

TEXAS DESAL 2018
Managing Cost, Risk & Regulation

Trends in Desalination

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Our Blue Planet ...

... and the Water

We have the responsibility to preserve these blue “satellites” of our Blue Planet



Ø 3,474 km

71% of Earth Surface is Water

97.4% **Sea Water**

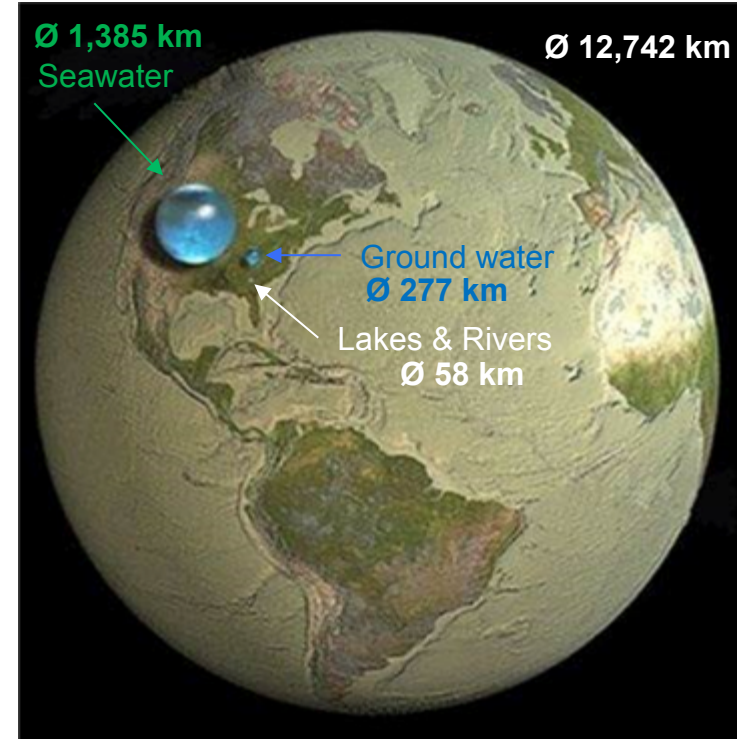
2.6% **Fresh Water**

68.6% is Frozen

30.1% is **Ground Water**
(0.783 % Earth Water)

1.3% is Surface Water

21% Lakes &
Rivers
(0.0071 % Earth
Water)



2018 Desalination in Figures

Around **20 000** Desalination Plants Worldwide(>100 m³/day) in **150** Countries

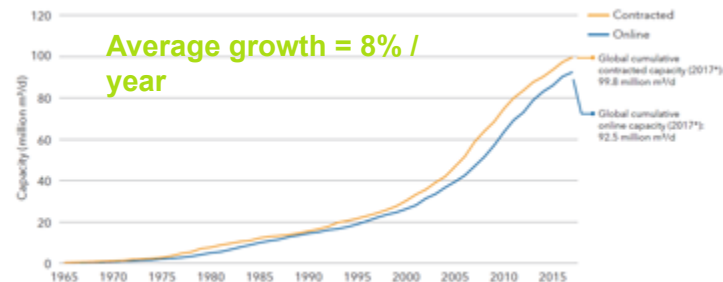
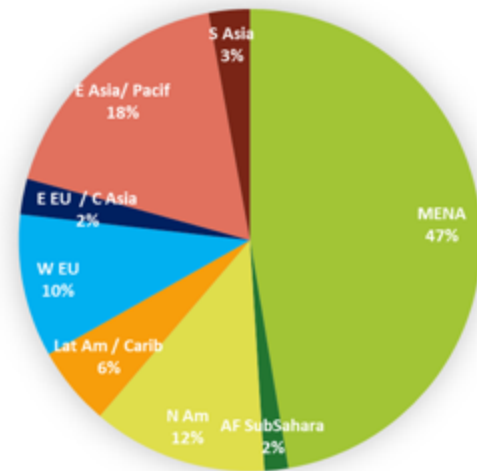
100 000 000 cubic meters per day is the Desalination Capacity built until 2018.

Over **300** Millions people in the World can drink water supplied by Desalination plants.



