

## **Supplementary material for:**

### Fate of heavy metals in industrially relevant pyrolysis of diverse contaminated organic wastes: phase partitioning and pH-dependent leaching

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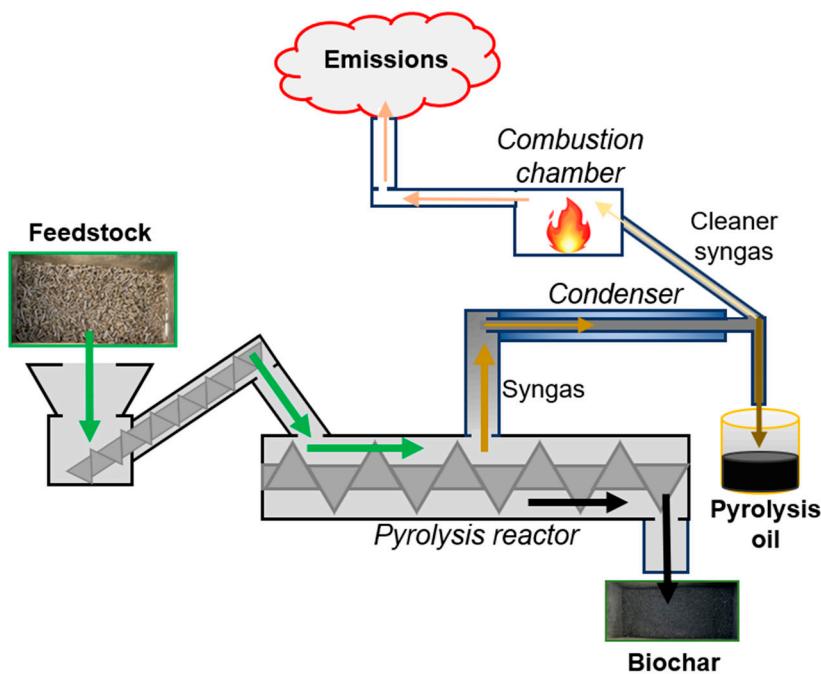
## **Section SA: Development of pH-dependent leaching test**

Biochars have complex buffering capacities, in which inorganic phases (ash) are thought to quickly neutralize excess H<sup>+</sup> while oxygenated functional groups act more slowly (Berek & Hue, 2016). Furthermore, feedstock type and pyrolysis conditions affect biochar composition in terms of ash content and surface functional groups (Martinsen et al., 2015). Initial testing showed that the biochars' response to acid added would vary greatly; upon adding 0.0004 mol of H<sup>+</sup> pH would change by 1-3 units during the course of 24hrs. Thus, keeping the pH stable at a specific level for the duration of a leaching test was not trivial. Method development was required to determine the best time scale to perform the leaching test on.

Titration curves for different time intervals were constructed for each of the CWC (4x), WT (4x), DSS-1 (4x) and DSS-2 (4x) biochars (total 16 samples) by adding different doses of HCl (1 M; 0.4, 0.6, 0.8, 1.0, 1.2, 1.4, 1.6, 1.8, 2.0, 2.2, 2.5, 2.5, 2.6, 2.8, 3.0, 3.5, 4.0, 4.5, 5.0, 5.5, and 6.0 mL) to 20 parallel vials (25 mL) with biochar and H<sub>2</sub>O (DI, 18MΩ) at a 1:5 ratio. pH was subsequently measured at seven separate time intervals (4, 8, 24, 48, 72, 144 and 192 hrs). The resulting titration curves for each biochar were plotted at the different time intervals. See Figure S.2 for selected examples. From the titration curves it was established that negligible changes in pH were observed at time intervals  $\geq$  72 hrs.

The titration curves for the 72 hr time series for each of the 16 individual samples were hence used to estimate the number of moles of H<sup>+</sup> needed to lower biochar pH to 4, 5.5 and 7 respectively.

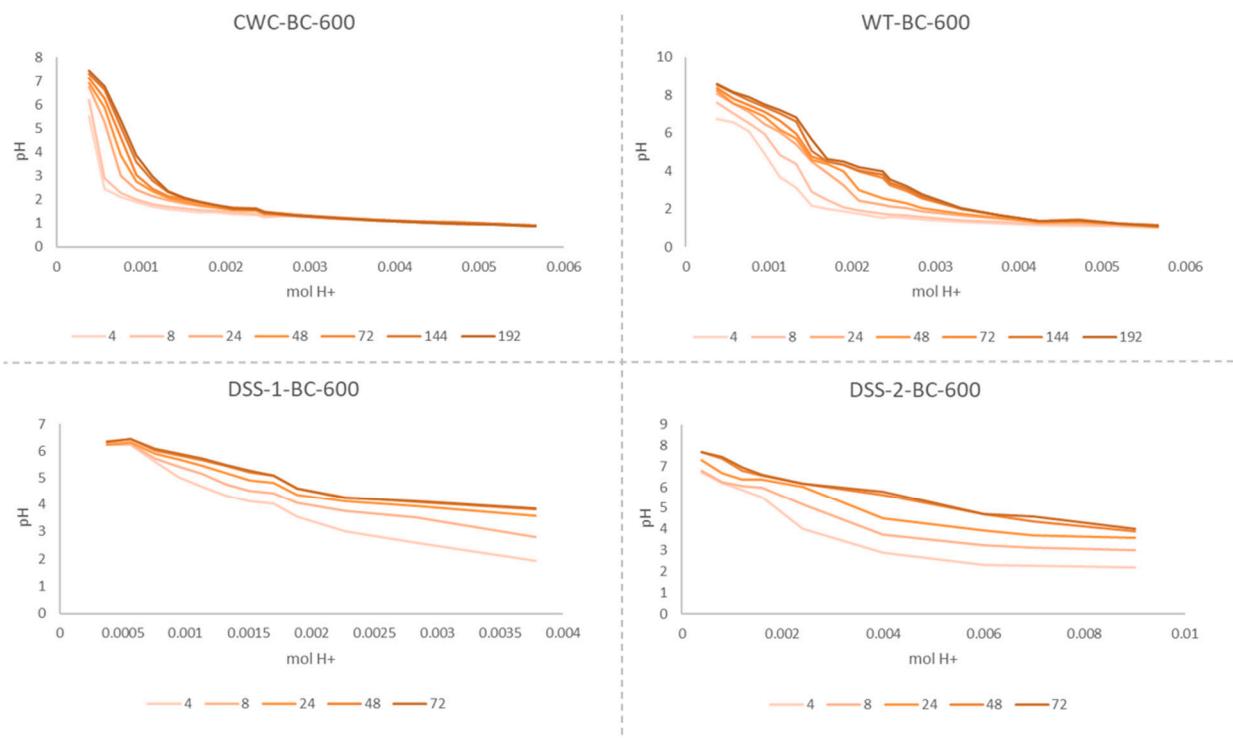
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3    *Figure S.1. Schematic of the Biogreen pyrolysis system (adapted from Sørmo et al,(2023)).*

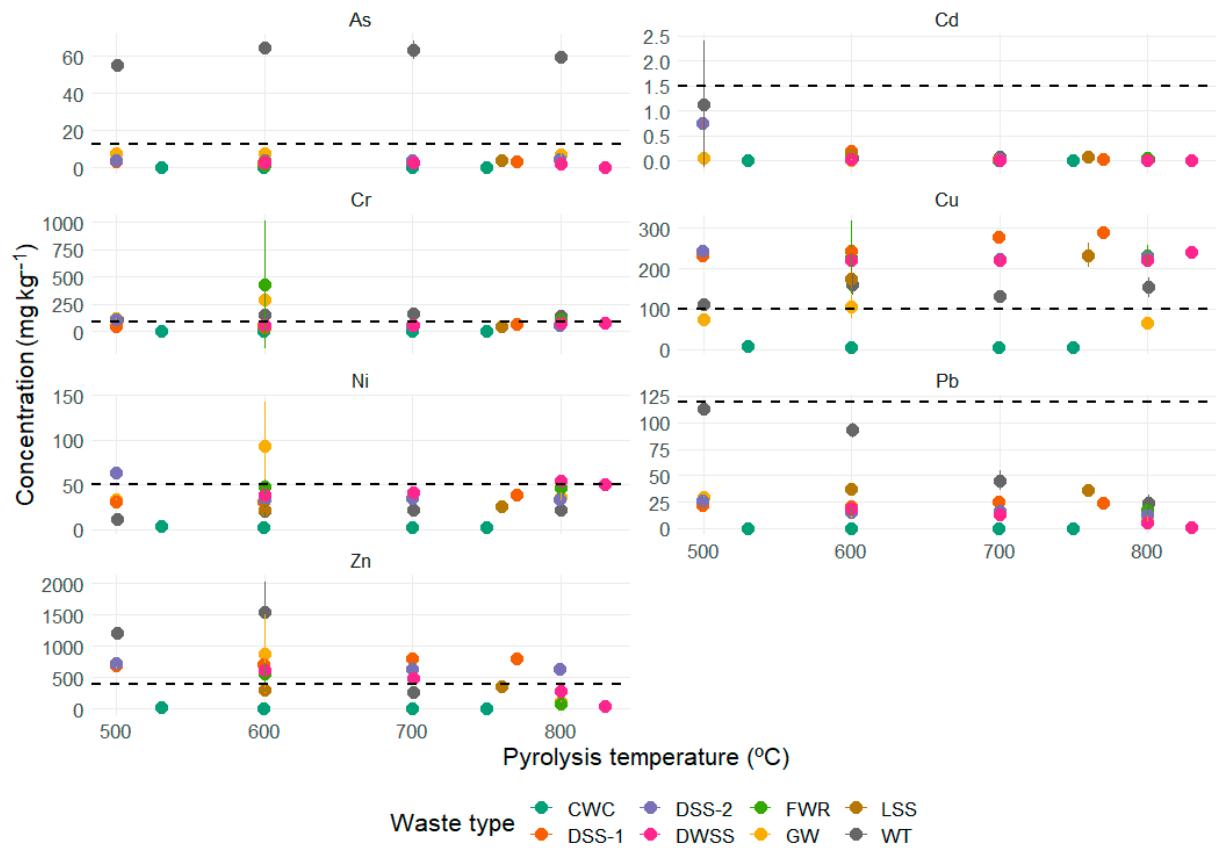
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6    *Figure S.2. Titration curves for CWC, WT, DSS-1, DSS-2 biochars produced at 600 C, repeated for 7 different time intervals (4, 8, 24, 48, 72, 144, 192 hrs).*

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11 *Figure S.3. Concentrations of As, Cd, Cr, Cu, Ni, Pb and Zn (mg kg<sup>-1</sup>) in biochars produced from*  
12 *waste feedstocks at pyrolysis temperatures between 500 and 800 °C (n=3). CWC = clean wood chips,*  
13 *WT = waste timber, GW = garden waste, FWR = food waste reject, DSS-1 and DSS-2 = digested*  
14 *sewage sludge, LSS = limed sewage sludge, and DWSS = de-watered sewage sludge. Dashed lines*  
15 *indicate threshold levels based on the EBC-agro quality criteria*

*Table S.1: Concentrations of trace elements ( $n=3$ ,  $\text{mg kg}^{-1}$ ) in feedstocks (0) and biochars produced at different pyrolysis temperatures (500-800 °C). Data for both  $\text{HNO}_3$ , and  $\text{HNO}_3+\text{HF}$  digestions.*

