



多功能气泡净化船

(Multifunctional bubble treatment ship)

Onsite algae harvesting using micro and nano (sub-micron) bubbles

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Present situations of rivers and lakes



Wastewater
(N,P)

SS

Deposition

Lack of
oxygen

Bacteria

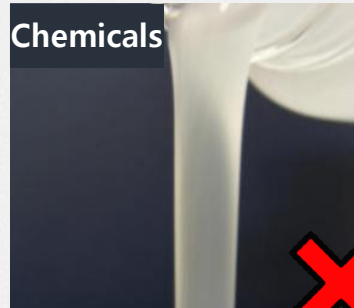
Organism
& Ecology



Membrane
& Filtration



Chemicals



Aeration

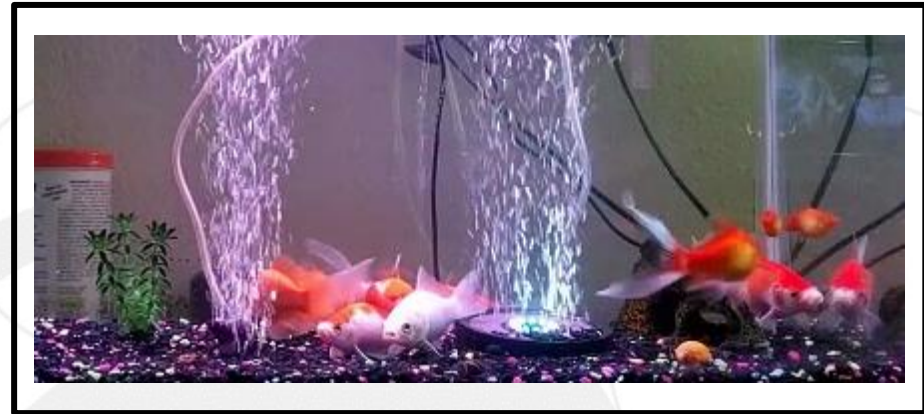


Characteristics of Bubbles

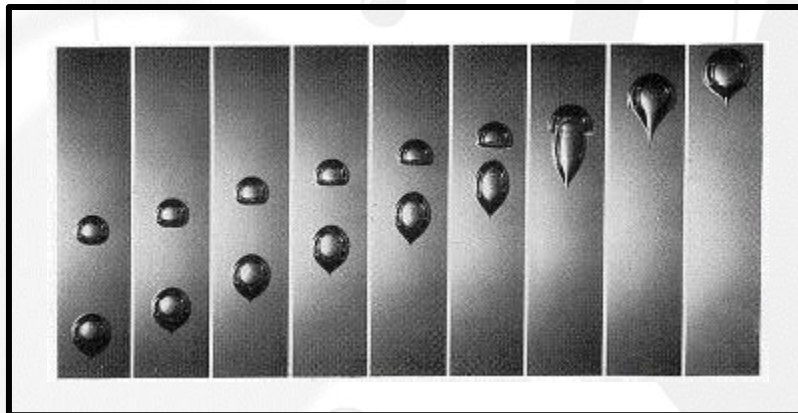
Clean material



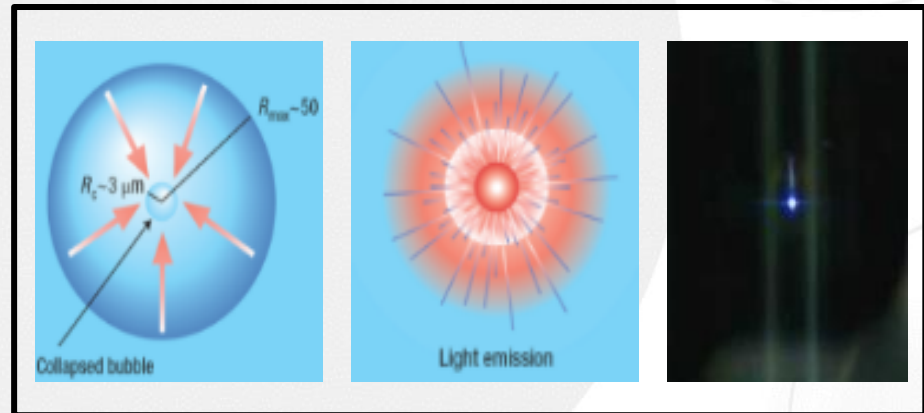
Mass transfer



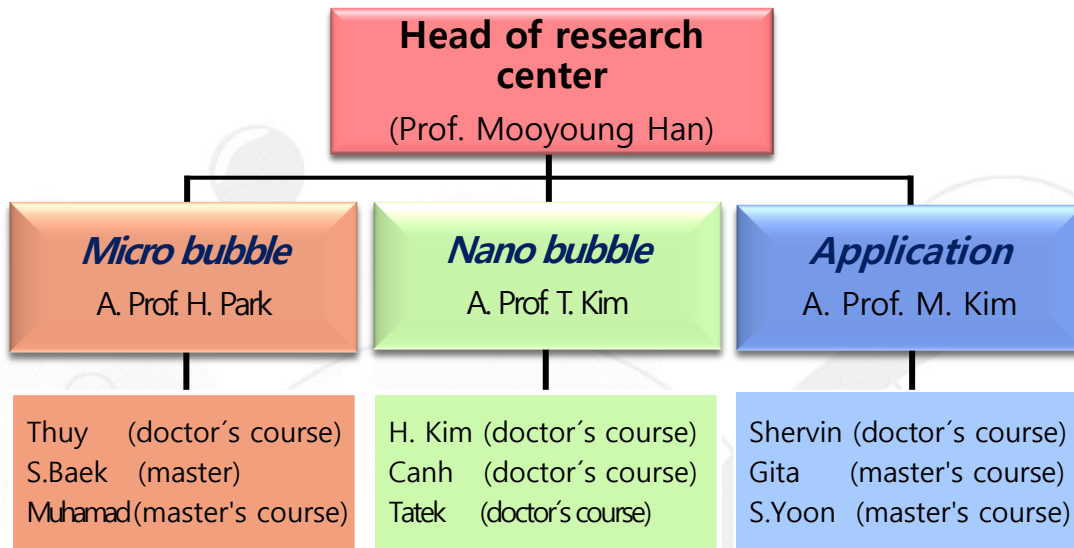
Flotation



Bursting



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Research papers+SCI	98+67 건
Patents	63 건
Awards	28 건
Media reports	217 건
Projects	42 건



International Water Association



International Organization for Standardization



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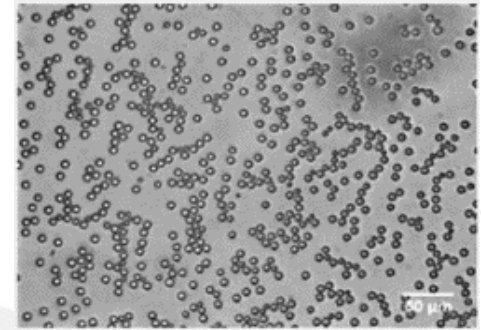


