







Report

WORKSHOP on "MONITORING OF WASTEWATER SYSTEMS IN URBAN REGIONS"

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Legal Regulations - Technical Requirements - Analytical Requirements





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1 Introduction

1.1 Background: AKIZ Project

Vietnam has an increasing number of more than 200 industrial zones which are without sustainable wastewater treatment. Within the AKIZ Project ("AKIZ" = "Integriertes Abwasserkonzept für Industriezonen", "Integrated Wastewater Management for Industrial Zones"), concepts for the Tra Noc Industrial Zone in Can Tho in the Vietnamese Mekong Delta shall be developed to secure the efficiency and sustainable operation of the whole wastewater system including all its technological components and the combination of centralized and decentralized treatment solutions.

Within the frame of six sub-projects, German and Vietnamese research and industrial partners jointly perform the research work and practical application of the pilot systems in Tra Noc together with relevant local authorities. Furthermore, the project is conducted in cooperation with ODA partners, like GIZ and KFW.

The joint project is sponsored by the German Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF) and the Ministry of Science and Technology of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam (MOST).

The six AKIZ Sub-projects are

- TP 1: Coordination of the joint research project and development of an integrated management concept
- TP 2: Elimination of toxic substances by chemical and physical treatment
- TP 3: Anaerobic industrial wastewater treatment with energy recovery
- TP 4: Recovery of valuable materials by membrane filtration
- TP 5: Development and operation of a containerized laboratory and monitoring concept
- TP 6: Sewage sludge management concepts

Within Sub-project 5, a monitoring concept and the development and operation of a containerized laboratory will be established. The monitoring concept has to take into consideration the local and regional situation in terms of environmental, legal, organisational and institutional as well economic circumstances with regard to tasks of wastewater monitoring.

1.2 Workshop on Monitoring and Visit of Delegation of MOST

The Workshop on "Monitoring of Wastewater Systems in Urban Regions" was held on 25th May, 2012 with the opportunity to visit the AKIZ-Project-Facilities on 24th May, 2012.



Also, a delegation of the Ministry of Science and Technology (MOST) visited the AKIZ facilities in Tra Noc Industrial Zone on 24th May, 2012.

The AKIZ – Project has organized the workshop jointly with the German ODA - Project "Wastewater Management Program" (WMP) of GIZ and was supported by the Can Tho Industrial Zone Management, CEPIZA. The joint organization by two German - Vietnamese wastewater projects in Can Tho combined successfully the advantages of both projects, which are experienced on industrial wastewater management (AKIZ) on one hand and urban wastewater management (WMP) on the other hand. A complete Agenda is attached in Annex 6.1.

The event was visited by two delegations from the central Vietnamese government, as there were representatives of Ministry of Construction (MOC) and Ministry of Science and Technology (MOST) attending.

Vice Minister Tran Viet Thanh of MOST and Director of MOST – Representative Office at Ho Chi Minh City, Dr. Bui Van Quyen, visited the AKIZ – Project - Facilities in Tra Noc Industrial zone on 24th May, 2012.

Mrs. Tran Thi Thao Huong, Representative of Department of Technical Infrastructure of MOC visited the AKIZ – Project Facilities at Tra Noc Industrial Zone on 24th May 2012 and the Workshop on 25th May 2012 as well.



2 Visit of Delegation of MOST

On May 24th, 2012 a delegation of MOST visited the AKIZ-Project-Facilities at the Industrial Zone (IZ) Tra Noc. MOST is a governmental agency which performs the state management of science and technology and covers, among other activities

- scientific and technological activities,
- · the development of scientific and technological potential,
- standardization and
- measurement and quality control.



Picture 1: Delegation of MOST with AKIZ-Project-Team on the premises of the AKIZ-Project-Facilities

During the visit, the Vice Minister Tran Viet Thanh gave a speech about the importance of research for the wastewater sector in Vietnam and Ms. Sandra Kreuter (IEEM) gave a presentation about the AKIZ-Project and Tra Noc Industrial Zone.





Afterwards, the Vice Minister and the MOST South Director were shown a poster exhibition in the AKIZ-Project-Office, introducing all six AKIZ-Subprojects. Finally, the MOST – Delegation visited the containerized laboratory of AKIZ-Sub-project No. 5 and the Experimental Sludge Container of AKIZ-Sub-project No. 6 at the premises of Tra Noc Water plant. Last, the delegation visited the Pilot-container of AKIZ-Sub-project No. 4 at Western Saigon Beer Brewery (WSB).



Pictures 2 and 3: The Delegation of MOST visiting the AKIZ containerized laboratories



3 Workshop on Monitoring

3.1 Objective and Target of the Workshop

Objective

The Workshop was held to address aspects of legal regulations, technical and analytical requirements for the monitoring of wastewater systems in residential and industrial areas.

Different perspectives from wastewater dischargers, wastewater asset operators and wastewater asset owners in residential and industrial areas were discussed.

Target

The target was the improvement of awareness on above mentioned aspects of wastewater management for national and provincial stakeholders. Detailed knowledge and tools were provided to enhance the capacity of the management and technical staff of institutions in charge of wastewater management.

For the working groups, presentations and discussions consecutive translation was provided.

3.2 Time and Venue

The Workshop was held on 25th May, 2012 in Kim Tho Hotel in Can Tho City in Vietnam. An optional field visit of the AKIZ facilities in Tra Noc Industrial Zone took place on 24th May, 2012.

3.3 Participants

Participants of the workshop were representatives of the following interest groups:

- Legislative Institutions
- Owners of Wastewater Assets
- Environmental Agencies
- Operators of Wastewater Assets
- Research Institutions
- Development Aid Projects
- Others

Regardless of the fact that with a total number of more than 80 participants the expectations to the number of participantswere exceeded by far, no logistic problems emerged in the course of events.

A full list of the participating institutions can be found in Annex 6.2.



3.4 Arrival and Welcome of Workshop Participants and Delegation of MOC

Workshop participants were given the chance to visit the AKIZ Facilities in Tra Noc on 24th May, 2012. Some 30 participants and a delegation of the Ministry of Construction (MOC) followed this invitation to get an impression of the AKIZ-Project-Facilities and to follow a presentation on the AKIZ-Project and -Facilities in Tra Noc. Also, a poster presentation was set up in the AKIZ office and the participants were shown the Laboratory and Experimental Containers of AKIZ-Sub-Project No. 5 and No. 6.



Picture 4: Workshop participants at the AKIZ containerized laboratory

The main concern of a specific meeting between the AKIZ-Project-Team and the delegation of MOC was to discuss the revision of Decree 88/2007/ND-CP on "Urban and industrial park water drainage". It was worked out that the current version of the Decree 88 does not meet the requirements of the sector yet. The AKIZ-Project-Team is providing comprehensive suggestions for the revision and the implementation of regulations regarding industrial wastewater, as stated at Decree 88. Furthermore, joint workshops dealing with this topic are intended.

3.5 Presentations

Presentations were given on the topics of legal regulations as well as on technical and analytical requirements for the monitoring of wastewater systems in residential and industrial areas.

All presentations are attached in Annex 6.7.

First, Mr René Heinrich, AKIZ-Project Coordinator in Vietnam, gave an introductory presentation on the topic, introducing both German- Vietnamese Projects, AKIZ and WMP, followed by an opening by Dr. Bui Van Quyen, the Director of Most South.

Mr. Vu Xuan Thuong, a technical expert from Bac Ninh Water Supply & Sewerage Company (WMP – Partner Company) then gave a presentation on the "Situation of Wastewater"



Management in Domestic Areas in Bac Ninh City" to display issues of wastewater management in a representative Vietnamese City.

Ms. Tran Thi Thao Huong from the Ministry of Construction gave a presentation on "Summary of State Management on Drainage and Sewerage Sector in Industrial Zones in Vietnam". In this presentation the fact of insufficient wastewater treatment in industrial zones was pointed out and that due to high investment costs many IZs are operated without a centralized wastewater treatment plant. As a consequence, wastewater of some industrial zones is discharged without appropriate treatment.



Picture 5 and 6: Ms. Tran Thi Thao Huong from MOC and Participants of the Workshop

Legal framework

Frank Pogade from the GfA Consulting Group (WMP Project of GIZ) gave a presentation on the "Legal framework for Monitoring of Waste Water Systems in Vietnam and Germany and how to set up an Indirect Discharger Cadastre".

The presentation included general aspects about rationales for monitoring of indirect dischargers and impacts of industrial wastewater and also gave an overview of monitoring and the related legal framework in Germany. However, the legal framework of Germany (like the Waste Water Ordinance) is very complex and not suitable yet for adaption in Vietnam. Furthermore, the enforcement of regulations, laws and ordinances is important but there are no clear responsibilities and also no standards yet for indirect discharges into sewer systems in Vietnam. Also, regulations on local level are missing that should state who is in charge of performing which activity. Besides this, the development of an indirect discharger was explained.



Technical Requirements

Two presentations were given, the first one by Ms. Sandra Kreuter and Ms. Inga Hölscher from the Institute of Environmental Engineering and Management at the University of Witten/Herdecke gGmbH (AKIZ Project) on "Technical Requirements for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems". The presentation gave an overview of aspects to be considered when monitoring indirect discharges and setting up a monitoring strategy. Also, two examples of monitoring strategies applied in Germany were explained and possible responsibilities for the monitoring were displayed. As a conclusion it could be said that no universally valid monitoring strategy exist but always has to be set up by consideration of the boundary conditions prevailing.

Ms. Truong Thi Kim Dung from the GfA Consulting Group (WMP – Project of GIZ) gave the second presentation on Technical Requirements about "First experiences from the Monitoring Program". The steps in a wastewater monitoring process as well as the design of a monitoring program were explained as well as the first monitoring results of decentralized wastewater plants and the lessons learnt by experience.

Analytical Requirements

The presentation on analytical requirements was given by Dr. Wolfgang Genthe from LAR Process Engineering (AKIZ – Project). Analytical processes, analysis methods and quality assurance were presented and especially errors in sampling, preparation, analysis and documentation discussed. Results of monitoring were shown and the concentrations of the wastewater measured in the sewer system at Tra Noc Industrial Zone showed a clear dependency on the water level. It was pointed out that the challenges of monitoring in Tra Noc IZ are the tides, the flow direction of water, heavy rain and changing industries.

