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Liquid Biowaste Management – Heat Treatment

## Why do we need to treat liquid biowaste?

Mandatory – biosafety regulations
Legal reasons
Image – environmentally friendly
Confidentiality – patents protection



## How do you treat liquid biowaste?



Chemical decontamination – chemicals/time treatment Limited application



Thermal decontamination – time/temperature treatment Broad range of application

## What does a biokill system looks like ?



# How do they work?



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### Which one is best?

#### **Batch vs Continuous**

#### ...should not be the first question coming to mind.

What is my effluent like?

## **Knowing your effluent**

### The cornerstone of your project

Flowrate: daily, weekly, regularity, peak flows...
Nature: water like, sticky, solids, reactions...

# Knowing your effluent

Flowrate	Small	Medium	Large
	Batch	Batch	(Batch)
	(Cont.)	Cont.	Cont.
Solids	Batch	Batch	Batch
	Cont.	Cont.	(Cont.)

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### **Batch System**

### Key features:

- ✓ Treatment
- ✓ Vent filter(s)
- ✓ Noise
- ✓ Lifetime
- ✓ Heating/Cooling cycles
- ✓ Utilities consumption



## Other criteria to take into consideration

### **Batch & Continuous systems**

✓ Space



- ✓ Maintenance
- ✓ Budget



## **Extra process to integrate**

### **Batch & Continuous systems**

✓ Neutralization – pH control/adjustment



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# Thank you for your time