



INTEGRATED RESOURCE MANAGEMENT IN ASIAN CITIES

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Integrated Resource Management in Asian Cities: the Urban NEXUS (Water / Energy / Food Security / Land Use)



Participating countries:

- **China**
- **Indonesia**
- **Mongolia**
- **Philippines**
- **Thailand**
- **Vietnam**



Participating cities:

- Ba'nan, 920.000
- Rizaho, 2.880.000
- Weifang, 9.000.000
- Yogyakarta, 388.000
- Ulaanbaatar, 1.200.000
- Naga City, 180.000
- Santa Rosa, 330.000
- Chiang Mai, 150.000
- Korat, 180.000
- Da Nang, 900.000



Integrated Resource Management in Asian Cities: the urban Nexus (water, energy, food/land use)

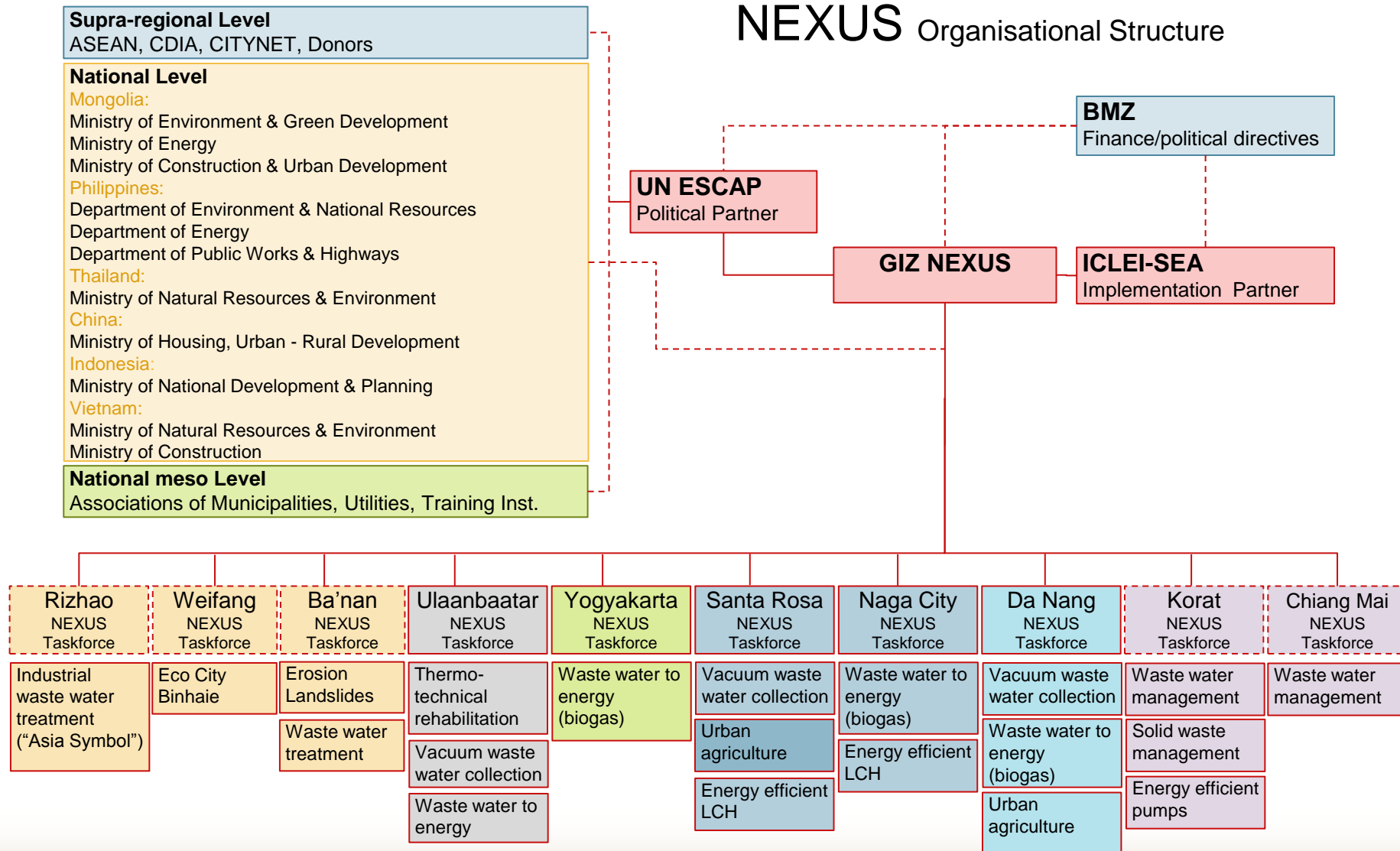
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- Political Partner: UN ESCAP (Bangkok, Thailand)
- Implementation Partner: International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives (ICLEI SEA)
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Approach:

