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1 **Constructing a novel smart framework for supplying biogas energy in green**
2 **buildings using an integration of response surface methodology, artificial**
3 **intelligence and petri net modelling**

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15 **Abstract**

16 Nowadays energy crisis is considered an essential active issue for future urbanization in
17 megacities. While the rate of population growth increases, the volume of municipal solid waste
18 production increases significantly. This highlights the need of Sustainable Development Goals
19 (SDGs) for both developed and developing countries. This paper introduces a novel smart
20 framework for supplying biogas energy **to study waste management and energy supply in green**
21 **buildings**. This framework integrates the Response Surface Methodology (RSM), Artificial
22 Intelligence (AI), and Petri net modeling. Firstly, the particular biogas generation setup is invented
23 for food waste digestion by integrating Sequencing Batch Reactors (SBR) sludge and Clostridial
24 microorganisms. Before experimental practices, for evaluation of waste characterizations, the
25 quartering and coning method is utilized. **In the experimental practices, different variables**
26 **including Sludge/Waste, Inoculum (Clostridiales/Waste), pH, Temperature and, time, are**
27 **appraised in the lab-scale setup. Also, in the experimental section for measuring the variables**
28 **through biogas production procedure, three protocols containing EPA-821-R-01-015, Organic**
29 **Matter and alkalinity evaluation by American Public Health Association (APHA, 2017) and**
30 **Einhorn Saccharometer technique are utilized.** The optimum conditions are appraised based on
31 Central Composition Design (CCD) using RSM. Artificial intelligence techniques including the
32 Random Tree (RT), Random Forest (RF), Artificial Neural Network (ANN) and, Adaptive-

33 Network-based Fuzzy Inference System (ANFIS) are employed. Plus, for creating the optimum
34 condition, a dynamic controlling system Petri Net modeling is used.

35 The outcomes of present investigation have illustrated that the optimum conditions for Sludge/food
36 Waste (S/W), *Clostridiales*/ food Waste (C/W), pH, Temperature (T) and Retention time (t) as
37 effective parameters are equal to 163 mg/g, 54 mg/g, 7, 30 °C and 55 days, respectively. Likewise,
38 the analysis of variance (ANOVA) assessment demonstrated that the most effective parameters
39 are S/W and T with high amount of F-value and low amount of P-value. Plus, between all machine
40 learning methods, ANFIS with 0.99 correlation coefficient had the best accuracy for Accumulated
41 Biogas Production (ABP) based on effective factors.

42 Sludge and Clostridial based bio-engine are compared with together asper biogas/methane
43 generation and fluctuation of Total Organic Carbon (TOC), Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD)
44 and total alkaline are appraised. The outcomes have demonstrated that efficiency of sludge-based
45 system is **two times more than** Clostridial based reactors, because of available nutrient and active
46 microorganisms. Finally, Circular Economy (CE) scrutinizing have proved that with application
47 of this method in a green building, all electrical energy/heat demands can be supplied by 381 kwh
48 (3051 MJ) in the case study (In one residential unit). Also, the remained digested food waste with
49 310 **mg/L** COD is valuable for gardening activities in green buildings.

50 **Finally, with the outcomes of present study, some different scientific issues such as clean energy**
51 **supplying in green buildings, smart sustainable biogas production control system, Integrated Solid**
52 **Waste Management (ISWM), CE and SDGs in green buildings are tackled as a novel framework**
53 **in smart and sustainable cities.**

54 **Keywords:** *Biogas, Food Waste, Sludge, Clostridial Microorganisms, Response Surface*
55 *Methodology, Artificial Intelligence, Petri Net Modelling;*

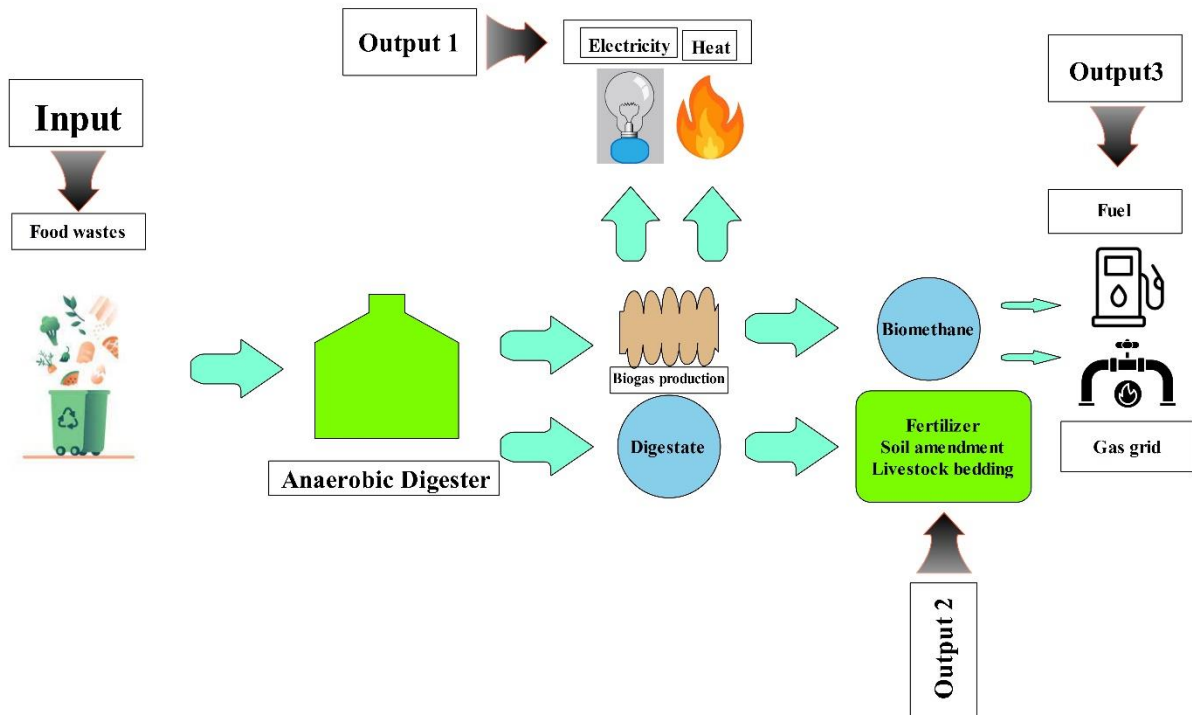
56 **1. Introduction**

57 One of the main concerns in Green Building Concepts (GBC) [1], Sustainable Development Goals
58 (SDGs) [2] and Clean Technologies Theory (CTT) [3] is related to stable energy supplying in
59 short, middle and long terms [4]. **When energy demand** is increased in different megacities of
60 developing countries based on population accumulation [5], consumerism [6], cultural diversion
61 [7] and global warming effects [8] which is continued every year. Plus, waste generation,
62 especially biological wastes in developing countries, is augmented as per life style changing [9]
63 and developing urbanization in some countries such as Iran [10], India [11] and China [12]. Energy
64 crisis and biological waste generation problem are noteworthy challenges when they are seen
65 separately, but, in a holistic view of GBC, they can be considered as an opportunity for biogas
66 production for implementation of CTT in future lifestyle of developing countries [13].

67 Biogas generation from biological wastes is assumed as a green method for Integrated Solid Waste
68 Management (ISWM) during anaerobic digestion in household reactors [14, 15]. The scheme of

69 Circular Economy (CE) in biogas generation from biological waste and biochemical reaction are
70 illustrated in Figs. 1 [16-18] and 2 [19-21], respectively. According to Fig. 1, with CE approach
71 the threats of waste generation can be converted to opportunities for energy demand crisis and
72 fertilizer providing in green building's plants from digested wastes [22]. Whereas, as per Fig. 2, it
73 is clear that biogas generation is done in four stages containing hydrolysis, acidogenesis,
74 acetogenesis, and methanogenesis [23].

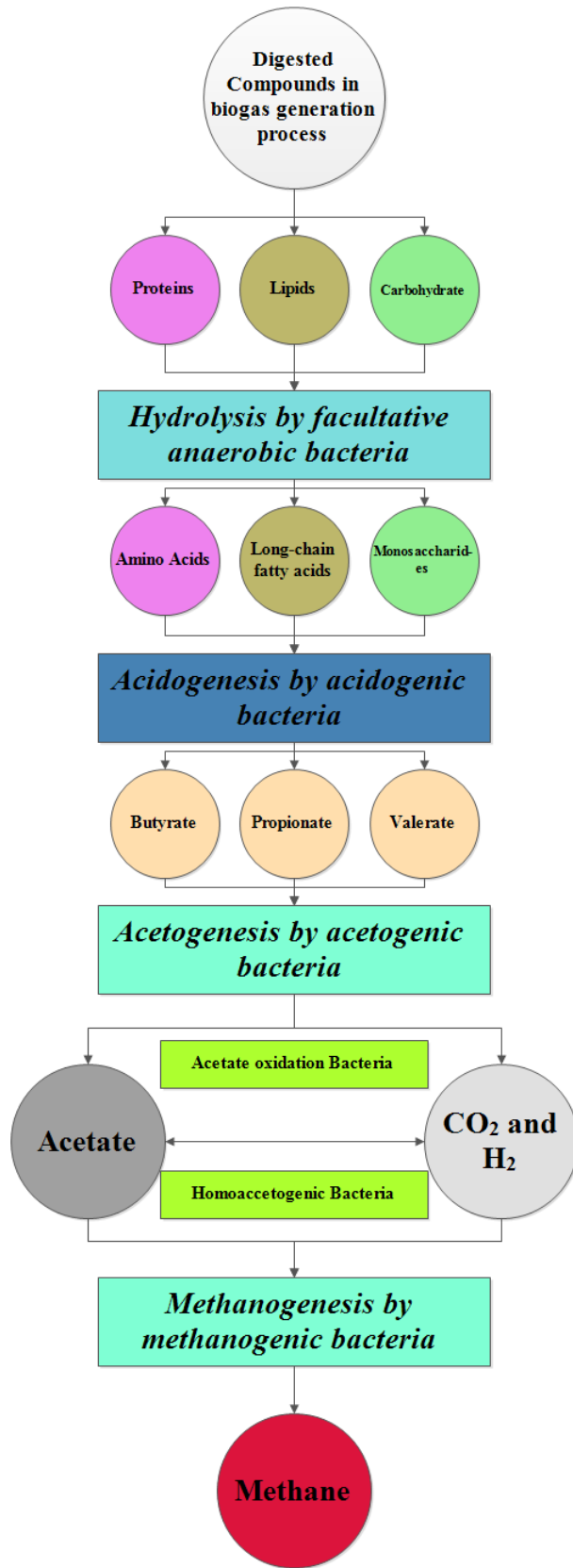
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Fig. 1. The schematic plan of biogas generation cycle [16-18].



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Fig. 2. The schematic plan of biochemical reactions [19-21].

