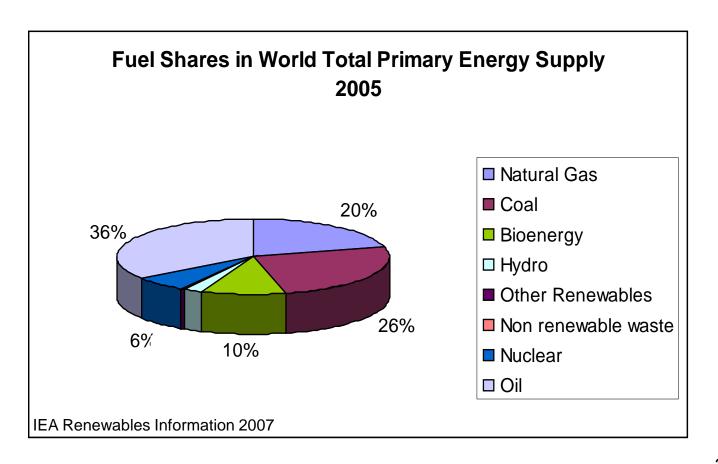
# IEA Bioenergy

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## **Bioenergy**

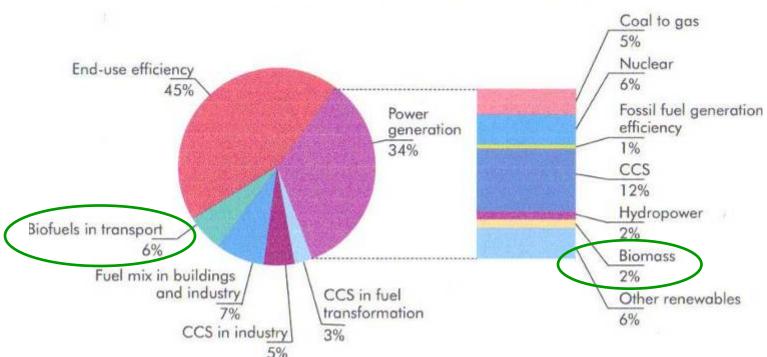
 already plays a major role supplying ~10% of world primary energy supplies



## **Bioenergy**

 has significant scope to make a greater contribution to secure and sustainable energy provision





### **Vision and Mission**

#### **Vision:**

To achieve a substantial bioenergy contribution to future global energy demands by

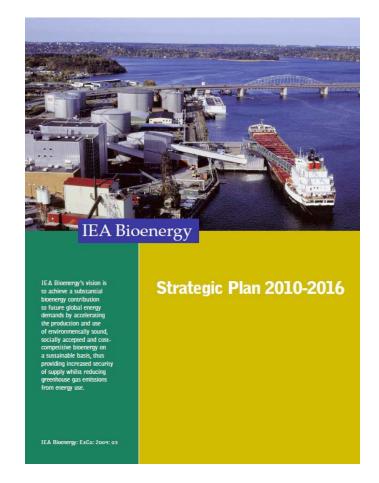
- -accelerating the production and use of
- environmentally sound,
- socially accepted and
- cost-competitive bioenergy on a sustainable basis

#### **Mission:**

To facilitate the commercialisation and market deployment of

- -environmentally sound,
- -socially acceptable,
- -and cost-competitive bioenergy systems and technologies,
- -and to advise policy and industrial decision makers accordingly.

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## IEA Bioenergy.....

- Provides an international forum for sharing information and developing best practice on
  - Technology development
  - Non-technical barriers and issues
  - Regulatory and legislative issues
- Produces authoritative information on key strategic issues affecting deployment

## **24 Contracting Parties**

- Australia
- Austria
- Belgium
- Brazil
- Canada
- Croatia
- Denmark
- European Commission
- Finland
- France
- Germany
- Ireland

- Italy
- Japan
- Korea
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Norway
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- Switzerland
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- United Kingdom
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## **Agreement Activities**

