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OWAC, acronym for Open Water Company, is an engineering company that operates within the **ENVIRONMENTAL** sector developing circular economy initiatives that have true impact on people's lives and the Planet

We are a leading engineering company specialised in waste treatment and **WASTE TO ENERGY**, environmental remediation, water treatment and renewable energy

Our services cover all project phases and its entire lifecycle

We use **BIM METHODOLOGY** and advanced monitoring systems to reduce risks and costs while securing quality control and compliance with regulatory and legal requirements.

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MERITANO DI ESSERE RICORDATE  
DUE VIRTÙ*

**LA SICUREZZA IN SÉ STESSI  
E LA PRUDENZA.**

*CONVINTI CHE*

*OGNI INNOVAZIONE NELLA CITTÀ  
INFLUISCA SUL DISEGNO DEL CIELO  
PRIMA D'OGNI DECISIONE*

**CALCOLANO I RISCHI E I VANTAGGI  
PER LORO E PER**

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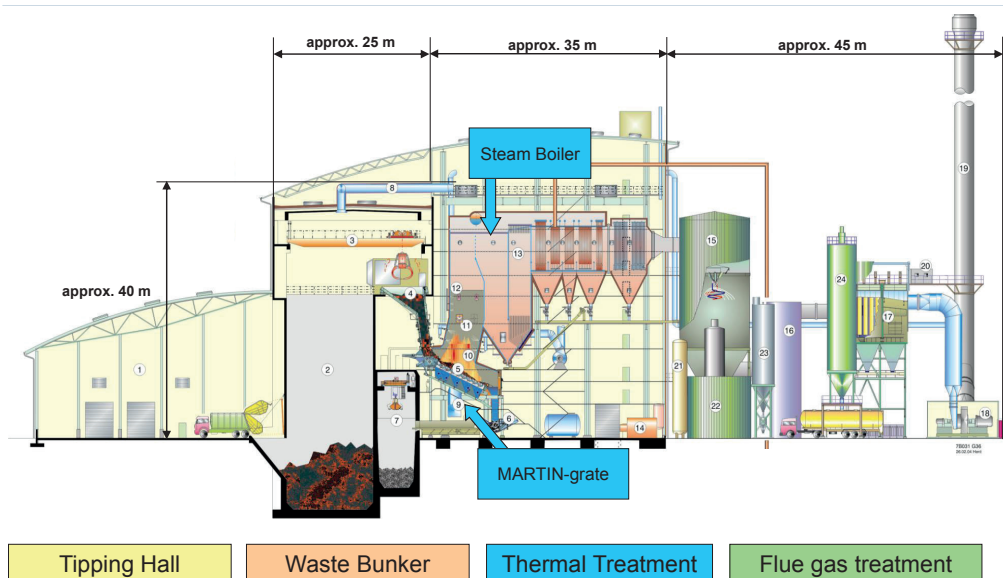
# COMBUSTION SYSTEM, STEAM BOILER, FLUE GAS TREATMENT FOR **RDF PLANT** - SERBIA

The Refuse Derived Fuel (RDF) plant comes with a Combustion Technology including a grate and a boiler, a Flue gas treatment plant which is according to the EU regulations and a Combustion Control System (CCS). The components shall be installed at the existing site of a Coal Fired Power plant that has an existing water - steam cycle.

The plant is designed with two combustion lines. Each line can incinerate 24.0 Mg/h RDF. The designed maximum gross heat release (heat input) of each combustion line is 106.1 MW.

- **Combustion Technology:** The reverse acting grate can keep the residence time of the fuel on the grate constant even during intensive agitations of the waste. The agitation velocity can be adjusted separately in each combustion zone. This guarantees stable results of the combustion and an optimal burn-out rate of the fuel if the fuel quality varies. The system is proven in many WTE plants world-wide. The boiler is designed considering the specific requirements applying to RDF boilers. The amply dimension fumace brings about low flue gas velocities, ensuring a high flue gas residence time;
- **Fuel Gas treatment:** To maintain the emissions standard and the effective precipitation of pollutants (NOx, HCl, HF, volatile heavy metals and ashes) a semi dry process will be used;
- **Combustion Control System:** CCS allows continuous operations staying below established emissions limits.

## CROSS-SECTION SECTION OF A TYPICAL WTE PLANT



### DESIGN DATA

**Location** Serbia  
**Site area** 20.000 m<sup>3</sup>  
**Public client** A.R. s.r.l.  
**Design period** 2019  
**Cost** 200.000.000,00 €

### TECHNICAL DATA

**2 combustion lines** 24.0 mg/h of RDF  
**Heating value range (lhw)** 11,00 - 18,00 kj/kg

# PRELIMINARY STUDY FOR AN INTEGRATED SYSTEM OF **MSW MANAGEMENT AND TREATMENT** – TUNISIA

Upon the request of the Ministry of Environment of Tunisia a preliminary study for the development of four Waste-to-Energy platforms have been produced to support the local Waste Management authorities.

Sources indicate that Tunisia produces more than 6 million tons of waste every year, with a trend of increasing volume of about 3% / year and a production of waste in urban areas of about 0.8 - 1.2 kg per day. Furthermore, there is a serious problem related to the waste already produced and stored in different areas of the country.

Currently it is found that the biodegradable organic component of waste represents 68% of the total volume, 80% is collected in urban areas and 10% in rural areas.

The integrated platforms designed by OWAC will strengthen the sustainable management of Municipal Solid Waste (MSW), carrying substantial improvements to the actual treatment processes.

The final goal of adequate Waste-to-Energy treatment plants are the prevention of negative environmental impacts such as CO2 emissions and the promotion of circular economy programs, which are according to the principles of “economic, social and environmental sustainability”. The integrated MSW management plants follows internationally recognized guidelines, such as:

- Prevention of Environmental pollution;
- Reuse of materials;
- Recycling and other types of recovery;
- Energy production (Electricity, Biogas, Thermal);
- Compost production for agriculture;
- Disposal of residual waste to well-constructed and monitored Landfills with leachate capture.

## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** Ministry of the Environment of the Tunisian Republic

**Type of service** Preliminary Study

**Cost** 435 M€

**Location** Tunisia

**Site area** 25 ha

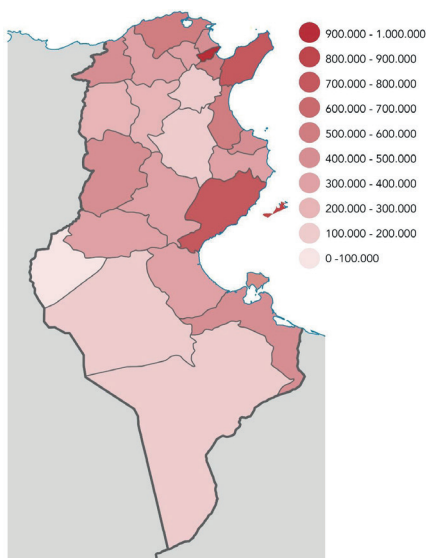
**Number people required for the assignment** 6

**Assignment duration** 3 months

## TECHNICAL DATA

- **Mechanical treatment plant with manual selection**  
recyclable material separation  
**Treatment capacity** 3.500 t/day (1.300.000 t/year)
- **Biological treatment plant**  
stabilization of organic waste  
**Treatment capacity** 160.000 t/year
- **Thermal plant** energy production  
**Treatment capacity** 70 t/day
- **Landfill** disposal of treatment residues  
**Available volume** 3.000.000 m<sup>3</sup>  
**Guaranteed energy** 640 GWh/year  
**Installed power** 67 MW  
**Estimated compost production** 50.000 t/year  
**Biomethane production from wet fraction** 3.200.000 Stmc/year

NUMBER OF INHABITANTS FOR GOVERNMENT



EXAMPLE OF WASTE TO ENERGY FACILITY PLANT



# PRELIMINARY STUDY FOR DEV BOSSEA PROJECT - SENEGAL

The DEV BOSSEA program in Senegal is part of the “social finance” initiatives focused on the use of economic and financial resources capable of improving the “real economy” of underdeveloped countries and thus promoting virtuous ways of growth and social innovation. For this purpose a BOOT contract has been signed between GIG BOSSEA and the Financial Institution IBE INC US, in which OWAC is involved for the development of two main phases, WP\_01; CONSTRUCTION, UTILITIES, SOCIAL, SERVICES AND SPORT, and WP\_02; ENERGY, PRIMARY INFRASTRUCTURE, WASTE MANAGEMENT. OWAC has prepared a Preliminary Study (PS) with the key considerations and guiding principles of the project.

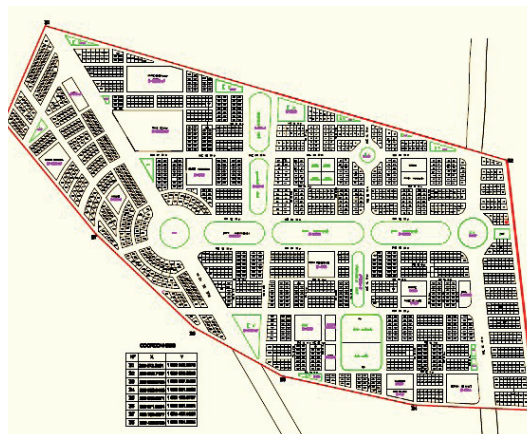
The amount and complexity of the work required is often underestimated by countries during the transformation process to circular economy development programs. With this in mind, a realistic path in terms of costs, technical resources, timeframe for implementation, the required institutional and legal changes, and the potential for community participation has been established. A great amount of data was collected and studied for planning purposes and for determining the investment to be made and the infrastructure to be built.

With reference to the Work Plan 01 The project foresees the construction of n. 4.730 housing units for around 18-20,000 inhabitants. The Work Plan 02, related to the production of clean energy from renewable sources and the infrastructures for waste treatment, has been assessed, not only in compliance with the number of housing units, but in order to have enough capacity to serve nearby municipalities. The main focus of this feasibility study covers legal, institutional, financial and operational considerations, addressed to guarantee project sustainability and enhancing circular economy systems gradually, without outstanding interventions.

The main information described during project appraisal and PS are:

- (a) A description of the investment and its location.
- (b) The total cost and total eligible cost.
- (c) PS carried out, including options analysis, and the results.
- (d) A CBA, including an economic and a financial analysis.
- (e) An analysis of the environmental impact, taking into account climate change mitigation.
- (f) An explanation as to how the major project is consistent with the relevant priority axes of the operational program and the expected contribution to socio-economic development.
- (g) The timetable for implementing the project

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## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** Ministry of the Environment of the Senegal Republic  
**Type of service** Preliminary Study  
**Cost** \$ 530,000,000.00  
**Location** Senegal  
**Location within country** Region de Matan  
**Assignment duration** 6 months  
**Number of people required for the assignment** 12  
**Expected projects implementations period**  
**WP01** March 2020 - June 2024  
**WP02** June 2020 - February 2026

## TECHNICAL DATA

### WP01

**- Work package description**  
 Construction of buildings for residential buildings with attached services shopping centre, sports facilities, social gathering areas, craft workshops, training rooms, conference rooms. The project foresees the construction, of n. 4.730 housing. The indicated cost also includes the construction of the water infrastructure, the sewerage system, public lighting.

### WP02

**- Work package description**  
**ENER-01** Energy production from renewable sources (photovoltaic park, solar concentration plant).  
**ENER-02** Design and construction of no. 3 sludge water treatment plants for the production of natural fertilizers for agriculture and for the production of biomethane  
**ENER-03** Design and construction of no. 3 central production biomethane  
**ENER-04** Waste recycling system: steel (5%) and non ferrous metals (5%); energy production from Thermal Waste Oxidation of residual waste



# PRELIMINARY DESIGN FOR PILOT WASTE TO ENERGY FACILITY - HUBEI PROVINCE (CHINA)

This Pilot Project was developed for the Public Administration of the Province of Hubei (China). It has been designed so that it could be replicated in nearby locations.

It includes:

## The Mechanical Pre Treatment Facility

The purpose of the process is to maximize the recovery of materials from the undifferentiated waste. The process consists of separating the MSW into the following different fractions:

- Plastic material for recycling (PE, PET and other potentially recoverable plastics as a function of market demand);
- Iron and aluminium for recycling in foundry;
- Poor quality organic material which is directed to bio stabilization plants
- Material with high caloric value, principally composed by the driest fractions of waste.

## Biological Treatment facility

**1.Aerobic:** Aerobic Biological treatment is performed for the organic fraction of MSW. The volume and the weight of the waste as well as GHG emission and leachate will be effectively reduced after the treatment and after approximately 21 days the waste is ready to be sent to the Landfill.

**2.Anaerobic:** With the Anaerobic Digestion the organic fraction of MSW will be processed in the absence of oxygen, in order to recover biogas. An upgrading process will then obtain biomethane that can be used and reinserted in the local economy.

## Thermal Treatment for the Gasification Unit.

Biomass gasification allows for the conversion of different biomass feedstocks to a more convenient gaseous fuel that can then be used for the generation of heat and electricity. Biomass gasification is a mature technological pathway that uses a controlled process involving heat, steam, and oxygen to convert biomass to hydrogen and other products, without combustion, and represents an efficient process for the production of chemicals

## EXAMPLE OF A PLANT TYPE



## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** World Grand Inc.  
Hong Kong  
**Type of service** Preliminary  
Design  
**Cost** 6 MLN €  
**Location** China - Hubei Province  
**Site area** 2.0 ha

## TECHNICAL DATA

### Mechanical pre - treatments

- Primary shredder
- Sorting rotating drum
- Metal separator
- Aeraulic classifier
- Secondary (fine) shredder

### Biological treatments

- Anaerobic digester
- Aerobic biocontainers

### Thermal treatment

- Gasification unit
- Treatment capacity** 8000 t/  
year

# PRELIMINARY DESIGN FOR WASTE TO ENERGY FACILITY - HUBEI PROVINCE

This technical Waste Management preliminary study is developed for three Municipalities of the Hubei Province located within the Central region of China. The facilities proposed would mitigate negative environmental impact of mismanaged waste and promote waste prevention, reuse, recycle and recovery over waste disposal. This close interest from Chinese Administrators confirms their efforts to shift from disposal to reduction, treatment and recycling in order to achieve a circular economy concept using products in the most efficient way possible.

The technical proposal, that consists of 10 facilities for Xiangyang and Jingzhou cities which together count for over 11 Million inhabitants, and a total of 8 facilities, for Jingmen city that count for 3 Million inhabitants, should be backed up by adequate legal, regulatory and economic instruments, as well as a firmly established Waste Management Strategic plan for the collection and transportation of waste. This will lead to a steady upgrade of the Waste Management sector in the province that could be similarly replicated in other Chinese locations.

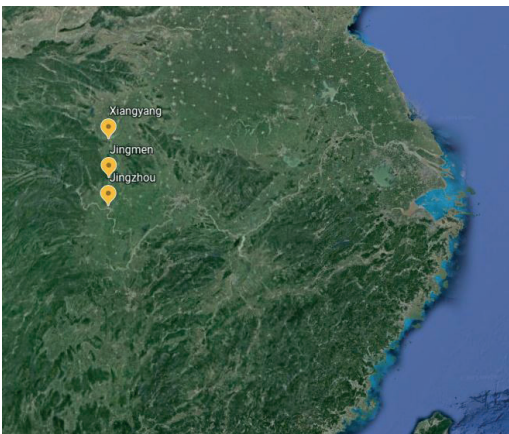
For Xiangyang and Jingzhou cities the study contemplates:

- Mechanical plants: about 6 hectares of land needed;
- Biological plants: about 7 hectares of land needed;
- Thermal plant: about 4 hectares of land needed;
- Landfills: about 20 hectares of land needed.

For Jingmen city the study contemplates:

- Mechanical plants: about 3 hectares of land needed;
- Biological plants: about 4.5 hectares of land needed;
- Thermal plant: about 2.5 hectares of land needed;
- Landfills: about 12 hectares of land needed.

## LOCATION



## EXAMPLE OF A PLANT TYPE



## DESIGN DATA

**Location** Xiangyang, Jingmen, Jingzhou cities  
**Public client** World Grand Inc. Hong Kong  
**Type of service** Preliminary Design  
**Site area Xiangyang and Jingzhou cities** 37 ha each  
**Site area Jingmen city** 22 ha  
**Cost Xiangyang and Jingzhou cities** 730 M€ each  
**Cost Jingmen city** 435 M€

## TECHNICAL DATA

### XIANGYANG AND JINZHOU CITIES SOLUTION

**A facility which can process about 2.300.000 t/year waste (mixed municipal solid waste), which is equal to 6.500 t/day approximately**

- **Mechanical sorting plant** recyclable material separation  
**Treatment capacity** 3.000 t/day (1.000.000 t/year)
- **Biological treatment plant** stabilization of organic waste  
**Treatment capacity** 250.000 t/year
- **Thermal plant** energy production  
**Treatment capacity** 130 t/hour
- **Landfill** disposal of treatment residues  
**Available volume** 1.000.000 m<sup>3</sup>  
**Energy production** 560 GWh/year  
**Installed power** 80 MW

### JINGMEN CITY SOLUTION

**A facility which can process about 1.300.000 t/year waste (mixed municipal solid waste), which is equal to 3.500 t/day approximately**

- **Mechanical sorting plant** recyclable material separation  
**Treatment capacity** 3.500 t/day (1.300.000 t/year)
- **Biological treatment plant** stabilization of organic waste  
**Treatment capacity** 160.000 t/year
- **Thermal plant** energy production  
**Treatment capacity** 70 t/hour
- **Landfill** disposal of treatment residues  
**Available volume** 1.000.000 m<sup>3</sup>  
**Energy production** 560 GWh/year  
**Installed power** 80 MW

# PRELIMINARY DESIGN FOR WASTE TO ENERGY FACILITY - HEBEI PROVINCE

This technical Waste Management preliminary study is developed for Chengde – Yudaokou Municipality which is part of the Hebei Province located within the Northern region of China. The facilities proposed would mitigate negative environmental impact of mismanaged waste and promote waste prevention, reuse, recycle and recovery over waste disposal. Developing and implementing this kind of waste management system requires comprehensive data on present and future anticipated waste situations, supportive policy frameworks, knowledge and capacity to develop plans/systems, proper use of environmentally sound technologies, and appropriate financial instruments to support implementation.

The technical proposal consists of 5 facilities which include a Processing plant, a Mechanical pre-treatment plant, a biological treatment plant, a Thermal plant and a Landfill. All of which will occupy approximately 15 hectares of land. The plants will recover plastics, glass, paper and metals that may be remanufactured creating a new market and a sustainable economy. Around 40 GWh/year of electricity could be recovered to serve 40.000 users. Biogas will be extracted from Landfill and Anaerobic Digestion Plants generating Biofuels and lowering GHG emissions that will contribute to tackling climate change.

## DESIGN DATA

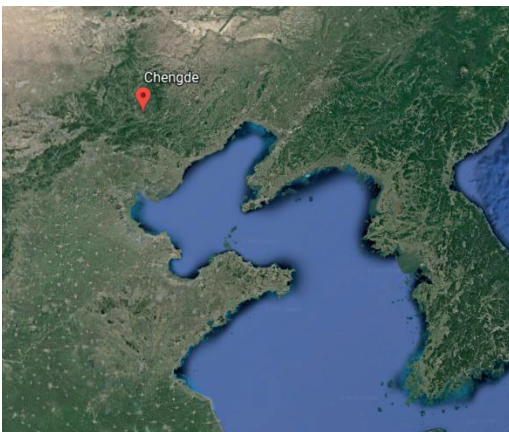
**Location** Chengde - Yudaokou Township  
**Public client** World Grand Inc. Hong Kong  
**Type of service** Preliminary Design  
**Site area** 25 ha  
**Cost:** 148 MLN €

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Facility which can process about 250.000 t/year waste (mixed municipal solid waste), which is equal to 700 t/day approximately**

- **Mechanical sorting plant** recyclable material separation  
**Treatment capacity** 700 t/day (250.000 t/year)
- **Biological treatment plant** stabilization of organic waste  
**Treatment capacity** 130.000 t/year
- **Thermal plant** energy production  
**Treatment capacity** 12 t/hour
- **Landfills** disposal of treatment residues  
**Available volume** 700.000 m<sup>3</sup>  
**Energy production** 40 GWh/year  
**Installed power** 10 MW

## LOCATION



## EXAMPLE OF A PLANT TYPE





# PRELIMINARY DESIGN FOR A MECHANICAL AND BIOLOGICAL TREATMENT FACILITY FOR **MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE TREATMENT** WITH ENERGY PRODUCTION - INDONESIA

The plant lay-out provides one mechanical treatment line for the screening of MSW with a capacity of 31.4 t/h. The process-line layout is the following: a wide area for the storage of the incoming waste, a shredding and a double-stage screening aimed to separate the following materials:

- i) oversized fractions of nonferrous metals (e.g. aluminium cans) and ferrous materials will be separated;
- ii) midsized fractions of ferrous materials will be separated;
- iii) undersized fraction, that are processed with biological treatment.

The designed layout also provides a fine shredding section for producing RFD from high calorific fractions.

Provided biological treatments for the undersized fractions are:

- 1) anaerobic digestion to obtain biogas which can be recovered into a cogeneration engine for the production of electricity and thermal energy (supplied for the self-consumption of the plant);
- 2) aerobic stabilization of the digested sludge to obtain a stable dry material which can be recycled (compost). The buildings will be kept in constant ventilation in order to ensure the health of workers; the air is recirculated within the aerobic tunnels to facilitate the biological process. Lastly, the exhaust air will be treated with a scrubber and a biofilter, and then the treated air can be let out into the atmosphere, since pollutant concentrations are reduced to the levels set forth by law.

## DESIGN DATA

**Location** Indonesia  
**Site area** 35.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Shed surface** 12.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** 2015  
**Task assigned and carried out**  
Preliminary design  
**Cost** € 3.500.000,00

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments D8, D9, D14, D15, R1, R3, R4, R5, R13**  
**Maximum capacity** 50.000 t/year

### TREATMENT

**Mechanical pretreatment**  
shredding - double screening - ferrous and nonferrous metals recovery - RDF fine shredding  
**Biological treatment** anaerobic digestion of undersized fragments (five closed tunnels) - biological stabilization and drying of the digested sludge (five closed tunnels)

RENDER VIEW



RENDER VIEW



# PRELIMINARY DESIGN FOR A MECHANICAL, BIOLOGICAL AND THERMAL WASTE TREATMENT FACILITY - FRENCH POLINESIA

The plant lay-out provides one mechanical treatment line for the screening of MSW. as follows: a wide area for the storage of the incoming waste, a shredding and a double-stage screening aimed to separate the following materials:

- i) oversized fractions of nonferrous metals (e.g., aluminium cans) and ferrous materials will be separated;
- ii) mid-sized fractions of ferrous materials will be separated;
- iii) undersized fractions, that are processed with biological treatment.

The designed layout also provides a fine shredding section for producing RFD from high calorific fractions.

Provided biological treatments for the underscreen fractions are:

- 1) anaerobic digestion to obtain biogas which can be recovered into a cogenerator engine for the production of electricity and thermal energy (supplied for the self-consumption of the plant);
- 2) aerobic stabilization of the digested sludge to obtain a stable dry material which can be recycled (compost).

The thermal treatment unit, using high efficiency turbines, allows to maximize energy recovery from waste (total power of 4-5 MW). The buildings will be kept in constant ventilation in order to ensure the health of workers; the air is recirculated within the aerobic tunnels to facilitate the biological process. Lastly, the exhaust air will be treated with a scrubber and a biofilter, and so treated air can be let out into the atmosphere, since pollutant concentrations are reduced to the levels set forth by law.

## DESIGN DATA

**Location** French Polynesia  
**Site area** 40.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Shed surface** 17.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** 2015  
**Task assigned and carried out** Preliminary design  
**Cost** € 30.000.000,00

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments D8, D9, D14, D15, R1, R3, R4, R5, R13**  
**Maximum capacity** 75.000 t/year  
**Treatment** Mechanical  
**Pretreatment** shredding - double screening - ferrous and nonferrous metals recovery - RDF fine shredding  
**Biological treatment** anaerobic digestion of underscreen materials (seven closed tunnels) - biological stabilization and drying of the digested sludge (seven closed tunnels)  
**Thermal treatment** Gasification

RENDER VIEW



RENDER VIEW



# PRELIMINARY DESIGN FOR A MECHANICAL AND BIOLOGICAL TREATMENT FACILITY FOR MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE - POLAND

The plant lay-out provides two mechanical treatment lines for the screening of MSW as follows: a wide area for the storage of the incoming waste, shredding and double-stage screening aimed to separate the following materials:

- i) oversized fractions of nonferrous metals (e.g., aluminium cans) and ferrous materials will be separated;
- ii) midsized fractions of ferrous materials will be separated;
- iii) undersized fractions, that are processed with biological treatment.