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81 Cavaignac et al. (2021) have presented a novel concept for operation of biogas reactors with
82 considering technical, economic and environmental aspects. In the mentioned study, main issue
83 was related to amine scrubbing role in biogas generation enhancing. Plus, by application of Life
84 Cycle Assessment (LCA) method, emission of CO₂ was predicted with high accuracy [24]. Also,
85 Miranda et al. (2021) have evaluated green technologies for energy supplying in some countries
86 including Brazil, Russia, India, China, and South Africa (BRICS). For the mentioned goal,
87 Methodi Ordinatio methodology with concentration on sustainability indices was used [25]. Plus,
88 Niu et al. (2021) have designed a biogas system for rural usages energy providing in China. In this
89 study, environmental and social benefits have been scrutinized by monetization method. Likewise,
90 the performance of partially competitive strategy is discussed for medium- and large-scale biogas
91 projects (MLBPs) [26]. Abanades et al. (2021) have presented a framework for biogas generation
92 in the globe based on critical review concept [27]. Lomazov et al. (2021) have optimized biogas
93 energy production plants with application of fuzzy and genetic algorithm techniques [28]. Stürmer
94 et al. (2021) have compared the biogas production based on agricultural wastes in different regions.
95 The declared research has assessed legal framework and regional structures on biogas production
96 [29]. Jung et al. (2021) and Akbulut et al. (2021) have designed local biogas system in large-scale
97 with considering syngas system energy supplying and energy planning in Malatya, respectively
98 [30, 31]. Brémond et al. (2021) have presented a novel framework for improvements of solid
99 digestion process in Continuously Stirred Tank Reactors (CSTRs) with agricultural waste feeding.
100 In the declared study, some different strategies are assessed for enhancing the efficiency of biogas
101 production [32]. Naquash et al. (2021) have presented some outcomes for production of Liquefied
102 Natural Gas through solidification of CO₂ through biogas procedure. Likewise, in the mentioned
103 investigation, all simulations are done in Aspen Hysys® v11 platform [33]. Moreover, Zhang et
104 al. (2021) have designed food-waste-to-energy system as decentralized energy supplying
105 approach. The researchers have concentrated on organic matter loading and temperature effects on
106 biogas production efficiency. Also, with application of Sankey diagram in energy flow, the
107 performance of anaerobic digestion and Combined Heat and Power (CHP) are scrutinized [34].
108 Wu et al. (2021) have scheduled the biogas-solar-wind as Integrated Energy Systems (IESs) in a
109 case study. In the mentioned study, for programming energy usages multi-objective optimization
110 (MOO) are utilized [35]. Su et al. (2021) have presented a novel system for thermal collecting of
111 bio-methane production with application of photovoltaic facilities. In the avowed research,
112 reducing the fossil fuel consumption are proposed as cost function [36].

113 As the reviewed investigations, application of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Response Surface
114 Methodology (RSM) for biogas generation in green building energy supplying is so rare as a
115 research gap and this research wants to present a novel smart model for bio-energy contributing.

116 The present study aims to:

- 117 - Inventing biogas setup for household energy applications based on biological wastes in
118 green buildings with combination of *Clostridiales*, wastewater treatment plant's sludge and
119 food wastes digesting activities.
- 120 - Optimizing the effective parameters on biogas production in green buildings by Central
121 Composition Design (CCD)-RSM technique.
- 122 - Creating smart controlling model for operating system by Random Tree (RT), Random
123 Forest (RF), Artificial Neural Network (ANN) and Adaptive-Network-based Fuzzy
124 Inference System (ANFIS) soft computations.
- 125 - Presenting controlling model in green buildings as per Petri net system.

126 In the present study, with application of CCD-RSM technique, the optimum conditions are
127 determined and likewise, the number of experimental runs are reduced. On the other words, by
128 CCD-RSM method plus enhancing the performance of biogas production process, the
129 experimental costs are decreased. In the followings, the AI computations evaluate the behavior
130 of bio-system performance for controlling possible reactor's problems in the especial situations
131 with prediction the future manners. Finally, with comparison of the outcomes of AI and CCD-
132 RSM, the effective method for controlling and prediction of biogas production are suggested
133 as the scientific fact.

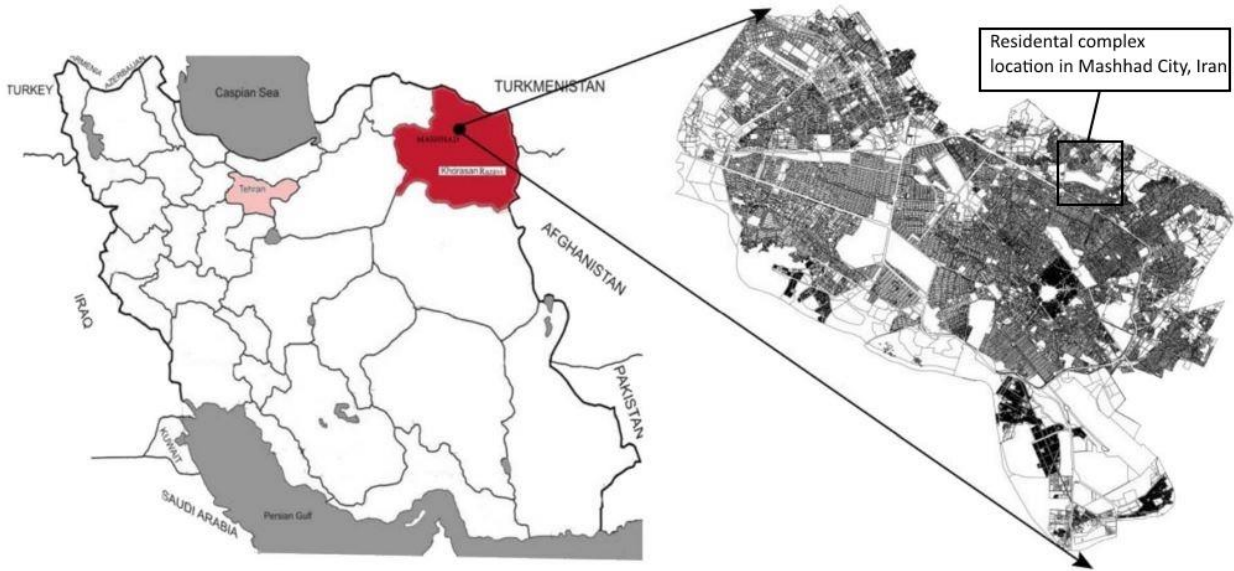
134 The rest of this paper is organized as follows: Section 2 provides the materials and methods
135 including the framework of this research, used materials, instrumentation, lab-scale setup,
136 microbiological methods, optimization, prediction and controlling models. Section 3 presents
137 the test results and provides the discussion on the results. Finally, a summary of this research
138 with findings and recommendations, is concluded in Section 4.

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140 2. Materials and methods

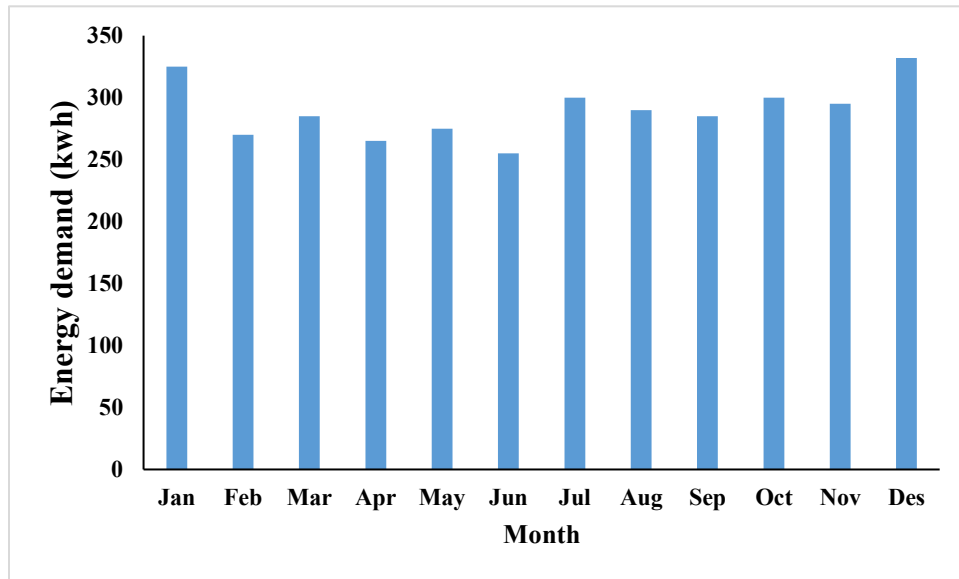
141 2.1. Case study

142 The present research is done in a residential complex with fifteen household units which is
143 illustrated as per Fig. 3. Also, monthly electrical demand (Fig. 4) of each unit is demonstrated in
144 Fig. 4 according to PVSystem simulations software [37]. Plus, approximate analysis of food wastes
145 which is appraised based on quartering and coning method [38] is summarized in Table 1.



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Fig. 3. Location of Mashhad, Iran.



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Fig. 4. The pattern of electrical energy consumption in the case study in Mashhad, Iran.

156 Table 1. Approximate specification of residential wastes as per quartering and coning method in
157 present research.

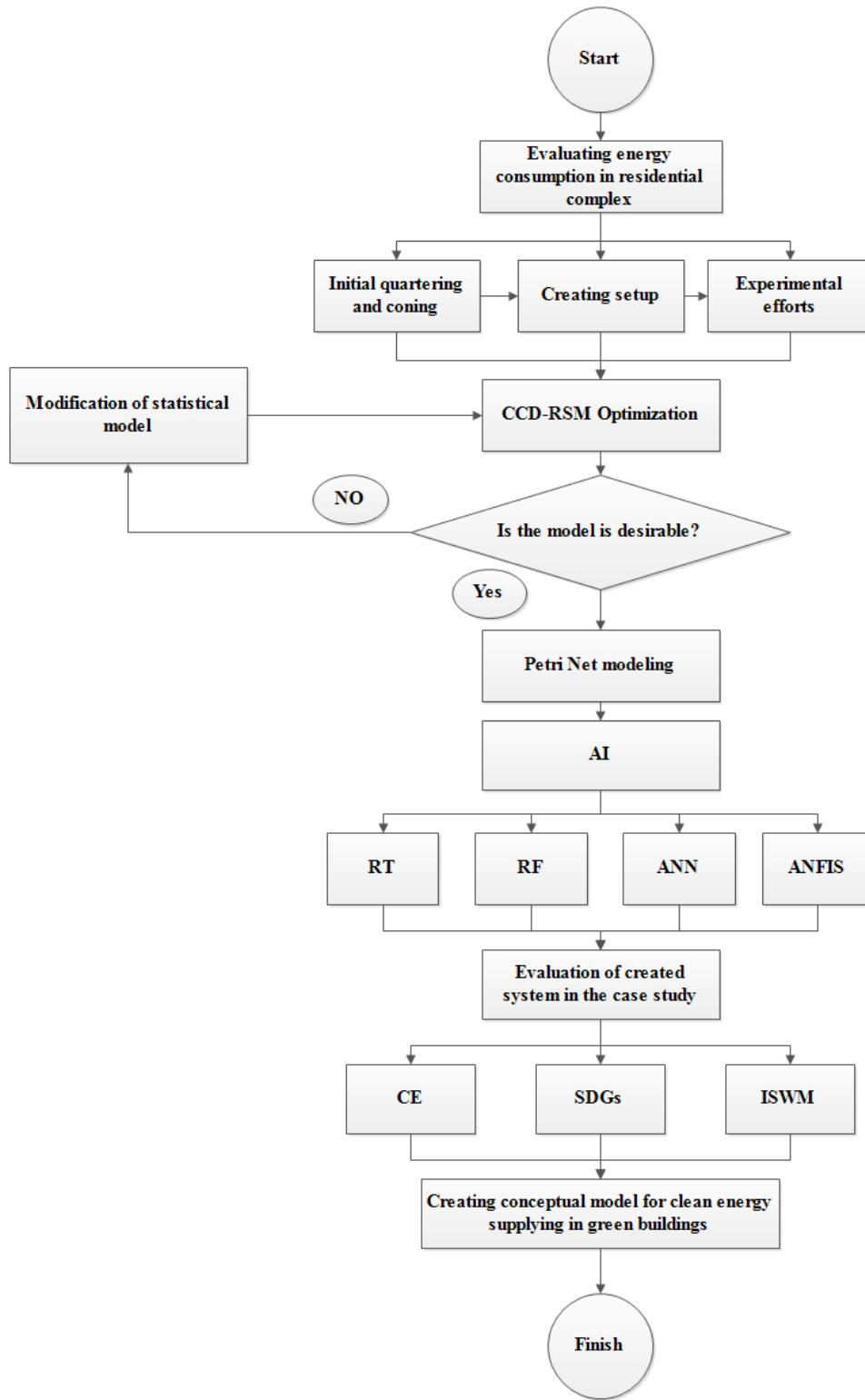
Waste type	Percentage	Moisture (%)
Paper	21	8
Glass	9	2
Food waste	40	82
Plastic waste	27	12
Cloth waste	3	15

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159 **2.2.Research roadmap**

160 In this study, research roadmap is divided to four sections such as experimental efforts,
161 optimization and statistical evaluations, predictive models and controlling algorithm as a
162 Decision Support System (DSS) which are demonstrated in Fig. 5.

