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Large-Scale Remediation in a Complex Environment: Some Key Points

- 6.5 km of river dredging
- Coordinate sediment slurry dewatering & water-treatment
- Biological treatment of impacted sediments
- Formation of a parkland

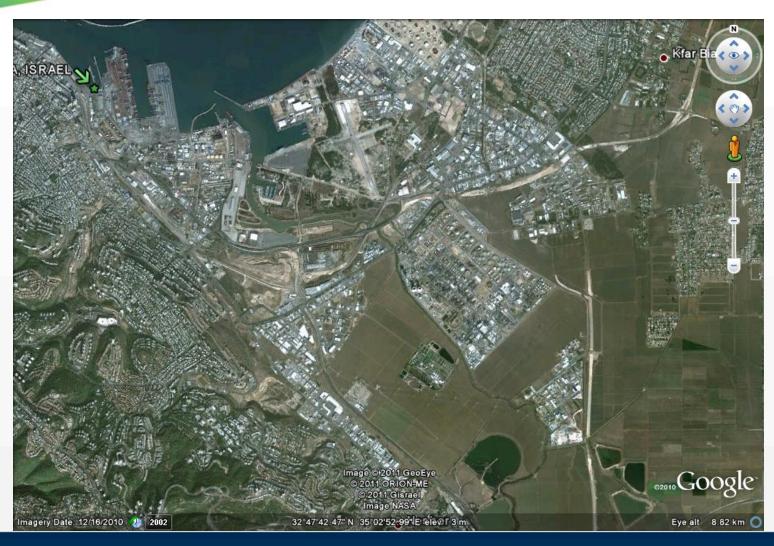






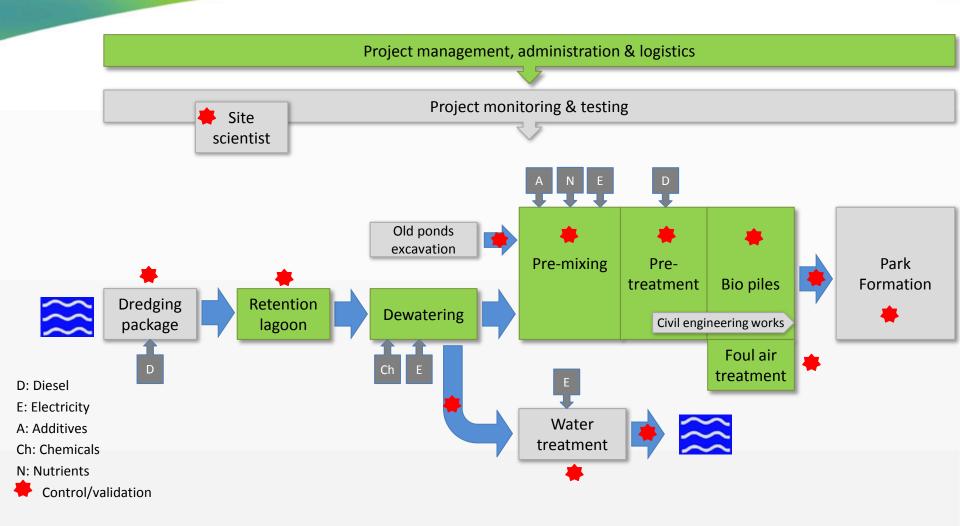
Site Location







General Project Process Diagram



Earthworks

Over 70,000 m³ of Earthworks including the Lagoons

Over 3.5 km of Roads Constructed with Geotextile protection



Density
Tests every
200 mm
layer plus
2 layers of
Geogrid

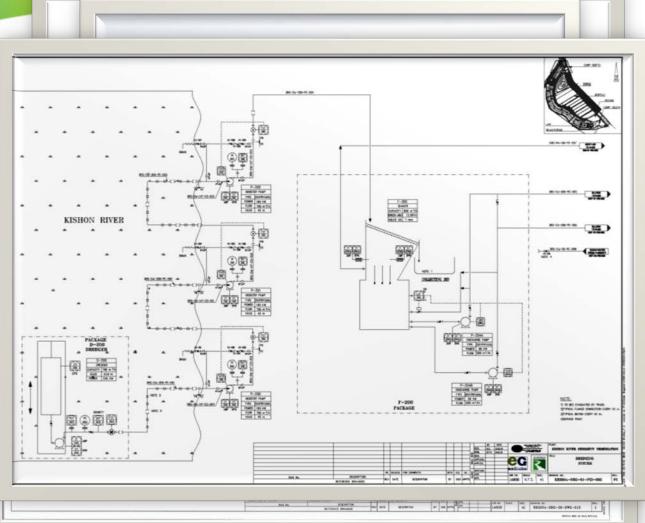
42,000 m² of HDPE to complete 'waterproo fing' of the site