The designed layout also provides recyclable and high calorific plastics recovery.

Provided biological treatment for the underscreen fractions is aerobic stabilization in static windrows, covered with breathable fabrics. A significant aspect is related to the reduction of emissions into the atmosphere: odorous substances are retained within the windrows. During the oxidation process, the temperature increases due to the degradation activity of the microorganisms, and the evaporation of interstitial water forms a thin film in contact with the cloth itself. Such thin film, together with the small weaving of the cloth (0.2 µm), constitutes a mechanical barrier against the odorous molecules. Smaller molecules (O<sub>2</sub>, CO<sub>2</sub>, water vapor), instead, are free to transpire. This prevents approximately 95% of the spores and pathogenic bacteria to be spread in the air.

The buildings will be kept in constant depression in order to ensure the health of workers; the air is recirculated within the aerobic tunnels to facilitate the biological process.

Lastly, the exhaust air will be treated with a scrubber and a biofilter, and so treated air can be given off into the atmosphere, since pollutant concentrations are reduced to the levels set forth by law.

## DESIGN DATA

**Location** Czestochova - Poland  
**Site area** 50.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Shed surface** 10.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** 2014  
**Task assigned and carried out** preliminary design  
**Cost** € 12.000.000,00

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments D8, D9, D14, D15, R3, R4, R5, R13**  
**Maximum capacity** 250.000 t/year  
**Treatment** Mechanical  
**Pretreatment** shredding - double screening - ferrous and nonferrous metals recovery - plastics recovery  
**Biological treatment:** biological stabilization (sixteen aerated windrows)

EXAMPLE OF A PLANT TYPE



EXAMPLE OF A PLANT TYPE





# PRELIMINARY DESIGN FOR AN **AEROBIC BIOSTABILIZATION** FACILITY FOR ORGANIC WASTE - POLAND

The plant contains a biological treatment for treating the organic fraction of the MSW. The process of biostabilization occurs within 12 concrete lanes; their bottom is provided with a passage for the circulation of air that is necessary for the process. The air is uniformly distributed through parallel channels, which extend to the entire length of each composting lane. During the process, temperature, humidity and interstitial oxygen are monitored, and air circulation is modulated on the basis of these measured parameters.

The buildings will be kept in constant ventilation in order to ensure the health of workers; the air is recirculated within the aerobic tunnels to facilitate the biological process. Lastly, the exhaust air will be treated with a scrubber and a biofilter, and so treated air can be let out into the atmosphere, since pollutant concentrations are reduced to the levels set forth by law.

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## DESIGN DATA

**Location** Czestochova - Poland  
**Site area** 15,000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Shed surface** 4.600 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** 2013  
**Task assigned and carried out** preliminary design  
**Cost** € 5.000.000,00

EXAMPLE OF A PLANT TYPE



EXAMPLE OF A PLANT TYPE



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## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments R3, R4, R12, R13**  
**Maximum capacity** 30.000 t/year  
**Treatment** aerobic biostabilization (twelve aerated dynamic lanes)



# COMBINED MULTIFUNCIONAL INDUSTRIAL PLANT FOR SLUDGE AND LIQUID WASTE TREATMENT - FOGGIA

The proposed project features a multi-combined platform divided in **two distinct sections**:

1. A sludge treatment section with a capacity of 50.000 t/year for the sludge collected from the Province of Foggia;
2. A Waste Water Treatment Plant (WWTP) for liquid metabolic waste with a total capacity of 300 m<sup>3</sup>/day.

The project promotes **circular economy practices** through the recovery of energy available within the sludge matter and transforms the energy to biogas and biomethane. For this purpose, cutting-edge anaerobic digestion technologies are used.

The platform has the following purposes:

- the **production of biogas** using the anaerobic digestion section to process the incoming sludge;
- the **upgrade** of biogas to biomethane;
- the **dewatering** of residual waste from the anaerobic digestion that can later be briquetted and used in construction or disposed in sanitary landfills;
- the production of **lignite** through innovative processes;
- the production of **purified water** to be used for irrigation purposes.

As summarized below, the design choices find an optimal equilibrium between the different treatment and recovery techniques:

## A. SLUDGE TREATMENT SECTION

## B. WWTP

The average quantity of clarified permeate will be approximately 156 m<sup>3</sup> /day . The chemical composition complies with the limits specified on table 4, annex 5, part three of the Legislative Decree 152/06 and subsequent amendments, as well as adhering to the requirements concerning reuse of waste water reported on the Ministerial Decree 12 June 2003, n. 185.

## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** Acquedotto Pugliese S.p.A  
**Type of service** Technical and economical feasibility study  
**Project cost** € 30.222.924,45  
**Location** Foggia  
**Total site surface** 51.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** June 2022

## TECHNICAL DATA

### SLUDGE TREATMENT SECTION

**Treatment capacity:** 50.000 t/year  
**Anaerobic reactors:** 2 digestors (wet) of 3.100 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Biogas producible:** 3.800.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/year  
**Cogenerator:**  
 Eletric power 1.200 kW  
 Thermal power 1.239 kW

### WWTP

**Treatment capacity:** 300 m<sup>3</sup>/day  
**Clarified water produced:** 156 m<sup>3</sup>/day  
**Concentrate produced:** 12 m<sup>3</sup>/day





# REVAMPING OF THE MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE TREATMENT PLANT - TUFINO

Making the most of the EU Recovery and Resilience Facility (RRF) instrument, the project provides an upgrade to the plant layout in order for it to meet the increasingly stringent environmental regulations and maximize recovery and recycling rates. The initiative broadly contributes to enhancing the integrated cycle of urban waste.

The plant produces biomethane for the transport sector and compost for agricultural use in compliance with European and national regulations (EU regulation EN:13432 and the new European fertilizer regulation 2019/1009).

The revamp will include two process lines:

- An Aerobic-Anaerobic treatment section for the Organic Fraction of the Municipal Solid Waste (OFMSW) that will recover high-quality compost and biomethane;
- A Section for the recovery of paper and cardboard coming from MSW segregated at source.

The aerobic-anaerobic process line provides a waste treatment capacity equal to 75.500 t/year, 57.000 t/y of OFMSW, and 18.700 t/y of green waste. The section consists of:

- a) A reception bunker followed by mechanical pre-treatment of incoming waste;
- b) An anaerobic digestion section, where biomass undergoes a biochemical conversion producing biogas and a residual liquid (digestate);
- c) A digestate mechanical dewatering section, with subsequent flocculation and flotation treatment followed by a leachate treatment plant;
- d) A composting section for the aerobic stabilization of the solid digestate, thus obtaining a quality compost;
- e) An up-grading unit for the biogas produced by the anaerobic digestion to bio-methane.

Cutting-edge technologies that will be implemented in the paper and cardboard sorting line will allow a recovery capacity of 37.200 t/year.

Last but not least, an exhausted air treatment system (scrubber, biofilter, and bag filters); will ensure gaseous-effluent compliance with EU and local regulations.

## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** A.T.O. NA 3  
**Type of service** Technical and economic feasibility project  
**Project cost** € 28.139.804,00  
**Location** Tufino (NA)  
**Total site surface** 88.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** December 2021

## TECHNICAL DATA

### AEROBIC-ANAEROBIC OFMSW SECTION

**Treatment capacity:** 75.700 t/year  
**Process duration:** 90 days  
**Anaerobic reactors:** 2 of 2.100 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**In-vessel reactor for aerobic stabilization:** 7 of 322 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Maturation phase:** 9 turning piles of 576 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Produced Compost:** 10.500 t/year  
**Produced Biomethane:** 600 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h

### PAPER AND CARDBOARD RECOVERY LINE

**Treatment capacity:** 37.200 t/year  
**Mechanical treatment:** Double screening stage, optical separation, highly automated (robotic) sorting, pressing and filming  
**Plastic material bales:** 2.400 t/year  
**Paper and Cardboard bales:** 29.000 t/year







# REVAMPING OF MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE TREATMENT PLANT - GIUGLIANO

Making the most of the EU Recovery and Resilience Facility (RRF) instrument, the project provides an upgrade to the plant layout in order for it to meet the increasingly stringent environmental regulations and maximize recovery and recycling rates. The initiative broadly contributes to enhancing the integrated cycle of urban waste.

The plant produces biomethane for the transport sector and compost for agricultural use in compliance with European and national regulations (EU regulation EN:13432 and the new European fertilizer regulation 2019/1009).

The revamp will include three process lines:

- An aerobic-anaerobic treatment section for the Organic Fraction of the Municipal Solid Waste (OFMSW) that will recover high-quality compost and biomethane;
- A section for the recovery of paper and cardboard coming from municipal solid waste segregated at source;
- A section for the recovery of glass coming from municipal waste segregated at source (colour-sorted glass, cullet production).

The aerobic-anaerobic process line provides a waste treatment capacity equal to 57.000 t/y of OFMSW, and 18.700 t/y of green waste. The section consists of:

- a) A reception bunker followed by mechanical pre-treatment of incoming waste;
- b) An anaerobic digestion section, where biomass undergoes a biochemical conversion producing biogas and a residual liquid (digestate);
- c) A digestate mechanical dewatering section, with subsequent flocculation and flotation treatment followed by a leachate treatment plant;
- d) A composting section for the aerobic stabilization of the solid digestate, thus obtaining a quality compost;
- e) An up-grading unit of the biogas produced by anaerobic digestion to bio-methane production.

Cutting-edge technologies that will be implemented in paper / cardboard and glass sorting lines will allow a recovery capacity of 37.200 and 77.000 t/year respectively.

Last but not least, an exhausted air treatment system (scrubber, biofilter, and bag filters); will ensure gaseous-effluent compliance with EU and local regulations.



## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** A.T.O. NA 2  
**Type of service** Technical and economic feasibility design  
**Project cost** € 36.825.466,06  
**Location** Giugliano (NA)  
**Total site surface** 60.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** December 2021

## TECHNICAL DATA

### AEROBIC-ANAEROBIC OFMSW SECTION

**Treatment capacity:** 75.700 t/year  
**Process duration:** 90 days  
**Anaerobic reactors:** 2 of 2.100 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**In-vessel reactor for aerobic stabilization:** 7 of 330 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Maturation phase:** 9 turning piles of 492 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Produced Compost:** 10.500 t/year  
**Produced Biomethane:** 600 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h

### PAPER AND CARDBOARD RECOVERY LINE

**Treatment capacity:** 37.200 t/year  
**Mechanical treatment:** Double screening stage, optical separation, highly automated (robotic) sorting, pressing and filming  
**Plastic material bales:** 2.400 t/anno  
**Paper and Cardboard bales:** 29.000 t/year

### GLASS RECOVERY LINE

**Treatment capacity:** 77.000 t/year  
**Mechanical treatments:** aeraulic separation, manual sorting, crusher, magnetic separator, foucault current separator, binary and ternary optical separation  
**Green glass cullet:** 26.250 t/year  
**Flint glass cullet:** 26.250 t/year  
**Amber glass cullet:** 13.130 t/year  
**High melting point glass:** 6.663 t/year  
**Metals (ferrous and non-ferrous):** 875 t/year



# INDUSTRIAL PLANT WITH COMBINED ANAEROBIC/AEROBIC TREATMENT OF OFMSW FOR THE PRODUCTION OF BIOMETHANE AND COMPOST - LECCE

Making the most of the EU Recovery and Resilience Facility (RRF) instrument, the project is in line with the increasingly stringent environmental regulations and maximize recovery and recycling rates. The initiative broadly contributes to enhancing the integrated cycle of urban waste.

The plant produces biomethane for the transport sector and compost for agricultural use in compliance with European and national regulations (EU regulation EN:13432 and the new European fertilizer regulation 2019/1009).

The project will include two process lines:

- An aerobic-anaerobic treatment section for the Organic Fraction of the Municipal Solid Waste (OFMSW) that will recover high-quality compost and biomethane;
- A wastewater and leachate treatment section that will reduce sludge to be disposed and recover clarified water.

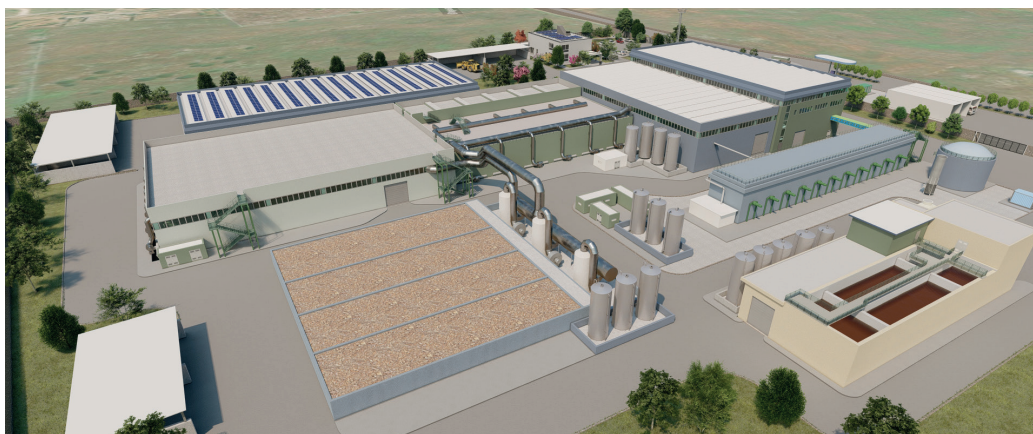
The aerobic-anaerobic process line provides a waste treatment capacity equal to 50.000 t/year, 40.000 t/y of OFMSW, and 10.000 t/y of green waste. The section consists of:

- a) A reception bunker followed by mechanical pre-treatment of incoming waste;
- b) An anaerobic digestion section, where biomass undergoes a biochemical conversion producing biogas and a residual liquid (digestate);
- c) A digestate mechanical dewatering section, with subsequent flocculation and flotation treatment followed by a leachate treatment plant;
- d) A composting section for the aerobic stabilization of the solid digestate, thus obtaining a quality compost;
- e) An up-grading unit of the biogas produced by anaerobic digestion for bio-methane production.

The wastewater and leachate are taken to the WWTP. The permeate/effluent will be suitable for on-site reuse (irrigation, processes need, etc) considerably reducing water consumption.

The WWTP will have a daily treatment capacity of 100 m<sup>3</sup>/day and includes a MBR (Membrane Bioreactor) treatment section for the oxidation of suspended biomass and the removal of ammonia nitrogen, followed by two units of ultrafiltration and reverse osmosis to ensure a high-quality output. The concentrate is sent to an evaporator for a further volumetric reduction and it will be shipped to duly authorized third-party plants.

Last but not least, an exhausted air treatment system (scrubber, biofilter, and bag filters); will ensure gaseous-effluent compliance with EU and local regulations.



## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** Ager Puglia  
**Type of service** Technical and economic feasibility design  
**Project cost** € 35.286.729,56  
**Location** Lecce (LE)  
**Total site surface** 53.819 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** December 2021

## TECHNICAL DATA

### AEROBIC-ANAEROBIC OFMSW SECTION

**Treatment capacity:** 50.000 t/year  
**Process duration:** 90 days  
**Anaerobic reactors:** 1 of 3.200 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**In-vessel reactor for aerobic stabilization:** 7 of 412 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Maturation phase:** 5 turning piles of 673 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Produced Compost:** 7.200 t/year  
**Produced Biomethane:** 410 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h



# REVAMPING OF THE AEROBIC / ANAEROBIC INTEGRATED PLANT FOR THE **TREATMENT OF FORSU** – SALERNO

The project aims to improve the composting plant of the Municipality of Salerno, which has a treatment capacity of 30.000 t/year and is operated by Salerno Pulita S.p.A.

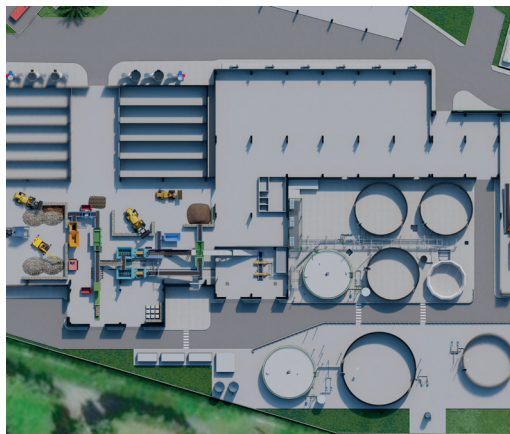
The production process is upgraded to use the BATs and incorporate industry 4.0, interconnectivity and smart automation solutions, such as advanced software, cloud, robotics, and remote monitoring.

Through the abovementioned interventions the existing anaerobic digestion of organic matter will achieve maximum production capacity of biogas, to be fed to the cogeneration process for the production of electricity and thermal energy.

For the revamping of the anaerobic treatment process the following activities are expected:

- Adaptation of the FORSU pre-treatment systems, mainly by replacing the existing press unit with a higher performance machine that integrates advanced technological solutions;
- Decommissioning of existing emergency flare, now out-of-service, and installation of new open-flame flare with steady combustion temperature;
- Decommissioning of the existing gasometer system and installation of a new two membrane press static system;
- Inertization with nitrogen, emptying and washing the digesters;
- Revamping of the anaerobic digestion system through replacing the vertical agitators, pumping systems and the polyelectrolyte dissolution system and reconditioning the piping and valves;
- Extraordinary maintenance of the existing biological desulfurization system and revamping of the biogas upgrading system by replacing the cogeneration units;
- Installation of an advanced monitoring system for the composting in-vessel reactors and for the anaerobic digestion process;
- Installation of continuous remote automation and monitoring system.

The anaerobic digestion of the OFMSW, is expected to produce 683.421 Sm<sup>3</sup>/year of biogas. On the other hand, the composting process of the solid fraction, obtained from pressing the dehydrated digestate and blending it with lingo-cellulosic waste (green waste), will produce 10.140 t/year of compost.



## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** Salerno Pulita  
**Type of service** Definitive design  
**Project cost** € 3.120.405,36  
**Location** Salerno (SA)  
**Total site surface** 46,109 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** October 2021

## TECHNICAL DATA

### AEROBIC-ANAEROBIC OFMSW SECTION

**Treatment capacity:** 30.000 t/year  
**Process duration:** 90 days  
**Anaerobic reactors:** 3 of 800 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**In-vessel reactor for aerobic stabilization:** 10 of 287 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Maturation phase:** 6 turning piles of 356 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Produced Compost:** 10.140 t/year  
**produced Biomethane:** 80 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h.  
**Thermal energy produced:** 1.000 MWh/year





# HIGHLY AUTOMATED PAPER AND CARDBOARD RECOVERY FACILITY - NAPOLI

In line with decree (108 of 23/02/2022) issued by the Campania Region, the initiative provides space optimization that adapts to the upcoming waste reception and final product storage.

A highly automated paper and cardboard recovery section is provided. The line counts with automatic screening and sorting as well as robotic quality control reaching a processing capacity of 37.200 tons/year.

The following objectives and performance levels are expected:

- Mitigation of social impacts related to transportation of waste to terminals outside the province or region;
- Best ratio between investment costs, operating costs and material recovery performance (paper and cardboard) in accordance with the BATs;
- Full compliance of the regional policy framework in line with the local urban waste management plan;
- Obtaining grants released by the National Recovery and Resilience Facility Plan (RRF), under measure M2C1.1.I1.1 - Line B;
- The mitigation of environmental impacts related to paper and cardboard recovery processes;
- The achievement of circular economy goals related to waste and the fulfilment of EU standards concerning the conservation of natural environments, climate change and carbon footprint.

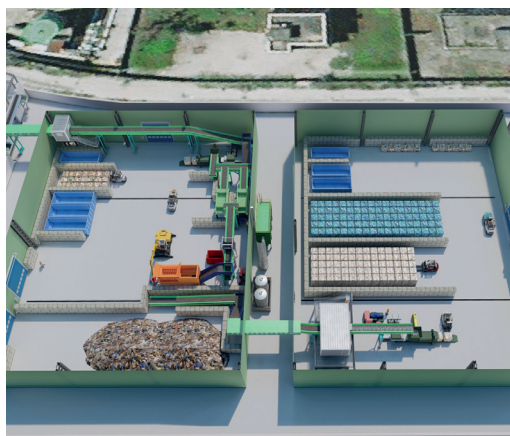
## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** Comune di Napoli  
**Type of service** Preliminary design  
**Project cost** € 8.774.088,20  
**Location** Naples (NA)  
**Total site surface** 7.600 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** January 2022

## TECHNICAL DATA

### PAPER AND CARDBOARD RECOVERY LINE

**Treatment capacity:** 37.200 t/year  
**Mechanical treatment:** Double screening stage, optical separation, highly automated (robotic) sorting, pressing and filming  
**Plastic material bales:** 1.200 t/year PET and 1.200 t/year PE+PP  
**Paper bales:** 21.200 t/year  
**Cardboard bales:** 7.800 t/year





# HIGHLY AUTOMATED MATERIAL RECOVERY FACILITY (MRF) FOR **PAPER, CARDBOARD AND GLASS** - CAIVANO

The project will take place within the ASI area and is developed by "S.A.P.NA." Sistema Ambiente Provincia di Napoli S.p.A. The Recovery and Resilience Facility (RRF) instruments is used to finance the project, meet the increasingly stringent environmental regulations and maximize recovery and recycling rates. The initiative broadly contributes to enhancing the integrated cycle of urban waste. Cutting-edge technologies and advanced control systems are used in compliance with EU and national regulations. Two highly automated process lines are provided:

- A section for the recovery of paper and cardboard coming from waste already segregated at source (differentiated collection);
- A section for the recovery of glass coming from waste already segregated at source (colour-sorted glass, cullet production).

The project aims to guarantee R3 - R5 - R13 waste management operations in line with national Decree 152/2006.

## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** ATO NA 1 (public / private committee)  
**Type of service** feasibility study  
**Project cost** € 11.181.816,25  
**Location** Caivano (NA)  
**Total site surface** 70.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** February 2022

## TECHNICAL DATA

### PAPER AND CARDBOARD RECOVERY LINE

**Treatment capacity:** 37.200 t/year  
**Mechanical treatment:** Double screening stage, optical separation, highly automated (robotic) sorting, pressing and filming  
**Recoverable materials:** Plastic materials, Paper bales, Cardboard bales

### GLASS RECOVERY LINE

**Treatment capacity:** 77.000 t/anno  
**Mechanical treatments:** aeraulic separation, manual sorting, crusher, magnetic separator, foucault current separator, binary and ternary optical separation  
**Recoverable materials:** Green glass cullet  
 Flint glass cullet  
 Amber glass cullet  
 High melting point glass  
 ferrous and non-ferrous metals





# MULTIFUNCTIONAL WASTE TO ENERGY PLANT - CASTELLANA SICULA

In the context of circular economy and energy recycling, the municipal waste platform is planned in order to produce energy and secondary raw material from MSW.

Thanks to an anaerobic digestion section, the plant is expected to produce biomethane and compost from the OFMSW, and raw material from the residual fraction of MSW. Moreover, in the platform will be executed the pre-processing and the securing of the WEEE (Waste of electric and electronic equipment) and the pre-treatment of the bulky waste.

The plant has a maximum treatment capacity of 42.500 t/year for the OFMSW section and 68.000 t/year for the residual fraction of MSW, 300 t/year for the bulky waste and finally a capacity of 1.500 t/year for the e-Waste.

The Plant activities can be divided as follows:

## A. OFMSW TREATMENT SECTION

- Mechanical pre-treatment;
- Anaerobic digestion – Biogas production - Biomethane up-grading;
- High quality compost production.

## B. MECHANICAL BIOLOGIC TREATMENT SECTION FOR RESIDUAL WASTE OF MSW, BULKY WASTE AND DRY FRACTION OF MSW

- Mechanical separation treatment;
- Anaerobic stabilization – biogas production – Biomethane up-grading;
- RDF production;
- Secondary raw material production (paper, plastic, metals, i.e.);
- Separation and collection of recyclable material from bulky waste;
- Mechanical treatment and volume reduction, with final baling.

## C. PRE-PROCESSING AND SECURING OF E- WASTE

- E-Waste storage;
- Disassembly and waste securing;
- Stockage of dangerous and non-dangerous -compound.

