The case of eco-green city in Korea

- Combined Reuse System of Treated Sewage and Rainwater

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Background & objective

- Reorganizing the infrastructure and life style for low carbon
- Minimizing the environmental pollution, Creating a new job and leading green growth
- So suggest the urban planning model based on Eco-Cycle and the action plan
- Realize the **low-carbon society** by promoting the eco-friendly city

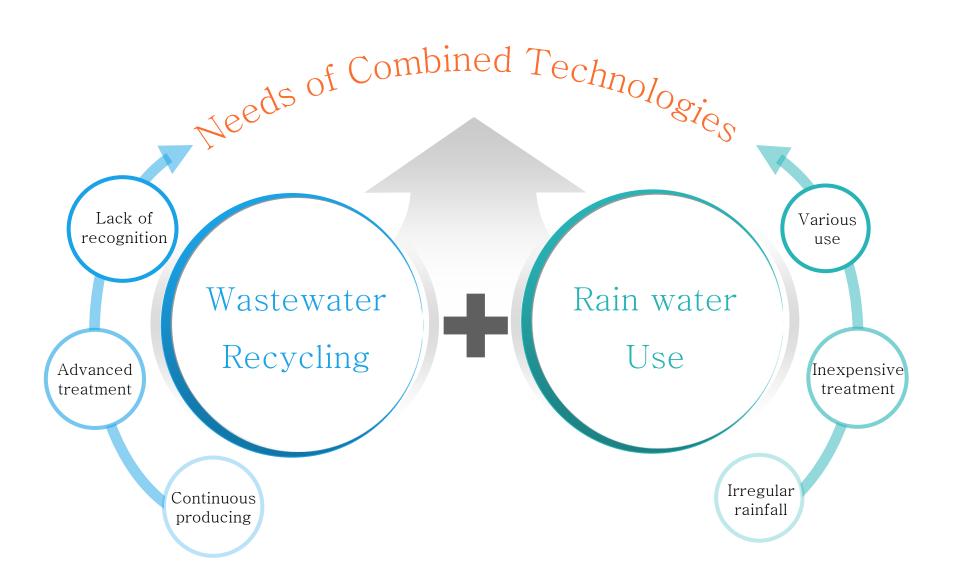
Outline of Gangneung Green city

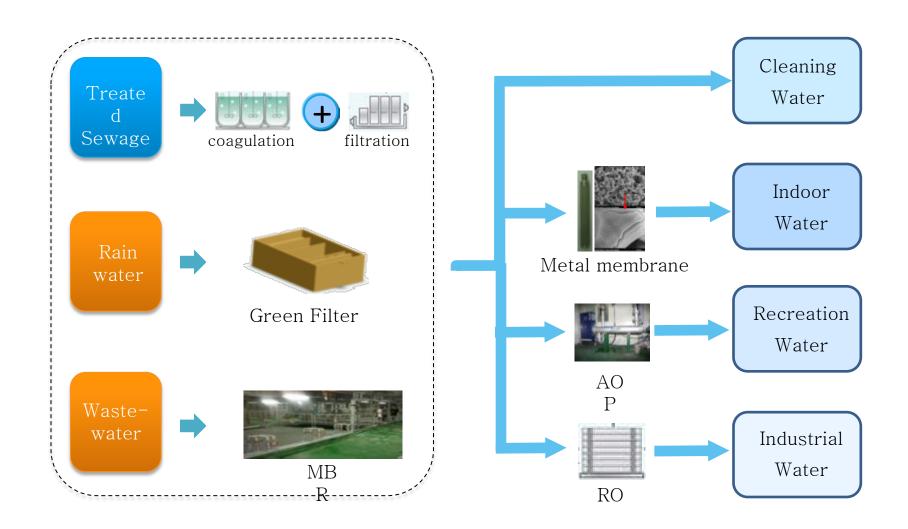
- Location : Gyoung-po area, Gangneung city
- Area: 18.3 km² (1.7% of Whole area)
- Asset: 1,000 billion won (\$870 million)
- Period: 2011~2020 (1st Stage: ~2012, 2nd Stage: ~2016, 3rd Stage: ~2020)