Feedstock	Pyr. Temp (°C)	As		Ba		Cd		Co		Cr		Cu		Mo		Ni		Pb		Sr		V		Zn	
		$\text{HNO}_3$	$\text{HNO}_3+\text{HF}$																						
CWC	0	0.033±0.003	N/A	41±2	N/A	0.059±0.002	N/A	0.055±0.002	N/A	0.08±0.03	N/A	0.88±0.01	N/A	0.008	N/A	0.18±0.02	N/A	0.13±0.02	N/A	7.1±0.1	N/A	0.029±0.003	N/A	23±2	N/A
	530	0.02±0.01	N/A	187±12	N/A	0.0006±0.0003	N/A	0.30±0.06	N/A	5±3	N/A	7±4	N/A	0.13	N/A	4±2	N/A	0.15±0.09	N/A	33±2	N/A	0.11±0.02	N/A	26±4	N/A
	600	0.014±0.005	N/A	233±21	N/A	0.0007	N/A	0.33±0.03	N/A	3±3	N/A	4.9±0.4	N/A	0.08	N/A	3±1	N/A	0.06±0.01	N/A	37±3	N/A	0.100±0.009	N/A	12.7±0.6	N/A
	700	0.011±0.003	N/A	217±6	N/A	0.0004	N/A	0.30±0.03	N/A	2±1	N/A	5.2±0.6	N/A	0.06	N/A	1.8±0.6	N/A	0.08±0.02	N/A	36±2	N/A	0.10±0.02	N/A	3.2±0.6	N/A
	750	0.015±0.004	N/A	237±6	N/A	0.0011±0.0001	N/A	0.323±0.006	N/A	1.6±0.9	N/A	5.1±0.2	N/A	0.06	N/A	1.9±0.3	N/A	0.3±0.4	N/A	40±2	N/A	0.11±0.01	N/A	2.8±0.1	N/A
WT	0	18±1	16.7±0.6	124±1	120±6	0.61±0.04	0.609±0.006	2.9±0.2	2.9±0.1	37±3	34±2	32±2	35±1	0.62±0.03	1.01±0.06	6.2±0.4	6±1	37±1	33±2	32.3±0.6	36±1	2.0±0.1	2.3±0.1	491±15	546±67
	500	55±2	55±3	373±6	383±12	1±1	0.41±0.04	7.5±0.2	7.6±0.2	107±6	113±6	110±1	156±45	0.64±0.02	1.97±0.06	11.0±0.1	26±22	113±6	110.0±0.1	98±2	109.8±0.1	6.3±0.2	7.1±0.1	1200±1	1299±100
	600	64±4	61±5	477±25	539±35	0.048±0.007	0.058±0.005	9.7±0.4	11±3	153±25	133±15	160±26	176±40	0.70±0.04	2.0±0.5	20±7	19±3	93±8	102±6	127±6	139.8±0.1	7.1±0.4	10±1	1533±493	1332±58
	700	63±5	65±2	537±12	626±21	0.069±0.006	0.069±0.003	11.0±0.1	11.6±0.6	163±12	163±12	130±10	146±12	0.79±0.03	2.0±0.1	22±6	22±4	45±9	50±8	150.0±0.1	159.8±0.1	9.1±0.9	9.3±0.4	263±23	312±49
	800	59±2	60±6	583±15	679±1	0.023±0.002	0.030±0.005	11.3±0.6	13.0±0.1	137±15	143±15	153±25	140±10	0.447±0.006	2.0±0.1	21±5	21±3	24±7	22±5	150.0±0.1	180±10	8.7±0.5	11±2	108±62	83±4
GW	0	2.3±0.4	2.2±0.2	34±3	57±6	0.268±0.006	0.28±0.02	1.68±0.06	1.76±0.06	40±4	29±2	16±2	19±1	2.7±0.3	2.6±0.2	15±2	13±1	6±2	5.1±0.1	29.5±0.6	41±1	5.7±0.2	6.4±0.3	121±1	124±6
	500	7.9±0.3	8.7±0.5	120±1	190±10	0.049±0.006	0.056±0.003	6.1±0.1	6.6±0.3	113±6	92±16	75±2	105±24	5.5±0.2	6.3±0.3	33±1	38±5	30±1	32±2	99±1	133±6	30±1	35±1	690±53	2547±2901
	600	7.9±0.2	7.4±0.1	133±6	210±10	0.013±0.004	0.019±0.005	7±1	6.3±0.1	290±85	173±6	105±28	119±69	20±10	10.6±0.6	93±50	47±2	15±5	15±2	110.0±0.1	143±6	29.3±0.6	33.6±0.6	877±627	1817±1983
	800	7±1	8±2	133±6	197±6	0.0105±0.0005	0.03±0.04	5.3±0.2	5.5±0.2	104±11	80±4	64±7	443±655	6.2±0.7	6.3±0.6	36±5	41±8	9±2	32±30	120.0±0.1	140.0±0.1	20.3±0.6	27.6±0.6	109±18	387±450
FWR	0	1.03±0.07	1.7±0.5	131±10	128±12	0.18±0.04	0.19±0.05	6.0±0.4	7.8±0.8	91±7	99±50	384±348	254±40	5.7±0.3	6.1±0.3	39±1	58±31	9.0±0.8	10±2	145±15	92±3	5.1±0.2	7.3±0.8	434±122	468±50
	600	1.7±0.1	3.5±0.1	263±110	133±6	0.033±0.004	0.1±0.2	16±2	16±3	427±583	54±4	227±91	349±70	6.4±0.4	7.4±0.6	47±9	47±4	16±4	30±4	243±101	190±20	13±2	17±1	557±180	937±10
	800	1.9±0.2	3.7±0.3	267±15	140±10	0.049±0.004	0.03±0.04	17±6	16±2	109±19	86±56	233±25	549±349	7.1±0.3	8.2±0.9	46±3	80±41	17±4	17.6±0.6	267±21	187±15	15±1	18±2	75±4	141±15
DSS-1	0	6.0±0.2	7.5±0.3	124±6	114±6	0.59±0.02	0.61±0.04	6.2±0.2	6.7±0.2	34±2	23±1	150±1	169±1	17±1	20.3±0.6	20.7±0.6	20.2±0.6	14.0±0.1	15.3±0.6	82±2	84.5±0.6	36±1	44±1	451±10	485±15
	500	3.2±0.2	4.6±0.1	150±1	136±6	0.74±0.08	0.64±0.01	8.1±0.4	8.6±0.2	48±4	35±2	233±	222±6	16.7±0.6	17.6±0.6	30.3±0.6	31±3	22±2	21.2±0.6	103±6	95±4	46±2	49.6±0.6	690±10	716±15
	600	2.9±0.2	4.6±0.1	157±6	126±6	0.197±0.006	0.3±0.1	8.6±0.1	8.9±0.3	50±5	39±5	243±6	229±1	16.3±0.6	18.6±0.6	31±2	34±2	21.0±0.1	21.2±0.6	110.0±0.1	94±5	47±1	50.9±0.1	707±21	743±12
	700	3.1±0.2	5.1±0.1	177±6	143±6	0.029±0.003	0.040±0.008	9.97±0.06	9.8±0.2	53±2	38±5	277±6	259±1	19.0±0.1	21.0±0.1	34.7±0.6	35±2	25±4	25±1	120.0±0.1	106±6	54±1	57.3±0.6	797±6	833±23
	770	3.5±0.3	5.0±0.2	180±1	170±1	0.026±0.002	0.027±0.008	11.0±0.1	10.0±0.1	62±1	41±2	290±1	266±6	19.7±0.6	21.0±0.1	39.3±0.6	38±2	24±1	26±1	130.0±0.1	113±6	56±1	58.6±0.6	797±15	829±30
DSS-2	0	2.23±0.06	2.17±0.06	101.9±0.6	58±3	0.51±0.01	0.51±0.02	3.9±0.1	4.1±0.1	25±2	17.4±0.6	115±1	124±1	6.4±0.1	6.4±0.1	17±1	15.0±0.1	8.0±0.1	8.1±0.1	52±1	24±3	18.8±0.1	19.8±0.1	302±1	331±1
	500	3.8±0.1	3.7±0.2	197±6	110±1	0.74±0.02	0.78±0.07	7.2±0.2	7.4±0.2	110.0±1	75±8	243±15	229±10	12.0±0.1	12.3±0.6	64±2	62±3	28±2	97±3	53±3	35±1	33.9±0.1	723±51	879±137	

	600	4.13±0.06	4.0±0.1	210±1	120±17	0.087±0.005	0.09±0.02	7.4±0.1	7.4±0.2	52.3±0.6	39±5	220±1	206±6	11.7±0.6	12.6±0.6	34.1±0.1	37±3	15.7±0.6	16.2±0.6	103±6	60±11	39.3±0.6	38.6±0.6	620±10	656±23
	700	4.17±0.06	4.1±0.2	217±6	133±23	0.024±0.003	0.02±0.01	7.7±0.3	7.4±0.2	51±1	37±4	223±6	202±6	11.7±0.6	13.3±0.6	34.3±0.6	38±2	16.0±0.1	15.6±0.6	110.0±0.1	66±8	39±1	39±1	630±10	653±6
	800	4.37±0.06	4.0±0.2	220±1	130±1	0.009±0.002	0.01±0.01	7.4±0.2	7.9±0.2	51±2	35±1	230±1	222±6	12.3±0.6	14.0±0.1	34±2	38±2	13.0±0.1	12.9±0.1	110.0±0.1	66±2	40±1	41.3±0.6	640±10	666±15
LSS	0	2.2±0.1	2.27±0.06	125±1	71±6	0.59±0.01	0.59±0.02	2.7±0.1	2.9±0.1	23.6±0.6	6.4±0.8	212±6	238±1	4.6±0.2	5.0±0.1	16.0±0.1	14.4±0.6	26.1±0.1	26±1	177.0±0.1	64±10	17.4±0.6	19.4±0.6	333±1	358±6
	600	3.2±0.2	3.2±0.2	123±12	177±21	0.11±0.01	0.10±0.02	3.9±0.2	4.2±0.1	38±6	16±3	173±21	299±10	7.1±0.5	7.3±0.3	22±3	23±2	37±2	38±1	163±21	160±26	27±2	29.3±0.6	303±29	534±12
	760	3.87±0.06	3.68±0.06	170±20	190±1	0.06±0.05	0.006±0.008	4.5±0.1	4.9±0.1	38.3±0.6	7.1±0.1	233±31	365±6	8.2±0.1	8.2±0.1	25.7±0.6	24.8±0.6	36.0±0.1	36.6±0.6	220±26	120.0±0.1	33.0±0.1	34.0±0.1	363±47	571±12
DWSS	0	1.67±0.06	1.7±0.1	133±1	74±3	0.53±0.01	0.55±0.01	3.23±0.06	3.28±0.06	31±3	20.4±0.1	101.7±0.6	111±1	3.9±0.2	3.9±0.2	20±1	16.5±0.6	8.9±0.1	9.5±0.1	39.4±0.6	19.7±0.6	15.3±0.1	15.6±0.6	279±6	293±10
	600	2.7	2.7	300	220	0.032	0.034	6.8	7.1	58	58	220	230	6.7	7.2	39	41	18	19	89	61	35	34	610	640
	700	3	3	310	140	0.008	0.012	7.1	7.3	56	53	220	240	7.1	7.8	41	42	13	14	87	32	34	36	480	500
	800	2	2	300	280	0.010	0.012	7.7	8.1	75	73	220	240	10	8.4	54	49	4.9	6.6	92	78	35	37	290	330
	830	0.46	0.46	310	420	0.003	0.003	8.2	8	76	71	240	260	8.2	8.3	51	49	0.8	1.8	97	120	38	38	36	43
	LOD	0.001	0.04	0.2	1	0.005	0.001	0.003	0.010	0.08	0.3	0.2	1.0	0.004	0.075673	0.02	0.2	0.07	0.05	0.07	0.4	0.002	0.01	4	0.5
	LOQ	0.004	0.1	0.6	5	0.02	0.004	0.01	0.03	0.3	1	0.5	3	0.01	0.3	0.07	0.8	0.2	0.2	1	0.006	0.04	13	2	

Table S.2: Characterization data including pH, conductivity, ash, C, H, N and main elements for the feedstocks investigated and the resulting biochars.

Feedstock	Pyr. temp.	pH	Biochar Yield	Conductivity	Ash	C	H	N	Al	Ca	Fe	K	Mg	Na	P	S	Si
	°C	(-)	(%)	μS cm⁻¹	%	%	%	%	g kg⁻¹	g kg⁻¹	g kg⁻¹	g kg⁻¹	g kg⁻¹	g kg⁻¹	g kg⁻¹	g kg⁻¹	g kg⁻¹
DSS-1	0	-	-	-	-	20.46±0.03	3.63±0.03	2.45±0	0.035±0.001	16.0±0	130±0	2.77±0.06	3.13±0.06	1.3±0	3±1	4.6±0.4	31±1
	500	8.1±0.3	62.2	2.2±0.1	70.7	13.2±0.1	1.8±0.1	1.39±0.02	0.055±0.002	22.3±0.6	167±6	3.33±0.06	4.2±0.1	1.37±0.06	12±2	8.1±0.9	29±5
	600	8.1±0.2	58.4	2.5±0.1	75.2	13.1±0	1.58±0.05	1.13±0.01	0.057±0.001	23.0±0	167±6	3.50±0	4.13±0.06	1.50±0	10±1	6.4±0.7	38±2
	700	10.4±0.4	62.0	838±16	93.4	13.5±0.2	1.0±0.2	0.82±0.02	0.063±0.001	26.0±0	180±0	3.73±0.06	4.7±0.2	1.83±0.06	8.0±0.5	7.2±0.7	39±3
	760	10.0±0.3	69.6	445±11	90.4	13.1±0.2	0.93±0.03	0.71±0.01	0.063±0.001	27.0±0	180±0	3.77±0.06	4.7±0.1	1.93±0.06	7.4±0.6	8±1	35±3
DSS-2	0	-	-	-	-	31.6±0.3	5.22±0.07	3.35±0.04	0.05±0.02	11.5±0	36±2	2.27±0.06	2.0±0	0.52±0.01	20.7±0.6	6.9±0.2	19±1
	500	8.1±0.2	53.4	1293±51	65.6	30±1	2.35±0.05	2.53±0.02	0.12±0	21.7±0.6	66±3	4.5±0.2	3.77±0.06	0.98±0.02	38±1	7.4±0.3	44±5
	600	9.1±0.2	43.0	760±7	70.6	28.0±0.2	1.67±0.08	1.62±0.07	0.137±0.006	23.3±0.6	74.3±0.6	5.0±0.2	4.17±0.06	1.1±0	42.7±0.6	7.86±0.06	41±8
	700	8.7±0.3	46.0	647±100	73.4	28.1±0.5	1.39±0.08	1.26±0.03	0.14±0	24.0±0	76±2	5.0±0.1	4.3±0.1	1.2±0	44±1	8.36±0.06	48±3
	800	8.73±0.04	40.1	375±12	76.9	27.7±0.1	1.3±0.3	0.89±0.06	0.15±0	25.0±0	81.3±0.6	5.1±0.2	4.7±0.1	1.6±0	47±2	8.2±0.2	51±1
LSS	0	-	-	-	-	22.60±0.03	3.53±0.06	2.16±0.01	0.026±0.001	153±6	25±2	2.3±0.1	3.87±0.06	0.673±0.006	17.7±0.6	5.5±0.1	20±1
	600	10.7±0.1	56.8	1203±58	75.6	15.7±0.1	1.07±0.04	0.93±0.03	0.038±0.002	143±12	26±3	1.7±0.2	3.7±0.3	0.64±0.09	18±2	4.6±0.6	34±2
	770	11.98±0.04	53.9	7.3±0.3	88.2	10.5±0.1	1.3±0.1	0.50±0.03	0.07±0.02	190±26	34±4	2.4±0.4	5.1±0.8	1.1±0.2	24±3	6.3±0.8	38±3
DWSS	0	-	-	-	-	33.72±0.04	5.21±0.04	2.96±0.01	0.052±0.001	9.3±0.1	13.8±0.5	3.0±0.2	2.4±0.1	0.84±0.03	18.8±0.5	5.7±0.3	22±13
	600	9.7±0.3	40.0	502±17	65.4	31.7±0.1	1.35±0	1.56±0.03	-	20.0±0	20	7.1	5.1	1.9	45	3.6	79
	700	9.1±0.1	38.7	341±30	69.8	29.6±0.5	1.24±0.05	1.13±0.04	-	21.0±0	23	6.8	5.3	2.4	45	2.9	86
	800	8.9±0.1	33.0	323±5	69.9	31.0±0.2	1.3±0.2	0.80±0.02	-	22.0±0	35	6	5.4	2.7	46	3.2	85
	830	8.9±0.1	28.2	488±15	69.1	31.2±0.1	0.94±0.07	0.64±0.02	-	23.0±0	24	5.9	6.0	3.3	28	3.1	69
FWR	0	-	-	-	-	45.9±0.4	6.45±0.07	2.01±0.03	0.010±0.002	55±4	12±1	4.77±0.06	2.07±0.06	3.3±0.1	18±2	2.47±0.06	24.5±0.6
	600	12.0±0.3	35.4	7±2	70.1	31±1	1.4±0.2	1.05±0.04	0.019±0.003	100±43	7±2	8±4	4±1	7±3	25±12	1.9±0.8	42±4
	800	12.1±0.2	34.6	9±2	69.3	32±2	1.09±0.04	0.67±0.02	0.040±0.003	107±6	20±2	7.9±0.5	4.2±0.4	7.3±0.4	31±3	2.3±0.2	44±2
WT	0	-	-	-	-	48.1±0.1	6.28±0.02	1.11±0.01	0.0008±0.0001	3.2±0.1	1.1±0	0.80±0.02	0.62±0.04	0.42±0.01	0.11	0.66±0.02	5.5±0.6
	500	9.0±0.2	30.1	1237±85	22.0	85.0±0.6	1.06±0.06	1.37±0.03	0.0028±0.0001	9.4±0.4	3.6±0.2	2.67±0.06	1.87±0.06	1.13±0.06	0.43±0.01	1.57±0.06	14±2
	600	9.4±0.4	26.9	881±196	11.3	79.6±0.1	2.8±0.2	1.81±0.04	0.0033±0.0001	11.3±0.6	4.3±0.2	3.13±0.06	2.2±0.2	1.2±0.1	0.53±0.03	1.93±0.06	19±3

