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The whole process is monitored and managed remotely. The onsite operators should take care of basic operations such as filling the feeding tanks with feedstock and double check some essential parameters. Our engineers will be able to access via an internet connection to the control panel and supervise the process.

The system has been designed to grant the highest level of reliability providing that all the components could be fully tested before shipping.

The installation of the standard system requires an area 50x30 Mt wide. The bag tank needs a “cradle” which will be partially excavated in the soil. The resulting soil from the excavation will be used to build the shoulders. Once the cradle is ready the bag is positioned at the centre and unpacked and connected to the pipes in order to complete the circuits. The parts such as the storage pits for the handling of the digestate, the feeding tank and the screed for the container will be assembled on site from pre-casted concrete elements.

The full installation takes usually less than 20 working days.