



The results of the International Congress on *Massification of Small Scale Biodigestores* - organized by the Biodigesters Network for Latin America and the Caribbean RedBioLAC

On 8, 9 and 10 May 2012 the International Congress of biodigesters was held in Managua, Nicaragua. The event for the *Massification of Small Scale Biodigestores* took place in Nicaragua as the country is recently launching the program Biogas Market Development, which aims to reach 6000 families with biodigesters, by 2017, with the collaboration of the Government, companies, NGOs, universities and the international cooperation.



The event, organized by RedBioLAC, ASOFENIX (Nicaragua) and Green Empowerment (USA) has been sponsored by the *Global Methane Initiative of the Environmental Protection Agency* (USA) and the organization Hivos of the Netherlands. 73 representatives from 15 countries attended the event. Experiences in biodigesters implemented in Argentina, Bolivia, Peru, Nicaragua, Honduras, Guatemala and Mexico were presented. The event also presented the results of national programs of biogas in Vietnam and Cambodia, which installed over 111,000 biogas digesters between 2003 and 2006. The event was intended to promote these successful experiences, showing the progress made in different countries to transfer and adapt these methodologies to the specific context of Latin American countries.

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