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client** Biowaste CH4 Castellana Sicula S.r.l.  
**Type of service** Definitive design  
**Project cost** € 55.420.465,65  
**Location** Castellana Sicula (PA)  
**Total area** 80.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** 2021

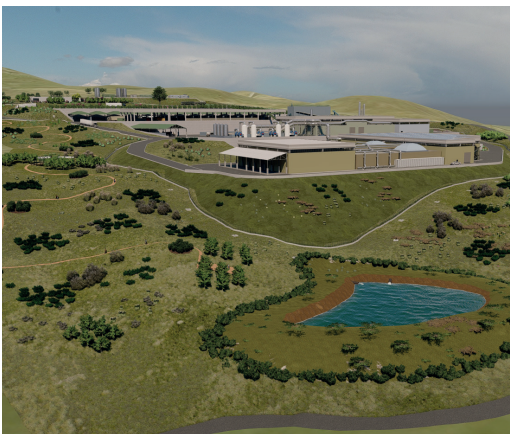
## TECHNICAL DATA

### OFMSW TREATMENT SECTION

**Capacity:** 42.500 t/year  
**Process length:** 90 days  
**Anaerobic digester:** 1 of 2.250 m<sup>3</sup>  
**Bio-cells for aerobic stabilization:** 8 of 510 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Maturation platform:** 2 of 2.700 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Compost produced:** 14.000 t/year  
**Biomethane produced:** 280 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h  
**Recycled plastics produced:** 3.900 t/year  
**Recycled metals produced:** 300 t/year

### MSW TREATMENT SECTION

**Capacity:** 60.000 t/year  
**Stabilization process length:** 38 days  
**Bio-cells anaerobic:** 9 of 350 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Biocell for aerobic stabilization:** 5 of 350 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Post-treatments:** shredding of the RDF and baling  
**Organic fraction stabilized:** 14.600t/year  
**Recycled plastics produced:** 6.300 t/year  
**Recycled metals produced:** 1.100 t/year  
**Biomethane produced:** 180 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h







# MULTIFUNCTIONAL **WASTE TO ENERGY** PLANT - MAZZARRA' SANT'ANDREA

The project arises from the demand to recover the Organic Fraction of the Municipal Solid Waste (OFMSW) resulting from source separated collection. A combination of innovative technologies is set to maximize biomethane production. It involves the construction and operation of a multi-combined platform with two major sections for the treatment and processing of non-hazardous MSW collected within the Messina Province. The platform is expected to receive:

- OFMSU resulting from separate waste collection;
- Green waste from pruning of parks and gardens;
- Undifferentiated MSW and/or undifferentiated (residual) MSW from separated collection.

The implementation of the project consists of:

1. Recovery of the existing facilities and its integration with the new ones enabling:
  - A section designated to treat undifferentiated MSW which includes the stabilization of the organic content, material recovery such as metals and plastics, the production of Refuse-Derived Fuel (RDF) and biogas;
  - A section designated to treat Organic Fraction of the Municipal Solid Waste (OFMSW) resulting from source separated collection which will produce high quality compost and biogas;
  - A section designated for the upgrading of biogas produced after anaerobic digestion. The outcome, biomethane, should be fed into the national grid. The green energy recovered from the abovementioned sections will substantially benefit decarbonisation and the economy.
2. The reactivation of the unused old landfill leachate treatment plant, integrating existing structures and equipment's with new required facilities. Both the leachate and wastewater produced from the MSW treatment industrial platform will be treated.

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client** Asja Ambiente Italia S.p.A  
**Type of service** Definitive design  
**Project cost** € 44.252.200,29  
**Location** Zuppa' - Mazzarra' Sant'Andrea (ME)  
**Total site surface** 73.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** 2020

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Compost production:**  
14.000 t/year  
**Biostabilized organic fraction:**  
29.000 t/year  
**Secondary solid fuel:**  
49.200 t/year

## OFMSW SECTION

**Capacity:** 60.000 t/year  
**Biogas production:** 1.200 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h  
**Biomethane production:** 710 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h  
**Exhaust air treatment capacity:**  
300.000 m<sup>3</sup>/h

## MSW SECTION

**Capacity:** 100.000 t/year  
**Biogas production:** 510 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h  
**Biomethane production:** 245 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h  
**Exhaust air treatment section:**  
100.000 m<sup>3</sup>/h  
**Recovered materials:**  
 2.000 t/year ferrous metal  
 1.300 t/year non-ferrous metal  
 6.500 t/year plastic  
 6.900 t/year chlorinated plastic





# MULTIFUNCTIONAL **WASTE TO ENERGY** PLANT BELLOLAMPO - COMUNE DI PALERMO

The project foresees the revamping of an existing Mechanical Biological Treatment (MBT) plant, as well as the construction of a new section for the treatment and energy recovery of the Organic Fraction of the Municipal Solid Waste (OFMSW) resulting from source separated collection. Added-value products such as biomethane, biofertilizers, Refuse-Derived Fuel (RDF) will be produced as well as ferrous and non-ferrous metals recovered.

The project includes:

- Improvement of the organic fraction treatment resulting from the MBT;
- Treatment facility for the OFMSW resulting from source separated collection;
- Biofertilizers and quality compost production from the OFMSW (resulting from source separated collection);
- Biomethane production from OFMSW and MSW.

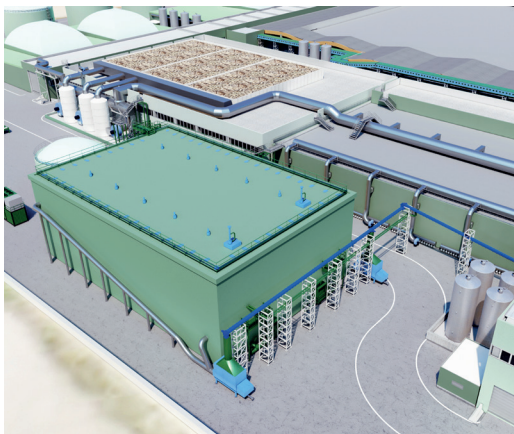
The project integrates the existing facilities with the new industrial structures. The final layout includes:

- A pre-treatment section for the OFMSW resulting from source separated collection; two anaerobic digestors (AD) to process the organic fraction sourced from the MBT section and the inflow of OFMSW resulting from source separated collection;
- A section for the upgrading of biogas resulting from AD to obtain biomethane;
- A facility to feed biomethane into the natural gas grid;
- A bio stabilization section for the digestate generated from the AD of the OFMSW from undifferentiated collection and sewage sludge (existing);
- A bio stabilization for the digestate generated from the AD of the OFMSW resulting from source separated collection to produce high-quality compost.

As a result, two different waste treatments processes will be integrated:

- **OF-MBT process.** This will treat the undersized organic fraction material obtained through the existing mechanical pre-treatment facility;
- **OFMSW process.** This will treat the OFMSW from source separated collection.

The OF-MBT process scope is the treatment of the OF obtained from the existing MBT facility through a section of dry anaerobic digestion for the production of biogas that will be sent, together with the one obtained by the OFMSW, to the upgrading facility which will capture CO<sub>2</sub>, and therefore, obtaining biomethane. Waste coming from AD will be subject to accelerated bio-oxidation at the existing bio cells. From this process an odourless leftover with low humidity (less than 50%) is obtained which is sent to the landfill. The FORSU process aims to obtain through AD the production of biogas and fertilizer and/or quality compost. Again, the biogas, which will be upgraded, can be fed directly into the national grid.



## DESIGN DATA

**Private client** Biowaste CH4 Palermo S.r.l.

**Type of service** detailed design, executive project, construction supervision, commissioning and operation monitoring

**Project cost** €51.128.321,75

**Location** Palermo

**Total site surface** 40.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Design period** June 2020

## TECHNICAL DATA

**OFMSW capacity:** 60.000 t/year

**OF-MBT capacity:** 100.000 t/year

**Exhaust air treatment capacity:** 250.000 m<sup>3</sup>/h

### OFMSW PROCESS

**Compost production:**

14.500 t year

**Biogas production:** 1.100 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h

**Biomethane production:**

638 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h

### OF-MBT PROCESS

**Biogas production:** 1.230 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h

**Biomethane production:**

650 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h

**Stabilized organic fraction production:** 67.300 t/year



# INTEGRATED PLATFORM FOR URBAN WASTE TREATMENT - BRINDISI

The urban waste platform is expected to produce biomethane and quality compost from the OFMSW and RDF and recycled materials from the residual fraction of MSW. The treatment and recycling platform is organized into two independent sections, ones for the OFMSW and the other one for the residual waste treatment.

The plant has a maximum treatment capacity of 40.000 t/year for the OFMSW section and 40.000 t/year for the residual fraction of MSW and the dry fractions of the separated collection.

The project aims to assure the waste management operations R3 - R4 - R5 - R13- D8 - D13 - D15 according to Legislative Decree 152/2006 (as indicated in Annex B and C of the fourth part).

The Plant activities can be divided as follows:

## A. OFMSW TREATMENT SECTION

- Reception and storage of the incoming waste;
- Mechanical pre-treatment;
- Anaerobic digestion;
- Digested post-treatment;
- Composting process;
- Biogas treatment and biomethane production.

## B. RESIDUAL WASTE TREATMENT AND RECOVERY SECTION

- Reception and storage of the incoming waste;
- Aerobic stabilization into biocells;
- Screening and disposal of the stabilized undersize;
- Separation of the recyclable materials;
- RDF refining and pressing.

The biologic treatment of the OFMSW produces a high-quality compost equal to about 8.400 t/year and biomethane for about 430 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h.

From the treatment section of the residual waste fraction and the dry fractions of the separated collection, it is obtained a stabilized organic fraction (O.F) of about 8.400 t/year, a RDF equal to approximately 19.350 t/year, ferrous and non-ferrous recycled metals equal to 1.750 t/year and 750 t/year respectively and recyclable plastics equal to approximately 6.000 t/year.



## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** Ager Puglia  
**Type of service** Definitive design  
**Project cost** € 37.081.730,75  
**Location** Brindisi  
**Tot area** 69.601 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** May 2020

## TECHNICAL DATA

### OFMSW TREATMENT SECTION

**Capacity:** 46.700 t/year  
**Process length:** 90 days  
**Anaerobic digester:** 2 of 1.500 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Bio-cells for aerobic stabilization:** 7 of 120 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Maturation platform:** 6 of 444 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Compost produced:** 8.400 t/year  
**Biomethane produced:** 430 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h

### MSW TREATMENT SECTION

**Capacity:** 40.000 t/year  
**Stabilization process length:** 14 days  
**Bio-cells anaerobic:** 10 of 530 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Post-treatments for undersize compound:** induced currents separator (ED current) and iron separator  
**Post-treatments for oversize compound:** aeraulic separator-optical separators  
**Final treatments:** secondary shredding, pressing of the RDF and the recycled plastics in bales  
**RDF production:** 19.350 t/year  
**Recycled plastics produced:** 6.000 t/year  
**Recycled metals produced:** 1.750 t/year





# COMPOSTING PLANT FOR THE PRODUCTION OF COMPOST - CASAL DI PRINCIPE

The project concerns the construction of a composting plant for the aerobic biological treatment of the organic fraction of municipal solid waste (OFMSW), collected separately, in order to allow the waste recovery through the production of high quality compost.

This plant falls within the scope of the interventions financed among 2014-2020 by the Campania Regional Operational Program (POR) based on the European Fund for Regional Development (ERDF).

The Joint Venture formed by Technital S.p.A., Owac Engineering Company S.r.l. and IA Consulting S.r.l. has awarded the Lot 2 (prov. CE) of the Framework Agreement and has signed the contract on 14/03/2019, Rep. N.14550.

The plant has an overall treatment capacity of 30.000 t/year, of which:

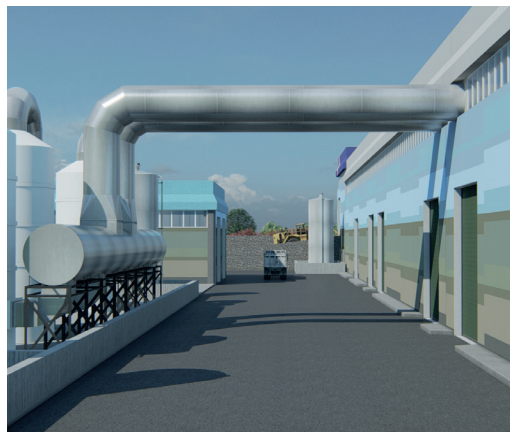
- 24.000 t/year dedicated to the treatment of the OFMSW;
- 6.000 t/year dedicated to the treatment/reuse of the wood-cellulosic fraction as structuring material in the biological process.

The OFMSW is mixed with the shredded organic green that gives OFMSW structure and arranged in aerobic bio cells for the accelerated bio stabilization process (18 days). The treated compound is sent to the primary maturation process in ventilated lanes (45 days) and, following an intermediate refinement, is sent for the final maturation (27 days) in 6 static heaps which are periodically turned over. The obtained compound is further refined to complete the process.

In the Project delivery, in order to limit the environmental and visual impacts of the plant in long and short term, full attention has been given not only to the process layout design but even to:

- environmental mitigation measures
- landscape integration

It was decided to use colour as a camouflage tool. Eight shades of colour of the surrounding landscape were sampled and translated into RAL colours to be applied on the panels of the buildings. Such panels with colour gradation will be positioned alternatively in order to camouflage the compost plant into the landscape.



## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** Campania Region  
**Type of service** Definitive design  
**Project cost** € 13.837,625,75  
**Location** Casal di Principe (CE)  
**Total area** 25.600 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** 2019

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Process typology:** composting process in reinforced concrete biotunnel. Final maturation through dynamic aerated piles (STAGE 1) and static piles (STAGE2).

**Capacity:** 30.000 t/year  
**Produced compost:** 8.700 t/year  
**Bio-cells:** 5 of 550 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Primary maturation:** 5 insufflate lanes  
**Second maturation:** 6 turned heaps  
**Final refinement:** compost screening and oversize deplastification  
**Biofiltration section:** 1.200 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Air treated volume:** 180.000 m<sup>3</sup>/h



# COMPOSTING PLANT FOR THE PRODUCTION OF COMPOST - CANCELLO E ARNONE

The plant falls within the umbrella of interventions financed by the Campania Regional Operational Program (POR) during the six-year period (2014-2020), which was enabled by the European Regional Development Funds (ERDF).

The RTP group, formed by Technital S.p.A., Owac Engineering Company S.r.l. and IA Consulting S.r.l. was awarded Lot 2 (EC prov.) of the Framework Agreement, signed on the 14th March, 2019, Rep. N.14550.

The project proposal envisages the construction of a composting plant that is expected to produce quality compost from the Organic Fraction of Municipal Solid Waste (OFMSW) to be subsequently used in the agriculture sector.

The designed plant has an overall treatment capacity of 30.000 t/year, of which:

- 24.000 t/year constitute the OFMSW;
- 6.000 t/year are wood-cellulosic waste fractions used as a structuring material that improves the biological composting process.

The OFMSW is mixed with the shredded structuring fraction and placed in aerobic bio-cells for the accelerated bio-stabilization (18 days). Later, the material is sent to primary maturation in ventilated lanes (39 days) followed by an intermediate refining. Then a final maturation process (33 days) is conducted placing the material in 6 static lanes in which it is periodically turned around. To finish, a final refinement is done.

Together with the design of the process and the environmental impact assessment (air, soil, water), we used sustainable architectural practices to provide a good landscape insertion of the building in order to mitigate visual impacts. Samples of the colours and shades of the neighbouring landscape were taken and matched with the European RAL colours matching systems. The external walls, rooftops and other relevant areas follow a precise chromatic order of colours with a degrading gradation so as to “blend” the plant into the landscape.



## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** Campania Region  
**Type of service** Definitive design  
**Project cost** € 19.229.071,09  
**Location** Canello e Arnone (CE), Italy  
**Total area** 65.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** 2019

## TECHNICAL DATA

### COMPOSTING OFMSW SECTION

Type: composting process in reinforced concrete tunnel and final maturation through dynamic aerated heaps (PHASE 1) and static piles periodically turned over (PHASE 2)

**Treatment capacity:** 30.000 t/year  
**Process duration:** 90 days  
**Produced compost:** 9.637 t/year  
**Exhausted-air treatment capacity:** 270.000 m<sup>3</sup>/h  
**Final refining:** compost screening and “deplastification”



# REMEDIATION OF FUEL STORAGE TANKS - AUGUSTA (SR)

The fuel storage in the district Punta Cugno was established in 1930 and is located in an area of about 800.000 square meters along the west coast of the port of Augusta (SR). It is owned by the Italian State and it is used by the Italian Navy.

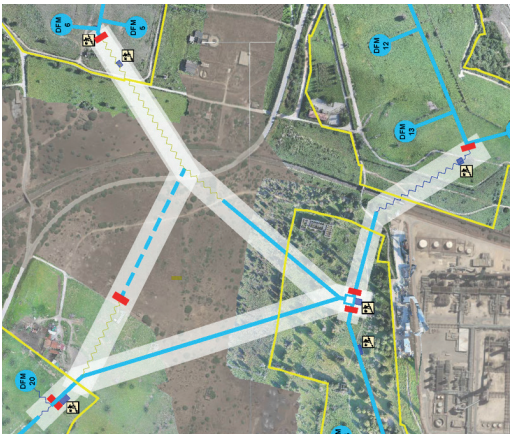
The site includes five state-owned areas that identify five groups of tanks for a total storage capacity of approximately 240.000 tonnes of naval fuel and no. 2 logistics areas with five piers.

The five groups of fuel storage tanks are currently disused and in a very bad state of conservation that has led to leakage of combustible residues.

The area is part of the National Interest Site (SIN) of Priolo-Augusta which extends into the municipalities of Augusta, Priolo, Melilli and Siracusa; the SIN has also been declared "Area of high risk of environmental crisis" since 1990.

The activities planned for the remediation of the site consist of:

- a preliminary general survey with the production of a detailed catalog of the structures, the identification of any waste and the assignment of the respective CER codes;
- a topographic survey carried out by both drone, equipped with GPS, for an overall assessment and a Total Station for detailed evaluations;
- a detailed survey of the tanks with a detailed quantitative and qualitative evaluation of the waste present inside tanks and tunnels. An assessment of the degradation status of the structures will also be done by ultrasonic thickness measurements;
- the drafting of a final and executive project for the site remediation (fuel storage tanks, oil pipelines and tunnels) and disposing of all waste;
- the drafting of an environmental characterization plan in order to identify any contaminated areas.



## DESIGN DATA

### Public client

Italian Minister of Defence -  
Navy Direction Augusta (SR)

**Type of service** definitive and executive design, safety coordination and construction management

**Project cost** 36.313.373,69 €

**Location** Augusta (SR)

**Site area** 800.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Design period** 2019

## TECHNICAL DATA

### Main activities:

- Preliminary investigations;
- Topographic survey;
- Thickness surveys;
- Mapping, collecting and disposing of waste and disused structures;
- Environmental characterization plan.





# LEACHATE TREATMENT PLANT - CATANIA

The project involves the construction of a leachate treatment plant serving the entire landfill site located in c.da Codavolpe (CT), owned by Sicula Trasporti.

- In the authorized treatment plant, the leachate coming from the landfill is processed as follows:
  - equalization and preliminary sedimentation of coarse solids;
  - ultrafiltration;
  - 3-stage reverse osmosis;
  - reverse osmosis at high pressure (for concentrate).

The leachate is temporarily stored inside the storage units and it is pumped inside an equalization tank which has buffer function to homogenize the wastewater to be treated inside this tank, moreover, the sedimentation of the suspended solids of larger dimensions takes place.

From the tank, the leachate is pumped into the filtration section, for the separation of the remaining suspended solids; the permeate from this treatment step is pumped into a feed tank for the subsequent reverse osmosis phases, while the UF concentrate is sent back into the accumulation tank.

The UF permeate then undergoes reverse osmosis treatment divided into three distinct phases; in each phase, the pressure applied to the fluid allows for the separation of dissolved solids.

Finally, from the third reverse osmosis stage, the permeate, which is purified from all the polluting components of the untreated leachate, is discharged into the underground storage tank. The treatment plant is completely automatic and also provides the possibility of remote control and telediagnosis; the plant is equipped with one MMI interface and SCADA system.

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## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

SICULA TRASPORTI s.r.l.

**Type of service** Executive planning and construction management

**Project cost** € 4.100.000,00

**Location** c.da Grotte S. Giorgio, Lentini (SR)

### Design period

October 2018 - August 2019

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## TECHNICAL DATA

### Treatment capacity:

500 m<sup>3</sup>/day

### Clarified permeate:

430 m<sup>3</sup>/day

### Amount of concentrate:

70 m<sup>3</sup>/day



# EMERGENCY SECURING AND IDENTIFICATION FOLLOWING OIL SPILL AT THE WHARF NATO - AUGUSTA

OWAC was entrusted with the work, by means of an emergency works procedure, for the execution of an inspection in the area of the Nato Navy base. This followed a discovery, by the ARPA (Agenzia Regionale per la Protezione dell'Ambiente - Italian Regional Agency for Environmental Protection) of Syracuse, of hydrocarbons in suspension in the body of water in front of the Nato Naval base, currently in use by the Navy in the harbour of Augusta.

OWAC was responsible for carrying out the following activities:

- Verification of the integrity of the connection pipes between the storage area and the piers (around 1.200 metres apart) in which the loading/unloading operations of DFM/JP5 are carried out. The inspection activities were carried out both above ground and in confined places (tunnels), using all the safety devices provided for environments with emission risks (self-contained breathing apparatus, gas detectors, etc.);
- Sampling and analysis of the liquid waste found in the tunnel and in suspension in the wells near the discharge of rainwater to the sea;
- Definition of the survey methodology (type of analytes, number of samples and methods of analysis) to determine the origin of the spilled hydrocarbons for comparison with surveys conducted by the ARPA;
- Safety through the sectioning of the storage tanks and emptying of the pipes in which the leak was found;
- Removal and disposal of liquid waste present in confined places;
- Sampling in the dock area and analytical verification of the non-existence of hydrocarbon pollution.

## DESIGN DATA

### Public client

Ministry of Defense - Augusta  
Directorate of Naval Engineers

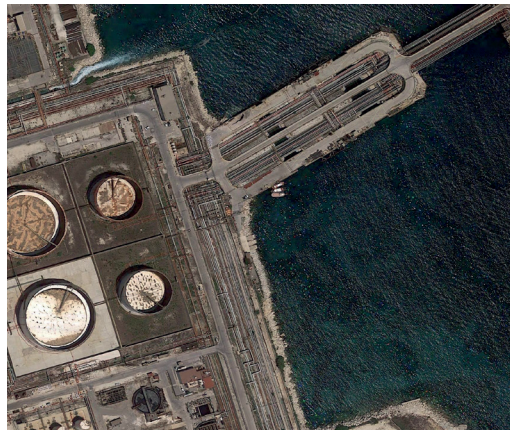
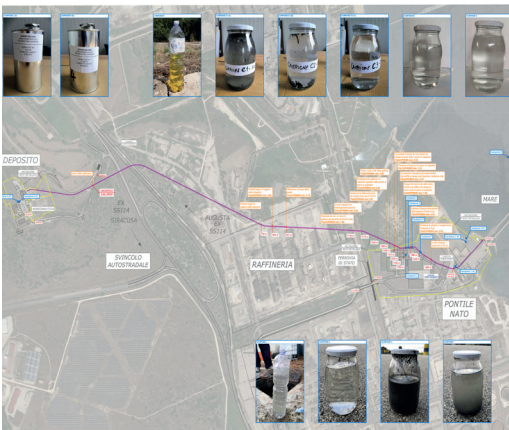
**Type of service** Final and executive design, coordination of investigation activities and safety coordination

**Project cost** € 875.650,00

**Location** Augusta (SR)

**linear development** 1,2 km

**Design period** 2019



## TECHNICAL DATA

### Activities performed:

- Surface and tunnel inspections;
- Verification of piping integrity;
- Sewage sampling;
- definition of the survey methodology;
- securing of tanks;
- sewage removal.

# CONTAMINANT ANALYSIS- IDENTIFICATION OF WELL WATER FOR CIVILIAN USE AT THE NAVY'S S. GIORGIO EMUNCTION PLANT - AUGUSTA

The activity concerns the Station for pumping and storing water for domestic use located in the S. Giorgio Augusta District, which serves several areas and buildings in use by the Navy, in which a high turbidity and a high presence of both chlorides and bacteria were found.

In particular, we proceeded to:

- Extract the delivery pipe and the exhaust pump;
- Check the design height of the well (-200 metres), detecting the presence of debris and the impossibility of exceeding the height of the 180 metres;
- Video-inspect the well itself in order to examine the condition of the well jacket, detecting several diseased points as well as some crushed parts;
- Collect and analyse the samples of water collected, finding high presence of turbidity, high concentrations of chlorides, iron and bacteria;
- Carry out some geognostic surveys necessary to define the surface stratigraphy aimed at identifying the possible presence of suspended layers;
- Secure the site through the inhibition of the use of the well itself and the design of a new well. For the latter, a double jacket was provided, as well as the insulation at the interface with the artesian layer, a correct sizing of the exhaust pump through a specific test and the cementation of the first few 30 metres to prevent the suspended layers from being contaminated;
- Preliminary design of a wastewater treatment system with a potential of 70 m<sup>3</sup>/hour.