- Introduction of innovative engineering technologies in the area of waste water and solid waste management, generation of energy, link to (urban) agriculture, EE in/of buildings
- Holistic/integrated urban planning/breaking open of „silo“ thinking (creation of Nexus Task Forces in cities)
- Multi level approach (micro, meso, macro, supraregional)
- Private sector, civil sector, state/communal
- Grounded/concrete demonstration projects/PFS/FS/scaling up



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Sustainable water solutions

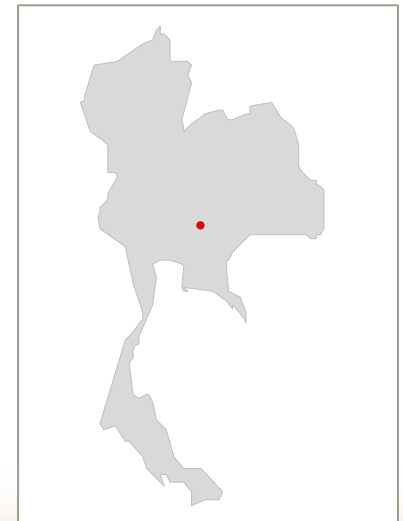
Korat (Nakhon Ratchasima), Thailand

Rationale

High electricity costs for water and waste water pumps (up to USD 50.000 per month)

Solution:

- Implementation of System Efficiency Service (SES) of water & waste water pumps;
- Comparison of energy saving potential if properly operated and maintained
- Comparison of energy saving potential if replaced by modern pumps representing state-of-the-art or overhaul
- Cost calculation for replacement or overhauling (cost recovery period)





Sustainable water solutions

Korat, Thailand, system efficiency survey of clean water pumps



3. Pump operating condition check at site.

Table 3-1 : Shown data from pump condition check at site.

