

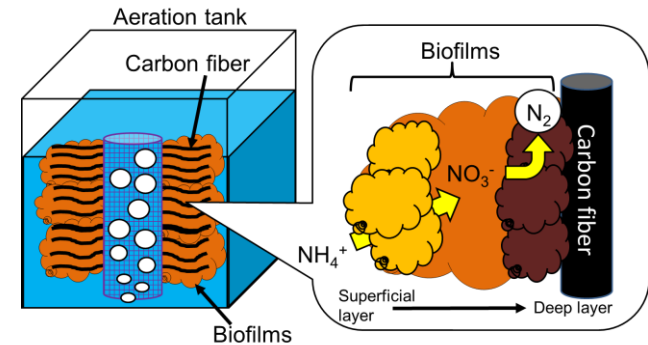
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# Nitrous oxide, Methane and Ammonia mitigation trials in swine wastewater purification

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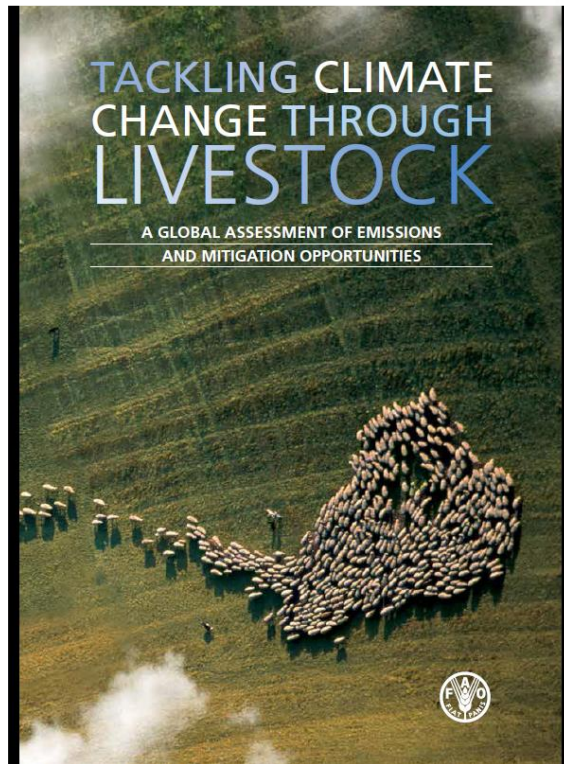
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New wastewater treatment, carbon fiber reactor, possibly reduce GHG emission, especially N<sub>2</sub>O

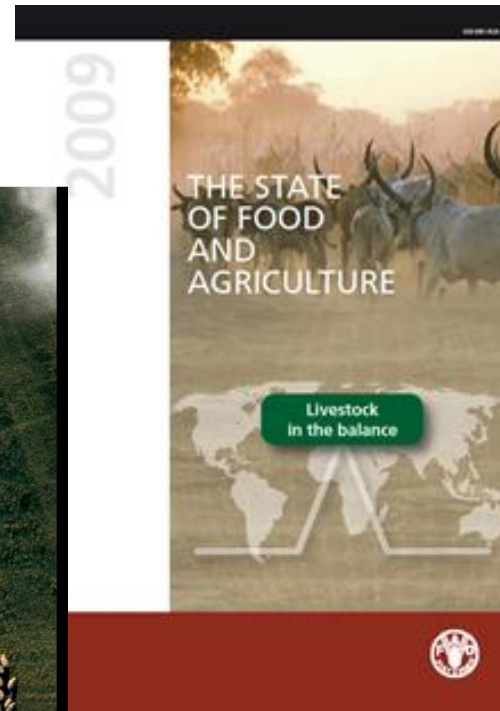


- GHG from Livestock farming
  - The livestock sector plays an important role in climate change. and the **Manure-GHG** has mitigation potential.
  - Major manure management in Jp. (esp. wastewater)
- Field demonstration trials are currently going on in pig farm / (interim report)

# Livestock: a significant contributor to climate change



**FAO. 2013.**



**FAO. 2009.**



**FAO. 2006.**

With emissions estimated at 7.1 giga tones CO<sub>2</sub>-eq per annual, representing 14.5 percent of human-induced GHG emissions !