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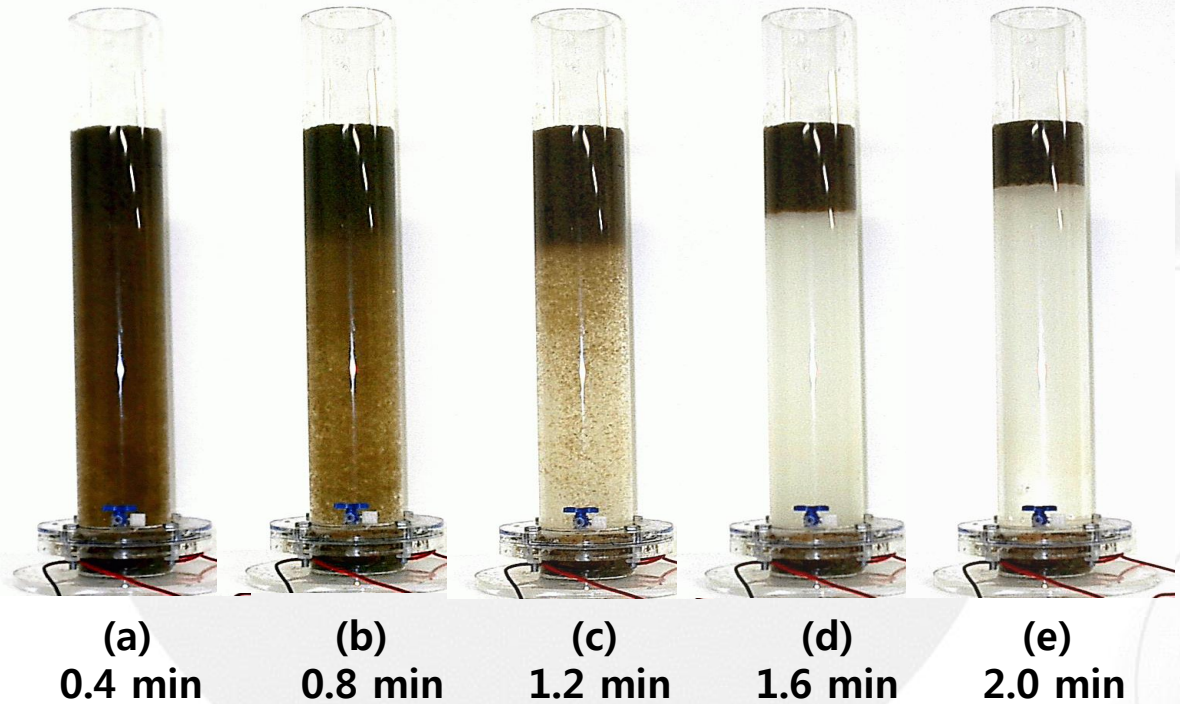
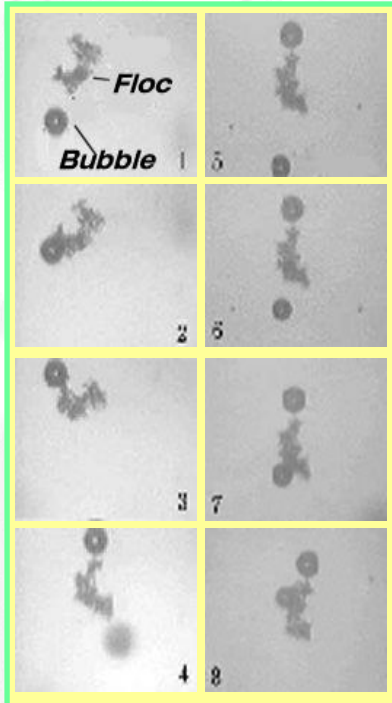
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1. Technology of Microbubble

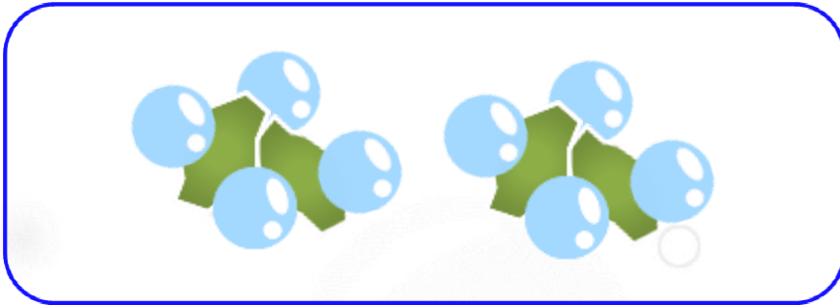
Micro bubble (Fine bubble)



30 μm → 1/2 of the hair thickness

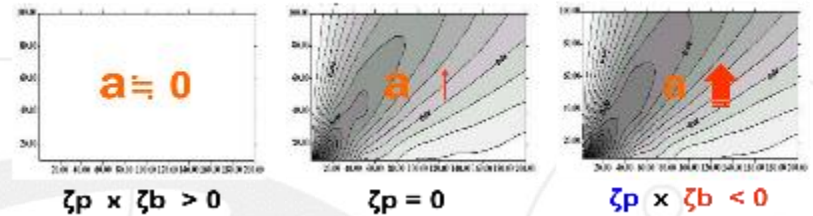


Major technologies (MB)

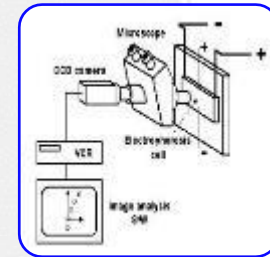
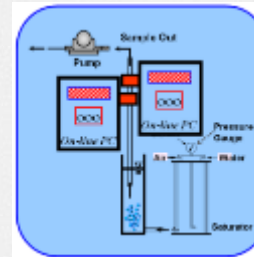


1. Modeling

※ Collision efficiency diagram (a_{bp}) by trajectory analysis (Han, et al. 2001)



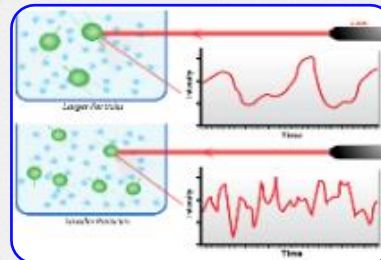
2. Measurement & control of bubble and particle properties