Dutypoint according to pump's nameplate

Pump 1-6: Q 600 m³/hr, H 65 m., rated 292 A

Pump 7-9: Q 500 m³/hr, H 67 m., rated 288 A

| Pump Item | Flow (Q) Data | Flow (Q) Actual | Discharge Pressure (bar) | Suction Pressure (bar) | ΔP (bar) | Operating temp(°C) | Density (Kg/m ³) | TDH (m) | Current (Amp) | | | Voltage (Volt) | | | Power kW |
|-----------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|----------|-----------------------|---------------------------------|------------|---------------|-----|-----|----------------|--------|--------|-------------|
| | m ³ /h | m ³ /h | P1 | P2 | | T | ρ | H | R | S | T | R | S | T | |
| 1 | 600.00 | 600.00 | 4.10 | -0.400 | 4.50 | 25.00 | 997.0 | 46.01 | 249 | 250 | 254 | 401.80 | 400.70 | 398.10 | 149 |
| 2 | 600.00 | 600.00 | 5.60 | -0.400 | 6.00 | 25.00 | 997.0 | 61.35 | 285 | 286 | 289 | 400.30 | 398.90 | 396.30 | 161 |
| 3 | 600.00 | 536.00 | 6.30 | -0.400 | 6.70 | 25.00 | 997.0 | 68.50 | 286 | 286 | 291 | 398.50 | 397.30 | 394.80 | 170 |
| 4 | 600.00 | 820.00 | 3.80 | -0.50 | 4.30 | 25.00 | 997.0 | 43.96 | 309 | 326 | 329 | 400.40 | 399.30 | 396.30 | 184 |
| 5 | 600.00 | 600.00 | 6.10 | -0.35 | 6.45 | 25.00 | 997.0 | 65.95 | 279 | 297 | 274 | 401.00 | 400.60 | 397.00 | 155 |
| 6 | 600.00 | 600.00 | 6.20 | -0.30 | 6.50 | 25.00 | 997.0 | 66.46 | 285 | 296 | 289 | 401.40 | 400.40 | 396.90 | 170 |
| 7 | 500.00 | 500.00 | 1.00 | -0.20 | 1.20 | 25.00 | 997.0 | 12.27 | 226 | 239 | 229 | 397.00 | 393.80 | 390.90 | 138 |
| 8 | 500.00 | 500.00 | 1.70 | -0.20 | 1.90 | 25.00 | 997.0 | 19.43 | 234 | 246 | 235 | 393.60 | 390.30 | 387.50 | 140 |
| 9 | 500.00 | 500.00 | 6.90 | -0.15 | 7.05 | 25.00 | 997.0 | 72.08 | 306 | 287 | 281 | 387.50 | 385.10 | 388.30 | 167 |

Remark: The customer did not allow to adjust flow rate of Pump no.3,4

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| | Mean that the selected data are un acceptable reference from motor and pump nameplate. |
| | Pump nameplate data. |
| | Calculation information. |
| | Actual data from pump condition check on site. |





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Table 4-1: Shown energy saving with compared of old pump and new pump.

| On nomal operating condition. | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|------------------|--------------------|---|-------------------------|---|--|------------|--------------------|-------|
| | | | | Existing pump (no 9) | New Pump | | | | |
| Operating house per year | T _B | h/y | | 8,760.00 | | | | | |
| Flow rate | Q | m ³ /h | | 500 | 500 | | | | |
| Head | H | m | | 72.08 | 67.00 | | | | |
| Power consumption | P _{auf} | kW | | 167 | 120.8 | | | | |
| Flow per year | Q _J | m ³ /y | QJ=Q*TB | 4,380,000.00 | 4,380,000.00 | | | | |
| Specific energy requierement | E _s | kWh/m ³ | ES=Pauf/Q | 0.334 | 0.242 | | | | |
| Energy requirement per year | E _{J2} | kWh/y | EJ=QJ*ES | 1,462,920.00 | 1,058,208.00 | | | | |
| Saving energy per year | Ee ₂ | kWh/y | Ee ₂ =EJ _{Old pump} - EJ _{New pump} | | Return on Investment Period for Pump No.9 | | | | |
| | | | | | Exisiting Pump No.9 | | uses | 1.462.920 | kWh/y |
| Saving per year | | Baht/y | | | New Pump | | uses | 1.058.208 | kWh/y |
| | | | | | | | difference | 404.712 | kWh/y |
| | | | | | Electricity charges at | | | 3 Baht/Kwh | |
| | | | | | Total Energy saved per year | | | 1.214.136 Baht/y | |
| | | | | | Total Energy saved per month | | | 101.178 Baht/month | |
| | | | | | Cost of New Pump | | | 380.800 Baht | |
| | | | | | Return on Investment period | | | 3,76 months | |

*H 67 m. according to pump nameplate



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Korat (Nakhon Ratchasima), Thailand

Further steps in Korat

- Implementation of training of water & waste water pumps operating staff
- Introduction of log book (checklist) for regular maintenance & repair work
- Make clear relevance of continuous maintenance and repair of pumps
- Analysis of treated waste water (apt for agriculture?)
- Analysis of problems of biogas reactor (managerial problems and technical problems with regard to separation of organic waste from plastic)
- Elaboration of overall concept for solution of problems (long term perspective)