#### **Executive Committee**

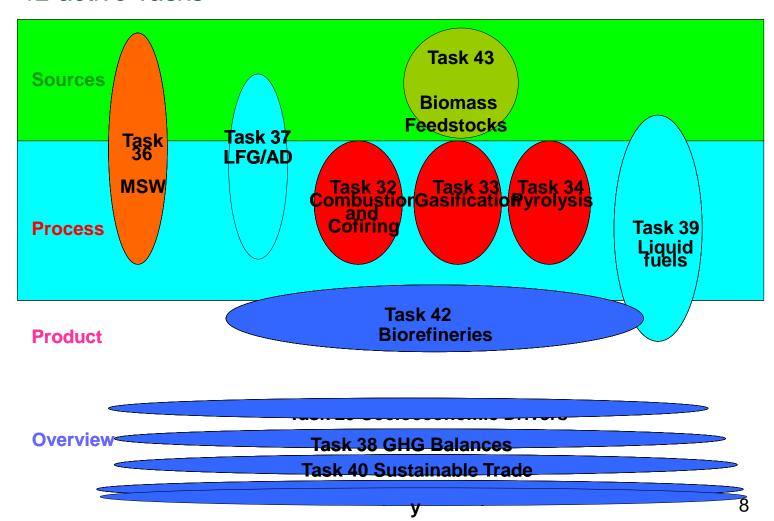
- Bi-annual ExCo meetings/management of the IA
- ExCo Workshops
- Annual report, newsletters, website
- Strategic Position Papers
- Technical Coordinator

#### **Tasks**

- Coordination of national RD&D programmes, information exchange and joint projects
- Task meetings, study tours and workshops
- Publications, reports, newsletters, websites
- Networking with industrial and other stakeholders

### Task Structure

• 12 active Tasks



## Strategic Studies: Monitoring Sustainability Certification of Bioenergy

- Implementation process of sustainability certification of bioenergy
- 2. **impact** on worldwide bioenergy **trade**
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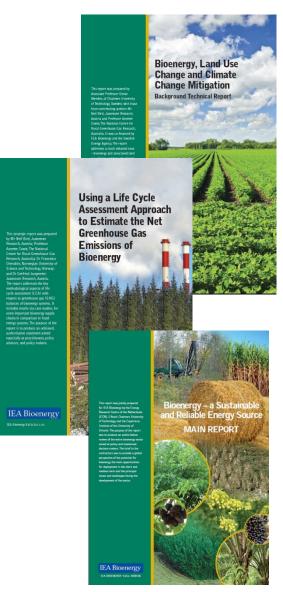
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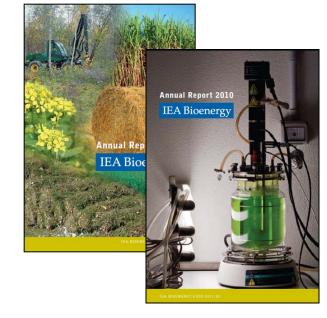
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### IEA Bioenergy

## Task 32: Biomass Combustion and Co-firing

#### Focus on:

Combustion and co-firing of biomass for the production of usable energy.

#### Aims to:

Stimulate further expansion of biomass combustion.

Generate and disseminate information on technical and non-technical barriers and solutions for dedicated biomass combustion systems and biomass co-firing in existing coal-fired power stations.





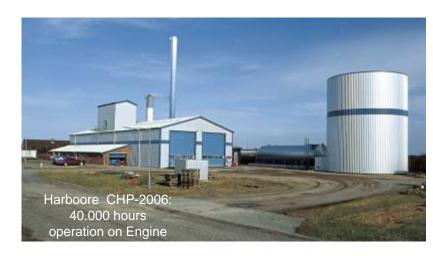
### **Task 33: Thermal Gasification of Biomass**

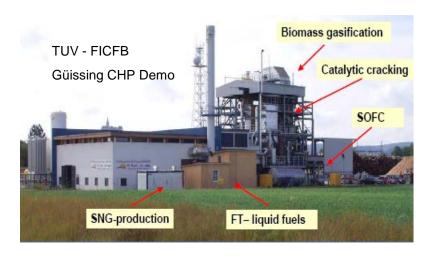
#### Focus on:

Production of substitute fuel gases from biomass for utilisation in energy conversion systems.

#### Aims to:

Exchange information and promote co-ordinated RD&D among the participants to eliminate technological impediments to the commercialisation of thermal gasification of biomass.





## **Task 34: Pyrolysis of Biomass**

#### Focus on:

The controlled thermal degradation of biomass in any form to derive energy and chemical products.

#### Aims to

Study biomass pyrolysis and its role in an integrated bioenergy scheme.

Provide a forum for all aspects of biomass fast pyrolysis including preparation of feedstock, the fast pyrolysis process and utilisation of the liquid product for energy, electricity and chemicals production.



## Task 36: Integrating Energy Recovery into Solid Waste Management

#### Focus on:

Conversion of Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) by thermal processes for the production of usable energy, including heat and electricity.

#### Aims to:

Collate research and policy information and case study material to produce best practice guidelines for policy makers



## Task 37: Energy from Biogas

#### Focus on:

Biological treatment of the organic fraction of municipal solid waste and the anaerobic treatment of organic rich industrial waste water to produce biogas and a digestate of high quality.

