



Carbon Neutral Municipalities

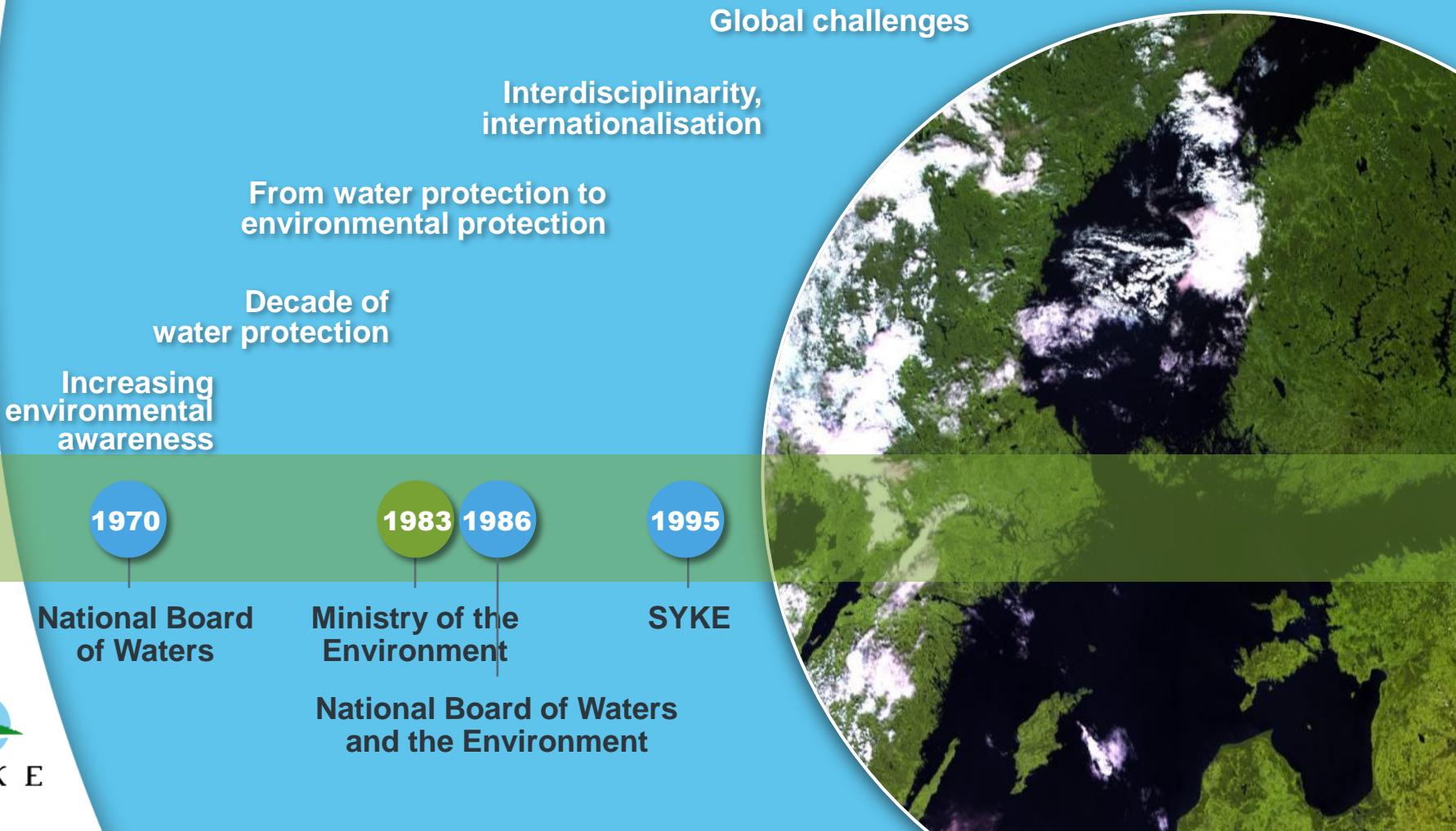
An innovative approach to climate change mitigation at local level

Finnish Environment Institute (SYKE)

2017

Call for environmental knowledge is increasing

Climate change mitigation • Green economy • Sustainable use of natural resources • Biodiversity • Ecosystem services • Baltic Sea



