



# **In-Situ Remediation of Estero de Paco by the Application of Local Organo Minerals**

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# **OUTLINE**

## **I. Introduction**

## **II. Methodology**

## **III. Results and Findings**







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# Robust Industrial/Commercial Activities



**Application of local  
Organo Minerals as  
a viable  
bioremediation  
technique ...  
Leads to an  
economic  
remediation of  
estuaries, lakes  
and river**





# OBJECTIVES

- 1. Determine the physical and chemical properties of estero water before and after remediation in terms of : TSS, Temperature, Odor, pH, DO. BOD, and COD;**
- 2. Evaluate the effect of the concentration, treatment time, and application method on the physical and chemical properties of water;**



## Specific Objectives

- 3. Identify three critical remediation points where the application of organo minerals will have significant contribution to the overall water quality improvement;**
- 4. Determine the effective concentration and application method during wet and dry seasons, and at critical organic load condition;**





## Specific Objectives

- 5. Compare the effect of the application of the organo minerals with other commercially available remediation enzymes.**

## **II. METHODOLOGY**

### **A. Water Sampling**

- **6 Sampling Sites**
- **Aggregate Sample from three sampling points,  
1.5-2.0 m apart**
- **Samples collected at 1.0 ft  
below surface**





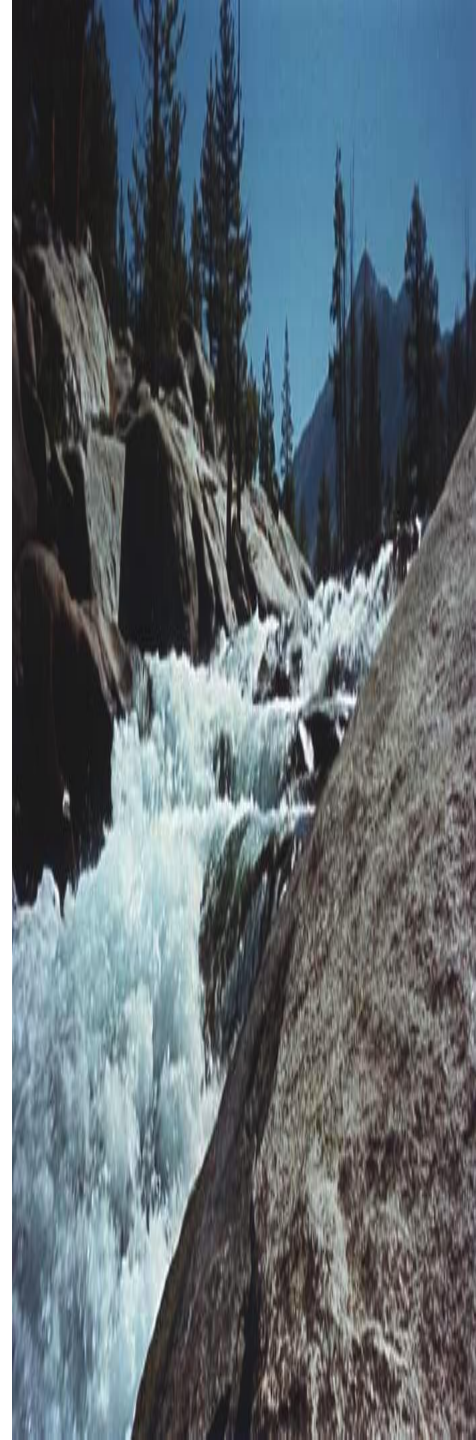
- **Organo Minerals**  
**Application at 0.5 - 1.5 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**
- **Sequential powder dispersion & tea bag methods**
- **Floatation system used to make tea bags remain at 1.0 ft below water surface, stationary at specific points**