Dredging Package

IMS 7012 Dredge, 900 m³/hr at 40 m head

9,000 m³ Slurry per day, 1,350 m³ dry solids



4 No. 900 m³/hr Flowserve Booster Pumps with 12" floating pipes

In-let screen with 2 No. 450 m³ discharge pumps

De-Watering

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6,000 m³
Retention
Lagoon with 4
Mixers &
2 Slurry Pumps

250 m³
Settlement
Tank and
associated
Flocculent /
Coagulant
dosing tanks



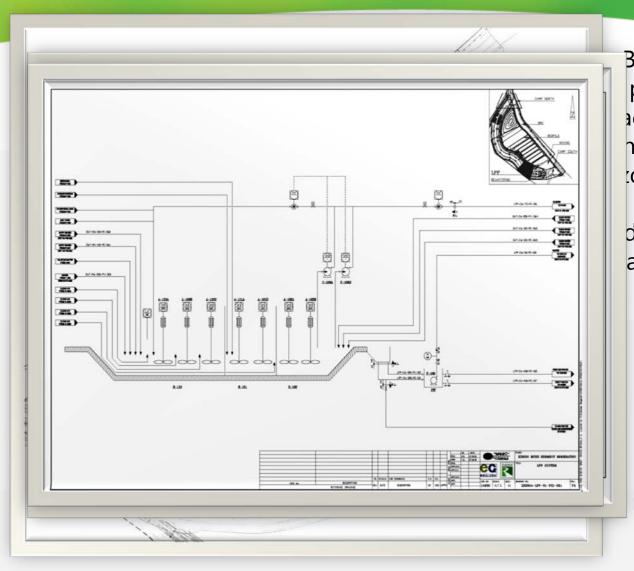
4 No. Dewatering Centrifuges

Conveyors for Dewatered Sediments

Liquid Processing Plant

11,000 m³ LPP Lagoon with 4 Mixers

Aerobic
nitrification
Zone
(Ammonia to
Nitrates)
followed by
anaerobic
denitrification
(nitrates to
Nitrogen)

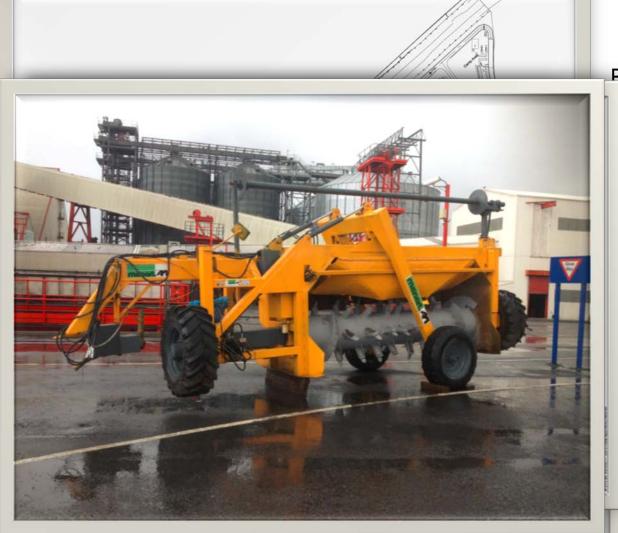


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Mixing & Bioremediation

Mixing Plant with 3 hoppers, mixer and conveyor

Capacity of 100 m3/hr sediments and 130 m3/hr total including organic and inorganic



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Additional ioremediatio option with windrow method

