Overview of Biorefinery Pilot Plant @EECi

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Bio-Process Engineering - Overview



The Bio-Process consists of 4 different modules that will allow the users to start from raw biomass and sugars and convert them into valuable substances via a wide portfolio of processes available at the Biorefinery.

Module BMP – Biomass Pretreatment

In this module raw biomass can be process, in order to manufacture intermediate or finish product. *Production of several chemical molecules from biomass*

<u>Module USP – Upstream Fermentation Process</u>

In this module various sugars or intermediate product can be used to grow micro-organisms in anaerobic or aerobic conditions for further treatment.

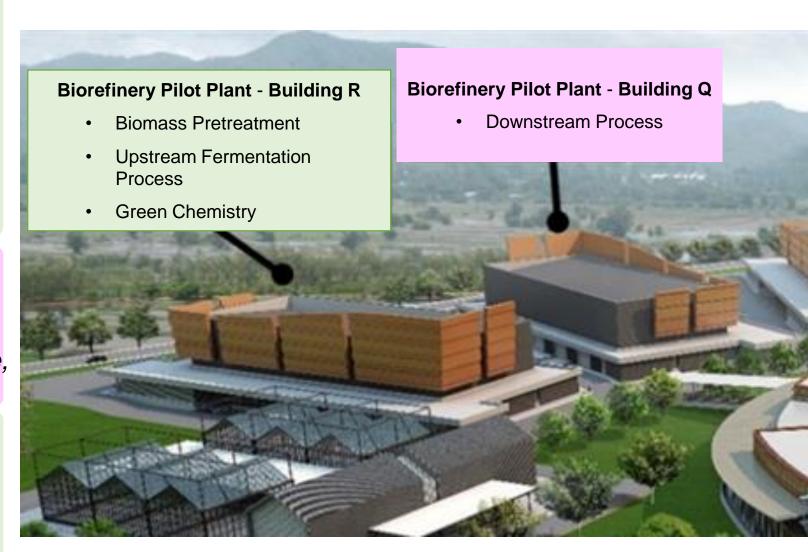
Upstream process for protein, enzyme, intracellular recombinant enzyme, etc

Module DSP – Downstream Process

In this module intermediate product mainly from fermentation or others intermediate can be further refined into intermediate or finish product in dry or liquid format. *Production of protein, enzyme, intracellular recombinant enzyme, etc*

Module ATEX – Green Chemistry

In this module Biomass, or intermediate product can be reacted to manufacture new intermediate or finish product. Synthesis of the different chemicals