3.6 Working groups

Division into 3 Working Groups

In the afternoon of 25th May 2012, the participants were invited to take part in one of the following three parallel Working Groups:

- Group 1: Legal Framework for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems in Vietnam
- Group 2: Technical Requirements for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems in Vietnam
- Group 3: Analytical Requirements for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems in Vietnam

<u>Methodology</u>

The Methodology used in this workshop focused not only on presentation but on dynamic interaction of the participants to give participants more space for discussion and catch and document the ideas of stakeholders. Therefore, the Metaplan methodology was applied. This technique is used to collect ideas when a group of people works together.



The moderator gives an introduction into the topic and distributes cards for the participants to write on. Then a brainstorming process follows and the participants are asked to write down their ideas on the cards (one idea on one card) which are then put on a pin board. When all ideas are put on the board, the ideas are processed and the cards are arranged according to topics they belong to ('cluster') to display the results.

Implementation in the Working Groups

In the Working Groups, the moderator of the individual group gave a short introduction of the topic and explained the methodology used. Two pin boards were used per group, one to select ideas or comments about the current situation and one for proposals for the future situation. First, the participants were asked to write ideas or comments on their cards regarding the current situation of the topic which were then given to the moderator and put on the pin board. For this, red cards were used. Then, the ideas on the cards were discussed

and arranged to groups of ideas.



Afterwards, this process was repeated for the second topic, the proposals for the future, in which the participants had to write down ideas on green cards on how to solve or improve the problems. In the end, one of the participants of each group presented the results to all the participants of the workshop.

The documentation of the ideas and statements collected in the Working Groups can be found in Annex 6.3.

Picture 7: Participants of the Working Groups

Group 1

In Group 1, the question of "What is the Legal Framework for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems in Vietnam and what can be improved on national/ provincial level?" was discussed. Moderator of this group was Mr Frank Pogade (GfA, WMP) and results were presented by Ms. Tran Thi Thao Huong (MOC).

Results Group 1 – Current Situation

The collection of statements on the current situation provided the following conclusions:

- No sufficient enforcement of legal framework due to unfeasible regulations
- The Law on Water Resources (1998) is no longer up-to-date
- There is no sufficient Law on Wastewater Management.



- At provincial level, there are too many different institutions, agencies, organizations in charge of state management in water resources and wastewater management, accordingly they can issue secondary regulations
- Different scattered regulations are issued by different state agencies at different levels → overlapping, conflicting, and contradictions. Hence, regulations can be understood in different ways. This has caused confusion at the local level about how to apply legal documents as well as intended violations against the Laws.
- There is a lack of legal framework for sufficient monitoring and inspection of dischargers. The responsibilities of related institutions and agencies are not yet clearly defined: Who monitor? Frequency of monitoring?
- There are currently only specific effluent standards for direct dischargers, i.e. enterprises that discharge wastewater into the environment but no standards for indirect dischargers, i.e. to the central wastewater treatment plants.
- Limits/values are too strict and unrealistic. The standards are especially too high for parameters regarding biodegradable substances such as BOD, COD, Nitrogen total, etc. For instance, threshold values for BOD and COD in treated industrial wastewater are 200mg/l and 400mg/l while normal values for domestic wastewater are 300mg/l and 600mg/l respectively and these values should not exceed 2000mg/l in Germany (under the condition that the ratio of BOD:COD should be 1:2 (!!!)). Actually, applying strict standards for these parameters do not favor the operation of the central wastewater treatment plants.
- The sanctions and administrative fines against violations of the law are missing or only in forms of warnings or temporary measures.
- The database about sources of pollution is not available at local level, which makes it difficult to implement monitoring
- While untreated or insufficiently treated wastewater could discharged into receiving sources that provide raw water for drinking water supply, there is no legal framework for control of contamination of these resources.
- There is still lack of incentives to encourage investments in wastewater treatment while it is considered as a burden by the enterprises due to huge costs for construction, operation and maintenance and limited awareness about environmental protection.





Picture 8: Mr Frank Pogade moderating Working Group 1

Results Group 1 - Recommendations

In the second part of the group work, the following recommendations were suggested:

- A new Law on Water Resources with integration of regulations on wastewater management is urgently necessary. Currently, the Draft of Law on Water Resources (amended) is expected to be passed by the National Assembly by the end of 2012
- > Improve transparency in local legislation (Who is in charge to issue which documents)
- ➤ The relevant legal documents such as Decree 88, Decree 67, etc. should be reviewed to revise overlapping and conflicting issues
- Clearly allocate responsibilities of related institutions and agencies at local level in wastewater management in general and monitoring of wastewater systems in particular (Who is in charge of monitoring? Frequency of monitoring)
- Develop specific standards for wastewater to be discharged into central wastewater treatment plants (monitoring of indirect dischargers)
- Since the characteristics and components of wastewater are different from industry to industry, it is essential to classify indirect dischargers and develop effluent standards (typical parameters) for individual or group of industries. This will enable more realistic and feasible requirements and accordingly better enforcement.
- Strict sanctions against and fine on polluters
- Collect data/ information to set up an information system about potential polluters for better monitoring and implementing of preventive pollution control measures
- Review Circular on water safety plan (Circular 01/2008/TT-BXD) to enhance legal framework for preventing potential hazards to the quality of drinking water
- Provide incentives to encourage investments in wastewater treatment, e.g. through tax reduction
- Socialization of wastewater management, promote partnerships to share costs related to treatment technologies





Picture 9: Ms. Tran Thi Thao Huong presenting the results of Working Group 1

Group 2

In Group 2 the question to be discussed was "What are Technical Requirements for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems and what can be improved on national/ provincial level?" Moderator of this group was Ms. Sandra Kreuter (IEEM, AKIZ-Project) and results were presented by Ms. Truong Thi Kim Dung (GfA, WMP).



Picture 10: Moderation of Working Group 2

Results Group 2 - Current Situation

The following impressions on the current situation were collected in the first part of the working group:

Criteria for industrial wastewater system monitoring is not available



- There is lack of plan for monitoring. Sampling/analytical procedures are missing or not followed.
- The monitoring/ sampling are not carried out frequently and continuously. Little attention is paid to monitoring of indirect dischargers
- Unsuitable time, location and tools for sampling (e.g. sampling from manholes when it rains)
- There is lack of updated information about development of dischargers (changes in industries)
- Hydrology and weather conditions (e.g. flow velocity) are not properly considered when carrying out sampling
- Problematic sample preservation/ storage
- No. of qualified human resources is limited. Technical staffs are not well-trained and unmotivated due to unsatisfactory incentives. However, there is lack of activities to increase their capacity.
- Poor infrastructure of the labs in Vietnam, insufficient budget for technical equipments.
 Consequently, equipments are often old and not well maintained

Results Group 2 – Recommendations

Recommendations for the improvement of the future situation were:

- Continuous update of monitoring plan
- > The monitoring procedures should be transparent to all dischargers and management institutions
- Set up on-line and computerized monitoring and warning systems
- Elaborate standard procedures for sampling
- Frequent quality management of the lab analysis
- Share responsibilities in monitoring among related authority and investors/operators of central wastewater treatment plants
- Capacity building for technical staffs (training and refresher training) in monitoring skills, training by foreign experts
- Provide more financial and non-financial incentives for staffs in charge of monitoring (increased salaries & allowances, health insurance, reduced working hours, safety working conditions, etc.)
- Invest more in suitable equipments for sampling and measurement at site, mobilize funding from non-governmental organizations (NGO)





Picture 11: Ms. Truong Thi Kim Dung presenting the results of Working Group 2



Group 3

In Group 3 the question of "What are the Analytical Requirements for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems and what can be improved on national/ provincial level?" was discussed. Moderator of this group was Dr. Wolfgang Genthe (LAR, AKIZ- Project) and results were presented by Dr. Pham Huy Dong (VIIC, AKIZ – Project).



Picture 12: Dr. Wolfgang Genthe moderating Working Group 3

Results Group 3 - Current Situation

On the current situation, the following statements were mentioned by the participants:

- Taking samples but no analysis
- Changing matrix at samples
- Equipments (e.g. for measurements) don't meet standards
- Qualified chemicals are often not available while it takes much time to order labs and chemical supplies. Hence, time for getting analysis results is very long.
- Influence of chemical for sample stabilization
- Over-used equipments affects accuracy
- Difficulty in distinguishing Nitrogen (Kendal) and total Nitrogen
- Lack of equipments
- Lack of standardized methods
- Quality management: Analysis of some parameters shows values of effluents higher than influents, result is sometime subjective



Results Group 3 - Recommendations

Suggestions on how to improve the situation were:

- Capacity building activities for technical staffs in sampling and analysis (trainings, study tours)
- > The government should increase budget for equipments for wastewater quality control
- Accurate measurement equipments are necessary
- > Sampling, sample storage should strictly follow the regulations and procedures
- Positive error should be avoided when analyzing COD (Influence of CI)

Other questions by participants:

- Is it ok to filter samples by normal filter paper?
- Is it necessary to filter all samples? If not, what is the effect
- Should samples containing oils and fat be filtered?



Picture 13: Dr. Pham Huy Dong presenting the results of Working Group 3



4 Media Interest

On both days, May 24^{th} and May 25^{th} 2012, representatives of the local press and of a the local TV-Station were present.

The press article about the meeting of the delegation of MOST with the staff of the AKIZ-Project published in Can Tho Newspaper can be found in Annex 6.4. The television report was shown on May 24th on the local TV channel.

The press article about the Workshop on Monitoring of Wastewater Systems in Urban Regions published in Can Tho Newspaper can be found in Annex 6.5. Parts of the workshop were shown on television on May 25th on Can Tho TV.



5 Conclusion and Outlook

As a conclusion it can be said that the Workshop was successful in terms of

- Interest of participants in the topic and therefore number of attendants
- Communication of participants from different interest groups
- Discussions of the presentations and within the working groups
- Results achieved in the Working Groups
- Feedback of the participants
- Collection of recommendations from/ for stakeholders

Conversations with participants after the workshop also showed throughout positive feedback. Especially the implementation of the working groups was well received and described as very productive regarding the communication of different interest groups and search of solutions for problems prevailing on legal, technical and analytical level.

Further workshops are already planned and will deal with specific technical aspects of wastewater management. Details will be worked out based on recommendations from the working groups and based on local priorities.

The application of the meta plan method or a similar method for working groups is planned and will be adjusted to the following workshop questions to assure the best possible results.