	700	$11.39 \pm 0.05$	21.0	964 $\pm$ 26	15.5	85.4 $\pm$ 0.5	1.61 $\pm$ 0.04	1.53 $\pm$ 0.07	0.0039 $\pm$ 0.0002	12.3 $\pm$ 0.06	5.1 $\pm$ 0.3	3.43 $\pm$ 0.06	2.7 $\pm$ 0.1	1.4 $\pm$ 0.2	0.61 $\pm$ 0.04	2.27 $\pm$ 0.06	21 $\pm$ 3
	800	$11.8 \pm 0.1$	18.4	3.4 $\pm$ 0.2	15.5	85 $\pm$ 2	1.5 $\pm$ 0.2	1.41 $\pm$ 0.04	0.0041 $\pm$ 0.0003	13.3 $\pm$ 0.6	5.0 $\pm$ 0.2	3.77 $\pm$ 0.06	2.73 $\pm$ 0.06	1.2 $\pm$ 0.1	0.54 $\pm$ 0.02	2.53 $\pm$ 0.06	19 $\pm$ 2
GW	0	-	-	-	-	45.9 $\pm$ 0.2	5.93 $\pm$ 0.01	0.54 $\pm$ 0	0.0021 $\pm$ 0.0003	6.8 $\pm$ 0.1	3.8 $\pm$ 0.3	2.4 $\pm$ 0.1	1.07 $\pm$ 0.06	0.29 $\pm$ 0.06	0.56 $\pm$ 0.01	0.49 $\pm$ 0.01	15 $\pm$ 1
	500	$9.6 \pm 0.1$	30.7	1135 $\pm$ 22	40.2	55.4 $\pm$ 0.3	2.18 $\pm$ 0.02	0.94 $\pm$ 0.03	0.012 $\pm$ 0	32.0 $\pm$ 0	17.3 $\pm$ 0.6	5.6 $\pm$ 0.2	4.8 $\pm$ 0.2	1.1 $\pm$ 0	3.03 $\pm$ 0.06	0.89 $\pm$ 0.01	51 $\pm$ 11
	600	$11.4 \pm 0.2$	32.1	37 $\pm$ 4	34.8	60.2 $\pm$ 0.2	1.4 $\pm$ 0.1	0.83 $\pm$ 0.02	0.0147 $\pm$ 0.0006	26.0 $\pm$ 0	19.7 $\pm$ 0.06	7.4 $\pm$ 0.1	4.37 $\pm$ 0.06	1.3 $\pm$ 0	4.17 $\pm$ 0.06	1 $\pm$ 0	56 $\pm$ 2
	800	$12.1 \pm 0.1$	23.7	6.7 $\pm$ 0.2	33.8	67 $\pm$ 1	1.07 $\pm$ 0.06	0.81 $\pm$ 0.02	0.0083 $\pm$ 0.0004	28.7 $\pm$ 0.06	15 $\pm$ 0	7.93 $\pm$ 0.06	4.13 $\pm$ 0.06	1.8 $\pm$ 0	2.57 $\pm$ 0.06	0.78 $\pm$ 0.03	49 $\pm$ 2
	0	-	-	-	-	50.3 $\pm$ 0.1	6.17 $\pm$ 0.05	0.09 $\pm$ 0.02	-	1.5 $\pm$ 0.1	0.023 $\pm$ 0.02	0.77 $\pm$ 0.05	0.17 $\pm$ 0	0.009 $\pm$ 0.01	0.080 $\pm$ 0.09	0.073 $\pm$ 0.03	8.0 $\pm$ 0.9
CWC	530	$9.2 \pm 0.1$	19.0	1049 $\pm$ 36	3.2	91.4 $\pm$ 0.2	2.0 $\pm$ 0.2	0.56 $\pm$ 0.02	-	7.0 $\pm$ 0.6	0.3 $\pm$ 0.2	3.5 $\pm$ 0.2	0.82 $\pm$ 0.05	0.044 $\pm$ 0.02	0.36 $\pm$ 0.03	0.081 $\pm$ 0.04	14 $\pm$ 1
	600	$9.8 \pm 0.1$	21.1	1213 $\pm$ 83	3.2	92.5 $\pm$ 0.3	1.40 $\pm$ 0.02	0.60 $\pm$ 0.02	-	7.9 $\pm$ 0.5	0.21 $\pm$ 0.09	3.9 $\pm$ 0.2	0.88 $\pm$ 0.05	0.051 $\pm$ 0.06	0.41 $\pm$ 0.03	0.083 $\pm$ 0.01	17.7 $\pm$ 0.6
	700	$9.80 \pm 0.03$	16.9	1707 $\pm$ 139	3.7	91 $\pm$ 3	1.0 $\pm$ 0.1	0.68 $\pm$ 0.02	-	8.0 $\pm$ 0.2	0.13 $\pm$ 0.04	4.03 $\pm$ 0.06	0.91 $\pm$ 0.02	0.052 $\pm$ 0.01	0.41 $\pm$ 0.01	0.089 $\pm$ 0.04	17 $\pm$ 3
	750	$10.1 \pm 0.1$	21.2	1627 $\pm$ 163	3.4	90 $\pm$ 3	0.70 $\pm$ 0.04	0.77 $\pm$ 0.02	-	8.7 $\pm$ 0.5	0.14 $\pm$ 0.04	4.27 $\pm$ 0.06	0.96 $\pm$ 0.02	0.057 $\pm$ 0.02	0.44 $\pm$ 0.01	0.11 $\pm$ 0.01	19 $\pm$ 1

Table S.3: Specific surface area (SSA) and pore volume (PV) for the biochars produced

Sample	Pyr temp (°C)	N2 (>1.5 nm)			CO2 (0.4-1.5 nm)	
		BET-SA	BJH-PV	DFT-SA	DFT-PV	DFT-SA
		m <sup>2</sup> g <sup>-1</sup>	cc g <sup>-1</sup>	m <sup>2</sup> g <sup>-1</sup>	cc g <sup>-1</sup>	m <sup>2</sup> g <sup>-1</sup>
DSS-1	500	81	0.122	61	0.104	123
	600	133	0.122	100	0.152	132
	700	110	0.111	84	0.133	87
	770	123	0.124	94	0.148	94
DSS-2	500	99	0.134	70	0.144	154
	600	128	0.130	95	0.155	184
	700	156	0.128	122	0.167	169
	800	219	0.133	165	0.199	202
LSS	600	66	0.132	51	0.129	70
	760	64	0.163	51	0.129	71
DWSS	600	110	0.126	88	0.145	205
	700	128	0.126	97	0.153	165
	800	196	0.150	147	0.201	233
	830	252	0.204	195	0.265	249
FWR	600	79	0.104	60	0.113	203
	800	83	0.102	64	0.114	202
WT	500	8	0.005	5	0.007	448
	600	204	0.025	159	0.111	533
	700	269	0.038	229	0.150	511
	785	131	0.025	99	0.077	588
	800	167	0.024	129	0.094	637
GW	500	214	0.031	194	0.121	348
	600	200	0.027	167	0.111	418
	800	146	0.042	117	0.098	466
						0.133

CWC	530	180	0.020	130	0.095	641	0.174
	600	297	0.016	241	0.146	661	0.178
	700	323	0.017	261	0.160	683	0.186
	750	253	0.024	201	0.132	715	0.199

Table S.4: Fixation rates (FR, %) for main and trace elements in biochars from the pyrolysis of organic wastes at various temperatures.

Feedstock	Pyr. temp. ( C )	Al	Ca	Fe	K	Mg	Na	P	S	Si	As	Ba	Cd	Co	Cr	Cu	Mo	Ni	Pb	Sr	V	Zn
CWC	530	-	95	100	91	96	93	90	22	59	100	91	0	100	100	100	100	100	23	93	74	22
	600	-	100	100	100	100	100	100	24	69	93	100	0	100	100	100	100	100	11	100	75	12
	700	-	100	100	100	100	100	100	26	70	69	100	0	100	100	100	100	100	13	100	70	3
	750	-	98	99	91	94	100	92	26	55	74	95	0	98	100	95	100	100	40	92	62	2
WT	500	86	78	84	100	77	67	98	62	64	82	85	18	70	88	93	36	100	89	81	82	65
	600	92	85	92	100	83	77	100	68	82	86	100	2	93	94	100	47	81	75	93	100	75
	700	96	83	98	100	92	75	100	75	80	76	100	2	86	100	89	43	83	33	95	86	12
	800	91	81	85	100	82	66	97	77	64	64	100	1	87	82	94	38	71	13	97	93	4
GW	500	100	100	100	85	100	100	100	66	100	100	100	6	100	95	100	73	93	100	100	100	100
	600	100	100	100	97	100	100	100	70	100	98	100	2	100	100	100	100	100	85	100	100	100
	800	82	88	82	75	81	77	96	40	69	62	72	2	66	56	85	50	69	100	72	91	19
DSS-1	500	86	76	69	79	72	30	84	45	51	29	65	57	70	83	84	47	85	75	61	61	83
	600	82	73	65	72	67	29	89	44	62	24	56	22	68	85	82	46	86	70	56	58	79
	700	97	87	74	100	81	32	95	47	67	28	68	4	79	89	99	56	94	87	68	69	95
	770	97	91	74	73	81	38	100	41	61	32	80	2	80	95	100	56	100	90	72	71	95
DSS-2	500	100	79	73	100	76	93	59	0	95	72	79	65	76	100	89	80	100	100	93	72	100
	600	100	79	76	100	78	99	56	0	82	72	80	7	71	86	75	76	96	78	97	76	80
	700	100	84	81	100	83	100	67	0	99	75	92	1	73	85	78	83	100	77	100	79	84
	800	100	79	78	100	82	99	61	0	94	71	81	1	71	72	73	79	92	58	100	76	77

LSS	600	85	55	60	88	54	81	90	79	97	86	100	10	85	100	48	86	96	86	100	89	54
	760	100	60	63	83	61	76	85	70	90	84	100	1	80	53	53	79	83	68	90	84	52
FWR	600	75	73	24	100	71	100	97	23	69	66	73	11	100	100	24	77	100	100	100	44	51
	800	100	75	63	100	77	100	93	24	69	70	73	2	100	100	23	82	100	72	100	44	7
DWSS	600	-	88	57	93	85	89	95	25	57	66	92	2	86	77	88	70	78	82	92	93	89
	700	-	89	64	86	85	100	92	19	78	71	92	1	87	72	85	72	79	57	87	88	68
	800	-	80	83	65	74	100	80	18	97	40	76	1	80	83	73	86	89	18	79	77	35
	830	-	71	48	54	71	100	42	15	70	8	67	0	73	71	68	60	72	3	71	71	4

Table S.5 Concentrations (ppm) of main and trace elements in condensate from the pyrolysis of digested sewage sludge (DSS-1, DSS-2), limed sewage sludge (LSS), food waste reject (FWR), waste timber (WT), and garden waste (GW) at temperatures between 500 and 800 °C. Samples analysed in triplicates shown as mean ± standard deviation

Feedstock	Pyr. Temp. (°C)	Concentration (ppm)														
		Al	Ca	Fe	K	Mg	Na	P	Si	Cr	Cu	Mo	Ni	Pb	V	Zn
WT	600	0.92±0.07	129±13	<1	8±1	78±10	171±21	0.9±0.7	6.7±0.7	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	1.3±0.5
	700	<1	88	<1	8	61	168	<1	3	<1	<1	<1	<1	2	<1	49
	800	<1	84	<1	9	67	197	<1	5	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	1
GW	500	1	159±14	6.1±0.5	10.4±0.8	87±7	177±10	<1	10.5±0.4	<1	<1	<1	<1	1±1	<1	6.3±0.5
	600	<1	114±15	0.7±0.3	10±1	63±10	157±16	2±1	6.3±0.5	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	10.8±0.8
	800	<1	94±7	<1	10.1±0.5	60±5	163±12	<1	5.9±0.1	<1	<1	<1	<1	0.94±0.05	<1	44±1
FWR	800	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	15±3	30±3	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1
DSS-1	500	<1	9±8	1.1±0.6	<1	<1	<1	13±1	264±53	<1	1.0±0.7	<1	<1	<1	<1	3±2
	600	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	12±1	79±13	<1	0.8±0.3	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1
	700	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	13±1	83±2	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1
DSS-2	500	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	11±1	54±3	<1	3±3	<1	<1	<1	<1	2±0
	600	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	11±1	79±25	<1	0.8±0.3	<1	<1	<1	<1	1.8±0.9
	700	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	12±1	51±3	<1	1.2±0.8	<1	<1	<1	<1	0.7±0.3

	800	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	11±2	43±1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	
LSS	600	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	12±1	442±39	<1	1.0±0.9	<1	<1	<1	<1	1±0
	760	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	11.7±0.6	144±16	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1

Table S.6: Flue gas emission factors, EF (mg tonne<sup>-1</sup>) in the pyrolysis of DSS-1, DSS-2, LSS, WT, GW and CWC at various treatment temperatures (500-800 °C), in addition to  $V_{\text{flue gas}}$  (m<sup>3</sup> kg<sup>-1</sup>), as calculated through the carbon balance approach, used to derive EFs.