# **Water Characteristics**

**Physical & Chemical  
Properties :**

**Standard Methods for the  
Examination of Water and  
Wastewater, APHA, AWWA,  
WEF 21<sup>st</sup> Edition.**



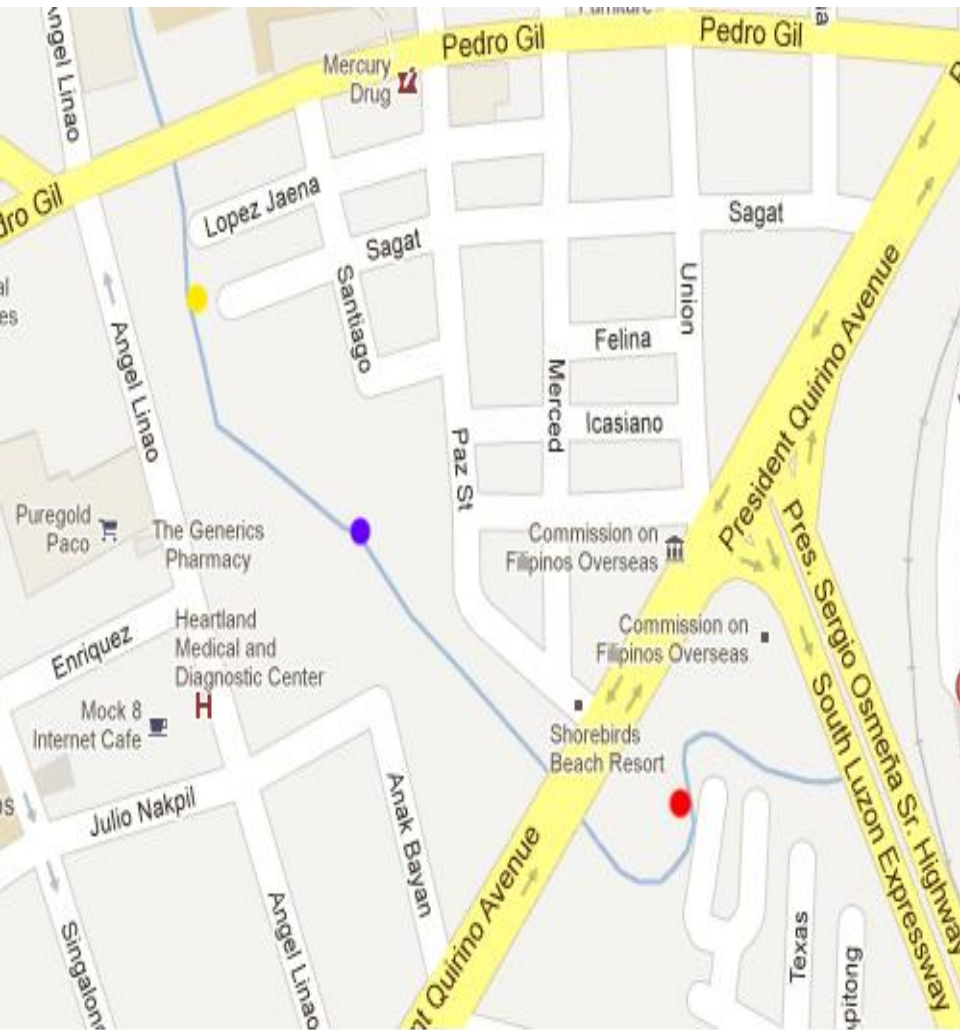




# **III. RESULTS & FINDINGS**



# LOCATION OF SAMPLING SITES 1, 2, & 3:



Map View



Satelite View

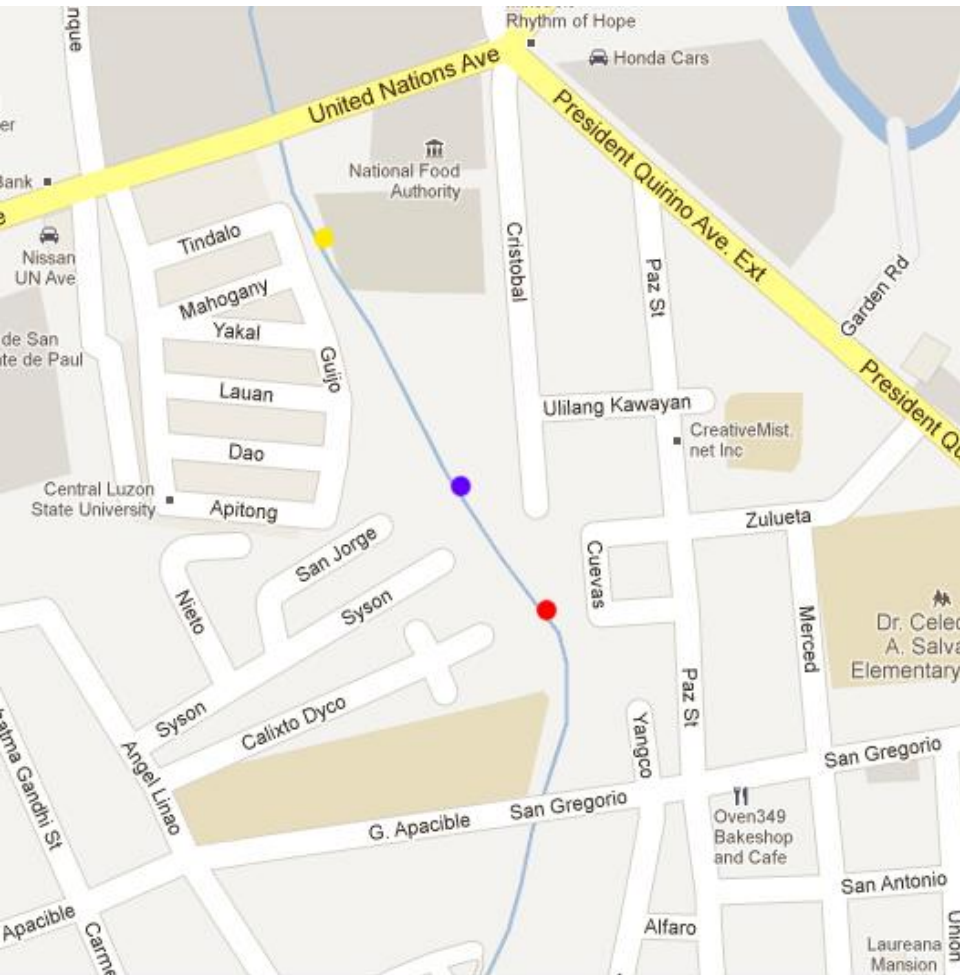
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● **Site 2** Latitude - 14.57681  
Longitude - 120.99477

