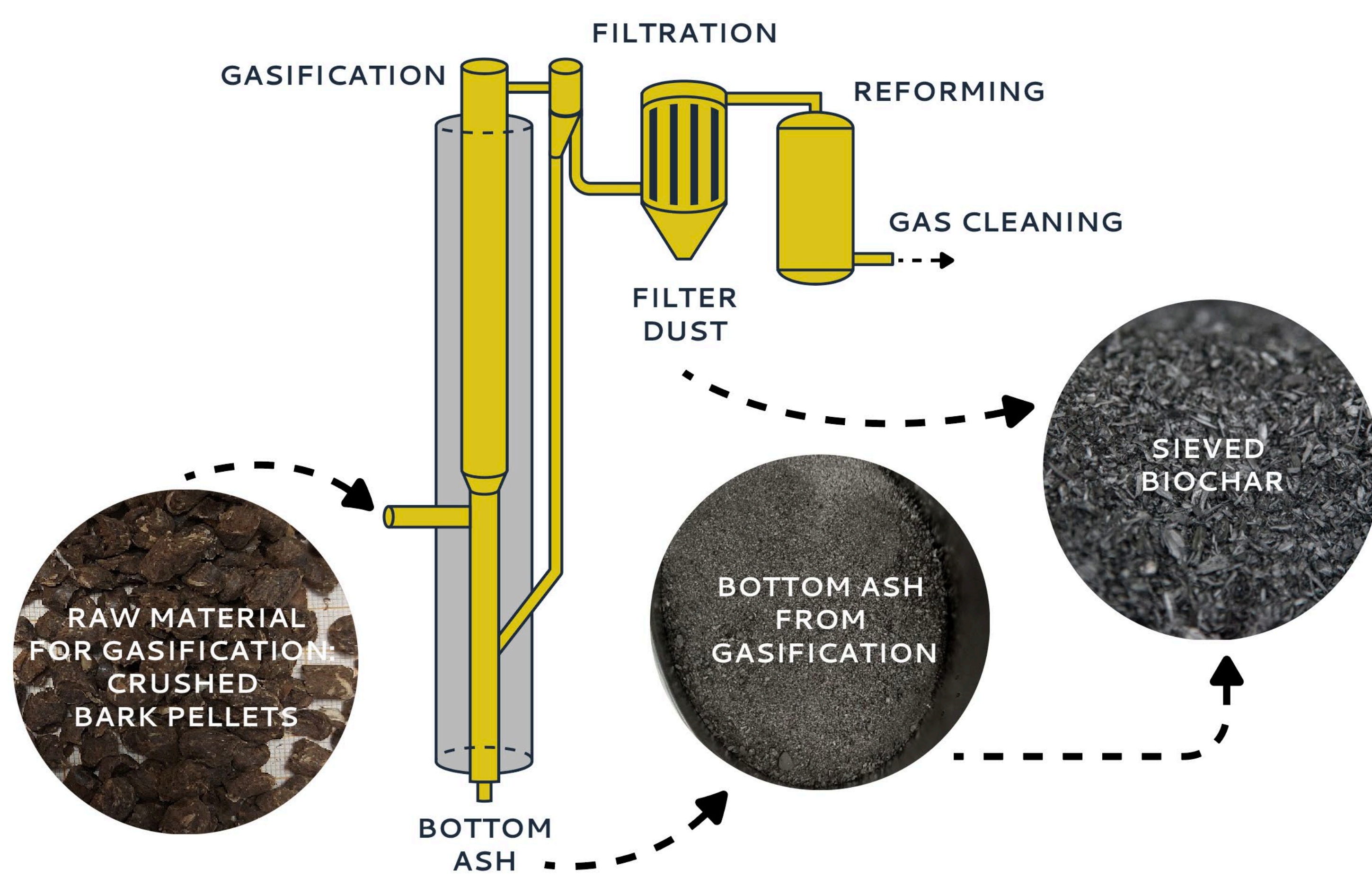
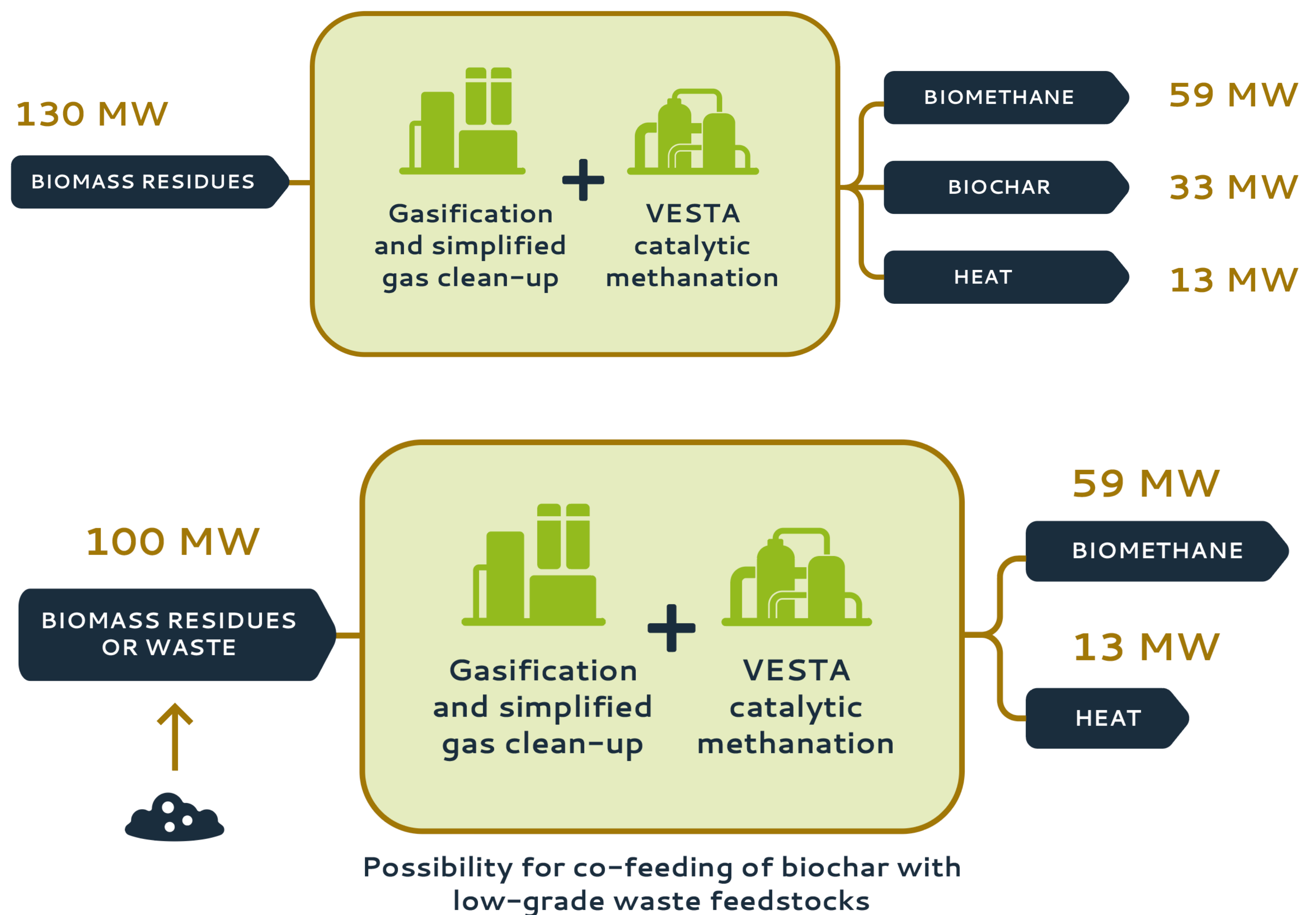


Flexible Production of Synthetic Natural Gas and Biochar via Gasification of Biomass and Waste Feedstocks

FlexSNG is an EU-Canada jointly funded **Horizon 2020** project that aims at fostering international collaboration between the **European Union** and **Canada** in the strategic sectors of bioenergy and **biofuels**.

The FlexSNG concept

The objective is to develop and validate to TRL5 a **flexible** and **cost-effective** gasification-based process for the production of **pipeline-quality biomethane**, **high-value biochar** and **renewable heat** from a wide variety of biomass residues and biogenic waste feedstocks. The FlexSNG gasification concept is based on the “**one plant, two modes**” approach where the plant can switch between:



Biochar production in VTT's gasification pilot plant.

Key innovations

The main technologies and innovations at the heart of the FlexSNG project are:

- Bubbling Circulating Fluidised-Bed (BCFB) gasifier;
- VESTA catalytic methanation;
- Oxygen transport membranes (OTMs) for low-cost oxygen production;
- Simplified gas clean-up;
- Optimized feedstock supply chains using sophisticated modelling tools.

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