

# ***BURWOOD HOSPITAL'S STATE-OF-THE-ART ENERGY CENTRE***



## Burwood Hospital

2013



The aerial view is from early 2013, before the current development work began.

...and the 50 year old boiler house





## *Burwood Hospital's old coal boiler plant*



The two 2.85MW coal fired boilers were commissioned in 1964 and are coal fed chain grate fire tube boilers. In Winter they use up to 7 tonnes of coal each day and 3-4 tonnes in Summer.

The fact they are still working is a credit to the maintenance and engineering team.

Coal became more expensive with increased Emission Trading Scheme charges and the sourcing of high quality energy-efficient coal became more challenging.



2013

Burwood Hospital is the first cab off the rank in the close to \$1 billion of hospital redevelopments underway in Canterbury. It is also the largest Government rebuild project in Christchurch East.

The \$215 million facility focuses on services for older people which were previously located at The Princess Margaret Hospital. The new hospital is 32,000 square metres in size. The redevelopment was managed by the Ministry of Health in conjunction with the Canterbury DHB and services moved into the building progressively throughout June. The facility will be officially opened in August 2016.

Burwood houses 230 new inpatient beds. Half of the rooms are single rooms, with the other half accommodating two beds. Rooms have TVs, Wi-Fi and each ward has communal dining areas for patients, as well as family/whānau rooms.

# Tender for 6 MW biomass energy plant



## 2014

Specification

### Burwood Hospital Redevelopment - New Boiler Plant Performance Specification - Mechanical Services

at Burwood

Prepared for Ministry of Health

By Beca Ltd (Beca)

31 July 2014

Design, supply, installation and commissioning of the complete steam and LTHW generating plant for the Burwood Hospital site.

The extent of work includes all necessary items to generate steam and LTHW in a safe and energy efficient manner and includes but is not limited to:

- 1 x 4MW biomass boiler
- 1 x 2MW biomass boiler
- and 1 x 4MW diesel boiler (back-up)

**Canterbury**  
District Health Board  
Te Poari Hauora o Waitaha



Including inter alia the following features:

"A true biomass boiler designed to ensure complete fuel combustion within its combustion chamber"