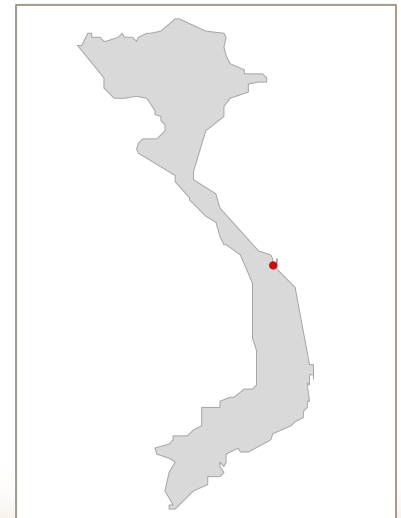
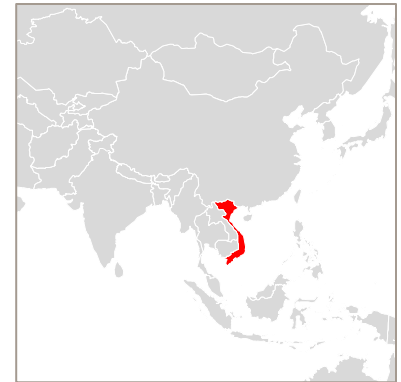


Sustainable waste water solutions

Da Nang, Vietnam, vacuum water collection

Rationale

- Waste water treatment plants (4) do only receive diluted waste water, no faeces
- Only grey water from kitchens and bathrooms are connected to the sewer lines
- Toilets are often not at all connected or only the effluent
- River and ground water has started to be contaminated (coli bacteria)
- World Bank has approved a waste water rehabilitation project Including pilot solutions for waste water collection and treatment





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Da Nang, Vietnam, vacuum waste water collection