163 According to Fig. 5, in the first step, the energy demands of the case study is computed by
164 simulation and application of some different data banks. By applying this section, the value of
165 energy demand is determined in different months. Then, with quartering and coning method,
166 the quality and quantity of available solid wastes are measured as the first section of second
167 stage. Plus, in the second section the lab scale setup is designed and built and then in the last
168 section of this stage, the experimental efforts are started. For design of experiments, CCD-
169 RSM method is employed as sensitive analysis, optimization and regression prediction
170 equations. After, optimizing the mentioned experiments by CCD-RSM, the suggested
171 optimum conditions are compared by real test's amounts until reaching to desirable precision.
172 If the CCD-RSM values are not fit to real experiments, the CCD-RSM should be redesigned.
173 In the next stage, by the CCD-RSM outcomes, Petri Net modelling are done for creating the
174 concept of smart operation system of biogas generation process with focusing on approved
175 optimum conditions. In the fifth stage of present research, the RF, RT, ANN and ANFIS
176 computations are utilized for smart forecasting microorganism's behavior through the biogas
177 production procedure. Finally, after assessment of biogas energy supplying performance in this
178 study, a conceptual model is designed for implementation of SDGs. CE and ISWM in the
179 research.



182 Fig. 5. The research roadmap of present study (CCD-RSM: Central Composition Design-Response Surface
 183 Methodology, AI: Artificial Intelligence, RT: Random Tree, RF: Random Forest, ANN: Artificial Neural Network

184 and ANFIS: Adaptive-Network-based Fuzzy Inference System, CE: Circular Economy, SDGs: Sustainable
 185 Development Goals and ISWM: Integrated Solid Waste Management)

186 **2.3. Materials and instrumentation**

187 All reagents and materials for experimental practices and sampling are shown in Table 2.
 188 Likewise, sampling is done three times with quartering and coning method, initial and final
 189 gas generation tests. Whereas, all applied instruments are utilized for sampling, gas
 190 measurement and effective parameters determinations are mentioned in Table 3.

191 Table 2. Crucial materials and reagents for present study.

Compounds	Conditions	Company
NaOH	Molecular weight is equal to 40 gr mol ⁻¹	Sigma Aldrich, USA
Secondary sludge sedimentation as an inoculum	This sludge have been provided from secondary clarifier tank in Sequencing Batch Reactor (SBR)	From Al-Teymour wastewater treatment plant in Mashhad City
Silicone glue	Silicon, nanopowder, <100 nm particle size (TEM), ≥98% trace metals basis with 28.09 gr mol ⁻¹ molecular weight	Sigma Aldrich, USA
N ₂ gas	Nitrogen, ≥ 99.998% with 28.01 gr mol ⁻¹ molecular weight	Sigma Aldrich, USA

HNO ₃	70% purity and with 63.01 gr mol ⁻¹ molecular weight	Sigma Aldrich, USA
Mixed food waste	It is obtained after one day	From Case study in Mashhad City
Clostridiales	Liquid sample	Iranian Genetic Bank (IGB)

Table 3. Functional equipment in present study.

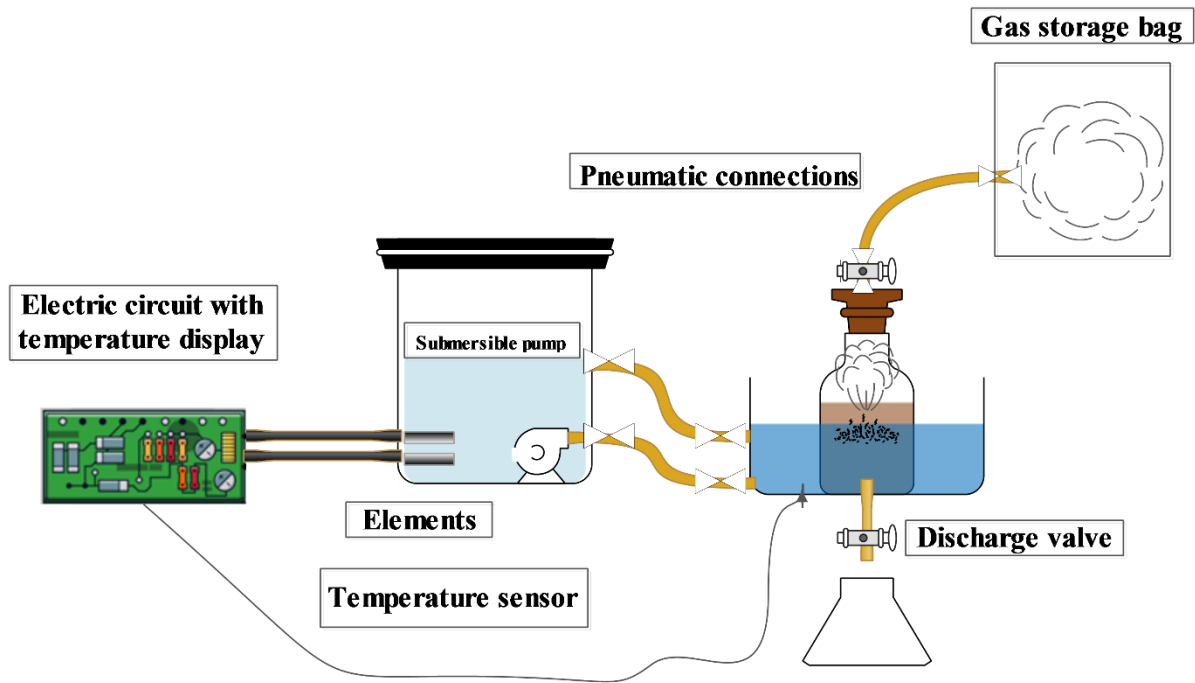
Instrument	Conditions/model/description	Company
Vacuum flask	With glass hose connector	VWR® International Co.
Vacuum pump	Suction Capacity 550 to 15000 m ³ h ⁻¹	PPI pumps Co.
Lab scale storage	Borosilicate Glass	BOROSIL Technologies Co.
One-liter glass batch-mode digester	High pressure and temperature mode	Nunc Lab-Tek Co.
pH meter	Thin. Professional.	Hanna pH meter Co.
Total Organic Carbon meter	multi EA® 5100 for Micro- Elemental Analysis	Analytik Jena Co.
Autoclave	Vertical floor-standing autoclaves (top-loading) from 40 to 150 liters chamber volume	Systec. V-Series Co.
Bain-marie	Stainless Steel Bain Marie (Brand:SSFV), 220V	Mindiamart Co.

Oven	Drying oven 125 basic dry (5 - 250 centigrade degree)	IKA Co.
Electrical control circuit	Micro Pragma	Schneider Electric Co.
Chemical Oxygen Demand meter	Fits 16mm or 13mm Hach COD vials, Test N Tube vials or TNTplus™ vials	Hach Co.
Submersible pump	SKU: ECO-185	Lab society Co.
Temperature sensor	Sensor Net Connect Temperature Monitoring	Plug & Track Co.
Pneumatic connections	UNIFLEX™ BASIC model	BROEN-LAB Co.
Electro thermal elements	Steel with 403 grade and temperature threshold is equal to 400 °C	Iran element Co.
Gas storage bag	High pressure and temperature mode	Nunc Lab-Tek Co.
Heat water tank	High pressure and temperature mode	Nunc Lab-Tek Co.
Einhorn's saccharometer	The carbon dioxide created in the fermenting process would rise to the top of the closed tube and force the level of liquid down.	VWR Co.
20 cc syringe	Standard plastic mode	Samen Co.

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194 **2.4.Lab-scale setup and experimental methodology**

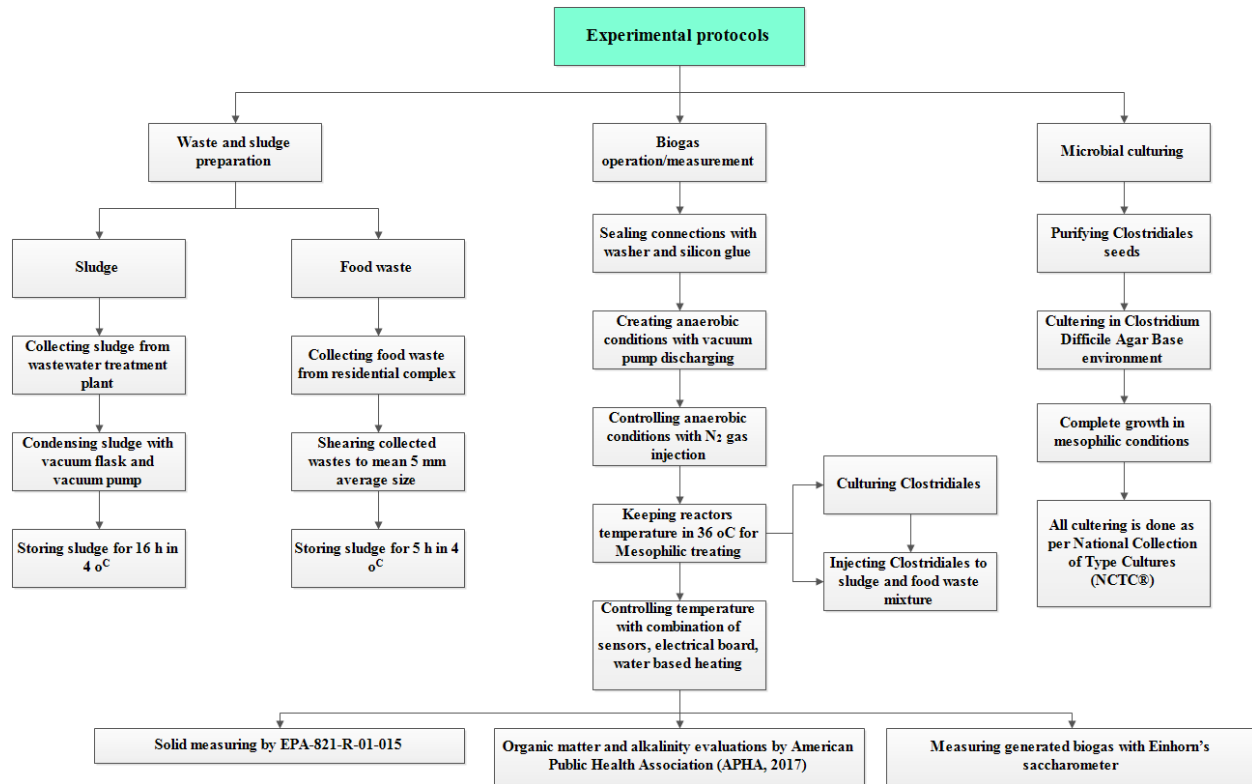
195 The schematic plan of biogas lab scale setup including mechanical devices, chemical sensors
196 and equipment and structural tools are depicted in Fig. 6. Also, the algorithm of experimental
197 methods in each run is illustrated in Fig. 7.



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Fig. 6. Schematic plan of bio-energy reactor in present study.



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202 Fig. 7. The algorithm of experimental methods in present study [39-41].