6 Annex



6.1 Timetable

Workshop Agenda as implemented

Time	Topic	Presenter					
25 th May 2012							
(Moderation: Mr. René Heinrich, IEEM, AKIZ – Project Coordinator in Vietnam)							
1 st Session "Introduction of Objectives"							
07.30 – 08.00 am	Registration of participants						
08.00 – 08.20 am	Introduction Workshop Objectives and Participating	Mr. René Heinrich,					
	Projects and Institutions	IEEM, AKIZ - Project					
08.20 – 08.40 am	Opening	Dr. Bui Van Quyen, Ministry of Science and Technology - South, Director					
08.40 – 08.50 am	Welcome	Mrs. Tran Thi Thao Huong, Ministry of Construction					
08.50 - 09.10 am	Wastewater Management at Residential Areas in Bac Ninh	Mr. Vu Xuan Thuong, Bac Ninh Water Supply & Sewerage Company					
2 nd Session "Legal, technical and analytical aspects of Monitoring"							
09.10 – 09.50 am	Legal Framework for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems in VN and Germany, and how to set up an indirect discharger monitoring system	Mr. Frank Pogade, GfA, GIZ – Project					
09.50 – 10.10 am	Tea Break & Poster Exhibition	N 0 1 16 1					
10.10 – 10.40 am	Technical requirements for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems, and first experiences from a monitoring programme in the AKIZ – Project in Industrial Zone Tra Noc	Ms. Sandra Kreuter, Ms. Inga Hölscher, IEEM, AKIZ Project					
10.40 – 11.10 am	Technical requirements for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems, and first experiences from a monitoring programme in the GIZ - Wastewater Management Project	Ms. Truong Thi Kim Dung, GfA, GIZ - Project					
11.10 – 11.50 am	Analytical Requirements for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems	Dr. Wolfgang Genthe, LAR AG, AKIZ – Project					
11.50 – 12.00 am	Discussion						
12.00 am - 01.30	Lunch Break at Kim Tho Hotel						
pm							
3 rd Session "Working groups on 'Legal, technical and analytical aspects of Monitoring'"							
01.30 – 03.00 pm	Working in 3 parallel groups:	Facilitation by:					
	Group 1 – What is the Legal Framework for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems in VN and what can be improved	Mr. Frank Pogade, GfA, GIZ – Project					



05.30 pm	Joint Dinner at Ninh Kieu Rest	aurant
04.30	Discussion, Summary and Closing	Moderator
·	Requirements for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems	
04.15 – 04.30 pm	Presentation results Working group 3 – Analytical	Representative Group 3
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03.45 – 04.00 pm	Presentation results Working group 2 - Technical	Representative Group 2
10.10 p	for Monitoring of Wastewater Systems	
03.30 – 03.45 pm	Presentation results Working group 1 - Legal Framework	Representative Group 1
03.00 – 03.30 pm	Coffee Break	
	improved on national / provincial level?	
	Monitoring of Wastewater Systems and what can be	LAR AG, AKIZ - Project
	Group 3 – What are the Analytical Requirements for	Dr. Wolfgang Genthe,
		Project
	·	Dung, GfA, GIZ –
	improved on national / provincial level?	Ms. Truong Thi Kim
	Monitoring of Wastewater Systems and what can be	IEEM, AKIZ Project &
	Group 2 – What are Technical requirements for	Ms. Sandra Kreuter,
	on national / provincial level?	

A joint field visit at Tra Noc Industrial Zone and AKIZ – Research Facilities (Chemical Lab...) - organized for workshop participants at 24th May, 4.30 pm. Meeting point at the AKIZ – Project Office at Industrial Zone Tra Noc II (Water Plant).



6.2 List of participating Institutions

The workshop welcomed participation of more than 80 participants who are from the following institutions:

Legislative institution:

- Ministry of Construction, Department for Technical Infrastructure

Owners of wastewater assets:

- Can Tho Export Processing and Industrial Zone Authority, CEPIZA
- Ca Mau Economic Zone Management Board

Environmental agencies:

- Can Tho Environmental Police
- Department of South Western Environmental Preservation
- Department of Environmental Protection, Can Tho Department of Natural Resources and Environment (DONRE)
- Can Tho Department of Natural Resources and Environment, DONRE
- Departments of Natural Resources and Environment of Thoi Lai, O Mon, Phong Dien, Vinh Thanh, Cai Rang, Ninh Kieu Districts/Can Tho
- Centre for Environmental Monitoring, DONRE Can Tho
- Center for Analysis and Environment, Binh Duong
- Da Nang Department of Natural Resources and Environment
- Centre for Environmental Monitoring, Soc Trang Department of Natural Resources and Environment (DONRE)

Operator of wastewater assets:

- Can Tho Water Supply and Sewerage Company
- Tra Noc Water Supply Company
- CIPCO
- Soc Trang Public Works Company
- Bac Ninh Water Supply and Sewerage Company
- Can Tho Pesticide Company
- Western Sai Gon Beer Company

Research institution:

- Ministry of Science and Technology, Southern office in HCM City
- Centre for Applied Technology, Can Tho Department of Science and Technology (DOST)
- VIIC Hanoi
- Environmental College, Can Tho University



- Research Institute for Climate Change, Can Tho University
- Mekong Delta Research and Development Institute, Can Tho University
- IEEM Witten/Gerdecke
- LAR AG, Berlin
- United Nation University/University Bonn
- ZEF Bonn
- TU Darmstadt
- TU Braunschweig
- University of Hanover

Development aid projects:

- GIZ
- GfA

Others:

- Kobelco Eco Solutions Viet Nam, HCMC
- Stepro Hanoi
- Greentech Environment Joint Stock Co., HCMC
- Hai Fan Hong Kong Company
- Magazine "Đời sống pháp luật"
- Can Tho Department of Foreign affairs
- Can Tho Department of Planning and Investment
- Can Tho Department of Industry and Trade
- Can Tho Newspaper
- Tuoi Tre Newspaper
- VASEP Newspaper
- Docifish Company, Sa Dec
- Investment Newspaper
- Can Tho Television



6.3 Documentation Working Groups

Working Group 1: Legal Framework

CURRENT SITUATION RECOMMENDATIONS Enforcement of legal framework is Review of legal documents too weak due to unfeasible (overlapping and conflicting regulations issues) Review Decree 88, 67 Legal documents are overlapping, conflicting, contradictory => can be Improve local legislation (Who is understood in different ways => in charge?) Intended violations Develop standards for Legal pluralism at provincial level wastewater to be discharged into (Too many different institutions, central wastewater treatment organizations,...can issue plants (monitoring of indirect regulations- officially or unofficially) dischargers) No monitoring of indirect Classification of indirect dischargers dischargers => Effluent standards Limits/values are too strict and for different industries necessary unrealistic Need of the new Law on Water Law on Water Resources (1995) is Resources, integrate regulations no longer up-to-date, no Law on on wastewater management into Wastewater Management the new Law on Water Insufficient monitoring and Resources inspection of dischargers Assign an institution to implement monitoring of wastewater system Unclear allocation of responsibilities: Who monitor? Strict punishment and fine of enterprises violating Frequency? environmental law Sanctions against violations? Instruments for sanctions against No database about sources of pollution at local levels administrative violations Develop database Pollution of intake water for drinking water supply Issue Water safety plan circular (for intake water pollution) Limited awareness of enterprises about wastewater treatment Awareness raising Lack of incentives to encourage Reductions in tax investment in wastewater Share cost related to treatment environmental technology High investment cost



Working Group 2: Technical Requirements

CURRENT SITUATION	RECOMMENDATIONS
 Domestic policy No clarification on kind of industry Frequency: too little, not continuously Not well trained Ability of analytical technicians Lack of capacity building Lack of materials Analysis procedure (not follow) Support policy for people in charge of monitoring Lack of updated plan for development rate Budget Management Little attention for indirect monitoring Infrastructure of the labs in Vietnam Old equipment Maintenance problems Lack of monitoring procedures Sample preservation problem Not includes hydrology conditions 	 Improving staffs skill to work for monitoring Training & refresher training Suggest typical parameters for each industries More money for staff, more money _ more responsibility Classify parameter of each concrete industry Authority + Investors together Continuous update of monitoring Foreign experts for training staffs Propose funding by NGOs Socialization of WW treatment More investment on equipment All dischargers and management institutions need to have monitoring procedures Check analysis quality of the lab frequently Building more central to monitoring and warning by online and computer system Support fee for the monitor Provide health insurance, Reduce working time Provide safety working conditions



Working Group 3: Analytical Requirements

CURRENT SITUATION	RECOMMENDATIONS	
 Unsuitable time for sampling (sampling from manholes when it rains) Sampling tools Weather Sampling location Flow speed Sample storage Wastewater is discharged into the ponds, lakes Take sample but no analysis Changing matrix at samples Equipments don't meet standards It takes much time to order labs and chemical supplies Lack of chemical or unqualified chemicals Long time for analysis Influence of chemical for sample stabilization Over-used equipment affects accuracy Difficulty in distinguishing Nitrogen (Kendal) and total Nitrogen Lack of equipments Lack of standardized methods Technical standards are not in harmony or too high Criteria for IZ wastewater system monitoring missing Some parameters have higher value for output than input, Values of effluents is higher than influents Result is subjective 	 Training for technical staffs in sampling and analysis Capacity building for technical staffs, study tours Provide equipments for wastewater quality control Accurate measurement equipment necessary Sampling and sample reservation should strictly follow the regulation Buy suitable instruments to take samples and measure at site Check the standards carefully Set the standard procedures for sampling Standards on quality of wastewater treatment/ Responsibility for checking on direct flow: Police, DONRE 	



6.4 Press Article about the visit of the Vice Minister of MOST

Dự án Akiz đáp ứng nhu cấu về giải pháp nước thải cho Kews paper cho các khu công nghiệp

(CT)- Ngày 24-5-2012, Thủ trưởng Bộ Khoa học và Công nghệ Trấn Việt Thanh đã đến làm việc và tham quan mô hình xử lý nước thải thi điểm của Dự án Akiz tại khu công nghiệp Trà Nóc (TP Cẩn Tho).