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## DESIGN DATA

**Public client**  
Ministry of Defense - Augusta  
Directorate of Naval Engineers  
**Type of service** Final and executive design, coordination of investigation activities and safety coordination  
**Project cost** € 1.133.000,00  
**Location** Augusta (SR)  
**Surface** 25.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** 2019

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## TECHNICAL DATA

### Activities performed:

- well video inspection;
- survey for the presence of suspended water table;
- water sampling;
- securing by inhibiting the use of the reservoir well;
- design of a new emunction well;
- design of an emitted water treatment plant.







# LANDFILL FOR **NON-HAZARDOUS WASTE**

## EXPANSION: CONSTRUCTION OF BASINS “D”, “E” AND “F” - LENTINI

This project is configured as a “substantial modification” of the waste disposal site authorised on 20/11/12 with D.D.G n 649 and subsequently modified on 31/01/2018 with D.D.G n. 37.

The already-authorized waste disposal body, located in the district of Grotte San Giorgio, in the territory of the Municipality of Lentini (SR), consists of three basins named A-B and C. Once the filling of the basins A-B has been completed, in accordance with the provisions of the first authorisation, by virtue of the second, the first phase is almost completed, which provides for the filling between the aforementioned basins and the relative reprofiling. In the meantime, the excavation and waterproofing works of the basin have been completed, and it has been tested and put into operation.

In order to guarantee temporal continuity to the contributions and to overcome the state of emergency that periodically recurs regarding waste management in Sicily, the client has initiated a request for substantial modification of the authorisation currently in place for the purpose of building three new basins (D, E and F), which will be built in a new area adjacent to the one currently used.

The new waste disposal site is designed to be able to contain a volume of waste equal to 4.551.050 m<sup>3</sup> and shall be compartmentalised into 3 basins divided as follows:

- D1+D2 1.497.143 m<sup>3</sup>
- E 1.273.660 m<sup>3</sup>
- F 1.780.248 m<sup>3</sup>

A system for the collection, storage and treatment of leachate and a system for the collection and treatment of biogas are provided for.

The management of biogas is aimed at achieving the following objectives:

- Minimising odorous, annoying and potentially harmful emissions;
- Ensuring safety inside the waste disposal site and in the immediate vicinity;
- Where possible, allowing the recovery of a renewable energy source.

### DESIGN DATA

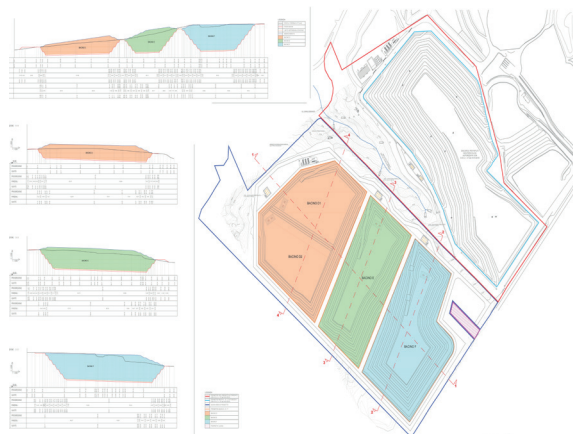
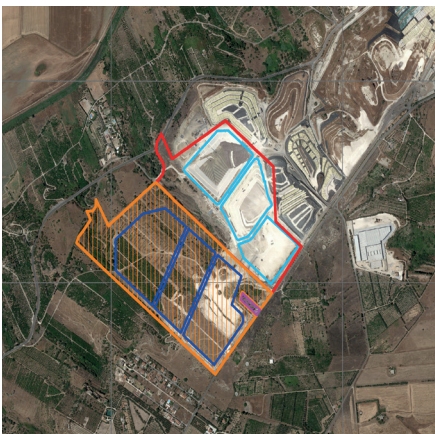
**Private client**  
Sicula Trasporti s.r.l.  
**Type of service** Final design  
**Project cost** € € 108.591.774,64  
**Location** Lentini (SR)  
**Lot area** 262.597 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Surface basins** 162.231 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Total volume that can be landfilled** 4.551.050 m<sup>3</sup>  
**Design period** 2019

### TECHNICAL DATA

**TREATMENT:**  
**Expected conferrals:** 700.000 - 900.000 t/year  
**Expected operational life of the landfill:** 6 year  
**Conferral days per year:** 320  
**Maximum expected leachate production:** 50 m<sup>3</sup>/day  
**Anticipated theoretical max biogas production:** 10÷30 Nm<sup>3</sup>/t  
Rejection by year

**ACCESSORY INSTALLATIONS**

- Leachate treatment system;
- Biogas treatment;
- Suction and cogeneration system for the production of electricity.



# CHARACTERIZATION OF THE BROWNFIELD SITE EX RAYON - SNIA VISCOSA - RIETI

The site in question is located inside the industrial plant ex-SNIA Viscosa of Rieti which is no longer in use, it is one of the largest Italian plants in the field of viscose production, it was dismantled in the early 2000's.

Between 2001 and 2007, excavation of the soil was carried out to reclaim the site. In light of the state of the site and the interventions already carried out, a new Characterisation Plan has been developed.

The development of the new Characterisation Plan was based on the following objectives

- Verify and validate the results of previous surveys;
- Carry out surveys on portions of the site not subject to the previous characterisation activities;
- To inspect the areas in which the above ground waste has been removed;
- Acquire all the information for the risk analysis and any subsequent remediation aimed at the redevelopment and enhancement of the site itself.

The Characterisation Plan has been structured in 3 macro-parts:

- Systematisation of existing data, aimed at identifying the information useful for the new survey proposal (reasoning behind selecting the location of the surveys and piezometers) and verifying the actual effectiveness of the restoration already carried out;
- Preparation of the preliminary conceptual model, in order to define the number and depths of the new surveys to be carried out;
- Proposal of the environmental investigation plan, in agreement with ARPA, to characterise the soil and subsoil matrices and collect the necessary site-specific parameters to be used for the drafting of the health risk analysis.

The activities undertaken in order to carry out the surveys were the following:

- Assistance in the field;
- The works management;
- Safety coordination;
- The processing of the site-specific risk analysis.

Thanks to the investigations carried out, it was possible to confirm to the local administrations the effectiveness of the previous remediation activities (at the time still intended for industrial use). In addition, it was highlighted that, following the complete decommissioning of production activities and the simultaneous change in the intended use (residential and public/private green), some portions of the site are contaminated on surface soil; this is because the concentrations of certain analytes found with the characterisation carried out exceed the Risk Threshold Concentrations determined through the RA (Risk Analysis).

## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

MPS Leasing & Factoring S.p.A.

### Type of service

- Drafting and execution of the characterisation plan;
- Analysis of the results of the characterisation;
- Preparation of specific site risk analysis.

**Project cost** € 371.001,12

**Location** Rieti

**Lot area** 17.000 m<sup>2</sup>

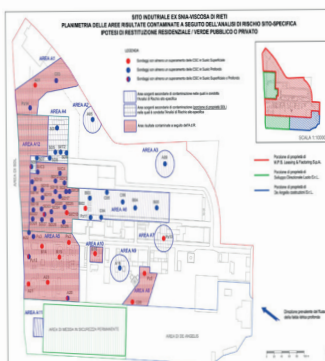
**Estimated contaminated surface area** about 60.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Design period** 2016-2017

## TECHNICAL DATA

### ACTIVITIES PERFORMED:

- Preparation of Characterisation Plan;
- Characterisation of the site through a campaign of geognostic surveys and laboratory analyses aimed at determining the type and extent of any contamination present;
- Conceptual model of the land developed on the basis of the results of the Characterisation Plan;
- Site-specific risk analysis elaborated on the basis of the conceptual model in order to determine the Risk Threshold Concentrations (remediation objectives).





# COMPOSTING PLANT - MELILLI

The plant is authorized for the treatment and recovery of biodegradable organic waste for a maximum quantity of 45.000 t/year, in order to obtain high quality compost and natural fertilizers.

The plant is equipped with all the facilities and equipment necessary to ensure that not only do the composting operations of all the organic compounds are performed precisely but also that an adequate level of safety of the plant itself and of the surrounding areas (in terms of environmental emissions and human health) is maintained.

The activities within the plant can be divided into:

- storage and mechanical pre-treatment of incoming waste;
- accelerated aerobic biostabilization in biocells;
- intermediate screening of the material;
- a first phase of maturation in aerated piles;
- final refining and second phase of maturation;
- storage of the finished product.

Mitigation works of environmental impacts related to the treatment process performed in the plant are designed:

- exhaust air treatment, sized for a flow rate of 280.000 m<sup>3</sup>/h; this system consists of 3 scrubbers equipped with two electric fans each. The air is then humidified and dedusted and in the passage through the biofilter also the volatile organic substances and odorigene are cut down within the limits of the law;
- separate collection and management of rainwater, wastewater and leachates;
- adequate waterproofing system below all areas for handling, storage and treatment of waste composed as follows: layer of foundation ground regularization; WNW protection; 2.5 mm thick HDPE geomembrane; drainage geocomposite (consisting of WNW, geogrid and WNW); mixed layer of final regularization.

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client** SICULACOMPOST s.r.l.

**Type of service** Executive design and construction management

**Project cost** € 24.77.000,00

**Location** Melilli, c.da Santa Catrini (SR)

**Surface** 48.537 m<sup>2</sup>

**Design period** September 2018  
- in progress

## TECHNICAL DATA

### ACCELERATED BIO-OXIDATION

**Biocells:** no. 10, 550 m<sup>3</sup> each

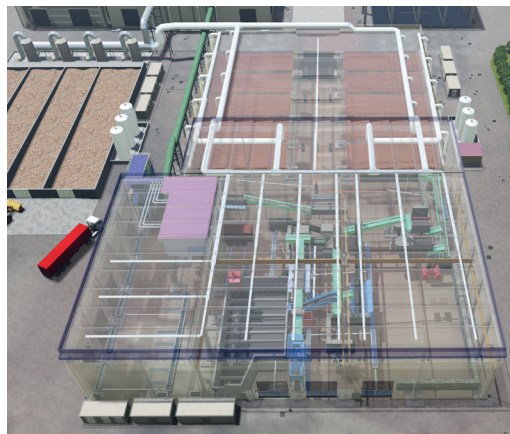
**Average process period:** 28 days

**Total process duration:** 90 DAY

**Potential:** 45.000 t/year

**Working days:** 350 d/year

**Compost produced:** 14.000 t/year







# PLANT FOR THE **TREATMENT OF OFMSW** (ORGANIC FRACTION OF MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE) AND **MSW** (IN A STAND ALONE CONFIGURATION - CALATAFIMI)

The project concerns the construction of a plant in a stand-alone configuration, consisting of both anaerobic digestion section of the organic fraction deriving from the separate collection of urban waste (OFMSW) with bio-methane production (energy recovery) and quality compost (material recovery) and a mechanical-biological treatment section of mixed municipal solid waste (M.S.W) for the recovery of materials / products and energy for the plant's self-consumption. The plant has a maximum treatment capacity of 65.000 t/year for the OFMSW treatment section and 80.000 t/year for the M.S.W treatment section. The project therefore envisages the conduct of waste management operations R3 - R4 - R13 - D8 - D13 - D15 as indicated in Annex B and C of the fourth part of Legislative Decree 152/2006. The activities that take place within the plant can be divided as follows:

## A. OFMSW TREATMENT SECTION

- Mechanical pretreatments;
- Anaerobic digestion, biogas production, biomethane refining;
- Production of quality compost.

## B. M.S.W TREATMENT SECTION

- Mechanical separation treatments;
- Anaerobic stabilization, biogas production, energy cogeneration;
- Aerobic biostabilization of organic waste ;
- Material recovery;
- RDF production.

The organic treatment of OFMSW produces a high quality compost equal to about 21.000 t/year and biomethane production equal to about 490 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h. In the M.S.W treatment section we obtain a quantity of stabilized organic fraction (O.F) about 19.000 t/year, recyclable materials about 22.000 t/year and a biogas production about 430 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h.

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client** OWAC S.R.L  
**Type of service** Definitive design  
**Project cost** € 36.830.000,00  
**Location** Calatafimi - Segesta (TP)  
**Tot area** 66.750 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** 2018

## TECHNICAL DATA

**OFMSW treatment section**  
**Capacity:** 65.000 t/year  
**Process duration:** 90 days  
**Anaerobic digester:** No.2, 1.800 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Bio-cells for aerobic stabilization:** No. 9, 500 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Maturation of basement:** No. 4, 2.400 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Compost produced:** 21.200 t/year  
**Biomethane produced:** 490 Sm<sup>3</sup>/h

## MSW treatment section

**Capacity:** 80.000 t/year  
**Duration for stabilization of organic fraction:** 38 days  
**Aerobic bio-cells:** No. 7, 400 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Bio-cells anaerobic:** No. 4, 400 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Post-treatments:** pressing of plastic material and shredding for RDF  
**Stabilized organic fraction produced:** 19.200 t/year  
**Recoverable plastics produced:** 21.300 t/year  
**Recoverable metals produced:** 800 t/year  
**Biogas produced:** 430 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h





# ENLARGEMENT OF A BIOSTABILIZATION PLANT - CATANIA

The project of enlargement Sicula Trasporti S.r.l. plant is designed to cope with the ever increasing demand for specific treatment of the mechanical selection of undifferentiated waste.

In particular, the project involves the construction of a new section of aerobic bio stabilization for the under sized waste obtained from the undifferentiated urban waste.

This plant section involves the construction of two bio-tunnel batteries, each of which consists of n. 16 polyethylene tubular containers with forced air recirculation, inside which the biostabilization of the incoming waste will take place.

The project envisages an increase in the treatment potential capacity of aerobic biostabilization of non-hazardous waste equal to 100.000 t/year. This capacity will be added to the current one of 315.000 t/year, for a total capacity of 415.000 t/year.

For the new enlargement section, it was decided to adopt the technology of biostabilization in aerated static heaps, using a polyethylene bio-tunnel in order to make the plant operative in a short time, given the emergency in the field of management and treatment of urban waste in Sicily.

The materials/waste leaving the plant will consist of:

- Non-specific compost, identified with CER 19.05.03, for an expected average quantity of about 300.000 t/year (of which about 220.000 t/year currently produced in the existing plant);
- Leachate, code CER 19 07 03, for an expected average quantity of about 6.000 m<sup>3</sup> year from the existing section and about 3.700 m<sup>3</sup>/year from the new project section (to be disposed of with authorized plant).

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client** SICULA TRASPORTI s.r.l.  
**Type of service** Executive planning and construction management  
**Project cost** € 3.200.000,00  
**Location** Catania, c.da Codavolpe (Italy)  
**Total area** 29.700 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** June 2018



## TECHNICAL DATA

### ACCELERATED BIO-OXIDATION

**Bio-cells:** No 32, 275 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Total period:** 21 days  
**Potentiality:** 10.000 t/year  
**Working days:** 350 d/year



# COMPOSTING PLANT FOR THE PRODUCTION OF COMPOST - CATANIA

The proposed plant layout has the main objective to develop the production of compost, obtained through a biological treatment of the organic fraction of the waste coming from the separate collection.

The plant, authorized with D.D.S. n. 120 of 12/02/2014 and subsequent D.D.G. n. 1212 dated 05/09/2016, has a maximum capacity of 70.000 t/year has been defined for waste R13 and R3 as indicated in Annex C of the fourth part of Legislative Decree No. 152/2006.

The different activities that take place inside can be defined as follows:

- Provision and mechanical pre-treatment of waste;
- Accelerated bio-oxidation in aerated static heaps;
- Ripening in upturned and aerated heaps.

The duration of the biological process must not be less than 90 days and in the first phase includes a accelerated bio-oxidation, followed by a second phase of maturation in heaps. The process technology for accelerated biooxidation is a static type with forced aeration of the material and takes place within n. 10 biocells in reinforced concrete ensures a rapid opening / closing of doors.

The maturation phase takes place inside a shed where 10 heaps are placed which are periodically turned by means of a revolving means.

Finally the material is screened for a final refining: the overage is used as a structuring and the under-size materials are placed in static heaps until the days necessary for stabilization are reached.

The quantity of product is about 21.000 t/year and is stored inside a side-open steel structure with a perimeter wall of height 3,00 m.

The plant has been classified by a series of systems for the mitigation of emissions in the various environmental sectors that the activity in question could generate.

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client** Sicula Compost  
**Type of service** Executive planning  
**Project cost** € 14.726.000,00  
**Location** C.da Grotte S. Giorgio (CA)  
**Lot area** 27.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** August 2017 - March 2018  
**Entered into operation** May 2018

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations pursuant to all. B and C in Part IV of Legislative Decree 152/06 and subsequent amendments** R3, R13

**Type:** composting process in biotunnel in reinforced concrete and final maturation through aerated (STAGE 1) and static dynamic piles (PHASE 2).  
**No. 1 building for composting tunnels:** dimension 65 x 55 m  
**No. 1 building for the conferment and treatment of waste:** dimension of 100 x 35 m  
**No. 10 composting tunnel (ACT PHASE):** dimension 12.50 x 21.60 m each  
**No. 10 aerated and turned up piles:** dimension 4 x 2.7 x 40 m each  
**Average process duration:** 90 days







# ENLARGEMENT OF AN EXISTING COMPOSTING PLANT - AGRIGENTO

The proposed plant layout has the main objective to develop a new and larger configuration of an existing composting plant for organic waste treatment and high-quality compost production. The project also provides the technology improvement for the process.

The enlargement of the existing plant consists in the construction of a new building in which the composting process will start inside no. 12 closed tunnels (process period 4 weeks).

After the intense composting phase, the material will be moved to the final maturation section (after screening operation). This phase will occur in dynamic windrows subjected to forced ventilation inside a closed concrete building. A further final maturation phase is also provided through static windrows, so that the composting process can be completed, obtaining a high-quality compost for sales.

The project provides an increase of the composting treatment capacity equal to 30.000 t/year, which increases, together with the existing authorized capacity 26.000 t/year (AIA authorization released by D.D.S. n. 1897 del 12/11/2014 for R3, R13 operation), the plant capacity up to 56.000 t/year.

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client** GIGLIONE SERVIZI ECOLOGICI s.r.l.  
**Typology** composting process in bio-tunnel and final maturation by air-forced and dynamic/static windrows.  
**Project cost** € 11.528.753,90  
**Location** Manica Lunga district – JOPPOLO GIANCAXIO (AG)  
**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 374,370 E - 4,135,751 N  
**Site area** 72.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Existing plant surface** 2.100 m<sup>2</sup>  
**New plant surface** 17.138,31 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Task assigned and carried out** Preliminary and Final design  
**Enlargement designing period** March 2017

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments D9, R3, R13.**  
**New treatment capacity:** 56.000 t/year  
**No. 1 building for composting tunnel:** dimensions 38 x 90 m  
**No. 12 composting tunnels (ACT phase):** dimensions 6 x 32 m each  
**No. 9 air-forced and dynamic windrows:** dimensions 5 x 2.7 x 49 each  
**No. 3 static windrows:** 1.600 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Average process period:** 90 days





# IMPROVEMENT OF AN EXISTING AEROBIC BIOSTABILIZATION PLANT - CATANIA

The proposed project comes from the need of the company Sicula Trasporti s.r.l. to increase the treatment capacity of the ever-growing amount of undersieve waste produced by mechanical selection of mixed waste. In particular, the enlargement of the existing plant consists of a new section of aerobic biostabilization of undersieve originated from mixed waste treatment plants.

In this section, the aerobic biostabilization will occur through dynamic windrows subjected to forced ventilation, inside two closed concrete sheds.

These sheds will be ventilated, the air will be completely replaced inside the shed 3 times every hour and the exhaust air will be adequately treated.

The project provides an increase of the aerobic biostabilization treatment of non-hazardous waste amount equal to 150.000 t/year.

This new capacity, together with the existing authorized one which is 315.000 t/year, increases the plant capacity up to 465.000 t/year (operation D8 according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments.

## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

SICULA TRASPORTI s.r.l.

### Typology

aerobic biostabilization for air-forced and dynamic windrows.

**Project cost** € 14.789.776,01

**Location** Catania

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 505,850 E - 4,1387,495 N

**Site area** 113.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Existing plant surface** 36.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**New plant surface** 34.500 m<sup>2</sup>

**Task assigned and carried out**

final design, environmental impact preliminary assessment, integrated environmental Authorization application

**Existing plant construction**

**period** April 2010 - August 2012

**Enlargement designing period**

December 2016

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments** D8, R3

**New treatment capacity:** 465.000 t/year

**No. 2 building:** dimensions 60.00 x 110.00 m and 70.00 x 110.00 m, net height of 8.00 m, both)

**No. 22 air-forced and dynamic windrows:** 600 m<sup>3</sup> each

**Average process period:** 21 days

**Air blowing system:** building

A, no. 14 centrifugal fans 45

kW each; building B, no. 14

centrifugal fans 55 kW each.





# ORGANIC WASTE TREATMENT PLANT WITH **BIOMETANE PRODUCTION** - CATANIA

The project provides the construction of an anaerobic digestion plant for organic waste resulting from separated collection of MSW (OFMSW), with production of biomethane. The digested sludge will be treated for compost production. The main objective of this project proposal is to limit negative effects on environmental and human health resulting from the MSW management. The project is in accordance with EU's objectives regarding recycling of waste and the reduction of waste landfilling.

For this reason, municipalities have taken stricter measures to increase the collection of separated MSW in accordance with the first subparagraph of article 32 (1C) of Italian D.Lgs. 152/2006 and European directive 2008/98/EC.

In accordance with the waste hierarchy established by art. 4 of the European directive and the purpose of reducing greenhouse gas emissions by landfilling, easier separate collection and an appropriate waste treatment are planned, in order to produce organic materials without negative impacts on the environment.

The project is composed of two main working areas inside two existing buildings, located in Catania's industrial area.

The activities that will take place in the plant are: waste storage and mechanical pre-treatment; anaerobic digestion; treatment of the digested sludge; biogas upgrading; exhaust air and liquid waste treatment.

The project provides waste treatment capacity equal to 57.000 t/year, of which 45.000 t/y are OFMSW and 12.000 t/y are green waste used as bulking material during the digested sludge maturation phase.

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client**  
SICULA TRASPORTI s.r.l.  
**Task assigned and carried out**  
preliminary and final design  
**Cost** € 21.683.382,40  
**Location** Catania ( Italy)  
**UTM Coord. (Zone 33T)**  
502,872 E - 4,493,845 N  
**Site area** 31.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Shed surface** 6.600 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** 2016

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Treatment:** mechanical pre-treatment, anaerobic digestion and aerobic stabilization (composting)  
**Anaerobic digestion:** no. 2 digesters (dry process) 2.250 m<sup>3</sup> each  
**Aerobic biostabilization of digestate:** no. 4 closed tunnels (7 x 24 m each)  
**Average process period:** 90 days  
**Air forced system:** no. 4 blowers 45 kW power and 10.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h flow rate each  
**Air treatment:** 80.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h (wet scrubber and biofilter - 600 m<sup>2</sup>)







# LANDFILL FOR NON-HAZARDOUS WASTE EXPANSION: CONSTRUCTION OF BASIN "C" AND REPROFILING OF ALL BASINS - LENTINI

The project incorporates the landfill site enlargement, first by the construction of a third cell nearby the existing authorised A and B cells, with an approximate volume of 970.000 m<sup>3</sup>. The second schedule enlargement stage employs the available intercell spaces accomplishing the restoration of the original orography of the site. After the closure of existing cells, a temporary capping will be done before implementing the second enlargement.

Analogous to constructed cells, the enlargement cell will be equipped with a double collection system for leachate generated within the landfill. This system counts with a main upper-network for regular leachate accumulation and a secondary lower-network which serves as a backup.

Each cell has a leachate collection pipe network with corresponding sumps in order to convey the leachate by pumping it into different steel tanks situated inside concrete containment vessels to avoid accidental leachate spills.

The leachate treatment facility situated within the landfill site, implements ultrafiltration and reverse osmosis technology. The treated water is discharged into water-bodies while the concentrate sludge is pumped over the upper landfill section through a specific infiltration system.

After the closure of cells A and B a landfill gas management system will be implemented for the extraction and collection of biogas through vertical wells, extraction substations for the condensate discharge and pumping to the electrical generation system consisting of endothermic engines.

## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

SICULA TRASPORTI s.r.l.

