We have what it takes for **BIOGAS TESTING**
INNOVATIVE BIOGAS TEST EQUIPMENT

Umwelt- und Ingenieurtechnik GmbH Dresden (UIT) is a German manufacturer and supplier of Biogas Test Equipment and provides also various environmental monitoring solutions.

With the focus to provide high quality and reliable equipment we are helping to optimize processes for biogas plant operations and provide useful tools for biogas analysis, research and development with the goal to optimize digester operation and maximize methane production.

As a classic engineering company with own production facilities we are in position to provide standard equipment, but also custom-made biogas test systems that is specific to your technical requirements and within your budget and your timeline.

UIT Biogas Test Equipment is made in Dresden, Germany. We produce all systems according to highest level of quality and ship it to our customers worldwide.

DETERMINATION OF BIOGAS POTENTIAL

Our laboratory-based Test Plants determine the potential biogas output of fermentation substrates in several modes. Depending on the design the test plant comes with a bioreactor made of glass in a cylindrical shape and different working volumes.

Sensors for temperature control and measurement of pH as well as gas amount, speed and torque of mixer (other parameters on request) provide important information to the Data Acquisition System SENSOncontrol.

The plastic top cover provides ports in different sizes to take all standard electrodes and fittings for sampling or feeding.

The gas quantity is measured through a high quality gas drum meter.

In addition to our basic systems we provide a more complex version which additionally includes a central gas analysis module.

With this add on module we supply an option for the online analysis of gas composition of methane, carbon dioxide, oxygen, hydrosulfide and hydrogen.

Because of its modular design the number of reactors and therefore the total working volume is flexible and, optionally, it can be upgraded with further sensors to monitor other parameters.

Almost any measurable probe can be added at a later time. Our Biogas Test Equipment provides a tailored solution with integrated gas analysis module combined with the flexibility of a rack-mounted modular system.
PRODUCTS

- BTP 2 basic
- BTP 2
- BTP 2 analyzer
- BTP 2 control
- BTP 2 control with pump modules
- BTP 2 sterile
- MRE 3
- Gas quality measurement technology
- Pilot container

Standardized and customized lab test facilities for biogas research, product development (enzymes, nutrients), process optimization and biotechnology.

We deliver test plants of 2.5 liter reactor volume up to 1,500 liter reactor volume with different range of measurement and control equipment.
The biogas pilot plant BTP2 is the base system for substrate testing and gas potential tests.

Furthermore, this system is ideally suited for product development (enzymes, nutrients) or for process optimization.

This system is characterized by an extensive basic equipment, e.g. SENSOcontrol or optional pumps for feeding or control of pH.

**FEATURES**

- Glass reactor with different working volume
- Continuous operation with AUTO feeding
- Electrical heating
- Two level stirrer with gastight shaft
- Dosage pumps for pH-control
- Gas bag to collect gas samples
- Measurement equipment
  - Gas quantity
  - pH/ Redox / temperature
- SENSOcontrol with touch panel
The biogas pilot plant BTP2-analyzer is the first upgrade of BTP 2 and is used mainly in research as well as for practical substrate or gas potential tests.

This system is equipped with one gas quality analyzer module. In contrast to the BTP2-control this system is not expandable with additional reactors.

Furthermore, this system is ideally suited for research, product development (enzymes, nutrients) or for process optimization.
Standardized and customized lab test facilities for biogas research, product development (enzymes, nutrients), process optimization and biotechnology.

We deliver test plants of 2.5 liter reactor volume up to 1,500 liter reactor volume with different range of measurement and control equipment.

**FEATURES**

- Up to 10 bioreactors on one gas quality measurement system
- Glass reactor with different working volume
- Continuous operation with AUTO feeding
- Electrical heating
- Two level stirrer with gastight shaft
- Dosage pumps for pH-control
- Gas bag to collect gas samples
- Measurement equipment
  - Gas quantity
  - pH/ Redox / temperature
  - gas quality measurement system
- SENSOr control with touch panel
The universal automation system SENSOcontrol is used for data acquisition applications and control of units (pumps, mixer) of the test plant.

