

Pacific Biodiesel is demonstrating a model of regenerative agriculture and renewable energy in Hawai'i that's helping to fight climate change, support energy security and food sovereignty in our island state, and grow Hawai'i's circular economy.

In early 2024, Pacific Biodiesel announced its expansion of agriculture operations to Kaua'i, part of a federally funded project to develop a model for regenerative agriculture-based biofuel produced in Hawai'i from multiple locally grown oilseed cover crops. The company's farming will initially be done on Gay & Robinson land, utilizing new and existing fields for oilseed cover crops in rotation with other food and fuel crops.

The company's first 100-acre field of sunflowers in Kaumakani was planted after a Blessing on Earth Day.

The project's model will include expanded production of culinary oils and other value-added food products, meal for animal feed, biodiesel, and co-products from biodiesel production such as glycerin and potassium salt-cake, which can be used as non-petroleum fertilizer for local agriculture.

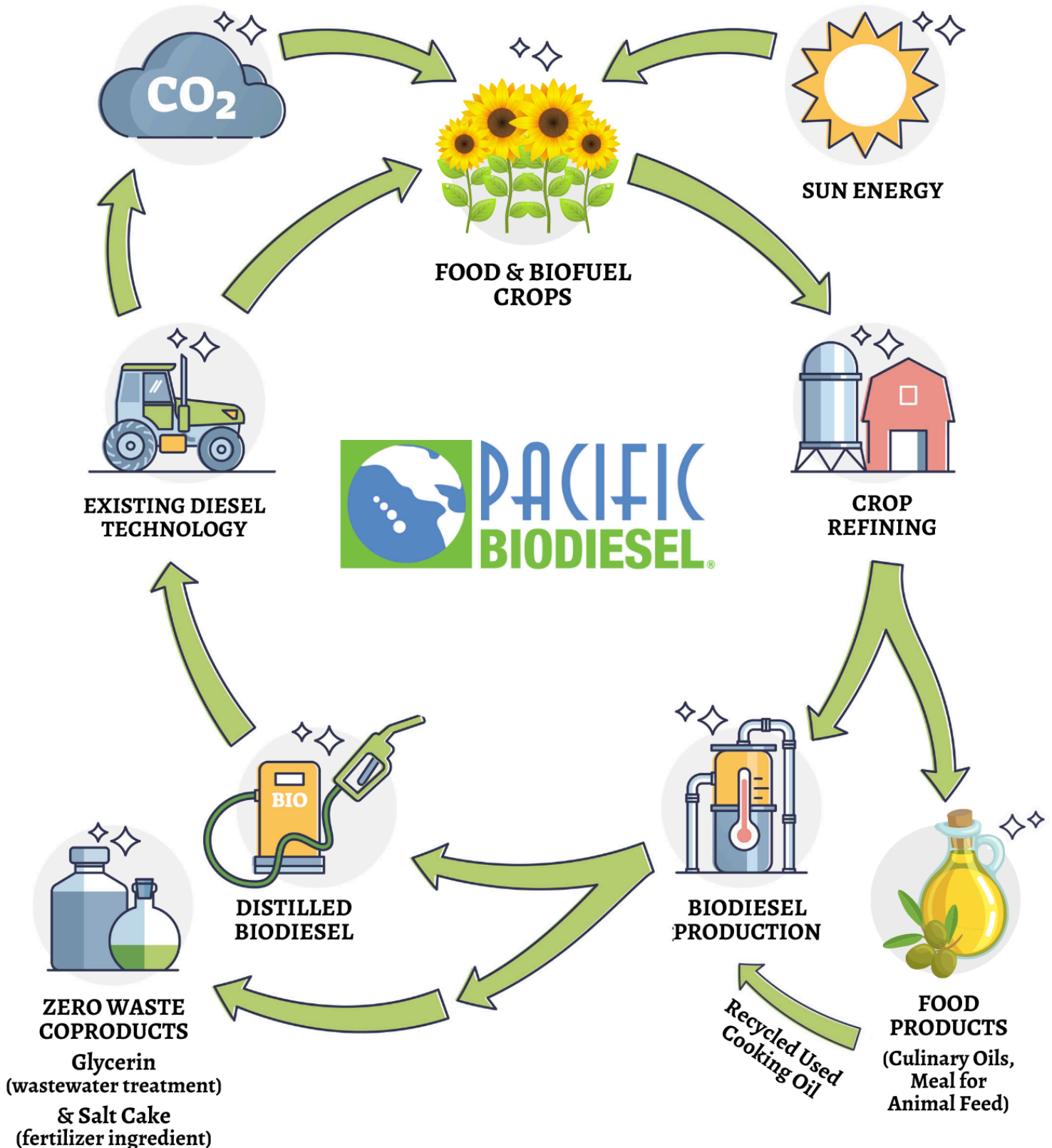
Founded on Maui in 1995, Pacific Biodiesel is the longest operating biodiesel producer in the USA and the only commercial producer of liquid biofuels in the state. The company recycles used cooking oil from restaurants statewide to annually produce 6 million gallons of distilled biodiesel at its refinery on Hawai'i Island. Pacific Biodiesel founders Bob and Kelly King are regeneratively farming sunflowers and other oilseed cover crops on Maui and Kaua'i for food first, then fuel. Their company Maiden Hawai'i Naturals, LLC produces culinary oils for restaurants and the used cooking oil is later recycled by Pacific Biodiesel to produce its 100% renewable fuel for Hawaii.

To learn more, visit <https://biodiesel.com/agriculture-and-energy/>

PLEASE, NO TRESPASSING. The sunflowers and other crops farmed by Pacific Biodiesel on Maui and Kaua'i are located on private property. For safety and security reasons, and in accordance with the private landowners' policies, no public parking or unauthorized access to the farm sites is allowed. Learn more and sign up for our company newsletter at Biodiesel.com and follow @pacificbiodiesel on social media for updates on future events. Mahalo for your cooperation!



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