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SOLID BIOFUELS TESTING SECTION

Poznań, 27th June 2022



AB 088



TEST REPORT No. 2186/1-2/2022/S.M

| Subject of the order | Quality testing of wood pellets – 3 Energy Poland Sp. z o.o. | | | | |
|----------------------------------|---|-------------------------|--|--|--|
| Order No | A-2186-BDB/2022 | | | | |
| Name and address of the customer | Control Union Poland Sp. z o. o. Al. Wojska Polskiego 45, 65-764 Zielona Góra | | | | |
| Name and address of the producer | 3 Energy Poland Sp. z o.o. ul. Szczypkowice 25, 76-220 Główczyce | | | | |
| EN <i>plus®</i> ID / Sample No. | 6mm-3EP-15.06.2022-2 | | | | |
| Performance date | 23.06 – 27.06.2022 | | | | |
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1. IDENTIFICATION (DESCRIPTION OF TEST SAMPLE)

The object of the assessment was the sample of pellets with the diameter of 6mm, described by the customer as pellets made of post-production chemically uncontaminated sawdust.

Sample number: 6mm-3EP-15.06.2022-2.

Identification number: A-2186-BDB/2022.

2. DELIVERY DATE OF TESTED SUBJECTS

The sample was taken by the customer and delivered to the laboratory on 22nd June 2022.

3. TEST METHODS

- EN ISO 14780:2017-07 Solid biofuels Sample preparation (Method 16M)
- EN ISO 18134-3:2015-11 Solid biofuels Determination of moisture content Oven dry method Part 3: Moisture in general analysis sample (Method 1M)
- EN ISO 18122:2016-01 Solid biofuels Determination of ash content (Method 2M)
- EN ISO 16948:2015-07 Solid biofuels Determination of total content of carbon, hydrogen and nitrogen (Method 7M)
- EN ISO 16994:2015-06 Solid biofuels Determination of total content of sulfur and chlorine (Method 8M)
- EN ISO 21404:2020-8 Solid biofuels Determination of ash melting behaviour (14M Method)

| No. | Name | Туре | Producer | Lab.No. | |
|-----|--|---------------|-----------------------------|---------|--|
| 1. | Analytical balance | LE26P-0CE | SARTORIUS | M7/2 | |
| 2. | Analytical balance | CPA225D-0CE | SARTORIUS | M8/57 | |
| 3. | Laboratory drier | Redline RF115 | BINDER | M1/47 | |
| 4. | Calorimeter | C6000 | IKA | M6/83 | |
| 5. | Elemental analyzer | Flash EA 1112 | THERMO ELECTRON CORPORATION | M7/8 | |
| 6. | Furnace | FCF 7SM/pl | CZYLOK | M2/4 | |
| 7. | Ionic chromatograph | ICS-1100 | THERMO SCIENTIFIC | M8/54 | |
| 8. | System for determination of characteristic temperatures of ash melting behaviour | PR-37/1600 | Radio Research Institute | M14/88 | |
| 9. | Sieve 0.075 mm | - | ATEST | M14/91 | |

4. EQUIPMENT OF THE TEST STANDS (elementary)

5. TESTS RESULTS

Tests results are presented in Record No. 1/2186/1-2/2022.

6. DECLARATION

Test results presented in this Report refer to the tested samples only. Without written consent of the Laboratory the Report may not be reproduced in any other form than in its entirety.

| Sample name: | Wood pellets | | | |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Name of Producer: | 3 Energy Poland Sp. z o.o. | | | |
| | ul. Szczypkowice 25, 76-220 Główczyce | | | |
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EN*plus[®]* ID / Sample No. 6mm-3EP-15.06.2022-2

| Origin: | 1. Woody biomass | | | | | |
|---|---|--------|---------------------------------|---|-----------------|------------------|
| Traded form: | Wood pellets | | | | | |
| Classification of origin according to EN ISO 17225-1:2014 | 1.2.1 Chemically untreated by-products and residues from the wood processing industry | | | | | |
| Parameter | Unit | Value | Uncertainty [±] ¹ | Threshold value acc. to EN <i>plus</i> ® Handbook, Part 3 version 3.0 | | |
| | | | | A1 | A2 | В |
| Ash | W-% d | 0.43 | 0.03 | <u><</u> 0.7 | <u><</u> 1.2 | <u><</u> 2.0 |
| Nitrogen | W-% d | 0.19 | 0.03 | <u><</u> 0.3 | <u><</u> 0.5 | <u><</u> 1.0 |
| Chlorine | W-% d | 0.0123 | 0.0001 | <u><</u> 0.02 <u><</u> | | <u><</u> 0.03 |
| Ash shrinkage temperature SST ^{2, 3} | °C | 1380 | 25 | Should be stated | | |
| Ash deformation temperature DT ^{2, 3} | °C | > 1500 | - | <u>≥</u> 1200 <u>≥</u> 1100 | | 100 |
| Ash hemisphere temperature HT ^{2, 3} | °C | > 1500 | - | Should be stated | | ed |
| Ash flow temperature FT ^{2, 3} | °C | > 1500 | - | Should be stated | | |

 $_{d}$ dry $_{ar}$ as received 1. the expanded uncertainty was determined for coverage factor k = 2 and 95% confidence level 2. characteristic ash melting temperature determined in an oxidizing atmosphere

3. ash received at 815°C

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