Module BMP

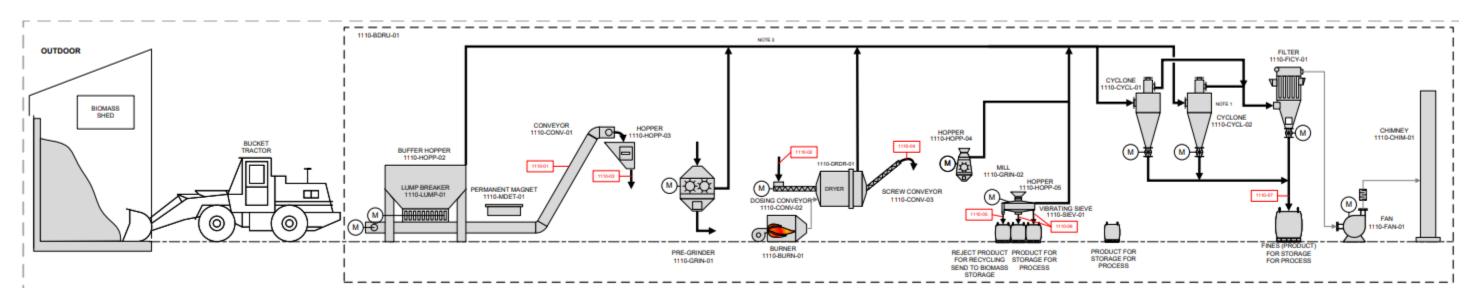
Biomass Pretreatment

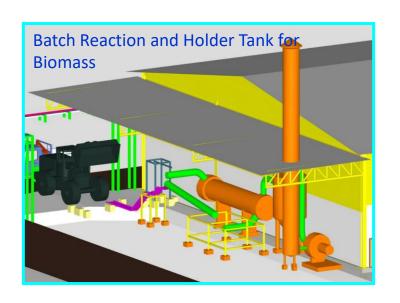


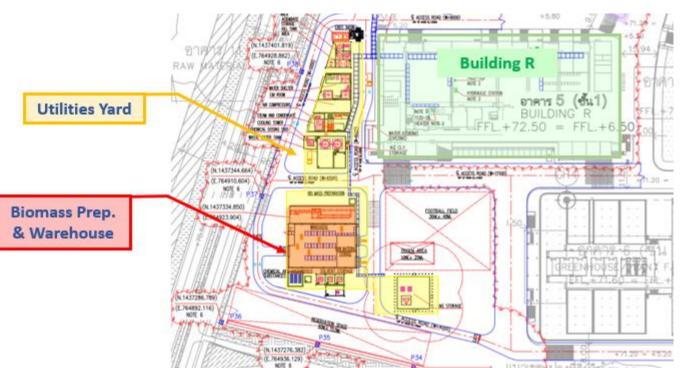


PFD: MODULE BMP

Biomass Dryer and Grinder



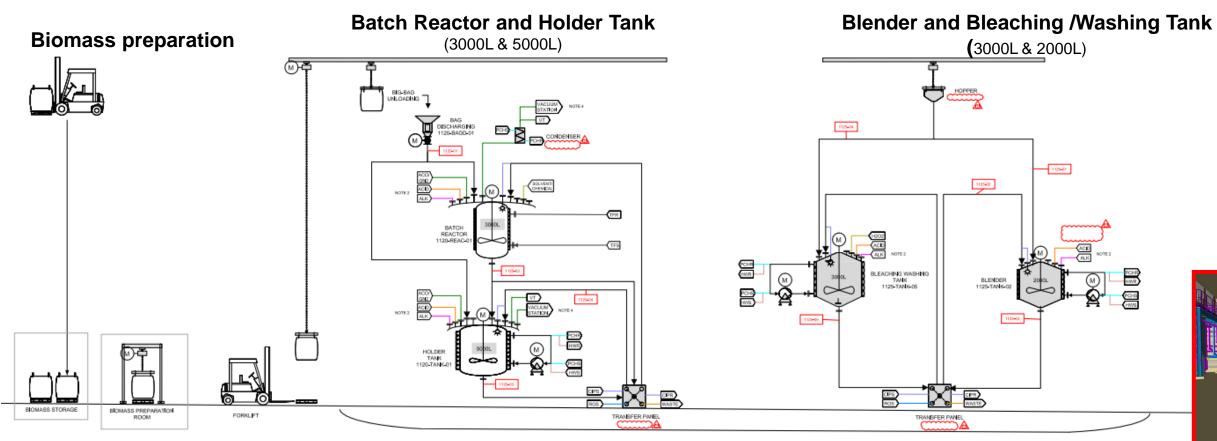






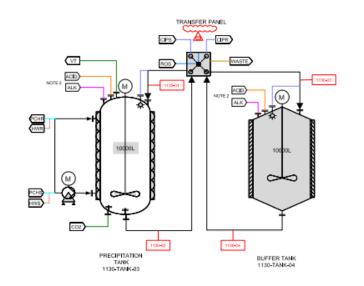


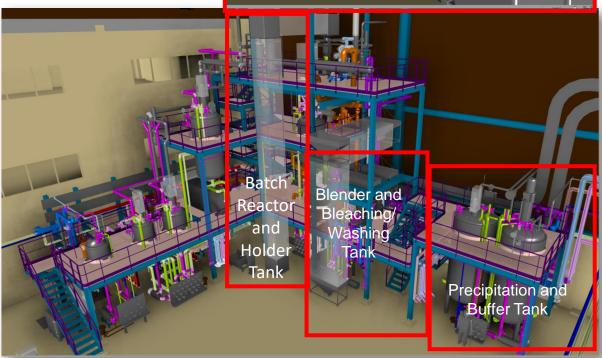
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Precipitation and Buffer Tank (10000L & 10000L)







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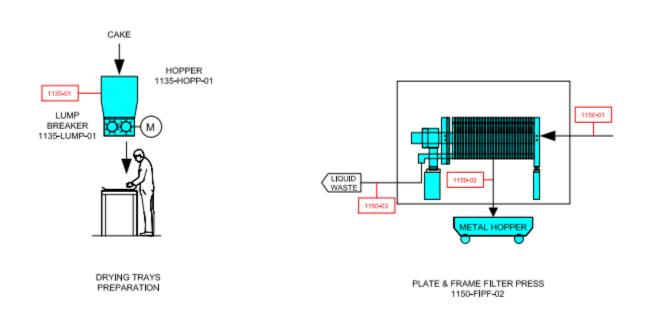
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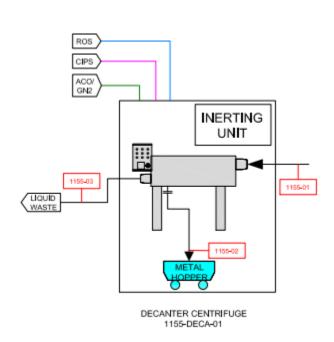
Mobile Equipment Associates to Module BMP