# Manure management contribute a major source of GHG

## Emissions of greenhouse gases along the animal food chain and estimated relative contribution from major species

STEP IN ANIMAL FOOD CHAIN	ESTIMATED EMISSIONS <sup>1</sup>		ESTIMATED CONTRIBUTION BY SPECIES <sup>2</sup>			
	(Gigatonnes)	(Percentage of total livestock sector emissions)	Cattle and buffaloes	Pigs	Poultry	Small ruminants
Land use and land-use change	2.50	36	■ ■ ■	■	■	ns
Feed production <sup>3</sup>	0.40	7	■	■ ■	■ ■	ns
Animal production <sup>4</sup>	1.90	25	■ ■ ■ ■	■	■	■ ■
<b>Manure management</b>	2.20	31	■ ■	■ ■ ■	ns	ns
Processing and transport	0.03	1	■	■	■ ■ ■	ns

<sup>1</sup> Estimated quantity of emissions expressed as CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent.

<sup>2</sup> ■ = lowest to ■ ■ ■ ■ = highest.

<sup>3</sup> Excludes changes in soil and plant carbon stocks.

<sup>4</sup> Includes enteric methane, machinery and buildings.

Note: ns = not significant.

Source: Adapted from Steinfeld *et al.*, 2006.

Main GHG source of Agri.  
above 4% of GHG share

This year's report of The State of Food and Agriculture (FAO 2009)

## **Present manure management really managed manure ?**

- Reduce the environmental impact for neighbor,
- Air quality (malodor, dust) ,
  - Public water quality (N,P and pathogen pollution)...
  - Reuse resources of manure as fertilizer

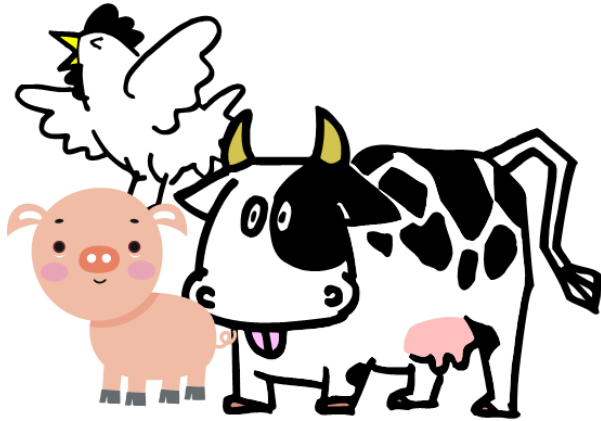
**But not enough for GHG  
...new issue.**

# 6 Treatment of livestock waste in Japan (GHG)

(G = giga 10<sup>9</sup>)

Livestock housing

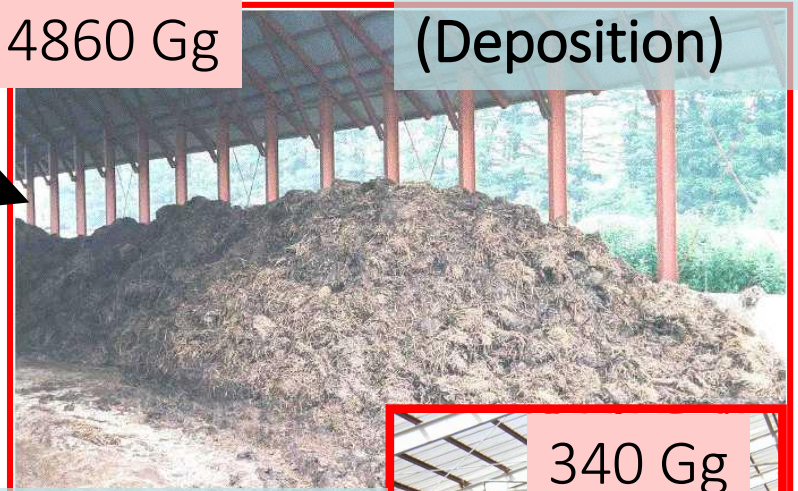
(Gg/y of CO<sub>2</sub>eq)



Solid part

4860 Gg

Piled compost  
(Deposition)



