Basic biogas plant process**

**Biogasification** 



Reaction process	Reaction formula	Microorganism
Hydrolysis stage	Organic substances $\rightarrow$ Sugars, Glycerin, Fatty acids, Amino acids	Microbial in vitro enzyme
Acid production stage	Sugar → Acetic acid, Propionic acid, Butyric acid	Organic acid-producing bacteria
Methane production stage	$CH_3COOH + 2H_2O \rightarrow 2CO_2 + 8H \text{ (Oxidation reaction)} \\ 4H_2 + CO_2 \rightarrow CH_4 + 2H_2O \text{ (Reduction reaction)}$	Methane microorganism
Hydrogen sulfide production stage	$SO_{4^2}$ + organic matter $\rightarrow S^{2^-}$ + $CO_2$ $S^{2^-}$ + $2H^+ \rightarrow H_2S$	Sulphur-reducing bacteria (SRB)

### Iron hydroxide-iron chloride hydrogen sulfide reaction formula

- $\cdot \ 2Fe(OH)_3 + 3HS^2 + 3H^2 \rightarrow 2FeS + S + 6H_2O$
- $\cdot \ 2Fe(OH)_3 + 3HS^2 + 3H^2 \rightarrow Fe_2S_3 + 6H_2O$
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Hazardous substances that inhibit anaerobic digestion are free ammonia, free hydrogen sulfide, heavy metals, etc., and ammonia toxicity occurs most frequently.

#### Hazardous substances caused by anaerobic digestion process

Ammonia	Produced by deamination anaerobic reactor Toxicity above NH₃ 80 mg/l
Sulfide	Less than 20 mg/L is requir but decreases if H <sub>2</sub> S is 50 to
Volatile acid	High concentration pH dec 1,000 mg/L of propionic ac
Soluble sulfur compound	Maximum non-toxic concer Heavy metals such as copp concentrations. when there sulfur compounds), it is pa
Antibiotic substance	Antibiotics, cleaning agent

reactions during protein degradation in

L, NH4<sup>+</sup> 1,500 mg/L

red for optimal methane activity, o 250 mg/L

creases, inhibition of reaction above cid

ntration : 200 mg/L per, zinc, and nickel are toxic even at low e is sulfide (H<sub>2</sub>S gas, HS<sup>-</sup>, precipitated rtially precipitated

s, etc. contained in livestock manure

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### Digestive stabilizer (DSULFER®) features of E&Chem Solution Corp.



#### **Prevention of corrosion damage**

Corrosion can be prevented by using DSULFER® to prevent corrosion casused by the spread of sulfuric acid particles by the air supplied during the desulfurization process.



#### Handling stability

Iron Hydroxide is a non-toxic material and it can be easily handled with simple equipment and it doesn't deteriorate by mixing the water and doesn't require expensive weighting equipment. so it can protect the entire plant from corrosion damage and makes it to use easily without any training or special equipment



#### **Explosion Prevention by mixing**

When air is injected for desulfurization and mixed with methane, there is a risk of explosion caused by unintended air inflow but the DSULFER® is very safe.



#### **Convenience of measurement**

DSULFER<sup>®</sup> is excellent in biological stability because it is precipitated by combining with sulfur ions generated in a digester, etc., and it is fully activated a few days after injection. so hydrogen sulfide production is inhibited by the concentration of sulfur contained in the substrate.



#### Clean, by-product-free and easy handling

DSULFER<sup>®</sup> can be supplied in a powdery tone bag or sludge state. so it is very easy to use measure because it supplies a digester in conjuction with organic material in the most biogas plant processes



#### Load reduction of desulfurization equipment

DSULFER® can efficiently remove most sulfur ions from the initial digester. Therefore, expensive equipment isn't required for concentration load in the post-sulfur process. so cost can be reduced.

## **Comparison of E&Chem Solution Corp. digestive stabilizers**

The digestive stabilizer (DSULFER®) is a principle that inhibits the generation of hydrogen sulfide by precipitating the sulfur ions generated by sulfur reducing bacteria (SRB) during the digestion process by microorganisms in the anaerobic digester easily reacting with amorphous iron hydroxide. For this purpose, it is used in an intermediate storage tank, acid fermentation tank or digester.