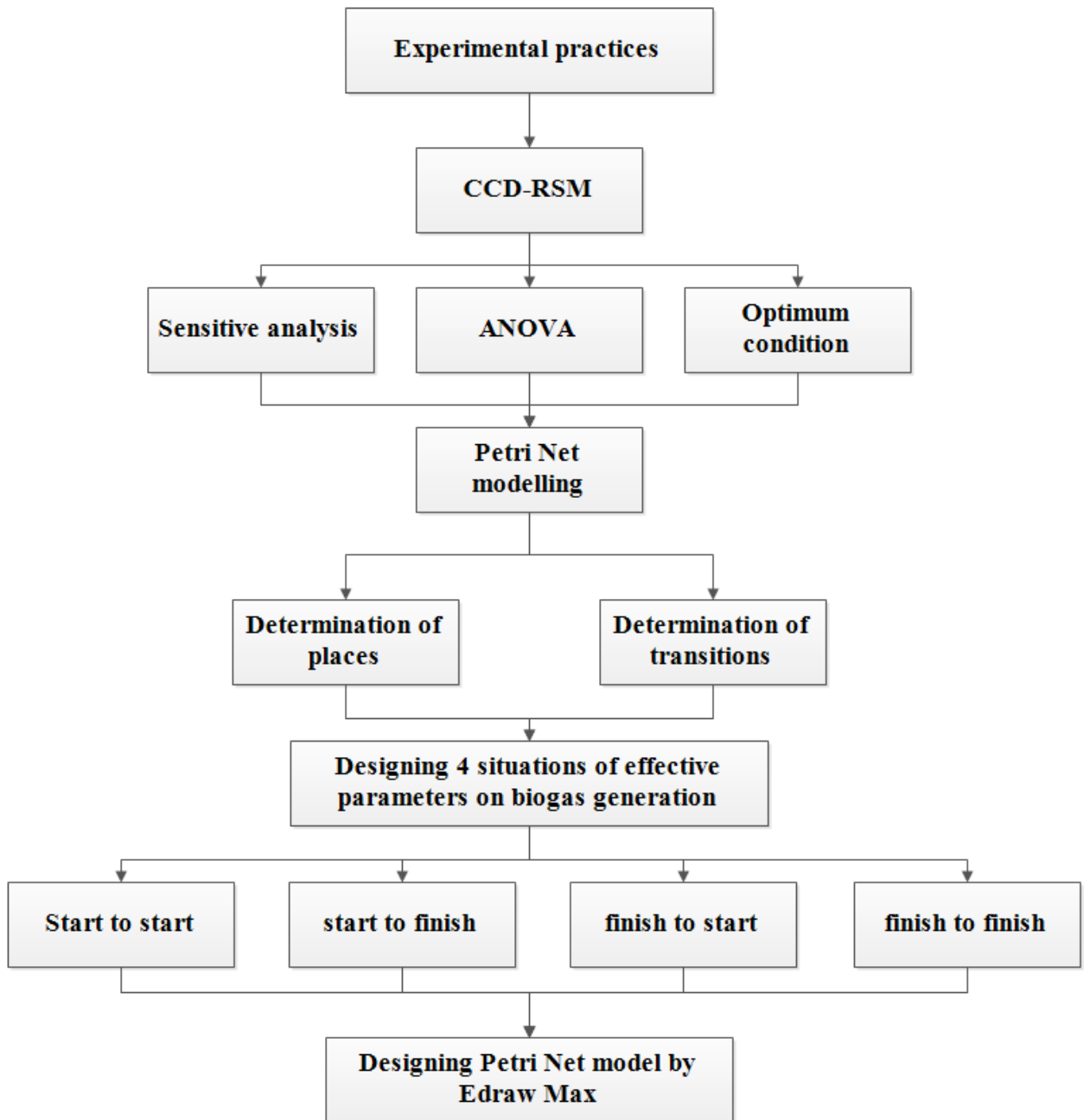
203 **2.5.CCD-RSM model**

204 In this study, CCD-RSM statistical model is used in Design Expert 7.0.0 software which it
 205 determines sensitive analysis, optimum conditions and mathematical regression based
 206 predictive model for energy supplying in green buildings. Also, in the Design of Experiments
 207 (DOE), value of alpha is set in 1.2 amount [42]. The specifications of DOE for each effective
 208 parameter in this study is demonstrated in Table 4. In this research Accumulated Biogas
 209 (methane) Production (ABP) is assumed as a cost function (response) in ml unit. Both sludge
 210 and Inoculum play role as bio-engine for degradation of food waste in biogas generation cycle.
 211 But, in present investigation, the character of each one is separated for comparison of
 212 wastewater treatment plant's bacteria and *Clostridiales* gas generation abilities. The key
 213 parameters for experimentation are selected as per literature review evaluations in different
 214 investigations [29-31, 39-41].

215 Table 4. The variables and values used for biogas process optimization in CCD.

Variables	Unit	Symbo l	Coded factors level				
			-1.2 (Low)	+1	0	-1	1.2 (High)
Sludge/Waste	mg/gr	S/W	90	100	150	200	210
Inoculum (Clostridiales/Wast e)	mg/gr	C/W	6	10	30	50	54
pH	_____	pH	5.2	6	7	8	8.2
Temperature	°C	T	6.5	25	35	45	48.5
Time	day	t	6	10	30	50	54

216 After determination of optimum conditions, for creating smart controlling models Petri Net
217 [43] concept is utilized. In the declared model, each adjustable factor and conditional values
218 are put in place and transition functions, correspondingly. The algorithm of Petri Net modelling
219 design is shown in Fig. 8.



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Fig. 8. Schematic plan of Petri Net modelling in present study.

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2.6.AI techniques

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In the present study, for creating the predictive model as smart controlling systems, some

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different machine learning computations such as ANN [44], ANFIS [45], RT [46] and RF [47]

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are used. For implementation of the mentioned algorithm MATLAB 2013 b and WEKA

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software are performed which is described in Table 5.

Table 5. The AI computation specifications in present research.

Method	Software	Conditions
ANN	WEKA 3.9	Multilayer perceptron and percentage split is set on 90%
RT	WEKA 3.9	Cross-validation folds are set on 30
RF	WEKA 3.9 and MATLAB 2018b [®]	Percentage split is set on 80%
ANFIS	MATLAB 2018b [®]	Sugeno, membership functions are three Gaussian type 2, optim method and number of epochs are selected equal to hybrid and 70, correspondingly.

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229 3. Results and discussions

230 3.1. Optimization and experiments

231 The outcomes of experimental efforts as per analysis based on CCD-RSM technique are
 232 summarized in Table S.1. Plus, the fitness of Linear, 2FI, Quadratic and Cubic distributions have
 233 illustrated that the R-Squared and Predicted R-Squared of quadratic function is more acceptable in
 234 comparison of other ones (Table 6). According to Table 6, quadratic model with 0.92 and 0.64 R-
 235 Squared and Predicted R-Squared can achieve the best outcomes in curve fitting aspect (Equation
 236 1). In mathematical viewpoint, quadratic model could satisfy ABP (ml) according to effective
 237 parameters containing S/W, C/W, pH, T and t. But, for prediction ABP, the created statistical
 238 model with 0.62 Predicted R-Squared cannot meet forecasting expectations. Thus, for estimations
 239 of ABP, application of AI can be useful as an online soft monitoring system in detail of DSS.

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Table 6. The results of mathematical models in CCD-RSM.

Source	Std. Dev.	R-Squared	Adjusted R-Squared	Predicted R-Squared	PRESS	
Linear	1518.185	0.20	0.119179	0.0187	1.26E+08	
2FI	1647.652	0.28	-0.03745	0.18523	1.96E+08	
Quadratic	1125.946	0.92	0.515523	0.64	1.26E+08	Suggested
Cubic	867.7422	0.91	0.712247	-0.79628	2.3E+08	Aliased

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Equation 1

242 $ABP = -46061.41463 + 126.90239 * S/W + 85.91509 * C/W + 9832.81639 * pH + 237.44436 * T -$
 243 $4.22495 * t - 0.034750 * S/W * C/W - 3.26625 * S/W * pH + 0.026214 * S/W * T - 0.10325 * S/W *$
 244 $t - 12.65625 * C/W * pH - 0.23429 * C/W * T + 1.04234 * C/W * t - 0.81786 * pH * T - 1.35625 * pH$
 245 $* t + 0.035000 * T * t - 0.29929 * (S/W)^2 - 0.10317 * (C/W)^2 - 612.44931 * (pH)^2 - 3.62682 * (T)^2 + 0.12339$
 246 $* (t)^2$

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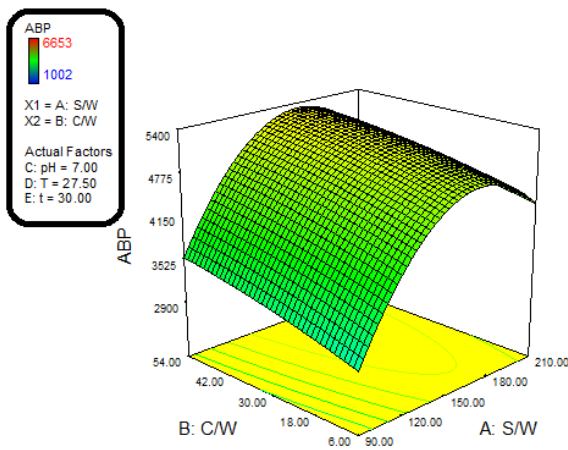
248 The outputs of analysis of variance (ANOVA) evaluations and sensitive analysis is demonstrated
 249 in Table 7 and Fig. 9, respectively. With considering to Table 7, The P-value of model and its lack
 250 of fit are computed equal to less than 0.0001 (significant) and 0.1415 (not significant) respectively,
 251 which it conveys high level of validity in achieved statistical model. Also, according to Table 7,
 252 the P-Value of both S/W and T factors are less than 0.0001. Therefore, S/W and T have the most
 253 significant effect on ABP in comparison other ones. Likewise, the F-value of S/W with 89.73
 254 amount is more than T parameter (with 11.09) and it determines that S/W is the most important
 255 parameter between all effective factors on ABP. Whereas, the least significant parameter is related
 256 to t with 0.28 and 1.19 P-value and F-value correspondingly. The sensitive analysis of dual
 257 effective parameters vs ABP is illustrated in Fig. 9. As per this Fig., the most slope variations are
 258 related to S/W and T factors which illustrate the influences of them on ABP in comparison of other
 259 ones.

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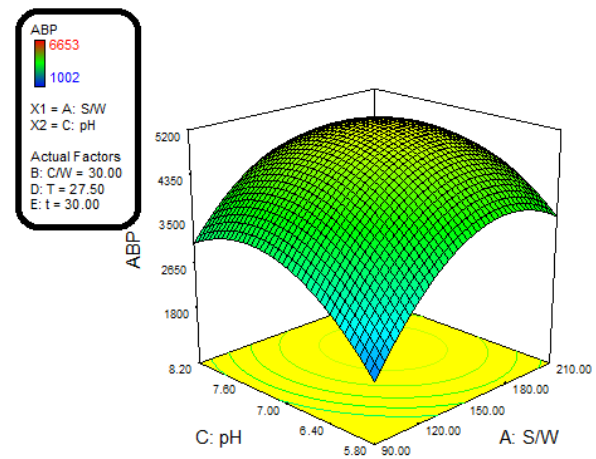
Table 7. The results of ANOVA evaluation in CCD-RSM.

Source	Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F Value	p-value (Prob > F)	
Model	91455700	20	4572785	3.60	< 0.0001	significant
A-S/W	10235044	1	10235044	89.73	< 0.0001	
B-C/W	1611124	1	1611124	1.27	0.26	
C-pH	3700598	1	3700598	2.91	0.09	
D-T	9741058	1	9741058	11.09	< 0.0001	
E-t	1517780	1	1517780	1.19	0.28	
AB	38642	1	38642	0.03	0.86	
AC	853471.1	1	853471.1	0.67	0.41	
AD	16836.13	1	16836.13	0.01	0.90	
AE	341138	1	341138	0.27	0.60	
BC	2050313	1	2050313	1.61	0.21	
BD	215168	1	215168	0.17	0.68	
BE	5562780	1	5562780	4.38	0.04	
CD	6555.125	1	6555.125	0.005	0.94	