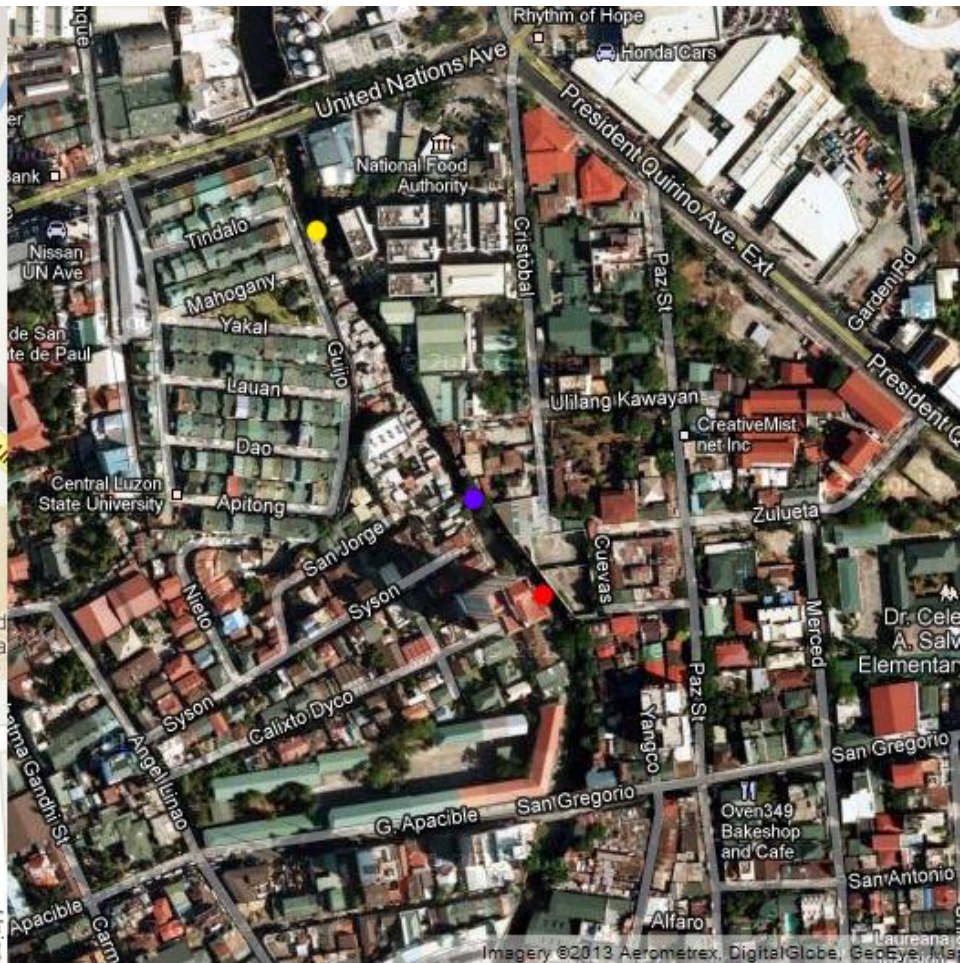
● **Site 3** Latitude - 14.57775  
Longitude - 120.99387



