

TYPE III - OTHER PROJECT ACTIVITIES

Project participants shall take into account the general guidance to the methodologies, information on additionality, abbreviations and general guidance on leakage provided at <http://cdm.unfccc.int/methodologies/SSCmethodologies/approved.html>.

III.R. Methane recovery in agricultural activities at household/small farm level

Technology/measure

1. This project category comprises recovery and destruction of methane from manure and wastes from agricultural activities that would be decaying anaerobically emitting methane to the atmosphere in the absence of the project activity. Methane emissions are prevented by:
 - (a) Installing methane recovery and combustion system to an existing source of methane emissions, or
 - (b) Changing the management practice of a biogenic waste or raw material in order to achieve the controlled anaerobic digestion equipped with methane recovery and combustion system.
2. The category is limited to measures at individual households or small farms (e.g. installation of a domestic biogas digester). Methane recovery systems that achieve an annual emission reduction of less than or equal to 5 tonnes of CO₂e per system are included in this category. Systems with annual emission reduction higher than 5 tonnes of CO₂e are eligible under AMS III.D.
3. This project category is only applicable in combination with AMS I.C **or AMS I.E.**
4. The project activity shall satisfy the following conditions:
 - (a) The sludge must be handled aerobically. In case of soil application of the final sludge the proper conditions and procedures that ensure that there are no methane emissions must be ensured.
 - (b) Measures shall be used (e.g. combusted or burnt in a biogas burner for cooking needs) to ensure that all the methane collected by the recovery system is destroyed.
5. Aggregated annual emission reductions of all systems included shall be less than or equal to 60 kt CO₂ equivalent.