3. Development of the low-cost & high efficiency tailoring bubble generator



4. ISO

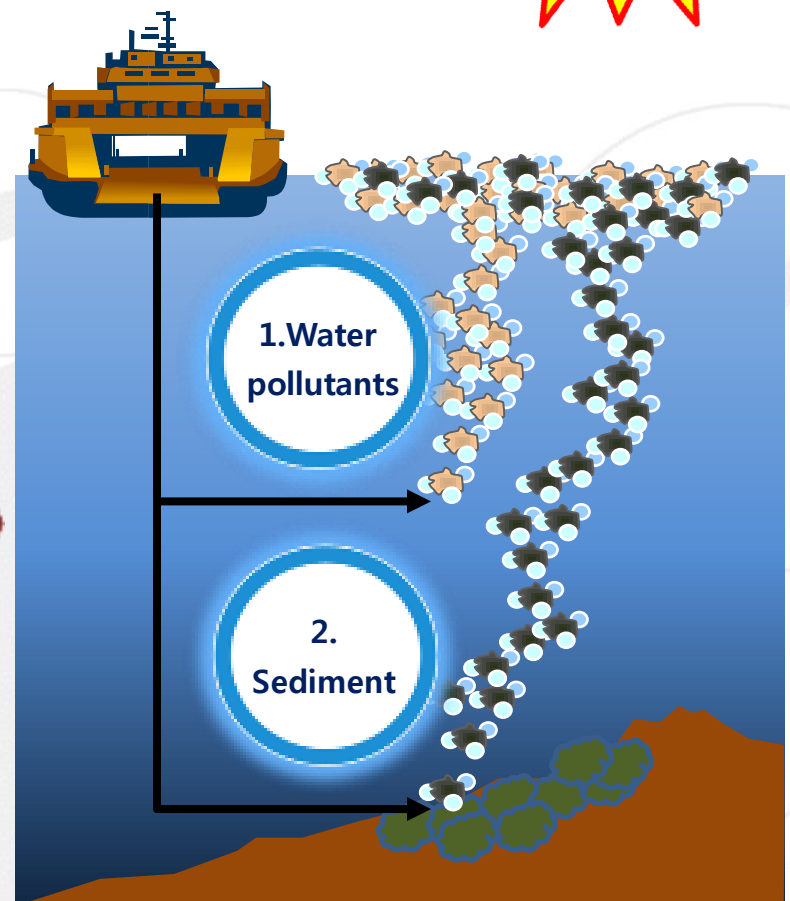
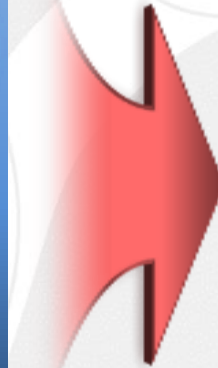
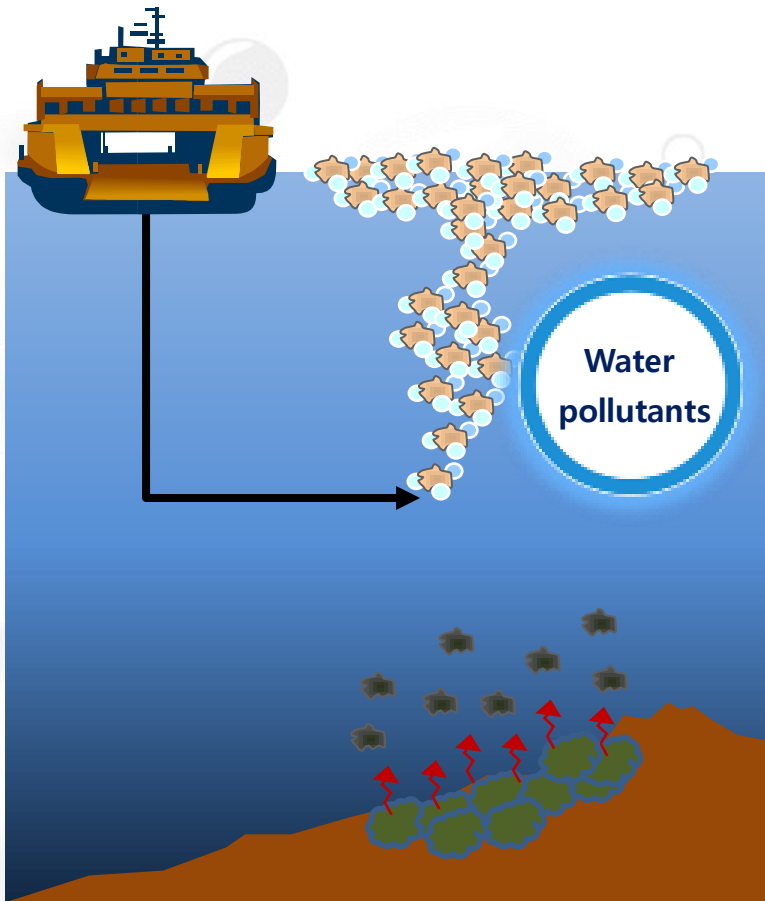


5. Various applications



Removal of natural water pollutants

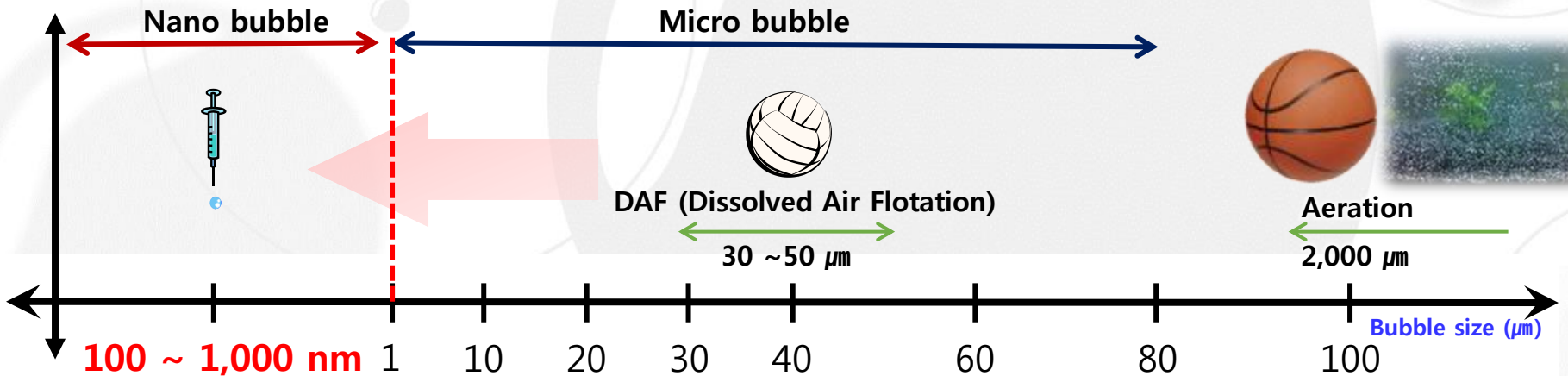
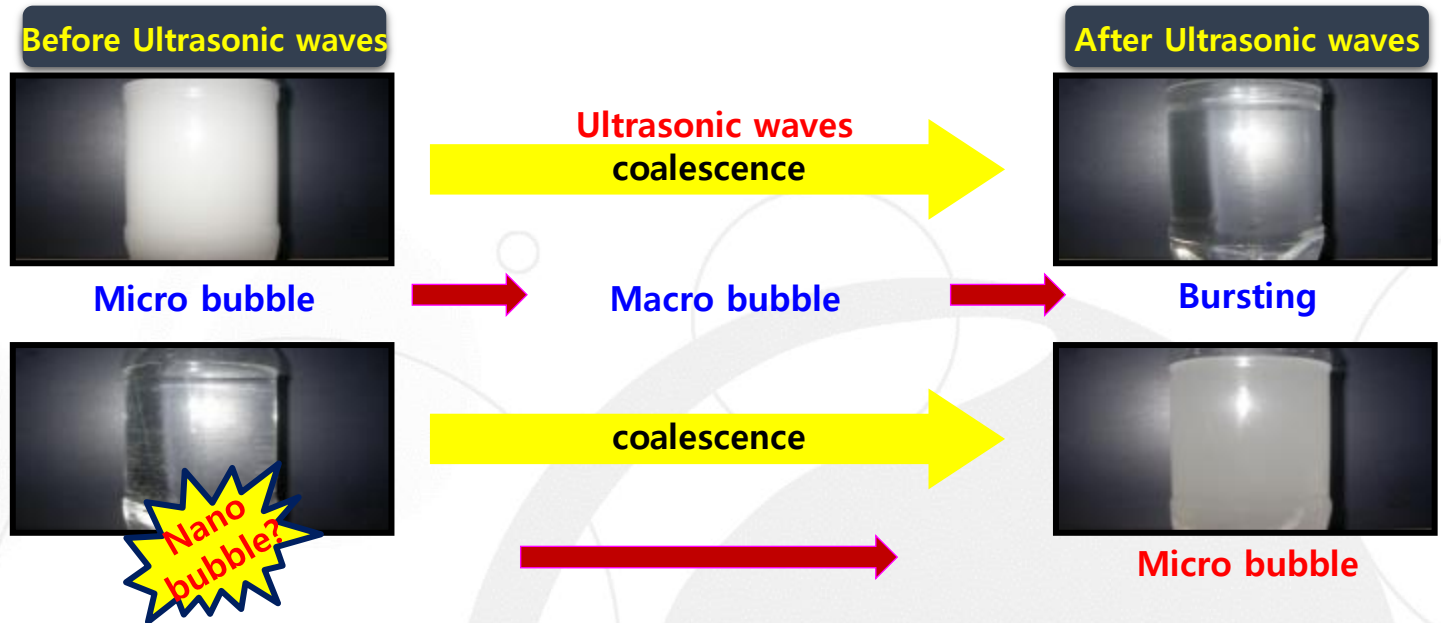
Unique
technology



A nighttime cityscape with a prominent red text box in the center. The background shows a city skyline with illuminated buildings, including a tall tower with two spires. The foreground features a park-like area with trees and a stone archway.

