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2) *Inherent Moisture* : The Fig. 7 shows the influence of the composition of carbonized corn cobs, carbonized banana peels and carbonized fine coal waste on the inherent moisture content of biobriquette. If the percentage of carbonized banana peels and carbonized corn cobs ratio was increased, the inherent moisture of biobriquette was increased from 5.14 % to 8.82 %. The increasing of inherent moisture of this biobriquette was caused by the inherent moisture of banana peels higher than inherent moisture of corn cobs. This inherent moisture of all biobriquette composition were matched with standard  $\leq 8\%$ , except for carbonized banana peels and carbonized corn cobs ratio more than 50:30.

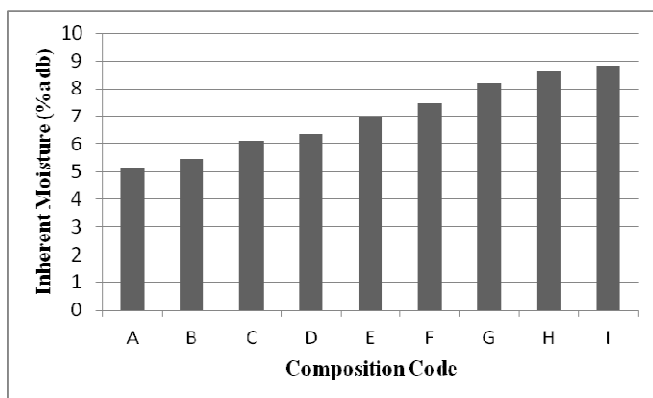


Fig. 7 Influence of composition of carbonized corn cobs, carbonized banana peels and carbonized fine coal waste on inherent moisture content of biobriquette

3) *Ash Content* : The Fig. 8 shows the influence of the composition of carbonized corn cobs, carbonized banana peels and carbonized fine coal waste on ash content of biobriquette. This Fig. 8 represents the percentage of carbonized banana peels and carbonized corn cobs ratio was increased, the ash content of biobriquette was increased from 6.06 % to 16.82 %. The increasing of the ash content of this biobriquette was caused by ash content of banana peels higher than ash content of corn cobs. These ash content of all biobriquette composition were matched with standard  $\leq 8\%$ , except for carbonized banana peels and carbonized corn cobs ratio more than 10:70.

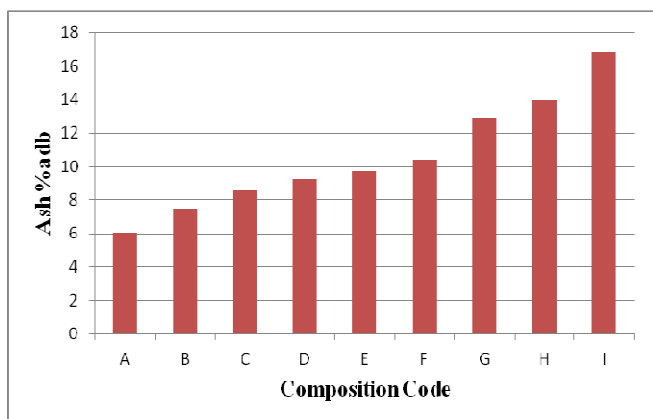


Fig. 8 Influence of carbonized corn cobs, carbonized banana peels and carbonized fine coal waste composition on ash content of biobriquette

4) *Volatile Matter* : The Fig. 9 indicates the influence of the composition of carbonized corn cobs, carbonized banana peels and carbonized fine coal waste on volatile matter content of biobriquette. Increasing of carbonized banana peels and carbonized corn cobs ratio, the volatile matter content of biobriquette increased from 26.18 to 42.2 % adb. The increasing of volatile matter of biobriquette was influenced by volatile matter content of banana peels higher than volatile matter content of corn cobs.

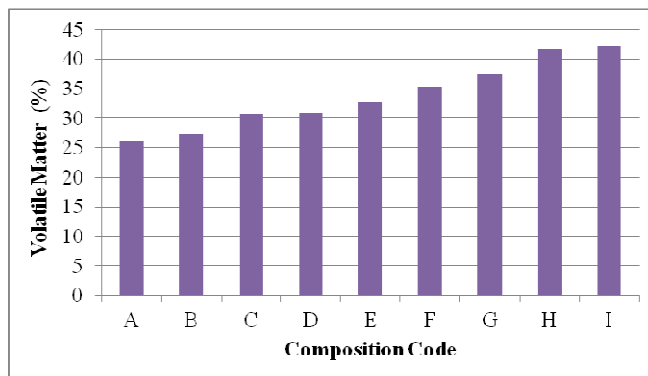


Fig. 9 Influence of carbonized corn cobs, carbonized banana peels and carbonized fine coal waste composition (%w/w) on volatile matter content of biobriquette

5) *Fixed Carbon* : Influence of carbonized corn cobs, carbonized banana peels ratio in biobriquette on fixed carbon content is presented in Fig. 10 as following. Fig. 10 represents an increase of carbonized banana peels and carbonized corn cobs ratio, while the fixed carbon content of biobriquette was decreased from 62.62 to 32.16 % adb. The decreasing of fixed carbon content of biobriquette was caused by fixed carbon content of banana peels less than fixed carbon content of corn cobs. These fixed carbon contents of all biobriquette composition did not match to the standard ( $\geq 77\%$ ).

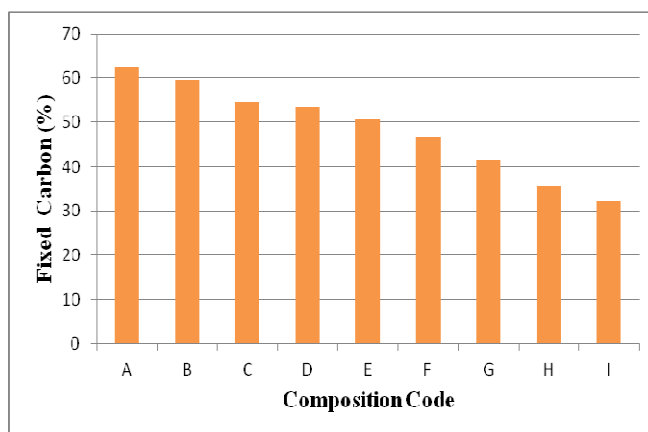


Fig. 10 Influence of carbonized corn cobs, carbonized banana peels and carbonized fine coal waste composition on fixed carbon content of biobriquette

#### IV. CONCLUSION

After the carbonization, the calorific value of coal, corn cobs and banana peels were increased, but for the banana peel, the calorific value was decreased with the increasing of carbonization temperature range from 300°C - 500°C.

The highest calorific value of 6,386 kcal/kg of carbonized corn cobs was measured at a temperature of 500°C. The highest calorific value of 6,042 kcal/kg of carbonized banana peels was obtained at a temperature of 300°C, and for carbonized fine coal waste at 500°C, the calorific value was of 6,330 kcal/g.

The percentage of carbonized banana peels and carbonized corn cobs ratio was increased, the calorific value of biobriquette was decreased. The highest calorific value of biobriquette of 6,297 kcal/kg was obtained for the composition of carbonized coal, carbonized corn cobs and carbonized banana peels ratio was of 20:80:00. In general calorific value of all biobriquette composition were higher than standard calorific  $\geq 5,000$  kcal/kg. It is recommended that in the future research, characterization of flue gas of biobriquette combustion should be measured.

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