### Task assigned and carried out

Final design and Environmental Impact Assessment

**Cost** € 39.746.030,62

**Location** Lentini (SR)

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 502,745

E - 4,135,703 N

### Surface of the new basin

30,600 m<sup>2</sup>

### Volume of the new basin

971.540 m<sup>3</sup>

**Total volume** 2.886.103 m<sup>3</sup>

**Available volume with the reprofiling** 3.791.511 m<sup>3</sup>

**Project period** 2016

## TECHNICAL DATA

### TREATMENT

**Maximum potentiality:** 700.000 t/year

**Expected operating life:** 6 years

**Days of disposal per year:** 320

**Maximum expected leachate**

**production:** 50 m<sup>3</sup>/day

**Maximum expected biogas**

**production:** 10÷30 Nm<sup>3</sup>/ton

waste x year

### ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

- Leachate treatment system with a potentiality of 50 m<sup>3</sup>/day;
- Biogas treatment;
- Cogeneration system for the production of electricity.





# RECYCLABLE MATERIAL SORTING PLANT - EBOLI

In order to operate an integrated management of municipal solid waste, the designed plant is aimed to both maximize the recovery of materials and prepare a fuel from waste, the refuse-derived-fuel (RDF). The maximum treatment capacity amounts to 300.000 t/y. The machinery layout is arranged in three lines for the mechanical sorting of municipal waste, having a total treatment capacity of 365 t/d; the system comprises: a wide storage area for incoming waste, a hopper and two pre-shredders that make the material dimensions adequate for the following sorting phases (dimensions less than 200 mm) and two vibrating screens to separate two flows of materials, the underscreen one, that is smaller than 30 mm, and the upper screen one, from which ferrous metals and non-ferrous metals (e.g. aluminum cans) are also separated. The upper screen fraction is also subjected to air separation, optical separation and manual sorting in order to select plastics for recycling (PE, PET, etc.). Lastly, the driest fraction separated from the incoming waste is sent to a fine shredding section for producing the RDF, a high-calorific-value fuel, which is baled and sent to thermal plants. A fourth line, consisting of a rotating screen, is also set up to treat the roadside waste from the urban roads weeping activities. The factory shed is constantly kept under negative pressure in order to ensure the health of the workplace. The air treatment system is constituted by a wet scrubber system.

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client**  
SICULA TRASPORTI s.r.l.  
**Task assigned and carried out**  
Final design  
**Cost** € 10.405.344,69  
**Location** Eboli (SA)  
**Site surface** 20.160 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Shed surface** 4.780 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Project period** 2016

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments R3, R4, R12, R13**  
**Maximum capacity:** 300.000 t/year  
**Average capacity:** 127.000 t/year

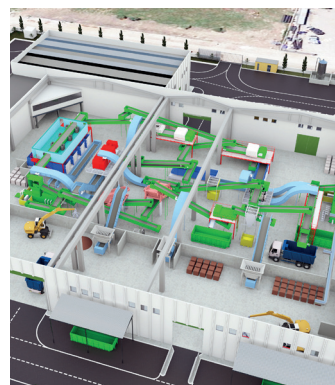
### Sorting lines:

1. Dry mixed waste from MSW separate collection (80.000t/y);
2. Mono-material waste from MSW separate collection (12.000 t/y);
3. Multi-material waste from MSW separate collection (25.000 t/y);
4. Urban roadside waste (10.000 t/y).

**Working days per year:** 350  
**Personnel:** 22

### ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

**Air treatment:** 160.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h  
**Air treatment system:** wet scrubbers  
**Air treatment surface:** 130 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Air treatment system in the manual sorting area:** 1.200 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h





# INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT PRELIMINARY DESIGN AT DISUSED “SISVA” STEELWORKS - CALVISANO

The proposed solution provides the conversion of a disused industrial site, a former steelworks plant that becomes a multifunctional platform for the community, paying attention to social issues, such as electricity production from renewables resources. One of the principal advantages of this site is the internal railway junction which offers a logistic alternative for road transport resulting in other benefits. Other advantages could be achieved if cross-border transportation would be implemented, obtaining useful and strategic industrial operations.

The project consists in the construction of two treatment lines for the separate collected dry waste to produce the RDF in the already existing building. Furthermore, a section for the aerobic biostabilization of organic underscreen waste coming from mechanical sorting of mixed urban waste will be built. In prospect of a future increase in separate collection of urban waste, a section for anaerobic digestion is planned too; the produced biogas will be exploited for cogeneration (combined production of heat and electricity) using endothermic engines. The project also consists of a biomass power plant for woodchips treatment. Therefore, the factory represents a stand-alone platform while social targets such as reducing the treatment costs of community waste and reducing the emission of green house gases will be achieved.

Considering the goals of the project and the existing buildings on the site, the construction of internal laboratories for the factory management is planned, as well as the creation of a learning and development centre to provide training courses and applied research in cooperation with universities.

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client** TRAILERI s.p.a.  
**Task assigned and carried out** Preliminary design  
**Cost** 47.631.955,00 €  
**Location** Calvisano (BS)  
**Coord. UTM (Zone 32 T)** 604,640 E – 5,024,618 N  
**Site area** 120.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Buildings surface** 8.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design period** 2015

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Refuse derived fuel (RDF) production:** mechanical separations, with metals and plastics recovery and RDF production.  
**Capacity:** 120.000 t/year.  
**Organic underscreen treatment:** aerobic biostabilization in air-forced dynamic windrows.  
**Capacity:** 60.000 t/year.  
**Organic waste treatment:** anaerobic digestion and composting of the digested sludge.  
**Capacity:** 30.000 t/year.  
**Biogas cogeneration:** 1 MWe  
**Biomass power plant:** < 1 MWe







# IMPROVEMENT OF AN EXISTING COMPOSTING PLANT - CATANIA

The design for improving the existing aerobic biostabilization plant (authorized by the Italian Decree that regulates integrated environmental authorizations - D.R.S. 1004/2009) was devised for two different needs:

- i) to balance the waste treated with the waste produced by and arriving from the mechanical treatment plant (which was authorized by D.R.S. No. 248 26/03/2009 to treat 1.000.000 t/y of undifferentiated urban waste);
- ii) to provide a new section of the facility to be used for the treatment of organic waste from the separated collection of MSW, in accordance with the new target (>65% separate waste sorting) of the “Regional Plan for the management of Municipal Solid Waste of May 2012”.

The design regards the construction of:

- A new section for the aerobic treatment of the undersize materials resulting from mechanical selection, having a maximum capacity of 150.000 t/y, equal to about 410 t/d (static heaps will be stabilized within 23 closed tunnels, and subject to forced ventilation). This will increase the current capacity from 315.000 to 465.000 t/y. So the treatment capacity will be adequate to process the organic waste (about 450.000 t/y) arriving from the mechanical plant;
- A new section for the anaerobic digestion of the organic waste resulting from separate collection of MSW with production of compost, with a maximum capacity of 75.000 t/y, which are about 205 t/d (process phases: mechanical pretreatments, anaerobic digestion, within 13 closed tunnels, for the production of biogas which is recovered within a 1.5 MW cogeneration, stabilization and drying of the digested sludge, within 13 closed tunnels subject to forced ventilation).

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client**  
SICULA TRASPORTI s.r.l.

**Tasks assigned and carried out**  
Preliminary and final design for the Integrated Environmental

**Cost** € 51.359.406,90

**Location** Catania

**Site area** 113.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Pre-existing plant surface**  
36.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Additional surface for new plant** 66.700 m<sup>2</sup>

**Pre-existing facility construction period** October 2010 - August 2012

**Designing of enlargement project** from March to november 2014

## TECHNICAL DATA

**ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT**

**Average biogas production:**  
5.844.000 m<sup>3</sup>/year

**Cogeneration system:** one internal combustion engine, 1.560 kWe and off-gas thermal recovery (1.640 kWt)

**New treatment capacity:**  
465.000 t/year (undersized material);  
75.000 t/year (organic waste from separate collection of M.S.W.)

**Number of anaerobic tunnels:**  
13 tunnels (550 m<sup>3</sup> each),

**Number of aerobic tunnels:** 36 tunnels (550 m<sup>3</sup> each)

**Average process period:** 90 days for high-quality compost; 21 days for off-specification compost





# INTEGRATED M.S.W. TREATMENT PLANT - ENNA

The design is developed in accordance with a public tender for the construction of an integrated system for the M.S.W. management in the Municipality of Enna (CIG 5533376E50), which was issued by the Commissioner for the Waste Emergency in Sicily (O.P.C.M. 9/7/2010 n. 3887 - D.L. n. 43/2013). The plant lay-out provides one mechanical treatment line for the screening of M.S.W. with a capacity of 31.4 t/h. The process-line layout is the following: a wide area for the storage of the incoming wastes, a shredding and a double-stage screening (with holes from 130 to 80 mm). This is aimed to separate the following materials:

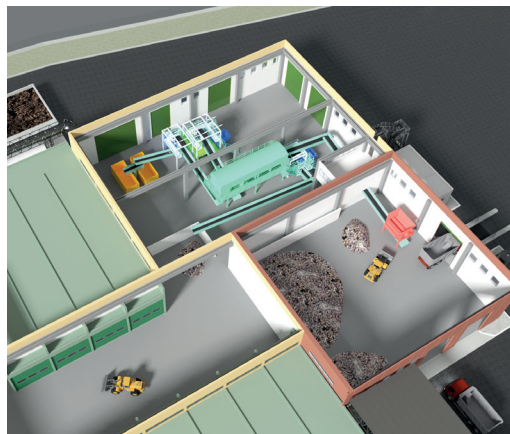
- i) oversize fraction >130 mm, by which nonferrous metals (e.g. aluminium cans) and ferrous materials will be separated;
- ii) oversize fraction 80÷130 mm, by which ferrous materials will be separated;
- iii) underscreen fraction < 80 mm, which must be processed with biological treatment.

The designed layout also provides the possibility of future development of a fine shredding section for producing RFD from high calorific fractions. Provided biological treatments for the underscreen fractions are:

- 1) anaerobic digestion to obtain biogas which can be recovered into a cogenerator engine for the production of electricity and thermal energy (supplied for the self-consumption of the plant);
- 2) aerobic stabilization of the digested sludge to obtain a stable dry material which can be sent to disposal or recycled.

The buildings will be kept in constant ventilation in order to ensure the health of workers; the air is recirculated within the aerobic tunnels to facilitate the biological process.

Lastly, the exhaust air will be treated with a scrubber and a biofilter, and so treated air can be let out into the atmosphere, since pollutant concentrations are reduced to the levels set forth by law.



## DESIGN DATA

### Public client

Commissario Delegato per l'emergenza Rifiuti in Sicilia (ex O.P.C.M. 9/7/2010 n. 3887 - D.L. n. 43/2013)

**Tasks assigned and carried out**  
Final design

**Cost** € 11.836.978,51

**Location** C.da Cozzo Vuturo (EN)

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 438,258 E - 4,161,038 N

**Site area** 41.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Shed surface** 3.400 m<sup>2</sup>

**Design level** Final design

**Designing period** 2014

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments D8, D9, D14, D15, R1, R3, R4, R5, R13.**

**Potential capacity:** 50.000 t/year; 314 t/h

**Treatment lines:** one

**Mechanical pretreatment:** shredding - double screening (130 mm and 80 mm) - ferrous and nonferrous metals recovery

**Biological treatment:** anaerobic digestion of underscreen materials (seven tunnels, dimensions 6x30 m each) biological stabilization and drying of the digested sludge (four tunnels, dimensions 6x30 m each)

**Leachate storage:** 1.500 m<sup>3</sup>

## ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

**Air treatment:** 80.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h

**Air treatment system:** wet scrubber and biofilter

**Biofilter surface:** 600 m<sup>2</sup>

**Biogas cogeneration system:** 600 kW endothermic engine biogas purification system

**Expected biogas flow rate:** 300 m<sup>3</sup>/h

**Expected electrical energy production:** 3.400 MWh/y

**Expected thermal energy production:** 3.700 MWh/y



# INTEGRATED M.S.W. TREATMENT PLANT - MESSINA

The plant design is developed in accordance to a public tender for the construction of an integrated system for the M.S.W. management in the Municipality of Messina (CIG 55388378E1), which was issued by the Commissioner for the Waste Emergency in Sicily (O.P.C.M. 9/7/2010 n. 3887 - D.L. n. 43/2013). The plant lay-out provides one mechanical treatment line for the screening of M.S.W. with a capacity of 32.1 t/h, 12 hours/day. The process-line layout is the following: a wide area for the storage of the incoming wastes, a shredding and a double-stage screening (with holes from 130 to 80 mm).

This is aimed to separate the following materials:

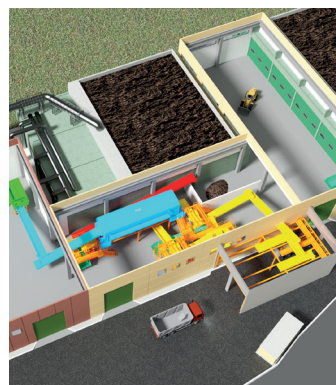
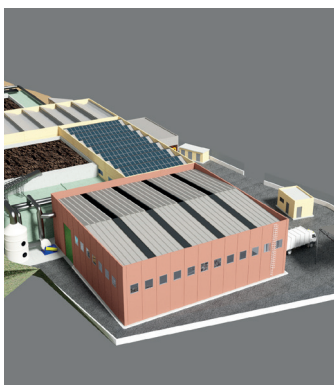
- i) oversize fraction >130 mm, by which nonferrous metals (e.g. aluminium cans) and ferrous materials will be separated;
- ii) oversize fraction 80÷130 mm, by which ferrous materials will be separated;
- iii) underscreen fraction <80 mm, which must be processed with biological treatment.

The designed layout also provides the construction of a landfill with a capacity of 270.000 m<sup>3</sup> which will be used for the final disposal of the fraction deriving from the mechanical treatment, and the construction of a leachate treatment system, which is constituted by an ultrafiltration and four-steps reverse osmosis sections for completely purifying the wastewater.

The underscreen fraction deriving from the mechanical treatment will be processed within aerobic biological tunnels, which are closed and air forced with blowers, in order to obtain stable and dry materials which can be sent to disposal or recycled.

The buildings will be kept in constant depression in order to ensure the health of workers; the air is recirculated within the aerobic tunnels to facilitate the biological process.

Lastly, the exhaust air will be treated with two scrubbers and a biofilter, and so treated air can be given off into the atmosphere, since pollutant concentrations are reduced to the levels set forth by law.



## DESIGN DATA

### Public client

Commissario Delegato per l'emergenza Rifiuti in Sicilia (ex O.P.C.M. 9/7/2010 n. 3887 - D.L. n. 43/2013)

**Tasks assigned and carried out** Final design

**Cost:** € 11.868.548,20

**Location** C.da Pace (ME)

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 549,820 E - 4,233,230 N

**Site area** 39.300 m<sup>2</sup>

**Shed surface** 2.400 m<sup>2</sup>

**Landfill surface** 23.420 m<sup>2</sup>

**Design level** Final design

**Designing period** 2014

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments:** D1, D8, D9, D14, D15, R3, R4, R5, R13.

**Potential capacity:** 102.200 t/y; 32.1 t/h

**Treatment lines:** one

**Mechanical pretreatment:** shredding - double screening (130 mm and 60 mm) - ferrous and nonferrous metals recovery

**Biological treatment:** aerobic stabilization of underscreen materials (seven tunnels, dimensions 8x35 m each)

**Landfill disposal:** 278.600 m<sup>3</sup>, lifetime 43 months

### ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

**Air treatment:** 120.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h

**Air treatment system:** two wet scrubbers and one biofilter (partitioned into two sections)

**Total biofilters surface:** 960 m<sup>2</sup>

**Leachate treatment system:** ultrafiltration and four-phases reverse osmosis, maximum L

**Leachate flow rate:** 60 m<sup>3</sup>/d

**Leachate storage:** 350 m<sup>3</sup>

**Clarified effluent:** surface drain within the levels set forth by Italian law (D.Lgs. 152/06)



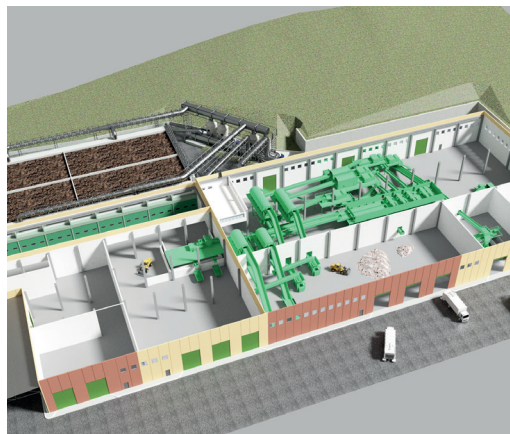


# INTEGRATED M.S.W. TREATMENT PLANT - GELA

The design is developed in accordance to a public tender for the construction of an integrated system for the M.S.W. mechanical and biological treatment in the Municipality of Gela (CIG 553112900C), which was issued by the Commissioner for the Waste Emergency in Sicily (O.P.C.M. 9/7/2010 n. 3887 - D.L. n. 43/2013). The plant lay-out provides two mechanical treatment lines for the screening of M.S.W. with a capacity of 31.4 t/h overall. The process-line layout is the following: a wide area for the storage of the incoming wastes, two screens with 300 mm holes for the separation of non-treatable waste, two shreddings and double-stage screenings (with holes from 130 to 80 mm). This is aimed to separate the following materials:

- i) oversize fraction >130 mm by which nonferrous metals (e.g. aluminium cans) and ferrous materials will be separated;
  - ii) oversize fraction 80÷130 mm, by which ferrous materials will be separated;
  - iii) underscreen fraction <80 mm, which must be processed with biological treatment.
- Oversize materials will be also processed with ballistic and optical separation in order to separate paper and recyclable plastic materials.

The designed layout is also arranged for future development of a fine-shredding section to produce RDF, a refining section for the bio-stabilized materials, and a recovery section for the organic waste from separated collecting of MSW (for producing high-quality compost). The biological treatment for under screen fractions is aerobic stabilization within closed air-forced tunnels, in order to obtain stable and dry materials which can be sent to disposal or recycled. The buildings will be kept in constant depression in order to ensure the health of workers; the air is recirculated within the aerobic tunnels to facilitate the process. Lastly, the exhaust air will be treated with two scrubbers and a biofilter, and be given off into the atmosphere, since pollutant concentrations are reduced to the levels set forth by law.



## DESIGN DATA

### Public client

Commissario Delegato per l'emergenza Rifiuti in Sicilia (ex O.P.C.M. 9/7/2010 n. 3887 - D.L. n. 43/2013)

### Tasks assigned and carried out

Final design

Cost € 21.690.737,80

Location C.da Timpazzo - Gela (CL)

UTM Coord. (Zone 33S) 439,794 E - 4,113,270 N

Site area 43.000 m<sup>2</sup>

Shed surface 11.300 m<sup>2</sup>

Design level Final design

Designing period 2014

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments D8, D9, D14, D15, R3, R4, R5, R13.**

**Potential capacity:** 60.000 t/y; 35.0 t/h

**Treatment lines:** Mechanical Pretreatment: two lines of screening at 300 mm - shredding - double screening (130 mm and 100 mm) - ferrous and nonferrous metals recovery - paper recovery - plastic recovery - recyclable materials pressing

**Biological treatment:** aerobic stabilization of under screen materials (nine tunnels, dimensions 8 x 40 m each)

## ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

**Air treatment:** 320.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h  
**Air treatment system:** four wet scrubbers and one biofilter (partitioned into four sections)  
**Total biofilters surface:** 2.560 m<sup>2</sup>

**Future developments prediction:** final shredding section for RDF; final shredding section for biostabilized materials; high-quality compost production from organic fraction by separate collection.



# REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT OF THE DISUSED INDUSTRIAL FACTORY “SNIA - VISCOSA” IN RIETI

The proposed solution focuses on the conversion of an industrial site formerly used for the viscose production into a multifunctional platform for the community utility, such as electricity production from renewables and other social themes.

Therefore, some recovery systems are designed:

1. An anaerobic digestion section for organic waste resulting from separated collection;
2. A mechanical treatment section for RDF production, metals and plastics recovery;
3. An aerobic stabilization section for underscreen organic waste produced by mechanical sorting section.

Then, the following systems are designed to abide by the environmental policies and particularly renewable energy:

- Photovoltaic power plant;
- Thermodynamic solar power plant;
- Small wind turbines power plant;
- Small hydroelectric power plant;
- Co-generator using biogas produced in the anaerobic digestion section;
- Gasification plant using the RDF to produce heat and electricity.

This site is very close to the town, so it is very interesting to provide a heat transfer system, using an appropriate heat transfer fluid. So advantages for the city are achieved. Lastly, an educational center will be implemented to cooperate with university departments to develop the explained environmental themes. This could help young people to remain in their territory, making the site to become an excellent place for the development of future skilled professionals.

## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

M.P.S. Leasing & Factoring  
S.p.A.

### Task assigned and carried out

Preliminary design and technical-economic feasibility study

**Cost** 50.000.000,00 €

**Location** Rieti

**Coord. UTM (Zone 33 T)** 323,318

E – 4,697,917 N

**Site area** 170.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Design period** 2013

## TECHNICAL DATA

### Refuse Derived Fuel (RDF)

**production plant:** 15.000 – 18.000 t/year

**Aerobic biostabilization plant:** 16.000 t/year

**Anaerobic digestion plant:** 1 MW

**Dynamic thermal solar plant:** 30 kW

**Photovoltaic plant:** 1.5 MW

**Gasification plant:** 4 MW

### PLASTIC RECYCLING PLANT

**Total producible energy:** 42 GWh/year



# FUNCTIONAL IMPROVEMENT LANDFILL 76

## - CATANIA

The re-design intervention has provided the functional improvement for morphologic structure by redistributing the original planned waste disposal volume for the non-hazardous waste landfill, situated in Grotte San Giorgio in Catania, authorized by the Regional Sicilian Decree D.D.G. No. 76 03/03/2010 (Integrated Environmental Authorization in accordance with the Legislative Decree D.Lgs. No. 152/06 and further amendments). After the approval of the functional improvement design, the authorization was modified in accordance with the decree D.D.G. No. 1244 07/26/2013.

The extension of the total site is 35.000 m<sup>2</sup>, the cell occupies approximately 23.200 m<sup>2</sup> and with the remaining area holding auxiliary facilities including landfill gas and leachate management systems. The authorized landfill has an equivalent capacity of 1.000.000 m<sup>3</sup>, in a single hillside excavated cell, with a variable depth between 50 and 30 m, respectively upstream and downstream.

The operation stage of the landfill began in August 2012, during the filling an improvement of the original planned structure of the cell was required in order to maintain safety conditions regarding the operation of the haul-road for heavy vehicles transportation and disposing the waste within the cell, for this purpose the implementation of a new cell of approximately 5.850 m<sup>3</sup> was required.

The new cell was constructed downstream of the original cell using subvertical walls (due to natural high strength of the excavated soil). Allowing the authorised volume preservation by decreasing original cell planned height. Furthermore, perimeter screening was constructed using large basaltic rocks and topped off with sand and calcarenite gravel, reaching 10-meter average height and a 6 meters upper-thickness with a 35 degrees slope.



### DESIGN DATA

**Private client** SICULA  
TRASPORTI s.r.l.

**Tasks assigned and carried out**  
Final Design and Integrated  
Environmental Authorization  
application

**Cost** € 21.256.995,14

**Location** Catania (CT)

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 502,932  
E - 4,135,702 N

**Site area** 35.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Dump basin surface** 23.200 m<sup>2</sup>

**Landfill volume** 1.000.000 m<sup>3</sup>

**Construction period** 2010-2011

**Designing period** 2013

### TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments** D1, D15.

**Maximum capacity:** 250.000 t/y

### CONSTRUCTION DETAILS

- Functional improvement, through the construction of earth dam with basaltic rocks and sand and calcarenite gravel (average height 10 m, upper width 6 m, bank slope 33-35°) to achieve safer conditions for entering the dump basin;
- Construction of collecting and pumping systems for leachate/biogas and waterproofing system for basin bottom and slopes with the same features of the works already achieved into the operating landfill basin, according to indications/limitations of the Law Decree No. 36/03;
- Project of providing geocomposite drainage layer with high UV resistance to protect the HDPE liner on the slopes, due to the exposure period of the top edge of the basin.





# CONTAMINATED SOIL TREATMENT PLANT - CATANIA

The combined facility for the contaminated soil treatment combines the advantages of using the process of thermal desorption for the removal of organic contaminants (i.e. hydrocarbons) to those resulting from the use of the inertization process for the stabilization of the inorganic contaminants (i.e. heavy metals).

