



## PROJECT STATUS REPORT FORM

<b>Project Number:</b> RDG-06-22	<b>Task Force:</b> REDGTF
<b>Title of Project:</b> Improving the Cost-effectiveness of Biomass Energy Generation	
<b>Lead Partner Country:</b> Australia	
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<b>Project Start Date:</b> Early 2007	<b>Date of Project Status Update:</b> October 2009
<b>Actions Since Last Update:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The project is progressing very well according to plan with all partners. Experimental and simulation results have confirmed the feasibility of some key aspects of the proposed technology. Scientific papers have been published in top international journals with more being prepared while the protection of IP is considered.</li> <li>• The fourth project meeting was held in Japan in October 2008. The fifth project meeting will be held in Australia in October 2009.</li> <li>• The project manager (Professor Li) has moved from Monash University to Curtin University of Technology, together with the project. Curtin University of Technology is now the leading organisation for this project. The Japanese partner leader (Professor Hayashi) has moved from Hokkaido University to Kyushu University. These moves have not affected the collaborative partnership for this project.</li> </ul>	
<b>Deliverables Since Last Update:</b> The third progress report to the Australian Government was submitted on 10 May 2009.	
<b>Date Completed:</b> continuing	
<b>Milestones Reached:</b> Milestone 3	
<b>Next Steps:</b> Project activities will proceed as planned.	



<b>Proposed Project End Date:</b> 30 April 2011	<b>Project Already Complete:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Other Information:</b></li><li>• The funding by the Chinese and Japanese Governments not yet provided. (Project funding agreements in Australia and Korea were signed previously).</li><li>• No major issues are foreseen.</li></ul>	