## Workshop Septage Treatment Technology

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FSM TOOLBOX

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for donors, city planners & consultants





The current focus of the FSM practices are only to empty the latrines and disposing of the collected feacal sludge into the environment with minimal treatment or reuse



## Realizing the need for FSM interventions, several nations & local governments, investors and communities have increased investments to improve management of faecal sludge



Although investments have increased, challenge still remains in effective planning and implementation of FSM project goals ....





### **Comprehensive collection +** Development and Dissemination

of tools on FSM to enhance the capability of the key players to work towards effective & sustainable implementation (planning) of FSM







## FSM PROGRAM



FSM Projects often begins with identifying issues, planning strategies, implementing the set of actions and later followed by evaluation of the project. These series of stages provide a structure which is defined as a FSM program





## Financial and Technology Assessment Tool

**Strategy Design Option** 



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## **Tool Contents: 8 Sheets**





## Sheet 1: FS Volume





## **Sheet 2: Number of Trucks**





## **Sheet 3: Treatment Technology**





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#### **Fecal Sludge Treatment Process Flow in the Tool**

## **Sheet 3: FS Treatment Technology Sheets**





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#### **Specification of Each Technology**

#### Cost

Capital investment costs include construction cost, design and supervision costs, and management cost.Operation& maintenance costs include personnel, electrical, chemical, maintenance and miscellaneous expenses.

#### Land Requirement

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Land requirement for individual technology has been calculated in m2/m3, helps user to estimate over all land area requirement for FSTP.

#### Reuse

Products are ultimately returned to the environment, either as useful resources or reduced- risk materials. Reuse options for each output product has been presented in the toolkit

#### **Advantages & Disadvantages**

The advantages and disadvantages of individual technologies are also presented in the tool to help users in the decision making process.

#### **Removal efficiency**

Determine the effluent quality in terms of biological oxygen demand (BOD), chemical oxygen demand (COD), total suspended solids (TSS) and pathogen removal after applying various treatment technologies.



## **Sheet 3: Steps for FS Treatment Technology Toolkit**



#### 疼 🛛 Fecal Sludge Management Tool

The 7 sheets will be helpful for the user to select the FSM treatment technologies based on site-specific criteria. FSM Treatment Technologies are divided into Primary Treatment (sedimentation), Dewatering, Pre Effluent Treatment, Post Effluent Treatment and Sludge treatment.

Based on the initial selection of criteria, possible options will appear in all sheets that users will be able to select. Treatment technologies which appear with the green color are applicable with the selected criteria, while the yellow color technologies can be applied with corrective measures. Technologies, which does not suit with criteria will not be activated.

Sheets will also provide the information like cost, land requirement, removal efficiency, advantages etc. In this way, users will be able to compare all possible technology options and can select one. Through the next button they can move to the next sheet. Once technology will be selected from all sheets the output will be shown in the dashboard. The dashboard will deliver the FSM treatment flow diagram with the selected technologies. On the basis of the chosen technology, table will show the complete treatment system with their total capital cost, 0 & M cost and net land requirement.

Selection Criteria			
Nature of Area Electricity Availability Flood Prone Groundwater Table Limited Space	○ Urban ○ Yes ○ Yes ○ High ⓒ Yes	<ul> <li>Rural</li> <li>No</li> <li>No</li> <li>Low</li> <li>No</li> </ul>	Reset Next >>

- User has to select the option based on site conditions
- Based on criteria, possible options will appear on the screens; and user is allowed to choose any technology combination.
- Reset button to start the process again & Next button to move to the next sheet