2. Technology of Nanobubble

Nano bubble (Ultrafine bubble)



Major technologies (NB)

1. Generation of nanobubbles

2. Confirmation of the existence

3. Characterization of nanobubbles

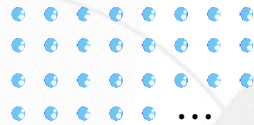
4. Development & application

Surface area (at same volume)



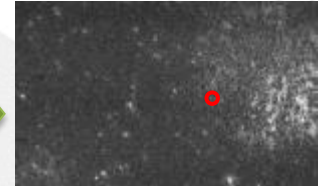
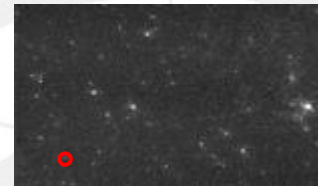
50 μm

- Air volume : 1:1
- Surface area : 1:100
- Number : 1:1,000,000



500 nm (0.5 μm)

Rising Velocity



- Size : about 500 nm
- Rising velocity : $4.58 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m/s} \approx 0$
- Theoretical rising velocity: 7.5 mm rising per day

Mass transfer
efficiency \uparrow
(Aeration efficiency)



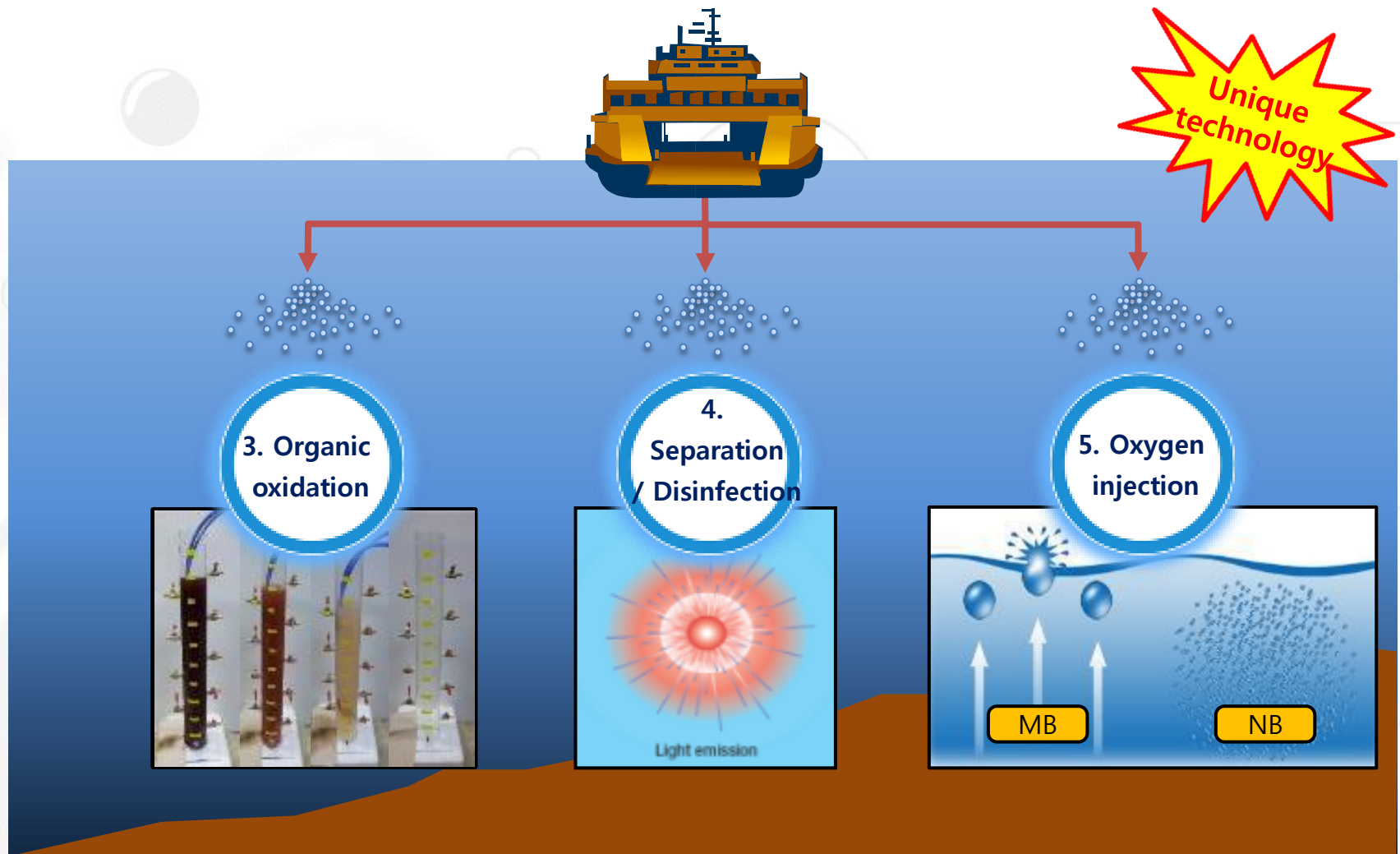
Surface area \uparrow

Rising velocity \downarrow



Nanobubble

Removal of natural water pollutants