Liquid part

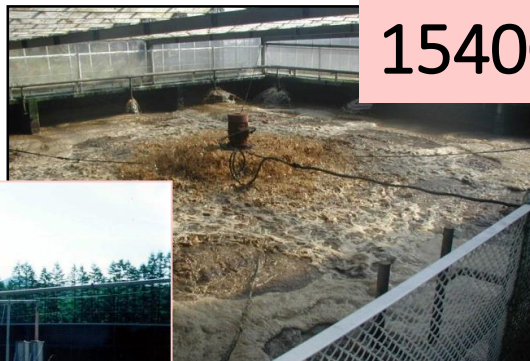
1540Gg

Composting

340 Gg



Pit storage  
& spread



Wastewater  
purification

300 Gg



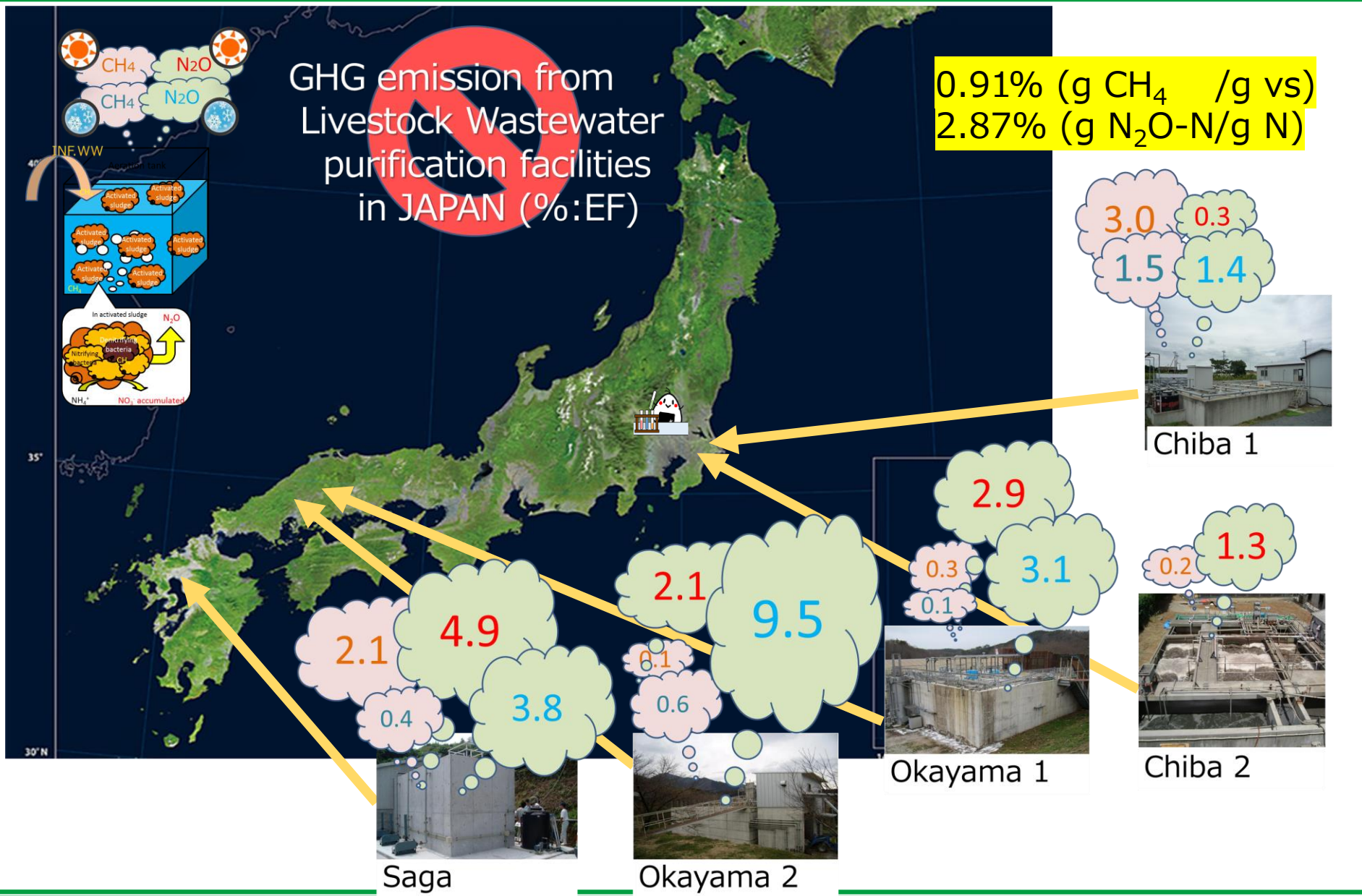
Forced aeration  
(Mechanical turn)

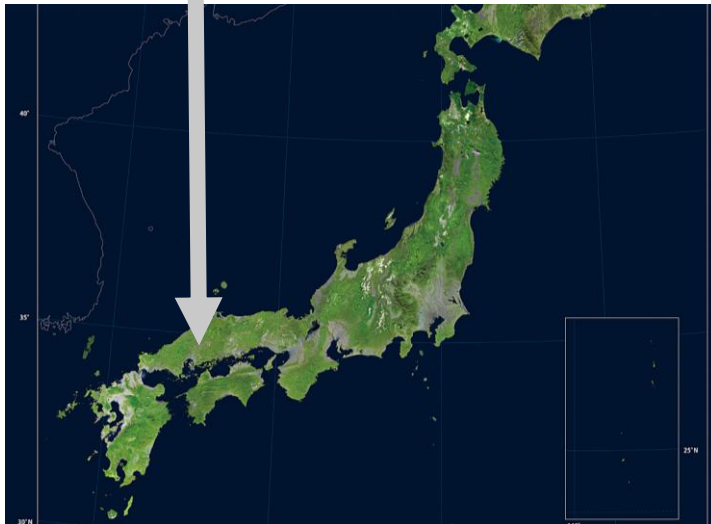
(Dry, Incineration ...)

