

Sludge Management Plan

Water, RO & Sanitation

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This guide explains what the tool produces, how to use the output, and what to watch for. The actual output (draft/report) is generated on the tool page.

Background

Builds a sludge-management plan for a treatment plant — dewatering, characterisation, hazardous versus non-hazardous classification, disposal and reuse — for compliant handling. Use it to manage sludge legally and economically.

Purpose of this tool & output

Handle and dispose of treatment sludge

How the output is used

Use it to handle and dispose of treatment sludge — a sludge management plan across dewatering, storage and authorised disposal.

Important cautions

Sludge classification and disposal are regulated (hazardous-waste rules) and misclassification or improper disposal is a serious offence. Get sludge characterised and confirm classification and authorised disposal routes with the PCB.

Companion documents

- ETP Design & Setup Guide
- STP Design & Setup Guide
- Water Treatment Plant (WTP) Design Guide
- Treatment Plant O&M SOP
- Effluent Compliance & Monitoring Plan
- Treatment Plant Performance Audit

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