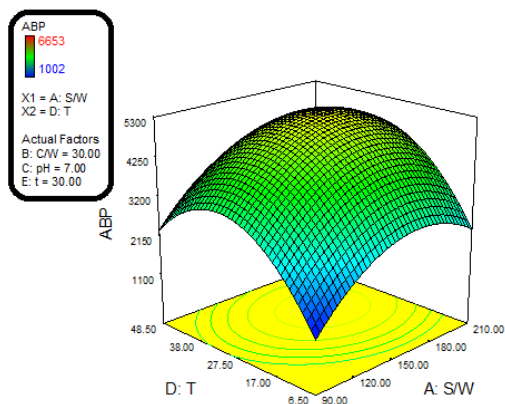
CE	23544.5	1	23544.5	0.018	0.89	
DE	4802	1	4802	0.003	0.95	
A ²	2832988	1	2832988	2.23	0.14	
B ²	8618.599	1	8618.599	0.006	0.93	
C ²	1898166	1	1898166	1.49	0.23	
D ²	6243064	1	6243064	4.92	0.03	
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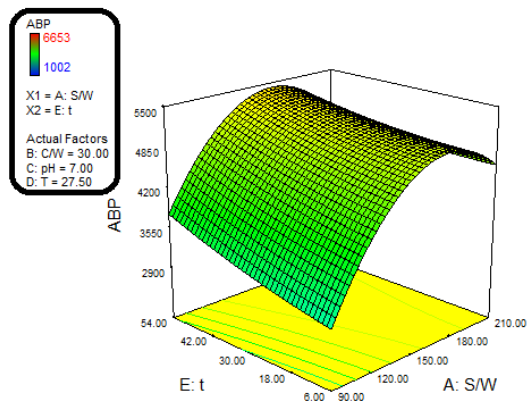
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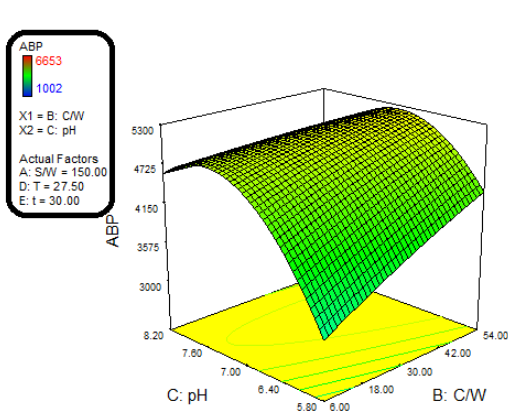
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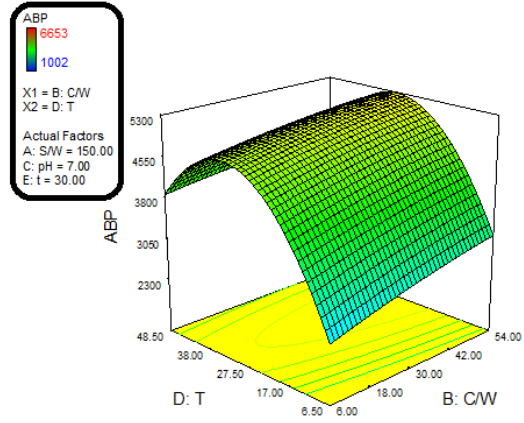
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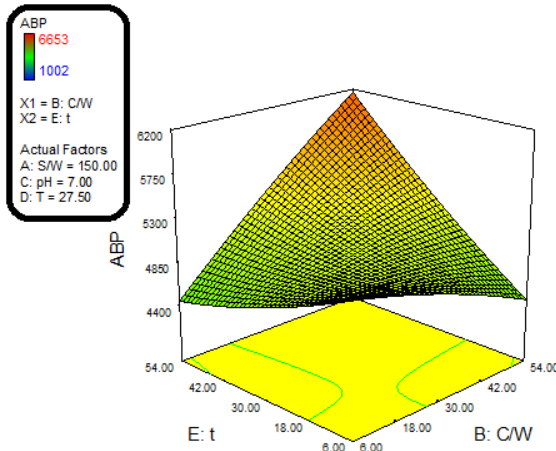
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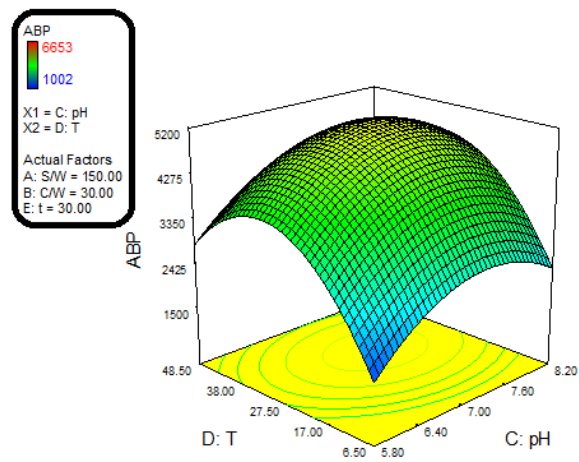
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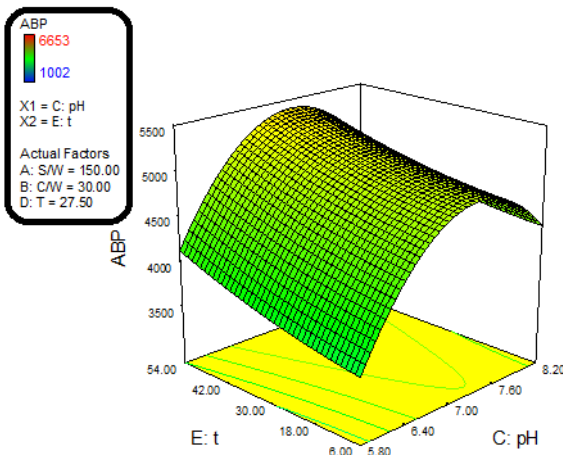


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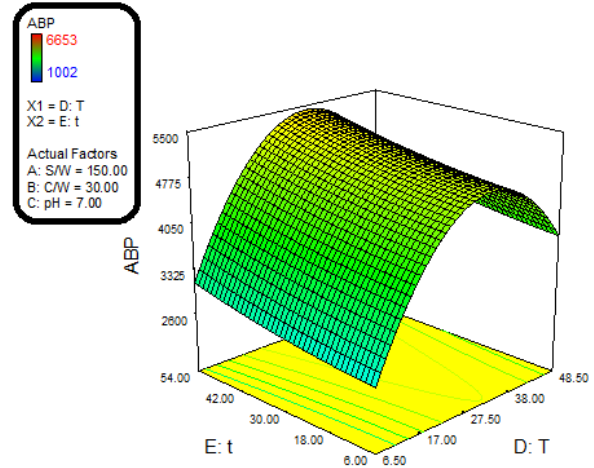


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Fig. 9. The sensitive analysis of effective parameters in CCD-RSM.

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The normal plot of residuals is demonstrated in Fig. S.1 which shows distribution of ABP's results in neighborhood of normal diagram. So, the results of experimental activities follow normal statistical distributions in different runs. The five suggested optimum conditions based on CCD-RSM computations are summarized in Table 8. According to declared Table, optimum values of S/W, C/W, pH, T and t are equal to 163 mg/g, 54 mg/g, 7, 30 °C and 55 days, respectively. Also, the mentioned suggestions are examined in lab scale setup with three repetitions and 6310.2 ml, 6282.3 ml and 6325.1 are measured as experimental outputs. While, the mean value of predicted ABP with 6259.96 ml has 99.6% accuracy with mean value of experimental results (with 6306.1 ml). Desirability of mathematical prediction outcomes vs variations of S/W and C/W is illustrated in Fig. S.2.

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Table 8. The outcomes of optimum conditions in CCD-RSM.

Number	S/W	C/W	pH	T	t	Predicted ABP (ml)	Experimental outcomes repetition 1- ABP (ml)	Experimental outcomes repetition 2- ABP (ml)	Experimental outcomes repetition 3- ABP (ml)
1	163.1	54	6.97	31.02	55	6261.1			
2	163.69	54	6.98	30.88	52	6260.3			
3	161.76	54	6.99	31	54	6260.2	6310.2	6282.6	6325.5
4	161.45	54	6.93	30.73	51	6259.8			
5	163.08	54	6.92	30.33	53	6258.4			

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3.2. Smart control systems

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In the followings, experimental outcomes modeled by ANN, RF and RT machine learning algorithms which is shown in Table 9. As per the mentioned soft computing systems, the most accuracy with 0.93 correlation coefficient is related to RT algorithm. Plus, ANN and RF algorithms are in the next places with 0.91 and 0.87 correlation coefficients, respectively. Also, plot matrix of input and output data is demonstrated in Fig. S.3. The computational RT algorithm and RT conceptual model are demonstrated in Equation S.1 and Fig. 10, respectively. With following this tree, ABP of each fabulous condition can be predicted as a soft sensor.

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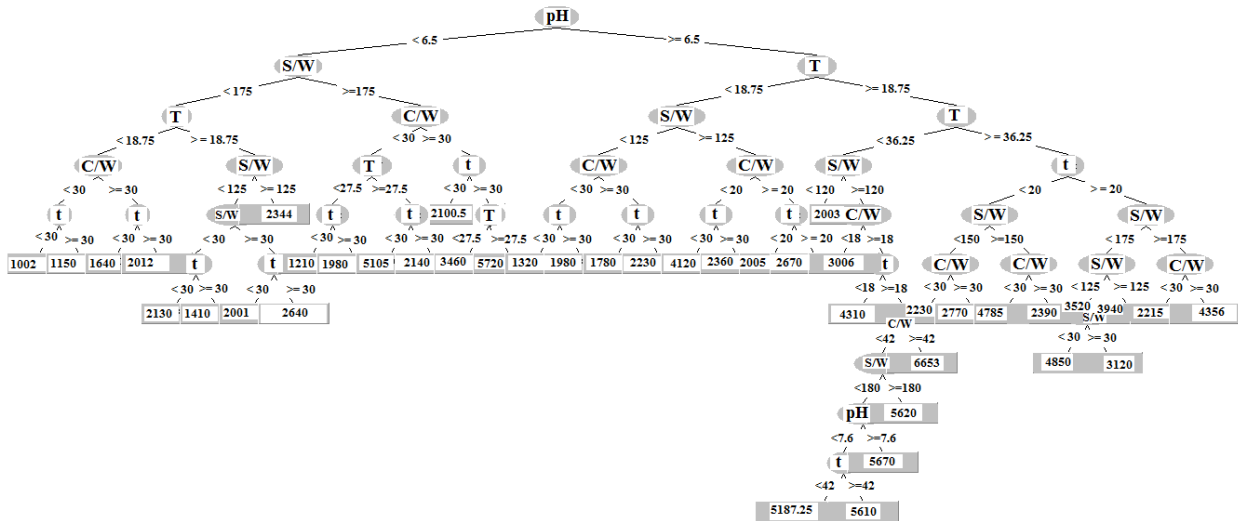
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Table 9. The statistical outcomes of ANN, RF and RT algorithms in present research.

Statistical parameters	ANN	RF	RT
Correlation coefficient	0.91	0.87	0.93

Mean absolute error	890.97	1070.74	755.6
Root mean squared error	952.41	1207.11	870.98
Relative absolute error	51.58%	58.21%	43.74%
Root relative squared error	49.94%	61.23%	45.67%
Total number of instances	5	10	5

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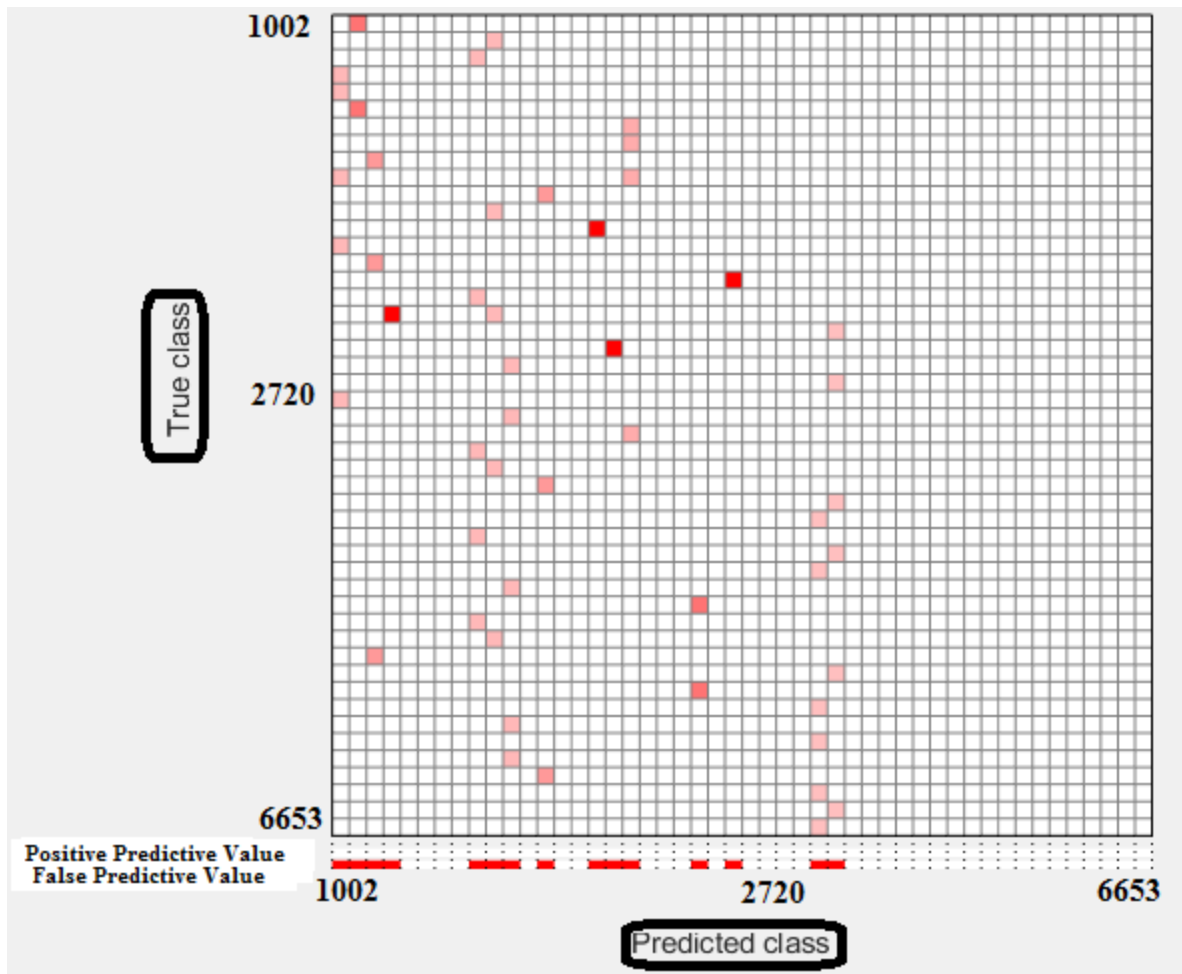