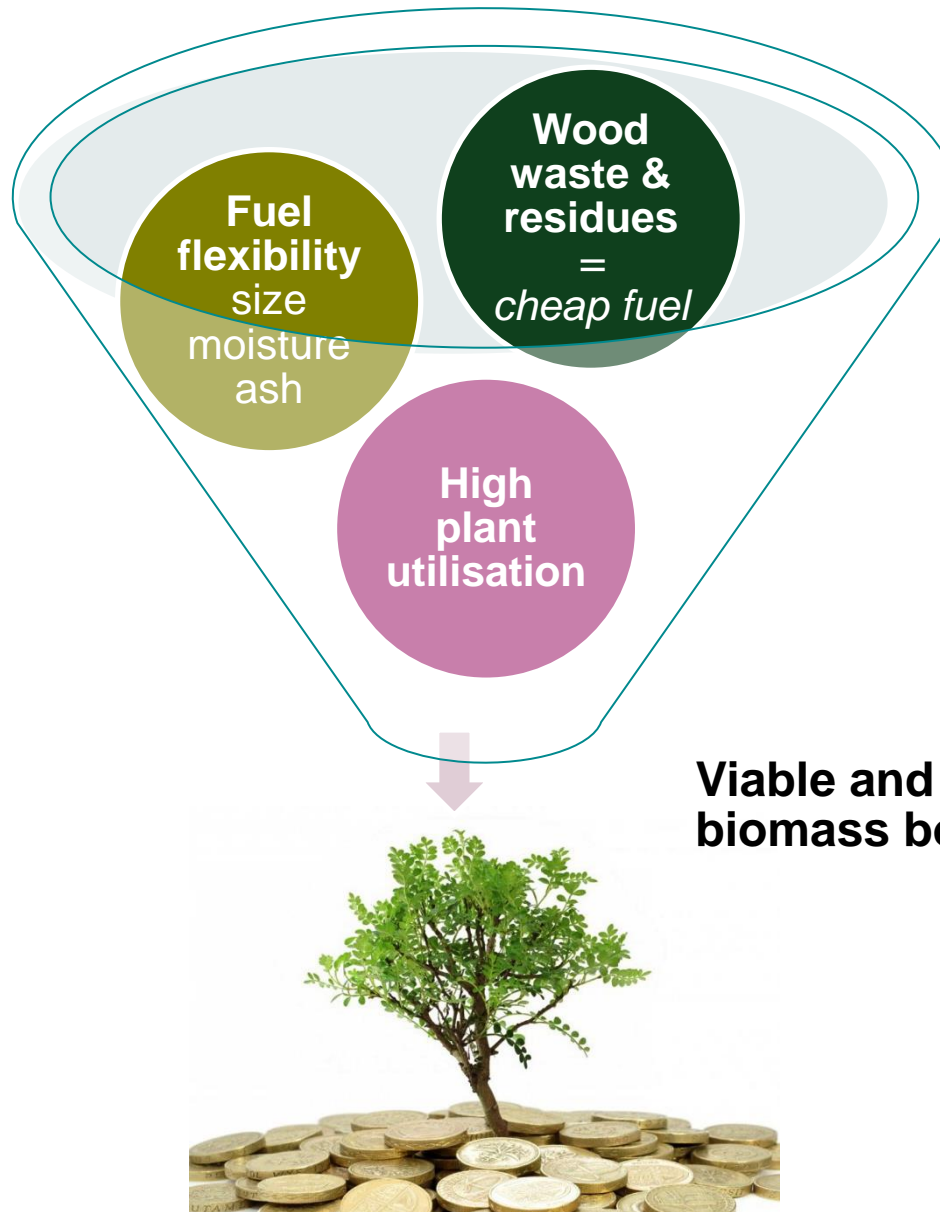


## Typical low cost biomass fuels





## Successful Wood Energy Plants



## Polytechnik's concept wins

**2014**

Polytechnik Biomass  
Energy selected as supplier

Over 3,000 plants and  
50 years of experience

Only European biomass  
boiler supplier with an  
established office in  
New Zealand