#### Aims to:

Exchange and disseminate information on biogas production and energy utilisation and promote deployment of AD plants





## Task 38: GHG Balances of Biomass and Bioenergy Systems

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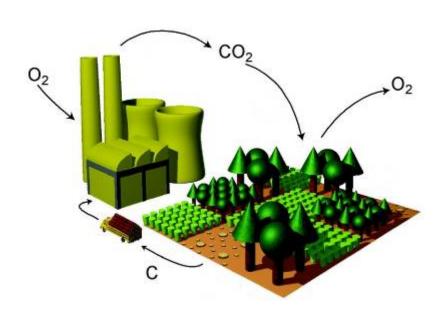
Investigation of all processes involved in the use of biomass and bioenergy systems on a full fuel-cycle basis to establish overall GHG balances.

#### Aims to:

Improve understanding of bioenergy and GHG issues.

Develop and improve tools for assessing GHG balances.

Disseminate best practice in biomass GHG reduction and aid decision makers in defining optimal mitigation strategies



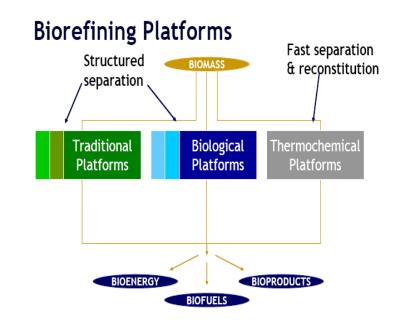
## Task 39: Commercialising Liquid Biofuels from Biomass

#### Focus on:

Policy, market and implementation issues that must be address in commercialisation of biofuels and the technical challenges of 2<sup>nd</sup>-generation biofuel production.

#### Aims to:

Identify and eliminate nontechnical, environmental and institutional barriers. Identify remaining technological barriers to liquid biofuels technologies. Formulate a deployment strategy.



## Task 40: Sustainable International Bioenergy Trade

#### Focus on:

Supporting development of a sustainable international bioenergy trading system while recognising the diversity of resources and applications.

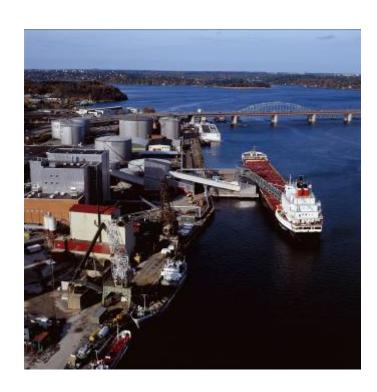
#### Aims to:

Review the development of biomass markets in various parts of the world and existing trade experiences.

Analyse the effects of existing markets (e.g., pulpwood) on bioenergy trade.

Review the barriers hampering development of a global commodity market and identify strategies to overcome them.

Identify sustainability criteria and their local influence on the biomass market.



### **Task 42: Biorefineries**

#### Focus on:

Biorefinery as a facility that optimises the integrated production of materials, fuels, energy and chemicals and so maximises the value derived from the biomass feedstock.

#### Aims to:

Assess the worldwide position and potential of biorefineries.

Gather new insights of the possibilities for the simultaneous manufacture of transportation fuels, added value chemicals, heat, power and materials.



## Task 43: Biomass Feedstocks for Energy

#### **Objectives:**

To promote sound bioenergy development through timely analyses of all matters relating to biomass feedstock, including biomass markets and the socioeconomic and environmental consequences of feedstock production.

The work programme has a global scope and includes production systems in both agriculture and forestry. The primary focus is on land use and bioenergy feedstock systems.



## Strategic Studies: Monitoring Sustainability Certification of Bioenergy

### Goals of the study

- Implementation process of sustainability certification of bioenergy
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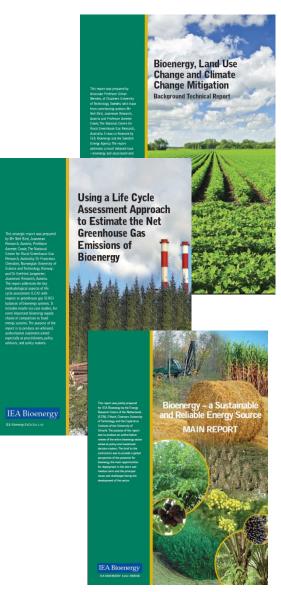
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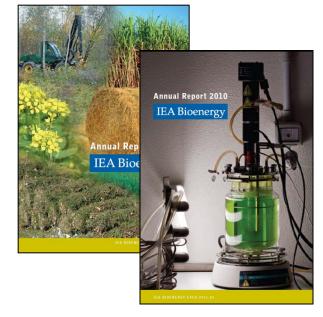
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