## **Sheet 3.1: Primary Treatment Options**



Primary Treatment Options						
Option1	C Settler	C Imhoff tank	Anaerobic Tank	C WSP (Anaerobic Pond)	C Thickening Pond	
Capital Cost (USD/m³/day) O&M Cost (USD/m³/year) Land Requirement (m²/m³) Removal Efficiency (%) Pathogen Removal Reuse	262.00 114.78 0.4 BOD 20-40% COD 25-50% TSS 50-70% Pathogen Removal < S0% Needs secondary and tertiary treatment	435.00 131.35 0.4 BOD 25-40% COD 25-50% TSS 50-70% Pathogen Removal < S0% Needs secondary and tertiary treatment	2,043.00 199.86 10.8 BOD 60-70% COD 60-70% TSS 20-50% Pathogen Removal < 50- 60% Generate renewable energy	282.20 99.24 11.46 BOD 60-70% COD 60-70% TSS 40-60% Pathogen Removal < 50- 60% Needs tertiary treatment	645.00 127.15 45.08 BOD 60-70% COD 60-70% TSS 40-60% Pathogen Removal< 50- 60% Needs secondary and tertiary treatment	
Advantages	<ul> <li>(+) Simple and robust technology</li> <li>(+) Efficient removal of suspended solids</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(+) Solid-liquid separation and sludge stabilization are combined in one single unit</li> <li>(+) Resistant against organic shock loads</li> <li>(+) Small space requirements</li> <li>(+) Suitable for small</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(+) The Small land area required (most of the structure can be built underground)</li> <li>(+) Can be built and repaired with locally available materials</li> <li>(+) No electrical energy required</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(+) Simple to build. The technology is appropriate for tropical climates, and achieves relatively high pathogen removal in the effluent.</li> <li>(+) Resistant to organic and hydraulic shock loads</li> <li>(+) High reduction of</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(+) Thickened sludge is easier to handle and less prone to splashing and spraying</li> <li>(+) Can be built and repaired with locally available materials</li> <li>(+) No electrical energy is required</li> </ul>	

• Primary Treatment allows the removal of suspended solids by sedimentation from fecal sludge. Treatment technologies which appear with the green color band are applicable with the selected criteria. Yellow color band technologies can be applicable with corrective measures.



## **Sheet 3.2: Dewatering Treatment Options**



Dewatering	Dewatering Treatment Options				
Option32	KOMPONENT CONTRACTOR				
	<ul> <li>Sand Drying Beds</li> </ul>	Mechanical Dewatering			
Capital Cost (USD/m³/day) O&M Cost (USD/m³/year) Land Requirement (m²/m³) Removal Efficiency (%)	1,914.00 560.33 27.38 Dry solid Level 30-50%	3,000.00 220.00 1.5 Dry solid level 20-40%			
Pathogen Removal					
Reuse	Needs secondary and tertiary treatment	Needs secondary and tertiary treatment			
Advantages	<ul> <li>(+) Good dewatering efficiency, especially in dry and hot climates</li> <li>(+) Can be built and repaired with locally available materials</li> <li>(+) Simple operation, only infrequent attention required</li> <li>(+) No experts, but trained community</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(+) Compact technology</li> <li>(+) Gives speed to the process</li> <li>(+) Good dewatering efficiency</li> </ul>			

• Dewatering helps separate sludge into liquid and solid portions



### **Sheet 3.3: Pre- Effluent Treatment Options**



Pre-Effluent Treatment Options						
Option24	€ ABR+AF	WSP (Facultative & Maturation pond)	C Constructed Wetland	C Activated Sludge	Rotating Biological Contactors	
Capital Cost (USD/m³/day)	320.00	457.00	1,210.00	1,308.00	2,500.00	
O&M Cost (USD/m <sup>3</sup> /year)	211.64	117.40	156.50	887.40	395.60	
Land Requirement (m <sup>2</sup> /m <sup>3</sup> )	0.97	21.29	89.46	12.1	5	
Removal Efficiency (%)	BOD 70-90%	BOD 80-90%	BOD 80-90%	BOD 80-90%	BOD 80-90%	
	TSS 80-90%	TSS 60-80%	TSS 60-80%	TSS 80-90%	TSS 80-90%	
Pathogen Removal	Pathogen Removal - 99%	Pathogen Removal 99.9%	Pathogen Removal 99.9%	Pathogen Removal < 99%	Pathogen Removal < 99%	
Reuse	Needs tertiary treatment	Needs tertiary treatment	Needs tertiary treatment	Needs tertiary treatment	Needs tertiary treatment	
Advantages	<ul> <li>(+) Resistant to organic and hydraulic shock loads</li> <li>(+) No electrical energy required</li> <li>(+) High BOD reduction</li> <li>(+) Long service life</li> <li>(+) Low sludge production; sludge is stabilized</li> <li>(+) Moderate area requirement (can be built</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(+) Resistant to organic and hydraulic shock loads</li> <li>(+) High reduction of solids, BOD and pathogens</li> <li>(+) High nutrient removal if combined with aquaculture</li> <li>(+) No electrical energy required</li> <li>(+) No real problems with</li> </ul>	(+) High reduction of BOD, suspended solids and pathogens (+) Ability to nitrify due to good oxygen transfer (+) Does not have the mosquito problems of the Free-Water Surface or Horizontal Wetland (+) Less clogging than in a Horizontal Subsurface	<ul> <li>(+) Resistant to organic and hydraulic shock loads</li> <li>(+) High reduction of BOD and pathogens at after secondary treatment</li> <li>(+) High nutrient removal possible</li> <li>(+) High effluent quality</li> <li>(+) Little land required compared to the</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(+) High contact time and high effluent quality (both BOD and nutrients)</li> <li>(+) High process stability, resistant to shock hydraulic or organic loading</li> <li>(+) Short contact periods are required because of the large active surface</li> <li>(+) Low space</li> </ul>	