Feedstock	Pyr. temp. (°C)	$V_{\text{flue gas}}$ (m <sup>3</sup> kg <sup>-1</sup> )	Emission factors EF (mg tonne <sup>-1</sup> )											
			As	Ba	Cd	Co	Cr	Cu	Mo	Ni	Pb	Sr	V	Zn
DSS-1	500	1.09	0.16	0.26	0.0002	0.0047	1.5	0.017	0.30	0.15	0.022	0.020	0.14	0.42
	600	9.9	0.92	0.96	0.0012	0.018	13	0.13	2.8	1.5	0.44	0.046	0.74	1.0
	700	8.56	0.92	0.42	0.0040	0.19	33	0.52	8.3	7.9	0.95	0.050	1.6	3.4
DSS-2	500	10.8	2.5	0.43	0.0075	0.070	28	0.52	12	2.0	1.3	0.12	3.1	1.2
	600	24.5	4.7	0.59	0.15	0.15	96	4.8	19	6.8	21	0.12	7.4	9.1
	700	29.9	2.6	0.86	0.051	1.3	207	0.66	13	76	2.2	0.10	5.5	10
	800	26.9	3.5	0.80	0.043	0.45	44	2.0	21	8.6	3.4	0.13	5.1	13
LSS	600	0.506	0.04	0.020	0.0015	0.0013	1.3	0.018	0.18	0.089	0.060	0.002	0.051	0.09
	760	68.9	8.1	2.2	0.55	1.6	208	2.4	60	46	43	0.23	18	69
FWR	600	36.9	7.7	6.4	0.41	1.3	291	24	83	45	208	0.51	37	98
	800	44.1	8.9	68	0.19	1.9	251	15	80	143	184	38	17	110
WT	500	9.01	1.8	0.42	0.031	0.39	11	9.6	3.1	3.9	6.1	0.13	3.5	8.3
	600	28.9	0.44	1.1	0.053	0.65	10	12	9.0	42	19	0.39	1.7	13
	700	65.7	0.79	1.8	0.21	1.3	111	16	18	102	34	0.53	4.5	28
	800	79.9	1.1	2.1	2.2	1.0	41	17	19	98	138	0.59	3.4	342
GW	500	23.7	0.23	2.2	0.015	3.5	254	8.9	19	133	4.9	0.35	2.0	37
	800	57.4	3.3	2.6	0.13	1.7	111	3.6	64	35	129	0.37	8.8	85
CWC	530	107.9	0.19	5.0	n.d.	0.12	32	n.d.	5.4	0.011	0.005	0.13	0.48	24

	600	92.8	0.07	2.9	n.d.	1.7	15	2.3	1.6	20	n.d.	0.19	0.091	13
	700	92.2	0.09	0.12	n.d.	0.063	n.d.	0.033	1.7	0.36	0.018	0.13	0.24	26
	750	116	0.08	0.72	n.d.	0.0084	1.4	9.9	9.9	0.081	0.46	0.22	0.018	37

Table S.7: Flue gas emission concentrations ( $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$ ) in the pyrolysis of DSS-1, DSS-2, LSS, WT, GW and CWC at various treatment temperatures (500-800 °C).

Feedstock	Pyr. Temp (°C)	As	Cd	Co	Cr	Cu	Ni	Pb	Zn	Sum
DSS-1	500	0.15	0.0002	0.004	1.4	0.02	0.14	0.02	0.39	2.13
	600	0.09	0.0001	0.002	1.3	0.01	0.15	0.04	0.10	1.75
	700	0.11	0.0005	0.023	3.8	0.06	0.92	0.11	0.39	5.46
DSS-2	500	0.25	0.0007	0.007	2.8	0.05	0.19	0.12	0.12	3.50
	600	0.16	0.0050	0.005	3.2	0.16	0.23	0.71	0.30	4.77
	700	0.11	0.0021	0.054	8.4	0.03	3.1	0.09	0.41	12.2
	800	0.14	0.0018	0.019	1.8	0.08	0.35	0.14	0.54	3.07
LSS	600	0.08	0.003	0.003	2.5	0.04	0.18	0.12	0.18	3.13
	760	0.12	0.008	0.023	3.0	0.04	0.66	0.63	1.0	5.50
FWR	600	0.21	0.011	0.035	7.9	0.64	1.2	5.6	2.7	18.3
	800	0.20	0.004	0.044	5.7	0.35	3.2	4.2	2.5	16.2
WT	500	0.20	0.003	0.043	1.2	1.1	0.44	0.67	0.92	4.52
	600	0.015	0.002	0.022	0.4	0.42	1.4	0.66	0.45	3.38
	700	0.012	0.003	0.019	1.7	0.25	1.6	0.52	0.43	4.48
	800	0.014	0.027	0.013	0.5	0.21	1.2	1.7	4.3	8.02
GW	500	0.010	0.0006	0.15	11	0.38	5.6	0.21	1.6	18.6
	800	0.058	0.0023	0.03	1.9	0.06	0.61	2.3	1.5	6.43
CWC	530	0.002	n.d.	0.0013	0.34	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	0.26	0.60
	600	0.001	n.d.	0.021	0.18	0.028	0.24	n.d.	0.16	0.63

	700	0.001	n.d.	0.0007	n.d.	0.0004	0.004	n.d.	0.32	0.32
	750	0.001	n.d.	0.0001	0.01	0.094	0.001	0.004	0.35	0.46

Table S.8: Mass balance for main and trace elements showing the biochar ( $F_{BC}$ ), pyrolysis oil ( $F_{PO}$ ), flue gas ( $F_{FG}$ ) and the remaining difference ( $F_{diff}$ ) fractions in the pyrolysis of DSS-1, DSS-2, LSS, WT and GW at various treatment temperatures (500-800 °C).

Feedstock	Pyr. Temp (°C)	Fraction	Ca	Fe	K	Mg	Na	P	S	Si	Cr	Cu	Mo	Ni	Pb	V	Zn
DSS-1	500	$F_{BC}$	75.40%	69.25%	103.88%	71.83%	52.88%	70.99%	82.92%	77.56%	76.04%	84.03%	46.94%	84.40%	75.24%	60.50%	85.96%
		$F_{PO}$	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.02%	0.00%	0.26%	0.44%	0.20%	0.75%	0.76%	0.00%	0.34%	0.20%
		$F_{FG}$	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.02%	0.00%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
		$F_{diff}$	<b>24.58%</b>	<b>30.75%</b>	<b>-3.88%</b>	<b>28.17%</b>	<b>47.12%</b>	<b>28.99%</b>	<b>17.05%</b>	<b>22.18%</b>	<b>23.50%</b>	<b>15.77%</b>	<b>52.30%</b>	<b>14.84%</b>	<b>24.76%</b>	<b>39.16%</b>	<b>13.84%</b>
	600	FBC	72.59%	64.74%	101.96%	66.61%	57.19%	69.13%	83.53%	67.58%	74.03%	81.91%	46.37%	85.59%	70.33%	58.07%	83.35%
		FPO	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.01%	0.00%	0.08%	0.44%	0.15%	0.75%	0.75%	0.00%	0.34%	0.00%
		FFG	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.08%	0.00%	0.03%	0.00%	0.01%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
		$F_{diff}$	<b>27.41%</b>	<b>35.26%</b>	<b>-1.96%</b>	<b>33.39%</b>	<b>42.81%</b>	<b>30.86%</b>	<b>16.39%</b>	<b>32.34%</b>	<b>25.50%</b>	<b>17.94%</b>	<b>52.87%</b>	<b>13.66%</b>	<b>29.66%</b>	<b>41.58%</b>	<b>16.65%</b>
	700	FBC	87.14%	74.25%	115.50%	80.44%	67.88%	84.43%	30.00%	1.51%	58.94%	69.99%	39.22%	66.20%	61.15%	49.07%	70.23%
		FPO	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.02%	0.00%	0.09%	0.48%	0.00%	0.81%	0.81%	0.00%	0.37%	0.00%
		FFG	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.10%	0.00%	0.08%	0.00%	0.03%	0.03%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
		$F_{diff}$	<b>12.86%</b>	<b>25.75%</b>	<b>-15.50%</b>	<b>19.56%</b>	<b>32.12%</b>	<b>15.55%</b>	<b>69.89%</b>	<b>98.40%</b>	<b>40.50%</b>	<b>30.01%</b>	<b>59.94%</b>	<b>32.95%</b>	<b>38.84%</b>	<b>50.56%</b>	<b>29.77%</b>
DSS-2	500	FBC	76.08%	70.16%	76.12%	72.75%	49.72%	66.68%	39.73%	60.04%	179.53%	85.44%	76.85%	165.92%	136.92%	69.15%	107.09%
		FPO	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.02%	0.00%	0.10%	0.75%	0.80%	2.86%	1.22%	0.00%	0.93%	0.22%
		FFG	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.26%	0.00%	0.11%	0.00%	0.19%	0.01%	0.02%	0.02%	0.00%
		$F_{diff}$	<b>23.92%</b>	<b>29.84%</b>	<b>23.88%</b>	<b>27.25%</b>	<b>50.28%</b>	<b>33.30%</b>	<b>60.01%</b>	<b>39.85%</b>	<b>-80.39%</b>	<b>13.75%</b>	<b>20.10%</b>	<b>-67.16%</b>	<b>-36.93%</b>	<b>29.90%</b>	<b>-7.32%</b>
	600	FBC	75.90%	73.21%	79.46%	74.55%	47.78%	69.36%	38.03%	71.48%	79.13%	71.57%	73.12%	91.84%	74.69%	72.88%	74.02%
		FPO	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.02%	0.00%	0.15%	0.75%	0.27%	2.86%	1.22%	0.00%	0.93%	0.20%
		FFG	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.23%	0.00%	0.16%	0.00%	0.12%	0.02%	0.11%	0.02%	0.00%
		$F_{diff}$	<b>24.10%</b>	<b>26.79%</b>	<b>20.54%</b>	<b>25.45%</b>	<b>52.22%</b>	<b>30.62%</b>	<b>61.74%</b>	<b>28.37%</b>	<b>19.97%</b>	<b>28.16%</b>	<b>23.89%</b>	<b>6.92%</b>	<b>25.20%</b>	<b>26.18%</b>	<b>25.78%</b>