# LOCATION OF SAMPLING SITES 4, 5, & 6



Map View



Satellite View

**Site 4** Latitude - 14.58211  
Longitude - 120.99421

**Site 5** Latitude - 14.58291  
Longitude - 120.99361

**Site 6** Latitude - 14.58445  
Longitude - 120.99272



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Project

Sampling Site 6







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Project  
Sampling Site 1





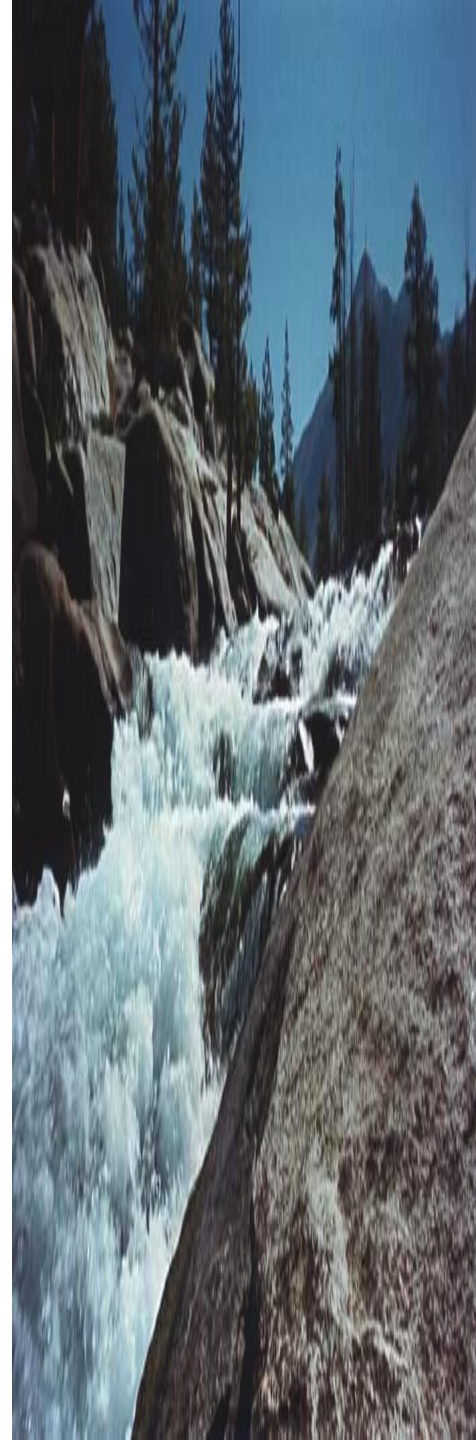
**Water Sampling**



# Characterization of Estero Water Before Remediation

## pH Value

<b>SITE</b>	<b>Dry Season</b>	<b>Wet Season</b>
<b>S1</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>7.0</b>
<b>S2</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>6.9</b>
<b>S3</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>7.0</b>
<b>S4</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>6.9</b>
<b>S5</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>7.0</b>
<b>S6</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>6.8</b>



# Total Suspended Solids (mg/L)

	<u>DRY SEASON</u>			<u>WET SEASON</u>		
<b>SITE</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>AVE.</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>AVE.</b>
<b>S1</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>41</b>
<b>S2</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>74</b>
<b>S3</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>77</b>
<b>S4</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>58</b>
<b>S5</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>76</b>
<b>S6</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>45</b>



# Dissolved Oxygen (mg/L)

	<u>DRY SEASON</u>			<u>WET SEASON</u>		
<b>SITE</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>AVE.</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>AVE.</b>
<b>S1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>0.4</b>
<b>S2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>0.6</b>
<b>S3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>0.4</b>
<b>S4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>0.5</b>
<b>S5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>0.8</b>
<b>S6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>0.6</b>

# Biochemical Oxygen Demand (mg/L)

	<u>DRY SEASON</u>			<u>WET SEASON</u>		
<b>SITE</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>AVE.</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>AVE.</b>
<b>S1</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>104</b>
<b>S2</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>142</b>
<b>S3</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>109</b>
<b>S4</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>123</b>
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<b>S6</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>107</b>