Da Nang, Eastern coastal area, household survey

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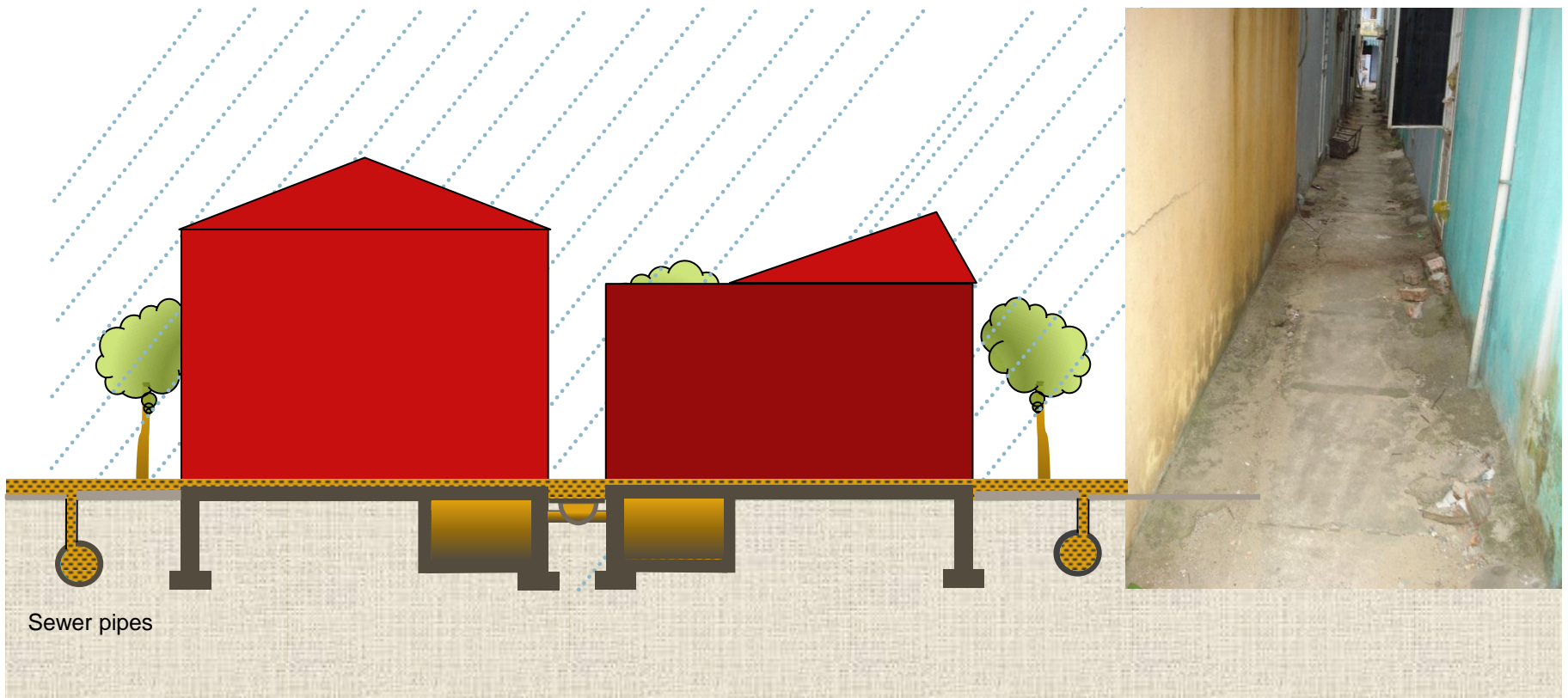
| | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|-----|--|-----|---|---------------------------------|----|-----|---|
| Total number of households | 110 | | | | | | | |
| Housholds interviewed | 79 | | 72 | % | Sanitary ware in the Households | | | |
| Interview denied | 8 | | 7 | % | Toilets | | | |
| Until now not interviewed | 23 | | 21 | % | yes | 79 | 100 | % |
| | | | | | no | 0 | 0 | % |
| Household owner lives in the house | 75 | | 95 | % | Shower | | | |
| House is rented | 4 | | 5 | % | yes | 74 | 94 | % |
| | | | | | no | 5 | 6 | % |
| House has a septic tank | 78 | | 99 | % | Bathtub | | | |
| House is directly connected | 1 | | 1 | % | yes | 13 | 16 | % |
| | | | | | no | 65 | 82 | % |
| Septic tank is located under the | | | | | Urinal | | | |
| bathroom | 70 | | 89 | % | yes | 36 | 46 | % |
| kitchen | 7 | | 9 | % | no | 43 | 54 | % |
| don't know | 1 | | 1 | % | Bidet | | | |
| | | | | | yes | 77 | 97 | % |
| House connected to the sewer | | | | | no | 2 | 3 | % |
| yes | 56 | | 71 | % | Kitchen sink | | | |
| no | 23 | | 29 | % | yes | 77 | 97 | % |
| | | | | | no | 2 | 3 | % |
| Household has water meter | | | | | Washing machine | | | |
| yes | 79 | | 100 | % | yes | 61 | 77 | % |
| no | 0 | | 0 | % | no | 18 | 23 | % |





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Da Nang, Vietnam, vacuum waste water collection





Sustainable waste water solutions

Vacuum sewer collection system

Source: RoeVac® Vacuum Sewer Systems

Why Vacuum Sewerage Systems?

- Vacuum sewerage systems are reducing the impact on the environment and have the lowest carbon footprint of any municipal sewerage system;
- Vacuum sewerage systems are collecting waste-water by vacuum means, thereby minimizing the risks to the Environment

Vacuum system offers important advantages:

- Closed systems with no leakage or smell
- No contamination of groundwater
- No infiltration of external water



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- Sewer and water pipes can be laid in a common trench



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Vacuum sewer system



Gravity sewer system



Advantages of vacuum systems for investors and operators:

- Lightweight small diam. sewer pipes, ease of installation;
- Shallow and small trenches;
- No manholes, no lift stations;
- Only one central vacuum station instead of many lift stations;
- Speed of construction is greatly increased;
- Greatly reduced construction costs;
- Flexible pipeline construction;
- Easy to lay pipelines around obstacles



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Vacuum sewerage system – kitchen waste

Kitchen bio waste

- Kitchen bio waste is processed alongside domestic wastewater
- The kitchen is equipped with an appliance for shredding kitchen waste.
- Installed under the kitchen sink, adds shredded bio waste to the wastewater outflow