SYKE's Organisation



Freshwater Centre



Marine Research Centre



Natural Environment Centre



Centre for Sustainable Consumption and Production



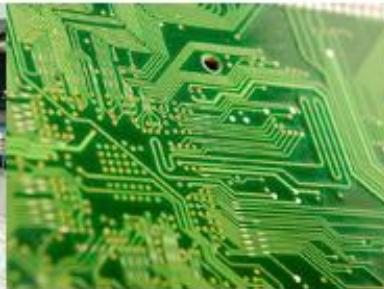
Environmental Policy Centre



Climate Change Programme



Laboratory Centre



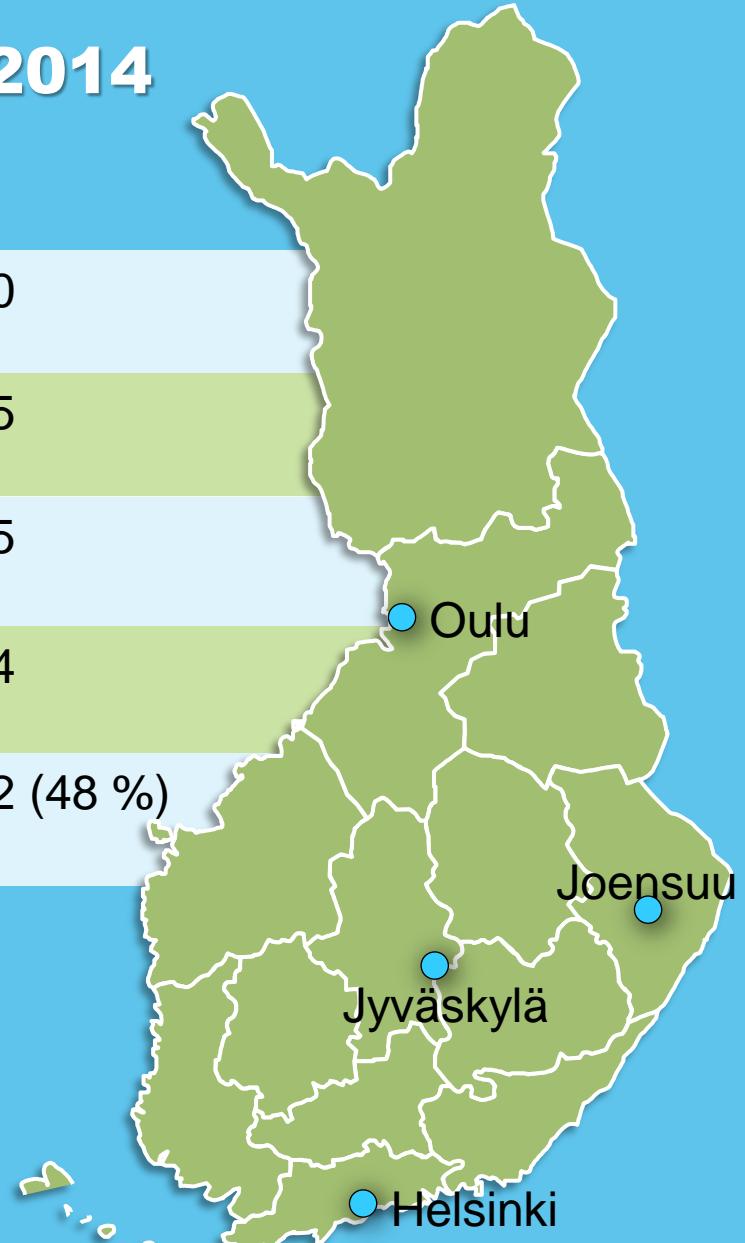
Data and Information Centre



International Affairs Unit

Personnel and funding 2014

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Personnel | 660 |
| Number of person years | 635 |
| Total funding (M€) | 60,5 |
| Direct budgetary funding (M€) | 31,4 |
| External funding (M€) | 29,2 (48 %) |



HINKU (Carbon neutral municipalities)

**The forerunners
work to curb their
greenhouse gas emissions
ahead of schedule**

-80% 2030





Municipalities, businesses, citizens and experts devise solutions that reduce emissions and improve local welfare



HINKU (Carbon neutral municipalities)

- Number one project in Finland to mitigate climate change
 - 1. Interesting story (Let's surprise the society)
 - 2. Ambitious goals
 - 3. Large and growing number of municipalities
 - 4. Clear results
 - 5. Wide range of actions



1. Let's surprise the society

- HINKU was initiated 2008 by businessmen and SYKE
- Financiers
 - Tekes
 - Private and public companies
 - SYKE, YM
 - Others
- Phases
 - 1. phase October 2008 – June 2010
 - 2. phase June 2010 – December 2012
 - HINKU-forum ->



HINKU-board 8/2011



Partners

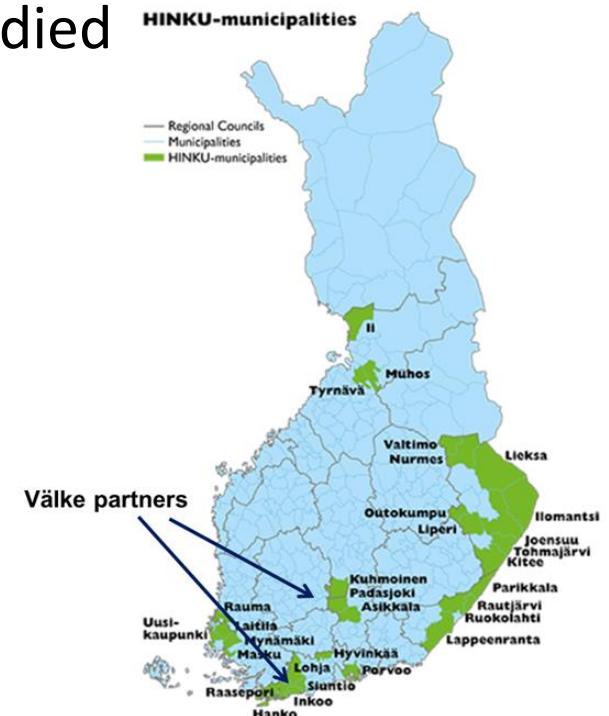
The Association of Local and Regional Authorities (Kuntaliitto), Finnish Environment Institute, Finnish Funding Agency for Technology and Innovation (Tekes), Finnish Innovation Fund (Sitra), Ministry of the Environment, Ministry of the Economy and Employment and companies:

- Ahjo Energia
- Artequa
- BaseN
- Benviroc
- BIOvakka
- Devoi Circle
- ELhouse Group/Sähkötalo-Asennus Oy
- Elintarviketeollisuusliitto
- Envitecpolis Oy
- Filtech Clean Air Filters
- Finess Energy
- Gasum
- GreenEnergy Finland
- Innotek
- Kalliokaivo
- Kuntarahoitus Oyj
- Lassila & Tikanoja
- Ledisol
- Lumine Lighting Solutions
- Muovitech Finland
- Naps Systems
- NCC Roads
- OmaVahti Oy
- Raisio
- Rakennusteollisuus RT ry
- RemoteMx
- Residentia Oy
- Sensire Oy
- Sito Oy
- Smart Green Talotekniikka Oy
- St1
- Sun Energia Oy
- Tammisaaren Energia
- Tehomet
- There Corporation
- Turun Osuuskauppa
- Oy Wassis Ab
- Yara



Sub-projects under HINKU-forum

- Välke
 - Local energy-expert in couple of geographical areas
 - South western Lake Päijänne
 - Western Uusimaa
 - More than 300 companies will be studied
- PKHINKU
 - Energy-expert in North Karelia
- VähäHIKU
 - Energy expert in North Ostrobothnia