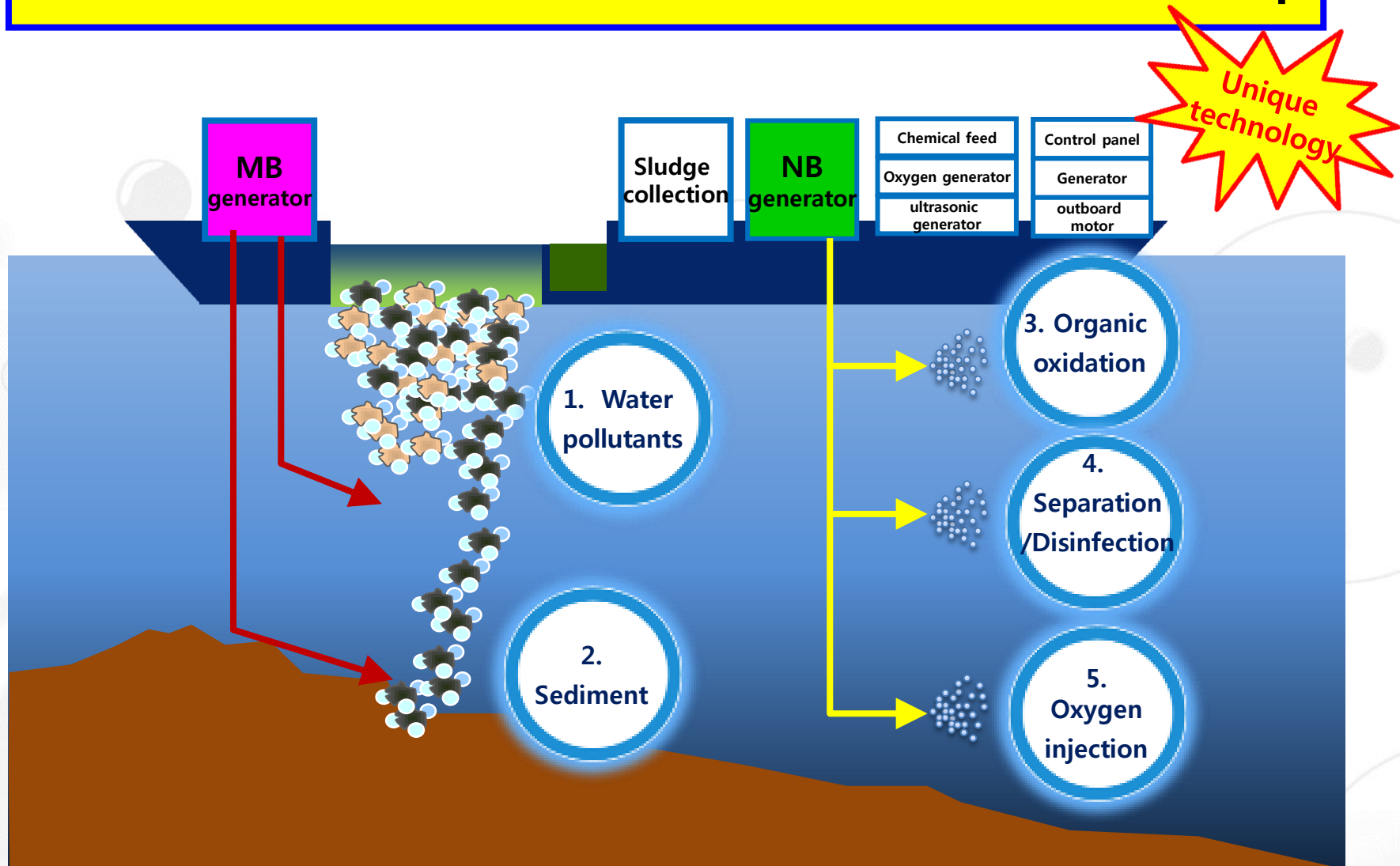


A nighttime cityscape with a prominent red text box in the center. The background shows a city skyline with a tall, illuminated tower and other buildings. The text box is a solid red rectangle with a yellow border. The text inside the box is white and yellow.

3. Application cases

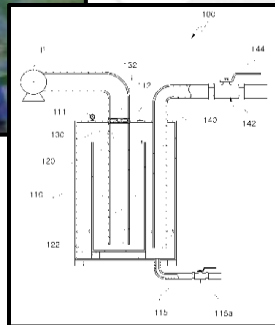
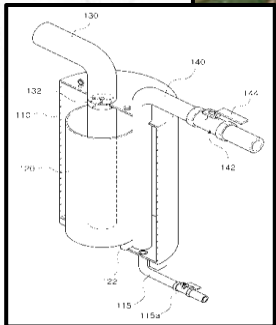
(Multifunctional bubble treatment ship)

Overview - Multifunctional bubble treatment ship

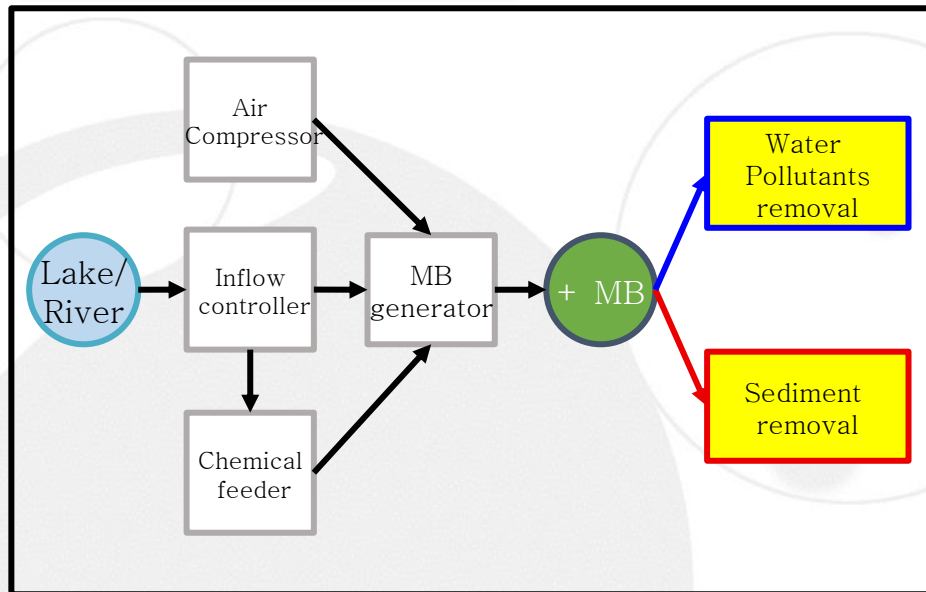


Technical detail 1. Micro bubble

MB generator + Chemical feeder



Process Flow Diagram



Low cost & high efficiency bubble generator

No clogging nozzle

Tailoring MB generator

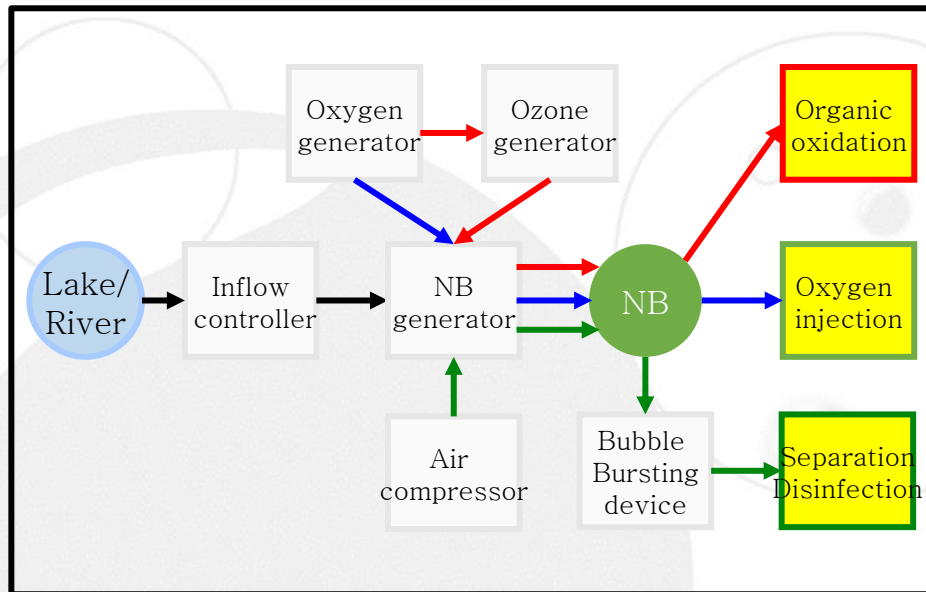
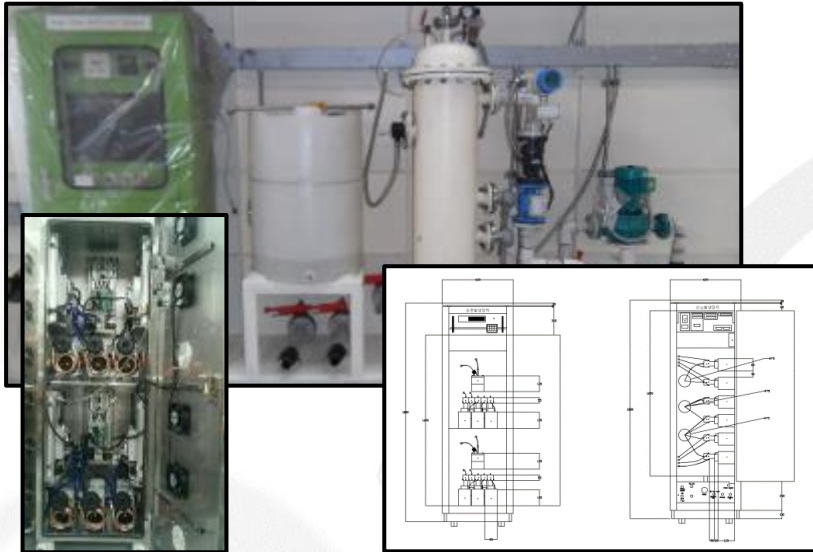
Automatic injection control system