Unlike other additives, the digester stabilizer (DSULFER®) has an excellent effect in suppressing the generation of hydrogen sulfide because it is added together with the hydrogen sulfide contained in biogas. And the additionally included divalent trace metal has the effect of enhancing the activity of microorganisms.

In addition, unlike other companies' products, it has very good effects in harmful substances, corrosiveness, handling and storability.

#### Comparison of properties by additive

-	E&Chem Solution Corp.	Iron chloride	Iron oxide
Harmful substance	Very good	Heavy metals, chlorine ions	Good
Harmful by-product	None	Heavy metal	None
Causticity	Very good	Very bad	Good
Sludge generation	Middle	Middle	A lot
Handleability	Very good	Very danger	Good
Methane concentration	Very good	Very good	Good
Digester biocompatibility	Very good	Faulty	Good
Removal efficiency	Very good	Very good	Good
Risk of explosion	Very good	Very good	Very good
Reaction velocity	Good	Very good	Faulty
Storability	Good	Danger	Good

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#### **Ingredient table**

Digestive stabilizer (DSULFER®) is a product with high purity through a strictly controlled production process. and it provides excellent hydrogen sulfide production inhibition performance and safety in the digestier.

		Partio	culars			
Ingredient	Iron(III) hydroxide					
Configuration			Fe(OH)	3		
Appearance		Reddish	brown pow	der or sludg	e	
	lte	m	Maximu	m value	Minimu	m value
Physical property	Weight ratio ingredier	of iron to dry nts [wt%]	6	60	4	0
	Weight ratio of iron hydroxide to dry ingredients [wt%]		9	15	7	5
	Bulk density [g/cm³]		0.8		1.2	
	Water content [%]		10		5	
	Kind	Content (mg/kg)	Elution	Verificatio	n method	Fertilizer law standard (mg/kg)
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	Arsenic	0	ND*			5
	Cadmium	0	ND			0.5
Trace element	Mercury	0	ND			0.2
content	Lead	0	ND	atomic spe	ectroscopy	15
	Chromium	0	ND	/ process te	est method	30
	Copper	_*	ND			50
	Zinc	_	ND			130
	Nickel	0				5

\* ND: Within the criteria, -: Need to be tested for livestock manure fermentation fluid





• Operation type : Batch (Anaerobic digester at city D Sewage Process Plant)

- Test capacity per batch : 150ml · Concentration of injection of digestive stabilizer
- : 0g, 0.1g, 0.2g, 0.5g, 1.0g
- Microbial concentration :  $20.4 \pm 0.1 \,\mathrm{gVS/L}$
- · Concentration of organic matter (COD) : 5.0g TCOD/L
- Sulfur concentration : 20.0 mg/L
- **Digester temperature**:  $37 \pm 1^{\circ}$ C
- **pH**: 7.5
- (Experiments with alkalinity of 5 g/L as CaCO<sub>3</sub>)
- Medium : BA medium

#### Protein

Hydrolysis

## Sulfur-containing gas



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#### Methane production by concentration of digestive stabilizers

## Hydrogen sulfide adsorption test of digestive stabilizer



# Hydrogen sulfide production by the concentration of digestive stabilizers





Dosing amount	Adsorption capacity (mg/g)
0.1 g/L Fe(OH)₃	63.4
0.2 g/L Fe(OH)₃	60.7
0.5 g/L Fe(OH)₃	28.4
1.0 g/L Fe(OH) <sub>3</sub>	17.4

# Comparative testing of hydrogen sulfide adsorption capacity of digestive stabilizers



As a result of the experiment of evaluating the adsorption capacity of hydrogen sulfide through BMP tests, it was confirmed that Fe(OH)<sub>3</sub> had the highest adsorption amount of hydrogen sulfide per unit mass.

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#### Anaerobic digestive tank demonstration operation

Memo

Long-term operation through pilot equipment and remote control



Fire extinguisher capacity: 2,000L

#### **Empirical test results**



 $\cdot$  Methane production rate : 1.47  $\pm$  1.2 L/L/d

• Hydrogen sulfide concentration : < 90 ppm(Condition: Pressure 2 bar, iron oxide 4g/L)



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