

# PRAIRIE'S EDGE DAIRY FARM, LLC

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GOAL: SUSTAINED SUSTAINABILITY





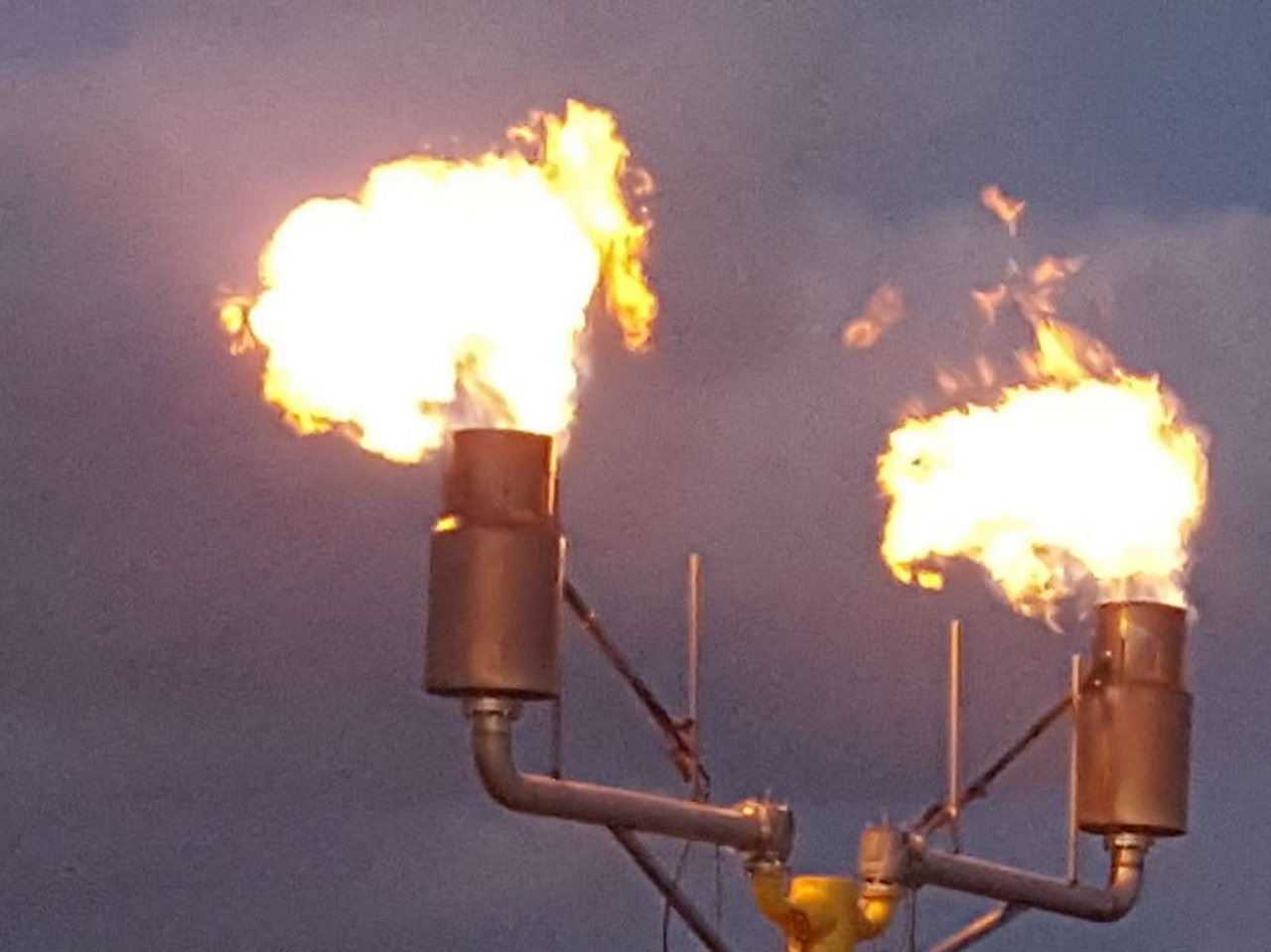
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**EARLY  
DAIRY MANURE DIGESTERS**