Progress Report

- Feb. 2009, The President suggest the trial green city in Kangwon regional development conference
- Jul. 2009, Designate the Kyong-po area for demonstration project for green-city
- Jan. 2010, An announcement of ascertain the developing model and fundamental conception
- Dec. 2010, finish of master planning project for green-city
 - ✓ Area: 18.3km² / estimated population: 23,000ppl
- ~2012, Progress leading business of developing model







Smart Water Management System



Integrated smart water management system



Generation of sewage and rain water

- Management of WWTP
- Collection of Rainwater

Management of nonpoint sources

- Rain water pre-treatment
- Penetration and storage

Treatment for reuse

- Operating treatment facility
- Product treated water for use

Water supply

 Stable and efficient water supply by smart operation system

Objectives of Research

- Customization of combined reuse process of treated sewage and rain water
- Development of smart management system for stable and efficient supply of treated water
- Verification of performance and economics of combined reuse system in Demo-Plant (100m³/day)
- Connection to the Gangneung low carbon green model city project as a reference case



2.2. Smart Reuse System



2.3. Specialized Core Technologies

Metal membarane

Stainless Steel Membrane

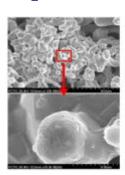


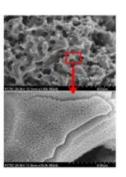


- Thermal resistance (~990°C), Chemical Resistance (acid / Alkali)
- Semi-permanent use and intermittent operation

TiO₂ Steel Membrane



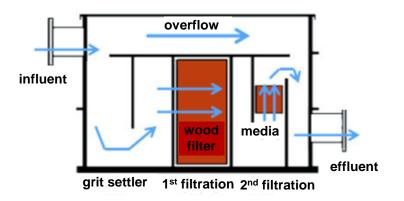




- unnecessariness of photocatalytic separation process
- maximizing area of adsorption of pollutants

Initial rainwater treatment facilities

Green Filter





- sediment and filtration in a tank
- non-pumping and convenient installation and management

Rainwater from Road Surface

- reduction of non-point source and expansion of collecting surface
- functional media layer for heavy metals and nutrients

