

## Ropulpat doubles VCU™ capacity

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Existing VCU facility at Ropulpat S.L in Burgos, Spain

Spanish waste processor Ropulpat S.L are doubling the capacity of the VCU™ in-vessel composting system at their site in Burgos, northern Spain.

Their decision to expand is in response to the growing demand for the composting of Animal By Product (ABP) wastes in the region, and follows successful accreditation of the existing facility.

The new row of 4 chambers will be installed along side the existing VCU™ plant, which Ropulpat have run since 2005, composting a wide variety of ABP wastes such as bone, blood, feathers, hair, and food waste.

The VCU™ technology, supplied by UK based VCU Europa, was the first in-vessel composting system in Spain to be accredited to EU ABP Regulation 1774/2002.

The plant which will be delivered before the end of the year, is the fifth project to be secured by VCU Europa's Spanish distributor, Traco Iberia, and follows on from the system recently delivered in the southern region of Jaen, and the expansion last year of the facility in Murcia.

"The decision to expand the Burgos site is a further endorsement of the VCU™ technology, and will enable Ropulpat to provide much needed increased processing capacity for ABP waste in the region" said Traco Iberia's Managing Director, Andoni Lauret.

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