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## MODERN MANURE DIGESTERS



# DIGESTER BENEFITS

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# ENVIRONMENTAL BENEFITS

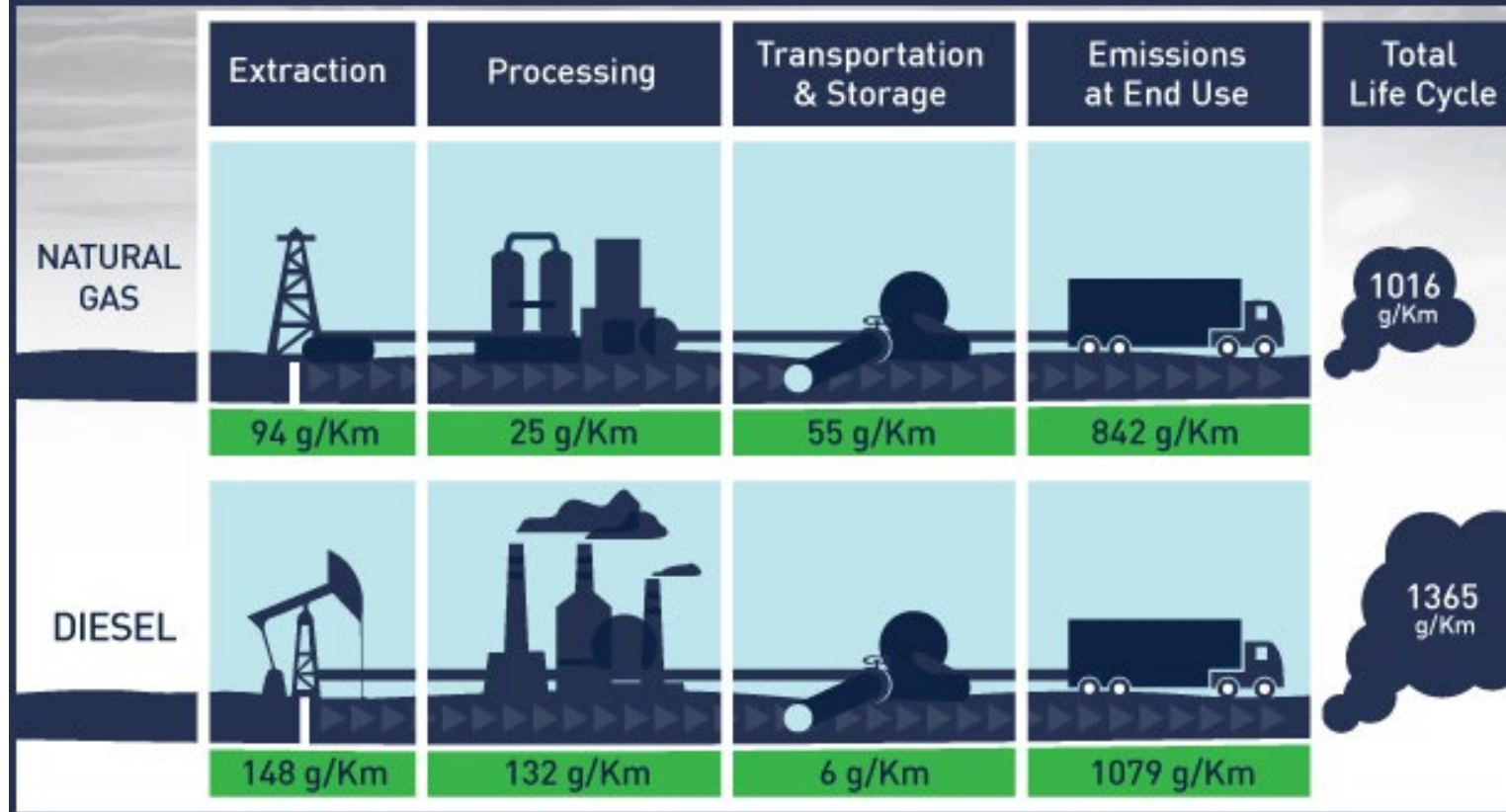
- **Pathogen reduction:**
- Salmonella
- Generic Escherichia coli
- Escherichia coli O157:H7
- Mycobacterium paratuberculosis (Johne's)
- Bovine enterovirus (BEV)
- Enterovirus
- Fecal coliform
- Cryptosporidium
- Anaerobic digestion of manure has been shown to reduce

# ENVIRONMENTAL BENEFITS CONTINUED

- Odor Reduction:
  - Most “Smell” originates from a conventional lagoon, and land application. Digesters consume volatile solids.
- Methane reductions:
  - Methane is many times more potent of a greenhouse gas than CO<sub>2</sub>
  - <https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2018-06/documents/epa430r18006agstarmarketreport2018.pdf>