# Evaluation of GHG emission from Wastewater purification plants (Swine)

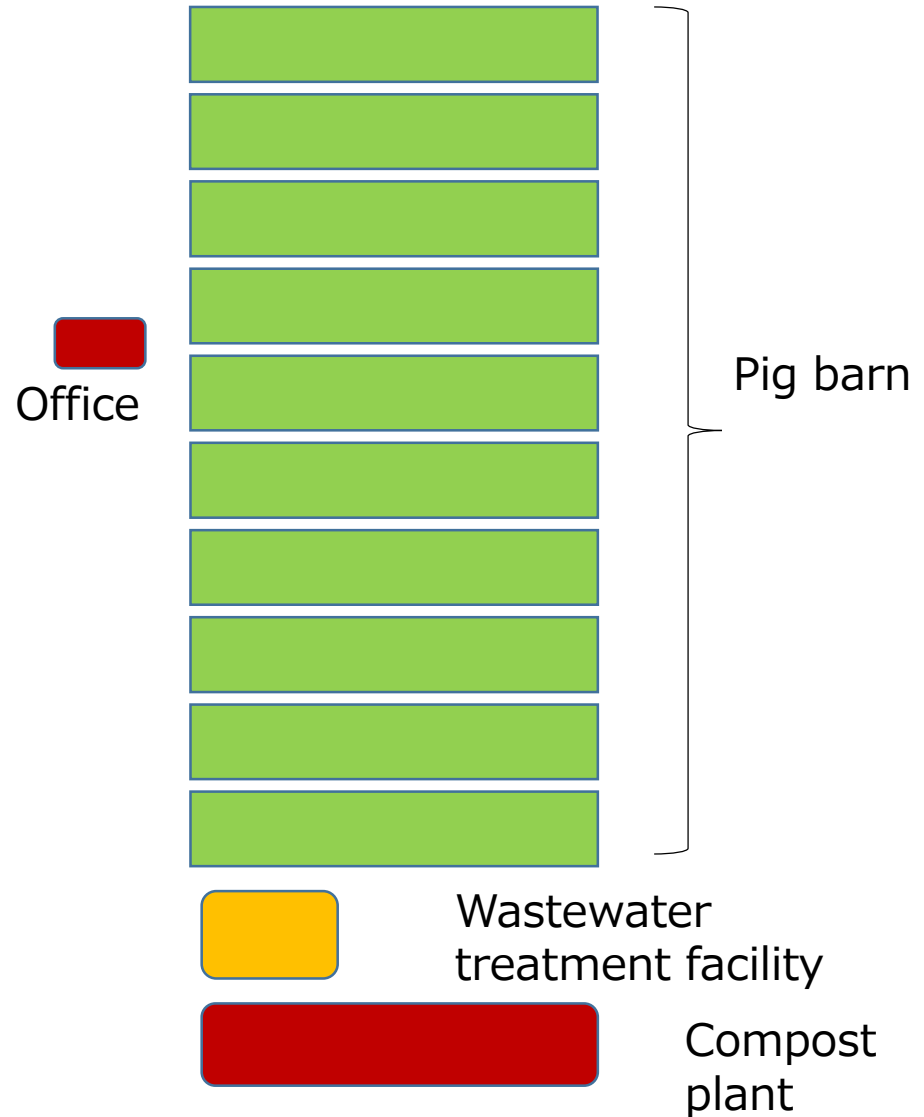
GHG emission from Livestock Wastewater purification facilities in JAPAN (%:EF)

0.91% (g CH<sub>4</sub> /g vs)  
2.87% (g N<sub>2</sub>O-N/g N)