Lump breaker to break cake before further processings

Decanter centrifuge ATEX

Plate and frame filter press 400x400 ATEX









Module ATEX

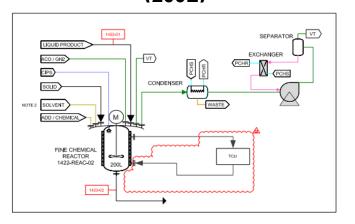
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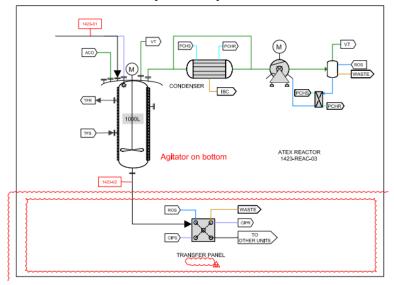


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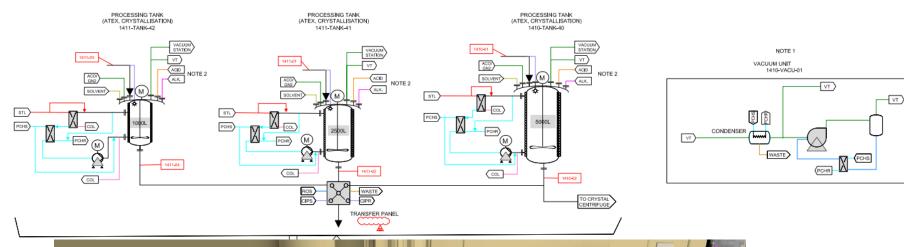
FINE CHEMICAL REACTOR (200L)



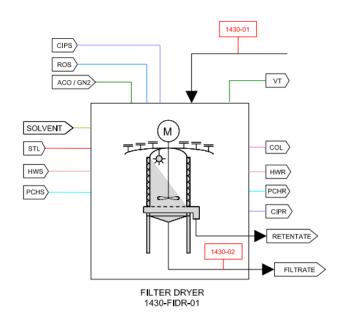
ATEX REACTOR (1000L)

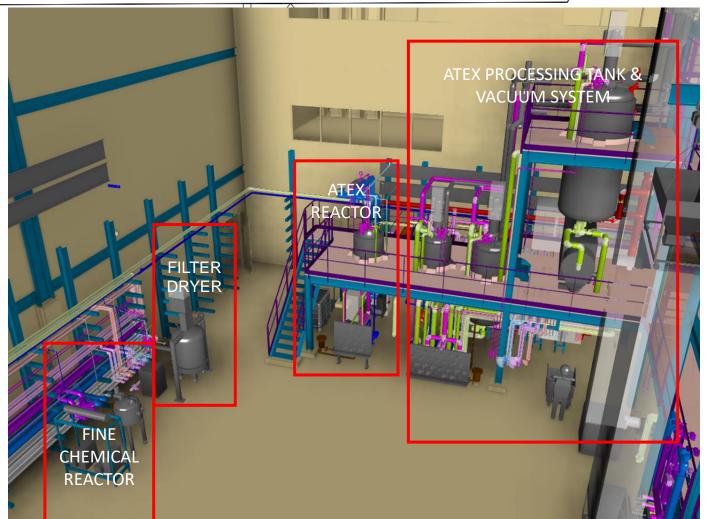


ATEX PROCESSING TANK & VACUUM SYSTEM (1000L/2500L/5000L)