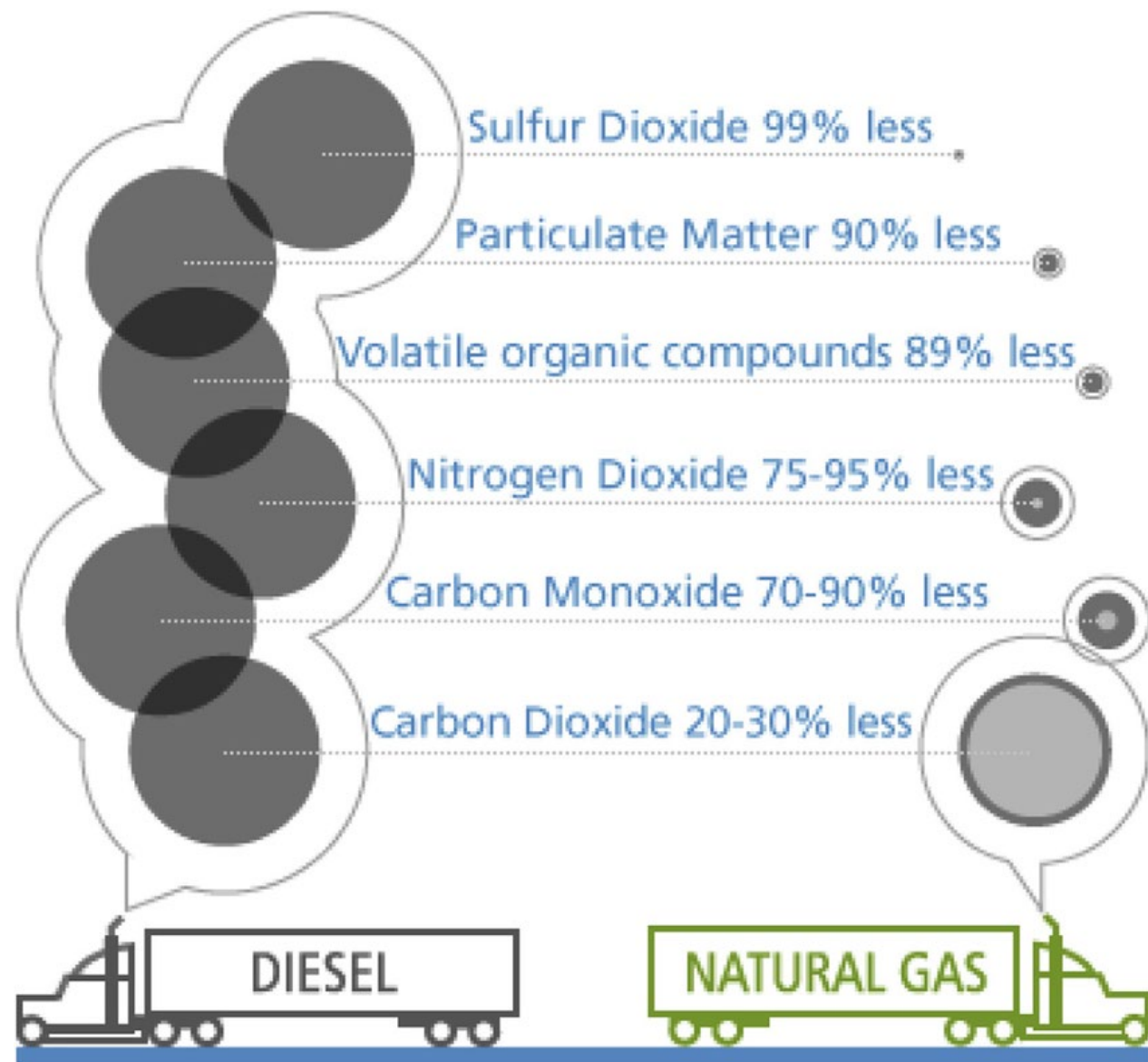
# GHGenius 'Well-to-Wheels' lifecycle modelling

Natural Gas is Realistic Because it Costs Less, Not More, than the Status Quo



Based on Natural Resources Canada's well-to-wheels lifecycle model 3.15 GHGenius. Assumes use of Wesport Innovations 15 litre HD Engine System

 [CleanEnergyFuels.com/Compression](http://CleanEnergyFuels.com/Compression)





# FINANCIAL BENEFITS ANAEROBIC DIGESTION

- Energy Production: Electricity/ rCNG
- Nutrient Harvest/Upcycling into all Markets, i.e. conventional cropping systems, Lawn and Garden, Municipalities etc.
- Tipping Fees \*\*\*
- Renewable Energy credits, Greenhouse reduction credits etc.