## Layout





# Okayama 1 CF reactor setting in the facility

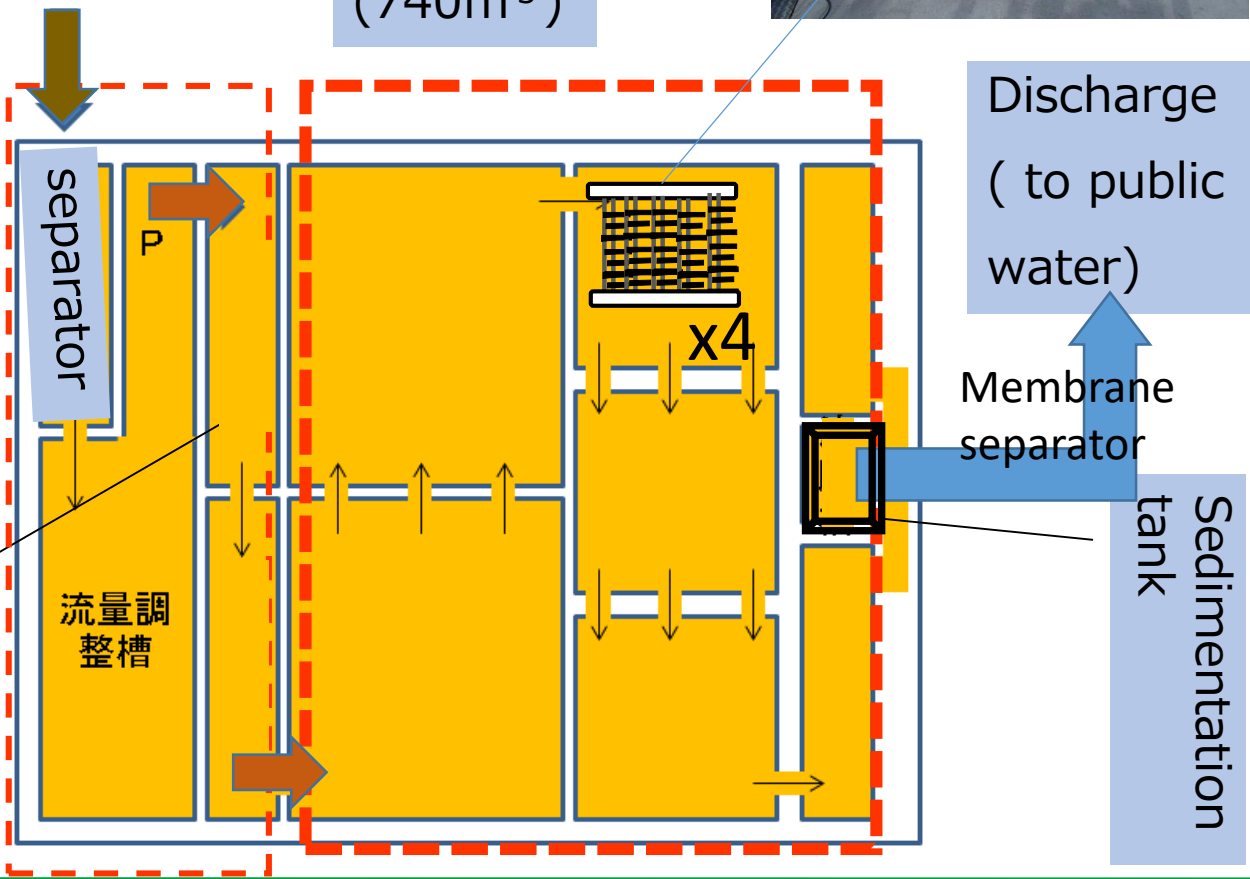


Swine house

Main aerobic tank (740m<sup>3</sup>)