The thermal desorption system (with a potentiality of 100.000 t/year) is able to treat contaminated soils with operating temperatures below 650°C; it has the following advantages, compared to other traditional systems of incineration of the contaminants: the treatment doesn't have emissions of dioxins and furans; the decontaminated soil still retains the original mechanical properties and it can therefore be used for industrial purposes; the treatment costs are certainly lower.

The inertization system (with a potentiality of 50.000 t/y) is based on the stabilization process - that is used for decades - for the stabilization of hazardous contaminants within a solid compact matrix which is also stable over time. Using the appropriate reagents, cement and water the process also blocks the contaminants that are more dangerous and difficult to treat, such as chromoVI, ammonia, arsenic and mercury.

The facility offers clear advantages in terms of both treatment times (less than those of other traditional systems) and economic, managing to convert hazardous waste into non-hazardous. The soil remediation, which is often too expensive and environmentally costly, is so encouraged.

## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

E.T.A. SERVICE s.r.l.

### Tasks assigned and carried out

Preliminary and final design, Environmental Impact Assessment and Integrated Environmental Authorization application

**Estimated cost** € 10.170.858,24

**Location** Catania

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 503,250

E - 4,136,770 N

**Site area** 40.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Covered surfaces for treatment and storage** 11.700 m<sup>2</sup>

**Design period** 2013

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments D9, D14, D15, R5, R13.**

**Rain water storage:** 160 m<sup>3</sup>

**Leachate storage:** 200 m<sup>3</sup>

### THERMAL DESORPTION SECTION

**Maximum potentiality:** 40 t/h

#### Type of input waste:

contaminated soils with organic substances (i.e. hydrocarbons)

**Average specific electric energy required:** 26 kWh/t

**Average specific thermal energy required:** 540 kWh/t

**Air flow:** 80.000 m<sup>3</sup>/h

### INERTIZATION SECTION

**Maximum potentiality:** 14 t/h

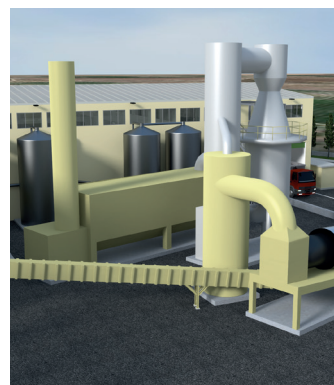
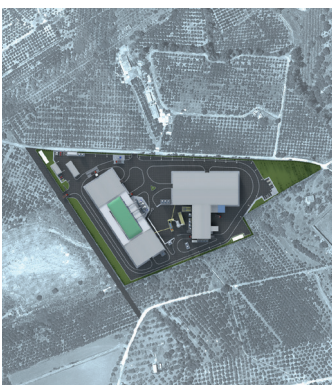
#### Type of input waste:

contaminated soils with inorganic substances (i.e. heavy metals)

**Average specific electric energy required:** 32 kWh/t

**Air flow:** 63.000 m<sup>3</sup>/h

Emission treatment system  
Cyclone – Thermal Oxidizer  
– Dry scrubber – Baghouses – VOC abatement towers





# REMEDIATION OF A CONTAMINATED AREA - AUGUSTA

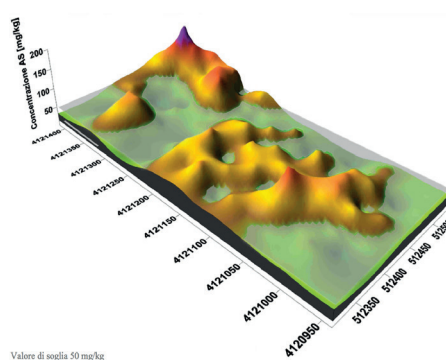
The site is part of “National Interest Site of Priolo” as identified by Law 426/1998; because of the desire to develop industrial activities in this site in the future, procedures have been started to remediate the contaminated areas, aiming to obtain approval from the Environmental Department.

Therefore, two environmental characterization investigations were designed and carried out in order to identify both the type and extent of contamination in the soil, the terrain and the groundwater.

108 boreholes were drilled and over 500 soil samples were collected; chemical analysis of these soil samples have revealed a widespread soil contamination by arsenic and a repeated terrain contamination by mercury.

Starting from chemical-physical parameters identified during the site characterization, a site specific assessment was carried out and a non tolerable risk for human health was found both for soil ingestion and dermal contact (industrial use of the site). As result, a site remediation project was designed to remove the state of contamination and enclose the polluted soil in a non-permeable confined basin specifically achieved in a part of the site, thus limiting the handling of excavated materials off site (e.g. landfills).

The underground terrain protection will be ensured by a double non permeable layer of HDPE and a double drainage layer for the leachate collection system (the lower one to detect any possible crack on the upper HDPE layer (according to regulation of Law Decree No. 36/2003 for solid waste landfill, as well as the final cover system, called “capping”).



## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

Joint venture for the management of the environmental hygiene service in Priolo Gargallo S.p.A.

### Tasks assigned and carried out

Site characterization, Development of the conceptual site model, Site specific Health Risk Assessment, Final Design

### Estimated amount of work

€ 1.063.406,55

Location Augusta (SR)

UTM Coord. (Zone 33S) 512,462

E - 4,121,354 N

Site area 82.000 m<sup>2</sup>

Estimated contaminated surface 48.600 m<sup>2</sup>

Total volume of soil to manage 60.000 m<sup>3</sup>

Design period 2013

## TECHNICAL DATA

### ACTIVITIES PERFORMED:

- Site characterization through the collection of soil and groundwater samples for field and laboratory analysis to determine both type and level of contamination;
- Site conceptual model it was developed through the Characterization Plan results Site Specific Health Risk;
- Assessment it was calculated through the site conceptual model in order to determine the Site Specific Target Level for remedial action.

### Remediation proposal

- On-site disposal of the contaminated soils into a non-permeable basin the bottom and walls are adequately waterproofed: the cover system (capping) is composed of a surface layer for vegetation, a drainage layer and a non-permeable layer. The whole project is designed according to regulation of Law Decree No. 36/2003 for solid waste landfill.



# COMPOSTING PLANT - CATANIA

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client** SICULA TRASPORTI s.r.l.  
**Typology** aerobic stabilization (composting) into air-forced lanes  
**Tasks assigned and carried out** Executive design, Environmental Impact Assessment, Integrated Environmental Authorization application and construction management  
**Cost** € 10.934.166,45  
**Location** Catania  
**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 505,850 E - 4,137,495 N  
**Site area** 65.900 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Plant surface** 36.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Construction period** 2010 - 2012

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments** D8, R3, R10.  
**Maximum capacity:** 350.000 t/year  
**Number of air-forced lanes:** 60 lanes (548 m<sup>3</sup> each), among eight dedicated only to high-quality composting  
**Total surface for treatment:** 12.800 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Type of input material:** undersize resulting from undifferentiated MSW screening (producing off-specification compost) and organic fraction from separate collection of MSW (producing high quality compost)  
**Average process period:** 21÷28 days for off-specification compost and 90 days for high quality compost  
**Rain water storage:** 150 m<sup>3</sup>  
**Leachate storage:** 150 m<sup>3</sup>  
**ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT**  
**Air insufflation system:** No. 160 centrifugal fans, power 5.5 kW and flow 6.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h each

The plant contains a biological treatment sector for stabilizing the organic fraction (undersize fraction of MSW) obtained after the improper mechanical segregation of the MSW from the existing plant. This biological treatment is aimed at producing poor-quality compost. The plant also contains a composting treatment of the organic fraction downstream of the differentiated collection of MSW. This is aimed at producing high-quality compost.

The process of bio stabilization occurs within 60 concrete lanes with mobile steel coverage and breathable fabric. The bottom of each lane is provided with a system for the ventilation of the air that is necessary for the process. The air is uniformly distributed through five parallel channels, which extend to the entire length of each composting lane. During the process, temperature, humidity and interstitial oxygen are monitored, and air ventilation is modulated on the basis of these measured parameters. A significant aspect is related to the reduction of emissions into the atmosphere: odorous substances are retained within the lanes by using breathable fabrics. During the oxidation process of the putrescible fraction, the temperature increases due to the degradation activity of the microorganisms, and the evaporation of interstitial water forms a thin film in contact with the cloth itself. Such thin film, together with the small weaving of the cloth (0.2 µm), constitutes a mechanical barrier against the odorous molecules. Smaller molecules (O<sub>2</sub>, CO<sub>2</sub>, water vapor), instead, are free to transpire. This prevents approximately 95% of the spores and pathogenic bacteria to be spread in the air.

The off-specification compost product can be treated as biomass, and thermally exploited, so as to produce energy that will receive financial incentives when released into the national network.







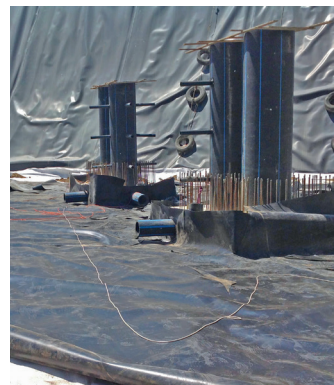
# CONSTRUCTION OF A LANDFILL BASINS “A” AND “B” FOR NON-HAZARDOUS WASTE - LENTINI

The landfill is included in the non-hazardous waste category in accordance with the amended Law Decree nr. 36/03 and Law Decree No. 152/06. The buried waste will mainly be constituted by dry fraction deriving from mechanical treatment (screening material), European Waste Code: 191212 and stabilized wet fraction, EWC 190503. The plant consists of two cells, amounting to 1.100.000 m<sup>3</sup> and 814.000 m<sup>3</sup> of volume respectively. Both cells are waterproofed in order to preserve the aqueous and solid environmental matrices in accordance with the Law Decree No. 36/03.

Each cell will be equipped with a double collection system for leachate generated within the landfill, this system includes a main upper-network for regular leachate accumulation and a secondary lower-network which serves as a backup. The leachate collection pipe network includes separate sumps where leachate is conveyed by pumps and stored into two separated steel tanks, in order to allow temporary storage before treating the leachate.

Leachate will be treated, within the same landfill site, through a physical-chemical process and it will be treated within the limits established by the Law Decree No. 152/06, after the treatment process it will be discharged into surface-receptor water bodies while the remaining concentrated sludge will be pumped over the upper landfill section through a specific infiltration system.

The plant is completed by the landfill gas management system for the extraction, collection and upgrading of the biogas generated by the landfill during operation and post-closure periods. This system allows energy recovery by purifying the natural gas of any contaminants so that it can then be injected into the natural gas grid and eventually be used as a fuel for the transportation sector. The transformation of bio-wastes into clean energy helps societies to make progress toward becoming circular economies. to make progress toward becoming circular economies.



## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

SICULA TRASPORTI s.r.l.

### Tasks assigned and carried out

Final and executive design, Integrated Environmental Authorization application and construction management

**Cost** € 40.195.425,48

**Location** Lentini (SR)

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 502,790

E - 4,135,670 N

**Site area** 171.000 m<sup>2</sup>

### Surface of the basins

**A** 41.800 m<sup>2</sup>

**B** 35.500 m<sup>2</sup>

**Total volume** 1.914.000 m<sup>3</sup>

**Construction period** 2012

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments** D1, D9, D15.

**Maximum capacity:** 350.000 t/year

**Expected operating life:** 9 years

**Days of disposal per year:** 320

**Maximum production of leachate expected:** 50 m<sup>3</sup>/d

**Maximum theoretical biogas production expected:** 5÷15 Nm<sup>3</sup>/Kg of waste

**Accessory equipment:** leachate treatment system which provides an ultrafiltration stage and four reverse osmosis stages, with a potentiality of 50 m<sup>3</sup>/d

**Biogas treatment:** cogeneration system for the production of electricity

86 vertical wells for biogas collection  
one suction sub-station and regulation system  
biogas purification system  
three Jenbacher engines JGS312 and one emergency torch



# REMEDIATION OF EX SNIA VISCOSA FACILITY - RIETI

The ex-SNIA Viscosa plant, in Rieti, was built in 1928 as an avant-garde center for the production of artificial fibers in viscose rayon, a yarn which was able to replace various types of fabric, such as silk and cotton, thanks to its versatility. Viscose rayon was largely used to produce both fabrics and knitwear. The factory, however, after various vicissitudes and after an irreversible crisis, ceased production in the early eighties, although some buildings remained active until the end of 2006.

After the halt of production some areas of the plant have been “made safe” in order to access the plant sections for:

- depletion of plant components from liquids used for the process;
- disconnection of electrical and electronic parts;
- deactivating the systems that transfer the liquids used in the process;
- protection of the storage of hazardous materials, etc.

Part of the site has already been made safe and has been subjected to remediation in order for it to be reused for commercial or industrial activities. However, there are still scattered waste of various kinds (scattered solids and liquids in tanks), as well as parts of the plant that need to be disposed off or recovered. From 2010 to 2013 all the operations necessary for the permanent safety have been carried out in order to avoid possible contaminations of the environmental matrices. In particular asbestos-containing materials were removed and disposed off and storage of carbon disulfide (substance used in the production of viscose and highly flammable even at low temperatures) has been emptied and disposed off. Disposal of wastes overground is still ongoing with the final steps and site-specific risk analysis still to be developed, as well as the final remediation project.



## DESIGN DATA

**Private client** M.P.S. Leasing & Factoring S.p.A.

**Tasks assigned and carried out** Design, supervision and safety of works

**Cost of the project**  
€ 2.000.000,00

**Location** Rieti

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 323,270  
E - 4,697,880 N

**Site area** 170.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Built-up areas** 39.500 m<sup>2</sup>

**Period of activity** 2011 - 2012

## TECHNICAL DATA

- Mapping of all overground scattered waste (solid and liquid industrial origin): approximately 800 tons of hazardous waste and about 340 tons of non-hazardous waste;
- Characterization, remediation, transport and disposal of hazardous wastes considered to be highly critical for the environment: about 625 tons;
- Characterization, remediation and disposal of asbestos-containing materials;
- Disposal of carbon disulfide storage used in the productive activities of the factory site and reclamation and decommissioning of the tanks.

## SUPPLEMENTARY ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT

- Characterization of the building's foundation soils which have yet to be investigated;
- Development of the final conceptual model of the site;
- Site-specific risk analysis;
- Operative remediation project.



# ENVIRONMENTAL EMERGENCY AND PERMANENT MEASURES - AUGUSTA

The design was developed in accordance to the needs of the Municipality of Augusta. Their requirement was the design of a permanent safety measure (according to the Law Decree No. 152/06 and further amendments) for the municipal landfills located in “Ogliastro di Sopra” district.

In particular, basins No. 7 and No. 8 have repeatedly caused leachate spilling in the last years, at the same time with heavy rainfalls. This is caused by the lack of final waterproof capping of the waste and so the rain infiltrates into the waste mass. The lack of adequate storage tanks has also caused these problems because the leachate cannot be pumped and stored during these meteorological events.

The project of taking Emergency, Operational and Permanent Safety measures to prevent leakage of the landfills concerns the following topics:

- to isolate the landfill basin from the rainfall;
- to prevent flooding of the adjacent surface areas surrounding the basin, this was achieved by removing all surface rainwater and then preventing future flooding by constructing drainage canals in the landfill basins which are linked to the peripheral drainage system; the contour of the bordering areas (owned by the Municipal Administration too) allows the natural removal of the collected water.

Therefore the purpose of the entire project is to guarantee the environmental protection of soil, surface water and groundwater from any contamination due to the waste mass, interrupting the leak of leachate from the landfill basins and preventing the infiltration of rainwater into the waste mass.

## DESIGN DATA

**Public client** Comune di Augusta (SR)

**Tasks assigned and carried out** Final design for Emergency and Permanent Safety Measures

**Cost** € 1.126.317,05

**Location** Augusta (SR)

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 511,274 E - 4,122,395 N

**Surface of the landfill basin**

**basin No. 7** 8.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**basin No. 8** 10.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Disposal period**

**basin No. 7** 2001 - 2003

**basin No. 8** 2006 - 2006

**Design period** 2012

## TECHNICAL DATA

- Hydrologic Assessment of the landfill basins' area to calculate the projects hydrological conditions;
- Emergency Safety Measures needed to reduce the possibility of leachate load by pumping it away from the collection wells and directing it to authorized plants for disposal. This to safely operate the following remediation steps;
- Re-modeling of the final disposal level so as to give adequate slope to the upper area of the basins;
- Supplying of waterproofing layers for the upper covering, through a geomembrane high density polyethylene (HDPE) layer with a thickness of 2 mm (“double rough” type);
- Construction of drainage trenches on the summit of the basins in order to control meteoric flows;
- Arrangement of vent systems for the biogas trapped under the HDPE layer;
- Hydraulic check of the surface drainage sections to avoid the erosion of the designed works.







# CONSTRUCTION OF NON - HAZARDOUS WASTE LANDFILL - LENTINI

The landfill is included in the non-hazardous waste category in accordance with the Law Decree No. 36/03 and Law Decree No. 152/06 and further amendments. The plant has been designed to receive waste, amounting to about 270 t/d, from neighboring municipalities.

The system consists of a single cell with a volume of 500.000 m<sup>3</sup>, properly sealed in accordance with the Law Decree No. 36/03 for the aspects regarding the construction of landfills of non-hazardous waste.

The cell is waterproofed in order to preserve the environmental matrices equipped with a double collection system for leachate generated within the landfill, this system is designed with a main upper-network for regular leachate accumulation and a secondary lower network which serves as a backup.

The leachate collection pipe networks are designed with separate sumps where leachate is transferred to by means of pumps and stored into two separated steel tanks, in order to allow temporary storage before treating the leachate.

Leachate will be treated, within the same landfill site, through a physical-chemical process. The treated effluent within the limits established by the Law Decree No. 152/06 will be discharged into surface-receptors water bodies while the concentrate sludge generated is pumped over the upper landfill section through a specific infiltration system.

The plant is completed by the landfill gas management system for the extraction, collection and upgrading of the biogas generated by the landfill during operation and post-closure periods. This system allows energy recovery by converting biogas in a bio-fuel which can be injected in the natural gas grid and eventually be used as a fuel for the transportation sector. The transformation of bio-wastes into clean energy helps societies to make progress toward becoming circular economies.

The monitoring of the environmental conditions will be done during the operation and the post-mortem phases according to the Legislative Decree D.Lgs. No. 36/2003.



## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

SICULA TRASPORTI s.r.l.

### Tasks assigned and carried out

Final design, Environmental Impact Study and Integrated Environmental Authorization application

**Project cost** € 15.515.255,00

**Location** Lentini (SR)

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 502.864

E - 4.135.848 N

**Site area** 58.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Surface of the landfill basin** 27.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Total Volume** 500.000 m<sup>3</sup>

**Construction period** 2011

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments** D1, D15.

**Maximum potentiality:** 90.000 t/year

**Expected operating life:** 5 years

**Days of disposal per year:** 320

**Maximum production of leachate expected:** 11 m<sup>3</sup>/d

**Maximum theoretical biogas production expected:** 5÷15 Nm<sup>3</sup>/t of waste

### ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

Leachate treatment system that includes stages of ultrafiltration and a final stage of reverse osmosis, with a potentiality of 1.5 m<sup>3</sup>/h

### Biogas section system:

11 vertical wells for biogas collection,

11 secondary supply lines,

one main feed line,

one suction and regulation substation.

### Energy recovery system:

existing system within the industrial district

# M.S.W. TREATMENT INTEGRATED SYSTEM - PARTINICO

In order to operate an integrated management of municipal waste the designed plant allows to:

- i) pre-treat the incoming waste (shredding);
- ii) separate the dry fraction, the wet fraction (undersized), and recyclable fractions (metals, plastics, glass, etc.) from the MSW;
- iii) perform a post-treatment of the organic fraction through biological (anaerobic and aerobic) processes;
- iv) produce high-quality compost to be used as fertilizer in common agricultural practices;
- v) produce high-calorific-value material (RDF), which can be used as fuel in cement factories or thermal power plants;
- vi) produce electricity and thermal energy in order to balance out part or total self-consumption.

The potential of the plant is 100.000 t/y of unsorted municipal waste and 30.000 t/y of separately collected organic waste for producing high-quality compost; the designed process lines are: one line for the mechanical treatment of undifferentiated MSW (shredding, screening, metal separation, RDF fine-shredding); one section for the anaerobic digestion of the undersize fraction (within 14 heated concrete tunnels); one section for the stabilization and aerobic biological drying of the digestate (in aerated heaps within eight tunnel); one line for the production of high-quality compost (including pretreatment section, eight aerobic stabilization tunnels and one maturation and refining section); one cogeneration engine for producing electrical and thermal energy from the biogas produced by the anaerobic digestion; one K.W.G. module (consisting in a containerized thermal unit), which exploits the molecular dissociation process; this module produces electricity from waste material and a vitrified residue, which can be reused for civil purposes such road and railway foundations, etc.



## DESIGN DATA

**Location** Partinico (PA)  
**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 330.844  
 E - 4.206.205 N  
**Site area** 72.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Plant surface** 56.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Treatment area** 18.100 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Roads and auxiliary services area** 32.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design level** preliminary design  
**Design period** 2014  
**Tasks assigned and carried out**  
 Preliminary design  
**Cost** € 41.284.257,35

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments D8, D9, D14, D15, R1, R3, R4, R5, R10, R13.**  
**Treatment capacity:** 100.000 t/y of M.S.W.;  
 30.000 t/y of organic waste from separate collection and decayin waste from gardens and parks  
**Treatment and recovery lines:**  
 one M.S.W. mechanical-biological treatment  
 one mechanical-biological organic waste treatment  
 one section for energy production from biogas and waste from the selection  
**Working days per year:** 312  
**Employable personnel:** 20

## ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

**Air treatment:** 170.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h  
**Air treatment system:** wet scrubbers and biofilters  
**Biofilter surface:** 1.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Biogas cogeneration system:**  
 flow 10.000 m<sup>3</sup>/d, power 800 kWe - 810 kWt  
**Waste exploitation system:**  
 flow 15 m<sup>3</sup>/d, power 800 kWe - 810 kWt



# PHOTOVOLTAIC PLANT (POWER 995.72 KW) - NAPOLI

The plant is a grid-connected system, which is located on the roof of the hangar no. 1 of the International Airport Capodichino in Naples, in the Municipality of Casoria; after the cleaning and the waterproofing of the roof (pitched on a slight slope) 4.526 panels (Innovo Solar TEM 220P models with a nominal power of 220 W each) were installed on steel rail supports. The power of the entire system is therefore equal to 995.72 kW, with an average production of around 1.2 GWh/y.

The installation of the photovoltaic power plant was only possible after a period of experimentation carried out in collaboration with the Department of Technical Physics of the University of Palermo, in order to evaluate the potential degree of glare against aircrafts during take-off, landing and circling. The results of the tests performed have led to the selection and installation of modules whose protective crystal has an internal roughness to reduce any phenomenon of reflection of incident sunlight. Photovoltaic modules are connected to the national distribution network in three-phase medium voltage; two generators Copernicus TL-SF-200 Astrid model and two generators Copernicus TL-SF-250 Astrid model were installed, in order to ensure a maximum power of 1 MW.

The installation and proper management of the photovoltaic panels allows for big savings compared to traditional fuels and a reduction in emissions of greenhouse gases. The savings in terms of fossil fuels could be estimated to about 230 TOE (tons of oil equivalent) per year, while a reduction in greenhouse gas emissions of approximately 620 tons of CO<sub>2</sub> each year was calculated.

## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

New Energy S.p.A.