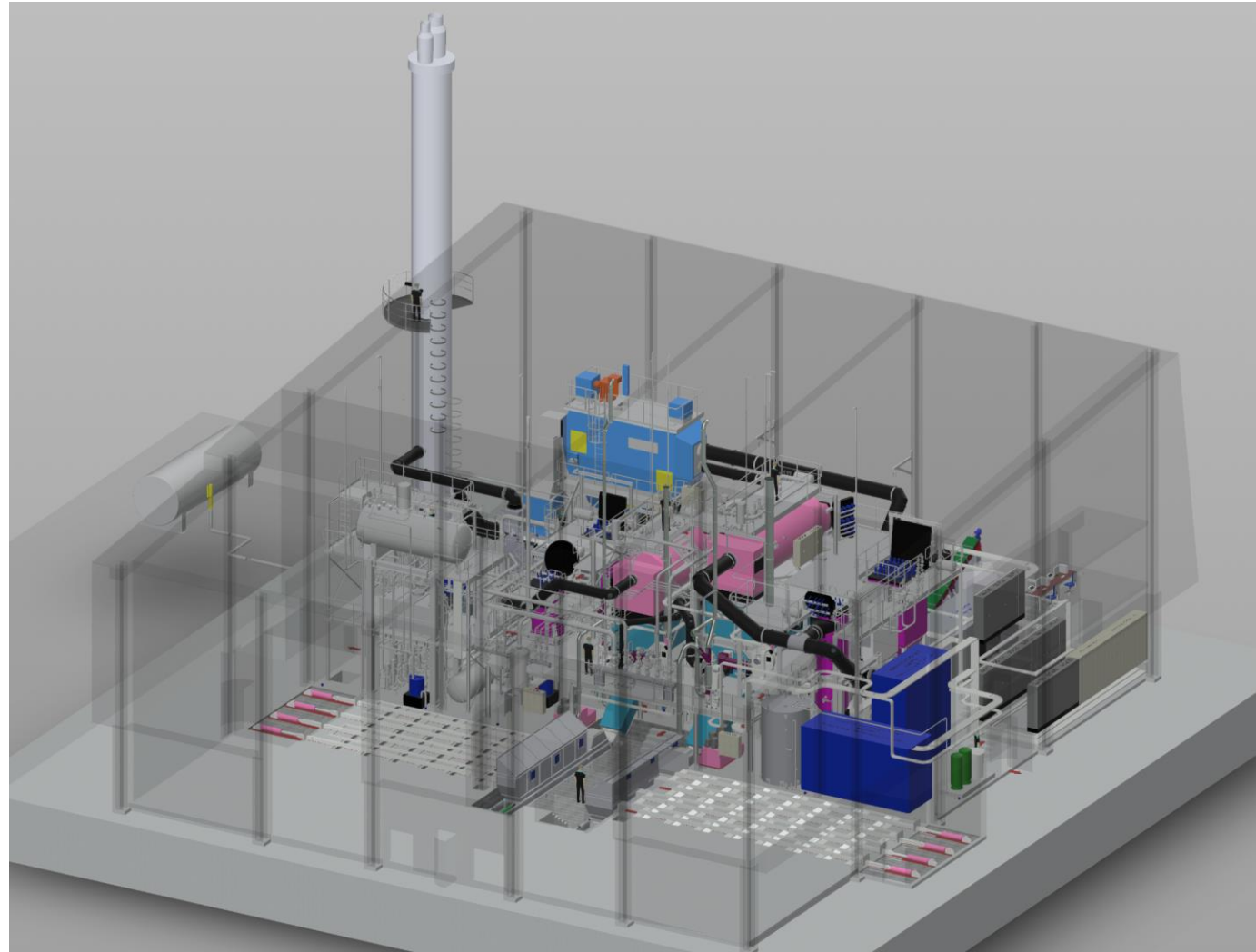
World-leading combustion  
system

Highest efficiencies

Lowest emissions

Fuel flexibility

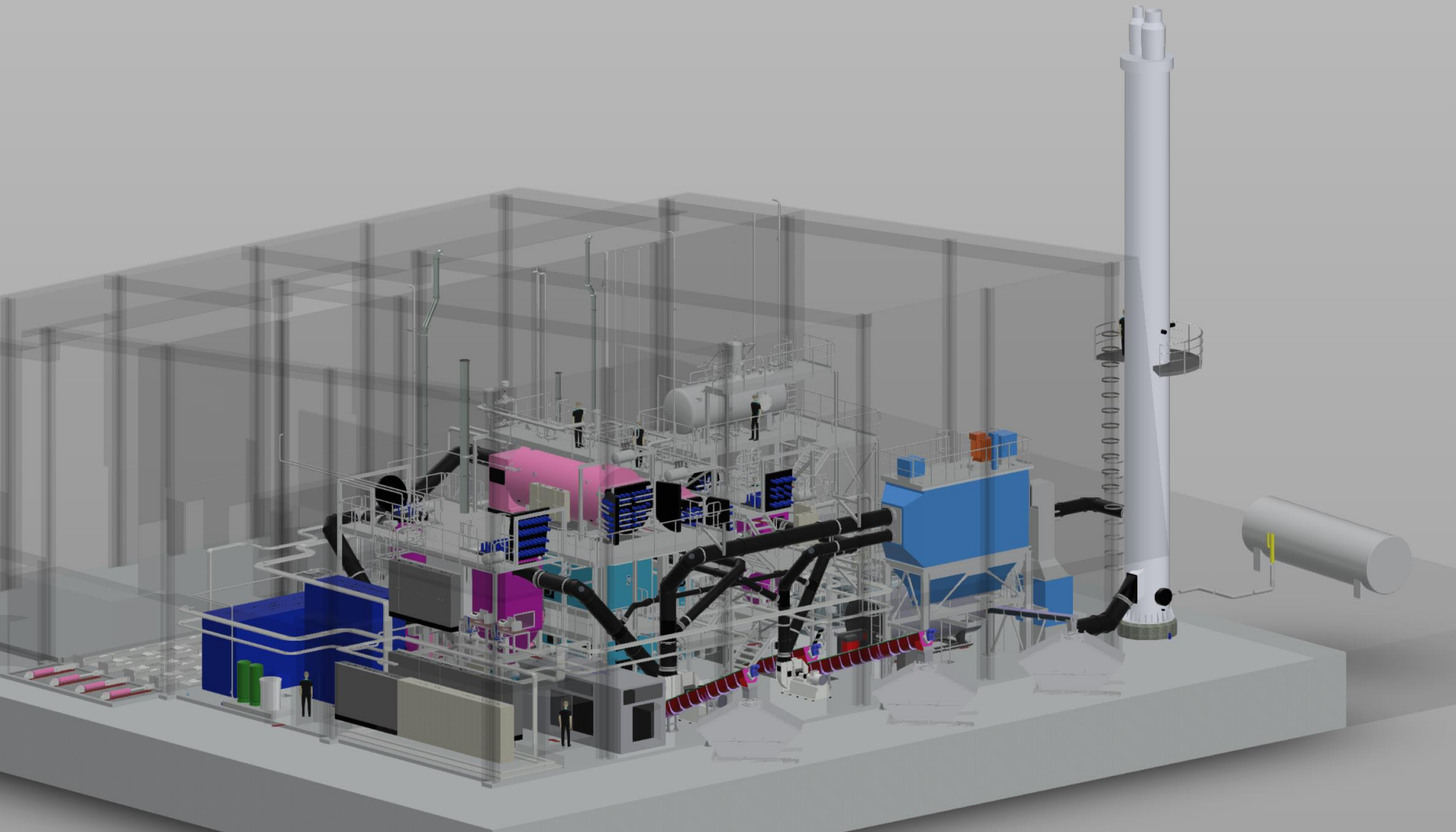
Highly reliable





## *Steam boiler plant 6 MW with ESP*

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## *Building Design*





## Construction Phase

March 2015



In March 2015 the construction of the new hospital is well underway.

