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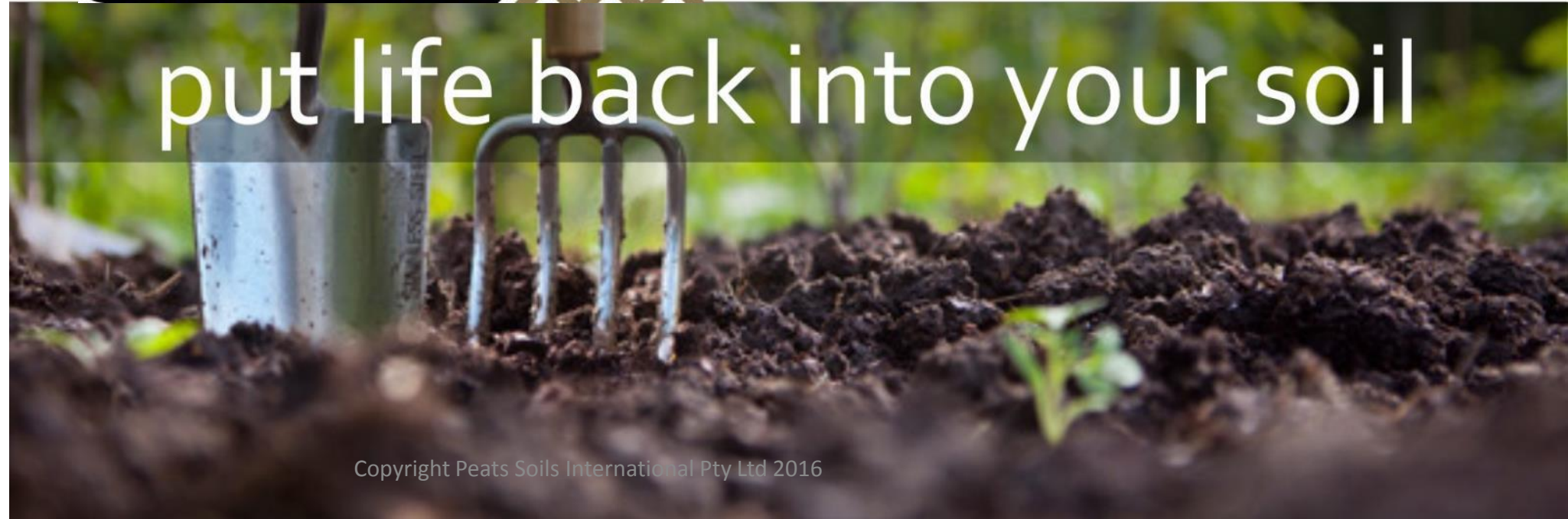
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ENERGY DIVISION

