



# Methane to Markets Partnership Expo 2007

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Case studies from operational and planned landfill gas projects in M2M partner countries





# CDM Projekt Landfill Zámბiza, Quito

Ecuador



## CDM Landfill Project Zámbez, Quito (Ecuador)

G.A.S. developed this CDM project in cooperation with its local partner Alquimiatec

- Domestic Landfill in Quito
- Operation: 1979 - 2002
- Municipal operator from 1993
- approx. 5 Mill. t of waste
- approx. 330.000 t per year
- Extension approx. 20 ha
- Depth of waste > 25 m
- No gas collection
- No aftercare



## Project Identification



- No gas collection
- No leachate control
- No landfill aftercare





# Gas Pumping Trial

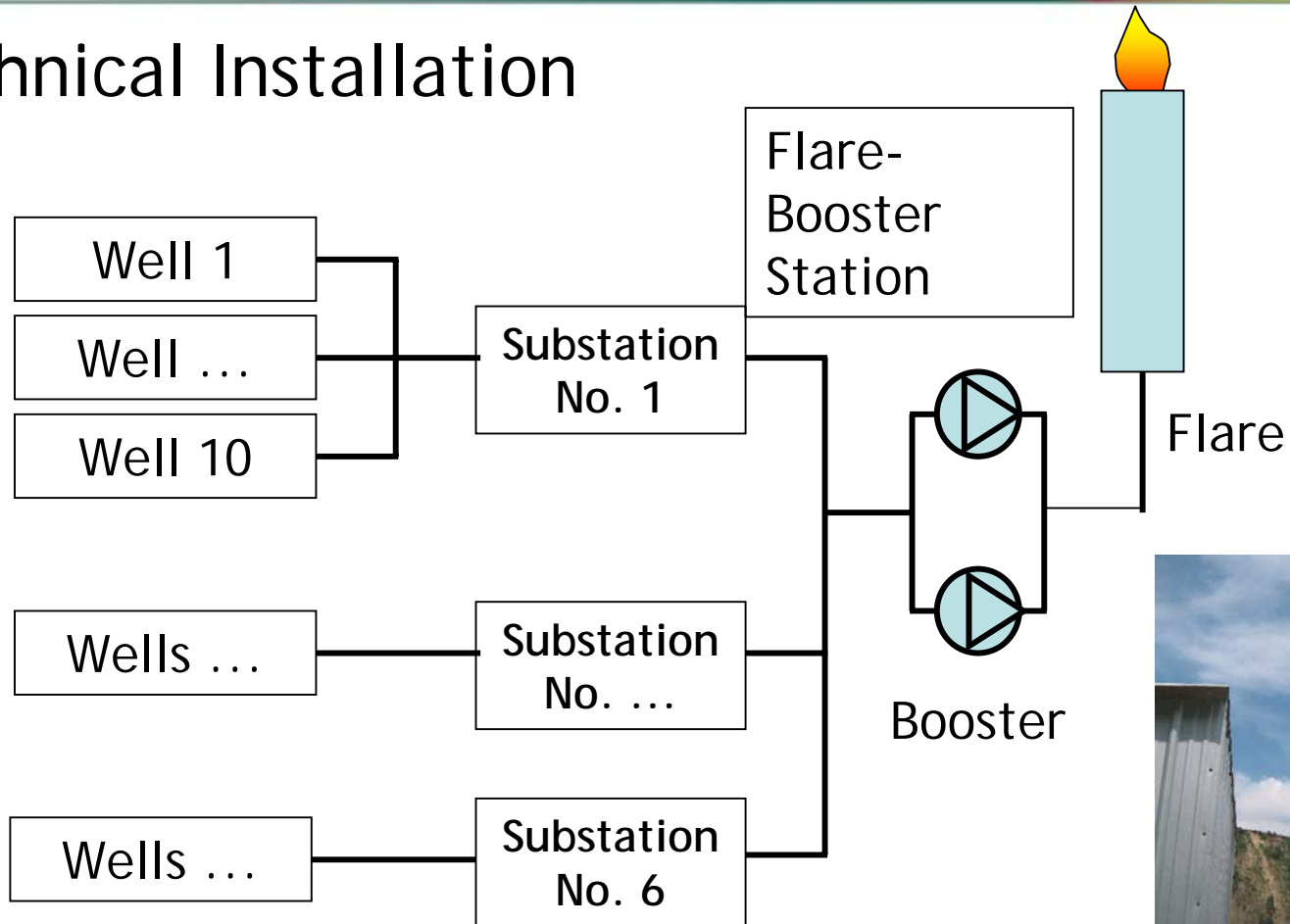


Drilling

# Pumping Trial / Installation of the gas collection system



# Technical Installation





# Description of the Project and the Implementation

Place	Quito, Ecuador	
Basic Data	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More than 5 mill. t domestic waste</li> <li>• GHG emissions: approx. 13.000 t CH<sub>4</sub>/year (corresponding to 273.000 t CO<sub>2</sub>e in 2005)</li> </ul>	
Actual State of Project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gas capture and flare</li> <li>• Potential power generation in a second step</li> </ul>	
Approaches / Data of GHG reduction-potentials	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. CH<sub>4</sub>-reduction</li> <li>2. Co-generation heat (renewable)</li> <li>3. Co-generation energy (renewable)</li> </ol>	<p>860.000</p> <p>0</p> <p>35.000</p> <p><b>Total GHG reductions</b>                      <b>895.000 t CO<sub>2</sub>e</b></p>







# CDM Project Landfill in Santiago

Chile



# CDM Landfill Project in Santiago (Chile)

O & M Consultant Agreement between Green Gas and project owner

- Domestic Landfill in Santiago de Chile
- Operation: 1979 - 2002
- Private operator
- approx. 9,8 Mill. t of waste
- approx. 430.000 t per year
- Extension approx. 24 ha
- Depth of waste > 40 m
- Gas collection system and flare system installed in 2006