Plants	Desalination Plants - 30 th Inventory	Capacity - m3/day
19 744	Total Plants	99,728,694
3 793	Off Line	6,889,086
15 598	In Operation	83,786,165
353	Under Construction	9,053,443
15 951	Under Construction + Operation	92,839,608

Installed Capacity by Region



*Values through June 2017
Source: GIRI DesalData/IDA

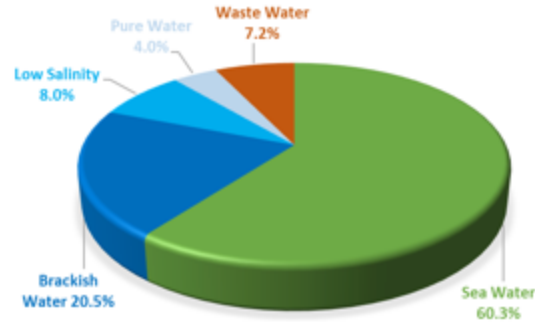
Growing Areas:

Middle East, Africa
USA, Latin America
India, China

■ MENA ■ AF SubSahara ■ N Am ■ Lat Am / Carib
■ W EU ■ E EU / C Asia ■ E Asia/ Pacif ■ S Asia

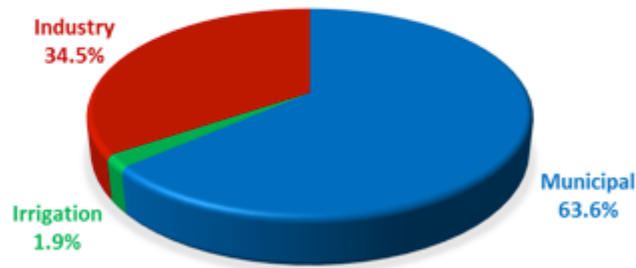
Sea water is confirmed as main source

.... and the solution is RO



TYPE OF RAW WATER

USER %



Sea water is growing faster than other sources. Going to **65%**

Both, Municipal and Industrial Markets, are growing at the same rate.

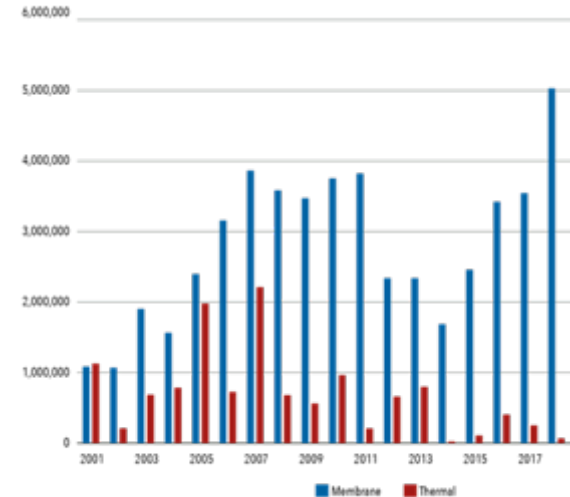
Industry mainly in:

O&G
Mining
Power

Higher size in Municipal

Average Municipal Plant:
8 600 m³/day

Average Industrial Plant :
3 600 m³/day

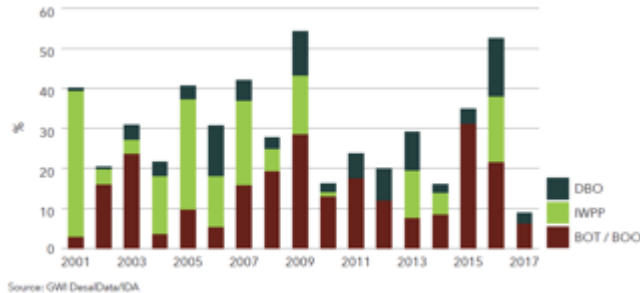


Membranes are actually prevailing in the Market: **> 95%**

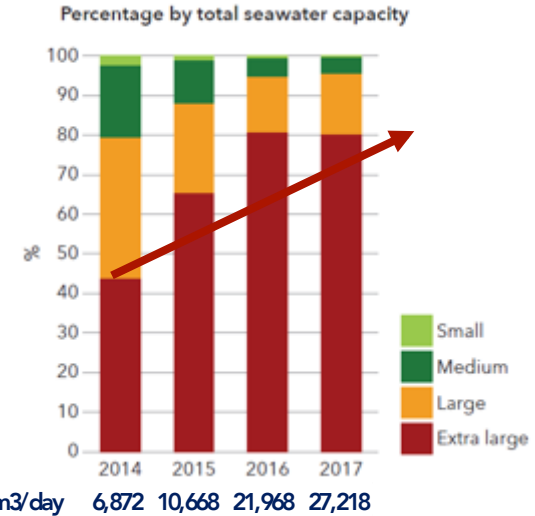
Even in Middle East!