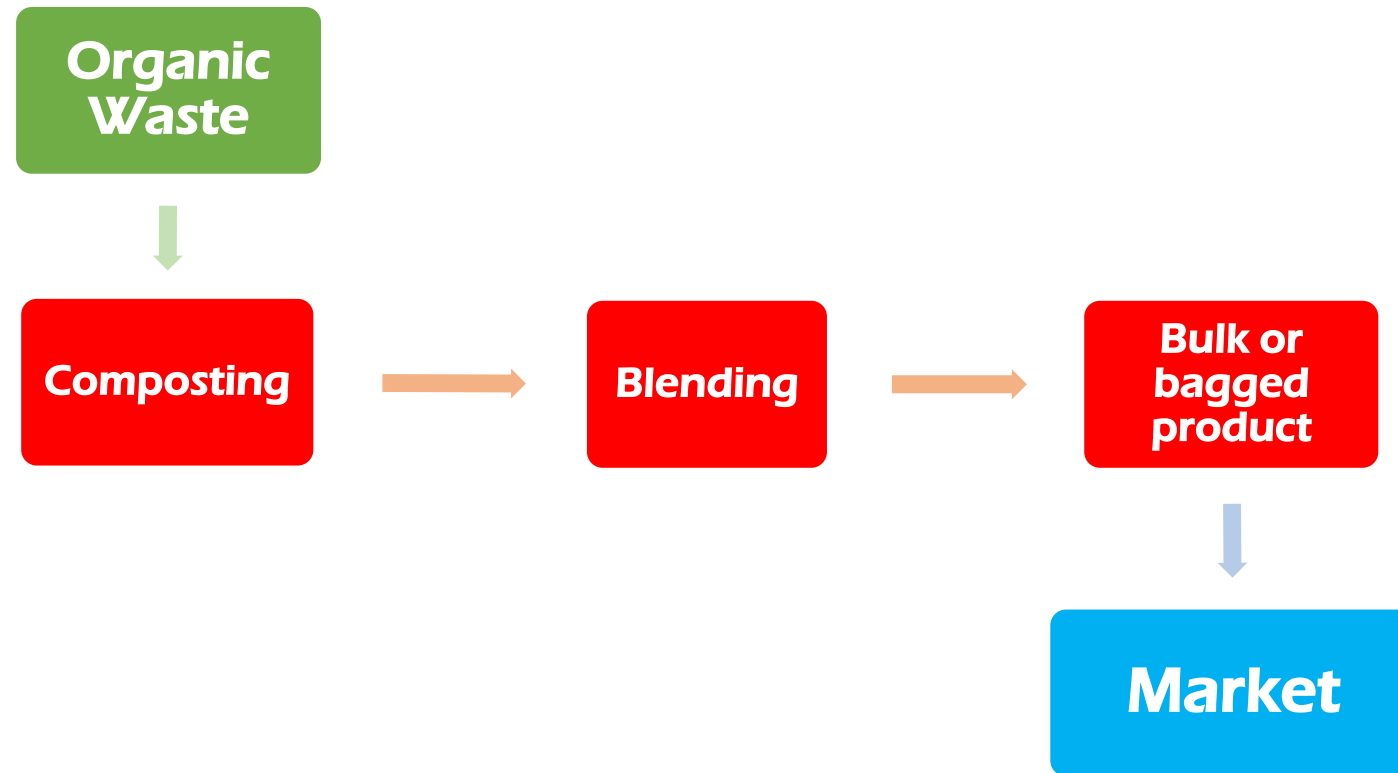


put life back into your soil



Previous business strategy?