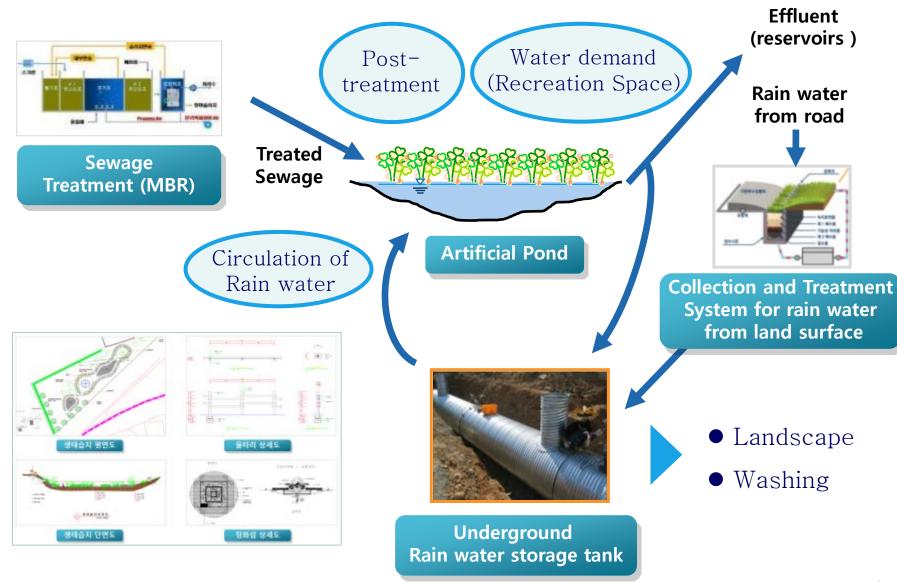
Ecological restoration & purification





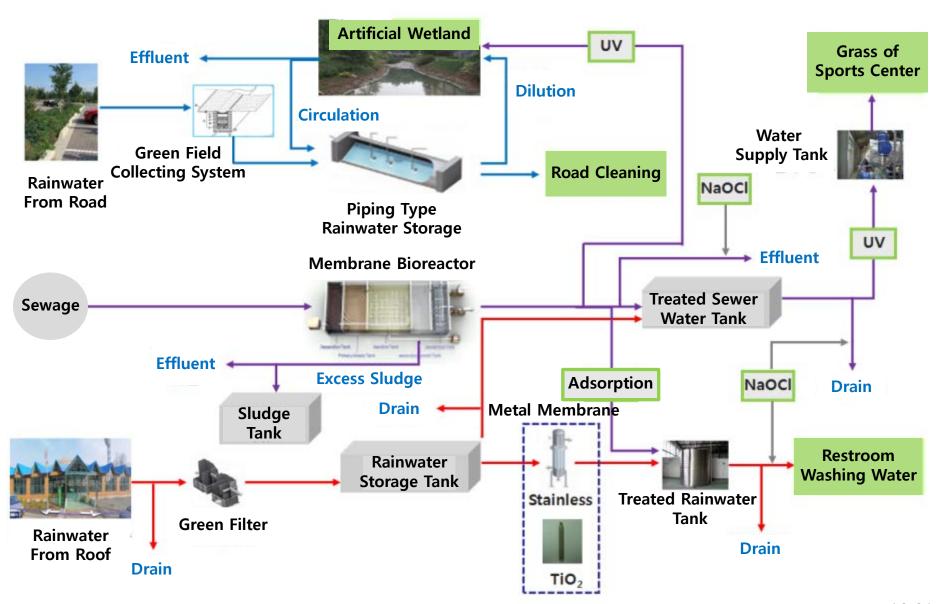
- aquatic plant island
- Purification by aquatic plants
- Acceleration of circulation
- Algae removal by fine ionized burble

3.1. Plan and Design of plant



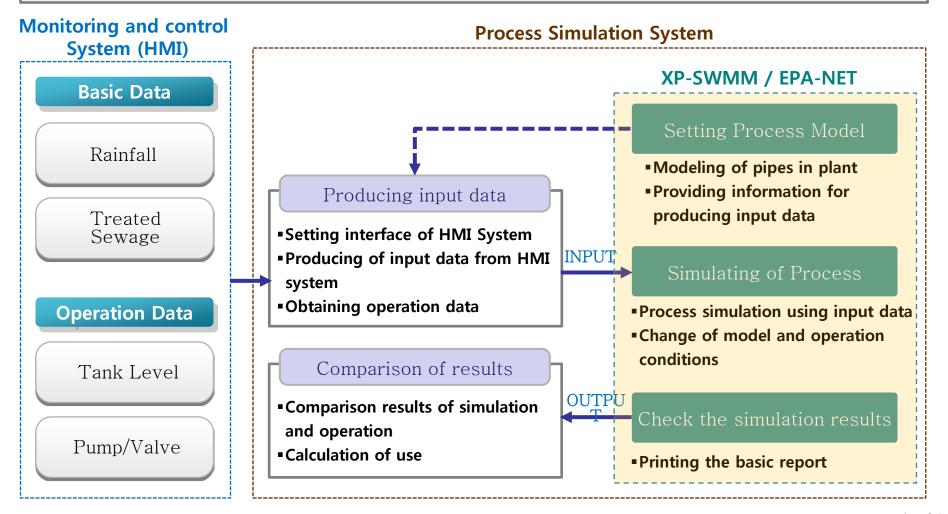


3.1. Plan and Design of plant



3.3. Smart Reuse System

- Application of XP-SWMM & EPA-NET for process simulation
- Prediction of water demand and supply → assist of water management





Plan of test in demo-plant

1 Amount of treated water supply and quality of supply water

- 2 Assessment of economical Value of the plant
 - operation cost, benefit from replacement of tap water

- 3 Verification of smart reuse system
 - Operation mode system through a rainfall forecast
 - Process simulation program

Expansion of Commercialization