Main advantage of treating wastewater and kitchen waste together:

- no hygienic problems or odours from waste containers
- the organic kitchen waste substantially increases the biogas yield of the wastewater treatment plant
- Higher volume of biogas





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Case study

Source: RoeVac® Vacuum Sewer Systems

Real Case Study Middle East (Fujairah)

Project perfectly suitable for a vacuum sewer system :

- Flat terrain, no natural slopes;
- Sandy, unstable soils;
- Coastal area with high ground water table;
- Long stretched development with a long pipe network;
- Low-density area with 7.500 PE;





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Gravity sewerage system – case study

Source: RoeVac® Vacuum Sewer Systems

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|---|--------------------|
| Gravity Sewer Lines (S&I) | 1.600.000 € |
| Manholes (S&I) | 1.000.000 € |
| 5 pumping stations (civil + M&E) (estimated S&I) | 180.000 € |
| Odour control unit for | 50.000 € |
| TOTAL approx. | 2.830.000 € |

Gravity Total 2.830.000 €

Vacuum Total 1.680.000 €

Cost savings 1.150.000 € or ~ 40 %

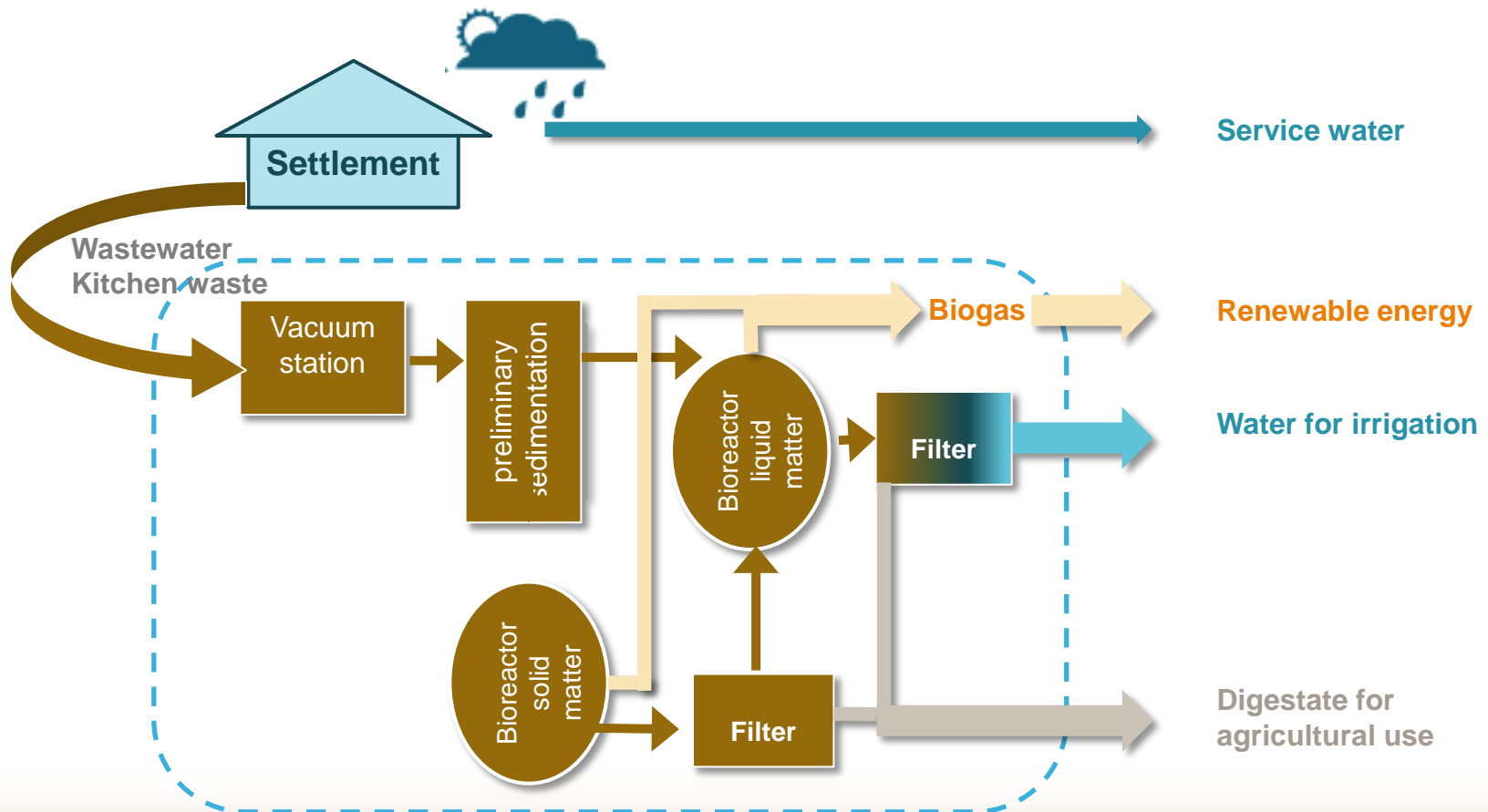
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| Vacuum Sewer Lines (S&I) | 500.000 € |
| Inspections pipes and division valves (S&I) | 40.000 € |
| Collection chambers (S&I) 350 nos. G75 3") | 700.000 € |
| Vacuum station (S&I) | 350.000 € |
| Customs and transport costs | 90.000 € |
| TOTAL approx. | 1.680.000 € |