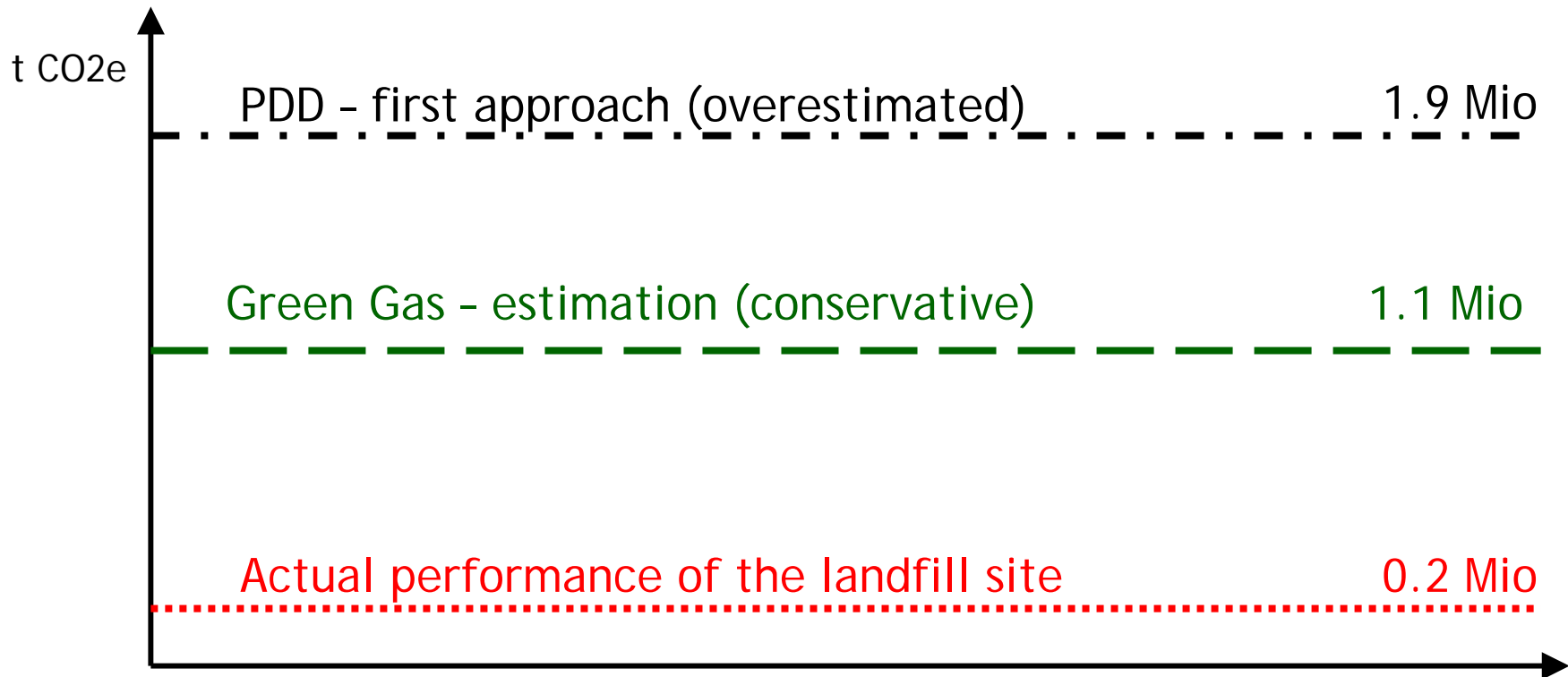


## Description of the Project December 2006

Place	Santiago, Chile
Actual State of Project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gas capture and flare</li> <li>• Potential power generation in a second step</li> </ul>
Technical Datas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gas installation: 74 wells (active)</li> <li>• Volume flow: 2.000 m<sup>3</sup>/h</li> <li>• Methane concentration: ~35 Vol.%</li> <li>• Operation- hours: 4 h/day</li> </ul>
Approaches / Data of GHG reduction-potentials	<p>Total GHG reductions 2006 - 2012                      - 185.000 t CO<sub>2</sub>e</p>



## Objectives - Overview baselines



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- Transform the landfill site in one of the most modern and rentable landfill sites through:
  - Finding solutions for the mentioned problems
  - Optimizing equipment installed and operation
  - Training staff

## Green Gas Activities as an O & M Consultant

Phase 1: **Analysis of given situation**

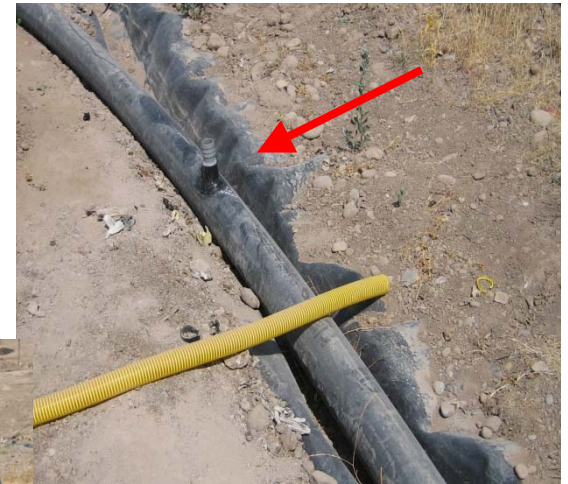
(Dec 2006 - May 2007)

Phase 2: **Enhancing the output of the landfill gas utilisation system**

(Jun 2007 - Sep 2008)

Phase 3: **Monitoring services, quality supervising of the workforce on site**

# Detected Problems - Design of gas collection system





# Detected Problems - Air intake



# Detected Problems - Dewatering



## Detected problems - Flare and booster station

- The minimum flow of the flare too high (appr. 2000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h).
- Methane analysing system
- No oxygen analyser
- Flow regulation
- CH<sub>4</sub>-based suction