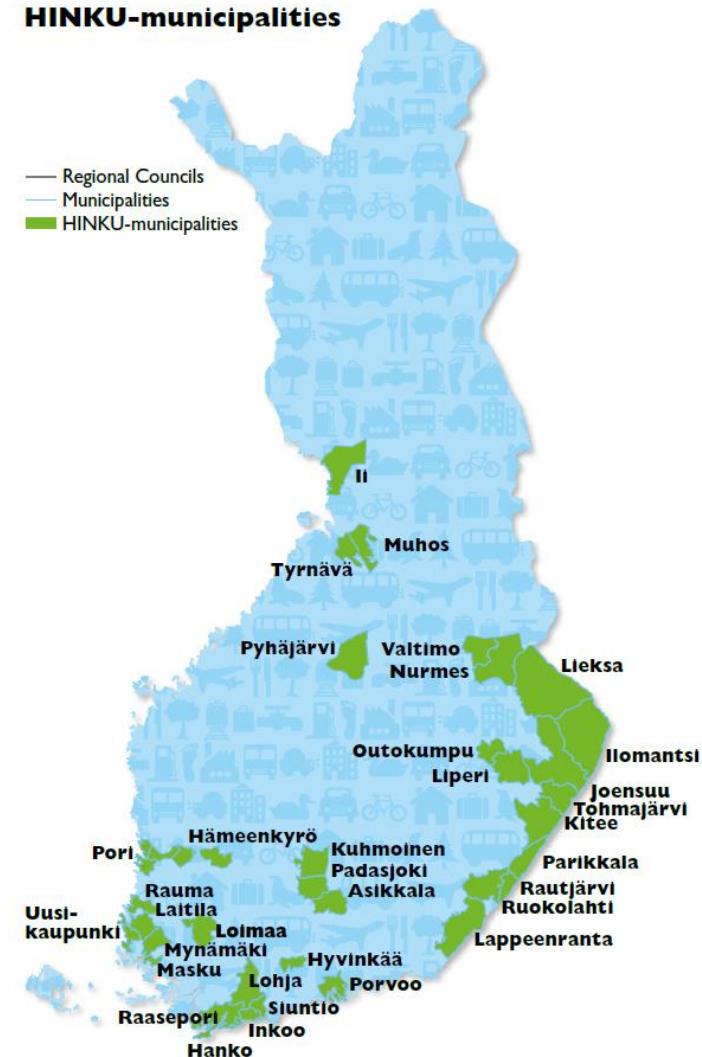


2. Ambitious goals

- -80 % by 2030 from 2007 levels
 - Effort sharing sector + use of electricity and district heating
 - Electricity, heating, transportation, agriculture and waste management
- EU targets -20 % by 2020, -40 % by 2030 and -80-95 % by 2050
- Economic actions in focus
 - Direct savings
 - More jobs
 - Better trade balance

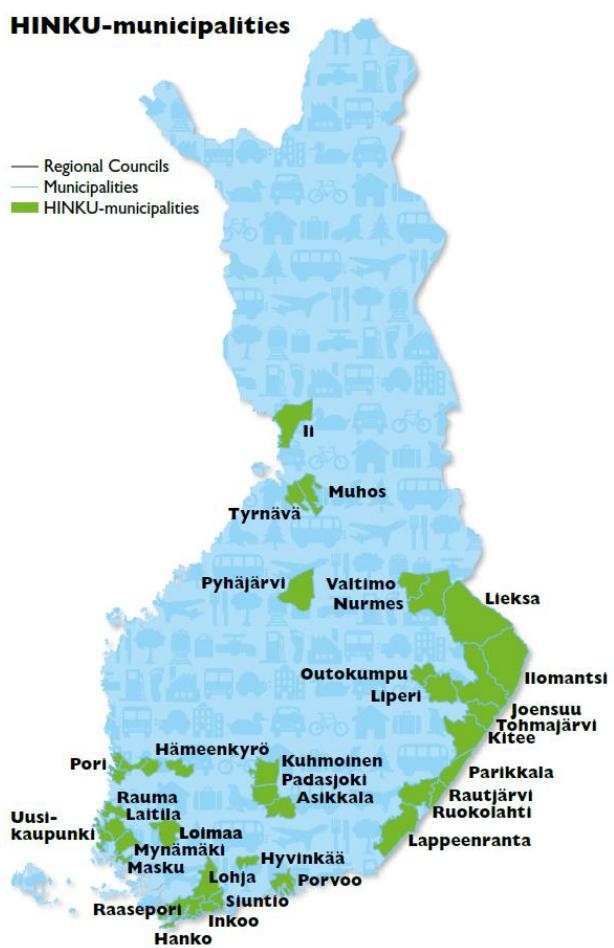
3. Large and growing group of municipalities

- 2008
 - 5 small municipalities
 - 36 000 inhabitants
- 2017
 - 35 municipalities
 - 658 000 residents
 - More coming





HINKU-municipalities



| Municipality | Population |
|--------------|----------------|
| Asikkala | 8300 |
| Hanko | 8900 |
| Hyvinkää | 46500 |
| Hämeenkyrö | 10700 |
| II | 9700 |
| Ilomantsi | 5300 |
| Inkoo | 5600 |
| Joensuu | 75600 |
| Kitee | 11000 |
| Kuhmoinen | 2300 |
| Laitila | 8500 |
| Lappeenranta | 73000 |
| Lieksa | 11800 |
| Liperi | 12300 |
| Lohja | 47400 |
| Loimaa | 16500 |
| Masku | 9700 |
| Muhos | 9100 |
| Mynämäki | 7900 |
| Nurmekoski | 8000 |
| Outokumpu | 7200 |
| Padasjoki | 3200 |
| Parikkala | 5300 |
| Pori | 85400 |
| Porvoo | 50000 |
| Pyhäjärvi | 5500 |
| Raasepori | 28500 |
| Rauma | 39900 |
| Rautjärvi | 3500 |
| Ruokolahti | 5300 |
| Siuntio | 6200 |
| Tohmajärvi | 4800 |
| Tyrnävä | 6800 |
| Uusikaupunki | 15600 |
| Valtimo | 2300 |
| Total | 657 600 |

Currently 11 % of the municipalities and 12 % of the population.