A touch panel for intuitive operation is integrated for user-friendly parameter set-up and real-time visualization of measured data.
BTP2-control with pump modules
for feed, discharge and pH-control

FEATURES

- Tube pumps for feeding, discharge and pH-control
- High quality tube pumps with 3 rolls
- Available tube inner diameter: 0.8 mm; 1.6 mm; 3.2 mm; 4.8 mm; 6.3 mm and 8 mm
- Minimum flow rate 0.5 ml/min and max. flow rate 840 ml/min with different tube inner diameters and revolutions per minute
- Control of tube pumps via SENSOcontrol
  - Asynchronous time control for feeding and discharge
  - PID control system for pH-control
- Basic pump cabinet with doors and individual vessels
- Useable as transfer-pumps for two-stage fermentation tests

The individual BTP modules can also be equipped with pump modules. The pump modules are controlled by the SENSOcontrol units.
FEATURES

- pH-control software with the possibility to define the wished pH-value and the control parameters
- feeding control software with the possibility to define the pumping time and the break time (asynchronous time control)
- discharge control software with the possibility to define the pumping time and the break time (asynchronous time control)
- storage of the pumping sequences and visualization

The universal automation system SENSOcontrol is also used for control of pumps of the test plant. A touch panel for intuitive operation is integrated for user friendly parameter set-up and real time visualization of measured data.
FEATURES

• Up to 10 bioreactors on one gas quality measurement system

• Glass reactor with different working volume

• Continuous operation with AUTO feeding

• Electrical heating

• Two level stirrer with gastight shaft

• Dosage pumps for pH-control

• Gas bag to collect gas samples

• Measurement equipment
  - Gas quantity
  - pH/Redox/temperature
  - gas quality measurement system

• SENSOcontrol with touch panel

Biogas Test Equipment
BTP 2 control

Combining up to 10 basic plants with only one gas analyses module

The fully automated biogas pilot plant BTP2-control is mainly used in research as well as for practical substrate or gas potential tests. This system is modular and equipped with one gas quality analyzer module.

For expansion it is possible to connect up to ten reactors with only one gas quality analyzer. One central computer in combination with a multiplexer unit enables the independent test procedure of each individual reactor.

Gas volume and gas quality is simultaneously and automatically measured for each reactor. Furthermore, this system is ideally suited for research, product development (enzymes, nutrients) or for process optimization.

E-Mail Support
info@uit-gmbh.de

Telefon Support
+49 351 88646-00

Biogas Test Equipment
FEATURES

- Eccentric screw pumps suitable for larger quantities and particle sizes

- Size of solids content: 6 mm – max. ball passage cross section - other max. sizes of solid on request

- Max. fiber length: 30 mm - other max. fibre length on request

- Nominal flow rate: 51 l/h with additional frequency converter for change of the flow rate (minimum 20 l/h)

- External ventilation of frequency converter – necessary for use of minimum range (5 l/h) of the pumps

- Control of pumps via SENSOcontrol
  - Asynchronous time control for feeding and discharge
  - Monitor of scales

- SENSOcontrol with touch panel
**BTP 2 with feeding**

Use of eccentric screw pumps and scales for accurate feeding

The individual BTP modules can also be equipped with eccentric screw pumps.

Additionally, the system is equipped with scales for an exact feeding result.

The pumps modules and the scale modules are controlled by the SENSO-control units.
In contrast to basic units (BTP), the BTP sterile reactor is produced of stainless steel and glass. This offers the possibilities to sterilize the bioreactor before the start of the experiment. It is equipped with an advanced gastight shaft.

The biogas pilot plant BTP sterile is the upgraded base system for substrate testing and gas potential tests.

Furthermore, this system is ideally suited for product development (enzymes, nutrients), process optimization and biotechnology applications. This system is characterized by an extensive basic equipment, e.g. SENSOrcontrol and optional pumps for feeding or control of pH.
This modular, compact laboratory plant is the perfect way to study the invisible parts of our environment - the microcosm.

Client-specific microcosm plants (MRE 3) are used in soil research to realize experiments with defined boundary conditions, for example a static pH-value or redox potential.

The microcosm laboratory plant is capable for testing polluted soils and other polluted materials (old deposits). A stable pH-value (by dosage of acid and base) is adjusted or a stable redox potential (by dosage of \( \text{O}_2 \) and \( \text{CO}_2 \)) is achieved automatically. Of course it is also possible to operate the system manually.

Because of the high quality material used to build the plant it is possible to use chemical aggressive raw materials. Individual adjustments to specific customer requirements are also possible.