Supply/Volume Driven

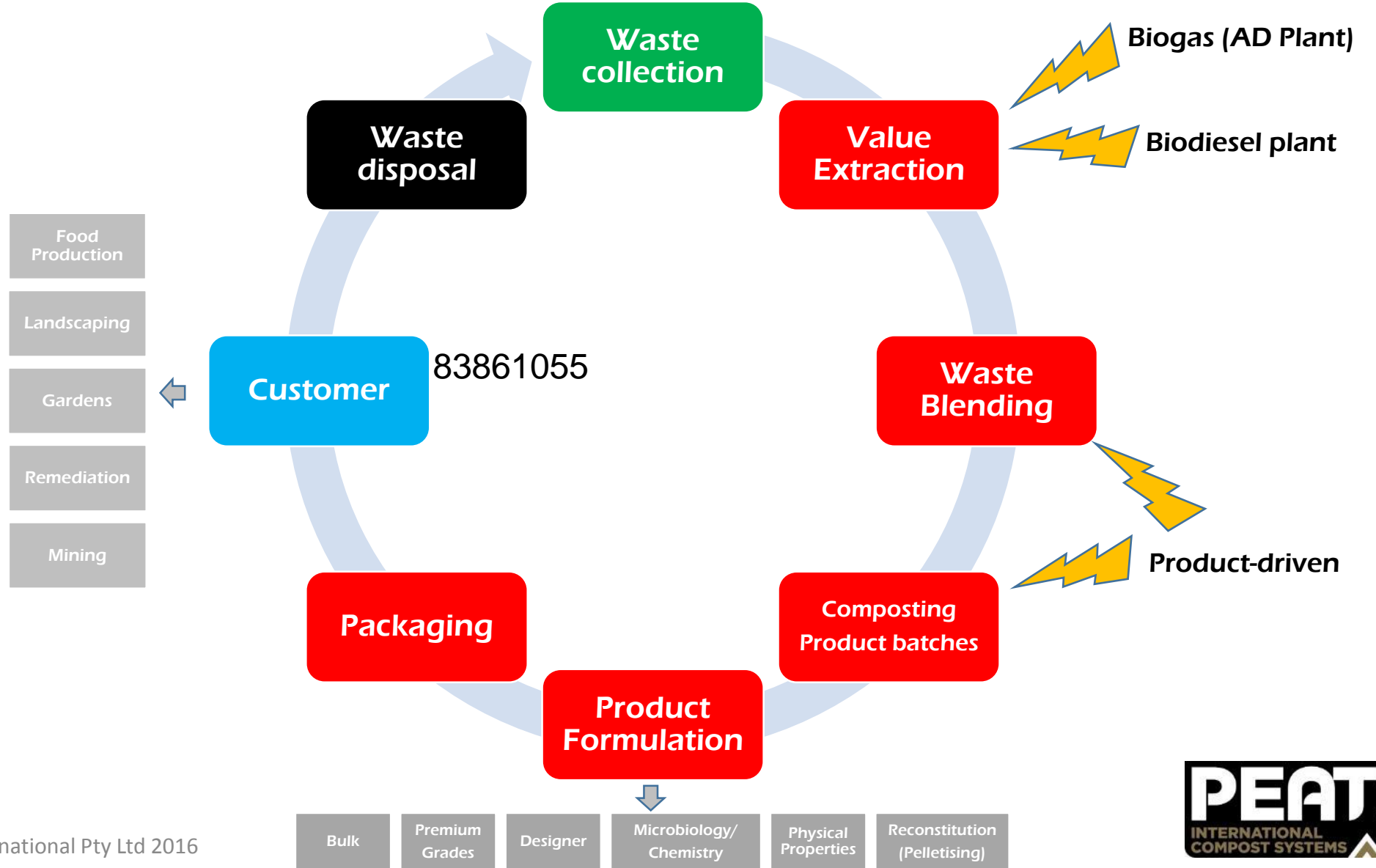


Compost Products ONLY



The PEATS Energy approach

Customer/Value Driven

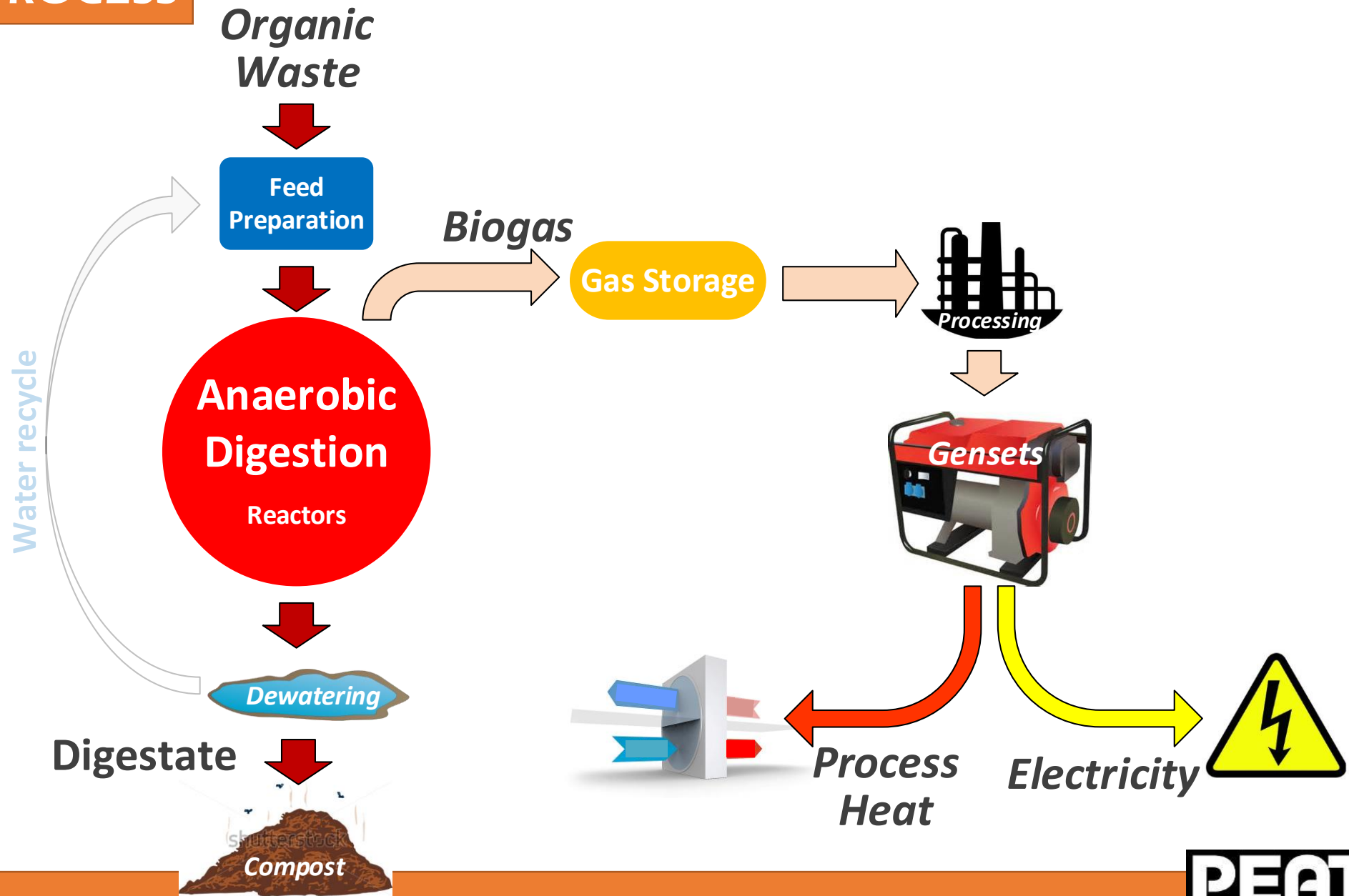




ENERGY 1 - Anaerobic Digestion (AD) Plant

- ❖ Brinkley's Future Power Demands – up to 400-500kVA
- ❖ Conventional solutions:
 - ❑ Grid connection, up to \$1.1M + High electricity tariffs
 - ❑ Diesel Gensets, \$0.5M + High fossil diesel costs
- ❖ Renewable energy solution: Anaerobic Digester plant
 - ❑ Extracts biogas from existing waste organic materials
 - ❑ Converted into electricity by biogas gensets
 - ❑ Stabilizes carbon & enriches nutrients in waste
 - ❑ \$2-2.5M set-up cost but minimal on-going costs
- ❖ \$0.5M Regional Development and Innovation Fund (RDIF) grant
- ❖ Registered for Australian Government's Emission Reduction Fund (ERF)

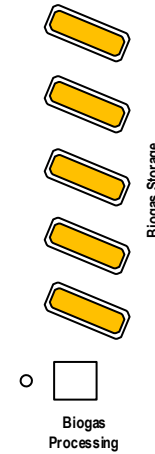
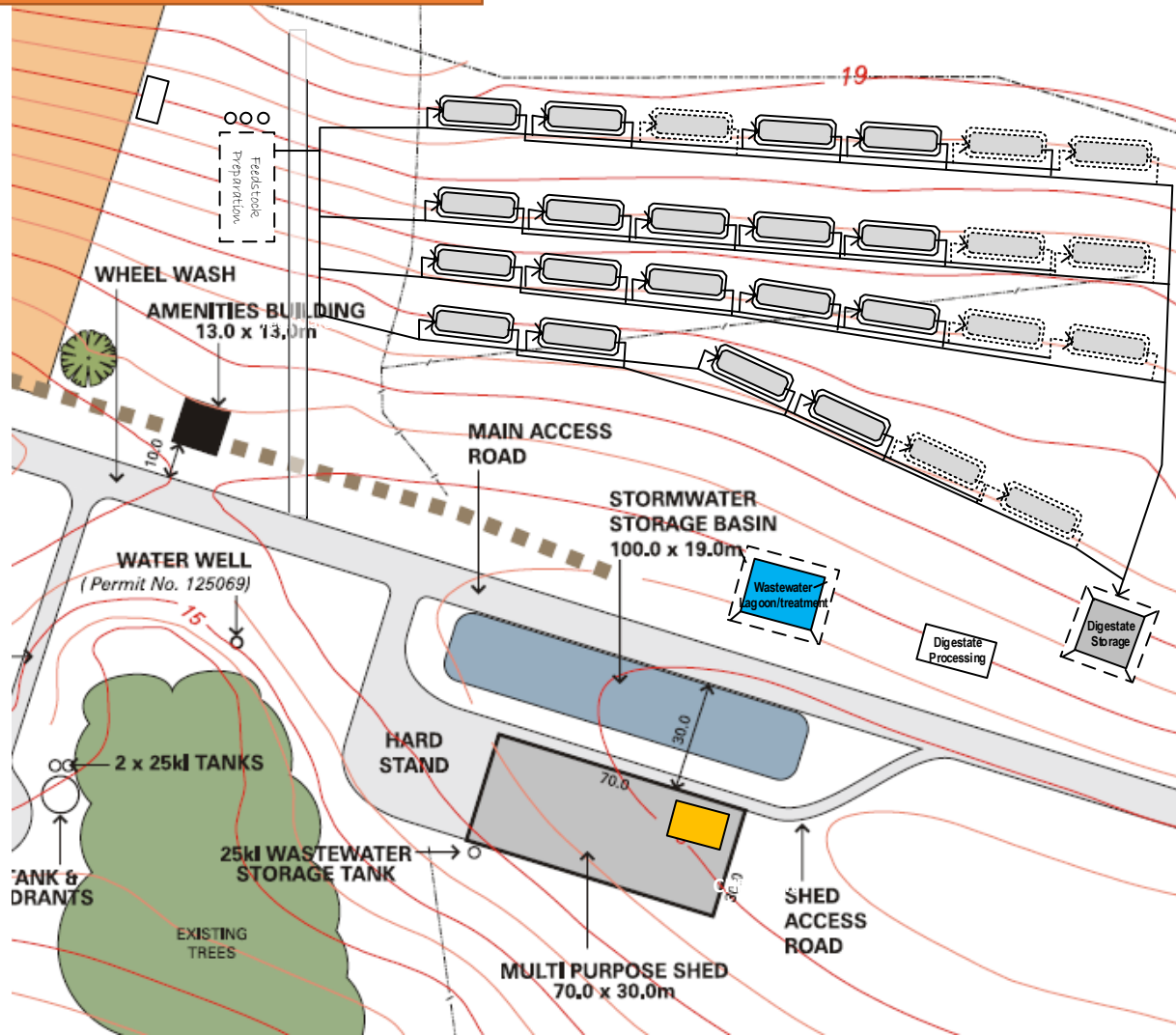
BRINKLEY AD PROCESS



