

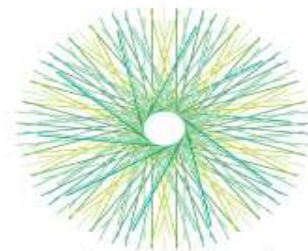
Innovation project

Bacterial treatment can increase the value of slurry manure

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Slurry manure is a valuable source of plant nutrients but has an unpleasant odor.

49 of Sweden's municipalities have regulations prohibiting manure spreading or require permits.

Houses are increasingly built in close proximity to farms.



"Hard rules stop spreading of manure"





Bacterial product, Roetech 106 PS, supplied by OxyG AB reduce odor in household sewage system, boats and caravans.



Product features



- ✓ 8 bacterial strains (1 billion CFU/g)
- ✓ Production of multiple enzymes
- ✓ Liquefies solids and reduces odor
- ✓ Controls ammonia and hydrogen sulfide gases.

<http://www.roebictechnologyinc.com/agriculture-roetech106ps.shtml>

Project aim

Targeting the handling chain from storage to spreading of swine and cattle slurry manure with respect to:

- ✓ Odor during spreading.
- ✓ Agitation time (crust formation).
- ✓ Plant nutrients availability.
- ✓ Greenhouse gases concentrations.
- ✓ Growth and yield of selected crops.

Part I: Demonstration scale (2018-2019)



Storage and treatment in 3 m³ tanks at RISE, 24th of November 2018
Dose: 6 g/ 3 m³

Plant nutrients content and fluidity

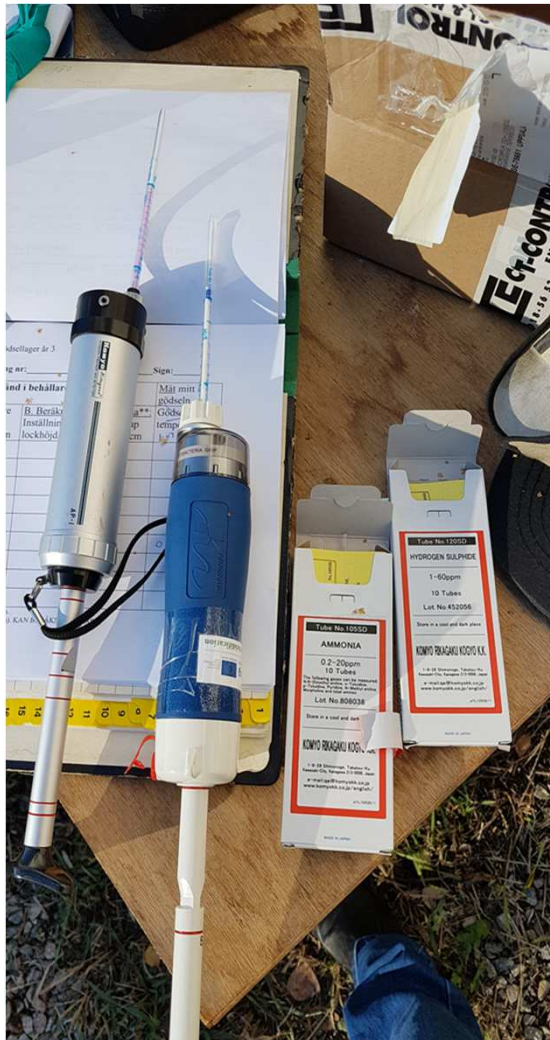


Sampling of slurry for analyzing plant nutrients content



Testing of slurry fluidity

Analysis of ammonia and hydrogen sulfide gases



Sampling to analyze carbon dioxide, methane, nitrous oxide



Samples analyzed by gas-chromatography (GC)

Demonstrations in spring barley

- Odor test by olfactometer
- Greenhouse gases concentrations
- Ammonia and hydrogen sulfide
- Effect on crop growth and yield



Odor: air sampling after manure spreading.

Part II: Farm scale (2019-2020)

- Bacterial treatment in stables/pits. 166 g/1000 m³.
- Odor analysis by olfactometer and GC.
- Demonstrations in wheat, potatoes and maize.



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