**FEATURES**

- pH-control
- Redox-control
- High accuracy tube pumps
- Mixer
- Bioreactor, glass reactor with different working volume
- Measurement equipment pH / Redox / temperature
- SENSOrcontrol with touch panel
- Electrical heating

E-Mail Support
info@uit-gmbh.de

Telefon Support
+49 351 88646-00
**Gas quality measurement technology**

for BTP modules

**FEATURES**

- Possible Measurement parameter (handheld or stationary gas quality measurement system):
  - CH₄ 0…100 vol % IR sensor
  - CO₂ 0…100 vol % IR sensor
  - O₂ 0…25 vol % electrochemical sensor
  - H₂S 0…5000 ppm electrochemical sensor
  - H₂ 0…2000 ppm¹ electrochemical sensor
  - H₂ 0…50 vol%³ thermal conductivity sensor

- Equipping status:
  - Measurement gas cooler¹
  - Internal membrane pump
  - Pressure sensor for control of emptying of gas bag³

¹… only valid for stationary gas quality measurement system not available for handheld gas quality measurement device
FEATURES

- Available as dry/wet fermentation, also for percolation requirements
- Available also for sterile applications
- Steel reactors with different working volumes
- Feeding and discharge pumps
- Fully equipped container with air condition, electrical installation, Gas warning system
- Standard 20/40 ft. Maritime container, details on demand

Pilot containers will be produced fully customized. Pilot containers are offered wet/dry fermentation and also for percolator requirements and be used under continuos or batch operation.

Pilot containr can be also equipped with sterile steel bioreactors and special equipment.

E-Mail Support
info@uit-gmbh.de

Telefon Support
+49 351 88646-00
Pilot containers will be produced fully customized. Pilot containers are offered for wet/dry fermentation and also for percolator requirements and can be used under continuous or batch operation.

For this test facility we offer the whole working package incorporating the complete planning procedure incl. HAZOP (hazard and operability study) analysis up to delivery turn-key solutions.

The equipment features of the pilot container (measurement devices, control equipment, feeding devices) will be realized according to the customer requirements. The bio reactor including electrical heating and mixing system is made of stainless steel.

For health and safety compliance the test facility is equipped with a gas warning system.

Depending on the design the test plant is mounted in a 20 ft. maritime container which is CSC compliant.

**FEATURES**

- Available for wet/dry fermentation also for percolator requirements
- Container fully equipped (air condition, electrical installation, etc.)
- Bioreactor, stainless steel with different working volume
- Automatically feed and discharge
- Electrical heating
- Dosage pumps for pH-control
- Measurement equipment
  - Gas quantity
  - pH/Redox/temperature
  - Gas quality measurement system
- SENSOcontrol with touch panel
**FEATURES**

- Sterile bio reactors with agitator
- Container full equipped (air condition, electrical installation, gas warning system)
- Electrical heating for bio reactors
- Dosage pumps
- Measurement equipment
  - Gas quality
  - Mass flow controller
  - Gas quantity
  - pH/redox/ temperature
- SENSOrcontrol with touch panel

Pilot container for biotechnology application will be produced fully customized. Biotechnology pilot container offers innovative, high-performing and safe biological process solutions for several applications.

Equipment for pre- and post-fermentation treatment, as well as storage solution can be realized within the container.
### Reactor volumes

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Volume</th>
<th>BTP 2 basic</th>
<th>BTP 2</th>
<th>BTP 2 analyzer</th>
<th>BTP 2 control</th>
<th>BTP sterile</th>
<th>MRE 3</th>
<th>Pilot container</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>2.5/6 liter</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td></td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15/20/30/60 liter</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td></td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>200-1,500 liter</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td></td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Electrical heating system incl. temperature controller

- Suitable to be sterilized

### Mixer incl. gas-tight shaft feedthrough

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Feature</th>
<th>BTP 2 basic</th>
<th>BTP 2</th>
<th>BTP 2 analyzer</th>
<th>BTP 2 control</th>
<th>BTP sterile</th>
<th>MRE 3</th>
<th>Pilot container</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Gas-tight shaft feedthrough</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td></td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Shaft feedthrough suitable to be sterilized</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td></td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Mixer suitable to operate asynchronous</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td></td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
<td>●</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Measuring instrumentation

- Gas quantity (gas drum counter or Milli gas counter)
- Automatic gas quality measurement (CH4, CO2, H2S, O2)
- Use of measuring instrumentation for up to 8 reactor units
- Measuring of H2 in gas phase
- Air pressure sensor
- pH-measurement in substrate
- ORP-measurement in substrate
- Dissolved CO2 - measurement in substrate
- Temperature in reactor
- Temperature of gas
- Speed and torque of mixer
- Feed and discharge pumps
- Tube pump
- Eccentric screw pump
- SENSOncontrol - data storage, visualization and control
- SENSOncontrol incl. touch-display
- pH-control - automatic pH setting
- Control of ORP
- Automatic time-triggered feeding
- Control of additional pumps

**Explanation**

- ● means standard
- ○ means option

The equipment features of the test plants will be defined by individual quotations!