# RENEWABLE DAIRY FUELS

*Fleet of 42 long-range CNG trucks—one of the largest CNG fleets in the US*



*Built two CNG fueling stations for trucks—fueling 120k+ DGE's a month*



*On-farm anaerobic digester provides 1.5M DGE of gas a year to station.*



*Project can source gas from local utility when renewable is not available.*

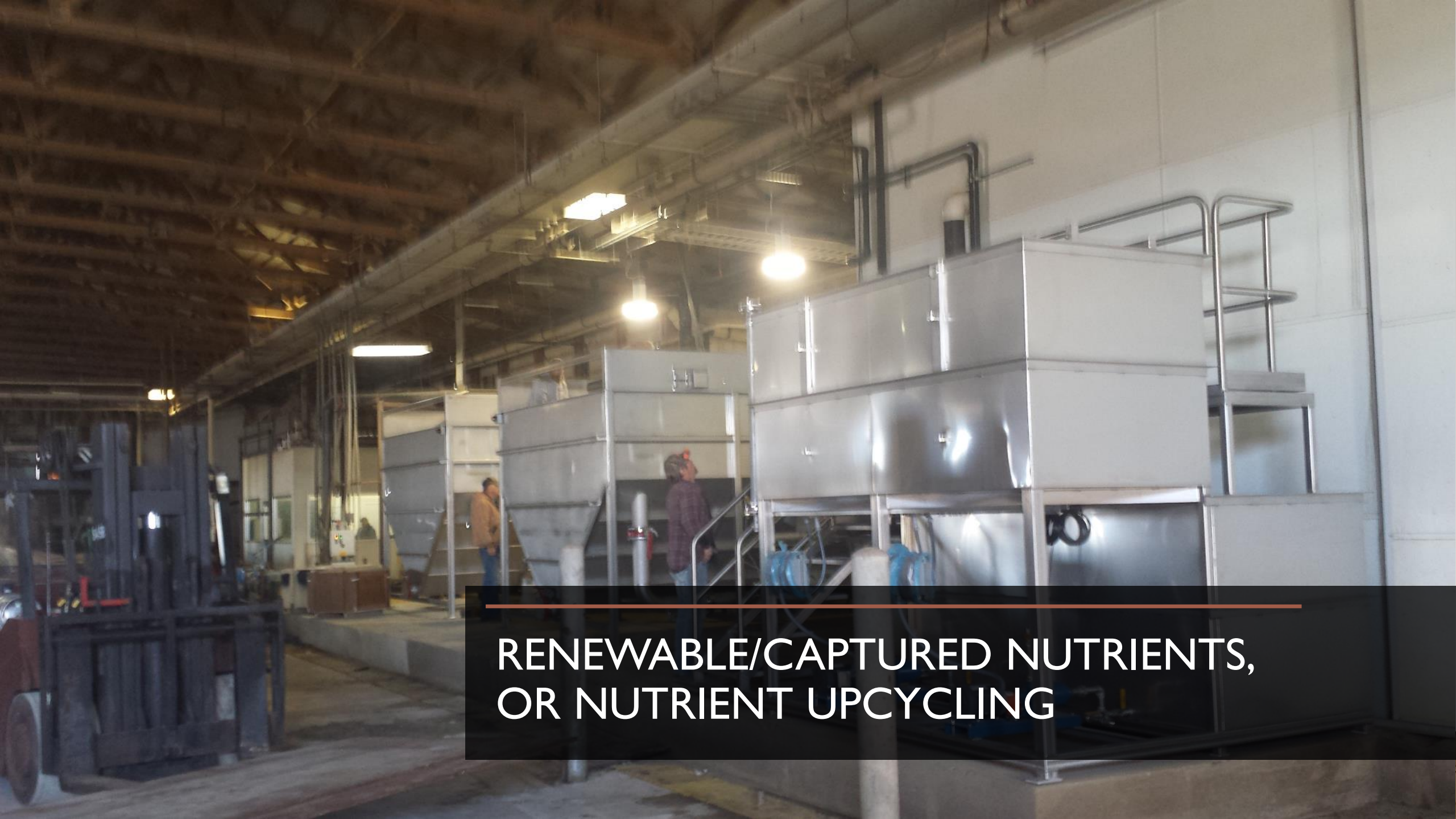
First agriculture based CNG projects to be registered with the US EPA's Renewable Fuel Standard.

# RENEWABLE NUTRIENTS/ RENEWABLE FUELS

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OBSTACLE VERSUS OPPORTUNITY





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**RENEWABLE/CAPTURED NUTRIENTS,  
OR NUTRIENT UPCYCLING**

# CONVENTIONAL NUTRIENTS VS. UPCYCLED/CAPTURED NUTRIENTS

- Commodity Nutrients like those mined or mined/manufactured.
  - Anhydrous Ammonia, DAP, MAP, UAN, 0-0-60 all consume large amounts of energy to create.
  - The above are mined or harvested from the earth, creating their own environmental concerns.
  - Intense high yield cropping programs may lead to Organic Matter depletion.
- Upcycled/ Captured Nutrients exist mostly in natural forms, just difficult and costly to capture!

# TRIDENT PROCESSES NUTRIENT CAPTURE



# PRAIRIE'S EDGE DAIRY FARM/ MIDWESTERN BIOAG

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- Digester
- Trident Nutrient capture technology
- Nutrient cake used in the creation of TerraNu Products
- Calcium
- Micropak
- Ignite



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# INTEGRATED PRODUCTION