### Tasks assigned and carried out

Final design, construction management and safety coordination

**Total cost** € 3.350.000,00

**Location** International Airport Capodichino (NA)

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 441,345 E - 4,526,640 N

**Area of intervention** 15.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Commissioning and start-up** 2011

**Construction period** May - December 2010

## TECHNICAL DATA

**System type:** Partially integrated

**Type of PV modules:**

Polycrystalline silicon modules

**Number of installed panels:** 4.526

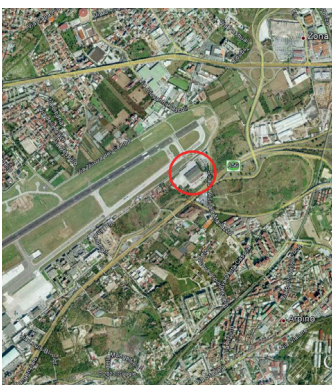
**Occupied area:** about 7.700 m<sup>2</sup>

**Rated power of the individual panel:** 220 Wp

**Total installed power:** 995.72 kWp

**Average annual energy produced:** 1.2 GWh

4 three-phase inverter, 900 kW total (2 x 200 kW + 2 x 250 kW)





# ORGANIC WASTE GASIFICATION PLANT IN CATANIA

The plant design will permit the enlargement of the existing M.S.W. mechanical screening by adding an organic waste gasification unit. The design abides by the obligations set forth by the Italian Decree that regulates environmental integrated authorizations (D.R.S. 248 of 26/03/2009), in order for the already-existing plant to maintain the previously-obtained authorization. The system is designed in a four-line plant, with each line processing a nominal 6 t/h of special non-hazardous waste resulting from MSW mechanical-biological treatment. The furnaces for each of the four lines will have two separate chambers: one for the gasification (primary) and one for the oxidation (secondary); each chamber will be arranged in a 'single-box' type configuration. The produced Syngas will be provided to four heat recovery steam generators (HRSG), each of which will produce 16.4 MW of thermal output in the form of superheated steam at 23 bar (absolute) and 380°C. The steam from the boilers will be supplied to a single Steam Turbine which shall nominally generate 16.5 MW of electricity. The steam from the turbine will exhaust into an air-cooled condenser, which will normally operate at a pressure of 0.1 mbar absolute. Each gasification line is equipped with a bag house filter, located downstream the HRSG; the filter operation is based on the injection into the flue-gas of lime and carbon for absorbing acid components, heavy metals, mercury, TOC and dioxins. The plant is also equipped with a control and monitoring system, which performs an automatic control of the process and the emissions from the stack. Each process line is equipped with a main control PLC and an additional PLC that serves the common equipment. All process control and monitoring computers and PLCs are powered via an uninterruptible power supply (UPS) which has a nominal thirty minute capacity.

## DESIGN DATA

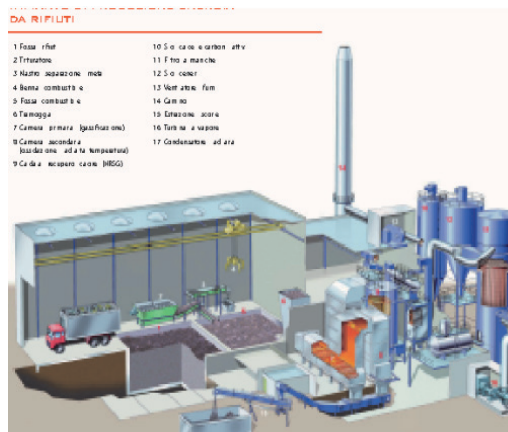
**Location** Catania  
**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 505.220  
 E - 4.137.596 N  
**Site area** 9.00 ha  
**Built shed surface** 11.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Designed shed surface** 8.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Design level** the facility is authorized according to the Italian decree that regulates Integrated Environmental Authorizations (D.R.S. No. 248 of 26 March 2009)  
**Design period:** 2011  
**Tasks assigned and carried out** Final design  
**Estimated Cost** € 76.300.00,00

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments** D10, R1.  
**Estimated capacity:** 200.000 t/y - 24 t/h  
**Inlet waste:** non hazardous waste from mechanical screening and biological treatment by the built system  
**Treatment lines:**  
 No. 4 gasification lines (primary chamber) and No. 4 oxidation chambers  
 No. 4 boilers (HRSG)  
 No. 1 steam turbine  
 No. 1 air cooled condenser for exhaust steam

## ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

**Flue gas treatment:** n. 4 baghouses (one for each line), n. 2 line and carbon silos and n. 2 filter dust silos.  
 Control and monitoring system (a main PLC for each process line and an additional PLC for common equipment).  
 Emission measurement and control system (one for each line).





# PHOTOVOLTAIC PLANT (POWER: 414 KW) IN CATANIA

The plant is a grid-connected system, and is located on the roof of an industrial building used for the treatment of municipal solid waste in Catania; after having designed and manufactured the specific steel structures of support to adapt to the type of coverage of the industrial building, 1.800 panels (InnovoSolar MET 230P models with a nominal power of 230 W each) were installed on special steel rails anchored to the above structures. The power of the entire system is therefore equal to 414.0 kWp, with an average energy production of about 642.000 kWh/y.

The installation of the photovoltaic power plant was only possible after a period of static verification carried out in collaboration with the manufacturer of prefabricated shed, to assess the maximum allowable overload above the roof.

The photovoltaic system is connected to the local distribution network at a voltage of 20 kV; two inverters (Friem Recon 330 model) were installed, in order to ensure a maximum 0.6 MW power.

The installation and proper management of the photovoltaic system allows for big savings compared to traditional fuels and a reduction in emissions of greenhouse gases. The savings in terms of fossil fuels can be estimated to about 110 TOE (tons of oil equivalent) per year, while a reduction in greenhouse gas emissions of approximately 300 tons of CO<sub>2</sub> each year was calculated.

## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

SICULA TRASPORTI s.r.l.

### Tasks assigned and carried out

Final design, construction management and safety coordination

**Total cost** € 1.650.000,00

**Location** C.da Codavolpe, Vaccarizzo Area - Catania (CT)

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 505,376 E - 4,137,774 N

**Area of intervention** 10.500 m<sup>2</sup>

**Construction period** June - December 2010

**Commissioning and start-up** 2011

## TECHNICAL DATA

**System type:** On building - Not integrated

### Type of PV modules:

Polycrystalline silicon modules

### Number of installed panels:

1.800

**Occupied area:** about 2.970 m<sup>2</sup>

**Rated power of the individual panel:** 230 Wp

**Total installed power:** 414.00 kWp

**Average annual energy produced:** 641.7 MWh

**Inverters installed:** two three-phase inverters, 600 kW total





# MSW MECHANICAL TREATMENT PLANT - CATANIA

The pre-selection plant of mixed waste is divided into four parallel lines, each of which comprises a pre-selection stage consisting of a coarse shredding, a primary screening, a separation of ferrous and non-ferrous metals and a pressing of the coarse material. The secondary screening consists of refining the organic waste; the undersize fraction of the organic waste is biologically stabilized and the oversize fraction is processed through ballistic and infrared separation for the separation of recyclable materials. The system doesn't require the use of personnel for the sorting operations, which are conducted exclusively automatically and managed by an operator from the control room. From the undifferentiated M.S.W. the process allows the separation of the following: plastics to be recycled; iron and aluminium to be forged later in foundries; organic material to be stabilized in order to be sent to landfills or environmental remediation; materials with high calorific value are pressed into bales for disposal in landfill or for recovery as fuel in incinerators. The factory shed is constantly kept under negative pressure in order to ensure the health of the workplace. The air treatment system is constituted by a scrubber (washing tower type) and a biofilter capable of returning the air in the atmosphere in accordance with the most stringent levels set forth by the law. An implementation phase is also in place, which is aimed at the refining of the screening material coming from the primary and secondary screening and waste of the ballistic and optical separation; this material is the so-called RDF (Refuse Derived Fuel), a "product" that will be inserted in the chain of the fuels used in cement plants, power electrical stations, etc.



## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

SICULA TRASPORTI s.r.l.

### Tasks assigned and carried out

Executive design and construction management

Cost € 27.437.210,46

Location Catania

UTM Coord. (Zone 33S) 505,315

E - 4,137,580 N

Site area 90.000 m<sup>2</sup>

Shed surface 11.000 m<sup>2</sup>

Construction period January

2009 - December 2010

Shed in prestressed concrete with shingle roofing in prestressed concrete

## TECHNICAL DATA

Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments D9, D14, D15, R3, R4, R5, R13.

Maximum capacity: 220 t/h

Treatment lines: 4

### Sections:

- Primary shredding;
- Primary screening to 200 mm;
- Separation of ferrous and non-ferrous metals;
- Secondary screening at 80 mm;
- Ballistic and optical separation of plastics;
- Baling of plastics;
- Baling of the screened material to be sent to landfill.

Rain water storage: 100 m<sup>3</sup>

Leachate storage: 270 m<sup>3</sup>

## ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

Air treatment: 270.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h

Air treatment system: wet scrubbers and biofilters

Biofilters surface: 1.900 m<sup>2</sup>

Photovoltaic system on the roof: 414 kWp consisting of 1.800 PV panels of 230 Wp each

Average annual electricity production: 650 MWh

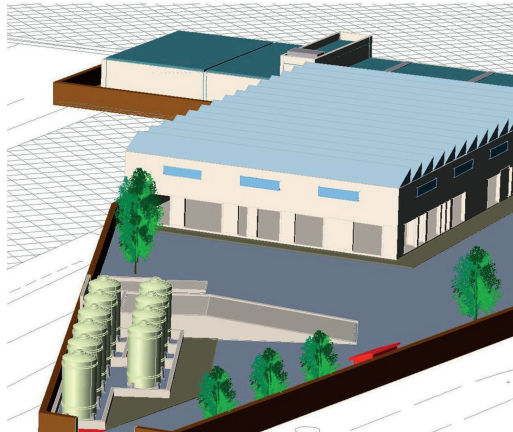




# SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT - CATANIA

The plant is placed within a very strategic area because it's near the port of Catania, well served by the railway tracks. The platform is designed to treat both oily emulsions and the so-called bilge water that may come from the nearby port area of Catania. The system can also treat hazardous and non-hazardous liquid waste from the industrial centers of eastern Sicily (e. g. Priolo Gargallo, Siracusa, Gela, etc.).

The plant architecture provides the possibility to treat wastewater of different nature on separate lines. A first slurry line will be devoted to the treatment of sewage with a high organic load (such as the food industry waste and the spoils of septic tanks), for which an initial solids separation by grill and a physical - chemical pretreatment in clariflocculator are provided. A second process line will be dedicated to acidic and alkaline wastewater, for which a preliminary neutralization and the physical-chemical treatment in clariflocculator are provided. Finally, A third line slurry will be suited for the treatment of liquid waste with a high content of oily emulsions, bilge water and so called "recalcitrant" waste (such as surfactants) and a sedimentation with intercepting of oil and a preliminary oxidation with Fenton reagent are provided. After the different stages of pre-treatment, all the sewage lines are equalized and subjected to biological treatment with activated sludge. Subsequent steps of denitrification and final sedimentation are then provided. Finally, the tertiary treatments provide a filtration with sand and activated carbon and a final UV disinfection. The sludge line is constituted by a mechanical dewatering for the chemical-physical sludge and a thickening followed by aerobic stabilization and mechanical dehydration for the biological one. All plant sections are equipped with air suction devices in order to reduce VOC emissions.



## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

WISCO s.p.a.

### Tasks assigned and carried out

Final and executive design, Environmental Impact Assessment and Integrated Environmental Authorization application

**Cost** € 6.150.772,56

**Location** Catania

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 506,715

E - 4,148,950 N

**Site area** 11.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Design period** 2010

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments** D8, D9, D15.

**Maximum potential:** 225.000 m<sup>3</sup>/y; 750 m<sup>3</sup>/d

**Working days per year:** 350

### Treatment sections:

- Preliminary solid separation with grill;
- Acidic and alkaline waste neutralization;
- Sand and oil separation;
- Biological treatment with activated sludge with denitrification section;
- Final sedimentation
- **UV disinfection sludge line:** thickening, aerobic biostabilization and mechanical dehydration.

### ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

**Air treatment:** fan system and air treatment from plant

**Section with higher production of odorous substances:** 45.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h

**Biofilter surface:** 400 m<sup>2</sup>



# SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT - AUGUSTA

The plant is part of the Industrial Development Area of Siracusa-Augusta and, therefore, easily reachable via the road network of the I.D.A., it is also very well connected to the highway between Catania- Gela.

The platform is designed to treat organic, urban or agribusiness liquid waste and industrial liquid waste (mostly from the poles of Eastern Sicily), such as leachate, galvanic and photographic water, etc.

The plant architecture provides the ability to treat wastewater of different kinds on separate lines: the first, indeed will be dedicated to the treatment of sewage with a high organic load (such as waste of the food industry and the spoils of septic tanks), for which there is an initial screening and grit removal and a second process line, which will be dedicated to industrial wastewater, for which there is provided a pretreatment of chemical-physical type.

After the pre-treatment steps, both sewage lines are equalized and subjected to membrane biological remediation (MBR) with subsequent denitrification; traditional sedimentation is replaced with a reverse osmosis (R.O.) treatment with final evaporation-crystallization. The sludge line, finally, consists of a dehydration-type centrifuge for both chemical and biological sludge, after stabilization with a dosage of polyelectrolytes to improve the power of dehydration.

All plant sections are equipped with air intake systems in order to limit the emissions of VOCs in the atmosphere, the air drawn in is treated through the passage within a biomass filter biofilter, sized for a flow of about 3.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h.

## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

STTA s.r.l

### Tasks assigned and carried out

Final design, Environmental Impact Assessment and Integrated Environmental Authorization application

Cost € 2.971.758,33

Location Augusta (SR)

UTM Coord. (Zone 33S) 515,050

E - 4,116,870 N

Plant area 6.500 m<sup>2</sup>

Design period 2010

## TECHNICAL DATA

Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments D8, D9, D15.

Maximum potential: 32.000 m<sup>3</sup>/y; 100 m<sup>3</sup>/d

Working days per year: 350

### Treatment sections:

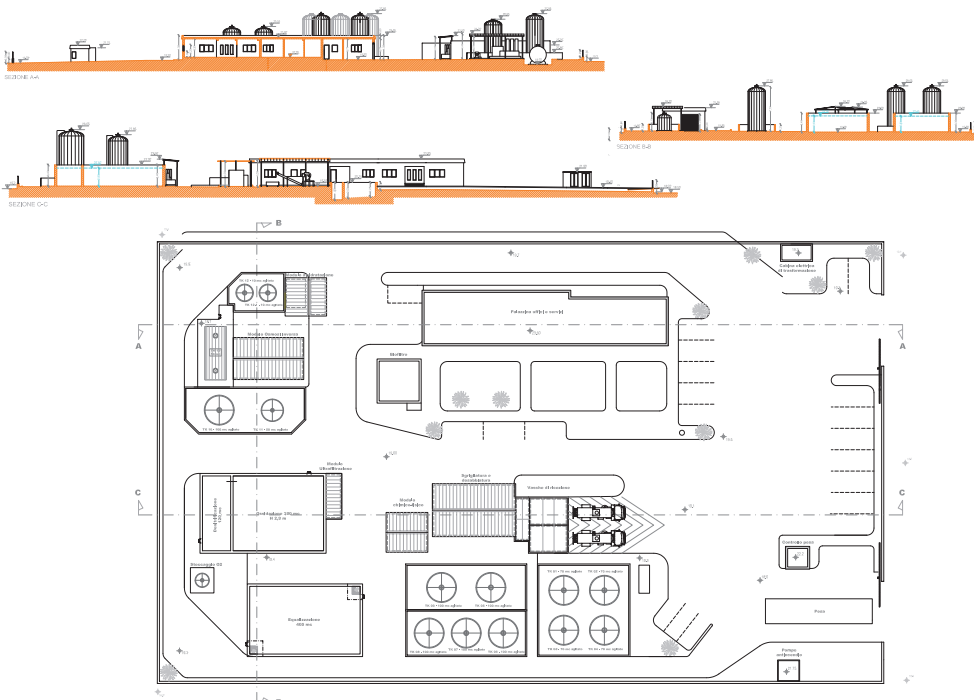
- Preliminary solid separation with grill;
- Sand and oil separation;
- Physical-chemical pretreatment;
- MBR biological treatment with a denitrification and ultrafiltration section;
- Reverse osmosis treatment;
- Evaporator;
- Final dehydration of sludge.

## ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

**Air treatment:** fan system and air treatment from plant

**Section with higher production of odorous substances:** 3.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h

**Biofilter surface:** 33 m<sup>2</sup>





# NON - HAZARDOUS WASTE LANDFILL - AUGUSTA

The landfill is located within the industrial area of Augusta and receives waste generated by the Municipality of Priolo and Garallo and neighbouring towns. The redesign involves reducing costs and improving previous waste management solutions. The design provides the construction of a new landfill situated in an area of about 83.000 m<sup>2</sup>, with a disposal capacity of 660.000 m<sup>3</sup> serving about 175.000 citizens for 6 years.

Each cell will be waterproofed in order to preserve the environmental matrices and will be equipped with a double collection system for leachate generated within the landfill, this system will have a main upper-network for regular leachate accumulation and a secondary lower-network which serves as a backup. Leachate collection pipe network will have separate sumps where leachate is pumped into two separated steel tanks, in order to allow temporary separate storage before periodical transportation to final disposal authorised plants.

The plant is completed by the landfill gas management system for the extraction, collection and upgrading of the biogas generated by the landfill during operation and post-closure periods. This system allows energy recovery by converting biogas into a biofuel which can be injected into the natural gas grid and eventually be used as a fuel for the transportation sector. The transformation of bio-wastes into clean energy helps societies to make progress toward becoming circular economies.

The monitoring of the environmental conditions will be done during the operation and the post-mortem phases according to the Legislative Decree D.Lgs. No. 36/2003.

## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

Joint venture for the management of the environmental hygiene service in Priolo Gargallo S.p.A.

### Tasks assigned and carried out

Final design, Environmental Impact Assessment and Integrated Environmental Authorization application

Cost € 8.846.356,46

Location Augusta (SR)

UTM Coord. (Zone 33S) 512,458

E - 4,121,347 N

Site area 83.000 m<sup>2</sup>

Surface of the landfill basin

45.200 m<sup>2</sup>

Total volume 660.000 m<sup>3</sup>

Designing period 2008

## TECHNICAL DATA

Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments: D1, D15.

Maximum capacity: 98.000 t/year

Expected operating life:

6 years

Maximum production of leachate expected: 9 m<sup>3</sup>/d

Maximum theoretical biogas production expected: 1.068

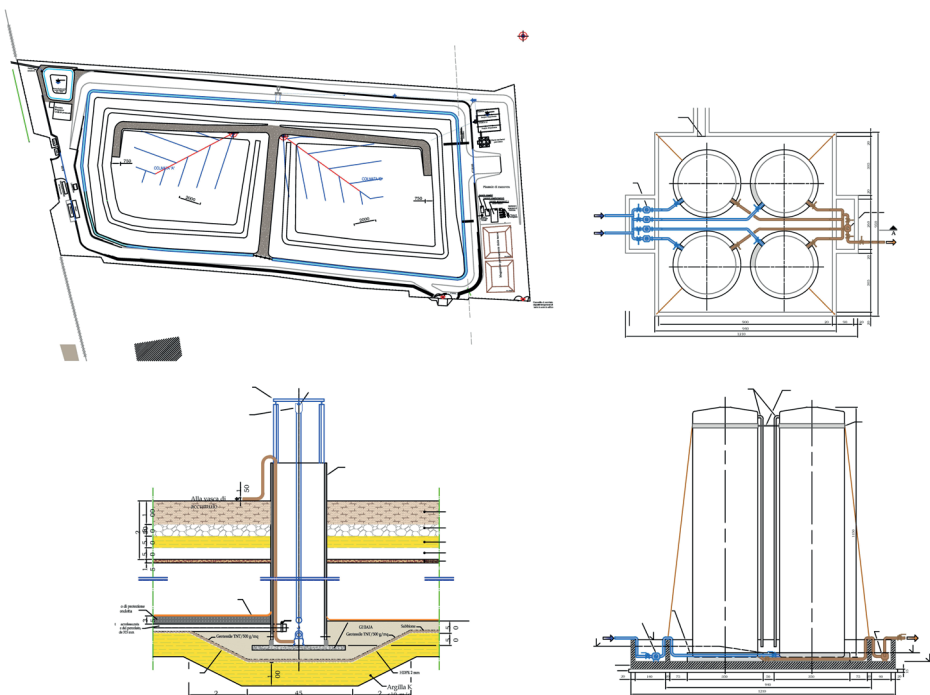
Nm<sup>3</sup>/h

## ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

### Biogas suction system:

- 36 vertical wells for biogas collection;
- 36 secondary supply lines;
- Three main feed lines;
- Three regulation substations;
- One suction substation.

**Energy recovery system:** three internal combustion engine, 600 kW each





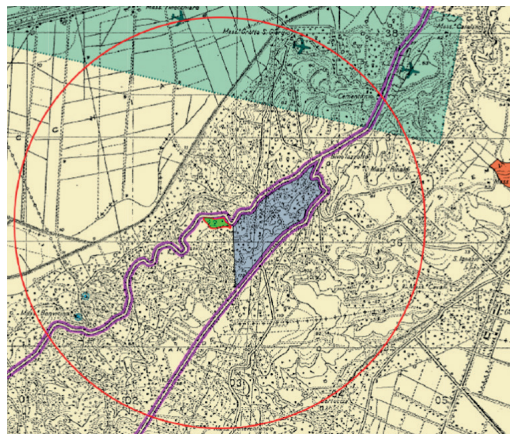


# ASBESTOS CONTAINING WASTE LANDFILL - LENTINI

The system is configured in a way to perform integrated management of waste in order to reduce the disposal costs of Asbestos Containing Materials and it falls under the category of landfills for the transfer of hazardous waste, in accordance with D.Lgs. No. 36/03 and D.Lgs. No. 152/06 and further amendments. The main type of incoming waste will be constituted by asbestos-containing materials from remediation sites of these materials (EWC codes planned: 06 07 01\*, 06 13 04\*, 10 13 09\*, 10 13 10, 15 01 11\*, 16 02 12\*, 17 06 01, 17 06 05\*, 19 03 04\*, 19 03 06).

The plant has been designed in such a way as to allow a waste management conferred in separate cells on the basis of the typology and the seriousness of the material; in total there were five cells managed separately and independently from each other for a total available volume of approximately 500.000 m<sup>3</sup>. Particular attention has been taken in the design of the waterproofing layer at the bottom and on the walls, in order to avoid any possibility of leaching of pollutants into the ground water; carefully sealed materials will be daily covered with inert material in order to avoid any possible air dispersion of fibres or waste.

On the bottom of the landfill a double network for the uptake of the leachate from the waste delivered has been arranged, the first for the ordinary drainage and the second, the lower one, for the safety drainage. The networks of leachate converge to two separate wells for the purpose of collection and recovery, in order to allow temporary storage of leachate within separate and dedicated units; leachate is then pumped to the treatment plant, from which is obtained a clarified effluent (compatible with the limits established by D.Lgs. No. 152/06 and further amendments, for discharges into the surface water bodies receptors).



## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

SICULA TRASPORTI s.r.l.

### Tasks assigned and carried out

Final design, Environmental Impact Assessment and Integrated Environmental Authorization application

**Cost** € 20.253.775,00

**Location** Lentini (SR)

**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 502,790

E - 4,135,950 N

**Site area** 35.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Surface of the landfill basin** 27.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Total Volume** 500.000 m<sup>3</sup>  
divided into five lots

**Design level** final design

**Design period** 2008

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments** D1, D9, D15.

**Capacity:** 40.000 t/year

**Expected operating life:** 7 years

**Days of disposal per year:** 350

**Maximum production of leachate expected:** 10 m<sup>3</sup>/d

**Maximum theoretical biogas production expected:** according to the non-biodegradable nature of asbestos-containing materials, any biogas production is not expected.

### ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

**Leachate treatment system:** ultrafiltration system divided into a safety conditioning section, a treatment section and a washing section of the membranes. The treatment capacity is approximately 12 m<sup>3</sup>/d

# MOTOR VEHICLES DEMOLITION CENTER

The system is configured as a centre for remediation and safe recovery of materials, the scrapping of motor vehicles and trailers and for the retention and recovery of Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) ensuring an integrated waste management in order to minimize the impact on the environment and to recover as much of the materials and energy as possible.

The plant has been designed in accordance with the “regional plan for the area of collection centres for the safe demolition, material recovery and destruction of motor vehicles and trailers”, for the processing of approximately 1.500 vehicles per year. It may also receive a quantity of about 1.100 t/year of WEEE for storage and later retrieval. The industrial site covers an area of approximately 4.900 m<sup>2</sup> and consists of two main sections: the first is intended for motor vehicles out of order and the second for the storage of WEEE; the motor vehicles scrapping area is about 3.600 m<sup>2</sup>, consisting of two main open areas for the storage of vehicles incoming and outgoing (destined to pressing/crushing) and a shed in which all the dismantling operations, storage and retrieval of motor vehicles out of order are carried out.

The storage area of WEEE is approximately 1.300 m<sup>2</sup> and is made up of a single building, in which the incoming WEEE and parts/hazardous waste are stored and where reusable components are disassembled and stored.

Particular attention has been paid to the design of networks of separate waste water (industrial water, rain water and civil wastewater), in order to preserve the environmental matrices involved (soil, subsoil and underground water).