S&I: Supply & Installation / Length of the pipe-lines:
18.000 meter



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Vacuum sewerage system – biogas production





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Vacuum sewerage system – urban agriculture



Vegetables fertilized by the digested black water,
Chentang Village, in Chengdu City, Jiangsu Province of China

- Irrigation of agriculturally used areas
- No further energy intensive treatment necessary
- Nitrogen and phosphate remain in the irrigation water as fertiliser



Urban agriculture in Da Nang, Vietnam



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Vacuum sewerage system – soil production

- The remaining sludge after the anaerobic treatment is not contaminated with heavy metal
- The sludge can be used directly for agricultural purposes
- The sludge can be dewatered and grated up to top soil fertiliser



Conditioning of sludge after digestion





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Samples for Decentralized Infrastructure solutions





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Pilot scale engineering Germany, Hamburg, Jenfelder Au



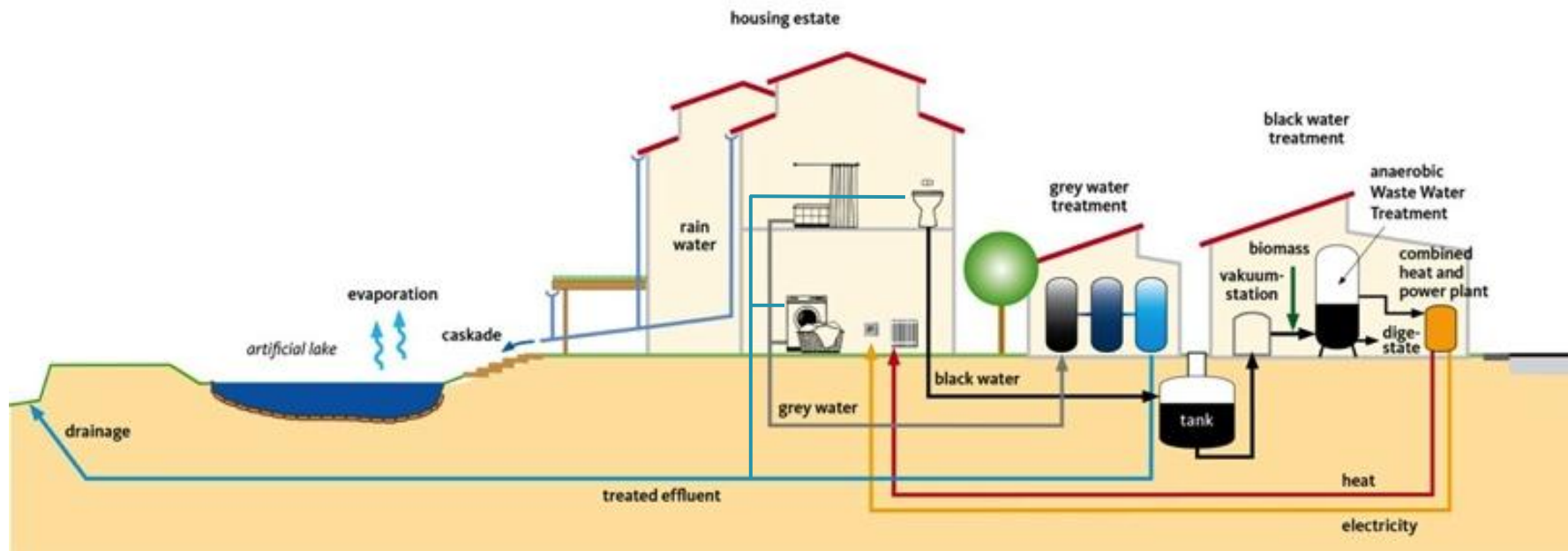
- Separate collection and treatment of waste water
- Optimal energetic use of energy from waste water
- Heating provision through combined heat and power plant using bio and natural gas
- Thermally insulated buildings with airtight sealed envelop
- Subsidies from banks (KfW) for house owners