HINKU-FORUM

HINKU-municipalities – SYKE – partners
– expert and financing organisations



- Expertise and tools
- Financing and ja projects
- Publicity and networks

CLIMATE ACTIONS



IMPROVEMENT OF LOCAL WELFARE AND BUSINESS LIFE



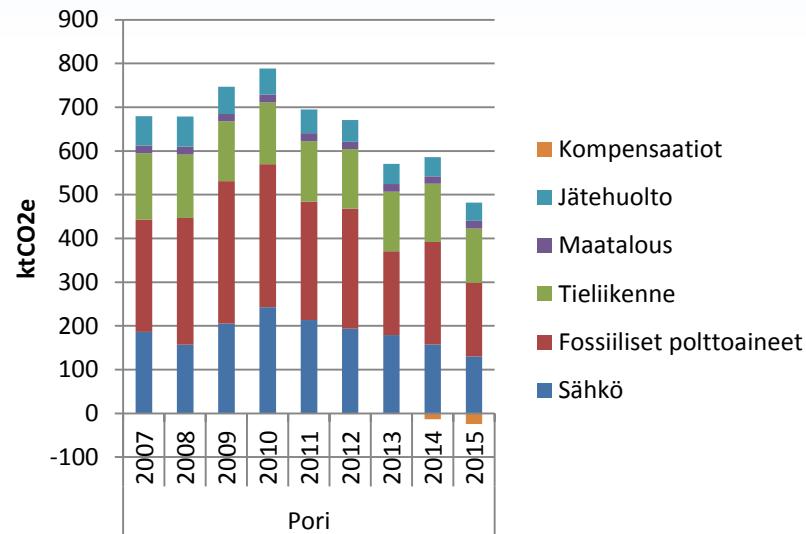
SPREADING THE BEST PRACTICES TO NEW MUNICIPALITIES

Criteria

- Commitment from municipal government
- GHG-emissions -80 % from 2007 levels by 2030
- Joining the energy efficiency agreement
- HINKU-contact person
- HINKU-group
- Yearly schedule of actions
- Communication to residents
- Communication with SYKE

4. Clear results

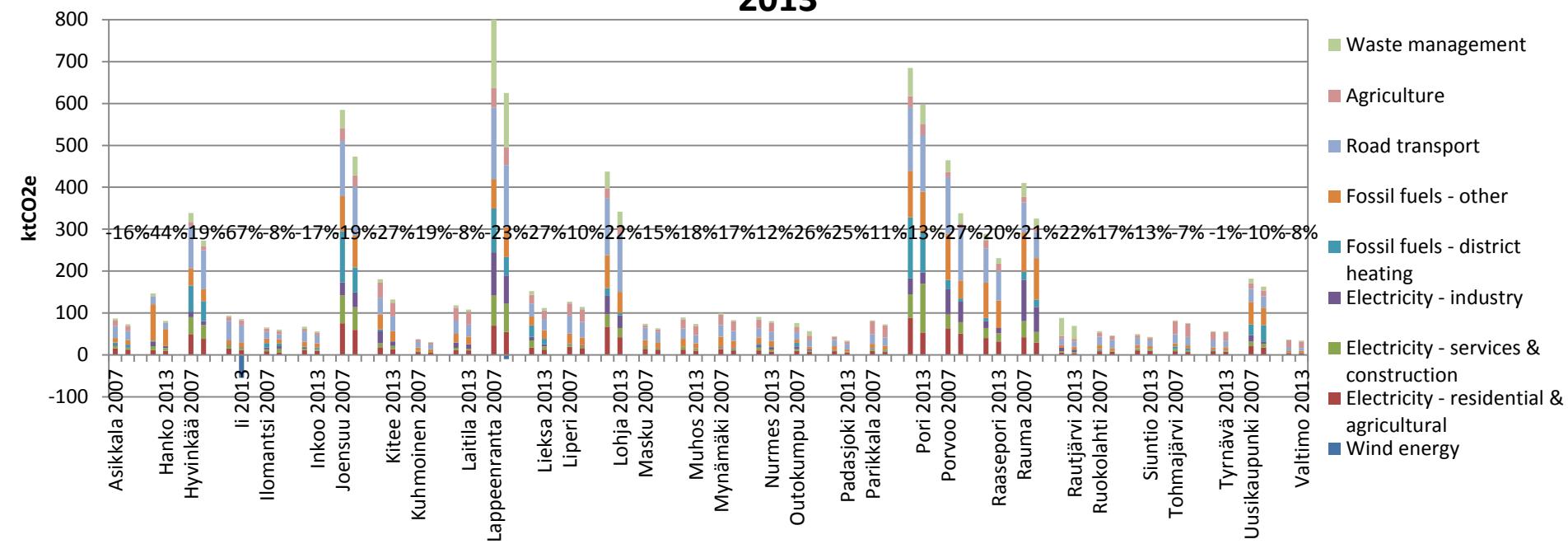
- 2007-2014 -22 %
 - Statistic are behind
- Emission calculation develops every year
- Goal is to make it fare and inspiring
 - For example agriculture, traffic, emission factor of electricity