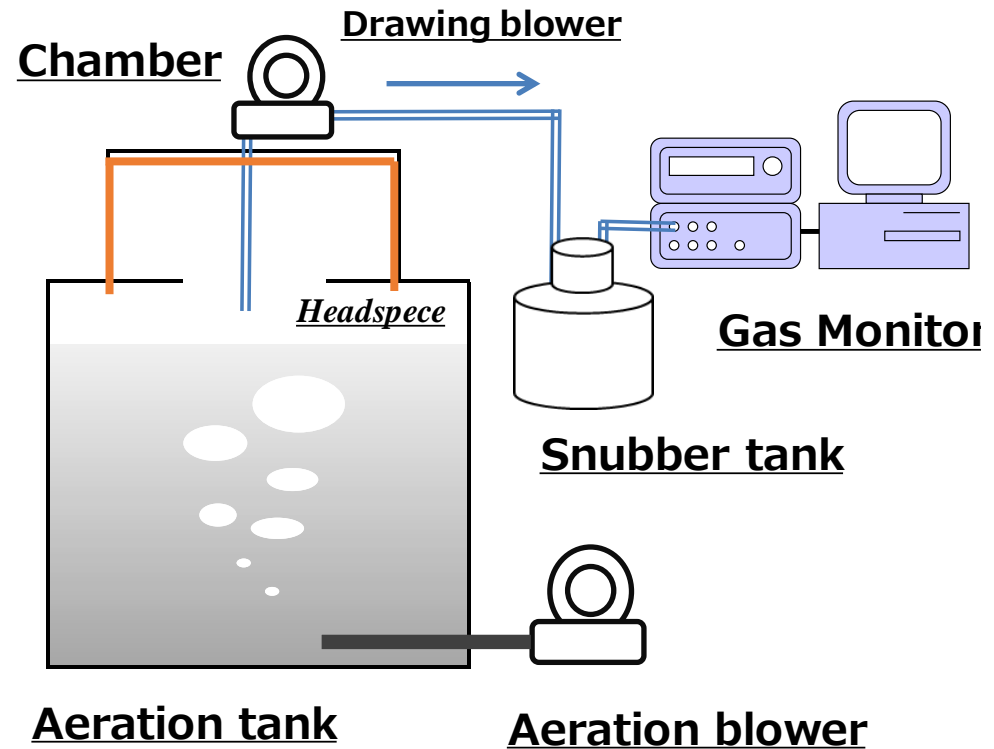
Sand separation tank



# Unit of CF reactor



# Wastewater purification of livestock waste (Swine)



Gas evaluation

During the aeration periods:

$$E_a \text{ (mg/60 min.)} = (\text{Conc. of outlet air (mg/ m}^3\text{)} - \text{Conc. of inlet air (mg/m}^3\text{)}) \times \text{Flow-rate (m}^3\text{/ hour)}$$

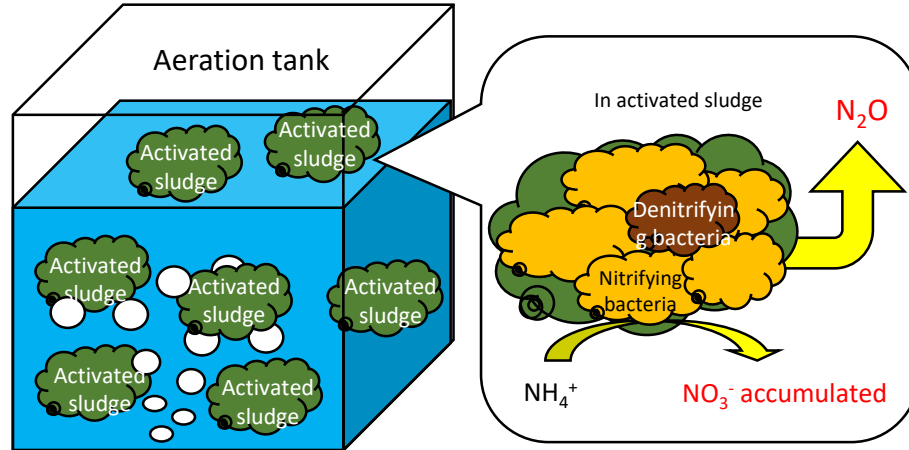
Settled period (Sediment, not aeration):

$$E_s \text{ (mg/60 min.)} = (\text{Conc. of outlet air (mg/ m}^3\text{)} - \text{Conc. of inlet air (mg m}^3\text{)}) \times \text{HS}^* \text{ (m}^3\text{)}$$

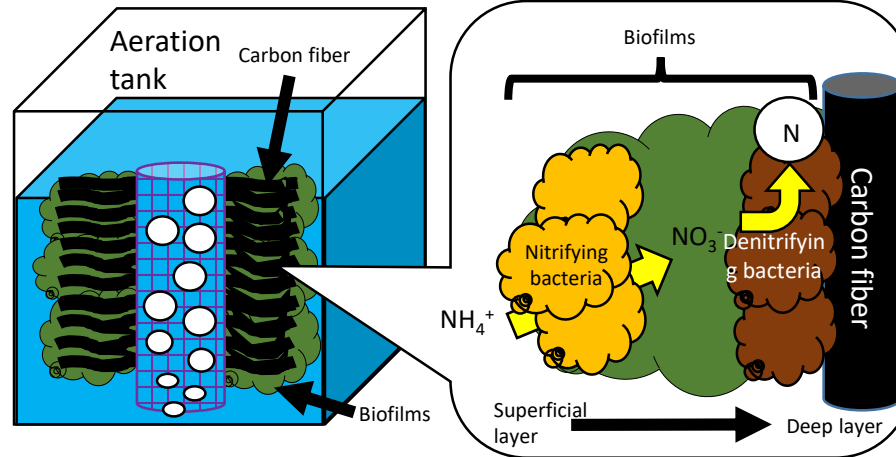
HS: Average capacity of head space of reactor tank

(m<sup>3</sup>)

Activated sludge method  
(conventional method)