Peats Organic Digester (POD)



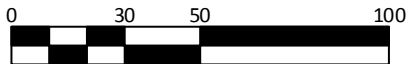
EXAMPLE SITE LAYOUT



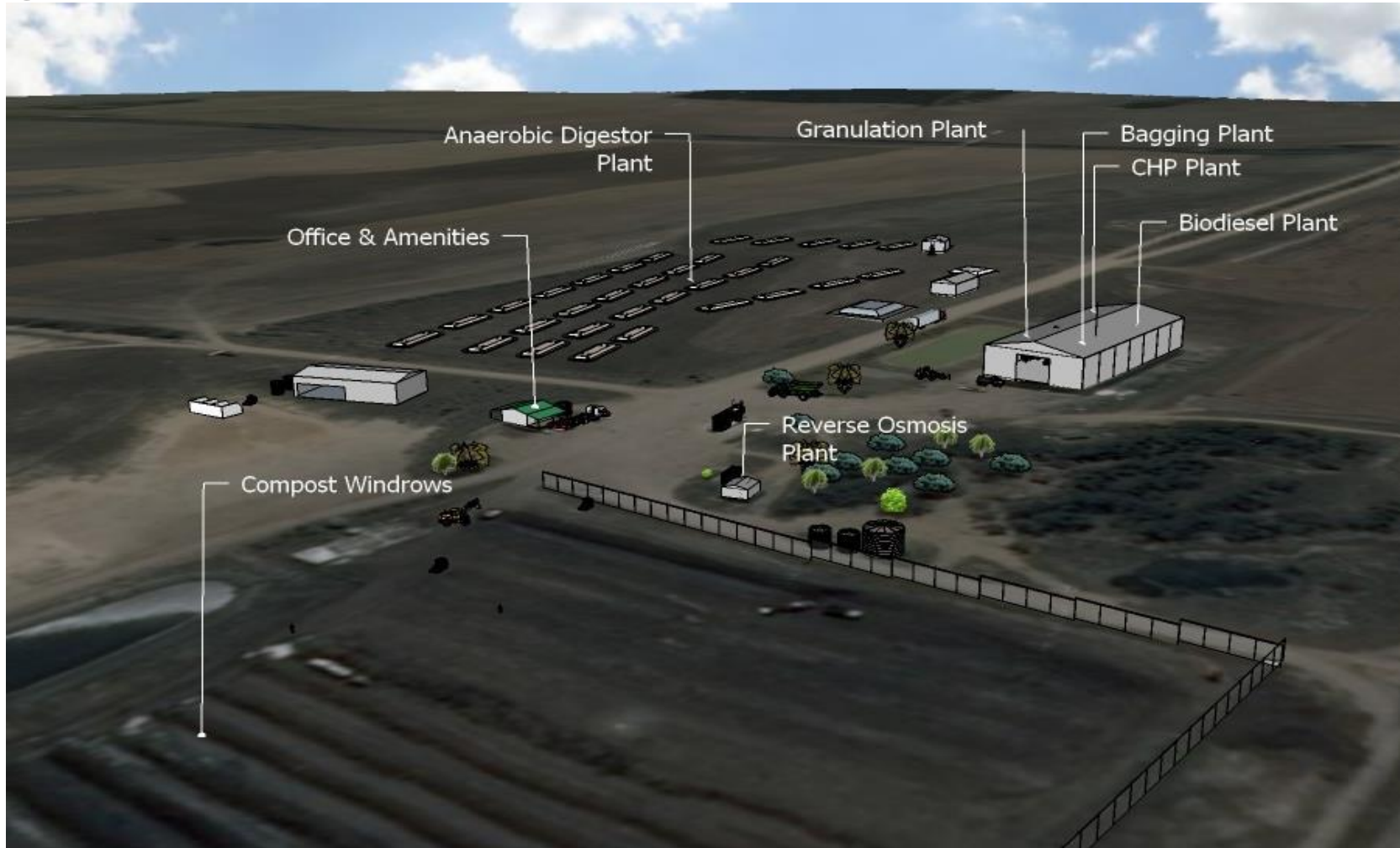
Notes:

