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The abstract is:

Activated carbon is a well-studied material with applications in various fields owing to its distinct porosity and high surface area. In order to substitute fossil resources in AC production, recent efforts have focused on the utilization of renewable raw materials. Central and Northern Europe with their important wood industries offer two potentially underestimated, widely available, but challenging resource types: forestry residue biomass (FRB) and municipal waste wood (WW). One-step pyrolysis with an impregnation agent is a low-cost and efficient method for producing powdered activated carbon from biomass. Activation was carried out using FRB/WW feedstock and ZnCl 2 as the activating agent at gasification temperatures varying from 400 to 600 °C and residence times between 1 and 3 h. Overall, 72 samples were prepared and characterized thoroughly via elemental analysis, N 2 /CO 2 ad/-desorption, thermogravimetric analysis (TGA), scanning electron microscopy (SEM), and

infrared spectroscopy (FTIR). The produced carbons showed specific surface areas of up to 1430 m 2 g -1 and a pore size distribution with a micropore share of up to 80 %. The presence of oxygen-containing functional groups was

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confirmed. The presented study could be a next step in tapping the potential of local AC production using wood-based biomasses.

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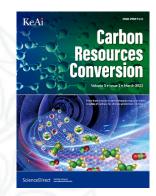
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