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Fig. 10. The RT conceptual model in present study.

299 The confusion matrix and parallel coordinates plot of RF algorithm are illustrated in Fig. 11 and
 300 S.4, correspondingly. According to Fig. 11, the population of positive predictive value is more
 301 than negative predictive value which demonstrates validity of RF computations in this research.
 302 Also, the parallel coordinates plot depicts the high level of correct predictions for ABP values as
 303 per effective parameters. With focusing on Fig. S.4, staccato lines (as an incorrect prediction)
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Fig. 11. The confusion matrix of RF algorithm in present study.

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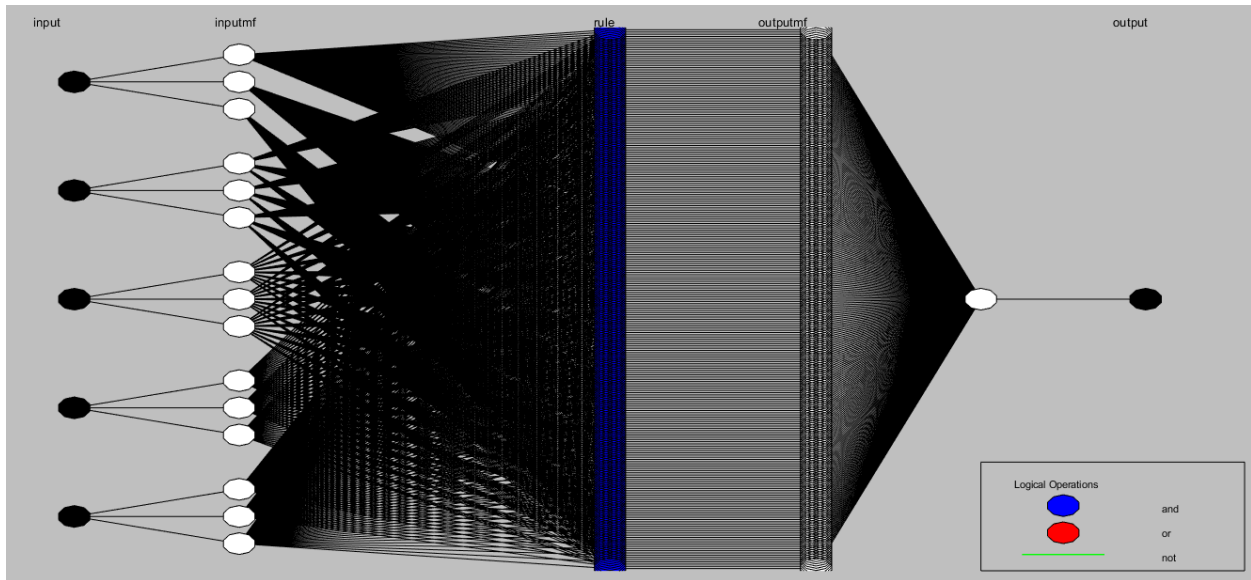
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Structural of ANFIS model for smart estimation of ABP as per S/W, C/W, pH, T and t with 3 membership functions is depicted in Fig. 12. Also, adaption of training data and FIS outputs is declared in Figs. S.5-6 and Table 10 which accent to high level of accuracy in ANFIS computations. Likewise, duo to evaluation of significant degree in each effective parameter for ABP the dual sensitive analysis of ANFIS calculation algorithm is demonstrated in Fig. 13. With regard to Fig.13, it is clear that S/W and T parameters have the most slope variations on the 3D plots and this indicates the high degree of importance of these factors in comparison of other parameters.



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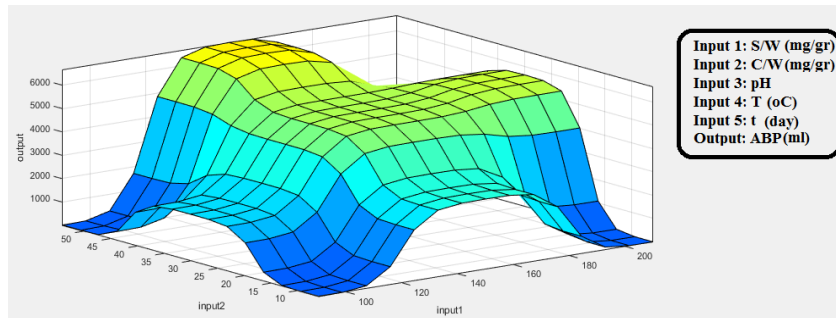
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Fig. 12. Structural ANFIS computational algorithm in present study.

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Table 10. The statistical outcomes of ANFIS algorithm in present research.

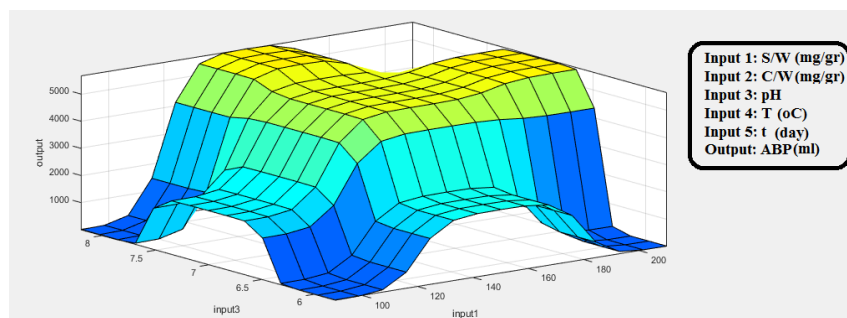
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Multiple R	0.981825
R Square	0.96398
Adjusted R Square	0.963229
Standard Error	310.1929
Observations	50



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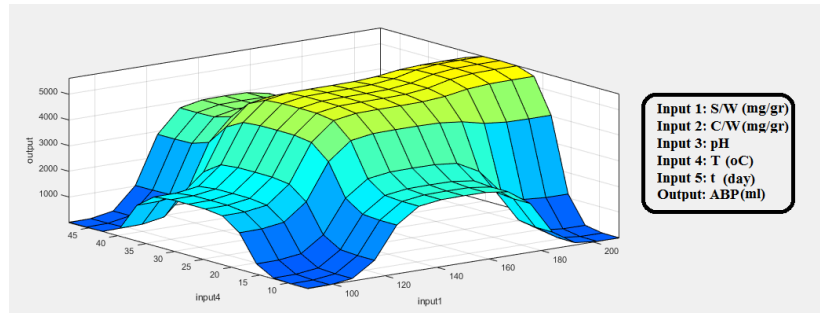
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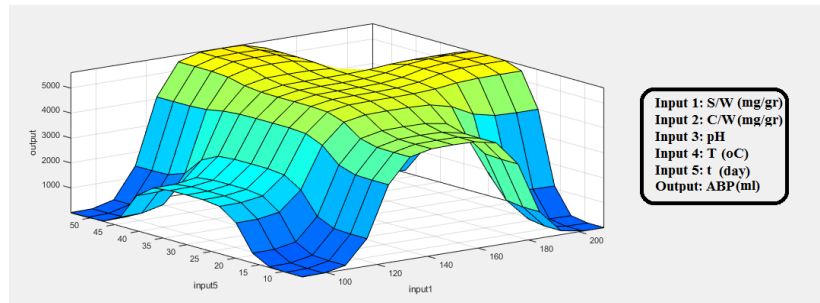
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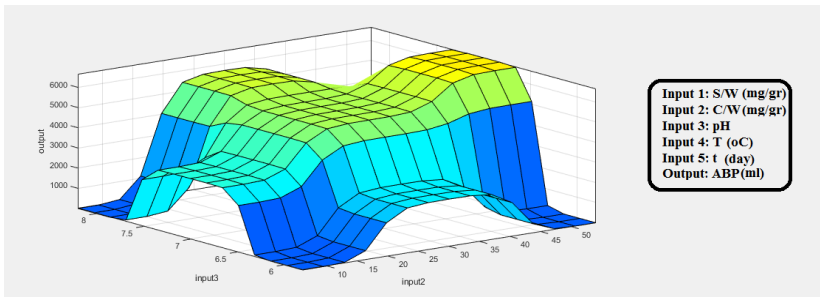
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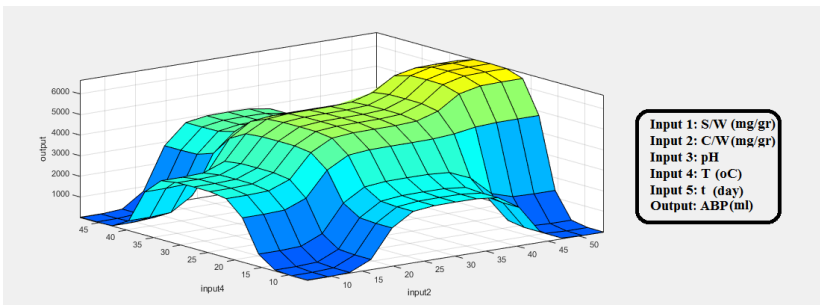
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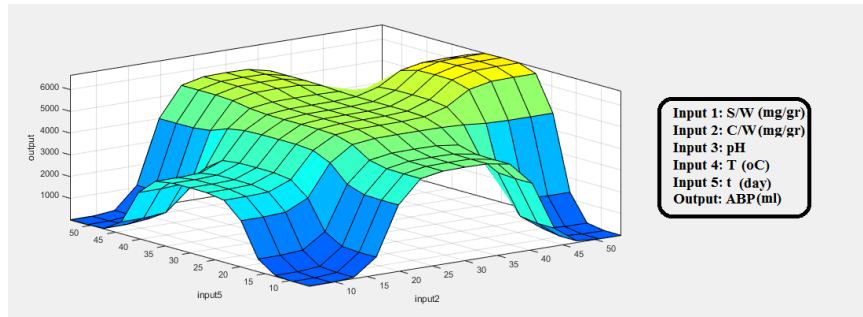
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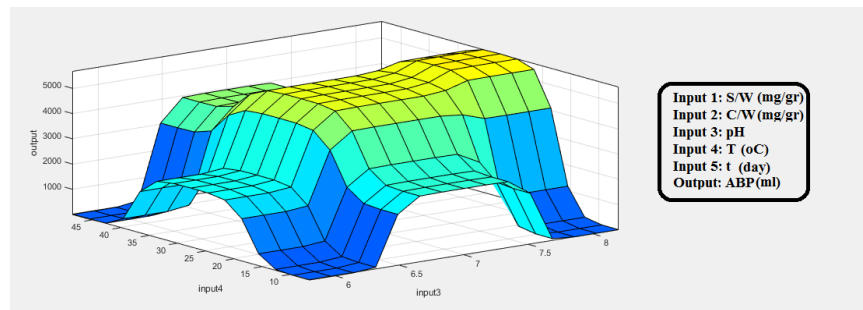
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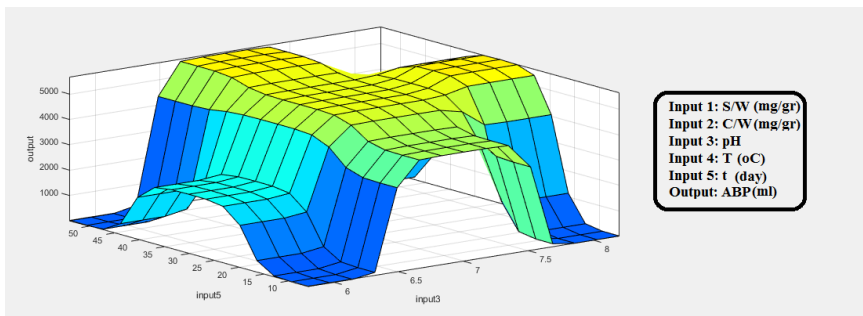
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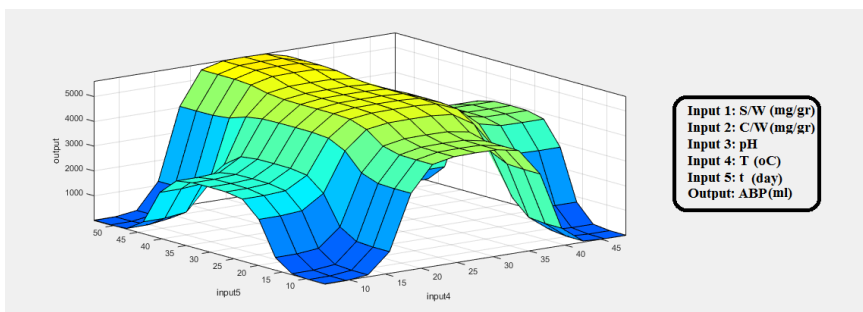
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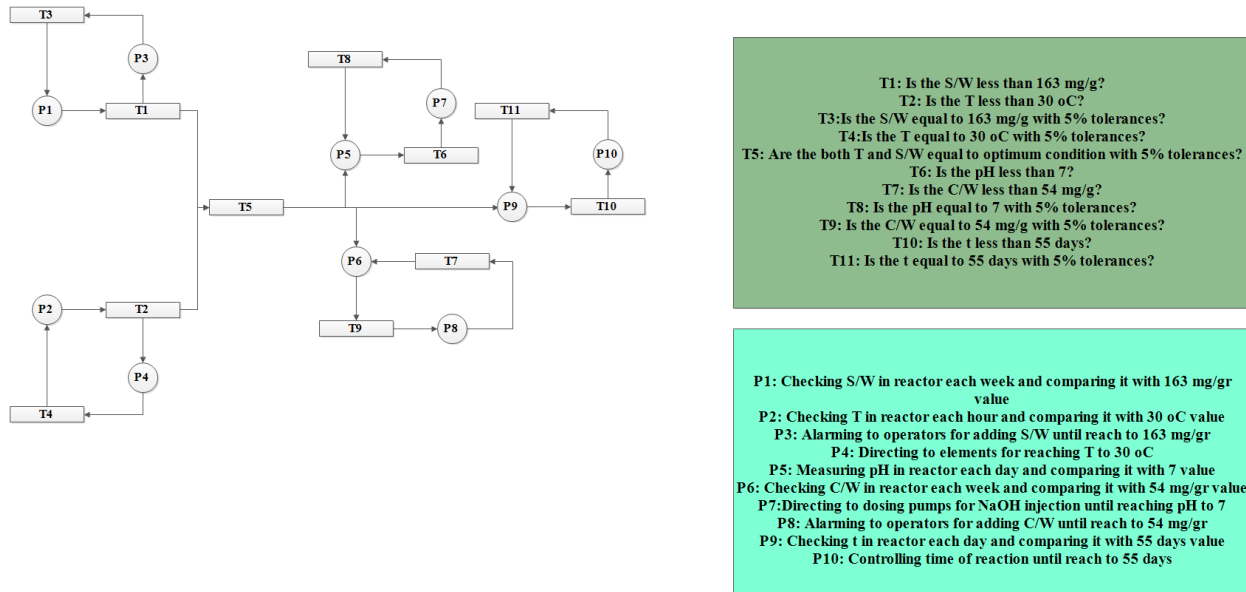
Fig. 13. The sensitive analysis of effective parameters in ANFIS model.