FILTER DRYER



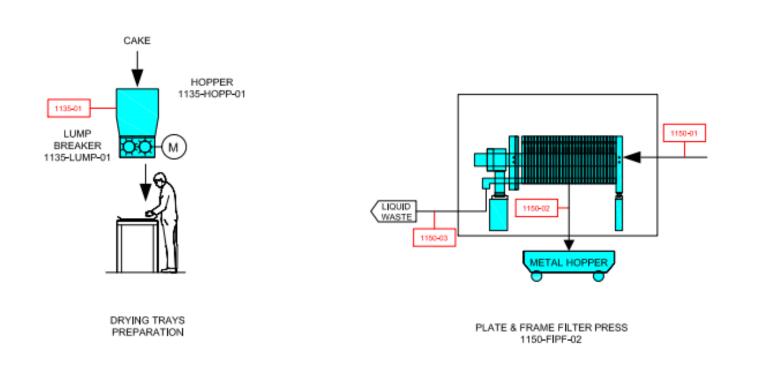


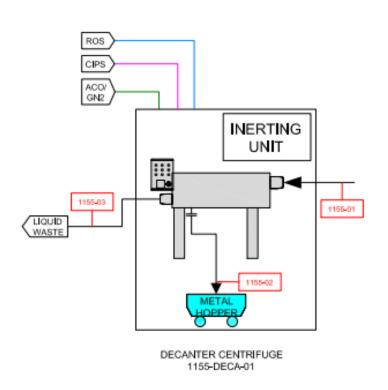




Mobile Equipment associated to Module ATEX

- Chamber filter press 600x600 ATEX.
- Solid liquid liquid centrifuge ATEX.









Module USP

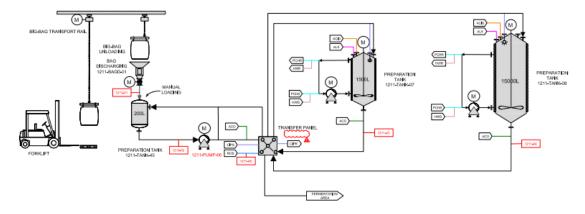
Upstream Fermentation Process



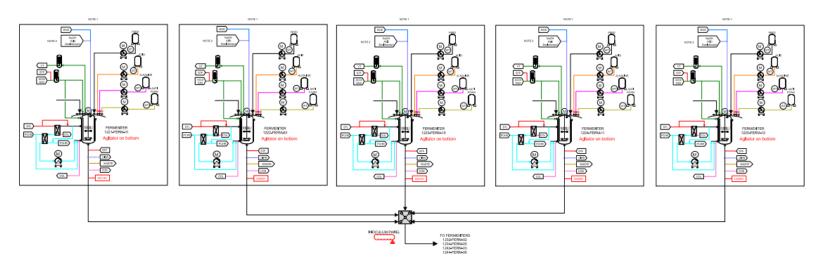


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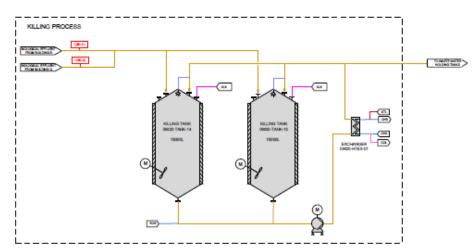
PREPARATION TANK



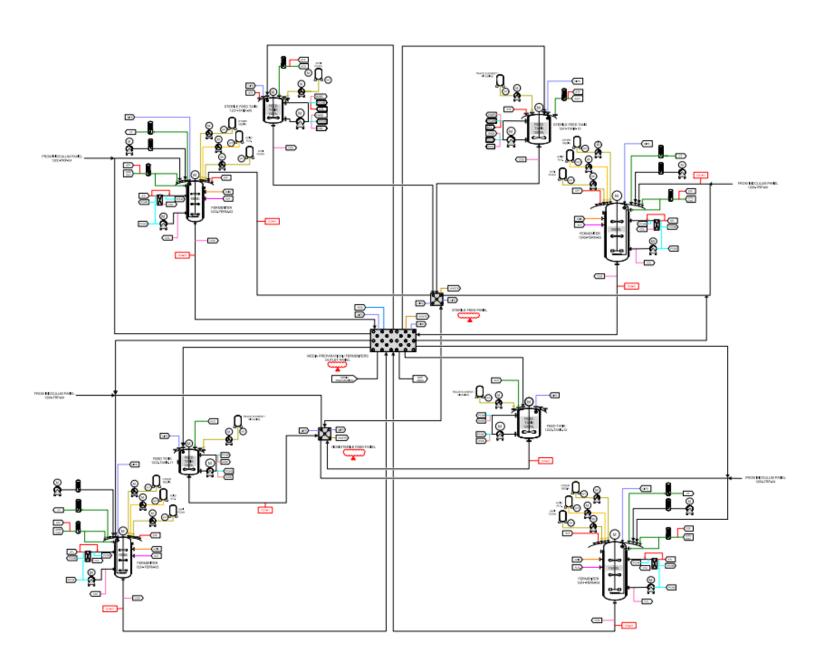
FERMENTER 150L



KILLING TANK



FERMENTER (1500L/15000L) & FEED TANKS









Mobile Equipment associated to All Building R

- 10 Mobile tanks from 200L to 1000L
- 1 mobile plate heat exchanger
- 7 mobile dosing stations for chemical addition or pH regulation
- 2 Mobile Ion Exchange 100L