- > Check Separation Distance at boundary (could be 500m)
- > Biogas piping not shown
- > Digestate storage - Dam or in-ground poly tanks
- > Stormwater drainage not shown
- > wastewater lagoon - lined & covered

Expansion provision



Brinkley Site (3D) Overview







ENERGY 1 – What type of organics wastes?

❖ Recipe, e.g.

- Food organics
- Food processing waste
- Industrial organics
- Pig slurry
- Chicken Litter
- Cow manure
- Garden waste
- Oil & Grease
- Water
- Digestate seed

❖ Outcome:

- Soluble & biodegradable wastes
- High biogas yield ~ 100m³/tonne
- Liquefied form – 10-15% wt. solids
- Carbon : Nitrogen ratio – 15:1
- Stable pH
- Methane Combustible Gas 
- Electricity 

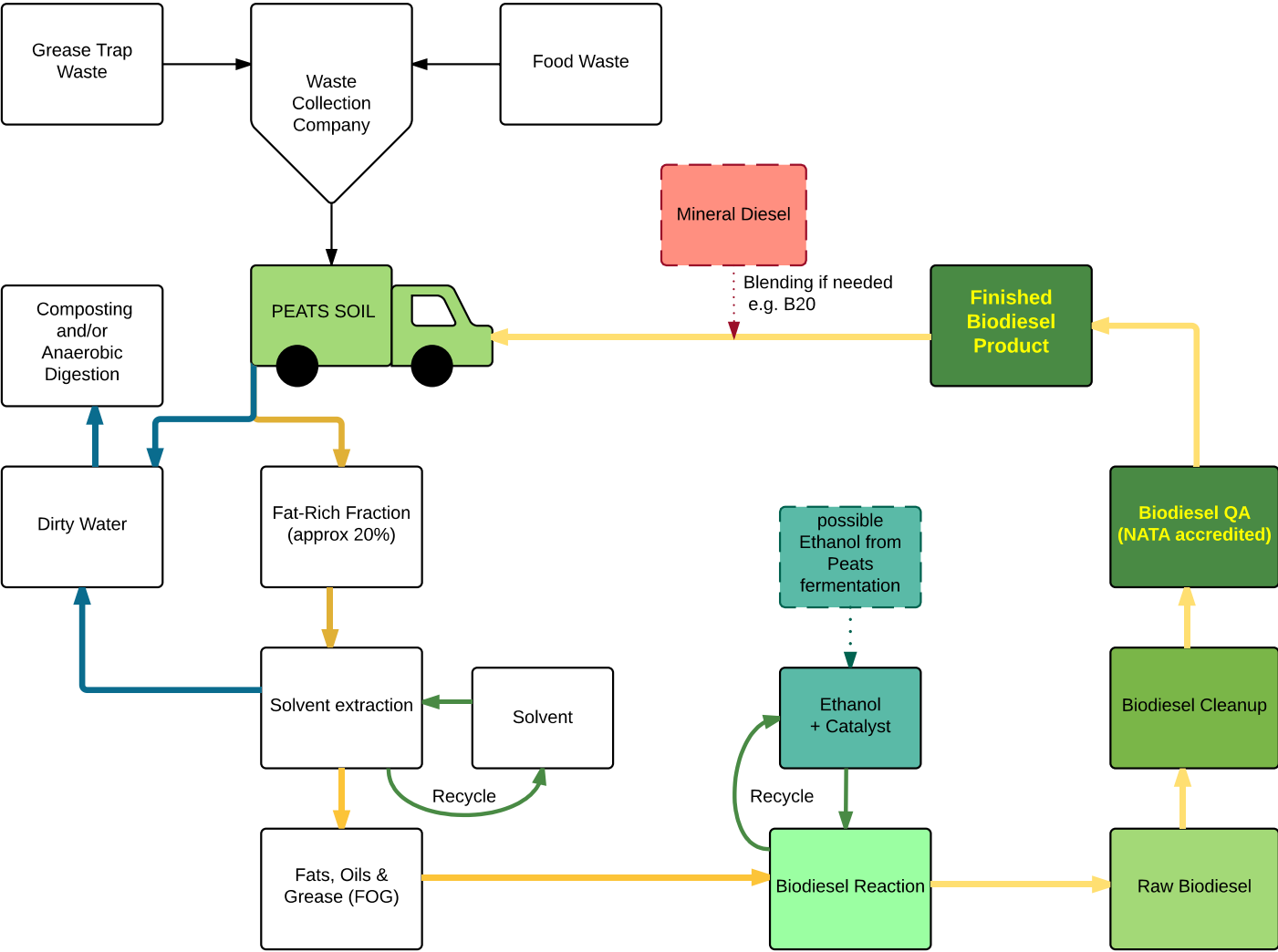


ENERGY 2 - Bio Diesel Fuel Plant

- ❖ Peat's Group Annual Diesel Fuel Demands – up to 1,400,000 litres
- ❖ Conventional solutions:
 - ❑ Excise Rebated Fossil Fuel Diesel at approx. \$0.96c/ltr or \$1.34m pa cost
- ❖ Renewable energy solution: Bio Diesel Fuel plant
 - ❑ Extracts Organic Biodiesel from existing grease trap fatty waste organic materials
 - ❑ Converted into Bio Diesel using patented conversion process.
 - ❑ Residual waste product still ends up in composting process.
 - ❑ \$1.0M set-up and development cost but minimal on-going costs
 - ❑ Organic Fuel 100% usable into road and site fleet at approx. \$0.50c/ltr or \$0.7m pa
 - ❑ Net annual SAVING of \$644,000 compared to Fossil Fuels
- ❖ Research and Development ATO approved rebate.
- ❖ Registered for Australian Government's Emission Reduction Fund (ERF)



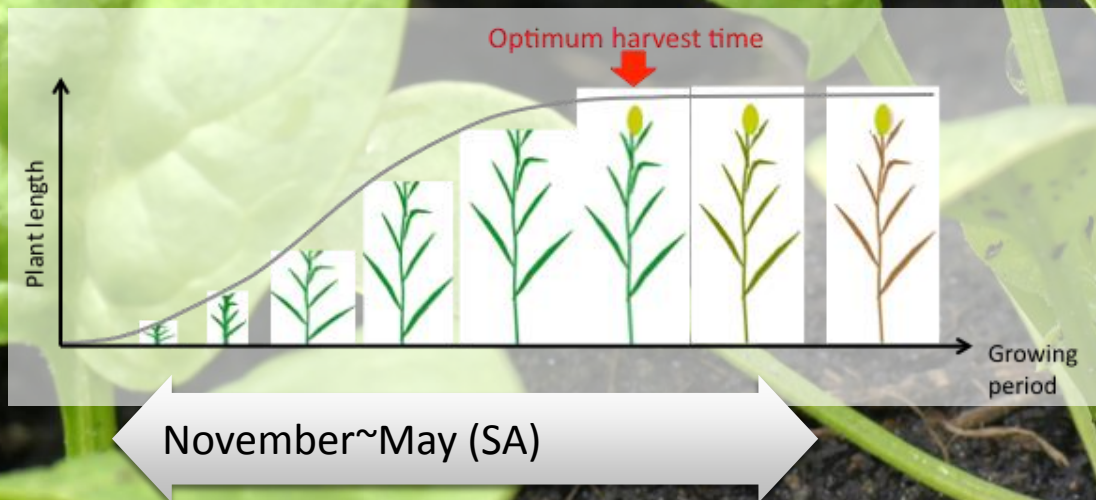
Peats Soil and Garden Supplies Pty Ltd Biodiesel Pilot Production Plant, Brinkley SA