Technical detail 2. Nano bubble

Unique technology

NB generator + Organic oxidation device
+ Bubble bursting device + Air compressor

Process Flow Diagram



Unnecessary facilities to eliminate ozone

NB residence time : 6 days

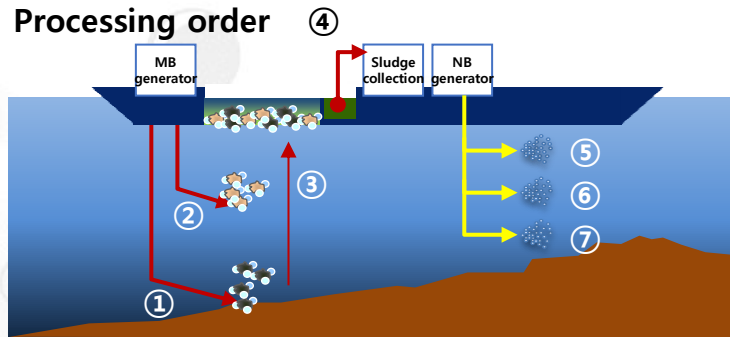
Medium/Large NB generator

PFR AOP

Operation and Maintenance

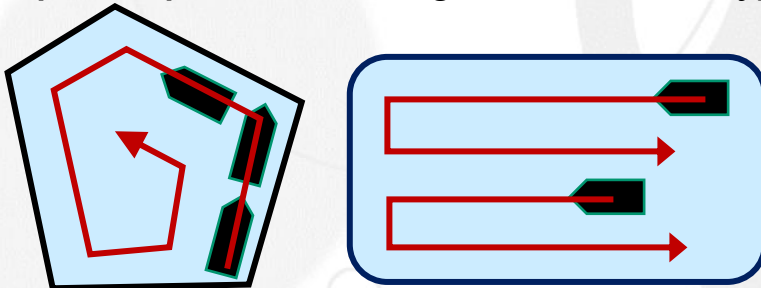
Operation method

Processing order



Item	Time	Item	Time
① Sediment	1.5 min	⑤ Organic oxidation	2 min
② Water pollutant	1.5 min	⑥ Separation & Disinfection	2 min
③ Floating	5 min	⑦ Oxygen injection	2 min
④ Sludge collection	2 min	Total time	6.5 min

Optimal operation according to river and lake types



Operating Specification

Item	Content
Mean velocity	0.05 Knot (1.5 m/min)
Maximum velocity	0.06 Knot (1.5 m/min)
Operator	2 (Engineer1, assistant1)
Operating distance	300 m/hr (width 3.0 m)
Average surface area treated per day	7,728 m²/d
Average daily throughput	1,1592 m ³ /d, 483 m ³ /hr
Sludge Storage	3.0 m ³
Power consumption	25.2 kW
Chemical feed	8 ppm
Fuel	Diesel, Gasoline

* River width : 20 m, Depth : 1.5 m, Length : 10 km

[Large size] Multifunctional bubble treatment ship

R lake, Jeollabuk-do



- ✓ Removal of pollutants in water (turbid water, algae, etc.)
- ✓ Non-powered dehydration
- ✓ Field assembly and installation
- ✓ Daily throughput : 2,113 m³/hr
- ✓ Pretreatment of water purification plant
- ✓ Cityscape improvement

S lake, Seoul



P lake, Gyeonggi-do



[Medium size] Multifunctional bubble treatment ship

S lake, Jeollanam-do



- ✓ Removal of pollutants in water (algae, agricultural wastewater, etc)
- ✓ Sediment removal
- ✓ Reduction of algae current cycle
- ✓ Daily throughput : 1,200 m³/hr
- ✓ Field assembly and installation

Before



After



[Small size] Multifunctional bubble treatment ship

C lake, Gyeonggi-do

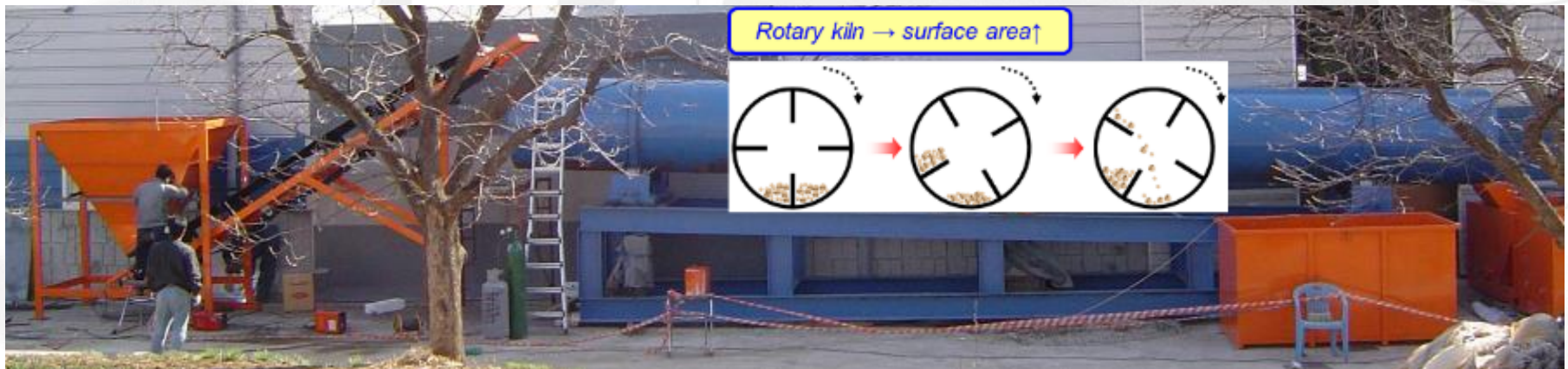
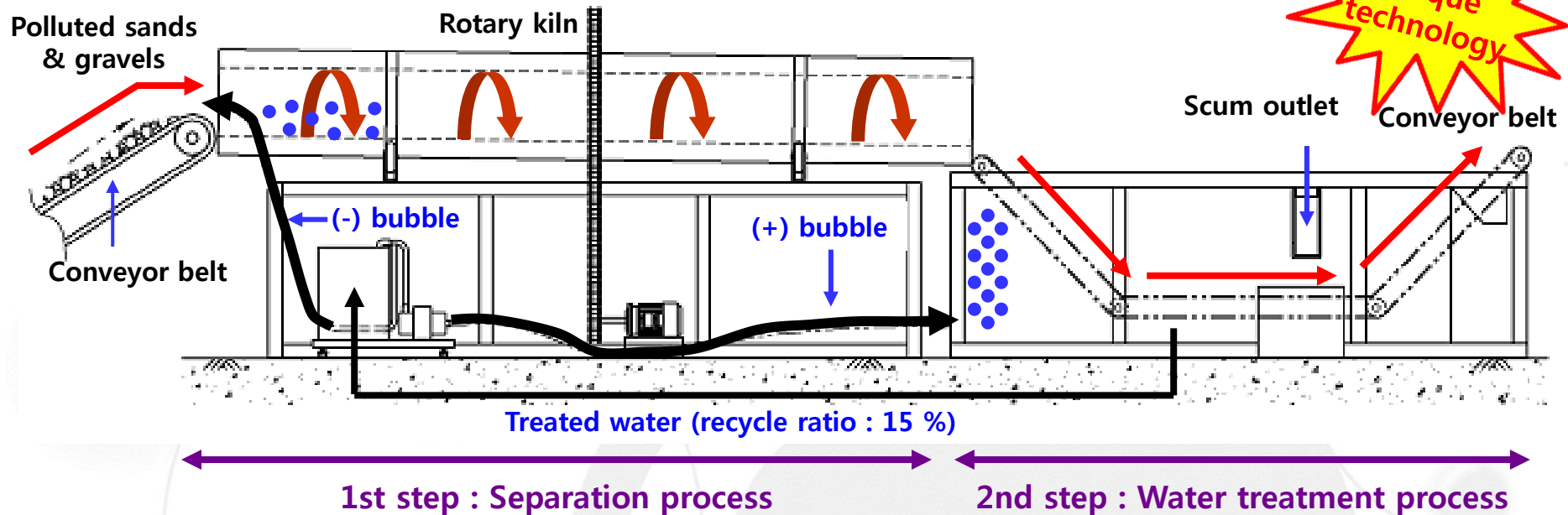