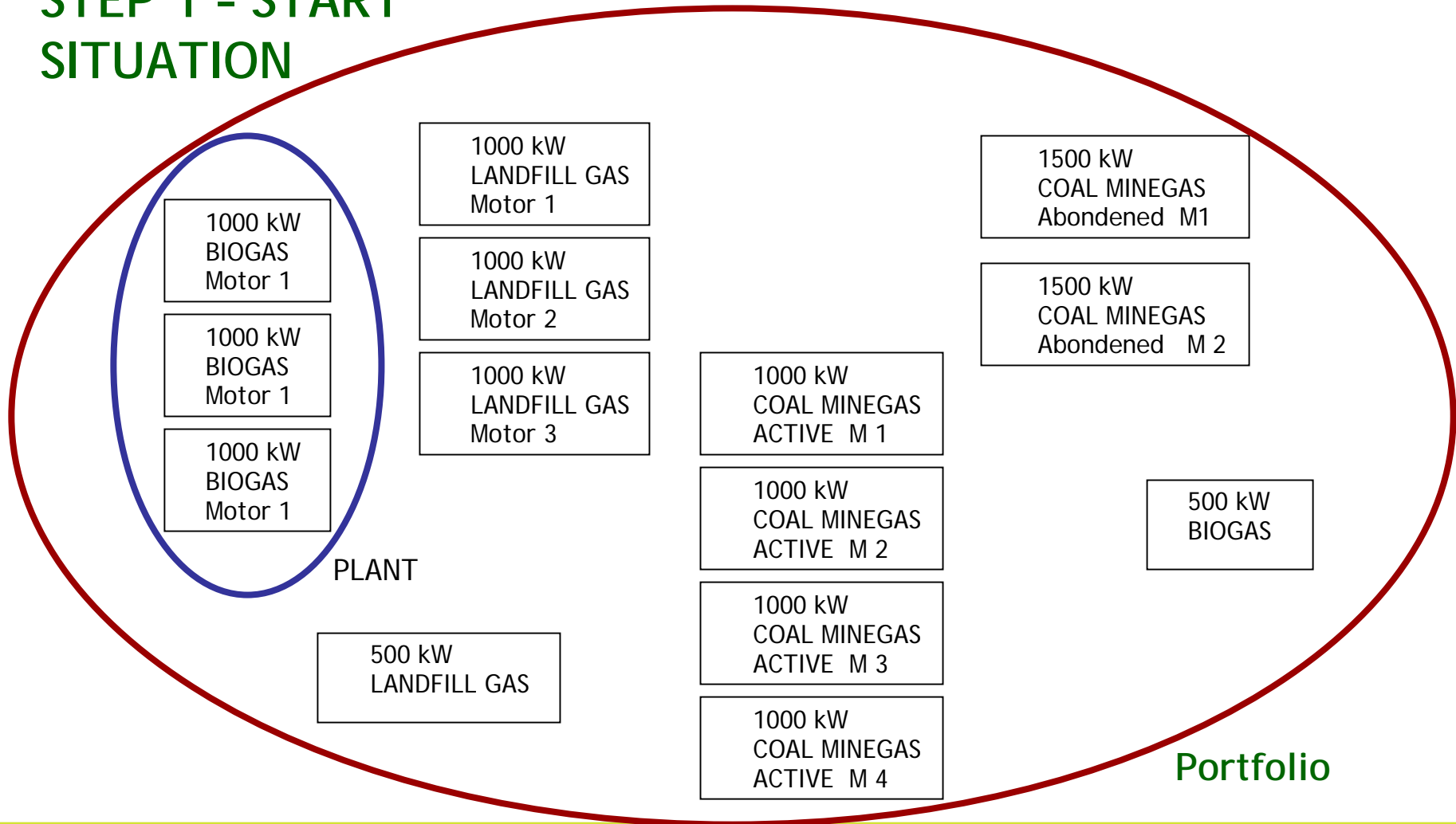






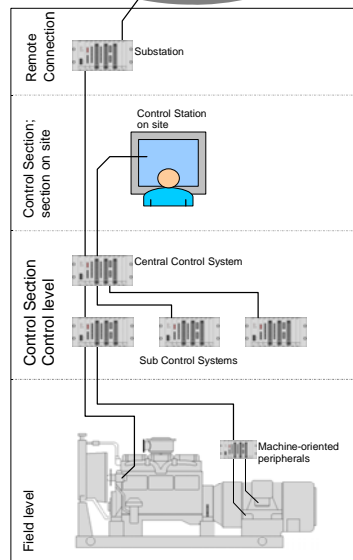
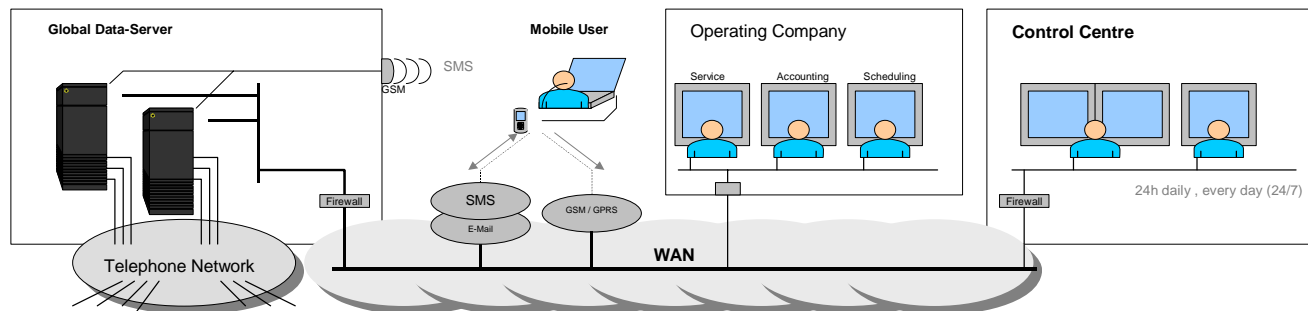
# Basic principles of the Portfolio Management

## STEP 1 - START SITUATION



# STEP 2 - REMOTE CONTROL CENTER

## Assembly - Data Publisher



## Overview of the essential parts of Kuhse Data Publisher

- DP-Navigator Client-Software
- Master-Server
- TCP/IP protocol for internet connection
- Modem an telephone network
- Telecontrol substations
- system control (switchboard)

## STEP 3 - ENERGETICAL DATA COLLECTION

- Gas
  - Volume Flow
  - Methane Value
  - Carbon Dioxide Value
  - Oxygen Value
  - Suction Pressure
  - Gas Temperature
  
- Operation Hours
  
- Maintenance Hours
  
- Electrical Output



## STEP 4 - EVALUATION OF THE COLLECTED DATAS

- Comparison between gas engine consumption and recent gas situation  
(volume flow x methane value = available gas performance)
- Operation hours  $X < 8760$  h/a ?
- Average of power generation  $<$  installed power capacity

## STEP 5 - BALANCE BETWEEN DEMAND / EQUIPMENT

<u>Equipment</u>	<u>Plant</u>	<u>Demand</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Gas Consumption in kW		Gas Consumption in kW	
3000	A	5000	ADD Power
5000	B	3000	DROP Power
3000	C	3000	Stay
1000	D	100	Close

## 5 steps for successful operations

1. Analysing the situation
2. Adopting the current operation to
  - technical needs
  - environmental needs
  - economical needs
3. Training staff on site
4. Ongoing improvement of the operation
5. Experience

# Thank you for your attention!

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