Infrastructure

4,000 m of Pipework installed

2,500 m of electrical cabling



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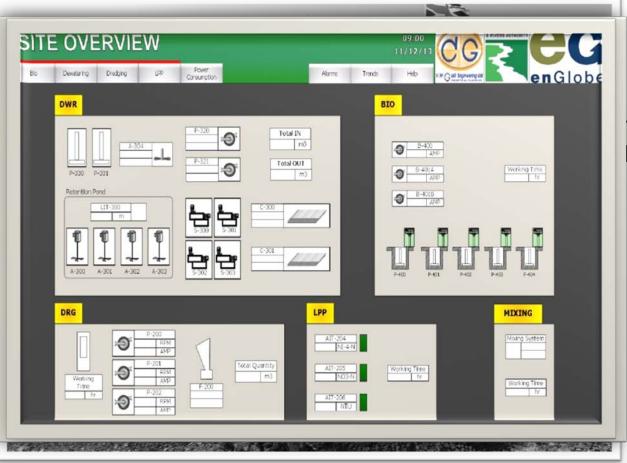
500 m of control cabling





Operations controlled from Management Offices

And from Engineers Offices in the South Camp



With control information outed via the Main Control Centre

And displayed by HMI software



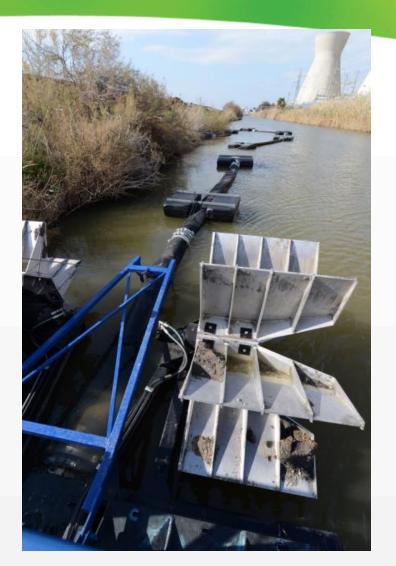




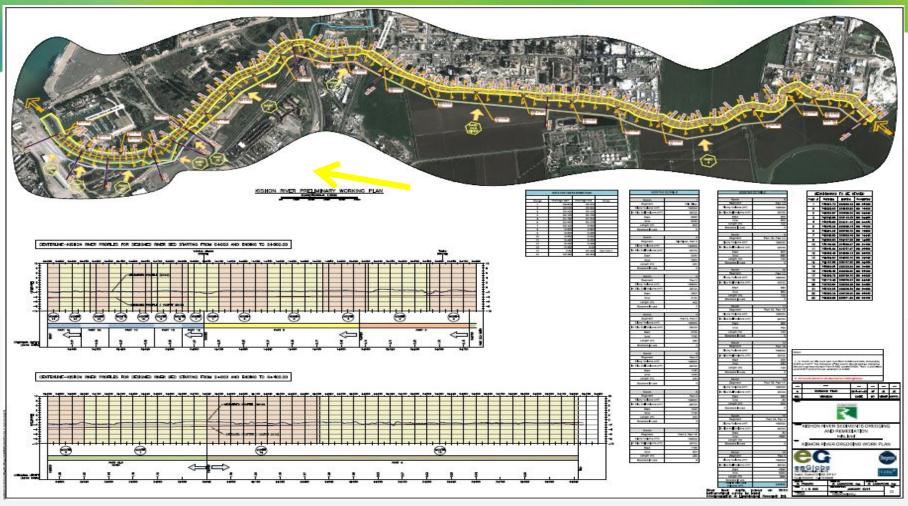
Dredging

- IMS 7012 dredger on site and in the water
- Licensed
- Connected to pipework and
 Operational Qualification OQ passed









6 Km of riverbed; Started dredging in June; So far through areas of 'low' contamination



The Remediation Site: Liquid Processing Plant (LPP)

Dredged Sediment Slurry pumped into a 8,000 m³ retention pond:

To maintain a sediment suspension & 24-hour LPP









Initial Slurry Pumping Rates:

- 400 m³ of slurry/hour
- Gradually optimizing
- High sediment variability encountered

Inlet Filters:

- 1. Screen oversize to < 6mm
- 2. Hydrocyclone de-sanders removing particles to 0.5 mm



LPP & De-sanding Unit

en Globe















Dewatering performance

- Yields >500 m³ cake/day





Dewatering includes 4 large centrifuges

- Continuous optimization of polymers and flocculants
- Extension of operating times to increase production

Water Treatment Operation

The centrate water is sent to a treatment lagoon where the water is subjected to a 2-stage biological treatment to remove nitrogen:

- Ammonium Nitrate (aerobic)
- Nitrate Nitrogen gas (anaerobic)