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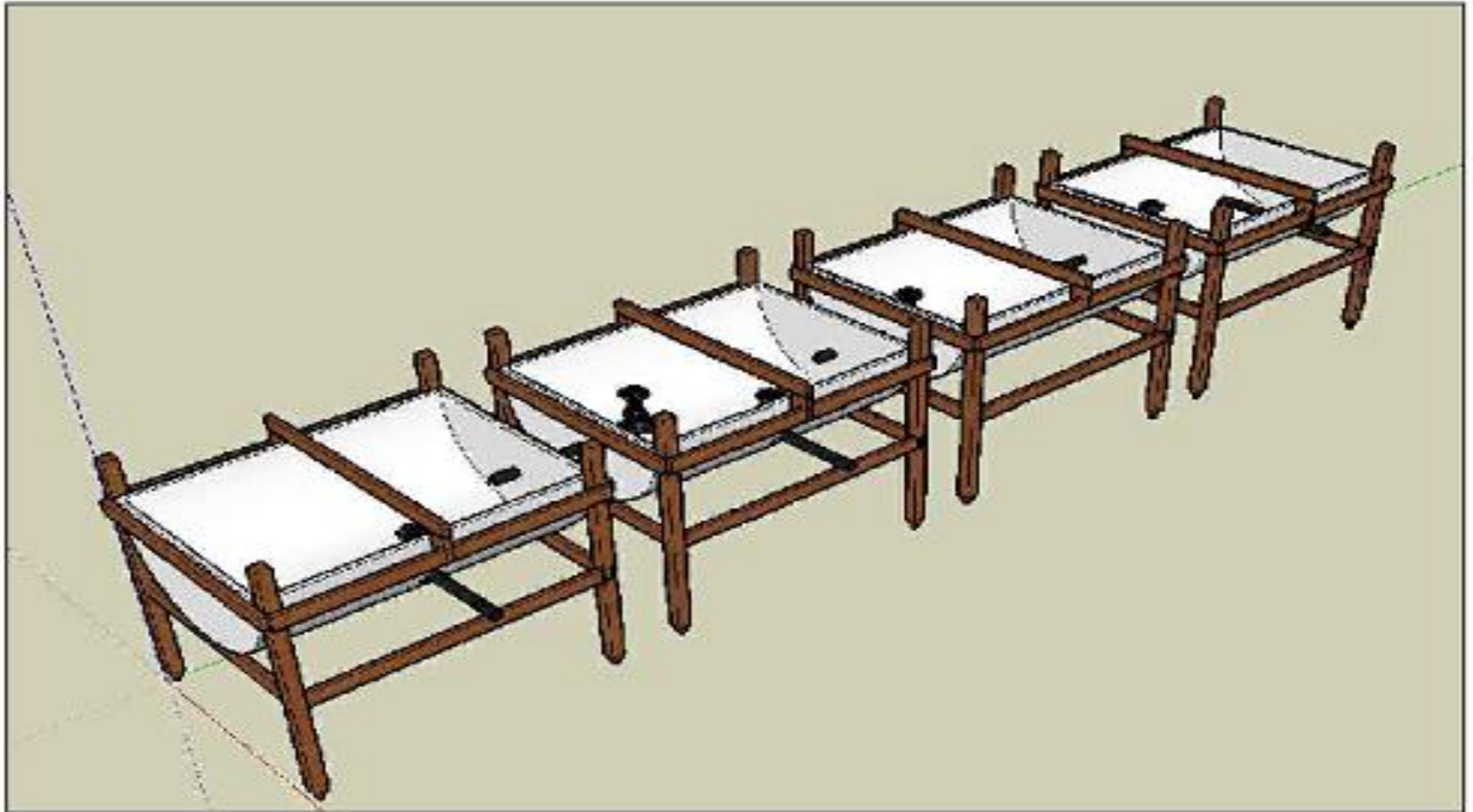
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<b>S2</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>398</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>211</b>
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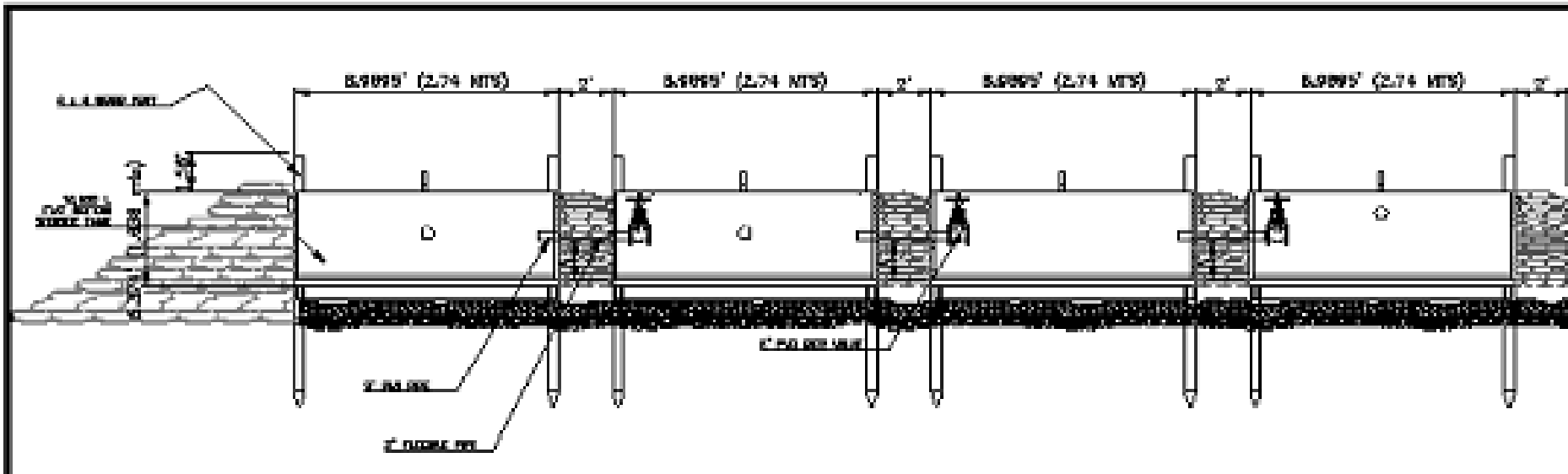