- ✓ Removal of pollutants in water (algae, wastewater, etc.)
- ✓ Drum type scum collection(throughput ↑)
- ✓ Organic oxidation
- ✓ Oxygen injection
- ✓ Daily throughput : 512 m³/hr







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4. Additional Technologies

Soil washing process using bubbles(1) - overview

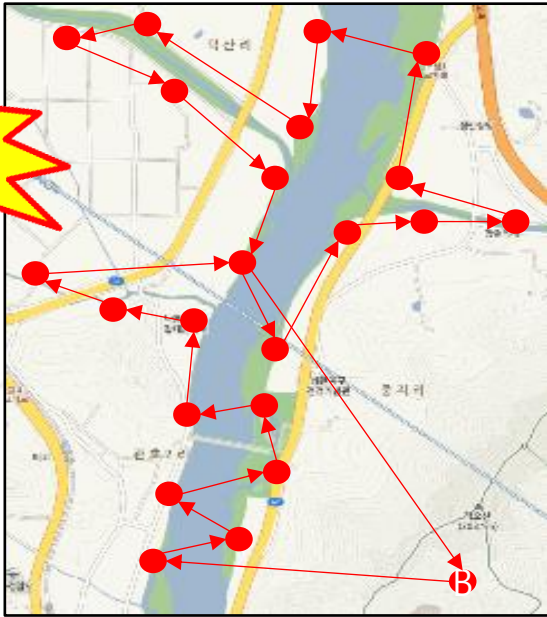


Soil washing process using bubbles(2) - Results

	Raw sample	Water	(+) & (-) bubble
Treated water			
Treated sands			

Natural water management using Drone

Unique technology

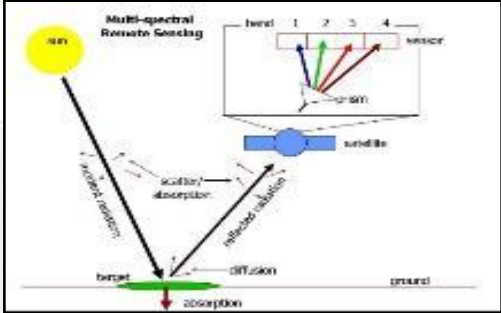


1. GIS electronic map for drone



2. Autopilot

Unique technology



3. Image analysis technique using satellite



4. Pollution analysis and monitoring / alarm

**THANK YOU
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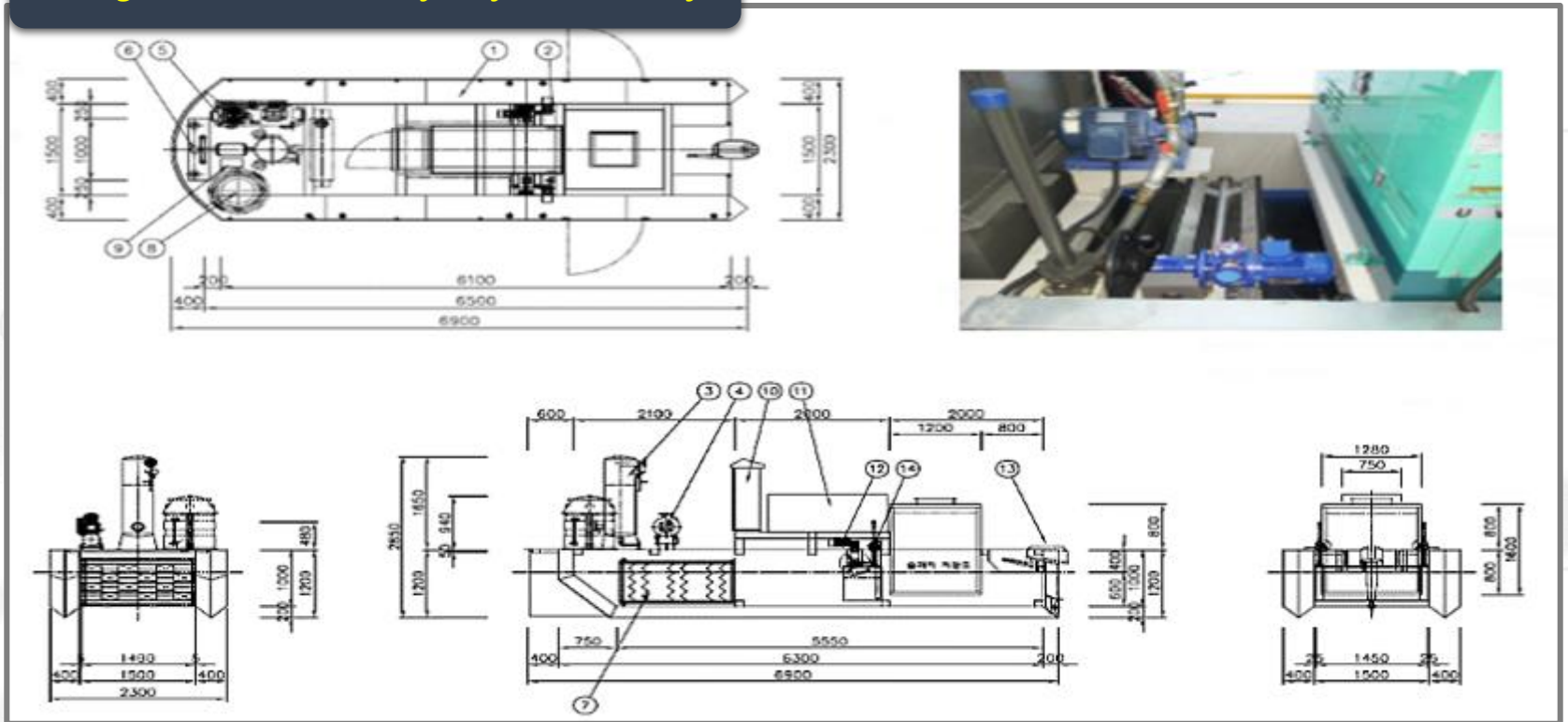


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Technical detail 3. Body of a ship, etc.