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For creating DSS for smart controlling of bio-energy supplying, Petri Net modelling with combination of CCD-RSM optimization are utilized. The invented smart model for bio-energy

342 management is depicted in Fig. 14. In the mentioned smart system, all effective parameters
 343 containing S/W, C/W, pH, T and t are set on optimum conditions and they check and modify
 344 sequentially until to adjust in appropriate value through a loop. Also, the mentioned concept first,
 345 evaluate S/W and T because of their significant effects on ABP in the parallel lines. Then, in the
 346 other series, pH (Souring control plan in the biogas system [48]) and S/W are controlled and
 347 adjusted. Finally, time of reaction as the least important factor is checked and justified. With
 348 application of Petri Net modelling according to Fig. 14, optimum conditions of biogas generation
 349 system can be controlled smartly.



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Fig. 14. The Petri Net modelling in present study.

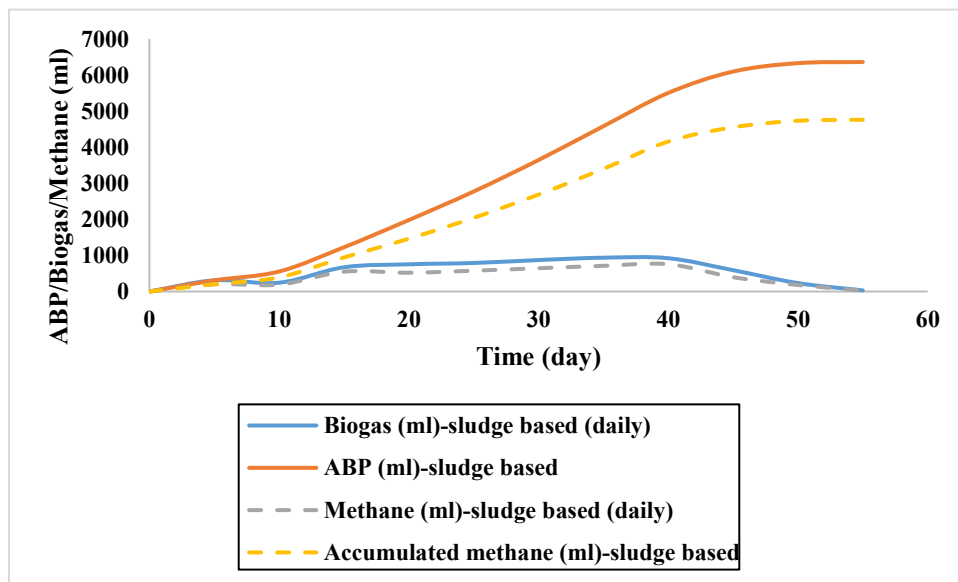
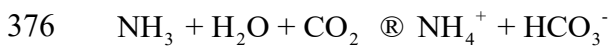
352 3.3.Green building approach

353 The results of present research have illustrated that with the role of sludge-based bacteria is more
 354 significant than *Clostridiales*. For scrutinizing the mentioned result, the experimental setup is
 355 appraised in a run without sludge and in the other one without *Clostridiales*. In each run, all
 356 effective parameters are set in optimum conditions, just, sludge and *Clostridiales* injecting are
 357 eliminated in determined tests. The output of daily and accumulated biogas/methane vs time
 358 variations is illustrated as per Fig. 15. According to Fig. 15, with application of sludge (without
 359 *Clostridiales*) biogas and methane production are around twice as much as biogas production with
 360 *Clostridiales* (without sludge) during 55-day retention time. One of the main achievements in this
 361 research was linked to presenting smart model for dynamic integrated management of sludge and
 362 *Clostridiales* bio-engines in the same time.

363 In the following, the recent investigations approved that 99% of biogas productions including
 364 methane and carbon dioxide [49-52]. Also, the nutrients (Nitrogen and phosphor) and active
 365 anaerobic microorganisms are provided by injected sludge from secondary clarifier tank in SBR.

366 Thus, in the alone *Clostridiales* bioreactor the efficiency of anaerobic digester is reduced because
 367 of less nutrient and active microorganisms' values [53]. Likewise, the variation of TOC, COD and
 368 total alkaline of food wastes in both bioreactors (with *Clostridiales* and sludge) are illustrated in
 369 Fig. 16. According to this Fig., the organic matter digestion rate of sludge-based system is more
 370 than *Clostridiales* based bioreactor which is related to biodegradation ability of sludge-based
 371 microorganisms [54]. The alkalinity increasing in both reactors can be related to protein and amino
 372 acid biodegradation in the sequential reactions (Equation 3) [55]. While, in sludge-based system,
 373 rate of biodegradation is more than alone *Clostridiales* system and therefore, the amounts of total
 374 alkaline is increased in the declared system.

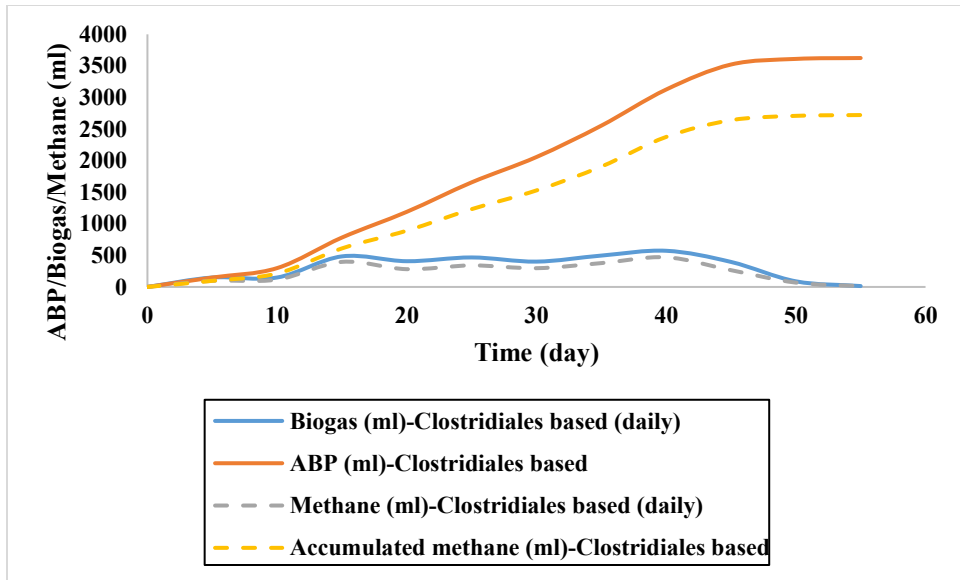
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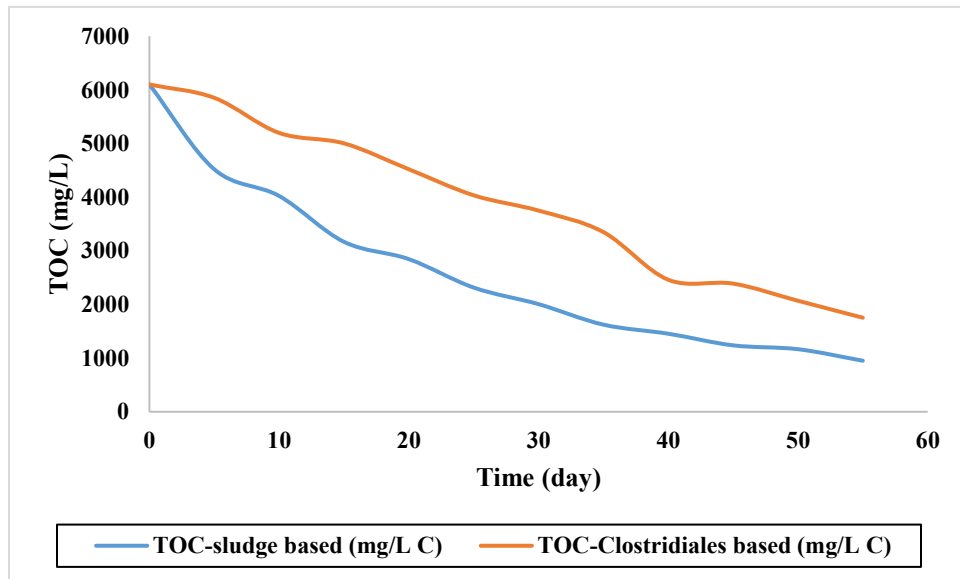
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Fig. 15. Daily and accumulated biogas/methane production in (a) sludge based system and