Carbon fiber  
method

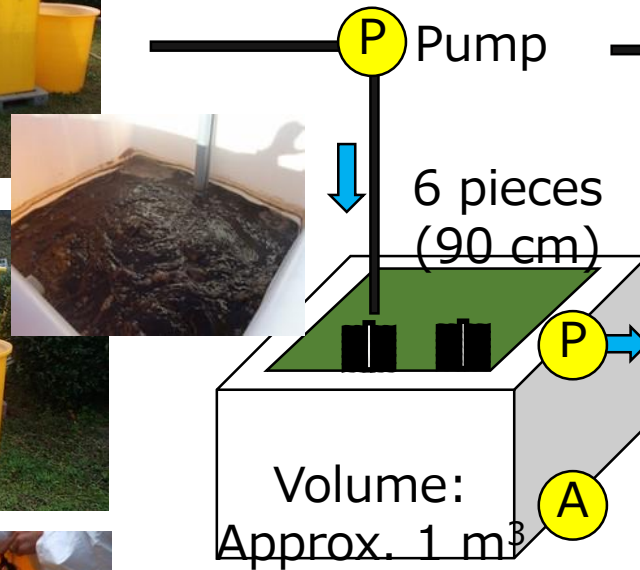


# Carbon Fiber Supply Experiment at the Actual Facility (pre evaluation)

Pig wastewater introduce

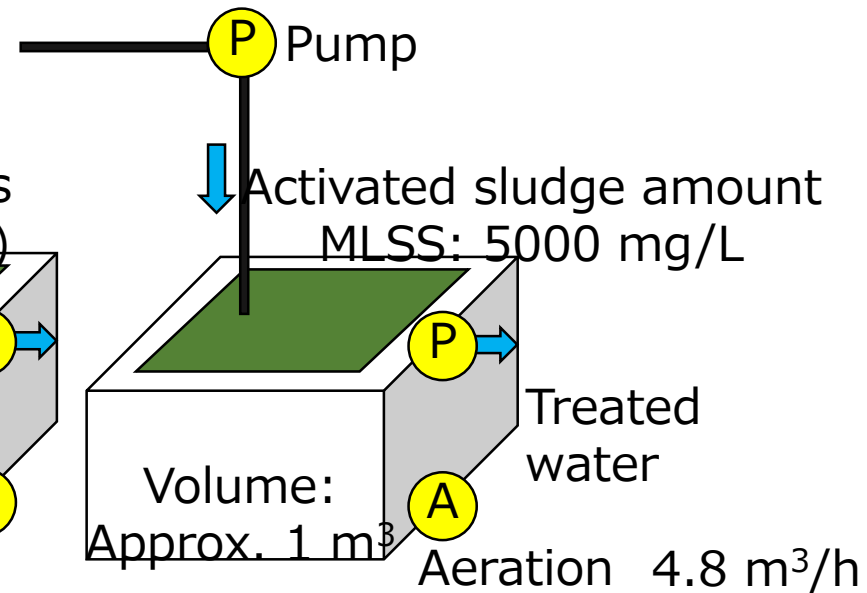


Wastewater draw-up



Area for testing with carbon fiber

Wastewater draw-up

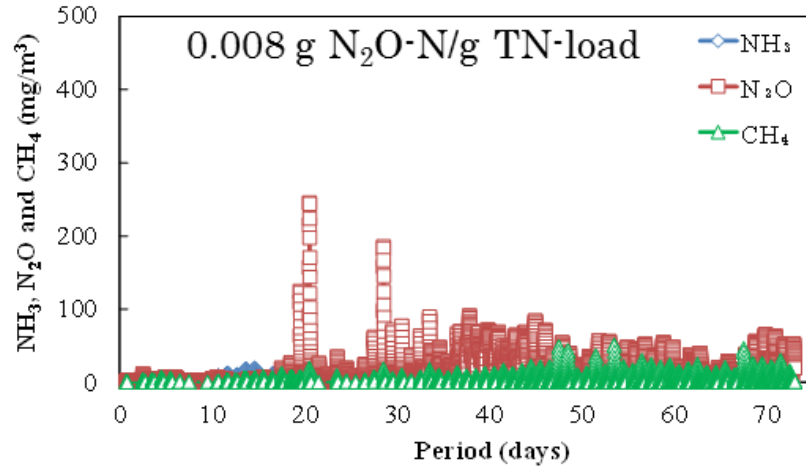


Area for comparison (no carbon fiber)