Sludge collection + Buoyancy + Electricity



Drum type scum collection → Small size → Container

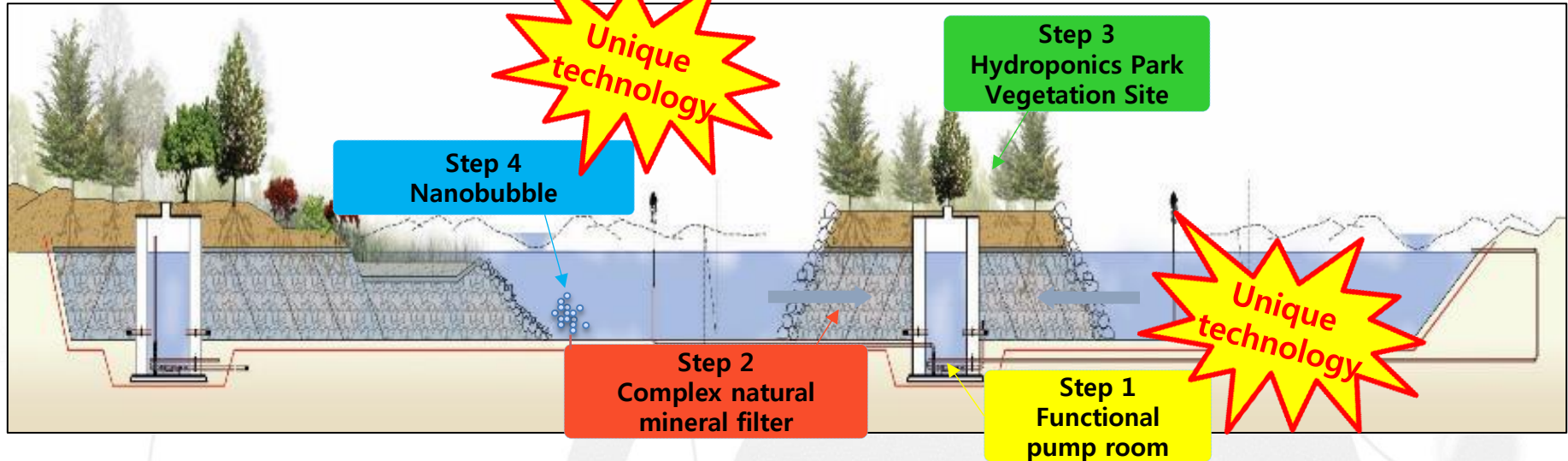
Drum type scum collection → throughput ↑

Catamaran → Secure space

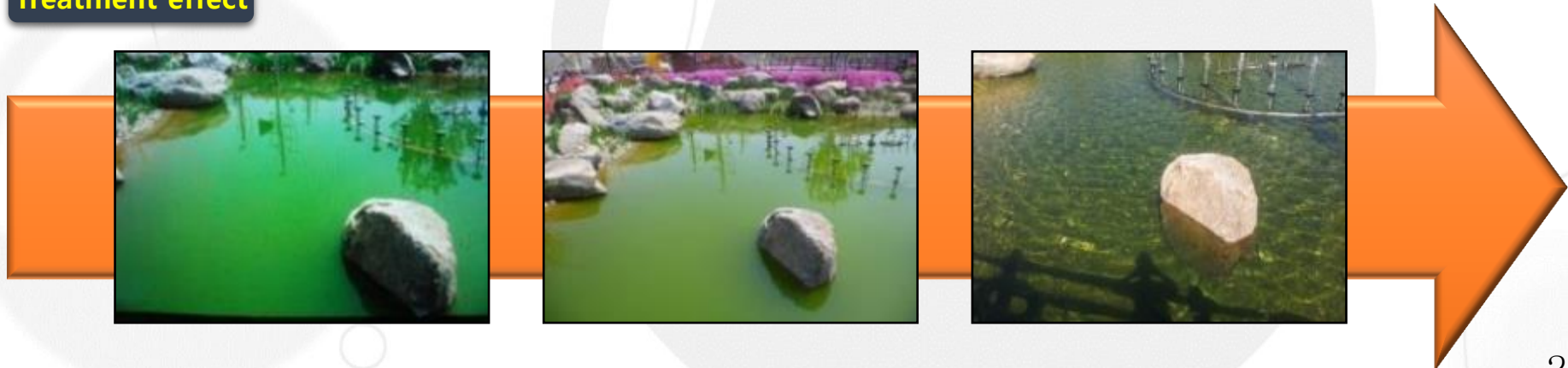
Non-powered mixer

Water quality management using filtration & bubbles

Overview



Treatment effect



Sludge Composting



Unique technology



Unique technology



Demonstration project budget (Proposal)

Description	Specification	Q'ty	Unit Price	Total price (KRW)	Total price (CNY)	
MB generator, etc.	compressor	380V, Ø3, 2.2kW	1	850,000	850,000	5,185
	Voltex pump	9m3/hr, 60mH 380V, ø3, 5.5kW	1	800,000	800,000	4,880
	혼화장치	180 rpm	2	300,000	600,000	3,660
	Chemical dosing system	60mL/min, 10mH 380V, ø3, 60hz	1	650,000	650,000	3,965
	Base, pipe, elbow, socket, cap, tank valve.	PE, 200L	1	550,000	550,000	3,355
NB generator, etc. (Organic oxidation device , Bubble bursting device , Air compressor)	Mixing chamber Set	FRAME etc.	1	8,000,000	8,000,000	48,800
	Controlled volume pump	380V, Ø3, 60hz 1500, 1/5, 200W	1	153,000	153,000	933
	External case	220V, Ø2, 60hz, 100bar, 2.2kW	1	850,000	850,000	5,185
	Control panel	STS/GC200	1	500,000	500,000	3,050
	Oxygen demand regulator	STS304	1	1,000,000	1,000,000	6,100
	Flow meter	STS etc.	1	500,000	500,000	3,050
	Pipe, Hose	GD-25S(25KVA)	1	9,100,000	9,100,000	55,510
	AOP	15TML 15HP	1	2,980,000	2,980,000	18,178
Body of ship, etc. (Skimmer, generator, outboard Motor, etc.)	Ship body, skimmer storage tank, Hand Rai	SS400+STS	1	32,000,000	32,000,000	195,200
	Skimmer processing	SS400, STS	1	500,000	500,000	3,050
	Skimmer motor	NMRV040+1/100 +TXF002, 0.2kW	1	300,000	300,000	1,830
	Skimmer screw jack	UJ44-ICLFN500	2	440,000	880,000	5,368
	Sludge storage tank	SS400, 1.8m3	1	3,000,000	3,000,000	18,300
	Sludge transfer tank	50L/min, 10mH 380V, ø3, 4P	1	800,000	800,000	4,880
	Panitng	3m3/hr, 220V, 1.2Hp	1	1,000,000	1,000,000	6,100
	Pipe, Hose	STS304/rubber	1	500,000	500,000	3,050
	Assembly		1	4,000,000	4,000,000	24,400
	Local control panel	SS400 etc.	1	9,500,000	9,500,000	57,950
Production cost				79,013,000	481,979	
Transportation cost				540,000	3,294	
Operation & maintenance cost				22,000,000	134,200	
Total cost				101,553,000	619,473	

* Conditions : FOB, Production in Korea, Period, Pretax cost, Water quality standard, Surface area treated, etc.

Consultation & Expected schedule

Consultation

- Site selection: Lake or River (width:20m, depth:1.5m, velocity:0.2m/s)
- Determination of standard (River environmental quality standard; Turbidity, SS, chlorophyll -a, COD)
- Condition determination (Period, Cost, Length, etc.)
- Determination of application technology
- Consortium Composition

Schedule



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4. Demonstration Project