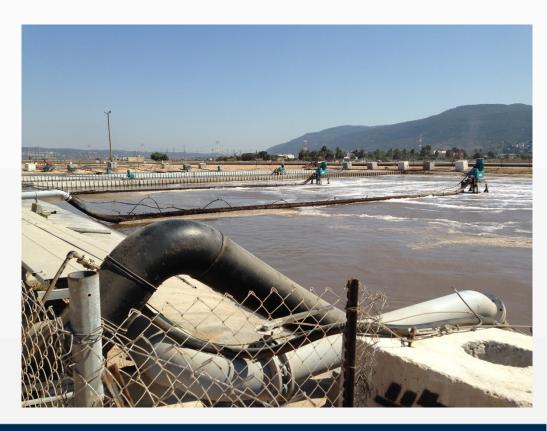






To date achieving:

- 0.9 mg/l Ammoniacal N (<5 mg/l)
- 9 mg/l total N (<20 mg/l)
- 60mg/L TSS (100 av; 200 max)



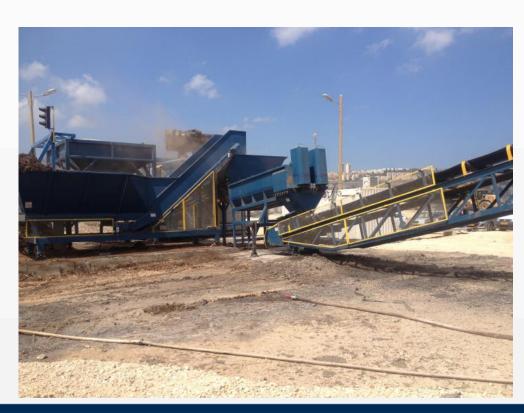


Dewatered Cake Before Mixing



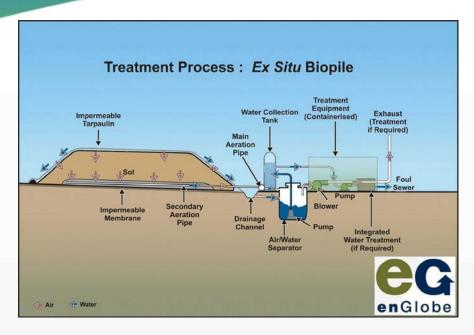


Additive Mixing Plant Mix sediments with organic and inorganic additives



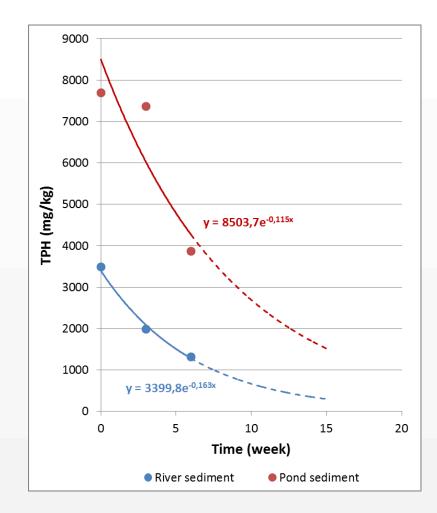






Contamination profile:

- Average impacts: 6,000 mg/kg
- Generally C₁₆-C₂₄ range
- Criteria: 1,560 mg/kg (C₈-C₃₂)







- Windrow initial treatment









Environmental Monitoring (Summarised)

Air Monitoring

- Dust
- VOCs
- Noise
- Odour

Water Monitoring

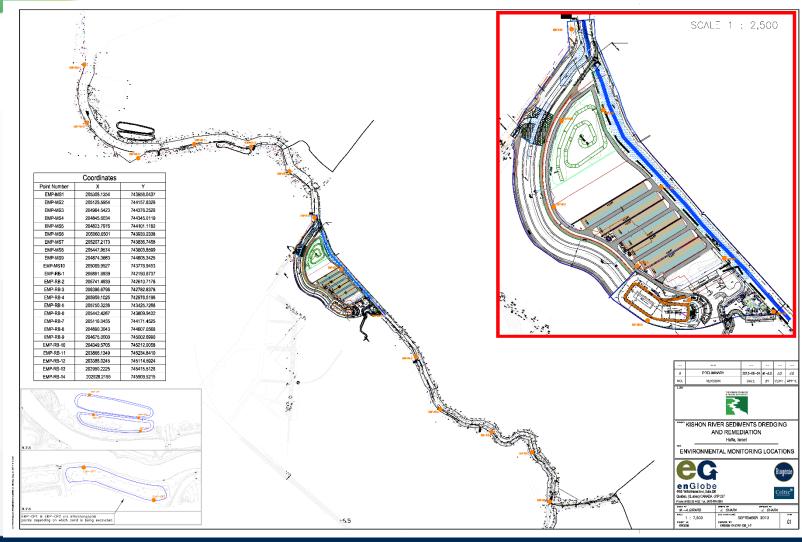
- Solids content (SS) & Turbidity in vicinity of dredging
- Control monitoring of LPP
- Monitoring of water discharge (TSS, N, metals, etc)