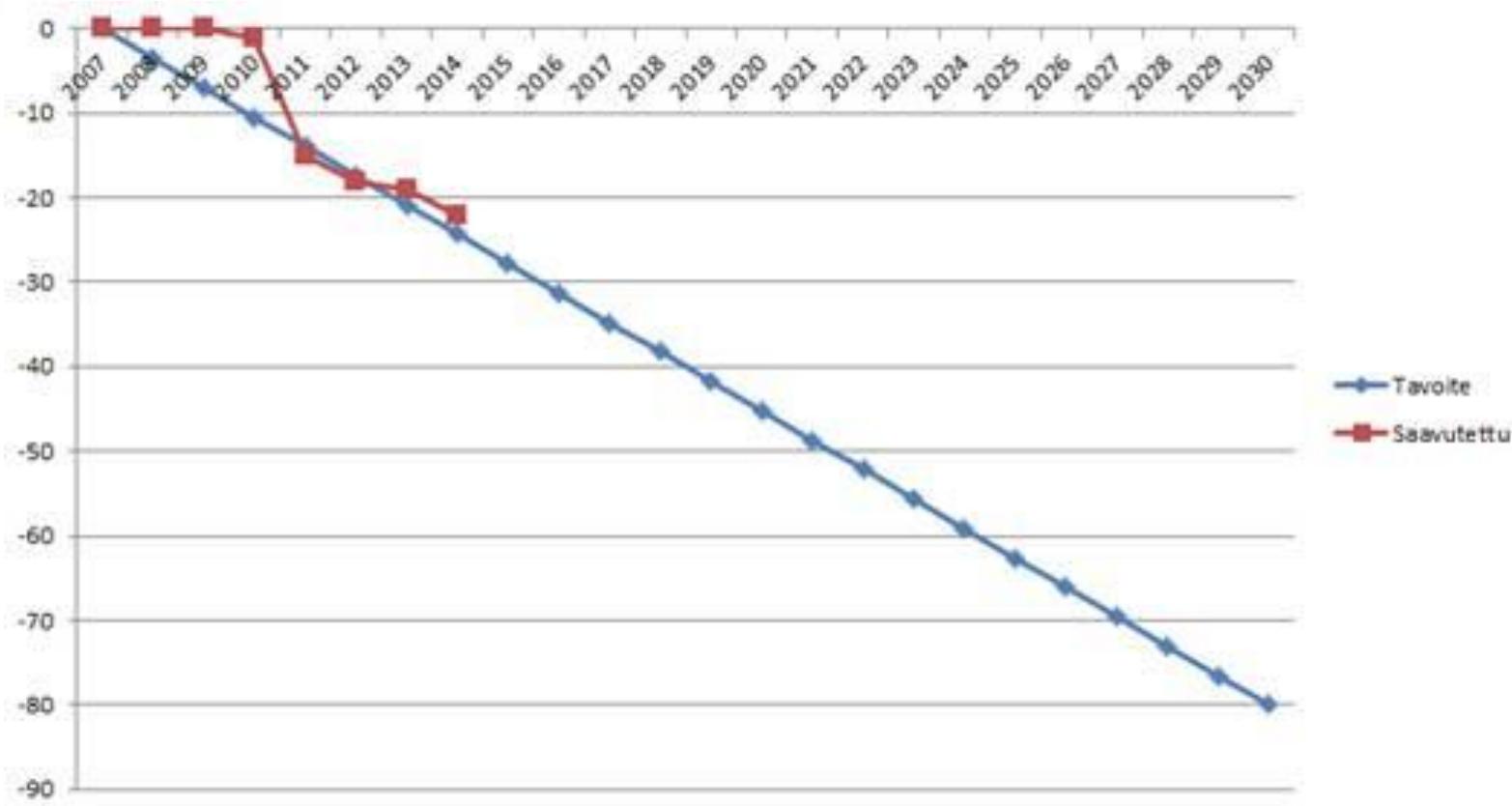


Sectoral GHG emissions in the HINKU municipalities in 2007 and 2013

Greenhouse gas emissions in Hinku municipalities by sector, years 2007 and 2013



Goal and reduction



Emission inventory

Municipal greenhouse gas emission inventories have been carried out partly with the KASVENER model, developed by SYKE for the Association of Finnish Local and Regional Authorities



Wide range of actions

- Commitment of municipal governments
- Emission inventories and energy studies
- Numerous reported measures to cut greenhouse gas emissions implemented by municipalities, companies and residents
- Pilot projects, side projects, surveys, events



Recent highlights

- Energy Globe Finland winner 2016
 - 18 applicants from Finland
- EEA:n "Sustainability transitions: Now for the long term" HINKU one of the nine examples



Municipalities benefit from climate change mitigation!

Woodchip-based district heating plant has decreased oil use in the area of Padasjoki. Yearly cost savings for the municipality are 200 000 euros.



Geothermal heating brings yearly cost savings of 85 000 euros in Ii. During 2012-2014 the municipality of Ii has saved 1 900 MWh of energy and decreased oil use by 310 000 litres.



Local energy expert

- Small municipalities and companies seldom have enough time and resources to explore energy efficiency options
- They have lack of information about where and how energy is used in their premises
- They also have lack of knowledge that in many cases low-carbon solutions are very cost-efficient

Local energy expert

- Often SMEs are aware that they could do some improvements but have **no time or resources** to find out them
- The **main interest is in the basic functions** and what brings income to the company, even though it would be worth considering how to reduce energy expenditures
- **Lack of money** is almost always the biggest reason for disinterest towards energy issues, but **lack of knowledge** play a role as well

Open Homes – energy walk

- Real life examples
- Heat pumps, wood pellets, solar pv, solar thermal...
- Subsidies, payback, permits, problems, knowledge...
- Owners presenting the truth
- Suitable for small groups
 - Once we had over 100 people



Perjantaina, 20. toukokuuta 2011 | Vakka-Suomen Sanomat

Energiaratkaisut kiinnostivat Mynämäessä

□ Sari Hukkanen

Mynämäen seuruhuoneen pääsihteeri Jyrki Viitasaari yhdessä HINKU-hankkeen ja sen yhteistyökumppanien kanssa tutustumiskierroksella mukanaan uusiin teknologioihin. Kierroksia järjestettiin Open House -tapahtumassa, joka tarjoi kertomus kesässään erilaisista energiaratkaisuista.

Päivä alkoi Mynämäen seuruhuoneen puuvillaklubi kohteessa kaveltien tai pyörällä, ja matkalla kohde sijaitseva sähköasema ja sähkökoottelua ajamasta ja Novides sähköasemista lataaja luopuu.

—Valko auto on pienikokoinen, se on vauvan jäntekä auto, ja se on hyvin sähköistetty sijoittelu auton keskelle alas. Auto ei ole varsinainen matkajätön suunnitelma, mutta

kyllä se 80 kilometriä turmatseksi kuulee ihon kivistä, jokinen harrastaa polttavaa harrastusta. Osoitekortti on alivoimaisesti oikea, sillä sähköaseman sijainti on lähes samalla paikalla kuin sähkökoottelun olyynti. Järjestelmiä toimii se mitä vaille kaikki ihminen haluaa: tuntematon ja mielellä myöhemmin tarkemmin toteutettu.

Toisesta tutustumiskohdasta oli kunnan kaupunkimyynti- ja Ruostesipulin alueella tutunrakennuksella ollut Reijo Lassila, joka esitteli olympeissä sähköaseman lähimmistä ja maksimistä 650 euroa.

Tuotannon kolme "varikkosella" eli yhdellä noin 2 euroa maksavella sähköllä 180 kilowattia tuottavaa sähköasemaa on säästää. Lassila esitti tytyyliäisen valintansa.