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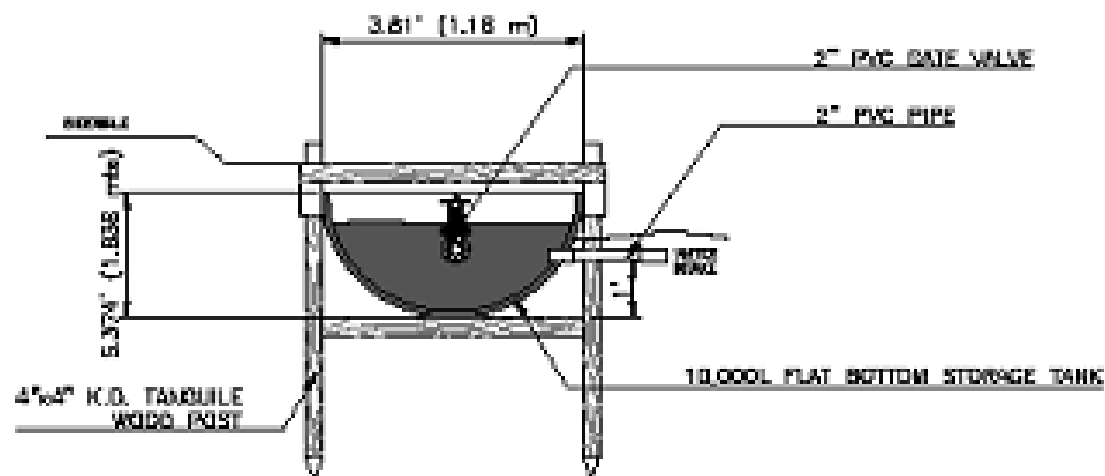
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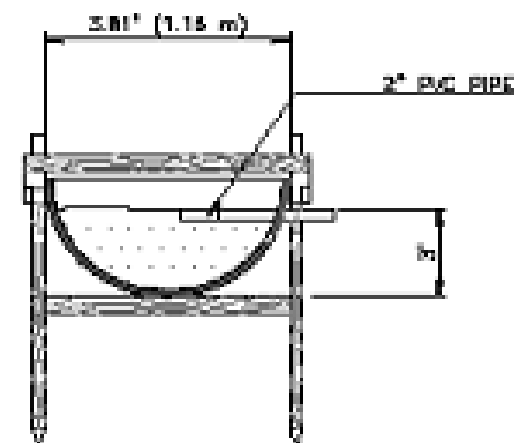
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**SECTION - A**  
SCALE: 1/4" = 1' - 0"



