





BioSphere 201: Pelletized Additive

BioSphere 302: Liquid Additive

BioSphere Custom Powder forms available on Request.

All Additive Forms contain Bio-based Content, are Printable, Weldable,

and certified Biodegradable

Worldwide.

# BioSphere is changing history by developing a simple waste solution.

Advantages: BioSphere additive when added at .5% - 10% by load weight encourages microbial biodegradation of the polymer.

BioSphere additive can be used in a range of applications from foamed products to garbage bags. Furthermore, manufacturers can use BioSphere additive in almost all major polymers. Including PP, PE, PS, PET, PC, TPU's, TPR's, ABS, HIPS, GPPS, GPPP, SAN, Nitrile, Rubber and more.

Industry Proven Technology:

ASTM Standards
ISO Standards
AU Standards
INDIA Standards
EU Directives

High Performance: Biosphere additive is not like any other additive in the marketplace. The unique design of the additive supports thermo-stability up to 280C. This allows for a broad range of product acceptance. BioSphere does not utilize any carrier resins in the mixture as our components have been enhanced and engineered for high thermo-stability. This provides a high performance, low cost solution to making products biodegradable with the highest

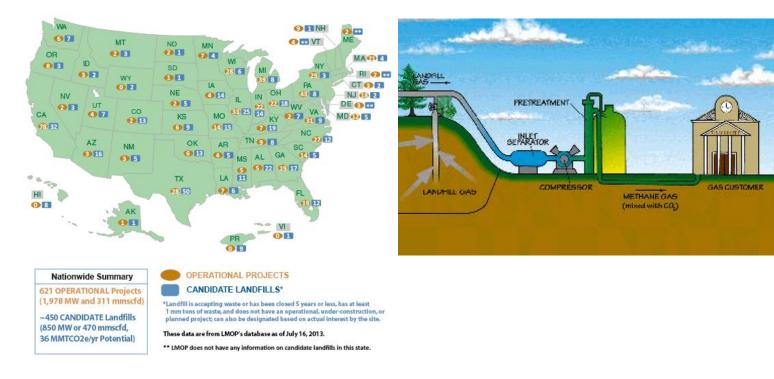
## Development and working together with Industry.

BioSphere Plastic is the leading provider of innovative solutions to the plastic industry. The team at BioSphere is researching and developing affordable and cost neutral solutions to the overwhelming problems of plastic waste.



BioSphere strives to develop innovative solutions to the problems of waste by working internally within BioSphere as well as with external partners. The development of Biodegradable additives and resins which are low cost solutions to the plastic waste epidemic. BioSphere strives to lead the world in biodegradable technologies by first listening to their customers and industry partners on the cost acceptance of environmentally friendly plastic.

In response, BioSphere has developed three products which have become affordable environmental solutions to the plastic waste stream. Our team continues to develop novel applications for waste streams and the plastic industry working with our customers and industry partners.



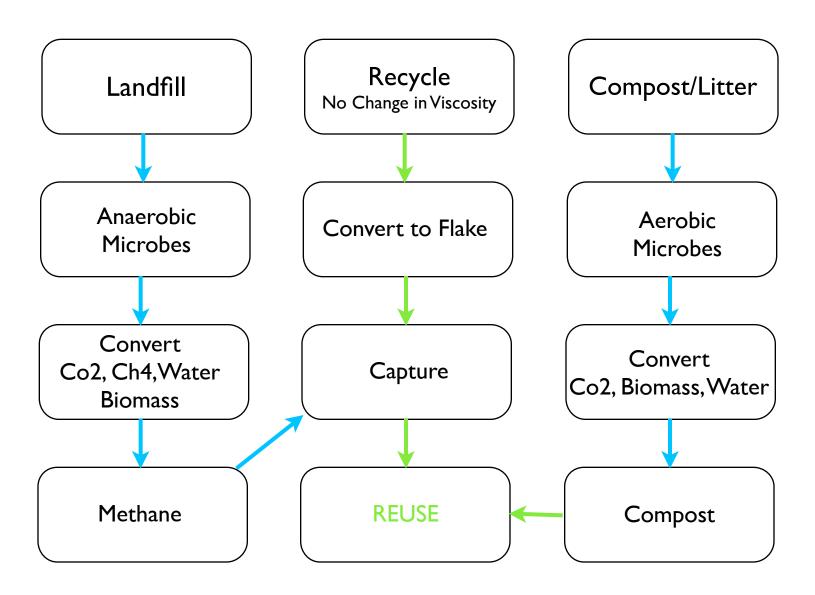
#### How it works

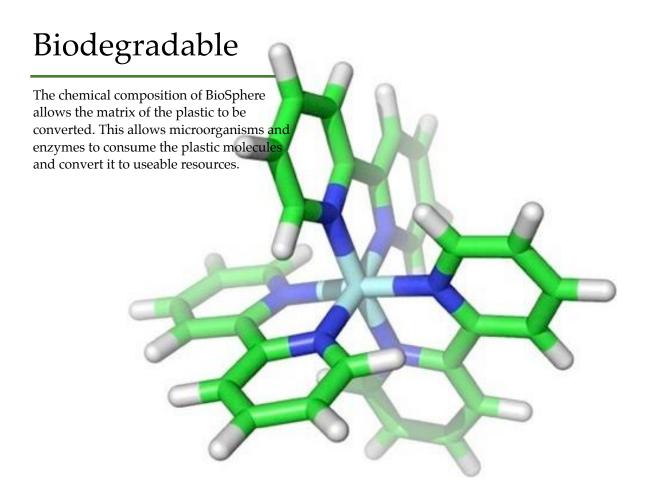
Municipal waste contains about 150 to 250 kg of organic carbon per ton. These substances are biologically degradable and are converted by microorganisms into landfill gas. Stable, anaerobic methane fermentation begins one to two years after the waste is deposited in the landfill.