Energiamuodot valmistelevat kunnan kunnostustarpeita korjauskorkeiden. Tässäiselle kie-



Procurement of clean technology supports achievement of climate goals

Electric vehicles tested in municipal services in HINKU municipalities



Finland's largest procurement of solar panels organised in the HINKU project



Solar pv joint procurement

- Small groups to detached houses since 2013
- 40 % reduction to prices compared to single purchase
- Easy, reliable, affordable and fast
- Also municipalities got interested
- Leasing pilot with four municipalities



Solar pv joint procurement

- 2016 bigger joint procurement for municipalities
- Funding included
- Whole Finland can participate
- Over 10 % of municipalities joined at first stage
- 5 % more solar pv to Finland
- Certain type of ESCO



Pikkulauri's kindergarten, Mynämäki, Timo Oja

Solar pv joint procurement

- Joint procurement is effective when the market for the chosen product hasn't been fully developed
- It makes the decision easy in several ways:
 1. there is a coordinator who answers all open questions
 2. the power of the group: several others are making the same decision at the same time
 3. lower prices

Solar pv joint procurement + leasing

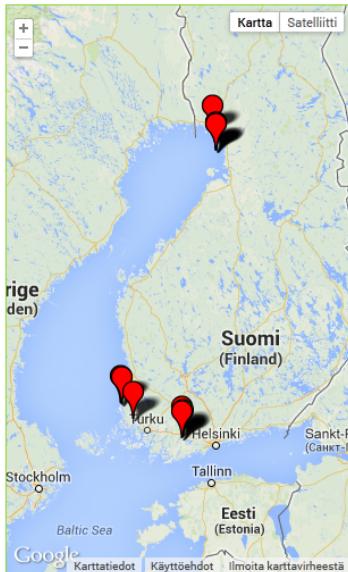
- Participants do not need to invest in the panels
- The leasing price will be equal to the price of electricity that has been produced by solar panels, if it was purchased from the grid
- The solar panels estimated lifetime is twice as long as the leasing period
- After the leasing period participants can purchase the solar panels at the nominal price



HINKUmappi online service

Tervetuloa HINKUmappiin!

HINKUmappi on ilmastotekojen näyteikkuna. Lisää omat toimesi ja katso, mitä muut ovat tehneet.



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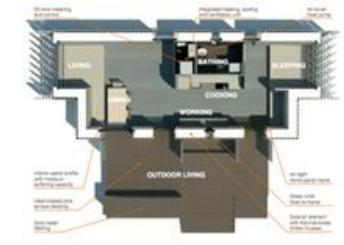
Haku

Tarkennettu haku

TUOREIMMAT HINKUMAPIN TOIMENPITEET

| Otsikko | Kunta |
|---|----------------------------|
| Jin Vuokralatom Oy:n viiden rivitaloyhtiön muuttaminen maalämpöön | Ii |
| LED-puket loistepukien tilalle vanhainkodissa | Laitila |
| Valtuustosalin LED-valot | Laitila |
| Koulun lämmitys maatalan hakelämöllä | Nousiainen |
| Järvilämpöä urheiluopistoon | Lohja |
| Ojamon koulun ilmanvaihtoremontti | Lohja |
| Kesämetro | Lohja |
| Iv-säätiö, Jyväskylän virastotalo | Ii |
| Valtarin koulun IV- saätö ja sähköseuranta järjestelmä | Ii |
| Lisälämmon eristyksellinen Kuivaniemen Hoivakoti | Ii |

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www.ymparisto.fi/hinkumappi

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Tervetuloa HANKINTAmappiin!

Hankintamappi on julkisten hankintojen tietokanta, jota julkaistaan käyttäjien yhteistyöllä. Palvelussa voit tutustua eri vaiheissa oleviin cleantech-hankkeisiin, joilla edistetään kestäviä ympäristö- ja energiaratkaisuja. Voit myös lisätä mappiin oman toteutuneen tai suunnitteilla olevan cleantech-hankintasi. Lisäksi Cleantech foorumissa voit avata tai osallistua keskusteluun cleantech-hankinnoista. Hankintamappin lyhytosoite on www.ymparisto.fi/hankintamappi

VAPAA HAKU:

CLEANTECH-HANKINNAT

| Hankinnan vaihe | Hankinnan kohde | Hankkija | Cleantech toimiala |
|-----------------|--|------------------------|------------------------------|
| Toteutunut | Lämpötoimittajan kilpailuttaminen viidelle maaseutukoululle, uusiutuva energia | Jyväskylän Tilapalvelu | Uusiutuva energia |
| Toteutunut | Aurinkovoimaloiden HINKU-yhteishankinta | HINKU-verkosto | Uusiutuva energia |
| Suunnitteilla | Aurinkovoimaloita leasing-mallilla julkisiin rakennuksiin | Kunnat | Uusiutuva energia |
| Toteutunut | Kiinteistöjen energiatehokkuuden parantaminen ESCO-mallilla | Vantaan kaupunki | Energiatehokkuusinvestointit |
| Toteutunut | Älykäs katuvalaistuksen ohjausratkaisu | Helsingin Energia | Valaistus |



FOORUMI SUUNNITTEILLA JA VALMISTELUSSA OLEVISTA HANKINNOISTA

[Aurinkovoimaloita leasing-mallilla julkisiin rakennuksiin](#)

[Mistä hyviä elinkaarikustannuslaskennan työkaluja?](#)

[Sähköbussien hankinta suunnitteilla](#)

[Miten materiaalinhallinta huomioidaan uudisrakentamisen hankinnassa?](#)

[Kuntaan 100 % vihreää sähköä?](#)

Solution cards

- **Solution cards** express the best practices to adopt low carbon technology
- A solution card is a PowerPoint slide in which key facts are presented in a nutshell
- Solution cards are designed for dissemination, especially on social media
- Solution cards should
 - arouse interest
 - give the background information
 - highlight the persons behind low-carbon solutions



ACTION

Modernisation of the port's lighting with automated remote control system and LED lighting fixtures