Du án Akiz (giải pháp quản lý nước thải tổng hợp cho khu công nghiệp) do Bộ Giáo dục và Nghiên củu Đức và Bồ Khoa học và Công nghệ Việt Nam hố trọ phát triển và thẩm định giải pháp quản lý nước thải tổng hợp nhằm đảm bảo thải bố hiệu quả và bến vũng nước thải khu công nghiệp. Dự án được thực hiện theo 4 giai đoạn từ năm 2010 đến 2014 như: Nghiên cứu cơ sở và lý thuyết, điều chính phủ hợp với điều kiện địa phương và lắp đặt, tối ưu hóa và đánh giá, thẩm định và chuyển giao kết quả. Qua đó, các giải pháp xử lý phân tán, cận

nguồn phát thải sẽ được trình diễn tại một số doanh nghiệp đại diện trong khu công nghiệp Trả Nóc như: tiến xử lý nước thải (từ sản xuất thuốc trừ sâu nhằm khủ các chất độc hai), tái tạo năng lương từ nước thải (từ một công ty chế biến thủy sản), thu hồi các chất có giá trị và tái tạo sử dụng nước thải sau xử lý (từ nhà máy sản xuất bia và nhà mày hòa sinh). Hiện mô hình xử lý thí điểm cho Công ty Cổ phân Bia Sài Gòn Miễn Tây (thu hối các chất có giả trị và tái tạo sử dụng nước thải sau xử lý) và container thí nghiệm xử lý bùn thải đang được vận hành tại khu công nghiệp Trà Nóc nhằm kiểm chứng và điều chính các giải pháp công nghệ cao cho phù hợp với tình hình địa phương ở Miễn Tây. Các mô hình thí điểm khác sẽ được thực hiện tại

Công ty cổ phần Thuốc sát trung Cần Thơ (khử độc tố) trong tháng 5-2012 và Công ty thủy sản Nam Phương (xử lý ky khí và thu hối năng lượng) vào tháng 6-2012...

Qua buổi làm việc và tham quan mô hình xử lý nước thải thí nghiệm của Dự án Akiz, Thứ trường Bộ Khoa học và Công nghệ Trần Việt Thanh, đánh giá cao hoạt động của Dự án Akiz trong việc đáp ứng nhu cấu về giải pháp nước thải cho các khu công nghiệp. Thủ trưởng cũng mong rằng du án này thực hiện đúng kế hoạch theo từng giai đoạn đã để ra nhằm đưa ra giải pháp bổ sung cho dụ án đấu tư xây dụng nhà máy xử lý nước thải tập trung ở các khu công nghiệp thuộc TP Cấn Thơ và nhân rộng một số địa phương ở khu vực ĐBSCL...

H.A

AKIZ Project satisfies requirement on wastewater concept for industrial zones

(CT) – On May 24th, 2012, The Vice minister of Ministry of Science and Technology – Mr Tran Viet Thanh did come to have a talk and visit the pilot plant for treating wastewater of AKIZ Project in Tra Noc Industrial Zone (Can Tho City).

AKIZ Project (integrated wastewater management concept for Industrial Zones) is sponsored by German Ministry of Education and Research BMBF and Vietnamese Ministry of Science and Technology to develop and verify the integrated wastewater management concept in order to make sure efficient and sustainable disposal of industrial wastewater. The project is implemented in 4 phases from 2010 to 2014, namely: basic and conceptual study, adaptation to local situation and set up of pilot system, optimization and evaluation and verification and transfer of result. Through that, decentralized and near – to- source technologies will be performed in some representative enterprises inside Tra Noc IZ as: pretreatment of wastewater (from pesticide production in order to detoxify toxic substances), regenerate energy from wastewater (from a seafood processing company), recovery of valuable substances and reuse of treated wastewater (from the brewery and biochemical company). Currently the pilot plant for Sai Gon Western Beer (recovery of valuable substances and reuse of treated wastewater) and the experimental container for sewage sludge treatment are operated in Tra Noc IZ to check and adjust high tech solutions to be suitable to the local conditions. Other pilot plants will be operated in Can Tho Pesticide Co (detoxification) by the end of May, 2012 and Nam Phuong seafood processing company (anaerobic treatment and energy regeneration) in June, 2012...

During the visit of AKIZ pilot plant, Vice Minister of Ministry of Science and Technology Tran Viet Thanh highly appreciated AKIZ's activities in satisfying the requirement on wastewater



concept for IZs. Vice Minister also wished that this project is exactly implemented as in the plan for each phase in order to give additional solution for the investment project socalled Centralized wastewater treatment plant in IZs in Can Tho and duplicated in some localities of the Mekong Delta region.

H.V

6.5 Press Article about the AKIZ Workshop

nước thải tại các khu đô thị

(CT) - Ngày 25-5-2012, trên 100 đại biểu là nhà quản lý các khu công nghiệp (KCN), nhà khoa học thuộc một số trường đại học tại TP Cần Tho, TP Hồ Chi Minh, công ty xử lý nước thải, xây dựng cơ sở hạ tầng môi trường... đã tham dụ Hội thảo "Quan trắc hệ thống nước thải tại các khu đô thị", do Ban Quản lý Dự an Akiz và Tổ chức hỗ trọ phát triển kỹ thuật của Đức tổ chức.

Hội thảo này nằm trong khuôn khổ thực hiện Dự án Akiz (giải pháp quản lý nước thải tổng hợp cho KCN) do Bộ Giáo dục và Nghiên cứu Đức, Bộ Khoa học và Công nghệ Việt Nam hố trợ phát triển và thẩm định giải pháp quản lý nước thải tổng hợp, nhằm đảm bảo thải bỏ hiệu quả và bên vững nước thải KCN, khu dân cư. Hội thảo để cập đến khía cạnh quy chế, quy định, các yêu cấu kỹ thuật, quản lý nước thải tại các khu dân cư TP Cẩn Thơ;

khung pháp chế của việc quan trắc nước thải tại Đức và Việt Nam, làm thế nào để thiết lập hệ thống quan trắc xả thải gián tiếp; các yêu cấu kỹ thuật cho công tác quan trắc hệ thống nước thải và các kinh nghiệm ban đầu từ chương trình quan trắc của Du án Akiz (tai KCN Trà Nóc), của Dư án quản lý nước thải Giz... Hội thảo nhằm nâng cao nhân thức của đơn vị xã thải, các nhà vân hành và quản lý nước thải trong công tác bảo vệ môi trường, đảm bảo việc xả thải nước thải phải đúng yêu cấu kỹ thuật và phân tích công tác quan trắc hệ thống nước thải tại các khu dân cư và KCN. Hội thảo còn giới thiệu các kiến thức chuyển sâu và công cụ quan trắc, nhằm nâng cao năng lực đội ngũ quản lý và kỹ thuật của các ban, ngành chịu trách nhiệm quản lý nước thải... H.V

WORKSHOP ON MONITORING OF WASTEWATER SYSTEM IN URBAN REGIONS

(CT) – On May 25th, 2012, over 100 participants who are IZs management boards, scientists of universities in Can Tho, HCMC, wastewater treatment companies, environmental infrastructure companies did come to the Workshop on "Monitoring of wastewater system in urban regions", organized by AKIZ Project and GIZ Project.

This workshop is in the scope of AKIZ Project (Integrated wastewater management concept) for IZs which is sponsored by German Ministry of Education and Research BMBF and Vietnamese Ministry of Science and Technology to develop and verify the integrated wastewater management concept in order to make sure efficient and sustainable disposal of industrial wastewater. The workshop mentioned about legal aspect, regulations, technical requirements on wastewater management in urban regions of Can Tho city; legal framework of wastewater monitoring in Germany and Viet Nam, how to establish the indirect discharger



monitoring system; technical requirements for monitoring and first experiences from the monitoring system of AKIZ Project in Tra Noc IZ, of GIZ's Wastewater Management Program. The workshop aimed to improve awareness of dischargers, wastewater operators and management boards in environmental protection, ensuring the wastewater disposal to be in accordance with technical and analytical requirement in residential areas and IZs. The workshop also introduced into-depth knowledge and tools for monitoring thus develops capacity of management staff and technical staff of agencies, institutions in charge of wastewater management...

H.V

6.6 Press Article about Wastewater Management in Industrial Zones in Can Tho

TO STRENGTHEN ON ENVIRONMENTAL TREATMENT IN INDUSTRIAL ZONES

Tuyet Trinh

Can Tho City is trying to become the industrial city by 2020 in which developing IZs, EPZs is considered as one of the most important solution for that target. There are currently 8 IZs in the locality of Can Tho, however, the infrastructure is un-complete, investment condition and policies are not quite attractive to investors. Moreover, the environmental issues inside the IZs are rather challenging since they haven't had the centralized wastewater treatment plant yet... Mr Vo Thanh Hung – Chief of CEPIZA, did have a discussion with journalist of Can Tho Newspaper and expressed:

- There are currently 8 IZs in the locality of Can Tho which have leased 561.45 ha of industrial land. Among of them, Tra Noc 1 IZ is 100% filled (135ha), Tra Noc 2 IZ is 94.8% filled (155ha); Hung Phu 1 IZ leased 28.8 in 270 ha of industrial land, Hung Phu 2A IZ is 15.51% filled, Hung Phu 2B IZ (62.63ha) has finished legal documents and expanded the reclaiming decision, CIPCO and centre for developing land fund, Cai Rang district are checking solution for compensating for the total land area of 62.63 ha; Thot Not IZ – first phase (150.55ha) is now having 9 projects with total capital 125.145 million USD. Centre for building infrastructure of Thot Not IZ is expanding sub-stage 1 for the 2nd phase with area up to 150.5ha; the Thoi Thuan resettlement area of 24.23 ha and have divided into 78 pieces of land for households. O Mon, Bac O Mon and Thot Not IZ-second phase are now in planning with the ratio 1/2000.

Q: How was the calling for investment to IZs in the locality of Can Tho during the past time, Sir?

- The procedure of calling for investment to IZs, EPZs in the locality of Can Tho has been rather well during the past time and gained some good results. However, this procedure was somehow stopped in 2011 and met certain difficulties. The main reasons are from global economical crisis, the inflation, implementation of Government's Resolution No 11 on tightening the budget to decrease the inflation rate, interest rates at banks are rather high which leads to



the fact that investors have difficulties in approaching the capital. This affect a lot to the investment for the infrastructure and the enterprises' business and production. Moreover, policies for compensating after site clearance often change, the fact that Can Tho is the centrally run city makes the land price competitive. The site clearance at IZs have nearly no progress. However, policies for investors to the IZs are no longer of interest to them. Fee for investing infrastructure of IZs is high, hence economical efficiency is low and the high price of renting land in IZ is one of the reason which makes the investors pensive. During the past time, Government has taken care of the city's infrastructure such as: Can Tho bridge, Cai Cui port... however, the fact that ships with high load can not enter ports is one of the big drawback for industrial development of Can Tho city in particular and Mekong Delta region in general...