**SECTION - B**  
SCALE: 1/4" = 1' - 0"



**SECTION - C**  
SCALE: 1/4" = 1' - 0"













# Remediation in Chambers

- **pH Value**

	D0	D2	D4	% Change	Conc.
• Mean	7.3	8.2	8.4	15.2	@ 1.5 g/L
• Mean	7.1	7.2	7.6	6.7	@ 1.0 g/L
• Mean	7.7	7.8	8.9	15.6	@ 0.5 g/L
• 1.0 g/L posted lowest	Change in pH value				



# Remediation in Chambers

- Total Suspended Solids**

	D0	D2	D4	% Change	Conc.
• Mean	48.5	41.75	37.75	-22.2	@ 1.5 g/L
• Mean	24.5	29	12	-51.0	@ 1.0 g/L
• Mean	88	49.8	34.8	-60.5	@ 0.5 g/L
• 0.5 g/L	posted highest reduction in TSS				

# Remediation in Chambers

- Dissolved Oxygen**

	D0	D2	D4	% Change	Conc.
• Mean	2.1	2.8	3.4	63.4	@ 1.5 g/L
• Mean	1.9	2.9	4.2	117.4	@ 1.0 g/L
• Mean	1.4	0.9	5.7	268.3	@ 0.5 g/L

- 0.5 g/L posted significant DO Increase**



# Remediation in Chambers

- Volatile Organic Compounds**

	D0	D2	D4	% Change	Conc.
• Mean	0.13	0.06	0.06	-53.7	@ 1.5 g/L
• Mean	2.33	0.12	0.16	-93.1	@ 1.0 g/L
• Mean	0.203	0.13	----	-34.6	@ 0.5 g/L

- 1.0 g/L posted significant VOC Reduction**

# Remediation in Chambers

- Biochemical Oxygen Demand**

	D0	D2	D4	% Change	Conc.
• Mean	212.5	63.75	36.5	-82.8	@ 1.5 g/L
• Mean	78.3	47.0	26.5	-66.1	@ 1.0 g/L
• Mean	62	56.3	26.5	-57.3	@ 0.5 g/L
• 1.5 g/L	posted significant BOD <sub>5</sub> Reduction				