Suomi
Finland
100

LOCATION

Port of Hanko
Hanko

IMPLEMENTATION

2013-2014

INVESTMENT

300 000 €

OPERATIVE

10 years

PAYBACK PERIOD

5 years

INTERNAL RATE OF RETURN

15 %

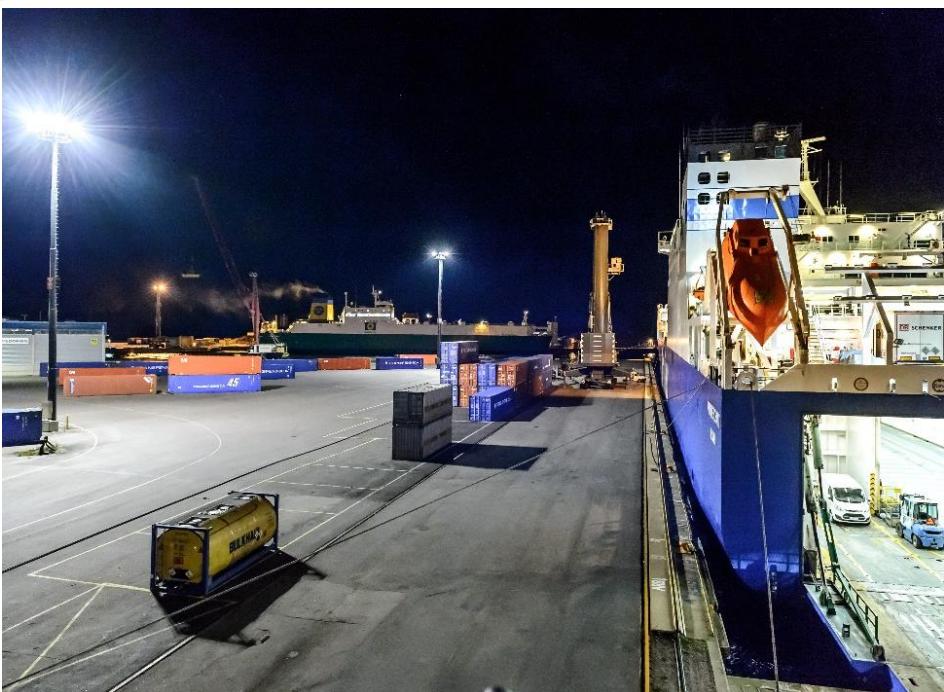
SAVINGS PER YEAR

60 000 €

REDUCED EMISSIONS

166 000 kg CO₂e / year

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**PORT OF
HANKO**



VÄLKE
Leverage from
the EU
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ACTION

Shift from oil central heating to solar energy and ground source heat pumps in 15 terraced houses

*Suomi
Finland*
100

LOCATION

**Kiinteistö Oy Tikankontti
Tohmajärvi**

IMPLEMENTATION

2015

INVESTMENT

120 000 €

OPERATIVE

20 years

PAYBACK PERIOD

9 years

INTERNAL RATE OF RETURN

9 %

SAVINGS PER YEAR

13 000 €

REDUCED EMISSIONS

30 000 kg CO₂e / year

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ACTION

LED lighting for Kitee Ice Hall

Suomi
Finland
100

LOCATION

Ice Hall
Kitee

IMPLEMENTATION

2015

INVESTMENT

34 000 €

OPERATIVE

11 years

PAYBACK PERIOD

4 years

INTERNAL RATE OF RETURN

24 %

SAVINGS PER YEAR

9 000 €

REDUCED EMISSIONS

18 000 kgCO₂e / year

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ACTION

Smart LED lighting for pedestrian walkways and cycle paths

LOCATION

**Penttilänranta
Joensuu**

IMPLEMENTATION

2015

INVESTMENT

8 000 €

OPERATIVE

20 years

PAYBACK PERIOD

15 years

INTERNAL RATE OF RETURN

3,3 %

SAVINGS PER YEAR

550 €

REDUCED EMISSIONS

1 100 kg CO₂e / year

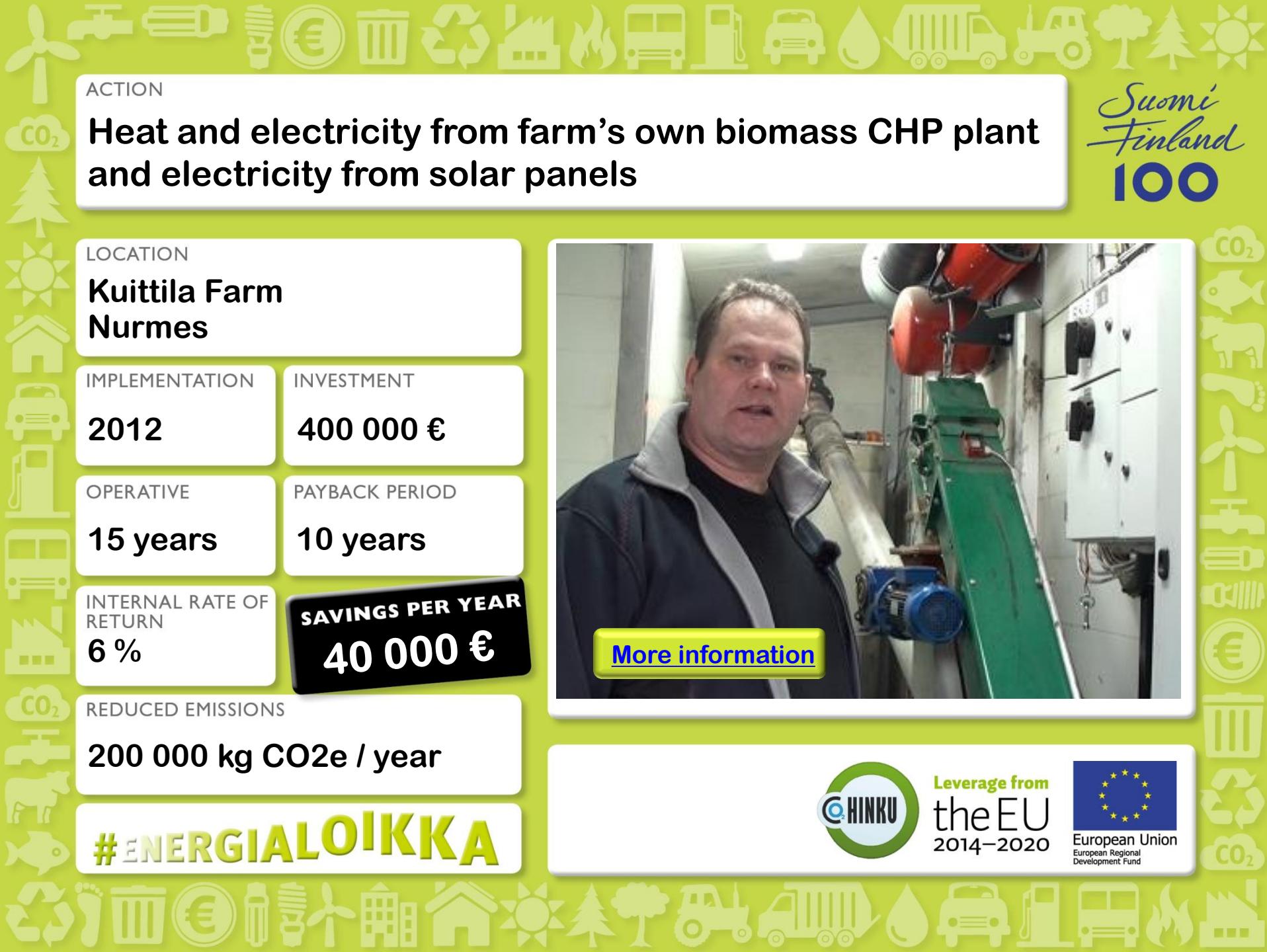
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ACTION