Start of the new boiler house construction.



## Construction Phase

June 2015



Polytechnik's boiler plant arrived, as per programme, at the beginning of June with foundation not ready for another 6 weeks.





## Construction Phase



**July 2015**

Polytechnik gets the OK to lift the first components in place.



## Construction Phase



**August 2015**

Fast progress due to the modular design of the components



## Construction Phase

September / October 2015



Due to the building design and the progress of the construction company, the mechanical installation of the energy plant has to follow the building progress:

“SAFETY FIRST”

## Construction Phase

November /  
December 2015



Finally the roof is on!





## Construction Phase

Summer 2016



As the building work continues Polytechnik Biomass Energy together with its partner Energy Plant Solutions continues to install the plant in the boiler house with sometimes over 30 workers.  
...and no LTI!

## April / May 2016



After running 30,000 km of cables, 1,000 m of pressure pipe work, over 2,500 pipe welds with 10% being subjected to radiographic testing without a single failure and the installation of several hundred tonnes of equipment, the commissioning of the plant was, not surprisingly, carried out without any problems!



# Commissioning

May 2016



...which of course makes Polytechnik's General Manager proud and happy.



## Performance and Emission Tests

June 2016



...fresh hogged fuel with wood sizes up to 350 mm and 45 to 55% moisture content and bark to fuel New Zealand's most advanced energy plant



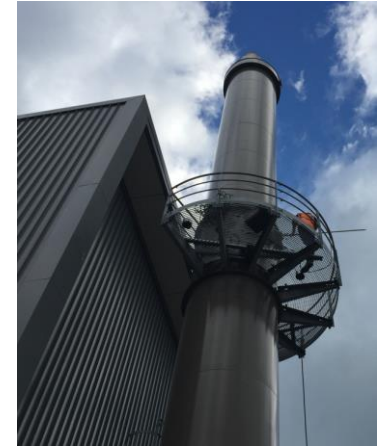
# Performance and Emission Tests

## 1.1 Summary of Results

The following table summarises the results for sampling at Burwood Hospital, 255 Mairehau Rd, Burwood, Christchurch.

Table 1 Summary of Results

Year	Consent Condition PM <sub>10</sub> Suspended Particulate (mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 0°C, dry gas, 1 atm, 12% CO <sub>2</sub> )	PM <sub>10</sub> Suspended Particulate (mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 0°C, dry gas, 1 atm, 12% CO <sub>2</sub> )	Consent Condition PM <sub>10</sub> Suspended Particulate (kg/h)	PM <sub>10</sub> Suspended Particulate Mass Emission (kg/h)
2016	50	8.5	1.2	0.09



Due to the installation of a steam dump for the commissioning and the performance tests (allowed us to run the plant at 100%) the efficiencies and the emission guarantees could be confirmed over the whole operating range with particulate emissions of just 8.5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (PM10) = 83% below the stringent particulate emission limit of 50 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

*Hospital takes over*

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**June 2016**



New Hospital now heated with 100% renewable energy!





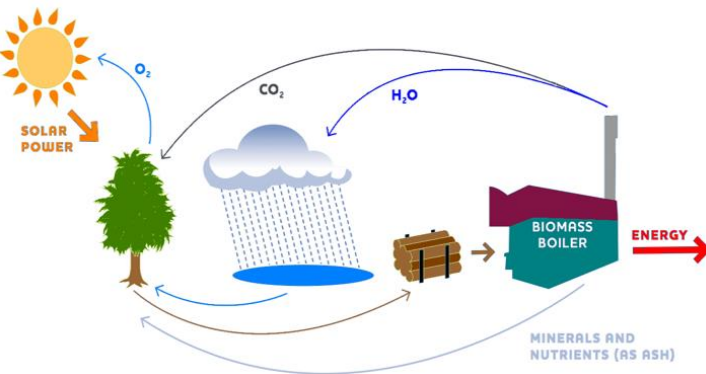
Wood waste reduces the energy cost of Burwood Hospital.



# Burwood Hospital

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showcase of a modern  
and environmentally  
friendly hospital





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FOR YOUR  
ATTENTION***