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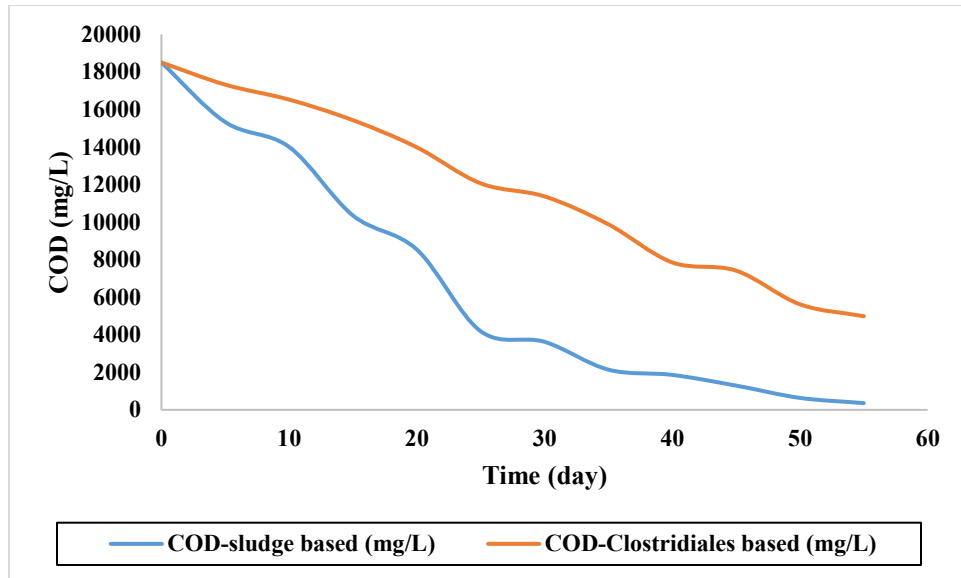
(b) Clostridiales based system.



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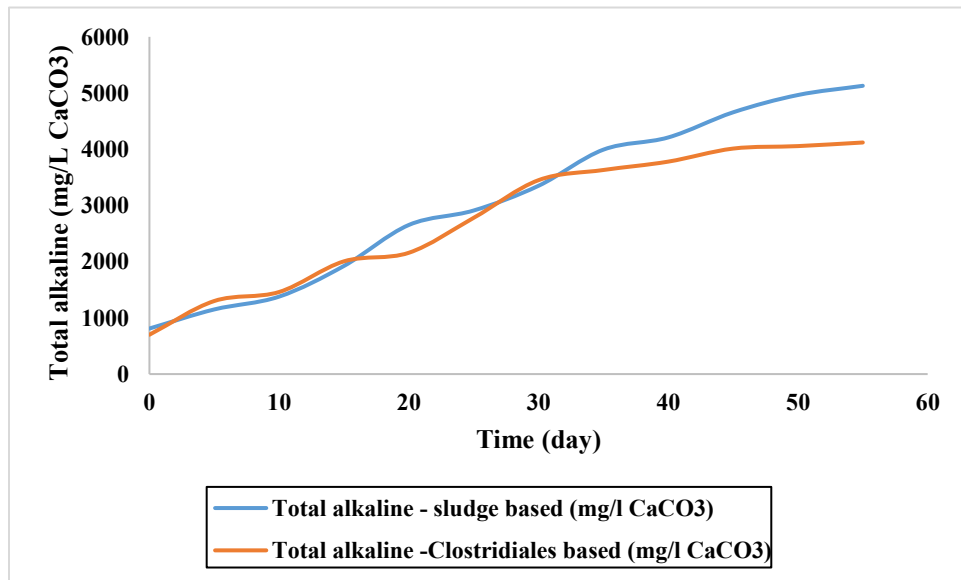
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Fig. 16. Efficiency of sludge and Clostridiales based systems for food waste biodegradation as per (a) TOC (b) COD and (c) total alkaline fluctuations.

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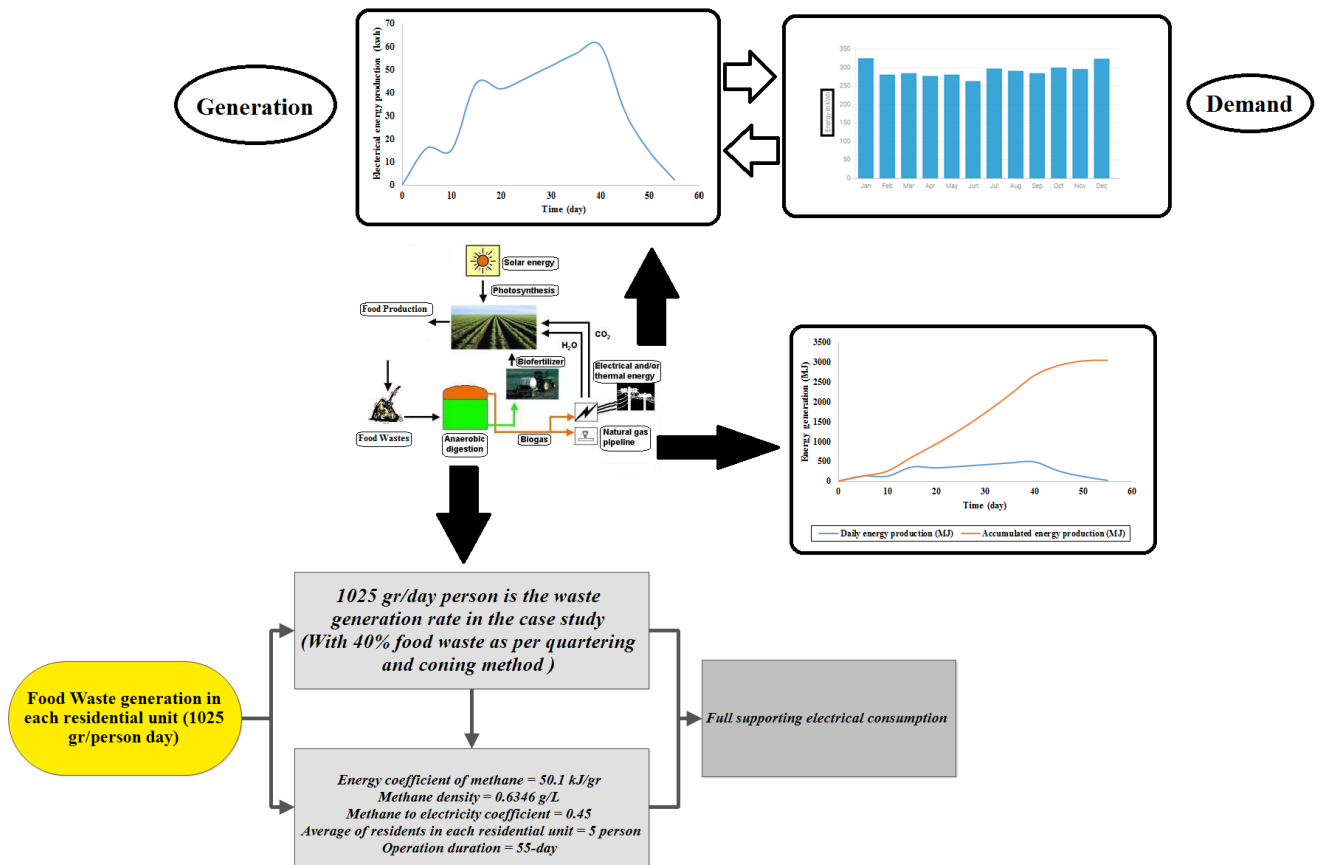
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As a result, it is clear that integration of SBR's sludge and Clostridiales can enhance the efficiency of bio-reactor in this study. Also, as can be seen in Table S.1, the integrated bioreactor has the acceptable efficiency in the low retention time and temperature which is affected by dual bio-engine activities in the same time [56]. In the last part of this research, pattern of energy production according to Circular Economy [57], Industry Ecology (IE) [58], Integrated Solid Waste Management (ISWM) [59] and Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) [60] is illustrated in Fig.

397 17. Whereas, the digested food waste is biogas generation procedure can be useful as a fertilizer
 398 [61,62]. As per Fig. 17, the electrical energy generation of biogas system in present research can
 399 supply all energy demand based on Fig. 4. Also, the produced energy can be utilized for heat
 400 demand with 3051 MJ in 55-day (One operating duration) as a bio-energy supplying in green
 401 buildings. Finally, the digested organic materials with 310 mg/L COD value is appropriate for
 402 green environmental supporting in residential complex in the case study. Also, with considering
 403 to Fig. 4, the energy demand of case study is ranged 250 – 350 kwh/month and based on the
 404 achievements of present study, the available biogas energy is around 175 kwh/month (By 40%
 405 efficiency [63]). Therefore, around 50% of energy demand in the case study can be provided by
 406 biogas production in the present study.



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 408 Fig. 17. The conceptual model of CE, ISWM and SDGs for implementation of green buildings in
 409 present investigation.

411 4. Conclusion

412 Food wastes have high level of variety in forming compositions containing proteins, fatty acids,
 413 carbohydrates, vitamins and other organic matters that they can product considerable
 414 biogas/methane through anaerobic digestion process. The declared technique is so beneficial for

415 waste management and bio-energy supplying in the same time as a novel approach in green
416 buildings. One of the main concerns about application of biological process in energy supplying
417 is related to complexity of operation. Therefore, combination of smart controlling soft systems
418 with biodegradation techniques can cover the weakness of bio-systems.

419 The main experimental, numerical and simulation practices in present research including:

- 420 - Preparing lab-scale setup for anaerobic digestion of food wastes with SBR's sludge and
421 *Clostridiales* microorganisms.
- 422 - Optimizing and sensitive analyzing effective parameters by CCD-RSM technique.
- 423 - Implementation of smart system with four soft computing techniques containing RT, RF,
424 ANN and ANFIS.
- 425 - Creating dynamic control system for adjusting effective parameters with Petri Net
426 modelling.
- 427 - Assessment of SBR's sludge and *Clostridiales* on food waste anaerobic digestion in
428 separated reactors.
- 429 - Presenting conceptual model as a CE platform for green buildings.

430 In the following, as per all experimental and computational efforts the main outcomes are listed
431 below.

- 432 • Optimum values of S/W, C/W, pH, T and t are computed equal to 163 mg/g, 54 mg/g, 7,
433 30 °C and 55 days, respectively based on CCD-RSM optimization.
- 434 • The most significant effective factors on ABP/Methane production are S/W and T with
435 less than 0.0001 P-value according to ANOVA calculations.
- 436 • The correlation coefficient of RT, RF, ANN and ANFIS computations are equal to 0.93,
437 0.87, 0.91 and 0.99 values. Therefore, ANFIS model has the best precision for ABP
438 forecasting in DSS.
- 439 • In the Petri Net model, controlling S/W and T is prioritized in comparison of other
440 parameters because of their P-value and F-value amounts.
- 441 • The efficiency of SBR's sludge is more than *Clostridiales* based bioreactor because of
442 nutrient availability and activity of microorganisms. In the same conditions, methane
443 production of sludge-based bioreactor 42% is more than other one.
- 444 • With performing bio-energy supplying 381 kwh (3051 MJ) can be obtained that is enough
445 for electrical energy demand or heat energy consumption.

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