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# India's Emerging Methane to Markets Program

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#### Outline

- Indian Dairy Sector
- Potential (Market) Assessment
- Demonstration Projects
- Program Approach
- Institutional Collaboration
- Acknowledgements
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### Dairy sector in India is fast growing industry

- Largest milk producer in the world
- Milk production 94.5 million tonnes (2005)
- Annual Growth rate 4%
- Institutionally Department of Dairying under Ministry of Agriculture has the country-wide mandate



# Methane to Market Partnership can impact diverse size of dairies ~ at least 800 dairies are immediate targets

- Dairy Structure
  - Organized sector: Dairy Cooperatives and Private
     Plants, accounts 13% of total milk production
  - Unorganized sector: raw milk and milk product marketing contribute to the rest
- Milk and Milk Product Order (MMPO) of 1992 mandated registration of dairies with capacities 10,000 liters/day or 500 tonnes of milk solids per annum
  - 800 dairy processing plant registered as on 31 March
     2006



## Electricity generation potential and $CH_4$ emission mitigation in organized sector alone is very high

| Organized sector milk production | 12.3 x 10 <sup>6</sup> tons/year          |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Biogas generation potential      | 50 x 10 <sup>6</sup> m <sup>3</sup> /year |
| Electricity generation potential | 80 MUs/year                               |
| Oil equivalent                   | 28,800 tonnes                             |
| Methane emission reduction       | 23,075 tonnes                             |

Electricity generation potential = 80 MUs CH₄ mitigation = 23,000 tonnes



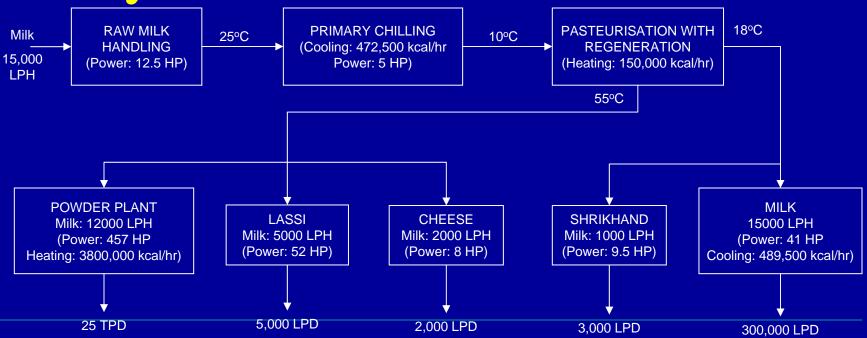
# Electricity generation potential even in leading states like Maharashtra still remains untapped

- Milk production: 6.4 million tonnes/yr
- 185 registered dairies under MMPO
- Wastewater generation and characteristics
  - 2-4 liters/liter of milk
  - COD: 1500 3000 mg/lit
  - BOD: 1000 2500 mg/lit
- Most of the dairies have effluent treatment plant used for compliance (permits) alone
- Biogas generated generally is flared off



### Dairies can utilize electricity and thermal energy in a closed loop system

 Mass and energy balance for a typical dairy in Maharashtra





### Demonstration project offers attractive payback periods

- Potential assessment for a typical dairy in Maharashtra
  - Waste water generation
  - COD
  - Biogas generation potential
  - Electricity generation
- Initial investment
- Saving potential
- Simple payback

1000 m<sup>3</sup>/day

2000-3000 mg/lit

1372 m<sup>3</sup>/day

2000 units/day

Rs. 1 crore (approx.)

(\$ 250,000)

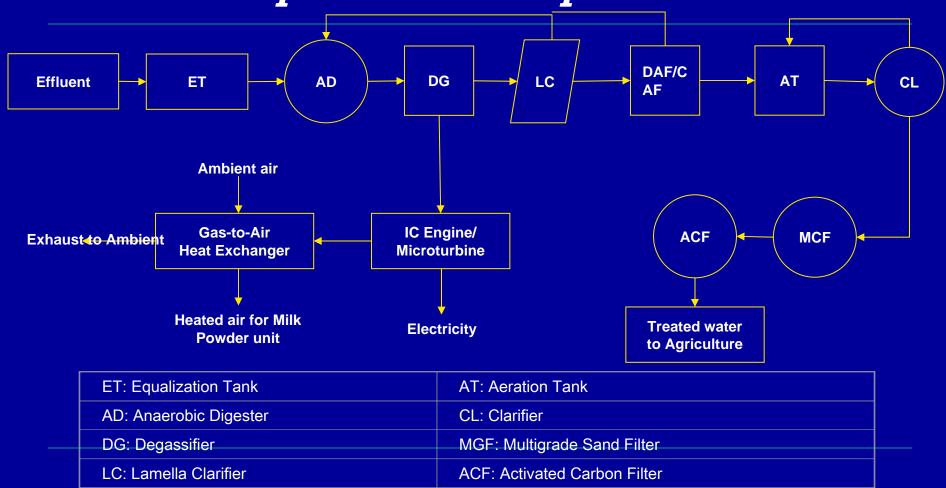
up to Rs. 45 lacs/yr

(\$ 120,000)

**2.22** years



# Demonstration projects in Maharashtra offer combination of electricity and process heat options





### Country-wide program development Process will follow a logical process

- Steps in program development
  - Finalization of market assessment
    - Develop strong Position Paper
  - Coordinating industry partnership through dissemination
    - Websites
    - Best Practices Guide
  - Develop Standards & Labeling Program
    - Benchmark technologies and practices
    - Set-up labeling plan with institutional backing
    - Develop strong stakeholder collaboration



### Stakeholder involvement needs inclusion of National and State-level organizations

- National Dairy Development Board (NDDB)
- Ministry of Agriculture (Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries)
- State Renewable Agencies e.g. Maharashtra Energy Development Agency (MEDA)
- Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNES)
- Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency (IREDA)
- Bharatiya Agro Industries Foundation (BAIF)
- Other NGOs in India



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