Sorghum – a reliable future crop



SWEET SORGHUM SILAGE



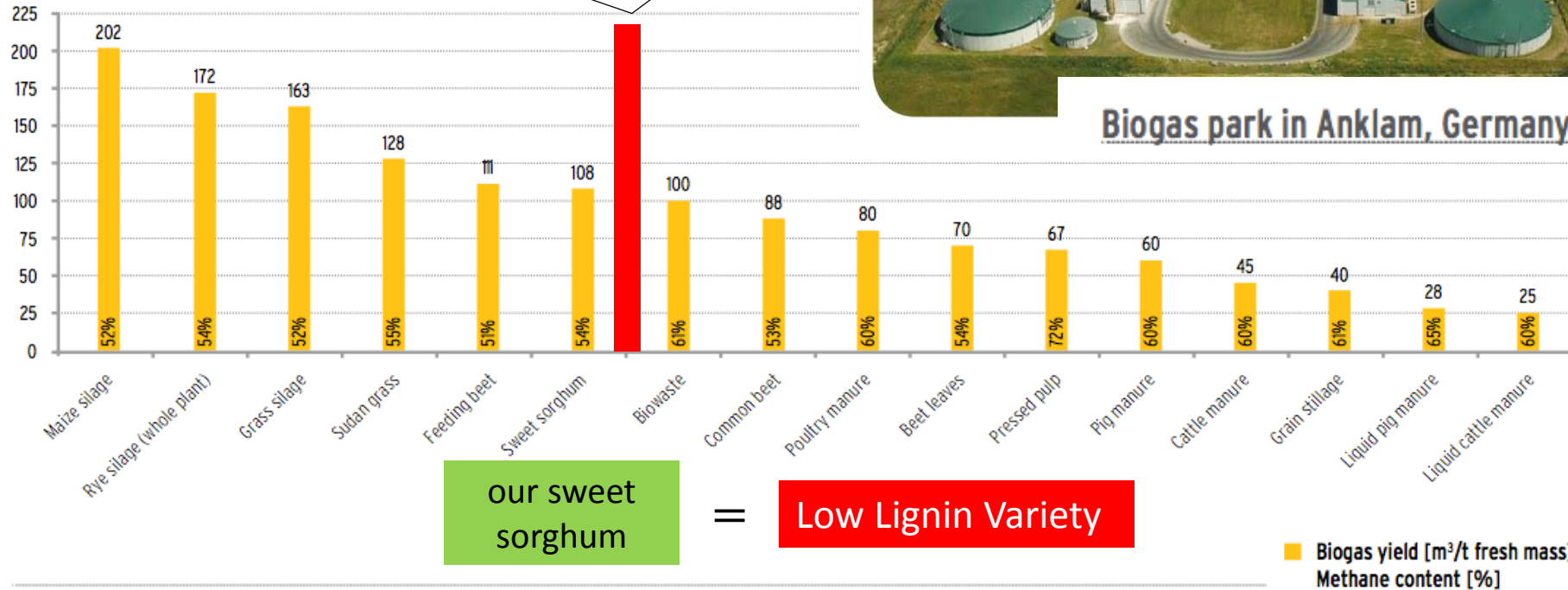
Biogas yield of our technology with sorghum show highest performance

Sorghum Biomass = Maize × 2

216 m³ Biogas/ t fresh mass,
56% Methane content



Biogas park in Anklam, Germany



⁴ Handreichung Biogas, Fachagentur Nachwachsende Rohstoffe, 2006; Energiepflanzen, KTBL, 2006

A NEW AGRICULTURAL FRONTIER

Soil improvement through
composted manures



Smart Agriculture

Drip Irrigation
Organic Fertilisers
Microbe Assisted Nutrition
Bio-Char & Humified Matter

**AGRICULTURAL RE-CYCLE
&
DUAL CROP**



SILAGE

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**FOOD AND/OR
FUEL**

**COMBINED INDUSTRIALISATION &
PROCESSING**
-SUGAR / HF Syrup
-ETHANOL
-ANIMAL FEEDSTOCK
-ENERGY FUEL

Multiple sources of income



THANK YOU

Waste to ENERGY

Developing Novel Technologies for Green Electricity, Gas and Biodiesel Production from Low-Quality, Organic and Food-Waste Feedstocks



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