## DESIGN DATA

### Tasks assigned and carried out

Final design, Environmental Impact Assessment and Integrated Environmental Authorization application

**Amount of work** € 1.120.951,54

**Location** Catenanuova (EN)  
UTM Coord. (Zone 33S): 471,770  
E - 4,157,660 N

**Site area** 7.800 m<sup>2</sup>

**Treatment area** 4.900 m<sup>2</sup>

**Scrapping vehicles area** 3.600 m<sup>2</sup>

**WEEE storage area** 1.300 m<sup>2</sup>

**Covered areas** 1.560 m<sup>2</sup>

**Design period** 2008

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Operations according to Encl. B and C referring to Part IV of Law Decree No. 152/06 (D.Lgs. 152/06) and further amendments R13.**

### Treatment potentiality:

1.500 vehicles/year

1.100 t/y of WEEE

**Expected working days per year:** 350

**Incoming vehicles storage area:** 340 m<sup>2</sup>

**WEEE storage area:** 670 m<sup>2</sup>

**Waste oil storage capacity:** 500 l

**Leachate storage:** 150 m<sup>3</sup>

**Rain water storage:** 60 m<sup>3</sup>

## ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

Fixed installation of detection and extinguishing fires constituted by a distribution ring equipped with one UNI70 hydrant and five UNI45 hydrants within the buildings  
**Mobile systems shutdown:** 50 kg wheeled fire extinguishers and 6 kg portable

# WIND FIELD (POWER 26.65 MW)

The plant for the production of energy from renewable sources (wind energy) was carried out in the Municipality of Alberona, in the locality of Toppo Seggio - Coppe di Mezzanelle, at an altitude ranging between 280 and 400 m above sea level, along the ridge of the hills. The plant consists of a total of 13 wind turbines with a rated power of 2,05 MW each, for a total nominal power of 26,65 MW.

The installed wind turbines are all Enercon brand, model E82 and are therefore characterized by a nominal power of 2.050 kW and variable rotation speed from 6 to 17.5 rpm (for smaller or larger values of wind speed the generator stops by an automatic device to avoid mechanical damage). The rotor has a diameter of 82 m, it is mounted on a hub of about 85 m high and each wind turbine is equipped with three fiberglass blades (with embedded lightning rod), each of which is equipped with an adjustment system with independent emergency power, holding brake rotor and the rotor block. The engine type is direct drive synchronous ring and the noise level of each wind turbine reaches about 41-45 dB(A) at a distance of 300 m.

Each turbine occupies a floor space of a few tens of square meters the combined occupied area after construction is 800 m<sup>2</sup>, the surrounding area was preserved through replantation, to minimize the environmental impact done on the surrounding area. For the same purpose, only pre-existing traffic routes were utilized. The consolidation involved using ecological materials stabilized to mimic the natural ground, particularly in areas requiring intervention or modification. The foundations of the wind turbines have a diameter of 14.7 m. The energy produced is distributed through underground electrical cables and the cables supply the energy to the grid station of Enel that is located within close proximity to the wind farm.

## DESIGN DATA

**Location** Alberona (FG)  
**UTM Coord. (Zone 33S)** 517,480  
 E - 4,591,220 N  
**Area of intervention** about 9 ha  
**Construction period** September 2006 - December 2008  
**Commissioning and start-up** 2009  
**Tasks assigned and carried out** High monitoring to the implementation  
**Total cost** € 39.800.000,00

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Wind turbine generators**  
**Rated power:** 2.050 kW  
**Rotor diameter:** 82 m  
**Hub height:** 85 m  
**Number of turbines:** 13  
**Total installed power:** 25,65 MW  
**Average annual production capacity:** 50÷60 GWh  
**ROTORS**  
**Type:** Upwind rotor with blade active control  
**Direction of rotation:** clockwise  
**Rotation speed:** 6÷17.5 rpm  
**Number of blades:** 3  
**Described area:** 5.281 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Blade adjustment:** independent control system for each blade with emergency power, holding brake rotor, rotor block  
**Transmission with generator**  
**Generator:** direct drive synchronous ring  
**Grid feeding:** inverter  
**Wind speed retainer:** 28÷34 m/s with storm control





# THE DEVELOPMENT OF FACILITIES AT THE THEME PARK OF **TARGA FLORIO**

The project in response to the announcement, addressed the following areas:

- the redevelopment and enhancement of the environmental and landscape areas with the construction of a museum, an auditorium, outdoor spaces, a safe driving track;
- a passage way to access the area;
- the upgrading of the SS 113 and 120 in the sections concerned;
- the conservative recovery and the renationalization of the architectural complex of the Targa Florio.

The context of Floriopoli is characterized by mainly hilly contours with dominant clay structures. The predominant lithological formation is that of the clayey complex. The goal of the project is to include the new buildings in a discrete way that reinforces the overall image of the pre-existing settlement. The strategies implemented are: the remodelling of the soil upstream of the road layout near historic buildings, inserting the new functions (museum and auditorium) inside semi-hypogeal spaces. The design choices are limited due to four fracture points along the road caused by a line of "offser" which is ten meters long causing tensions of different natures (pre-existences, geometries).

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client** PROVINCIA REGIONALE of PALERMO  
**Type of service** Definitive planning  
**Total amount** € 40.000.000,00  
**Location** Municipality of Termini Imerese (PA)  
**Surface of the lot** 140.000 square meters  
**Design period** 2012  
**Top 2 selected**

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Design director and supervision:** Francesco Briguglia  
**Architects:** Francesco Cucchiara, Luca Grammautaa, Alberto Giambruno  
**Team:** Intertecno s.p.a., Studio Scibilia s.r.l.



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# OMAN PAVILLION - EXPO MILANO 2015

The Sultanate of Oman signed the participation contract of Expo Milano 2015, the next Universal Exposition, to be held in Milan, Italy, from May 1st to October 31st 2015, and which will focus on the theme "Feeding the planet, energy for life".

For this purpose, Oman has reserved a space of 2,790 m<sup>2</sup> and its pavilion will be built in a strategic position within the exhibition site, in front of one of the main entrances of the Expo venue. Now, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Sultanate of Oman invited specialized companies for competition to bid for the project of Designing, Constructing, Furnishing, Outfitting, Demolishing, Removing and Disposing the Materials of Sultanate of Oman Pavilion at Expo Milano 2015. The joint venture of companies and designers has been purposely assembled for tendering for the Oman Pavilion at Expo Milan 2015, with the aim of creating a unique offer in terms of skills, know how, knowledge and creativity. The lot dedicated to the Omani Pavilion is located in proximity to the secondary entrance which is easily reachable from the parking lot located on the east side of the Expo. The Omani Pavilion's location has many advantageous aspects: the lot has the good fortune not to have any neighbouring lots on both sides and is adjacent to an area with plenty of green trees.

## DESIGN DATA

### Private client

OMAN - MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

**Type** Pavilion Expo 2015 Milan

**Cost** \$ 11.000.000,00

**Location** Milano Italy

**Area** 2.790 m<sup>2</sup>

**Design level** Final Project

**Design period** 2013-2014

**Top 3 selected**

## TECHNICAL DATA

**International Team:** Sering International, Al Nhadha, Coveco, Italiana Costruzioni

**Design Team:** Squar-e Architettura + Francesco Librizzi studio

**Design supervision:** Francesca Arici

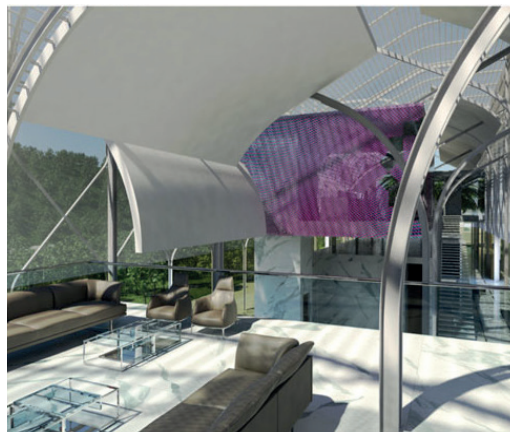
**Design director:** Francesco Librizzi

**Curator:** Luca Molinari

**Graphic design:** Andrea Puppa

**Local coordinator:** Francesca Mollica

**Team of experts:** Zahir Bin Khalid Al Sulaimani, Khair Tuwair Said Al Busadi, Saif Ali Salim Al-Khamisi, Saif Bin Khamis Al Rawahi, Prof. Robert Blake, Dr. Francesco Pinelli



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MILANO 2015



# LE VIE DELL'ACQUA: STRATEGIC MASTERPLAN OF THE CITY OF ABANO AND MOTEGROTTO TERME (PD)

The objective of this project is to elevate and differentiate the receptive offer and available services. Therefore, a new Architectural and Landscape system is prepared to appear as an innovative settlement system and reference for the individuated offer typology. The water is the territory characteristic element, it becomes the landscape key of the entire intervention. Its availability and specify quality are offered, to new Architectural scenarios which allows to renew and throw in the future, a unique territory of landscape and therapeutic quality. In this way, it is possible to make a series of high-quality hotels and new areas of growth. The project is composed of three interconnected fundamental phases and they can be developed in several stages

- Phase 1a: HdB + HdN integration in a single management structure;
- Phase 1b: Resorts realization;
- Phase 1c: Construction and development of several structures and landscapes;
- Phase 2: Renovation of Grand Hotel Orologio and nearby park;
- Phase 3: Renovation of Hotel Magnolia, Hotel Montecarlo, Hotel Caesar Terme for re-use.

## DESIGN DATA

**Location** Abano e Montegrotto Terme (PD) Italy  
**Type** Masterplan  
**Designing period** 2014  
**Tasks assigned and carried out**  
 Final project  
**Cost** € 188.555.413,11  
**Cost detail**  
 - **Grand Hotel Orologio**  
 € 38.401.110,00  
 - **Hotel Magnolia**  
 € 14.521.290,54  
 - **Hotel Caesar Terme**  
 € 11.292.821,33  
 - **Hotel De Bains**  
 € 11.614.667,77  
 - **Hotel Terme Montecarlo**  
 € 9.197.191,73  
 - **Grand Hotel Terme delle Nazioni** € 14.614.667,77  
 - **Resort Termale**  
 € 21.208.585,19  
 - **Residence termale**  
 € 67.711.078,78



## TECHNICAL DATA

Squar-e Architettura  
 (Francesco Briguglia, Giuseppae Di Prima Architetti) + Francesco Librizzi studio





# MOSAICOON S.P.A. HEADQUARTER

A 4,000 square meters seafront open space with swings, billiards, sofas and citrus trees; the best of tech companies of Silicon Valley would be envious of such an office set among the breath-taking sunset of one of the most beautiful gulfs of Sicily and signature of the best excellence of Italian design: Mosaicoon, the leading Sicilian Tech Company in video production and web distribution, opens its new Headquarters in Isola delle Femmine in Palermo.

The employees themselves decide whether to work in an open space or to create borders for individual teams thanks to smart panels which can open or close depending on one's needs.

With a feel at home environment, even the leisure areas are built to facilitate socializing, from 12 meter long tables in lunchroom to the swings for those down moments to relax and finally the sofas, strictly sea view in order to find inspiration in the horizon line that forms one of the company's founding beliefs.

The project also includes a future gym for employees and a nursery, considering that the company is 50% female, a company garden and a exhibition space for young Sicilian artists. All signs denoting a strong investment on corporate culture and Sicily in general, as a place to come back to do business and attract talent from around the world.

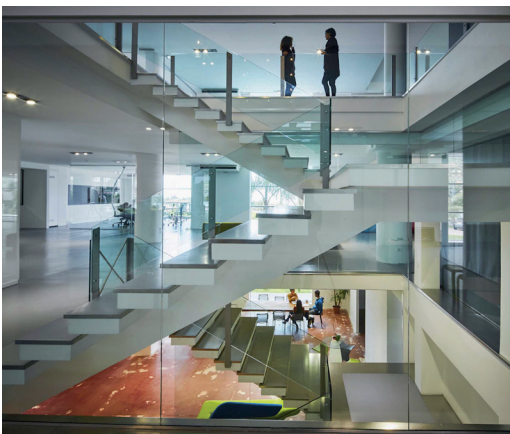
## DESIGN DATA

**Location** Isola delle Femmine (PA) Italy  
**Site area** 4.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Costruction period** 2015  
**Tasks assigned and carried out** interior design  
**Amount of work** € 817.595,68  
**Type** Office

## TECHNICAL DATA

Squar-e Architettura (Francesco Briguglia, Giuseppe Di Prima Architetti) + Francesco Librizzi studio

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# AMATO LUXURY LIVING: FURNITURE SHOWROOM

The company Amato Ceramiche s.r.l., needs to enlarge the current headquarters of the company and create a new image of the company itself. The project involves the demolition of the old building in favor of the creation of a new headquarters. With two floors above ground intended for showrooms, and a third consisting of a basement floor, the new volume includes a screening system, a green roof and panels of vertical gardens that allow to improve the indoor climate comfort and increase the permeability of the area covered by the building. The building consists of a glazed box, wrapped in an outer skin. This volumetric configuration allows a continuous view for almost all the interior spaces and the possibility of being able to enjoy an ideal brightness at all hours of the day, allowing you to expand the exhibition and work spaces to the green space in front, in a spatial continuum. The metallic cladding of façade, generates a changing and dynamic surface; and the use of micro-perforated steel sheet for the creation of external filters, makes the single external block more appealing, generating a camouflage skin with the use of monochrome and two-tone dark shades. The internal environment (strictly minimalist in order to emphasize the value of the product always at the center of attention), completely openspace, is interrupted only by a series of boxes, hosting the vertical connections, which seem to float inside the space. The austere, regular and continuous lines of the new building are contrasted, in perfect balance, to the dynamic lines, broken and fluid that draw the green in front.

## DESIGN DATA

**Private client** AMATO CERAMICHE s.r.l.

**Type of service** definitive planning for the purpose of obtaining the building permit.

**Floor 2** terrace 663 sqm

**Floor 1** 384 sqm showroom, 218 sqm home

**Floor 0** 603 square meters showroom

**Floor -1** spa 180 square meters, parking 422 square meters

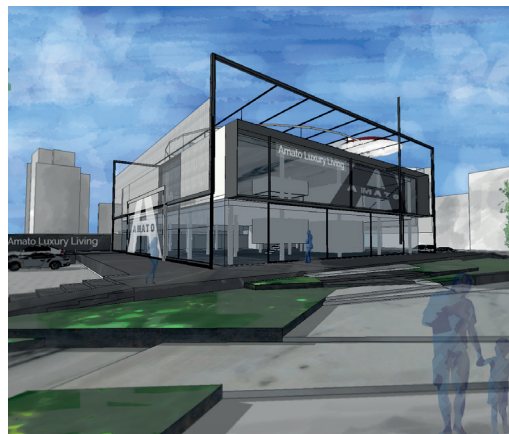
**Total amount** € 5.200.000,00

**Location:** Palermo

**Surface of the lot** 2,646 square meters

**Gross covered area** 1.380 square meters

**Design period** 2016



## TECHNICAL DATA

Squar-e Architettura  
(Francesco Briguglia, Giuseppe Di Prima Architetti), Laura D'Arcamo



# RISERVA DELLE ACQUE: EXPANSION, REDEVELOPMENT AND INTEGRATION PROJECT

For the Hotel Terme delle Nazioni's environmental redevelopment and landscape integration of the services are the main objectives of this enlargement project. The project offers a new residence area surrounded by gardens and spas and a unique perception of landscape Euganeo. Inside the "Water Reserve" a complex entertainment system for comfort is located, in particular:

- Covered and uncovered thermal pools;
- SPA area;
- pavilion dedicated to fitness with a pool and a connected restaurant dedicated to Colli Euganei's eno-gastronomic excellence. The thermal waters are the main attractions outside the buildings and the long bathing canal (about 350 m) spans throughout the territory. The canal leads through the thermal landscape, and like a large river route with its beaches, it acts as a guide for the guests to travel throughout the resort. The main buildings are three: club house with SPA area, fitness pavilion and restaurant.



## DESIGN DATA

**Location** Montegrotto Terme (PD) Italy  
**Site area** 24.000 m<sup>2</sup>  
**Project period** 2015-2016  
**Tasks assigned and carried out** Final project  
**Amount of work** € 3.436.900,00  
**Type** Spa, Bio-pool, club-house, fitness pavilion, thermal resort, thermal park

## TECHNICAL DATA

Squar-e Architettura  
(Francesco Briguglia, Giuseppe Di Prima Architetti), Laura D'Arcamo





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<b>E01</b>	Edifici rurali per l'attività agricola con corredi tecnici di tipo semplice (quali tettoie, depositi e ricoveri) - Edifici industriali o artigianali di importanza costruttiva corrente con corredi tecnici di base.	4.953.479,77 €	3.158.609,21 €	1.794.870,56 €	4.953.479,77
<b>E02</b>	Edifici rurali per l'attività agricola con corredi tecnici di tipo complesso - Edifici industriali o artigianali con organizzazione e corredi tecnici di tipo complesso	33.461.347,75 €	9.232.486,11 €	6.137.933,95 €	15.370.420,06
<b>E10</b>	Poliambulatori, Ospedali, Istituti di ricerca, Centri di riabilitazione, Poli scolastici, Università, Accademie, Istituti di ricerca universitaria	9.325.282,08 €	9.325.282,08 €	-	9.325.282,08
<b>E20</b>	Interventi di manutenzione straordinaria, ristrutturazione, riqualificazione, su edifici e manufatti esistenti	4.285.000,00 €	4.285.000,00 €	-	4.285.000,00
<b>S03</b>	Strutture o parti di strutture in cemento armato - Verifiche strutturali relative - Ponteggi, centinate e strutture provvisorie di durata superiore a due anni.	20.457.060,87 €	8.987.487,70 €	4.579.692,25 €	13.567.179,95
<b>S04</b>	Strutture o parti di strutture complesse in cemento armato.	3.825.526,50 €	3.013.985,50 €	811.541,00 €	3.825.526,50
<b>S06</b>	Opere strutturali di notevole importanza costruttiva e richiedenti calcolazioni particolari - Verifiche strutturali relative - Strutture con metodologie normative che richiedono modellazione particolare: edifici alti con necessità di valutazioni di secondo ordine.	1.129.640,00 €	724.640,00 €	405.000,00 €	1.129.640,00
<b>IA.01</b>	Impianti per l'approvvigionamento, la preparazione e la distribuzione di acqua nell'interno di edifici o per scopi industriali - Impianti sanitari - Impianti di fognatura domestica od industriale ed opere relative al trattamento delle acque di rifiuto - Reti di distribuzione di combustibili liquidi o gassosi - Impianti per la distribuzione dell'aria compressa del vuoto e di gas medicali - Impianti e reti antincendio	5.817.753,33 €	2.431.879,47 €	1.281.861,30 €	3.713.740,77
<b>IA.02</b>	Impianti di riscaldamento - Impianto di raffrescamento, climatizzazione, trattamento dell'aria - Impianti meccanici di distribuzione fluidi - Impianto solare termico	31.092.520,43 €	11.680.047,11 €	4.461.341,52 €	16.141.388,63
<b>IA.03</b>	Impianti elettrici in genere, impianti di illuminazione, telefonici, di rivelazione incendi, fotovoltaici, a corredo di edifici e costruzioni di importanza corrente - singole apparecchiature per laboratori e impianti pilota di tipo semplice	5.516.307,27 €	1.708.612,40 €	1.695.815,10 €	3.404.427,50
<b>IA.04</b>	Impianti elettrici in genere, impianti di illuminazione, telefonici, di sicurezza, di rivelazione incendi, fotovoltaici, a corredo di edifici e costruzioni complessi - cablaggi strutturati - impianti in fibra ottica - singole apparecchiature per laboratori e impianti pilota di tipo complesso	23.286.923,22 €	5.235.198,87 €	5.040.000,00 €	10.275.198,87
<b>IB.04</b>	Depositi e discariche senza trattamento dei rifiuti.	111.416.762,94 €	76.158.381,41 €	26.219.396,96 €	102.377.778,37
<b>IB.06</b>	Impianti della industria chimica inorganica - Impianti della preparazione e distillazione dei combustibili - Impianti siderurgici - Officine meccaniche e laboratori - Cantieri navali - Fabbriche di cemento, calce, laterizi, vetterie e ceramiche - Impianti per le industrie della fermentazione, chimico-alimentari e tintorie - Impianti termovalorizzatori e impianti di trattamento dei rifiuti - Impianti della industria chimica organica - Impianti della piccola industria chimica speciale - Impianti di metallurgia (esclusi quelli relativi al ferro) - Impianti per la preparazione ed il trattamento dei minerali per la sistemazione e coltivazione delle cave e miniere	146.507.487,25 €	38.489.449,41 €	32.801.345,32 €	71.290.794,73
<b>IB.07</b>	Gli impianti precedentemente esposti quando siano di complessità particolarmente rilevante o comportanti rischi e problematiche ambientali molto rilevanti	189.666.813,98 €	36.825.466,06 €	33.890.183,94 €	70.715.650,00
<b>IB.08</b>	Impianti di linee e reti per trasmissioni e distribuzione di energia elettrica, telegrafia, telefonia.	4.221.659,12 €	3.390.000,00 €	357.882,00 €	3.747.882,00
<b>IB.10</b>	Impianti termoelettrici - Impianti dell'elettrochimica - Impianti della elettrometallurgia - Laboratori con ridotte problematiche tecniche	6.183.885,91 €	1.665.196,00 €	1.632.763,12 €	3.297.959,12
<b>IB.11</b>	Campi fotovoltaici - Parchi eolici	1.000.368,00 €	1.000.368,00 €	0,00 €	0,00
<b>IB.12</b>	Micro Centrali idroelettriche - Impianti termoelettrici - Impianti della elettrometallurgia di tipo complesso	17.966.626,98 €	4.928.863,65 €	4.921.871,52 €	9.850.735,17
<b>V.02</b>	Strade, linee tramviarie, ferrovie, strade ferrate, di tipo ordinario, escluse le opere d'arte da compensarsi a parte - Piste ciclabili	7.568.507,07 €	1.585.000,00 €	1.470.008,50 €	3.055.008,50
<b>V.03</b>	Strade, linee tramviarie, ferrovie, strade ferrate, con particolari difficoltà di studio, escluse le opere d'arte e le stazioni, da compensarsi a parte - Impianti teleferici e funicolari - Piste aeroportuali e simili.	6.391.793,96 €	4.519.492,29 €	1.872.301,67 €	6.391.793,96
<b>D.02</b>	Bonifiche ed irrigazioni a deflusso naturale, sistemazione di corsi d'acqua e di bacini montani	2.470.067,71 €	1.282.306,04 €	1.187.761,67 €	2.470.067,71
<b>D.04</b>	Impianti per provvista, condotta, distribuzione d'acqua, improntate a grande semplicità - Fognature urbane improntate a grande semplicità - Condotte subacquee in genere, metanodotti e gasdotti, di tipo ordinario	14.577.069,45 €	8.577.825,51 €	1.705.129,00 €	10.282.954,51
<b>D.05</b>	Impianti per provvista, condotta, distribuzione d'acqua - Fognature urbane - Condotte subacquee in genere, metanodotti e gasdotti, con problemi tecnici di tipo speciale.	14.531.617,49 €	6.546.519,36 €	5.430.098,13 €	11.976.617,49
<b>P.01</b>	Opere relative alla sistemazione di ecosistemi naturali o naturalizzati, alle aree naturali protette ed alle aree a rilevanza faunistica. Opere relative al restauro paesaggistico di territori compromessi ed agli interventi su elementi strutturali del paesaggio. Opere di configurazione di assetto paesaggistico.	6.608.038,43 €	5.101.541,00 €	1.506.497,43 €	6.608.038,43
<b>P.03</b>	Opere di riqualificazione e risanamento di ambiti naturali, rurali e forestali o urbani finalizzati al ripristino delle condizioni originarie, al riassetto delle componenti biotiche ed abiotiche.	73.184.478,91 €	20.219.887,83 €	17.829.318,10 €	38.049.205,93
<b>T.02</b>	Reti locali e geografiche, cablaggi strutturati, impianti in fibra ottica, Impianti di videosorveglianza, controllo accessi, identificazione targhe di veicoli ecc Sistemi wireless, reti wifi, ponti radio.	939.785,00 €	564.285,00 €	375.500,00 €	939.785,00
<b>T.03</b>	Elettronica Industriale Sistemi a controllo numerico, Sistemi di automazione, Robotica	1.162.258,00 €	658.258,00 €	504.000,00 €	1.162.258,00
<b>TOTALI</b>		<b>747.548.061,43 €</b>	<b>271.296.068,01 €</b>	<b>157.912.112,04 €</b>	<b>428.207.812,05</b>



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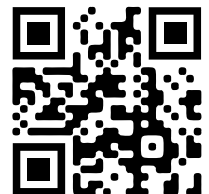
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