• Liquid portion treatment options to remove pathogens, residual suspended solids and / or dissolved constituents



## **Sheet 3.4: Post- Effluent Treatment Options**



Post-Effluent Treatment Options							
Option24	C Tertiary Filtration and Disinfection						
Capital Cost (USD/m³/day) O&M Cost (USD/m³/year) Land Requirement (m²/m³) Removal Efficiency (%)	96.00 263.50 0.212 BOD < 20 mg/L COD < 120 mg/L TSS < 5 mg/L						
Pathogen Removal Reuse Advantages	99.9% (2000-S000MPN) Irrigation, Fish Pond, Plant Pond, Disposal/Recharge (+) Additional removal of						
Disadvantages	(-) Skills, technology,						

 Liquid portion further treatment option to remove pathogens, residual suspended solids and / or dissolved constituents, so that the effluents can be reused for different purposes or discharged to water bodies.



### **Sheet 3.5: Sludge Treatment Options**



Sludge Treatment Options							
Option24	C Vermi Composting	Co-Compositing	C Deep Row Entrenchment	• Thermal Drying	C Line Addition	C La De Pa	Studge Incineration
Capital Cost (USD/m³/day) O&M Cost (USD/m³/year) Land Requirement (m³/m³) Removal Efficiency (%) Pathogen Removal Reuse	20,476.60 0.80 30 Dry solid Level 20-30% Pathogen Removal < 50% Soli Conditioner	4,602.00 33.30 200 Dry Sold Level 20-30% Helminth egg < 1 vable egg/g Ts Soll Conditioner	484.90 0.10 7.5 Helminth egg < 0.1% viable egg/g Ts Forestry and Land Rehabilitation Purposes	62,970.00 10,428.00 1.5 Dry Sold Level 65%-90% Temp. 80° Energy requirement 725Ki Pathogen removal 100% Energy Source and Sol Conditioner	24.30 730.00 1.33 Dry sold Level 30-50% PH of sludge 11-12 Ova reduction 56%-83.8% Pathogen removal 99% Energy Source and Sol Conditioner	62,970.00 10,428.00 1.5 Dry sold Level < 10% Temp. 100° Pathogen Removal 100% Energy Source and Sol Conditioner	123,943.60 20,867.00 1.5 Temp. 750° Pathogen Removal 100% Energy Source
Advantages	<ul> <li>(+) Economic and environment friendly waste management</li> <li>(+) Simple methods available</li> <li>(+) Compost is a valuable resource for gardeners/farmens</li> <li>(+) Selling of worms</li> </ul>	(+)Large-scale compositing reduces the amount of waste that needs to be transported to final disposal sites (+)Relatively straightforward to set up and maintain with appropriate training (+)Provides a valuable resource that can	(+) No expensive infrastructure or pumps are required (+) Growing trees have many benefits such as extra CO2 fraston, erosion protection, or potential economic benefits	<ul> <li>(+) Significant reduction in volume as well as pathogen content</li> <li>(+) Dried sludge easy to handle and market</li> <li>(+) Product can be used for agriculture</li> </ul>	(+) Reduction of pathogen (+) Reduction of odour and degradable organic matter (+)Benefit of Ime is also that heavy metals can precipitate	<ul> <li>(+) Technology is compact, mobile and robust</li> <li>(+) Pellets are free of pathogen, therefore safe for agricultural</li> <li>(+) Pellets can be used as a dry fuel</li> </ul>	(+) Significant reduction in volume as well as removed all pathogen content

• Treatment options for the solid portion so that the product can be used for different purposes or safely released into the environment..



### **Sheet 3.6: Dashboard**





- The dashboard will display the FSM treatment flow diagram with the selected technologies.
- On the basis of the chosen technology combination, a table will be displayed to show the complete treatment system with capital unit cost, unit O & M cost and net land requirement



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