Therefore, in 2012, CEPIZA will promote investment on infrastructure to attract secondary investors in order to fill the IZs. So as to have "clean land" for investors to IZs, CEPIZA has demanded infrastructure companies to tightly corporate with the Compensation Committee for site clearance in districts that have IZs (esp 3 IZs namely Hung Phu 1, Hung Phu 2A and Hung Phu 2B) and compensate, build resettlement areas. In parallel, compensation for clearing the IZ should also be made. Concentrate on all forces, divide into stages for investment and carrying out compensation, site clearance for established IZs (Thot Not 1, Hung Phu 1, Hung Phu 2A, Hung Phu 2B). Strengthen construction for technical infrastructure in IZs to serve for enterprises' land leasing.

The centralized wastewater treatment plant of Thot Not IZ is expected to be in operation by the first quarter of 2013, contributing to the solution for this IZ's environmental issues.

Q: At present most of the IZs in Can Tho city hasn't had the centralized wastewater treatment plant. How is this issued solved by CEPIZA to ensure the sustainable development of the IZ?

- To IZs founded after 2005, CEPIZA bases on Environmental Protection Law in 2005 to force technical infrastructure companies to invest on the wastewater drainage system before putting the project into operation. In this basic, CEPIZA will consider to issue investment certificate to secondary enterprises-investors.

To IZs founded before 2005, such as: Thot Not IZ, Tra Noc 1 and Tra Noc 2 IZ that have no centralized wastewater treatment system. To solve environmental issue especially water issues in these areas, CEPIZA request the investors to build their local wastewater treatment system so that the effluent reaches column B of national technical regulation on discharging standard before releasing to the sewer system of the IZ. Moreover, on August 19th, 2011, Thot Not IZ and Seen technical joint stock company organized the opening ceremony for the construction of Thot Not IZ's wastewater drainage system with the capacity of 5,000m3/day for 2 stages, total capital up to more than 80 billion VND. The first phase's capacity is 2,500m3/day with the capital of 50.4 billion VND (including the collecting system). Area for plant construction is 13,000m2 in section C of Thot Not IZ. This work is expected to be finished and operated by the first quarter of 2013.



Regarding to Tra Noc IZ, CIPCO – the infrastructure company has made the project on building the centralized wastewater treatment plant and submitted to Department of Planning And Investment for consideration and verification. Then it will be submitted to CPC for approval and expansion of implementation. The tendering process is expected to occur in the second quarter of 2012...

Q: In the mean time of waiting for the wastewater treatment plant to operate, how did CEPIZA guide the enterprises to implement the environmental impact assessment and the construction of wastewater treatment plant, Sir?

- Can Tho People's Committee has assigned CEPIZA to organize the assessment and approval of environmental impact assessment report to investment projects inside EPZs, IZs. Each year, CEPIZA co-operates with Department of South western environment (MONRE), Can Tho DONRE, environmental police, related agencies and institutions and environmental experts to organize training courses to popularize current regulations in environmental protection; environmental protection techniques for enterprises in operation in the IZs, EPZs...

To projects in operation in EPZs, IZs, CEPIZA guides enterprises to contact with scientific and technological units, environmental units, consulting centers and companies to make environmental impact assessment report for the project so that authorized agencies can consider, organize verification and approve in accordance with current regulations. When the EIA report has been approved, enterprises will have to invest on items such as wastewater treatment system, wastewater treatment plant, depending on the type of production of each company. CEPIZA only has function and responsibility on confirming the completion of environmental protection work as required by enterprises. On that basic, CEPIZA will found the practical inspection delegation, field sampling and have final assessment idea... in order to contribute to the environmental protection inside IZ.

Thank you Sir!











6.7 Presentations



6.7.1 Presentations May 24, 2012

Presentation Sandra Kreuter



1. Location of IZ Tra Noc



AKIZ - Integrated Wastewater Concept for Industrial Zones exemplified for the Tra Noc Industrial Zone in Can Tho, Vietnam, 24 May 2012



1. Location of IZ Tra Noc

- Tra Noc IZ is comprised of 2 IZs: Tra Noc 1 and Tra Noc 2.
- Total area: 290ha
 - + Tra Noc 1 IZ(135ha): 100% filled
 - + Tra Noc 2 IZ (155ha): 95.6% filled
- Tra Noc IZ 1 + 2 are
 2 in 8 IZs planned in the locality of Can Tho city and are 2 in 5 currently operated IZs.

AKIZ - Integrated Wastewater Concept for Industrial Zones exemplified for the Tra Noc Industrial Zone in Can Tho, Vietnam, 24 //lay 2012



1. Location of IZ Tra Noc



2. Development of Industrial Zone Tra Noc

- IZ Tra Noc first IZ established in Can Tho
- Development started in 1990ies
- TN IZ 1: officially established in 1995;

completed

• TN IZ 2: officially established in 1998;

some parts under development

AKIZ - Integrated Wastewater Concept for Industrial Zones exemplified for the Tra Noc Industrial Zone in Can Tho, Vietnam, 24 May 2012





3. Industrial Zone Management

· CEPIZA

- = Can Tho Export Processing and Industrial Zone
- responsible for state management duties for all industrial parks in Can Tho City, incl. Tra Noc IZ

- = Can Tho Industrial Park Infrastructure Company
- responsible for implementation and operation and maintenance of infrastructure in Tra Noc IZ, including drainage system, roads, etc.



4. Industries in Tra Noc IZ

• Investment projects: 178 (Tra Noc 1: 123 and Tra Noc 2: 55).

· Total enterprises: 148

(Tra Noc 1: 112; Tra Noc 2: 36).

· Enterprises in operation: 134.



4. Industries in Tra Noc IZ

- Industries
- · Seafood processing,
- Food / beverage production Metal / steel processing,
- · Construction industry
- · Animal feed,
- · Pharmaceutical / pesticide / fertilizer,
- · Textile / leather / shoes / carton,
- Oil stations / storagesAdministration facilities



4. Industries in Tra Noc IZ

· Labor force: 29.642 people,

accounts 86.6% of all Izs

(Tra Noc 1: 17,466; Tra Noc 2: 12,176).

· Aquaculture is one of the main industries and produces most wastewater.







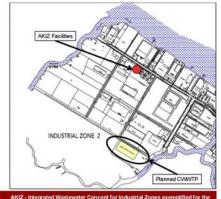


5. Wastewater Situation in Tra Noc IZ

- · Only stormwater drainage in place;
- Wastewater is discharged into the stormwater drainage channels or directly into water bodies after treatment in the companies' private treatment plants or without any treatment
- Total wastewater: 12,000 m³/day, from 41 wastewater producing
- Tra Noc IZ hasn't a centralized wastewater treatment system yet, wastewater is released to the environment by 14 outlets.
- Construction of separate sewer network and CWWTP shall start in 2012

AKIZ - Integrated Wastewater Concept for Industrial Zones exemplified for the Tra Noc Industrial Zone in Can Tho, Vietnam, 24 May 2012





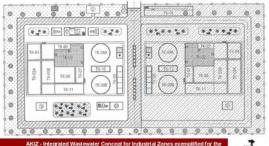






5. CWWTP Local Concept

6,000 m³/d (Stage 1) MAXIMUM 12,000 m³/d (Stage 2)





5. CWWTP AKIZ-Concept

6,000 m³/d (Stage 1), MAXIMUM 20,000 m³/d (3 Stages)





CW-SBR Tank





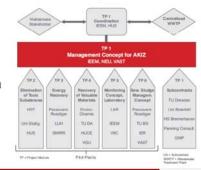
Structure of AKIZ Project



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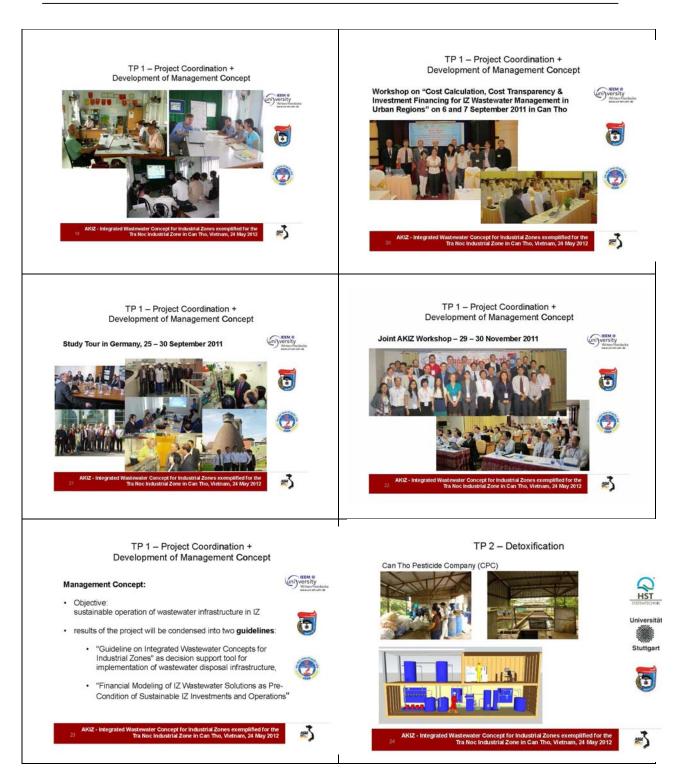
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CAN THO EXPORT PROCESSING AND INDUSTRIAL ZONE AUTHORITY

GENERAL INFORMATION ON TRA NOC INDUSTRIAL ZONE



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CAN THO EXPORT PROCESSING AND INDUSTRIAL ZONE AUTHORITY

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CAN THO EXPORT PROCESSING AND INDUSTRIAL ZONE AUTHORITY

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- Industries: aquaculture, animal feeding; agricultural products; fertilizer, chemical, plant protection products; mechanical; construction materials...

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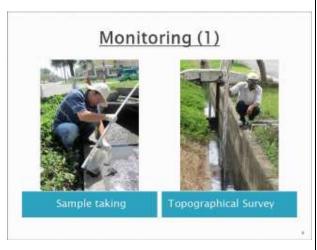
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Waste Water Projects in Can Tho

- · Waste Water & Solid Waste Management in Provincial Centres
- German Development Aid - Program / MOC
- · Focus on residential
- CT, ST, TV, Vinh, HD, BN, SL, HB, LS
- Integrated Waste Water Management Concept for industrial Zones
- German Research -Project / MOST
- Focus on industrial areas
- . Tra Noc Can Tho and potential duplications





"Integrated Wastewater Concept for

... With near - to - source technologies to save and reuse waste waters incl. biogas generation and recuperation of valuables

Industrial Zones"

tropical transformation and developing countries, exemplified at the Industrial Zone Tra Noc.