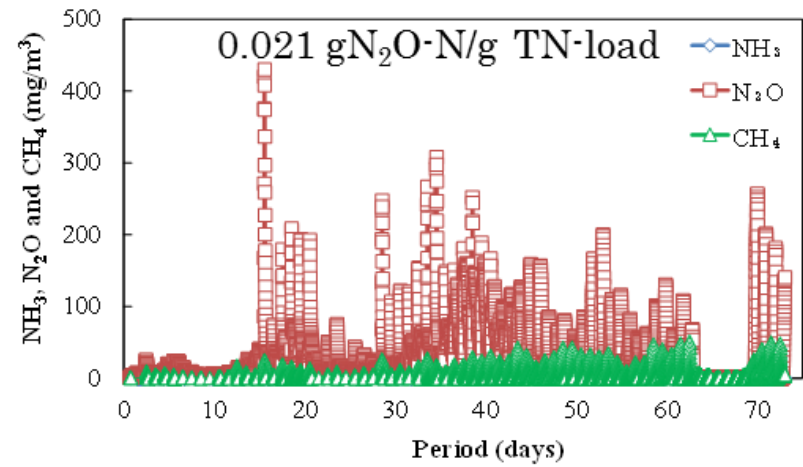
Partially supply water by bypass operation (BOD load: 0.3 kg/m<sup>3</sup>/day)

# GHG and Water quality comparison

In the carbon fiber (CF) reactor



In the activated sludge (AS) reactor

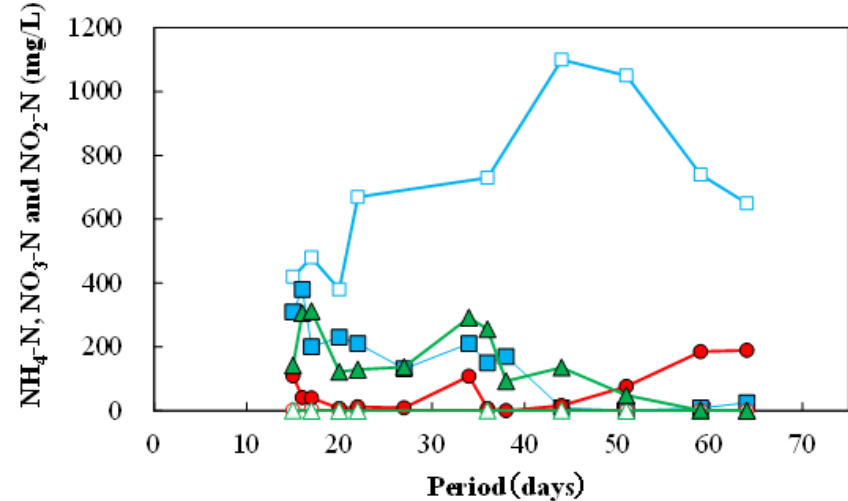
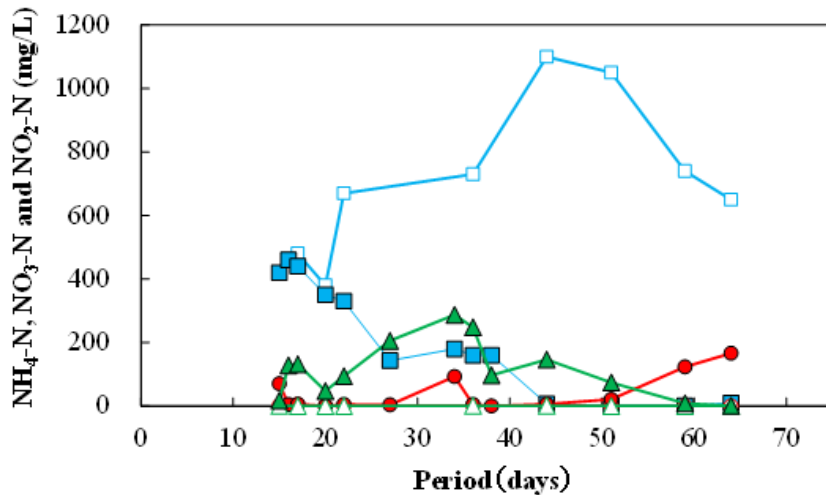


Legend for Water Quality:

- $\square$  Influent  $NH_4$ -N
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- $\circ$  Influent  $NO_3$ -N
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# Okayama 1 CF reactor setting in the facility



# CF reactor setting in the facility (1)

Nov.2016



Jul.2017







No conclusion, still now runnnnnning..

CF reactor has a great possibility to mitigate, probably.

Both ordinary and CF reactor installed conditions, We need more longer periods of emission data.

We also need to evaluate at the other facilities.

Next chance of some meeting , I would like to present definite results concerning this I hope.

Thank you for your attention