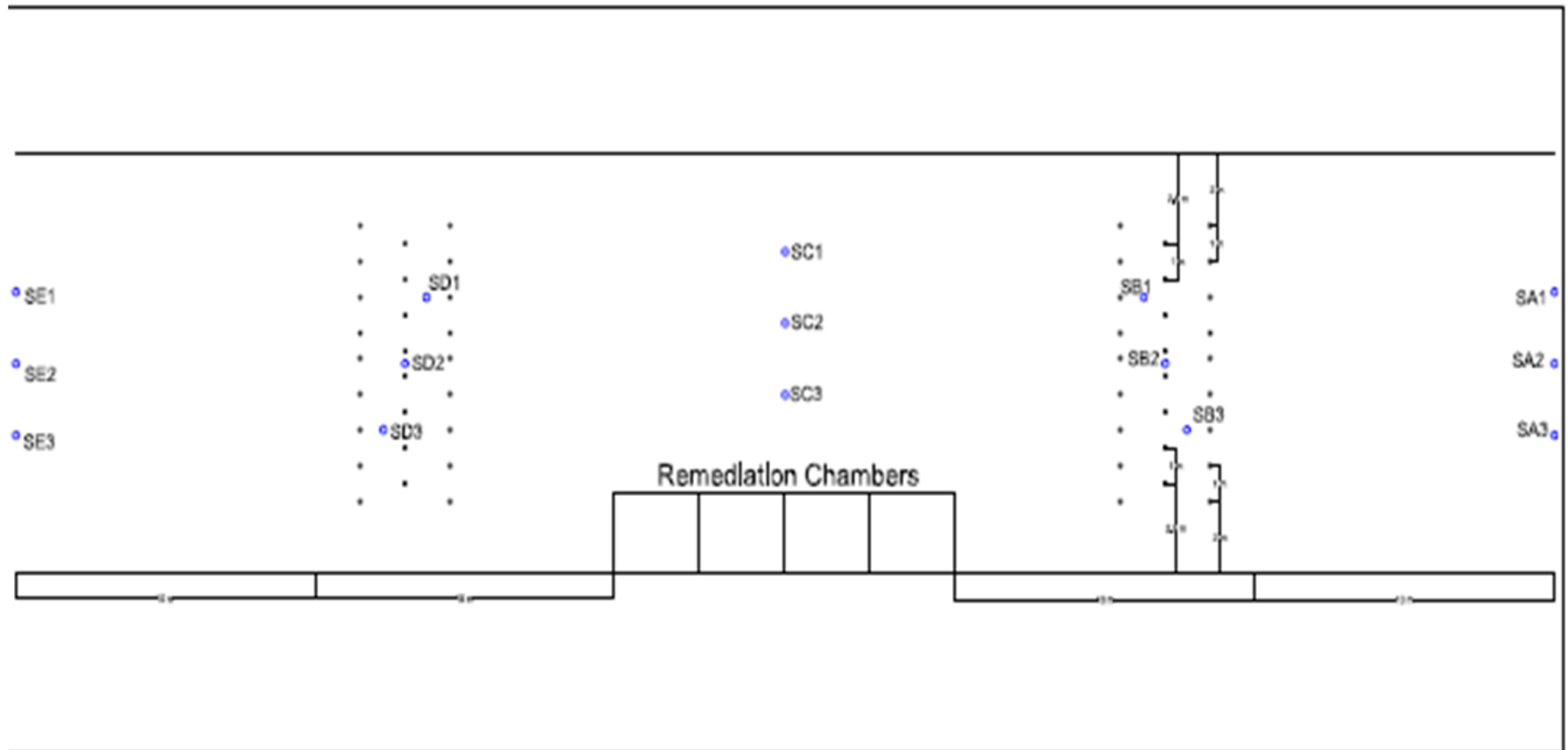


# Remediation in Chambers

- Chemical Oxygen Demand**

	D0	D2	D4	% Change	Conc.
• Mean	230	152	92.8	-59.7	@ 1.5 g/L
• Mean	75.8	66.5	39.8	-47.5	@ 1.0 g/L
• Mean	189	154.8	106.0	-43.9	@ 0.5 g/L
• 1.5 g/L	posted significant COD Reduction				

# SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR CONTROLLED REMEDIATION AREA







**NET Installation @ Remediation  
Controlled Area**



# TEA BAG PLACED IN COOPS





# IN SITU REMEDIATION

BOD	Day 0	Day 7	Day 14	% Change
A	297	123	108	-63.6
B	419	150	114	-72.8

COD	Day 0	Day 7	Day 14	% Change
A	362	195	195	-46.1
B	617	214	195	-68.4

# IN SITU REMEDIATION

TSS	Day 0	Day 7	Day 14	% Change
A	198	68	58	-70.7
B	277	64	76	-72.6

VOC	Day 0	Day 7	Day 14	% Change
A	0.47	0.335	0.065	-86.2
B	0.385	0.1825	0.115	-70.1





**Remediation Area After D4**

# ORGANO VS. COMMERCIAL ENZYME

BOD	Day 0	Day 10	Day 14	% Change
Organo	191	26	36	-81.2
Enzyme	191	210	625	227.2

COD	Day 0	Day 10	Day 14	% Change
Organo	219	39	50	-77.2
Enzyme	219	388	1590	626.0



# ORGANO VS. COMMERCIAL ENZYME

TSS	Day 0	Day 10	Day 14	% Change
Organo	52	4	11	-78.8
Enzyme	52	100	400	669.2

VOC	Day 0	Day 10	Day 14	% Change
Organo	1.65	0.31	1.005	-39.1
Enzyme	1.65	1.415	2.32	40.6

# ORGANO VS. COMMERCIAL ENZYME

DO	Day 0	Day 10	Day 14
Organo	0	4.8	5
Enzyme	0	0	0





W Water Sample: Organo



W Water with Enzyme : DO



EnzymeTreated:D10



Enzyme Treated: D14





Organo Treated Water: D10



Organo Treated Water: D14



# CONCLUSION

## CHAMBER REMEDIATION

**1. TSS Reduction:**

**22- 60% (5 g/L)**

**2. Odor/VOC Reduction:**

**35 -93% (1.0 g/L)**

**3. DO Increase:**

**1.4 – 5.7 mg/L (1.0 g/L)**





# CONCLUSION

## CHAMBER REMEDIATION

**1. BOD Reduction :**

**57 - 83% (1.5 g/L)**

**2. COD Reduction:**

**44 - 60% (1.5 g/L)**

# IN SITU REMEDIATION : @1.0 g/L ( D14)

**1. TSS Reduction:**  
**71- 73%**

**2. Odor/VOC Reduction:**  
**70 - 86%**

**3. DO Increase:**  
**0 – 5 mg/L**





# IN SITU REMEDIATION : @1.0 g/L ( D14)

**1. BOD Reduction :**  
**64 - 73%**

**2. COD Reduction:**  
**46 - 68%**



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