Desalination Plants are becoming not linked to a Power Plant Contract and **Evaporation become marginal**

Procurement Method: Large Plants Mainly in DBFO or DBO and Plant size is increasing



XL Plants in DBFO or DBO
O&M > 20 years
IWWP → IWP (mainly RO)
In 2018-2019 DBFO > 50%
Market
DBFO not only in ME, also in
Africa, USA, LatAm ...



Annual Contracted Capacity with Private Sector Involvement, after year

Total Plants	Procurement	2000m3/day	%	Average m3/day
296	BOT / IWP / DBO	23 003 309	24.5%	77 714
18 159	DB / EPC	70 837 124	75.5%	3 901
SW Plants	Procurement	m3/day	%	Average m3/day
220	BOT / IWP / DBO	20 391 982	35.7%	92 687
5 757	DB / EPC	36 668 377	64.3%	6 369

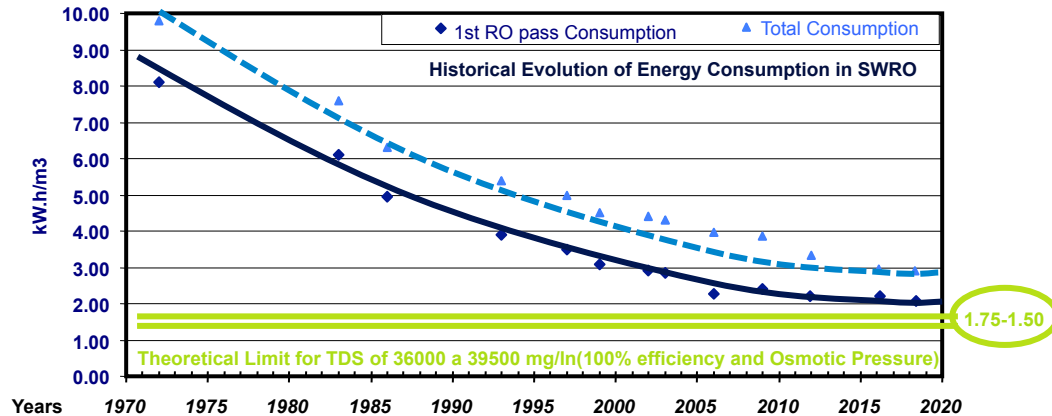
Going to MegaTon concept →

Taweelah, 910,000 m³/day
Al Jubail, 1,200,000 m³/day

Desalination Trends:

Energy and OPEX Optimization

OPEX drives the Market: 2/3 OPEX , 1/3 CAPEX



- SWRO: potential reduction of 0.2-0.3 kW.h/m³
- More performant/robust membranes, pumps and ERD
- Biofouling Control
- Minimize chemicals
- Ensure Plant Availability (spares, DAF, ...)
- UF or DMF: case by case, CAPEX + OPEX
- Delivery time and planning
- Respect the Environment

OPEX: Energy still the key

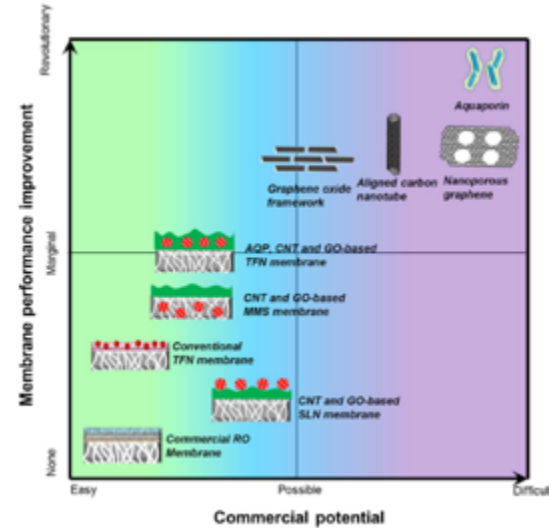
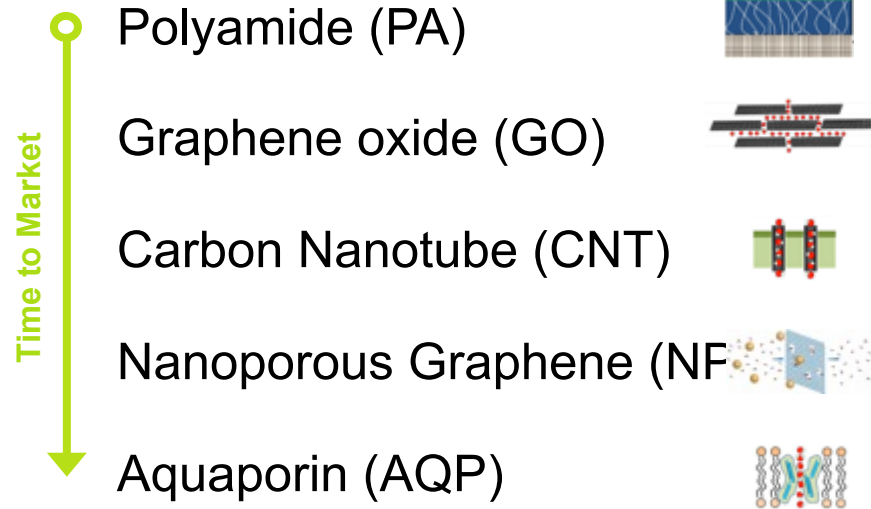
Incremental and marginal phase