		FBC	80.59%	77.26%	80.93%	79.41%	51.98%	72.16%	39.97%	75.75%	79.08%	74.99%	79.47%	97.36%	73.93%	75.87%	76.02%
	700	FPO	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.00%	0.13%	1.02%	0.51%	3.90%	1.67%	0.00%	1.27%	0.10%
		FFG	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.50%	0.00%	0.56%	0.00%	0.13%	0.34%	0.02%	0.02%	0.00%
		<b>Fdiff</b>	<b>19.41%</b>	<b>22.74%</b>	<b>19.07%</b>	<b>20.59%</b>	<b>48.02%</b>	<b>27.81%</b>	<b>59.53%</b>	<b>24.12%</b>	<b>19.34%</b>	<b>24.50%</b>	<b>16.50%</b>	<b>0.64%</b>	<b>26.05%</b>	<b>22.84%</b>	<b>23.88%</b>
	800	FBC	75.83%	74.69%	74.59%	78.41%	54.98%	72.26%	31.23%	61.92%	72.37%	69.77%	75.39%	87.95%	55.35%	72.65%	70.07%
		FPO	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.02%	0.00%	0.10%	0.89%	0.00%	3.42%	1.46%	0.00%	1.12%	0.00%
		FFG	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.49%	0.00%	0.09%	0.00%	0.16%	0.03%	0.02%	0.01%	0.00%
		<b>Fdiff</b>	<b>24.16%</b>	<b>25.31%</b>	<b>25.41%</b>	<b>21.59%</b>	<b>45.02%</b>	<b>27.71%</b>	<b>68.28%</b>	<b>37.98%</b>	<b>26.64%</b>	<b>30.23%</b>	<b>21.02%</b>	<b>10.56%</b>	<b>44.63%</b>	<b>26.22%</b>	<b>29.92%</b>
LSS	600	FBC	53.14%	57.32%	39.40%	52.03%	77.43%	86.25%	75.42%	92.81%	90.36%	46.35%	82.27%	92.49%	82.76%	85.53%	47.97%
		FPO	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.01%	0.00%	0.51%	0.51%	0.11%	2.39%	0.83%	0.00%	0.62%	0.07%
		FFG	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.01%	0.00%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
		<b>Fdiff</b>	<b>46.86%</b>	<b>42.68%</b>	<b>60.60%</b>	<b>47.97%</b>	<b>22.57%</b>	<b>13.73%</b>	<b>24.58%</b>	<b>6.67%</b>	<b>9.12%</b>	<b>53.53%</b>	<b>15.34%</b>	<b>6.68%</b>	<b>17.24%</b>	<b>13.85%</b>	<b>51.97%</b>
	760	FBC	57.40%	60.47%	46.23%	58.44%	72.49%	81.74%	67.25%	86.07%	74.93%	50.84%	75.94%	79.64%	65.06%	80.80%	73.51%
		FPO	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.01%	0.00%	0.17%	0.52%	0.00%	2.45%	0.85%	0.00%	0.63%	0.00%
		FFG	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.95%	0.01%	0.43%	0.00%	0.57%	0.15%	0.08%	0.04%	0.01%
		<b>Fdiff</b>	<b>42.60%</b>	<b>39.52%</b>	<b>53.77%</b>	<b>41.56%</b>	<b>27.51%</b>	<b>18.25%</b>	<b>31.79%</b>	<b>13.76%</b>	<b>24.12%</b>	<b>49.15%</b>	<b>21.04%</b>	<b>19.35%</b>	<b>34.86%</b>	<b>18.53%</b>	<b>26.48%</b>
WT	600	FBC	82.63%	89.03%	192.59%	43.21%	74.65%	104.83%	65.88%	79.83%	96.26%	117.92%	45.53%	78.65%	72.52%	99.69%	72.70%
		FPO	1.84%	0.00%	0.74%	5.20%	10.11%	0.36%	0.03%	0.05%	0.61%	0.00%	22.65%	4.05%	0.00%	9.81%	0.12%
		FFG	0.00%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	0.33%	0.28%	0.02%	0.03%	0.00%	0.00%
		<b>Fdiff</b>	<b>15.53%</b>	<b>10.96%</b>	<b>-93.33%</b>	<b>51.60%</b>	<b>15.23%</b>	<b>-5.19%</b>	<b>34.08%</b>	<b>20.11%</b>	<b>3.11%</b>	<b>-17.93%</b>	<b>31.50%</b>	<b>17.03%</b>	<b>27.46%</b>	<b>-9.53%</b>	<b>27.17%</b>
	700	FBC	80.81%	94.78%	140.37%	83.79%	72.53%	99.16%	72.67%	77.93%	92.15%	86.10%	41.61%	80.60%	31.86%	83.58%	13.30%
		FPO	1.12%	0.00%	0.64%	3.65%	8.91%	0.00%	0.00%	0.02%	0.55%	0.00%	20.28%	3.63%	2.48%	8.79%	4.07%
		FFG	0.00%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.02%	0.01%	0.06%	0.01%	0.38%	0.38%	0.02%	0.04%	0.00%	0.00%
		<b>Fdiff</b>	<b>18.07%</b>	<b>5.21%</b>	<b>-41.01%</b>	<b>12.57%</b>	<b>18.56%</b>	<b>0.84%</b>	<b>27.30%</b>	<b>22.04%</b>	<b>7.24%</b>	<b>13.89%</b>	<b>37.73%</b>	<b>15.39%</b>	<b>65.63%</b>	<b>7.59%</b>	<b>82.62%</b>
	800	FBC	78.62%	82.54%	138.60%	75.41%	64.46%	94.26%	74.73%	62.34%	69.40%	91.40%	36.82%	69.19%	12.45%	90.91%	3.19%
		FPO	1.03%	0.00%	0.69%	3.84%	10.02%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.53%	0.00%	19.45%	3.48%	0.00%	8.43%	0.08%
		FFG	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.01%	0.02%	0.01%	0.36%	0.33%	0.08%	0.03%	0.01%
		<b>Fdiff</b>	<b>20.35%</b>	<b>17.46%</b>	<b>-39.29%</b>	<b>20.75%</b>	<b>25.52%</b>	<b>5.74%</b>	<b>25.24%</b>	<b>37.62%</b>	<b>30.06%</b>	<b>8.59%</b>	<b>43.37%</b>	<b>27.00%</b>	<b>87.48%</b>	<b>0.64%</b>	<b>96.72%</b>
GW	500	FBC	141.69%	136.67%	84.85%	72.42%	133.81%	168.65%	65.48%	103.48%	86.33%	144.07%	72.82%	92.48%	187.59%	167.29%	172.28%

	FPO	0.96%	0.07%	0.11%	5.17%	4.57%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.52%	0.00%	7.87%	1.65%	10.18%	3.25%	2.17%
	FFG	0.00%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.02%	0.00%	0.26%	0.02%	0.29%	0.43%	0.04%	0.01%	0.01%
	<b>Fdiff</b>	<b>-42.66%</b>	<b>-36.75%</b>	<b>15.04%</b>	<b>22.41%</b>	<b>-38.39%</b>	<b>-68.65%</b>	<b>34.49%</b>	<b>-3.51%</b>	<b>12.89%</b>	<b>-44.09%</b>	<b>19.01%</b>	<b>5.44%</b>	<b>-97.82%</b>	<b>-70.56%</b>	<b>-74.46%</b>
800	FBC	87.71%	81.73%	43.61%	124.16%	76.81%	95.46%	39.63%	68.71%	54.57%	85.02%	49.79%	68.89%	131.00%	90.49%	66.80%
	FPO	0.43%	0.00%	0.08%	2.70%	3.20%	0.00%	0.00%	0.01%	0.40%	0.00%	5.97%	1.25%	5.82%	2.46%	11.48%
	FFG	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.53%	0.00%	0.08%	0.01%	0.66%	0.08%	0.70%	0.04%	0.02%
	<b>Fdiff</b>	<b>11.85%</b>	<b>18.27%</b>	<b>56.31%</b>	<b>-26.86%</b>	<b>19.99%</b>	<b>4.54%</b>	<b>59.84%</b>	<b>31.27%</b>	<b>44.96%</b>	<b>14.98%</b>	<b>43.58%</b>	<b>29.78%</b>	<b>-37.52%</b>	<b>7.01%</b>	<b>21.70%</b>

1      *Table S.9: Leachable concentrations ( $C_{\text{leachable}}$ , mg kg $^{-1}$ ) of selected heavy metals from biochars at*  
 2      *different pH levels. UA = unaltered pH. Showing mean with standard deviation, and min and max*  
 3      *range.*

Waste.type	Pyr.temp	pH	name	mean	sd	min	max	n
CWC	530	4	As	0.007	0.002	0.006	0.009	3
CWC	530	4	Cd	0.0004	0.0004	0.0001	0.0008	3
CWC	530	4	Cr	0.08	0.02	0.06	0.10	3
CWC	530	4	Cu	0.08	0.02	0.05	0.10	3
CWC	530	4	Ni	1.95	0.08	1.91	2.05	3
CWC	530	4	Pb	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	3
CWC	530	4	Zn	6.4	0.3	6.0	6.7	3
CWC	530	5.5	As	0.003	0.001	0.002	0.004	3
CWC	530	5.5	Cd	0.0005	0.0001	0.0004	0.0006	3
CWC	530	5.5	Cr	0.013	0.009	0.004	0.021	3
CWC	530	5.5	Cu	0.020	0.010	0.009	0.026	3
CWC	530	5.5	Ni	1.06	0.04	1.03	1.10	3
CWC	530	5.5	Pb	0.06	0.01	0.05	0.07	3
CWC	530	5.5	Zn	4.4	0.2	4.3	4.6	3
CWC	530	7	As	0.0018	0.0005	0.0014	0.0023	3
CWC	530	7	Cd	0.00005	0.00008	n.d.	0.00014	3
CWC	530	7	Cr	0.001	0.002	n.d.	0.003	3
CWC	530	7	Cu	0.006	0.001	0.004	0.007	3
CWC	530	7	Ni	0.13	0.01	0.12	0.14	3
CWC	530	7	Pb	0.04	0.01	0.03	0.05	3
CWC	530	7	Zn	0.86	0.07	0.79	0.94	3
CWC	530	UA	As	0.0019	0.0003	0.0016	0.0021	3
CWC	530	UA	Cd	0.00014	0.00002	0.00013	0.00016	3
CWC	530	UA	Cr	0.001	0.001	n.d.	0.003	3
CWC	530	UA	Cu	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.006	3
CWC	530	UA	Ni	0.0020	0.0009	0.0013	0.0030	3
CWC	530	UA	Pb	0.04	0.03	0.01	0.06	3
CWC	530	UA	Zn	0.20	0.07	0.13	0.28	3
CWC	600	4	As	0.0047	0.0003	0.0043	0.0049	3
CWC	600	4	Cd	0.0004	0.0002	0.0001	0.0006	3
CWC	600	4	Cr	0.092	0.003	0.090	0.095	3
CWC	600	4	Cu	0.056	0.005	0.052	0.062	3
CWC	600	4	Ni	1.9	0.2	1.7	2.1	3
CWC	600	4	Pb	0.09	0.01	0.08	0.10	3
CWC	600	4	Zn	3.2	0.3	3.0	3.5	3
CWC	600	5.5	As	0.004	0.001	0.003	0.005	3
CWC	600	5.5	Cd	0.00014	0.00001	0.00013	0.00014	3
CWC	600	5.5	Cr	0.050	0.006	0.043	0.055	3
CWC	600	5.5	Cu	0.041	0.006	0.036	0.047	3
CWC	600	5.5	Ni	1.38	0.09	1.29	1.47	3

CWC	600	5.5	Pb	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.12	3
CWC	600	5.5	Zn	2.58	0.06	2.52	2.64	3
CWC	600	7	As	0.002	0.001	0.002	0.003	3
CWC	600	7	Cd	0.0002	0.0002	0.0001	0.0005	3
CWC	600	7	Cr	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
CWC	600	7	Cu	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.006	3
CWC	600	7	Ni	0.23	0.05	0.18	0.29	3
CWC	600	7	Pb	0.052	0.001	0.051	0.053	3
CWC	600	7	Zn	0.6	0.2	0.5	0.8	3
CWC	600	UA	As	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.003	3
CWC	600	UA	Cd	0.00005	0.00008	n.d.	0.00014	3
CWC	600	UA	Cr	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
CWC	600	UA	Cu	0.005	0.003	0.002	0.007	3
CWC	600	UA	Ni	0.002	0.002	n.d.	0.004	3
CWC	600	UA	Pb	0.07	0.02	0.05	0.08	3
CWC	600	UA	Zn	0.12	0.04	0.07	0.15	3
CWC	700	4	As	0.005	0.001	0.004	0.006	3
CWC	700	4	Cd	0.0003	0.0001	0.0003	0.0004	3
CWC	700	4	Cr	0.16	0.01	0.14	0.17	3
CWC	700	4	Cu	0.021	0.003	0.018	0.024	3
CWC	700	4	Ni	1.9	0.1	1.7	2.0	3
CWC	700	4	Pb	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.12	3
CWC	700	4	Zn	1.46	0.08	1.39	1.54	3
CWC	700	5.5	As	0.004	0.001	0.004	0.005	3
CWC	700	5.5	Cd	0.0005	0.0003	0.0001	0.0008	3
CWC	700	5.5	Cr	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.16	3
CWC	700	5.5	Cu	0.020	0.005	0.017	0.026	3
CWC	700	5.5	Ni	1.5	0.3	1.2	1.8	3
CWC	700	5.5	Pb	0.07	0.02	0.04	0.09	3
CWC	700	5.5	Zn	1.3	0.1	1.2	1.4	3
CWC	700	7	As	0.0023	0.0003	0.0019	0.0026	3
CWC	700	7	Cd	0.0001	0.0001	n.d.	0.0003	3
CWC	700	7	Cr	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
CWC	700	7	Cu	0.006	0.002	0.005	0.008	3
CWC	700	7	Ni	0.6	0.1	0.5	0.7	3
CWC	700	7	Pb	0.05	0.02	0.03	0.07	3
CWC	700	7	Zn	0.5	0.1	0.4	0.7	3
CWC	700	UA	As	0.004	0.001	0.004	0.006	3
CWC	700	UA	Cd	0.00005	0.00008	n.d.	0.00014	3
CWC	700	UA	Cr	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
CWC	700	UA	Cu	0.008	0.007	0.002	0.016	3
CWC	700	UA	Ni	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
CWC	700	UA	Pb	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.05	3
CWC	700	UA	Zn	0.08	0.08	0.02	0.17	3

CWC	750	4	As	0.0076	0.0001	0.0076	0.0077	3
CWC	750	4	Cd	0.0002	0.0002	0.0001	0.0005	3
CWC	750	4	Cr	0.14	0.02	0.12	0.16	3
CWC	750	4	Cu	0.016	0.001	0.014	0.017	3
CWC	750	4	Ni	2.0	0.2	1.8	2.2	3
CWC	750	4	Pb	0.06	0.02	0.03	0.07	3
CWC	750	4	Zn	1.4	0.1	1.3	1.5	3
CWC	750	5.5	As	0.0046	0.0006	0.0039	0.0051	3
CWC	750	5.5	Cd	0.0002	0.0002	0.0001	0.0004	3
CWC	750	5.5	Cr	0.034	0.002	0.032	0.036	3
CWC	750	5.5	Cu	0.011	0.002	0.009	0.013	3
CWC	750	5.5	Ni	1.3	0.3	1.1	1.6	3
CWC	750	5.5	Pb	0.049	0.006	0.044	0.056	3
CWC	750	5.5	Zn	0.94	0.04	0.90	0.98	3
CWC	750	7	As	0.0037	0.0007	0.0030	0.0045	3
CWC	750	7	Cd	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
CWC	750	7	Cr	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
CWC	750	7	Cu	0.001	0.001	n.d.	0.002	3
CWC	750	7	Ni	0.30	0.08	0.22	0.38	3
CWC	750	7	Pb	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.05	3
CWC	750	7	Zn	0.1	0.2	n.d.	0.3	3
CWC	750	UA	As	0.0031	0.0005	0.0026	0.0035	3
CWC	750	UA	Cd	0.0000	0.0001	n.d.	0.0001	3
CWC	750	UA	Cr	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
CWC	750	UA	Cu	0.005	0.003	0.002	0.008	3
CWC	750	UA	Ni	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
CWC	750	UA	Pb	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.04	3
CWC	750	UA	Zn	0.01	0.01	n.d.	0.02	3
DSS-1	500	4	As	0.003	0.001	0.002	0.004	3
DSS-1	500	4	Cd	0.060	0.006	0.054	0.064	3
DSS-1	500	4	Cr	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.06	3
DSS-1	500	4	Cu	0.16	0.08	0.07	0.23	3
DSS-1	500	4	Ni	0.42	0.04	0.37	0.46	3
DSS-1	500	4	Pb	0.046	0.010	0.035	0.054	3
DSS-1	500	4	Zn	57	3	54	60	3
DSS-1	500	5.5	As	0.00068	0.00035	0.00038	0.00106	3
DSS-1	500	5.5	Cd	0.007	0.004	0.005	0.012	3
DSS-1	500	5.5	Cr	0.004	0.004	0.001	0.008	3
DSS-1	500	5.5	Cu	0.031	0.002	0.030	0.033	3
DSS-1	500	5.5	Ni	0.05	0.03	0.02	0.07	3
DSS-1	500	5.5	Pb	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.04	3
DSS-1	500	5.5	Zn	6	4	4	11	3
DSS-1	500	7	As	0.00048	0.00004	0.00045	0.00053	3
DSS-1	500	7	Cd	0.00011	0.00005	0.00006	0.00015	3

