



How Women Benefit from Sustainable Technologies for Water, Sanitation and Energy

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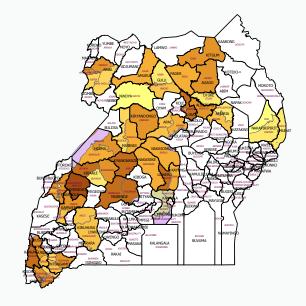
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- WECF and ARUWE Introduction
- Sustainable Technologies for Water, Sanitation and Energy
- Project Example
- SDG implementation in Uganda

ARUWE is a Ugandan non-governmental not-for-profit organisation

- ARUWE was set up to eliminate discriminative practices that inhibit women's potential in the social, economic and civic sectors
- ARUWE implements in Wakiso, Mpigi, Sembabule, Kiboga and , Kyankwanzi districts



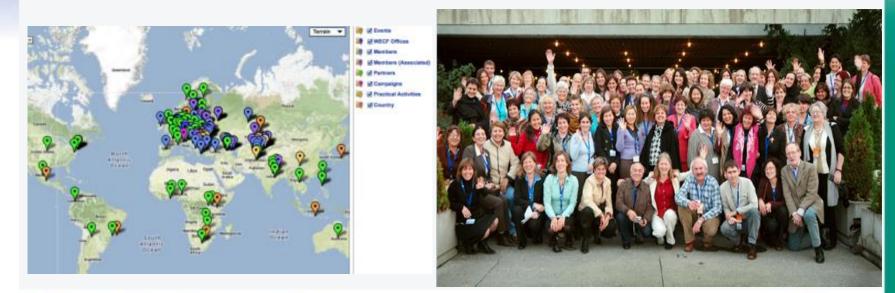






WECF an international non-governmental not-for-profit organisation

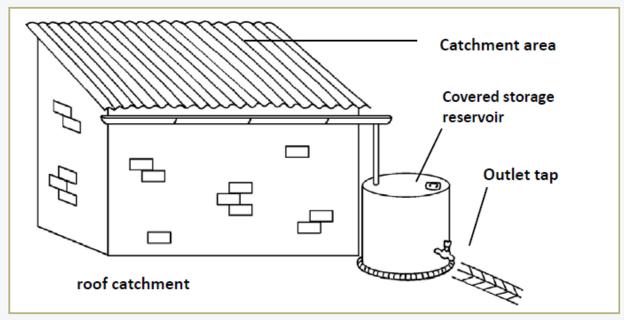
- International Network: 150 Member organisations in more than 52 countries
- 5 Offices: France, the Netherlands, Germany, Georgia, Switzerland
- UN Womens Major Group, ecosoc status, UNEP partner
- Member/Partner of German WASH Network, SuSanA, GW2I



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Sustainable Water Supply Rainwater Harvesting

- Tanks made of bamboo
- 6 000 liter volume



http://www.climatetechwiki.org/content/rainwater-harvesting

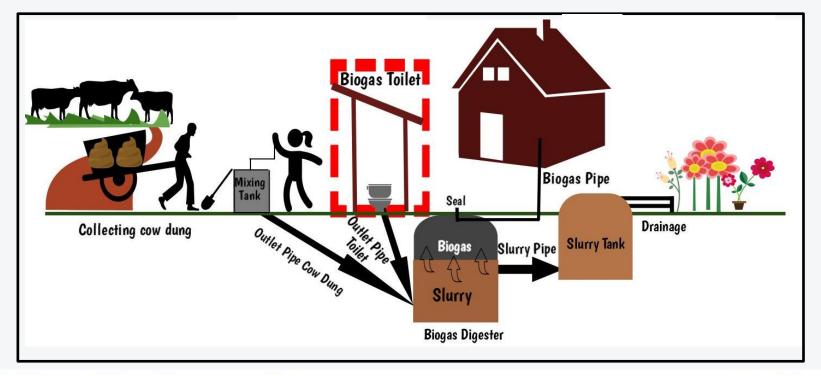






Sustainable Energy Supply Biogas Plant

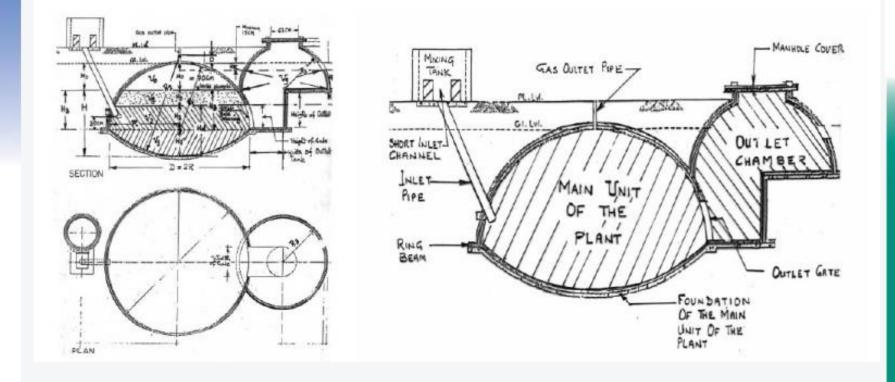
- Fed with cow dung and optional human excreta
- 3 000 liter volume







Scheme of the Grameen Bandhu Biogas Plant



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Workshop in India in 2013 South-South-Knowledge Transfer

Partner NGOs from Kyrgyzstan, Georgia and Uganda were invited to the workshop in India to learn the sustainable technologies







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Bamboo for construction of the biogas digester





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Feeding the biogas plant





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- Cow dung of at least 2 cows per day
- Connecting a pour flush toilet possible







Using the Biogas



Biogas stove



Biogas lamp

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Biogas Manual



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Rainwater Harvesting Tanks











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Running Project in Rural Uganda

In Subcounty Mulagi with around 500 inhabitants and two women groups (Kyankwanzi province)





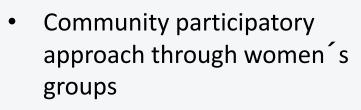
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Running Project in Rural Uganda





- Awareness raising and capacity building
- Implementing biogas plants and rainwater harvesting tanks
- Access to financing



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First Results

- Addressing the water, sanitation, energy and agriculture nexus
- Improved living conditions
- Women need less time to fetch water or fire wood
- Women can earn money with bamboo basket weaving
- Girls (and boys) can go to school more regularly
- Cooking with biogas is healthier esp for women









SDG implementation in Uganda

- Community Based Approach
- Rainwater Harvesting and Biogas Digester



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Community Voices

I now spend now only a few minutes to cook tea and food. I have more time to market my produce, to be in my shop and for sowing.

Namatovu Nuru is 40 years of age living in ssekamalya village, kiwaguzi parish Mulagi Sub County. She is married taking care of 9 children and her grandmother, her source of income is agriculture especially bananas, beans, maize, onions and pineapple. Before intervention cooking with firewood was hard especially in the rainy season as it was hard to cook with wet wood. During the project implementation process the rains hindered the smooth construction; the other challenge was collection of dung because it was mixed with soils with cattle kraal activity.

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Community Voices

I used to walk long distances in search of water. However, the water was dirty and I had severe back pain. I am so happy with the water tank.

Muzizima Benadeta aged 59 years, female of Kiyuunni LC1, Mulagi Parish, Mulagi Sub-County, she is a widow and illiterate.







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