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Pilot scale engineering Germany, Hamburg, Jenfelder Au

Flow chart





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The Palm Jumeirah, United Arab Emirates

The Palm Jumeirah - United Arab Emirates

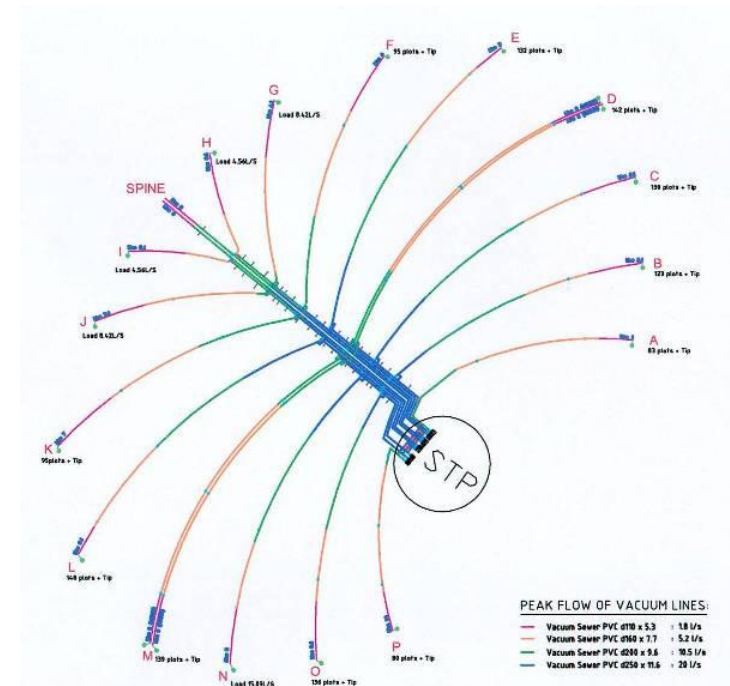
- 2,300 villas;
- 1200 vacuum collection chambers;
- 23,000 PE;
- No network manholes;
- Shallow trenches;
- One central vacuum station instead of several pump stations;
- Considerable savings of construction cost and time;



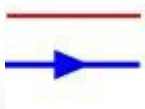


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The Palm Jumeirah, United Arab Emirates



Vacuum chamber



Service line connection d 90

Main line (d 110 – d 250)

... approx. 40 km vacuum sewer lines...



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Pilot scale engineering Brunei

Brunei National Housing - Brunei

- New residential area;
- Approximately 13,000 PE;
- 402 Vacuum chambers;
- Approximately 13 km vacuum network;
- One central vacuum station:
 - Vacuum pumps: 12 x 15 kW
 - Discharge pumps: 2 x 22 kW
 - Tanks: 3 x 25 m³
- Short construction period (24 months);





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