Process Control & Validation Monitoring

- Solids sampling and analysis
- Includes TPH, VOCs, SVOCs, PAHS, metals, etc



Health & Safety & Environmental Monitoring



EnGlobe Remediation team

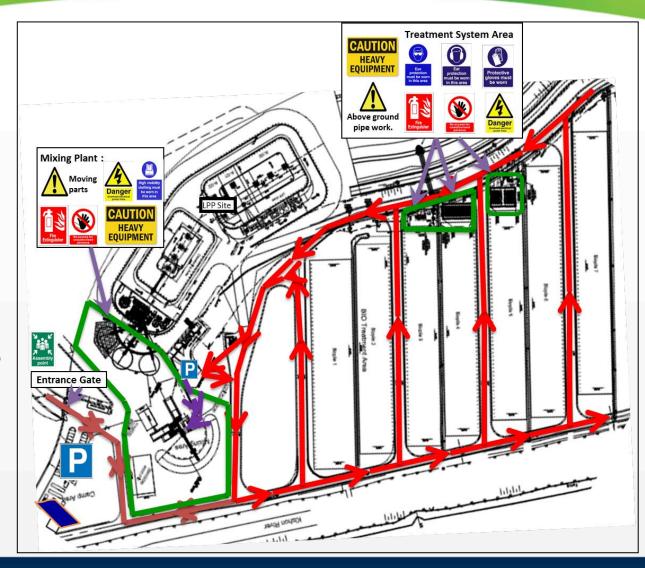
- 7 expats from Canada, UK and Netherlands
- 15 local employees
 - Dredging
 - Dewatering
 - Bioremediation
 - Lab operation
 - Landscaped hills





Key Risks:

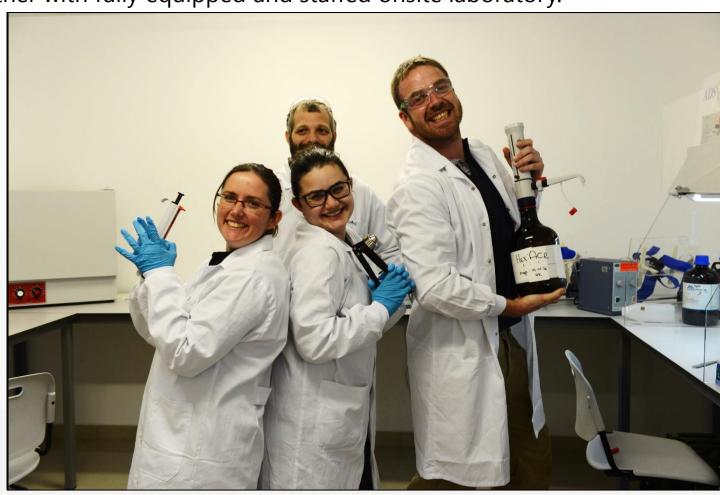
- High volume of site traffic throughout the site.
- Heavy plant at dynamic locations.
- High numbers of staff site wide.
- Prevention of unauthorised access.



Englobe has a dedicated monitoring team, together with fully equipped and staffed onsite laboratory.

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The primary health risks to receptors both on and off site are:

- TPH (Total Petroleum
 Hydrocarbons) The
 principal contaminant in the
 material to be dredged and
 bioremediated.
- Metals Present in varying quantities throughout the project.





- Site 'Set-Up' & associated permits was fully completed in May 2014
- Dredging started in June 2014, starting at the remediation site
- From initial dredging gradual (careful) increasing of production rates
- Treatment results to date are very limited but positive