DSS-1	500	7	Cr	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.03	3
DSS-1	500	7	Cu	0.028	0.002	0.025	0.030	3
DSS-1	500	7	Ni	0.016	0.006	0.012	0.023	3
DSS-1	500	7	Pb	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.04	3
DSS-1	500	7	Zn	0.03	0.02	0.01	0.06	3
DSS-1	600	4	As	0.00071	0.00005	0.00066	0.00075	3
DSS-1	600	4	Cd	0.006	0.002	0.005	0.009	3
DSS-1	600	4	Cr	0.003	0.001	0.002	0.004	3
DSS-1	600	4	Cu	0.16	0.07	0.10	0.23	3
DSS-1	600	4	Ni	0.39	0.03	0.36	0.42	3
DSS-1	600	4	Pb	0.041	0.003	0.039	0.045	3
DSS-1	600	4	Zn	11	3	10	15	3
DSS-1	600	5.5	As	0.0005	0.0001	0.0004	0.0006	3
DSS-1	600	5.5	Cd	0.00142	0.00021	0.00123	0.00165	3
DSS-1	600	5.5	Cr	0.004	0.003	0.001	0.007	3
DSS-1	600	5.5	Cu	0.042	0.008	0.034	0.050	3
DSS-1	600	5.5	Ni	0.12	0.02	0.11	0.14	3
DSS-1	600	5.5	Pb	0.04	0.01	0.03	0.05	3
DSS-1	600	5.5	Zn	2.2	0.2	2.0	2.4	3
DSS-1	600	7	As	0.00059	0.00039	0.00020	0.00098	3
DSS-1	600	7	Cd	0.00008	0.00005	0.00005	0.00013	3
DSS-1	600	7	Cr	0.00149	0.00082	0.00098	0.00243	3
DSS-1	600	7	Cu	0.028	0.003	0.025	0.031	3
DSS-1	600	7	Ni	0.002	0.002	0.000	0.004	3
DSS-1	600	7	Pb	0.025	0.010	0.017	0.036	3
DSS-1	600	7	Zn	0.026	0.010	0.015	0.034	3
DSS-1	700	4	As	0.00154	0.00043	0.00104	0.00181	3
DSS-1	700	4	Cd	0.00007	0.00002	0.00005	0.00009	3
DSS-1	700	4	Cr	0.006	0.001	0.005	0.007	3
DSS-1	700	4	Cu	0.024	0.002	0.023	0.026	3
DSS-1	700	4	Ni	0.10	0.03	0.08	0.13	3
DSS-1	700	4	Pb	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.04	3
DSS-1	700	4	Zn	5.2	0.4	5.0	5.7	3
DSS-1	700	5.5	As	0.00215	0.00234	0.00036	0.00480	3
DSS-1	700	5.5	Cd	0.00017	0.00014	0.00002	0.00031	3
DSS-1	700	5.5	Cr	0.00130	0.00065	0.00091	0.00205	3
DSS-1	700	5.5	Cu	0.07	0.01	0.06	0.08	3
DSS-1	700	5.5	Ni	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.05	3
DSS-1	700	5.5	Pb	0.045	0.009	0.035	0.053	3
DSS-1	700	5.5	Zn	1.4	0.1	1.4	1.6	3
DSS-1	700	7	As	0.00163	0.00098	0.00053	0.00241	3
DSS-1	700	7	Cd	0.00013	0.00009	0.00006	0.00023	3
DSS-1	700	7	Cr	0.006	0.003	0.003	0.008	3
DSS-1	700	7	Cu	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.06	3

DSS-1	700	7	Ni	0.08	0.05	0.03	0.13	3
DSS-1	700	7	Pb	0.05	0.02	0.02	0.06	3
DSS-1	700	7	Zn	3.8	3.0	0.4	5.9	3
DSS-1	700	UA	As	0.005	0.005	0.001	0.010	3
DSS-1	700	UA	Cd	0.00006	0.00002	0.00004	0.00007	3
DSS-1	700	UA	Cr	0.003	0.003	0.001	0.007	3
DSS-1	700	UA	Cu	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.04	3
DSS-1	700	UA	Ni	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.02	3
DSS-1	700	UA	Pb	0.011	0.004	0.006	0.014	3
DSS-1	700	UA	Zn	0.02	0.02	0.008	0.041	3
DSS-1	770	4	As	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.003	3
DSS-1	770	4	Cd	0.00004	0.00003	0.00001	0.00006	3
DSS-1	770	4	Cr	0.008	0.003	0.005	0.010	3
DSS-1	770	4	Cu	0.0219	0.0007	0.0211	0.0224	3
DSS-1	770	4	Ni	0.06	0.05	0.03	0.12	3
DSS-1	770	4	Pb	0.030	0.005	0.024	0.033	3
DSS-1	770	4	Zn	5.4	0.1	5.3	5.5	3
DSS-1	770	5.5	As	0.006	0.006	0.002	0.012	3
DSS-1	770	5.5	Cd	0.00012	0.00002	0.00010	0.00014	3
DSS-1	770	5.5	Cr	0.00443	0.00093	0.00350	0.00535	3
DSS-1	770	5.5	Cu	0.08	0.05	0.04	0.13	3
DSS-1	770	5.5	Ni	0.13	0.07	0.07	0.21	3
DSS-1	770	5.5	Pb	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.06	3
DSS-1	770	5.5	Zn	2.9	0.2	2.8	3.1	3
DSS-1	770	7	As	0.000024	0.000001	0.000024	0.000025	3
DSS-1	770	7	Cd	0.00005	0.00005	0.00001	0.00010	3
DSS-1	770	7	Cr	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.004	3
DSS-1	770	7	Cu	0.027	0.001	0.026	0.028	3
DSS-1	770	7	Ni	0.003	0.004	0.000	0.008	3
DSS-1	770	7	Pb	0.04	0.01	0.03	0.05	3
DSS-1	770	7	Zn	0.22	0.04	0.18	0.24	3
DSS-1	770	UA	As	0.00151	0.00026	0.00124	0.00175	3
DSS-1	770	UA	Cd	0.00005	0.00005	0.00001	0.00010	3
DSS-1	770	UA	Cr	0.00094	0.00004	0.00091	0.00098	3
DSS-1	770	UA	Cu	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.04	3
DSS-1	770	UA	Ni	0.0010	0.0008	0.0004	0.0018	3
DSS-1	770	UA	Pb	0.013	0.004	0.009	0.016	3
DSS-1	770	UA	Zn	0.0139	0.0005	0.0134	0.0144	3
DSS-2	500	4	As	0.057	0.004	0.054	0.062	3
DSS-2	500	4	Cd	0.061	0.004	0.057	0.065	3
DSS-2	500	4	Cr	0.26	0.03	0.22	0.28	3
DSS-2	500	4	Cu	2.03	0.07	1.96	2.11	3
DSS-2	500	4	Ni	1.54	0.08	1.49	1.63	3
DSS-2	500	4	Pb	1.0	0.4	0.6	1.4	3

DSS-2	500	4	Zn	66.68286833	2.011	64.363144	67.934783	3
DSS-2	500	5.5	As	0.016	0.002	0.013	0.018	3
DSS-2	500	5.5	Cd	0.023	0.002	0.020	0.024	3
DSS-2	500	5.5	Cr	0.030	0.002	0.028	0.031	3
DSS-2	500	5.5	Cu	1.92	0.05	1.86	1.96	3
DSS-2	500	5.5	Ni	0.57	0.06	0.53	0.64	3
DSS-2	500	5.5	Pb	0.15	0.06	0.08	0.18	3
DSS-2	500	5.5	Zn	31	4	27	34	3
DSS-2	500	7	As	0.0010	0.0001	0.0009	0.0011	3
DSS-2	500	7	Cd	0.0008	0.0003	0.0006	0.0012	3
DSS-2	500	7	Cr	0.007	0.000	0.007	0.008	3
DSS-2	500	7	Cu	1.86	0.03	1.84	1.89	3
DSS-2	500	7	Ni	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.05	3
DSS-2	500	7	Pb	0.07	0.02	0.06	0.09	3
DSS-2	500	7	Zn	2.3	0.6	1.8	3.0	3
DSS-2	500	UA	As	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.002	3
DSS-2	500	UA	Cd	0.00032	0.00002	0.00030	0.00033	3
DSS-2	500	UA	Cr	0.008	0.003	0.006	0.011	3
DSS-2	500	UA	Cu	2.2	0.4	1.9	2.6	3
DSS-2	500	UA	Ni	0.00054	0.00001	0.00053	0.00055	3
DSS-2	500	UA	Pb	0.068	0.003	0.066	0.072	3
DSS-2	500	UA	Zn	1.6	0.1	1.5	1.8	3
DSS-2	600	4	As	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.05	3
DSS-2	600	4	Cd	0.004	0.002	0.002	0.005	3
DSS-2	600	4	Cr	0.21	0.07	0.15	0.29	3
DSS-2	600	4	Cu	0.06	0.01	0.05	0.07	3
DSS-2	600	4	Ni	1.20	0.09	1.14	1.30	3
DSS-2	600	4	Pb	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	3
DSS-2	600	4	Zn	40	7	32	45	3
DSS-2	600	5.5	As	0.003	0.002	0.001	0.004	3
DSS-2	600	5.5	Cd	0.0011	0.0005	0.0006	0.0014	3
DSS-2	600	5.5	Cr	0.003	0.002	0.001	0.004	3
DSS-2	600	5.5	Cu	0.12	0.09	0.06	0.22	3
DSS-2	600	5.5	Ni	0.61	0.06	0.56	0.69	3
DSS-2	600	5.5	Pb	0.063	0.004	0.060	0.067	3
DSS-2	600	5.5	Zn	11	5	5	15	3
DSS-2	600	7	As	0.00018	0.00012	0.00005	0.00030	3
DSS-2	600	7	Cd	0.00017	0.00003	0.00014	0.00020	3
DSS-2	600	7	Cr	0.003	0.003	0.001	0.006	3
DSS-2	600	7	Cu	0.04	0.01	0.03	0.06	3
DSS-2	600	7	Ni	0.05	0.01	0.03	0.05	3
DSS-2	600	7	Pb	0.024	0.002	0.022	0.026	3
DSS-2	600	7	Zn	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5	3
DSS-2	600	UA	As	0.00039	0.00031	0.00019	0.00074	3

DSS-2	600	UA	Cd	0.00033	0.00004	0.00029	0.00037	3
DSS-2	600	UA	Cr	0.006	0.003	0.002	0.009	3
DSS-2	600	UA	Cu	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.05	3
DSS-2	600	UA	Ni	0.00063	0.00019	0.00050	0.00085	3
DSS-2	600	UA	Pb	0.022	0.009	0.016	0.032	3
DSS-2	600	UA	Zn	0.07	0.03	0.04	0.11	3
DSS-2	700	4	As	0.0069	0.0005	0.0066	0.0074	3
DSS-2	700	4	Cd	0.00041	0.00010	0.00029	0.00048	3
DSS-2	700	4	Cr	0.114	0.009	0.108	0.124	3
DSS-2	700	4	Cu	0.06	0.02	0.05	0.07	3
DSS-2	700	4	Ni	1.3	0.1	1.1	1.4	3
DSS-2	700	4	Pb	0.056	0.008	0.051	0.066	3
DSS-2	700	4	Zn	13	11	n.d.	19	3
DSS-2	700	5.5	As	0.00324	0.00079	0.00233	0.00379	3
DSS-2	700	5.5	Cd	0.00035	0.00008	0.00027	0.00043	3
DSS-2	700	5.5	Cr	0.019	0.005	0.014	0.025	3
DSS-2	700	5.5	Cu	0.136	0.004	0.133	0.141	3
DSS-2	700	5.5	Ni	0.6	0.1	0.5	0.7	3
DSS-2	700	5.5	Pb	0.093	0.005	0.089	0.098	3
DSS-2	700	5.5	Zn	8.0	1.0	7.4	9.2	3
DSS-2	700	7	As	0.00063	0.00011	0.00056	0.00076	3
DSS-2	700	7	Cd	0.00014	0.00008	0.00005	0.00018	3
DSS-2	700	7	Cr	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.004	3
DSS-2	700	7	Cu	0.022	0.009	0.016	0.033	3
DSS-2	700	7	Ni	0.007	0.008	0.001	0.016	3
DSS-2	700	7	Pb	0.017	0.003	0.015	0.020	3
DSS-2	700	7	Zn	0.05	0.04	0.02	0.10	3
DSS-2	700	UA	As	0.00004	0.00001	0.00003	0.00005	3
DSS-2	700	UA	Cd	0.00014	0.00003	0.00011	0.00018	3
DSS-2	700	UA	Cr	0.003	0.002	0.001	0.005	3
DSS-2	700	UA	Cu	0.017	0.001	0.016	0.018	3
DSS-2	700	UA	Ni	0.004	0.006	0.000	0.011	3
DSS-2	700	UA	Pb	0.014	0.003	0.011	0.016	3
DSS-2	700	UA	Zn	0.051	0.008	0.046	0.060	3
DSS-2	800	4	As	0.00050	0.00013	0.00036	0.00059	3
DSS-2	800	4	Cd	0.00014	0.00018	0.00001	0.00035	3
DSS-2	800	4	Cr	0.20	0.01	0.19	0.21	3
DSS-2	800	4	Cu	0.08	0.02	0.07	0.11	3
DSS-2	800	4	Ni	0.44	0.03	0.43	0.47	3
DSS-2	800	4	Pb	0.038	0.007	0.032	0.046	3
DSS-2	800	4	Zn	9.4	0.3	9.2	9.7	3
DSS-2	800	5.5	As	0.00284	0.00039	0.00251	0.00328	3
DSS-2	800	5.5	Cd	0.00012	0.00005	0.00007	0.00017	3
DSS-2	800	5.5	Cr	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.003	3