Sub Project 1 - Coordination & Management Concept

AKIZ / CEPIZA / CIPCO - Joint development of regulation for wastewater discharge and waste water tariff for Centralized Waste water treatment

Clarification of institutional and legal situation for waste water management

Il Planning, Tendering, Construction CWWTP managed by CIPCO

Sub Project 2 - Removal of toxic substances



Pesticide Co. O

Sub Project 3 - Anaerobic treatment with energy generation by biogas











Presentation Tran Thi Thao Huong



CONTENT:

- OVERVIEW OF WATER DRAINAGE
 MANAGEMENT IN INDUSTRIAL ZONES
- LEGAL FRAMEWORK
- > SHORTCOMINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

1. OVERVIEW OF WATER DRAINAGE MANAGEMENT IN INDUSTRIAL ZONES

- By 2010: 260 industrial and export processing zones nation-wide.
- Total area: over 71.000 ha.
- 173 industrial zones (IZ) in operation
- 87 IZ are under land clearance and construction
- Highest concentration in Southeast region.

(Source: Data from Survey on Situation of Planning and Construction of Technical Infrastructure of IZs Vietnam and Water Environment Study Report- JICA 2011)

2. OVERVIEW ABOUT WATER DRAINAGE MANAGEMENT IN INDUSTRIAL ZONES

Region	No. of WWTP under operation	No. of WWTP under construction	Total	No. of IZ	Ratio WWTP/ IZs (%)
Northern Midland and Mountain Area	2	2	4	16	25
Red River Delta	19	12	31	66	47
Central Coast					33
Central Highland	1	2	3	8	38
South East	61	4	65	88	74
Mekong Delta	11	6	17	43	40
Total	101	32	133	260	51

3. OVERVIEW ABOUT WATER DRAINAGE

- 101 IZ have central wastewater treatment plant (CWWTP). Total capacity: approx. 340.000 m3/d.
- CWWTPs of 32 IZ are under construction with total capacity of over 160.000 m3/d.
- 127 IZ don't have CWWTP, among them almost 50 IZ are under operation.

4. OVERVIEW ABOUT WATER DRAINAGE MANAGEMENT IN INDUSTRIAL ZONES

- Average capacity of CWWTP: 2000-5000m3/d.
- Delayed progress of construction of factories.
- Consequently, no or insufficient wastewater for operation of CWWTP.



5. OVERVIEW ABOUT WATER DRAINAGE MANAGEMENT IN INDUSTRIAL ZONES

- Lack of budget for management, operation and maintenance.
- Example: Operation costs approx.
 5000~8000 VND/m3 wastewater. The operation of one WWTP with capacity of 5000m3/d costs 25~40 mil. VND/d.

6. OVERVIEW ABOUT WATER DRAINAGE MANAGEMENT IN INDUSTRIAL ZONES

- Due to high investment cost, many IZ have been put into operation without CWWTP.
- Consequently, wastewater of some IZ is discharged into storm water drainage system or directly into the environment.

7. RELEVANT LEGAL FRAMEWORK

- Law of Construction, Law of Environmental Protection.
- Decree 29/2008/NĐ-CP dated 14.3.2008 of the Government on industrial, export processing and economic zones.
- Orientation for Water Drainage Development.
- Decree 88/2007/NĐ-CP on urban center and industrial zone water drainage.
- · Other relevant legal documents.

8. SHORTCOMINGS

- Weak mechanism for industrial wastwater management, mainly characterized as principles and orders.
- Industrial wastewater management at local level hasn't been synchonously implemented, lack of qualified human resources
- Enterprises haven't paid proper attention to necessary pollution prevention measures.

9. SHORTCOMINGS

- Low number of factories connected to the central wastewater treatment system of IZ.
- · Ineffective operation of CWWTP
- Insufficient implementation of wastewater tariff
- Lack of information system about pollution sources
- · Insufficient sanction against polluters.

10. RECOMMENDATIONS

- Strengthen basic mechanism in industrial wastewater management.
- Strengthen local capacity in wastewater management.
- Intensify pollution control measures
- Increase capacity and awareness of enterprises on environmental protection



11. RECOMMENDATIONS

- Review and revise legal documents relevant to wastewater management and promulgate conformable instructions.
- Clearly allocate responsibilities in inspection, monitoring and evaluation of water drainage activities at local level, evaluate effectivness of water drainage investment projects.
- Issue instructions for implementation of secondary regulations. Provinces promulgate local regulations on water drainage.

12. RECOMMENDATIONS

- Clearly define and strengthen roles of provincial institutions in planning, planning managment and management of urban and industrial water drainage investment projects.
- Periodically evaluate effectiveness of local water drainage system.

13. RECOMMENDATIONS

- Review and amend specific regulations on industrial water drainage management.
- Clarify responsibilities of state management institutions related to industrial water drainage activities
- Clarify responsibilities of operator of IZ drainage system, require periodical report to urban centers' authority.

14. RECOMMENDATIONS

- Develop training program to improve capacity in data collection, processing and evaluation for effective wastewater management
- •Develop financing system to accelerate the construction of wastewater treatment plants.

15. RECOMMENDATIONS

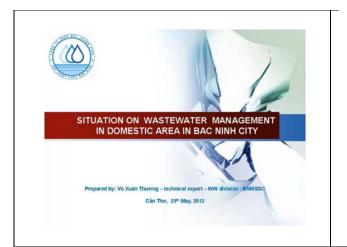
- Strengthen institutional capacity in monitoring of water quality. Conduct assessment about necessary equipments
- Carry out information and education activities to increase awareness about environmental protection

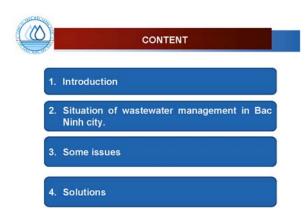
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1. INTRODUCTION

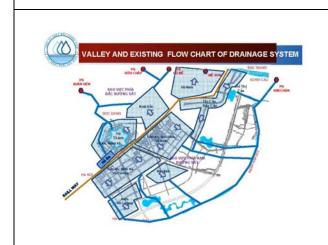
- Established in1997, in 2006 changed into one member limited company.
- Adress: No 57, Ngô Gia Tự street, Thị Cầu ward, Bắc Ninh city.
- Website: capthoatnuocbacninh.vn
- ◆ Total staff: 400
- Main activities
- > Product, bussiness in clearwater .
- Management and maintenance sewer system in Bac ninh city.
- > Construction
- WW division in Bac ninh city:
 Established in July, 2009.
- > Total staffs: 61
- Management and maintenance sewer system in Bac ninh city since 2005.
- Budget for Management and maintenance from PPC to annual alocate

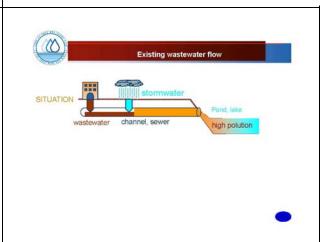


SITUATION ON WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT

Some kind of sewers

Chủng loại	UNIT	In 2005	2012	rate
Box culvert	m	8,170	12.356	1,51
RC sewer	m	28.943	81.554	2,82
Manholes	set	1.437	3.840	2,67
Channel	m	2.122	2.132	1,01
Number of sewer line and areas	items	42	110	2,62



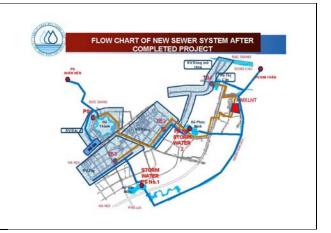


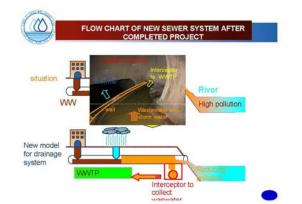




ASSESSMENT ON EXSISTING SEWER SYSTEM IN BACKINH CITY

- > Sewer system is combined system.
- > All of linked sewers is not so good.
- > Some sewers having slope is not suitable
- Sewer is constructed by scroll, so wastewater leak in to ground to polute
- > Wastewater is not collected, it flows to pond, river to pollute
- > The more new urban area, the more flooded area
- In order to overcome this situation in Bac Ninh we have wastewater project to implement (supported by German Gov.)





NEW SEWER SYSTEM 1 MAIN SEWER 20,3 km RC SEWER D = 400 + 1800 3,6 km Dimension 4x2,5m; 4x2,3m; 5,5x2,3m; 2x2,5m 2 Box culvert 5,4 km uPVC D = 300 + 500 Interceptor HDPE D = 200 + 500 Pressure pipe 8,2 km 4 tram RC GRADE 350 6 Storm water PS RC GRADE 350 2 tram



(the end 2012)

- To solve flood in Bac Ninh city.
- > To reduce pollution of groundwater, stabilization pond and channel in city
- > To reduce negative affect to agriculture area around city.
- > To advance regulation for wastewater management unit



2. Situation on waster management in bac ninh city

Tertiary system	Secondary and first system	Stabilization pond	Irrigation and channel	River
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Ward, commune and household	BN-WSSC manage	Local authority	Management by agriculrual sector	Goverment, local authority





2. Situation on waster management in bac ninh city

- tertiary system include: sewers to collect wastewater from househould (by pipe or directly flow) belong to alley, helmet, small area and 2 sites of road. It is managed by ward, commune and residents
- Secondary system include: sewer in the main road to collect wastewater and stormwater (by outlet and screen bar) to pond, channel. This system is managed by BN WSSC.
- First system includes: Channel, drainage pumping station, it is managed by relating local authority and irrigational division.