Following a simple rule of thumb, 1 million tons of deposited municipal solid waste will produce landfill gas over a twenty-year period—an amount sufficient to fuel a gas engine capacity of 1 MW.

- 1. Perforated tubes are drilled into the landfill body and interconnected by a pipe work system.
- 2. Using a blower, the gas is sucked from the landfill, compressed, dried and fed into the gas engine.
- 3. In most cases, the generated electrical power is fed into the public grid.
- 4. Since there is no buyer for the heat output in most cases, the thermal energy could be converted into further electrical power.

#### One Product: Three Solutions





#### Tested and Certified

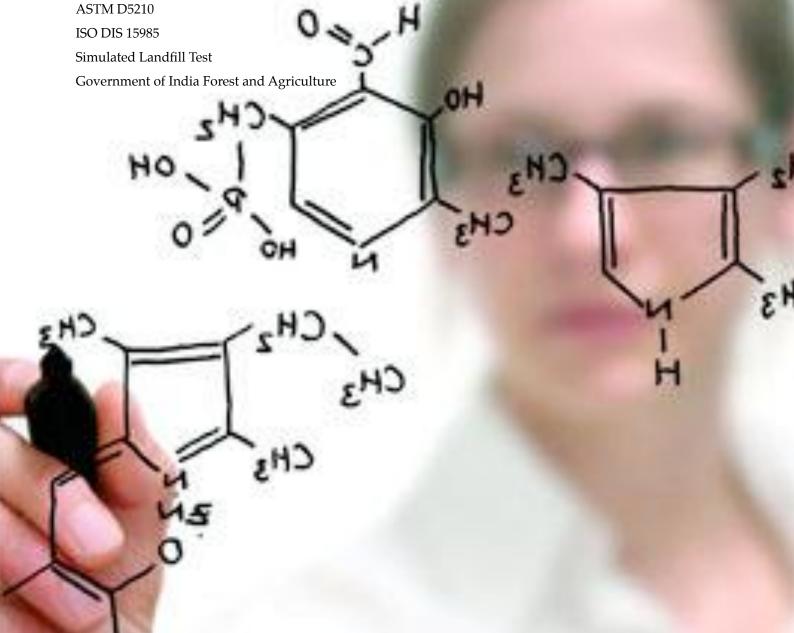
BioSphere Plastic is certified in most countries worldwide.

Under these testing methods and standards:

ASTM D5511-02

ASTM D5511-12

ASTM D5526



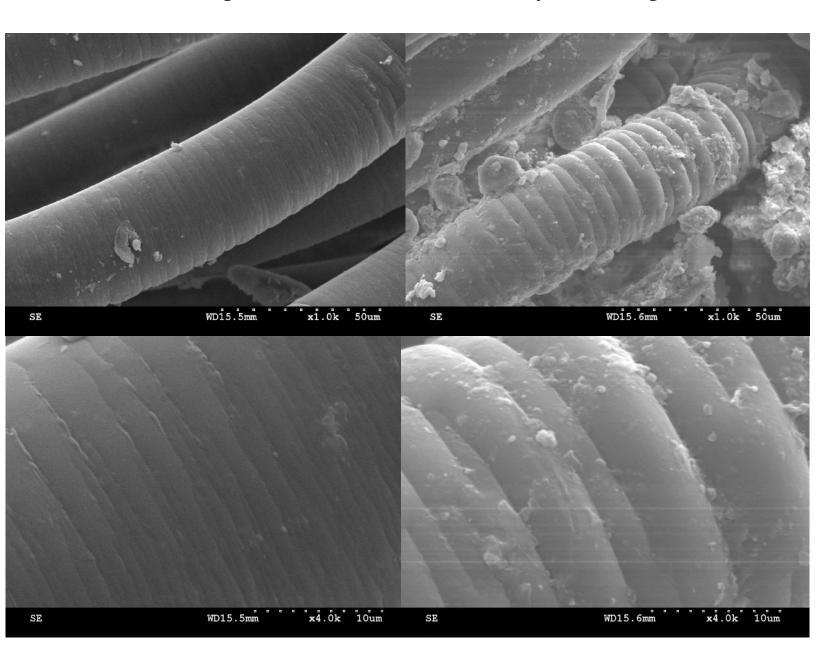
### **Biodegradation Test Reports**

Plastic Resin	Biodegradation	Faster Than Plastic Without BioSphere
PET	210 Days / 27.8% Deli Container	Performing 10X Faster Biodegradation
PET	175 Days / 92.7% Woven Fiber	Performing 81X Faster Biodegradation
PET	39 Days / 14.9% Thread Fiber	Performing 36X Faster Biodegradation
PET	47 Days / 19.6% Bottle	Performing 197X Faster Biodegradation
Olefins PE/PP	18 Days / 13.9% Bags	Performing 50X Faster Biodegradation
LDPE	94 Days / 13.3% Bags	Performing 133X Faster Biodegradation

#### Biodegradation: PET Fiber

Before Biodegradation

105 Days of Biodegradation



### Compare Technologies

BioSphere	Oxo's	BioResins	BioAdditives
Yes	No	No	Some
Yes	No	No	Some
Poised to Pass	No	Some	No
No	Yes	No	No
Not at this time	Yes	No	No
Yes	No	No	Some
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"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it is the only thing that ever has."

-Margaret Mead (1901-1978)



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