DSS-2	800	5.5	Cu	0.04	0.01	0.03	0.06	3
DSS-2	800	5.5	Ni	0.07	0.02	0.06	0.10	3
DSS-2	800	5.5	Pb	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.06	3
DSS-2	800	5.5	Zn	1.97	0.04	1.93	2.00	3
DSS-2	800	7	As	0.000030	0.000001	0.000029	0.000030	3
DSS-2	800	7	Cd	0.000066	0.000033	0.000032	0.000098	3
DSS-2	800	7	Cr	0.008	0.009	0.001	0.018	3
DSS-2	800	7	Cu	0.028	0.009	0.023	0.039	3
DSS-2	800	7	Ni	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.03	3
DSS-2	800	7	Pb	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.04	3
DSS-2	800	7	Zn	0.071	0.006	0.068	0.078	3
DSS-2	800	UA	As	0.0011	0.0003	0.0007	0.0014	3
DSS-2	800	UA	Cd	0.0002	0.0002	0.0000	0.0004	3
DSS-2	800	UA	Cr	0.0009	0.0002	0.0008	0.0011	3
DSS-2	800	UA	Cu	0.023	0.001	0.021	0.024	3
DSS-2	800	UA	Ni	0.002	0.002	0.000	0.005	3
DSS-2	800	UA	Pb	0.013	0.002	0.011	0.015	3
DSS-2	800	UA	Zn	0.06	0.01	0.05	0.07	3
WT	500	4	As	3.4	0.1	3.3	3.6	3
WT	500	4	Cd	0.069	0.008	0.060	0.074	3
WT	500	4	Cr	0.17	0.01	0.16	0.18	3
WT	500	4	Cu	0.64	0.02	0.62	0.67	3
WT	500	4	Ni	0.30	0.02	0.29	0.32	3
WT	500	4	Pb	7.0	0.8	6.0	7.5	3
WT	500	4	Zn	264	7	257	269	3
WT	500	5.5	As	3.0	0.1	2.9	3.1	3
WT	500	5.5	Cd	0.054	0.007	0.046	0.058	3
WT	500	5.5	Cr	0.10	0.02	0.09	0.12	3
WT	500	5.5	Cu	0.385	0.004	0.382	0.390	3
WT	500	5.5	Ni	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.4	3
WT	500	5.5	Pb	3.7	0.4	3.3	4.1	3
WT	500	5.5	Zn	219	9	211	229	3
WT	500	7	As	1.36	0.09	1.31	1.46	3
WT	500	7	Cd	0.0043	0.0006	0.0036	0.0049	3
WT	500	7	Cr	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
WT	500	7	Cu	0.008	0.004	0.006	0.013	3
WT	500	7	Ni	0.021	0.006	0.015	0.027	3
WT	500	7	Pb	0.018	0.007	0.011	0.025	3
WT	500	7	Zn	17	7	10	24	3
WT	500	UA	As	1.1	0.1	1.1	1.3	3
WT	500	UA	Cd	0.0003	0.0002	0.0001	0.0004	3
WT	500	UA	Cr	0.008	0.002	0.006	0.009	3
WT	500	UA	Cu	0.0045	0.0003	0.0042	0.0047	3
WT	500	UA	Ni	0.0004	0.0007	n.d.	0.0012	3

WT	500	UA	Pb	0.019	0.008	0.012	0.028	3
WT	500	UA	Zn	0.23	0.05	0.17	0.27	3
WT	600	4	As	4.5	0.2	4.2	4.6	3
WT	600	4	Cd	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3
WT	600	4	Cr	0.70	0.07	0.63	0.75	3
WT	600	4	Cu	0.29	0.02	0.27	0.32	3
WT	600	4	Ni	3.1	0.1	3.0	3.2	3
WT	600	4	Pb	13	1	11	14	3
WT	600	4	Zn	433	37	409	475	3
WT	600	5.5	As	0.08	0.06	0.03	0.14	3
WT	600	5.5	Cd	0.004	0.001	0.003	0.005	3
WT	600	5.5	Cr	0.003	0.006	n.d.	0.010	3
WT	600	5.5	Cu	0.06	0.02	0.03	0.08	3
WT	600	5.5	Ni	1.73	0.04	1.69	1.77	3
WT	600	5.5	Pb	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.5	3
WT	600	5.5	Zn	214	10	204	224	3
WT	600	7	As	0.27	0.03	0.24	0.31	3
WT	600	7	Cd	0.00048	0.00008	0.00043	0.00057	3
WT	600	7	Cr	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
WT	600	7	Cu	0.009	0.007	0.005	0.016	3
WT	600	7	Ni	0.22	0.02	0.21	0.24	3
WT	600	7	Pb	0.04	0.03	0.02	0.08	3
WT	600	7	Zn	29	11	18	40	3
WT	600	UA	As	0.53	0.02	0.51	0.55	3
WT	600	UA	Cd	0.00004	0.00007	n.d.	0.00012	3
WT	600	UA	Cr	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
WT	600	UA	Cu	0.004	0.003	0.002	0.007	3
WT	600	UA	Ni	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
WT	600	UA	Pb	0.045	0.007	0.037	0.050	3
WT	600	UA	Zn	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.04	3
WT	700	4	As	5.6	0.2	5.4	5.8	3
WT	700	4	Cd	0.0108	0.0009	0.0100	0.0118	3
WT	700	4	Cr	1.02	0.03	1.00	1.05	3
WT	700	4	Cu	0.24	0.02	0.23	0.27	3
WT	700	4	Ni	3.9	0.3	3.7	4.3	3
WT	700	4	Pb	4.2	0.2	3.9	4.4	3
WT	700	4	Zn	67	6	60	73	3
WT	700	5.5	As	2.6	0.2	2.3	2.8	3
WT	700	5.5	Cd	0.0067	0.0002	0.0064	0.0068	3
WT	700	5.5	Cr	0.46	0.05	0.41	0.51	3
WT	700	5.5	Cu	0.21	0.04	0.17	0.24	3
WT	700	5.5	Ni	3.0	0.1	2.9	3.1	3
WT	700	5.5	Pb	1.7	0.4	1.4	2.1	3
WT	700	5.5	Zn	52	5	47	57	3

WT	700	7	As	0.24	0.01	0.22	0.25	3
WT	700	7	Cd	0.0010	0.0002	0.0009	0.0012	3
WT	700	7	Cr	0.00003	0.00006	n.d.	0.00010	3
WT	700	7	Cu	0.012	0.003	0.009	0.015	3
WT	700	7	Ni	0.83	0.03	0.79	0.85	3
WT	700	7	Pb	0.027	0.003	0.024	0.030	3
WT	700	7	Zn	22	18	10	43	3
WT	700	UA	As	0.11	0.05	0.08	0.17	3
WT	700	UA	Cd	0.00004	0.00007	n.d.	0.00012	3
WT	700	UA	Cr	0.001	0.001	n.d.	0.002	3
WT	700	UA	Cu	0.0018	0.0001	0.0017	0.0018	3
WT	700	UA	Ni	0.0002	0.0004	n.d.	0.0007	3
WT	700	UA	Pb	0.024	0.001	0.022	0.025	3
WT	700	UA	Zn	0.01	0.01	n.d.	0.02	3
WT	800	4	As	5.7	0.7	5.2	6.5	3
WT	800	4	Cd	0.0053	0.0002	0.0051	0.0054	3
WT	800	4	Cr	1.4	0.2	1.3	1.6	3
WT	800	4	Cu	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.3	3
WT	800	4	Ni	3.52	0.06	3.46	3.58	3
WT	800	4	Pb	5	7	1	13	3
WT	800	4	Zn	24	3	22	27	3
WT	800	5.5	As	0.8	0.1	0.7	0.9	3
WT	800	5.5	Cd	0.0020	0.0006	0.0016	0.0027	3
WT	800	5.5	Cr	0.057	0.008	0.049	0.065	3
WT	800	5.5	Cu	0.11	0.01	0.09	0.12	3
WT	800	5.5	Ni	2.48	0.07	2.42	2.55	3
WT	800	5.5	Pb	0.08	0.01	0.07	0.09	3
WT	800	5.5	Zn	14.2	0.3	13.9	14.6	3
WT	800	7	As	0.36	0.07	0.30	0.43	3
WT	800	7	Cd	0.0007	0.0003	0.0003	0.0009	3
WT	800	7	Cr	0.001	0.002	n.d.	0.003	3
WT	800	7	Cu	0.025	0.007	0.020	0.033	3
WT	800	7	Ni	1.5	0.1	1.4	1.6	3
WT	800	7	Pb	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.04	3
WT	800	7	Zn	8	1	6	9	3
WT	800	UA	As	0.011	0.009	0.003	0.021	3
WT	800	UA	Cd	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
WT	800	UA	Cr	0.003	0.002	n.d.	0.005	3
WT	800	UA	Cu	0.0018	0.0001	0.0017	0.0018	3
WT	800	UA	Ni	n.d.	-	n.d.	n.d.	3
WT	800	UA	Pb	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.03	3
WT	800	UA	Zn	0.010	0.010	n.d.	0.019	3

6 *Table S.10: Leachable fractions ( $F_{leachable}$ , %) of selected heavy metals from biochars at different pH*  
7 *UA = unaltered pH*

Feedstock	Pyr.temp (°C)	pH	As	Cd	Cr	Cu	Ni	Pb	Zn
CWC	530	UA	9.2	22.73	0.03	0.05	0.05	24.25	0.77
CWC	530	7	8.6	7.51	0.03	0.08	3.55	26.88	3.36
CWC	530	5.5	15.9	80.75	0.29	0.28	29.10	37.12	17.31
CWC	530	4	33.8	67.72	1.82	1.07	53.74	121.17	24.84
CWC	600	UA	17.6	7.08	n.d.	0.10	0.07	103.44	0.96
CWC	600	7	15.1	36.83	n.d.	0.07	8.64	81.39	5.02
CWC	600	5.5	26.4	20.67	1.62	0.84	52.40	123.11	20.38
CWC	600	4	33.1	59.20	2.96	1.15	72.61	143.84	25.23
CWC	700	UA	40.5	10.34	n.d.	0.16	0.00	48.16	2.56
CWC	700	7	21.2	32.43	n.d.	0.12	34.32	59.63	16.54
CWC	700	5.5	38.1	102.72	6.17	0.39	85.57	82.77	39.30
CWC	700	4	47.6	75.18	9.31	0.40	105.45	95.76	45.64
CWC	750	UA	21.1	4.34	n.d.	0.10	0.00	10.51	0.26
CWC	750	7	25.0	0.00	n.d.	0.03	15.80	8.50	3.66
CWC	750	5.5	31.2	21.43	2.07	0.21	68.71	16.13	33.62
CWC	750	4	52.1	21.59	8.33	0.31	103.45	18.98	51.42
WT	500	UA	2.07	0.03	0.007	0.004	0.00	0.02	0.02
WT	500	7	2.48	0.38	n.d.	0.01	0.19	0.02	1.41
WT	500	5.5	5.38	4.79	0.10	0.35	3.24	3.28	18.29
WT	500	4	6.25	6.11	0.16	0.58	2.75	6.15	22.00
WT	600	UA	0.83	0.08	n.d.	0.002	0.00	0.05	0.00
WT	600	7	0.42	1.00	n.d.	0.01	1.08	0.04	1.92
WT	600	5.5	0.13	9.17	0.002	0.04	8.49	0.28	13.99
WT	600	4	6.93	28.14	0.45	0.18	15.09	13.97	28.22
WT	700	UA	0.18	0.06	0.0004	0.001	0.00	0.05	0.00
WT	700	7	0.37	1.52	0.00002	0.01	3.84	0.06	8.19
WT	700	5.5	4.06	9.73	0.28	0.16	13.82	3.74	19.88
WT	700	4	8.90	15.70	0.62	0.19	18.10	9.24	25.40
WT	800	UA	0.02	0.00	0.002	0.001	0.00	0.11	0.01
WT	800	7	0.61	3.15	0.001	0.02	6.97	0.12	6.96
WT	800	5.5	1.29	8.77	0.04	0.07	11.61	0.34	13.19
WT	800	4	9.55	23.26	1.03	0.12	16.50	19.91	21.90
DSS-1	500	UA	0.015	0.01	0.009	0.02	0.05	0.10	0.00
DSS-1	500	5.5	0.021	0.96	0.003	0.02	0.15	0.14	0.92
DSS-1	500	4	0.091	8.10	0.03	0.10	1.38	0.21	8.26
DSS-1	600	UA	0.021	0.04	0.003	0.01	0.01	0.12	0.00
DSS-1	600	5.5	0.018	0.72	0.007	0.02	0.39	0.20	0.31
DSS-1	600	4	0.025	3.30	0.007	0.06	1.24	0.20	1.62
DSS-1	700	UA	0.15	0.22	0.006	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.00
DSS-1	700	7	0.052	0.44	0.011	0.01	0.23	0.18	0.48

