

## Commercial Combined Anaerobic Digestion

## **Target Market Statement**

#### **Product Type**

This is an insurance product for customers in the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man only. The product provides specialist cover for customers operating within the Renewable Energy, Anaerobic Digestion industry who require protection for their assets and liabilities.

## Characteristics of the target market (who is the product designed for?)

This product is targeted at customers domiciled in the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man, with business in the following sectors:

- Manufacture, storage & supply of Biogas and Electricity via the process of Anaerobic Digestion.
- Manufacture, storage & supply of by-products resulting from Anaerobic Digestion such as digestate, farming fertiliser and animal feed.
- Collection, storage & processing of biodegradable waste for the use in Anaerobic Digestion.

Other trades may be considered where the customer is operating in the renewable field, but their main revenue source must be Anaerobic Digestion.

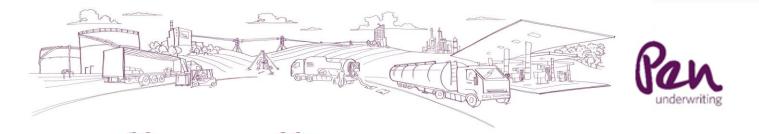
This product is suitable for vulnerable customers when distributed via an intermediary that can provide the additional support needed.

# Objectives, needs and interests of the target market (considering the key features and benefits of the product)

This is a purpose built commercial combined product specifically designed for the Renewable Energy, Anaerobic Digestion industry. This product provides customers with the following features and benefits where selected:

- Material Damage: Cover for damage to assets or property and clean-up costs in the event of an insured incident.
- **Business Interruption:** Cover for loss of profit or increased costs of working following an insured material damage claim at the customer's site, their supplier's site or the first substation owned by the Distribution Network Operator.
- **Engineering Breakdown:** Cover for the cost of repairing or replacing machinery and equipment that breaks down due to mechanical or electrical failure.
- **Employer's Liability**: Cover for legal liability to pay compensatory damages, including fees and expenses, for injuries to employees during their employment.

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- Public, Product & Pollution Liability: Cover for legal liability for death of or injury to third
  parties or loss of or damage to property including legal liability arising from goods &/or
  products sold or supplied. Cover is included for liability for incidents of sudden and
  unforeseen pollution.
- **Legal Expenses**: Cover for legal protection in specific areas including contract disputes, employment disputes, VAT investigations and tenancy disputes.
- **Terrorism:** Covers for loss or damage to property and business interruption resulting from acts of terrorism.

Specifically, customers will benefit from the following:

- Modular sections to meet their specific needs.
- Statutory environmental cover up to £2m.
- Inner limit for own land pollution clean-up costs with increased limits available on request.
- 24/7/365 emergency environmental response with a specified helpline.
- 24/7/365 crisis response to help the customer with media, public relations, rehabilitation services and legal advice.

## Who is this product not designed for?

This product is not suitable for customers:

- Who are domiciled outside of the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man.
- Who do not operate in the Renewable Energy, Anaerobic Digestion sector.
- Who require a single section of cover only.

#### How do we expect this product to be distributed?

This product should be sold with the active assistance and guidance of an insurance intermediary to select the appropriate level of cover. The product will only be distributed through brokers who have an agency agreement with Pen, and it will not be distributed directy by Pen to customers.

This product is suitable to be distributed via a variety of intermediated sales channels, such as face to face, telephone, email, or by postal application by an intermediary with whom Pen has an agency.

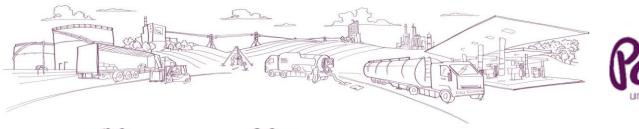
Consideration should be given to the vulnerability of customers by the intermediary who should provide any support they may need.

#### What are the distributor value considerations?

We expect all distributors in the chain to consider the following when selling Pen's products:

- The impact on product value of offering other products alongside this one, especially those with proportionally greater remuneration. For example, an ancillary product, elements of which may duplicate existing cover, or premium finance charged at an elevated rate of Annual Percentage Rate (APR).
- Additional commission, fees or charges added as part of distribution processes must be proportionate to the service provided, in line with those charged elsewhere, and not affect the overall value offered by the product.

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- Distributors must ensure there is no duplication of cover as a result of any add-on products sold where appropriate cover is already provided by the policy.
- Distributors should consider the demands and needs and Consumer Duty requirements when dealing with customers.

#### Scope

This document is intended to provide an indicative summary of the target market for this product and is not a summary of coverage. Please refer to separate policy documentation for full details of the coverage provided by the product.

## **Product Approval Process**

Pen has a product approval process in place to ensure that there is appropriate oversight of all products where Pen is either a co-manufacturer or a distributor. The process includes a risk assessment process where due consideration is given to the impact of the product on the target market and the value of the product.

A diagram of Pen's product approval process can be found on the Pen website here.

#### **Important Information**

This target market statement should be used by all (co-)manufacturers and distributors of this product. (Co-)manufacturers and distributors should not create their own variation of this document. Where any party using this document has concerns about the accuracy or completeness of the information included, this should be raised to Pen urgently for discussion.





## Product Fair Value Outcome – Methodology

Pen completes Fair Value Assessment work on products we co-manufacture. This is based on groupings of products which may be similar in features and are intended to be distributed to similar target markets.

This Product Fair Value Outcome Statement is not intended to replicate our Fair Value Assessments but sets out the approach taken and the outcome of the assessment.

#### Distributor Remuneration

Pen agrees commission rates with each distributor and as part of the fair value assessment process has requested details of any additional fees that may be added in the distribution chain. The fee details received have been analysed and if Pen considers these could impact the value of the product this would be raised directly with distributors.

All distributors should be able to:

- Confirm annually that the commissions and fees they charge are reasonable relative to the service(s) they provide and the total cost of the product to the customer; and
- Justify that commissions and fees they charge are fair and support the intended value of the product.

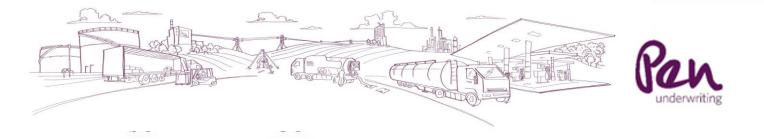
#### How Pen Assesses Value

Prior to distributing a new product, a full review is completed in line with Pen's product governance and oversight process to determine the product offers fair value to the customer.

These reviews consider the following areas:

Target market	<ul> <li>Target market reviewed to ensure the product meets the needs of the customer and will continue to do so for the life of the product</li> <li>Identify the impact on vulnerable customers where applicable</li> </ul>
Distribution strategy	<ul> <li>Appropriateness of the distribution channel, services offered and remuneration</li> <li>Remuneration does not negatively impact the overall value offered by the product</li> </ul>
Market assessment	Market scrutiny to ensure the product aligns with current market trends
Product design/lifecycle	<ul> <li>Pricing</li> <li>Regulatory requirements</li> <li>Fees and charges</li> <li>Product documentation</li> </ul>
Customer journey	Quality Assurance
Anticipated Claims	<ul><li>Expected Frequency and trends</li><li>Expected Loss ratio trends</li></ul>

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## Fair Value Summary

Pen has considered all relevant factors, including the total price paid by the customer, value MI, distribution and other considerations in this product design.

Pen is satisfied that the product will provide fair value to customers and is suitable to be distributed to the identified target market.

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