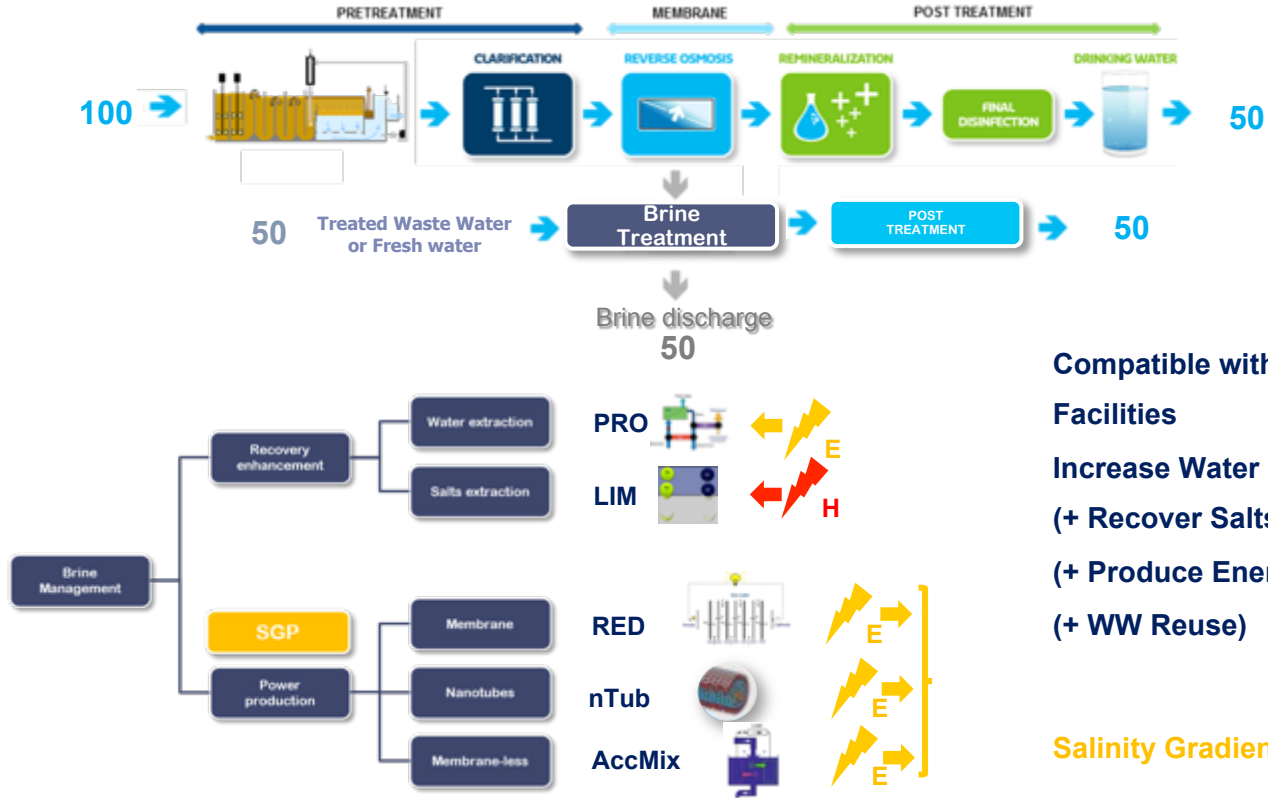
Taking profit of Renewable Energy:

- Minimize “Carbon footprint”
- Reduce Energy costs (RE: 2 to 8 € cents/kW.h)
- Direct coupling for small or remote plants

Membranes for the Future



Future Trend in Technologies: Brine as Source



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Thank you for your attention

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