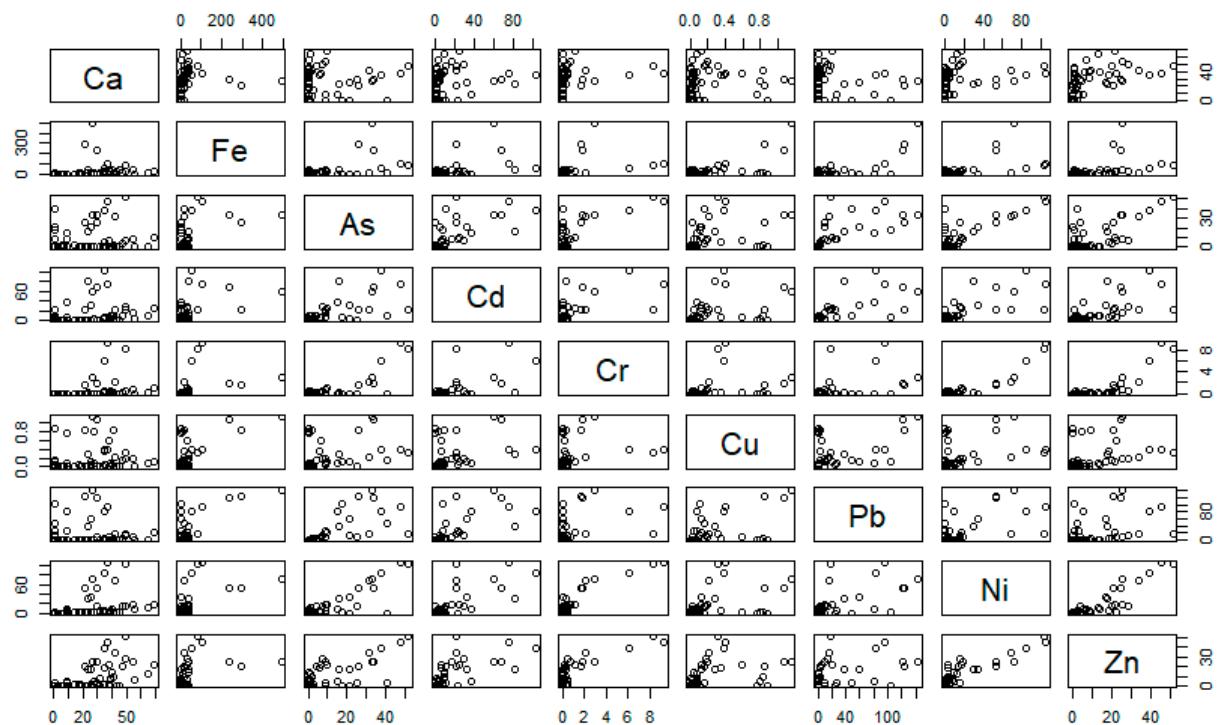
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DSS-1	700	4	0.049	0.25	0.011	0.01	0.29	0.12	0.65
DSS-1	770	UA	0.043	0.17	0.002	0.01	0.00	0.05	0.00
DSS-1	770	7	0.0007	0.21	0.003	0.01	0.01	0.16	0.03
DSS-1	770	5.5	0.16	0.47	0.007	0.03	0.33	0.16	0.36
DSS-1	770	4	0.047	0.17	0.013	0.01	0.15	0.12	0.67
DSS-2	500	UA	0.048	0.04	0.008	0.88	0.00	0.27	0.22
DSS-2	500	7	0.026	0.11	0.007	0.77	0.06	0.27	0.31
DSS-2	500	5.5	0.43	3.03	0.03	0.79	0.90	0.57	4.29
DSS-2	500	4	1.51	8.15	0.23	0.84	2.40	3.90	9.22
DSS-2	600	UA	0.009	0.38	0.012	0.01	0.00	0.14	0.01
DSS-2	600	7	0.004	0.20	0.005	0.02	0.14	0.15	0.07
DSS-2	600	5.5	0.061	1.25	0.005	0.05	1.80	0.40	1.77
DSS-2	600	4	0.84	4.36	0.40	0.03	3.54	1.03	6.44
DSS-2	700	UA	0.001	0.59	0.006	0.01	0.01	0.09	0.01
DSS-2	700	7	0.015	0.57	0.004	0.01	0.02	0.11	0.01
DSS-2	700	5.5	0.08	1.46	0.04	0.06	1.80	0.58	1.28
DSS-2	700	4	0.17	1.71	0.22	0.02	3.72	0.35	2.01
DSS-2	800	UA	0.025	2.67	0.002	0.01	0.01	0.10	0.01
DSS-2	800	7	0.0007	0.78	0.02	0.01	0.05	0.19	0.01
DSS-2	800	5.5	0.07	1.38	0.003	0.02	0.21	0.25	0.31
DSS-2	800	4	0.011	1.63	0.40	0.04	1.30	0.30	1.47

Table S.11: Linear regression analyses of how leachable concentrations of heavy metals (As, Ba, Cd, Co, Cr, Cu, Mo, Ni, Pb, Sr, V and Zn) correlate to pyrolysis temperature (500-800 °C) at different target pH levels (UA=unaltered pH of biochar, 7, 5.5 and 4)

Feedstock	pH	As	Ba	Cd	Co	Cr	Cu	Mo	Ni	Pb	Sr	V	Zn
CWC	UA	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.381, p=0.033	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.540, p=0.0065	p>0.05	p>0.05	Negative, R- 0.369, p=0.036	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.834, p=0.00003	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.433, p=0.0199	p>0.05	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.905, p=0.000002	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.649, p=0.0016
	7	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.480, p=0.013	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =840, p=0.00003	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.490, p=0.011	p>0.05	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.525, p=0.0077	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.386, p=0.031	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =836, p=0.00003	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.755, p=0.00025	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.725, p=0.0004
	5.5	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.894, 0.000004	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.735, p=0.00036	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =847, p=0.000002	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.972, p=0.00000004
	4	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.866, p=0.00001	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.846, p=0.00002	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.663, p=0.0013	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.856, p=0.00001	p>0.05	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.342, p=0.046	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =782, p=0.0001	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.838, p=0.00003	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.918, p=0.0000009
WT	UA	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.651, p=0.0003	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.845, p=0.000001	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05
	7	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.526, p=0.008	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.519, p=0.008	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.927, p=0.0000005	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.531, p=0.007	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.946, p=0.0000001	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.943, p=0.0000002	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.728, p=0.0004	p>0.05
	5.5	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.715, p=0.004	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.919, p=0.00005	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.826, p=0.0007	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =976, p=0.0000006	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =758, p=0.0022	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.750, p=0.0026	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.954, p=0.000006	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.956, p=0.000005	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.972, p=0.00001
	4	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.802, p=0.00008	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.695, p=0.0008	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.875, p=0.000005	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.966, p=0.0000001	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.713, p=0.0006	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =483, p=0.012	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.679, p=0.00099	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.983, p=3x10-10	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.799, p=0.00009	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.547, p=0.0060
DSS-1	UA	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.475, p=0.013	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.885, p=0.000003	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05
	5.5	p>0.05	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.641, p=0.002	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.409, p=0.015	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =490, p=0.011	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.768, p=0.0002	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.376, p=0.034	p>0.05
	4	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.789, p=0.0001	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.763, p=0.0002	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.953, p=0.0000006	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.317, p=0.027	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =601, p=0.003	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.860, p=0.00001	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.547, p=0.0060	Positive, R <sup>2</sup> =0.691, p=0.0008	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.775, p=0.00016
DSS-2	A	p>0.05	p>0.05	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.509, p=0.0091	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.691, p=0.0008	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =589, p=0.0036	p>0.05	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.714, p=0.00054	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.658, p=0.0014	p>0.05	Negative, R <sup>2</sup> =0.603, p=0.0030

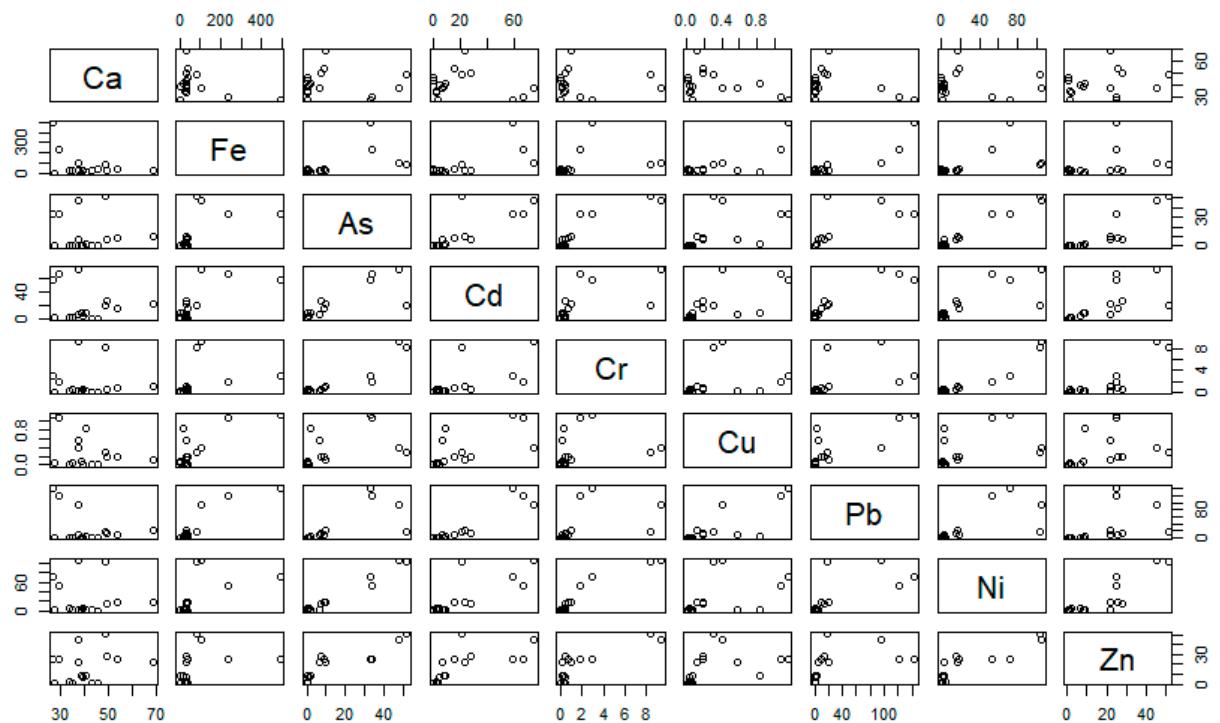
	7	Negative, R2=0.492. p=0.011	Negative, R2=0.764, p=0.00020	Negative, R2=0.615, p=0.003	Negative, R2=0.885, p=0.000005	p>0.05	Negative, R2=0.606, p=0.0028	p>0.05	Negative, R2=0.360, p=0.0392	Negative, R2=0.508, p=0.0093	Negative, R2=0.807, p=0.00007	p>0.05	Negative, R2=0.669, p=0.0012
	5.5	Negative, R2=0.554, p=0.005	Negative, R2=0.940, p=0.000002	Negative, R2=0.629, p=0.002	Negative, R2=0.570, p=0.0045	Negative, R2=0.405, p=0.026	Negative, R2=0.632, p=0.0020	p>0.05	Negative, R2=0.504, p=0.0097	Negative, R2=0.520, p=0.0082	Negative, R2=0.785, p=0.00012	p>0.05	Negative, R2=0.810, p=0.00007
	4	Negative, R2=0.869, p=0.00001	Negative, R2=0.885, p=0.000003	Negative, R2=0.645, p=0.002	Negative, R2=0.725, p=0.0004	p>0.05	Negative, R2=0.589, p=0.0036	p>0.05	Negative, R2=0.752, p=0.00026	Negative, R2=0.595, p=0.0033	p>0.05	p>0.05	Negative, R2=0.875, p=0.000008

Figure S.4. Correlation matrix for elements (Ca, Fe, As, Cd, Cr, Cu, Pb, Ni, Zn) in eluates from leaching tests done at different pH levels (unaltered, 7, 5.5 and 4) for all biochars (CWC, WT, DSS-1, DSS-2).



	Ca	Fe	As	Cd	Cr	Cu	Pb	Ni	Zn
Ca	1.000000000	0.1726529	0.1540811	0.2354766	0.2876173	0.1307351	0.009698289	0.3505022	0.5821665
Fe	0.172652870	1.0000000	0.5093697	0.5084934	0.4092420	0.6686050	0.750466534	0.5914883	0.4556349
As	0.154081073	0.5093697	1.0000000	0.7024839	0.7679087	0.4170927	0.733251616	0.8574555	0.7457586
Cd	0.235476573	0.5084934	0.7024839	1.0000000	0.6505961	0.4502810	0.733659374	0.7696494	0.7118083
Cr	0.287617302	0.4092420	0.7679087	0.6505961	1.0000000	0.3231032	0.484405150	0.9121694	0.8103151
Cu	0.130735073	0.6686050	0.4170927	0.4502810	0.3231032	1.0000000	0.565331221	0.4558357	0.4383954
Pb	0.009698289	0.7504665	0.7332516	0.7336594	0.4844052	0.5653312	1.000000000	0.6517857	0.4989957
Ni	0.350502185	0.5914883	0.8574555	0.7696494	0.9121694	0.4558357	0.651785695	1.0000000	0.8913529
Zn	0.582166501	0.4556349	0.7457586	0.7118083	0.8103151	0.4383954	0.498995688	0.8913529	1.0000000

Figure S.5. Correlation matrix for elements (Ca, Fe, As, Cd, Cr, Cu, Pb, Ni, Zn) in eluates from leaching tests done at pH 4 for all biochars (CWC, WT, DSS-1, DSS-2).



	Ca	Fe	As	Cd	Cr	Cu	Pb	Ni	Zn
Ca	1.000000000	-0.3990446	-0.07142635	-0.1845403	0.005233809	-0.3820412	-0.3731715	-0.07908247	0.2399463
Fe	-0.399044625	1.0000000	0.57413786	0.7044071	0.311129512	0.7609935	0.8996154	0.57196318	0.3385140
As	-0.071426347	0.5741379	1.000000000	0.8035358	0.917105358	0.5174615	0.7223836	0.98891425	0.8825131
Cd	-0.184540301	0.7044071	0.80353581	1.0000000	0.640554493	0.6652383	0.9297767	0.79536474	0.6894270
Cr	0.005233809	0.3111295	0.91710536	0.6405545	1.000000000	0.2381353	0.4918835	0.94590654	0.8346080
Cu	-0.382041238	0.7609935	0.51746151	0.6652383	0.238135296	1.0000000	0.7804432	0.46236512	0.3918110
Pb	-0.373171460	0.8996154	0.72238357	0.9297767	0.491883490	0.7804432	1.0000000	0.71069741	0.5032303
Ni	-0.079082472	0.5719632	0.98891425	0.7953647	0.945906545	0.4623651	0.7106974	1.00000000	0.8673925
Zn	0.239946279	0.3385140	0.88251313	0.6894270	0.834607985	0.3918110	0.5032303	0.86739251	1.0000000

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