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VTT - Technical Research Centre of Finland

SLU - Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Sweden

EC BREC - Institute for Fuels and Renewable Energy, Poland

TUT - Tallinn University of Technology, Estonia

AICIA - Association of Research and Industrial Cooperation of Andalusia, Spain

ETA-Florence Renewable Energies, Italy

OFI - Austrian Research Institute for Chemistry and Technology, Austria

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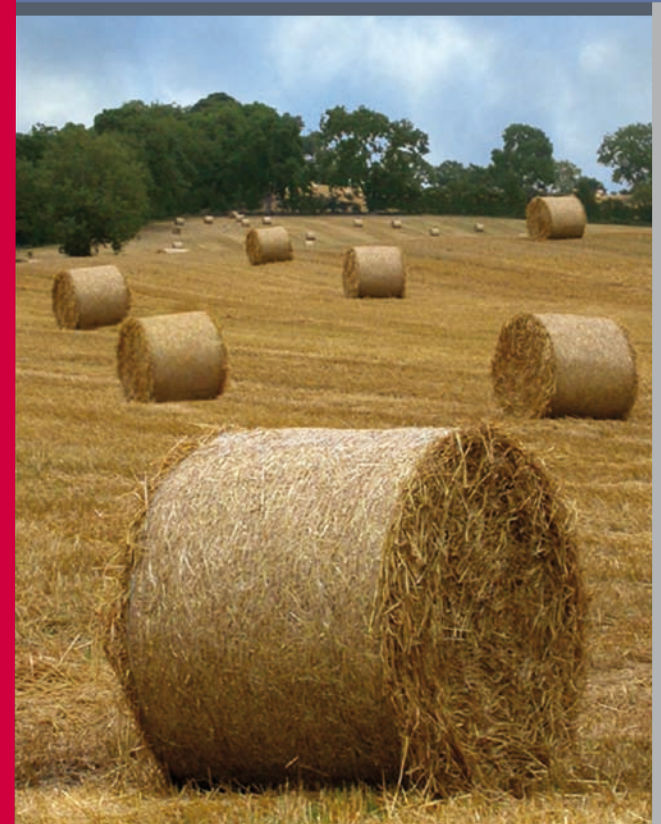
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for EU countries about  
**standardised analysis  
methods** for solid biofuels



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## BIODAT Database

To create a new European database "BIODAT" for biomass fuels and ashes ([www.biodat.eu](http://www.biodat.eu)). The information is collected from partners and the existing database "Phyllis" ([www.phyllis.nl](http://www.phyllis.nl)).

## On-Job Training

The training will be carried out in:

- Austria (OFI),
- Finland (VTT, ENAS Oy),
- Spain (AICIA),
- Sweden (SLU).

Each host organization will have 2-3 participants for on-job training period. The **aim** is to transfer knowledge of standardized analysis methods for solid biofuels among European countries.

Labs Technicians who want to be educated in the use of standardised analysis methods will be working for two weeks in one of the laboratories of the hosting organizations.

## Standardized Analysis Methods for Solid Biofuels Production and Utilisation

Biomass is an important part of the EU policies regarding renewable energy. The availability of reliable information on biomass compositions is a necessary prerequisite for the fast growth of the trade and use of biomass fuels.

## International Workshops

These events will be organized in New Member States, in order to stimulate the biomass market. One day workshops will be organized in:

- **Estonia**, 24<sup>th</sup> April 2008
- **Poland**, 15<sup>th</sup> October 2008
- **Spain**, 21<sup>st</sup> November 2008
- **Romania**, 20<sup>th</sup> November 2008