Module DSP

Downstream Process

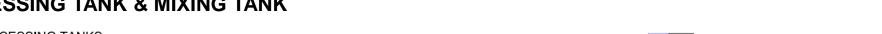


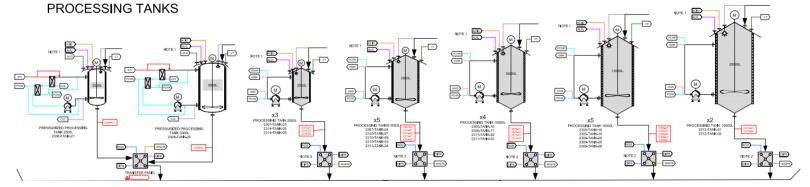
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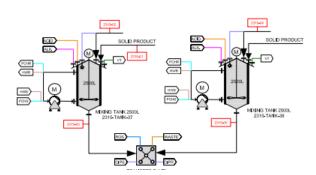
ACID ALK ROB

PROCESSING TANK & MIXING TANK

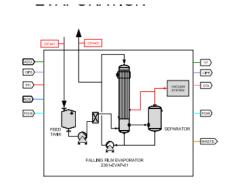


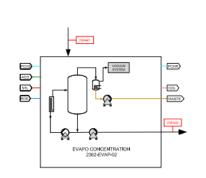


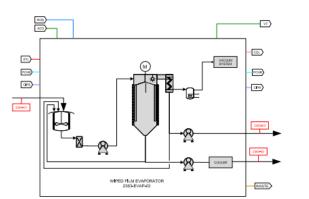
MIXING TANK



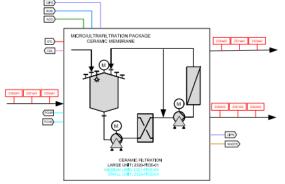
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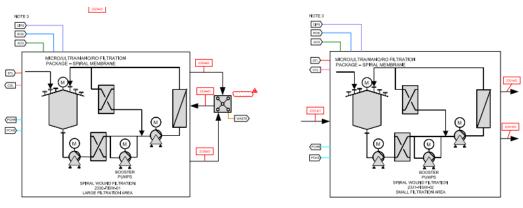






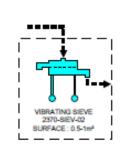
FILTRATION & CHROMATOGRAPHY

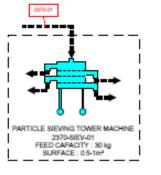
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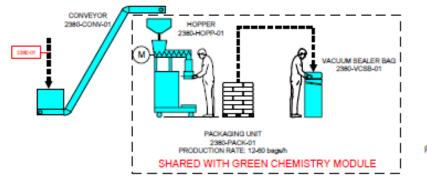


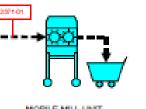
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PACKAGING



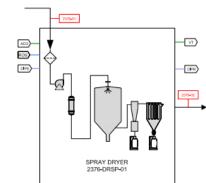


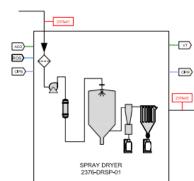




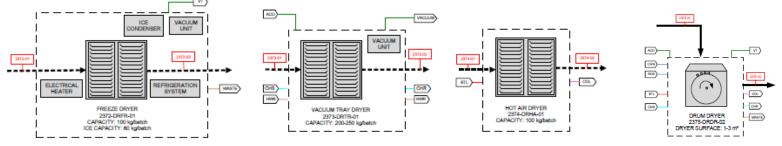
MOBILE MILL UNIT 2371-MILL-01 PRODUCT FLOWRATE: 0.100 kg/batch

SPRAY DRYER





DRYING









Mobile Equipment associated to All Building Q

- 2 Chamber Filter Press if different sizes & 1 Plate and Frame Filter Press
- 1 mobile shell and tube heat exchanger
- 1 Horizontal Mixing Vessel
- 1 Small Filtration Test unit
- 6 Mobile tank from 200L to 1000L
- 9 mobile dosing stations for chemical addition or pH regulation