



Biogas, in video

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Rounding up some coverage of yesterday's biogas event, KCRA-3's Brian Hickey was there early in the morning [rummaging through the dumpster](#). "You're a little too into this," comments the anchor. [KPIX-5 has a report](#) shot earlier in the week which shows an elegant UC Davis banner in every camera shot. [News 10 also has a report](#) that won't play on my Mac but might work on yours.

"The praise got a bit fulsome," wrote [Glen Martin in the San Francisco Chronicle](#), when congressman Dan Lundgren speculated that the U.S. could become the "Saudi Arabia of garbage."

The Saudis, however, were not responsible for creating their vast oil reserves, while Californians throw out 22 million tons of "wet organic waste" per year, according to the California Integrated Waste Management Board. That's enough to make the equivalent of over a million gallons of gasoline.