3. Some problem

A. First system

- ☐ Chanel, drainage pumping station for irrigation
- Chanel and irrigation is not frequently dredging. It made to down drainage.
- > not having structure to cooperate between wastewater division in city with irrigational division in agriculture sector.
- > The capacity of stormwater pumping station is too small (it is not suitable to flow stormwater in urban area)



3. Some problem

■ Stabilization pond:

- > The unit which is managing is used not right way. (use for greed fishing)
- > Is is not frequently dredged, botom of pond is raised up level.
- > Pond is trespassed by household
- Outlet is occupied
- > It leads to:
- > Polution and not good signtseeing at urban area
- Reducing regulation of stormwater at stabilization pond



3. Some problem

B. Secondary system

- Sewer and manholes is trespass and stolen cover. Residents open cover and throw out waste to sewer.
- > Some urban area is not handed over the sewer system to company to manage.
- Sewer on national road is managed by another agency



3. Some problem

C. Tertiary system

- > Wastewater is still flow on the road in Some areas. It caused pollution and sightseeing.
- Residents is connect by themselves and trespass other works
- > Throw solid waste and scrap
- > Sewer is not repaired and maintenance



4. Some method to solve

- Step by step to implement decree 88 (have detailed plan)
- Promulgating regulation on wastewater management.
- ✓ Approved wastewater tariff and collect tariff in order to O&M sewer
- ✓ Give master plan on wastewater including wastewater treatment
- ✓ Combine all project relating to drainage system to connect all of system
 ✓ The operation and maintenance need a contract
- Having solution for drainage through national road







4. Some method to solve

- √ Tertiary system need an unit to manage
- √ Stabilization pond need to operate by an unit and having method to trespass
- ✓ Dredging and operation of irrigation
- ✓ Improve drainage pumping station to suit with drainage in urban area.
- √ Having master plant on DWWT at suburban area

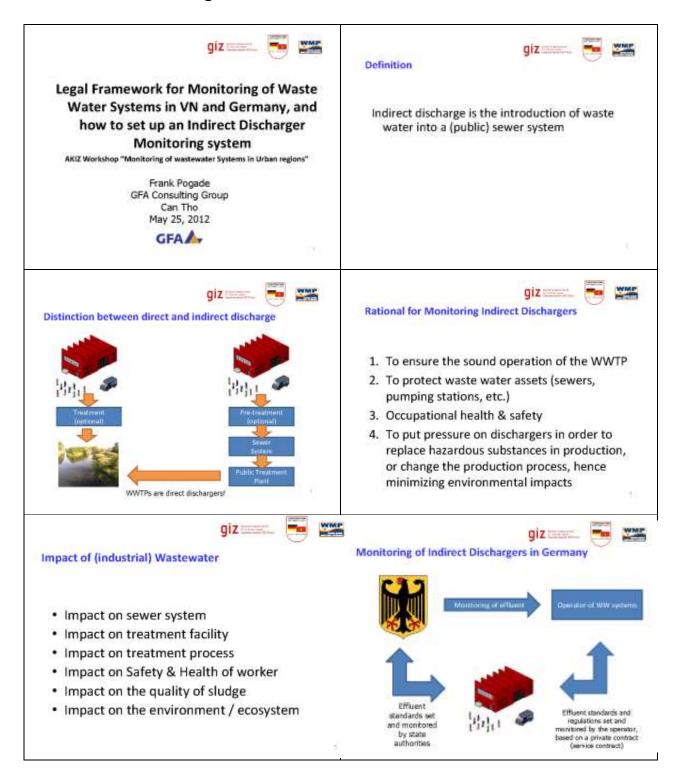
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Legal Background in VN

Decree 88/2007/ND-CP

Effluent standards (QCVN ...)

Construction)

Circular 09/2009TT-BXD (Ministry of







and Industrial Zones



If no enforcement is in place, the monitoring of indirect dischargers does not make much sense. Nevertheless, operators of WWTP should know who is discharging what into their sewer system.















Art 6: Regulation on quality of the discharged wastewater

· Quality of wastewater discharged into receiving water body shall be in compliance with standards for wastewater discharged into receiving water body issued by competent state authority.

Vietnam does NOT have effluent standards for indirect discharges into sewer systems!

Art 11: Prohibited acts

Prohibited is:

- · Discharge wastewater into sewer not meeting wastewater quality standards
- Discharge of substances and things that are not wastewater (or storm water)
- · Wastewater dilution to achieve WW standard
- · Connection to sewer without agreement
- · Provision of wrong information













Art. 42: Regulation on wastewater discharge at connection points

- · Discharger (customers) have to treat wastewater in their own facilities to meet required standards for discharging to sewer
- · Discharger have to enter contractual agreements with qualified laboratories for testing every two months before discharging starts. The results have to be sent to treatment company







- The operators are responsible for controlling wastewater discharge from customers into the sewer system
- · at any given time to ensure compliance with regulations
- · The operators can take samples and test quality of the wastewater as needed













Art. 59: Rights and Duties of company

- · Be compensated for losses and damages caused by relating parties
- · Preparing and submitting alternatives of wastewater fees for approval by competent authorities
- · Establishing database
- · Coordinating with water supply entities for fee collection

Art. 60: Rights and duties of customers

- · Being provided with sewerage services
- · Paying full wastewater fees and in time
- . Complying with regulations on standards for wastewater discharge













Art. 61: Inspection

 Construction inspectors shall function as sewerage inspectors

Scope of inspection:

- · regulation compliance,
- · detecting, prevention and dealing with violations against regulations

Circular 09, MoC:

- · Other (non-domestic) wastewater discharged into sewerage system must meet standards of wastewater discharging into the system.
- · In case of not meeting the standards, other wastewater must be pre-treated to meet the standards before discharging to the sewerage system









Conclusion:

The regulatory framework for introducing a IDM system in VN is rather favourable!

However,

- *there are no standards yet for indirect discharge into sewer systems
- •Regulations on local level are missing (who exactly is actually doing what, how and when?)
- *Enforcement of law is critical







System

Step 1:

Get an overview on the most relevant industries and commercial businesses that might discharge problematic waste water.

These dischargers are usually well-know (breweries, slaughterhouses, factories in general ...)

How to set up an Indirect Dischargers Monitoring

For the beginning, keep the number of the monitored companies small!













How to set up an Indirect Dischargers Monitoring System

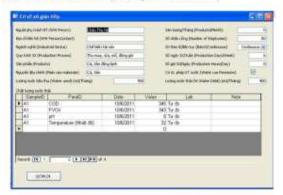
Step 2:

Collect data from these dischargers:

- > Address, names of persons in charge
- > Industrial sector
- > Description of production process
- Fresh water consumption (often very difficult to determine!)
- > Volume of waste water discharged (often very difficult to
- Discharging points into sewer system

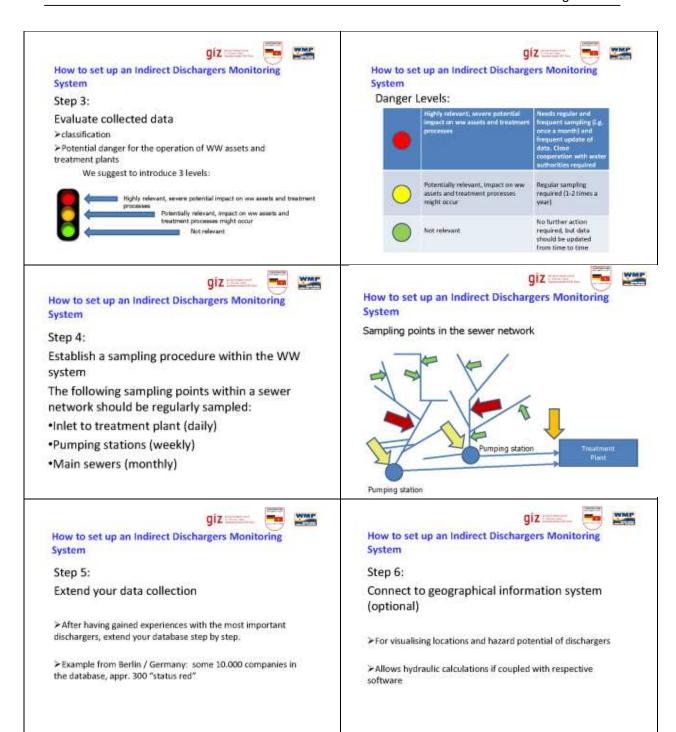
Data to be collected through visits and questionnaires. An electronic database is required

Electronic Data Base (Example from WMP)















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1 - Monitoring Objectives

<u>Overall</u>

- a) Protecting <u>general public</u> from dangers, damages and against harassment (e.g. odors)
- b) Protecting water bodies
- Protection <u>operational staff</u> working at/with wastewater facilities (WWTP, sewer network, pumping stations, etc.)
- d) Protecting and securing functioning of <u>wastewater</u> <u>facilities</u>
- e) Avoiding difficulties regarding treatment, utilization and disposal of <u>sewage sludge</u>

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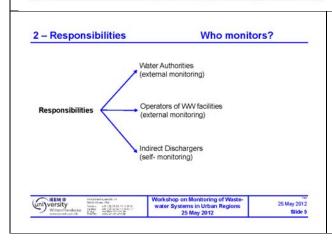
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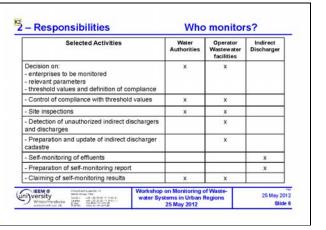
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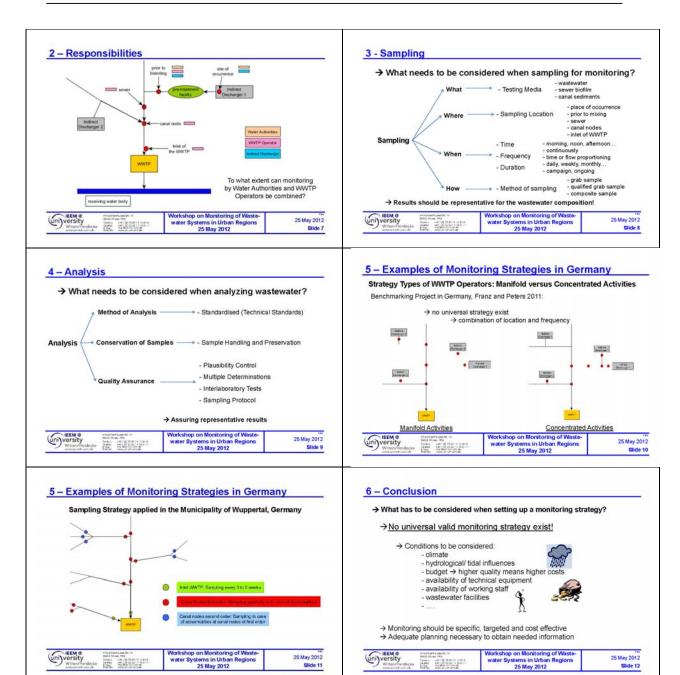
- a) Control compliance of threshold values stipulated by law / regulations
 - → Maximum concentration / load
- b) Locating unauthorized discharges and dischargers
 → Variations in concentration / load

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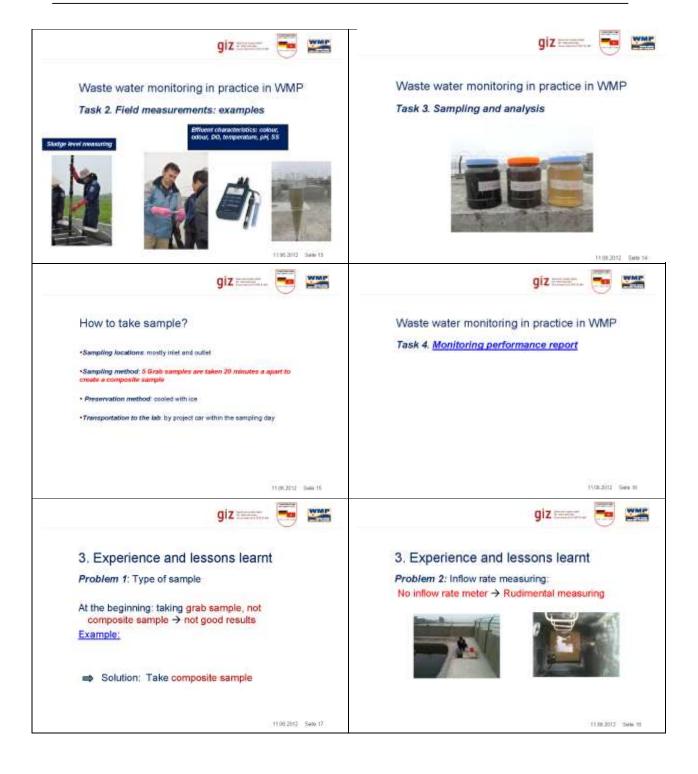
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Analytical Requirements for Monitoring of Waste Water Systems

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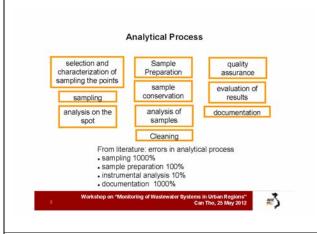


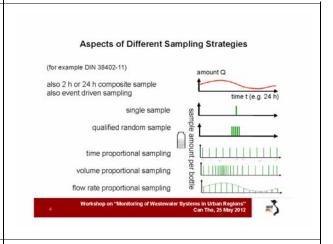
Aims

- Development of monitoring concept for industrial zones under the specific conditions in Vietnam and similar emerging countries will be developed
- · Creation of reliable database of waste water
- Development and operation of an adapted containerized laboratory
- · capacity building

..... all aims are still in process







Automatic Sampling







Sampling

continuous sampling

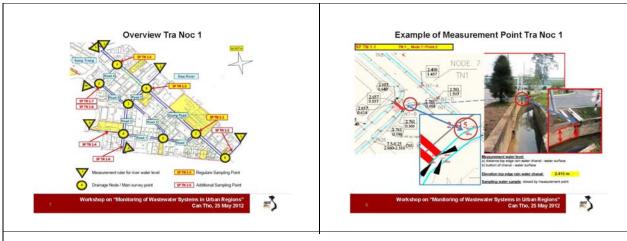


the actual campaign:

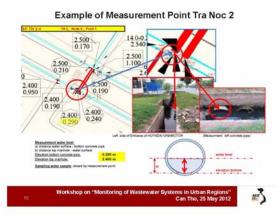
- · 21 weeks, 1-2 times a week
- · each measuring day 6 sampling points are investigated
- to obtain representative results 2 4 sample were taken at each measurement point
- every measuring day 4 5 times
- sampling should be done at low tide and when it's not raining

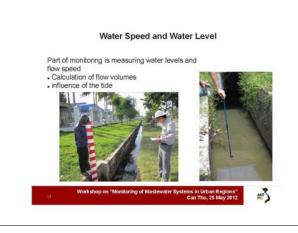


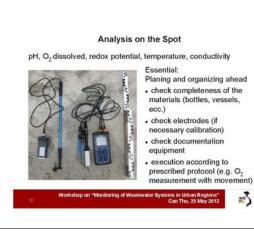














Sample Conservation

- · Conservation has to be done carefully
- · By adding HCI, samples might be destroyed
- · For methods like COD and N-NH4 Chloride is interfering
- · If HNO3 is added to the sample, N-NO3 and TN can not be determined
- Metals: $\ensuremath{\mathsf{HNO_3}}$ has to be added to prevent adsorption and precipitation
- Ammonia: If the pH > 8, the samples has to be conserved immediately after taking the sample by acidification.



Sample Conservation 2

- F: have been filtered directly after being taken with a 0.45 µm
- Pa: To the filtered samples, 0.5% H₂SO₄ has been added. Those samples have been neutralized before the measurement.

 fr. have been filtered and frozen directly after being taken

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Standard 1 ppm	- 1	1.32		1.07	0.61	0.72
TNO NTOL1 100 F	25	30,19		19,05	12,97	12.36
TNO_N/OL1_100_F_33				22,68	17,30	12,36
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TN2 N4F4 100 F ps	10	3,34	2,9C	4,55 5,22	3,90 4,41	2,17 2,00
TND NEF4 : IM F Ir				4.53	2.54	

- → Blanc: constantly
- → Standards: decreasing
 → Samples: randomly, due to biological or chemical composition



Sample Preparation

Membrane filter (0,45 µm)

- Acquisition cost low
 In long term more
- expensive



Pressure filter (0,45 µm) Acquisition cost high
 In long term less

expensive (time savings)





Colorimetric Methods

P-PO4, TP, N-NH4, N-NO3, TN and N-

- NO₂
 covette tests have high price and logistic difficulties
- used only for quality assurance
- · programed methods are sometimes different in different languages; verify!





Details

Analyte	Reagents	λ [nm]	remarks
PO ₄ 3-	Ammonium molybdate (in presents of potassium antimonyl tartrate) form an antimony-phosphomolybdio complex that is reduced to intensely colored molybdenum blue by ascorbic acid	580	this method is very time dependent
NO ₃ ·	in a H.,SOH.,PO. solution with 2,6- Dimethylphenole forms 4-Nitro-2,6- dimethylphenole	324	easy to execute
NH ₄ +	reacts at pH 12 with hypo-chlorite and salicylate in presents of disodiumpentacyanonitrosylferrate	655	sensitive to memory effects

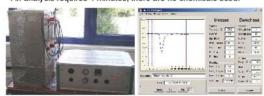
TP: Poly- and organic phosphates needs to be digested in a $\rm H_2SO_4$ -persulfate solution at 100 °C for 1 hour, before measuring PO_4 TN: Koroleff digestion has to be done, adding persulfate and NaOH to the sample, heating up the sample at 100 °C for one hour



COD with LAR-Analyser

Water sample get's burned at 1200 °C in a carrier gas stream with a defined oxygen concentration; the oxygen concentration is measured after the combustion with ZrO2 oxygen sensor

An analysis requires 4 minutes, there are no chemicals used.



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Quality Assurance

Compare results with different analytical methods

Measurement of standards and compare results with commercial

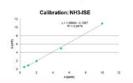
Compare results of real samples with external labs

Participate round robin tests



Measurement of NH₄+ with Ionselective Electrode (ISE)

- NH₄⁺ converts to NH₃ after adding a base
 NH₃ diffuses through a hydrophobic gas permeable membrane
 → Results of ISE-NH3 were compared with NH4+ cuvette test with a good correlation.
- but: without automatisation, ISE-NH3 seems not appropriate method for monitoring, because it doesn't safe time.



Results: Method C (ppm) Cuvette Test 8,24 NH3-ISE 8,07



Results of Round Robin Tests

Parameter	"true" value [mg/l]	median [mg/l]	Standard deviation [mg/l]	*good* Laboratories of 27 (z<2)	"very good" Laboratories of 27 (z<1)	AKIZ Laboratory [mg/l]
N - NO ₃ -	25,00	24,78	3,75	48%	41%	26,90
N - NO ₂ -	4,73	4,71	0,47	78%	63%	4,60
N – NH ₄ *	10,0	9,6	1,5	74%	52%	9,2
CI-	125,4	124,8	12,5	67%	59%	118,0
P - PO ₄ 3-	15,0	15,0	2,3	70%	56%	14,4
SO ₄ 2-	100,0	97,6	15,0	41%	26%	113,0
COD	130,46	129,00	19,57	81%	78%	134,00
BOD ₅	80,21	80,21	12,03	52%	52%	no result
Total Phosphorous	4,52	4,55	0,68	67%	48%	5,00

The 2nd test (metals at trace levels) was not so good.



Results 1: Measurement at Tet Fest

To investigate the pollution of the sewage system, samples were taken at Tet Fest.

These results were compared with results of normal conditions in the industrial zone

Parameter	N7P	2 13:00	N8P3 13:00			
	Tet	Normal	Tet	Normal		
N-NO3	<0,5	1,91	1,7	11,17		
N-NH4	8,32	20,02	8,39	37,71		
TN	8,35	45,27	11,46	76,38		
P-PO4	<0,5	3,45	<0,5	18,84		
TP	1.68	3 94	0.73	27.05		



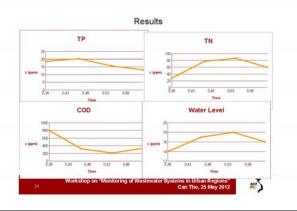
Results 2

Examples of filtered samples (Tra Noc 1, node 7, point 2):

Time depth	Depth (cm)	Flo	w direc	tion		Timo mpling	рН	D2 [mg/L]	Redox [mV]	Tomp.	Cond.
09.05 am	63	no n	cvemen	t	09	.10 am	9,1	0,2	-241	29,6	2110
11.00 am	45	town	rds Mei	cong	11	00 am	10,8	0,5	-215	30.2	2220
01.00pm	24	tow	ards Me	cong	01	mq 00.	8.8	0.6	-34	32.8	2568
03.05/03.25gm	14/21	town	rds Mei	eng	03	.25 pm	8,3	1,0	-37	29.0	2280
Limit values					П		5,5-9			40	
	Time		[ppm]	Ippr		Nitrate (ppm)	[ppm]	(mmo		02/L1	
	09.10	am	2,15	17,5	8	1,07	121,5	2,25	13	33.5	
	11.00	am	3,25	8.5	7	1,07	95.2	1,63	14	7.0	
	01.00	pm	15,54	40,5	5	1,24	123,3	3,38	40	0.00	
	03.25 p		12,08	19,2		0,70	135,7	1,75		17.0	

- strong influence of a 10-minute rain at 15.10 clock, with strong increase in flow velocity
- Unclear is the influence of the mud in the channels on results, especially if sample will not be filtered







Challenges of Monitoring

Tides

Flow direction of the water

Heavy Rain

Changing Industry (seafood factories are closing)









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