Heat and electricity from farm's own biomass CHP plant and electricity from solar panels

Suomi
Finland
100

LOCATION

**Kuittila Farm
Nurmes**

IMPLEMENTATION

2012

INVESTMENT

400 000 €

OPERATIVE

15 years

PAYBACK PERIOD

10 years

INTERNAL RATE OF RETURN

6 %

SAVINGS PER YEAR

40 000 €

REDUCED EMISSIONS

200 000 kg CO₂e / year

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ACTION

Shift from oil central heating to ground source heat pumps in Kesälahti Church and Parish Hall

Suomi
Finland
100

LOCATION

Kesälahti Church
Kitee

IMPLEMENTATION

2015

INVESTMENT

96 000 €

OPERATIVE

20 years

PAYBACK PERIOD

6 years

INTERNAL RATE OF RETURN

16 %

SAVINGS PER YEAR

16 000 €

REDUCED EMISSIONS

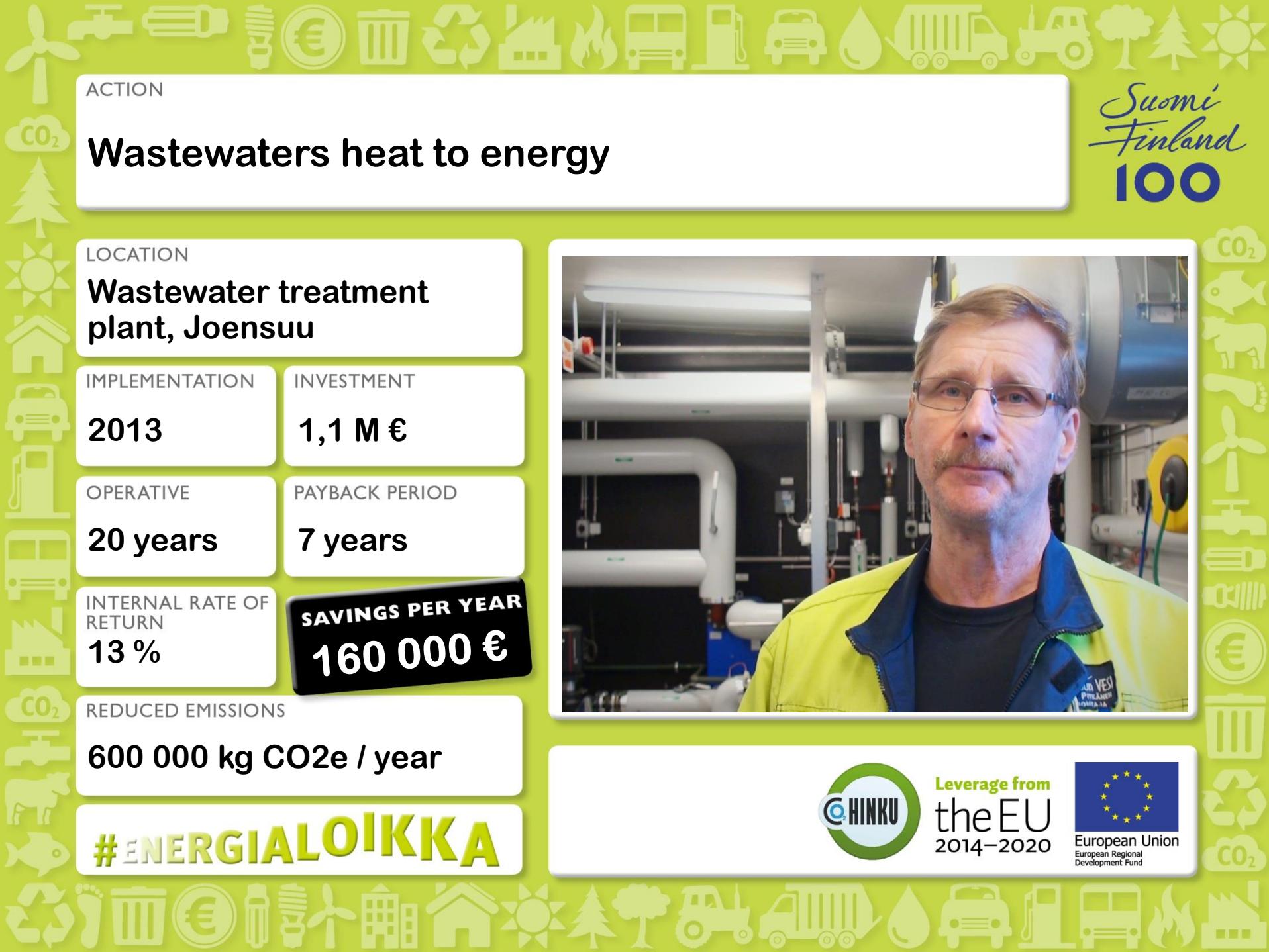
29 000 kg CO₂e / year

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ACTION

Wastewaters heat to energy

Suomi
Finland
100

LOCATION

Wastewater treatment plant, Joensuu

IMPLEMENTATION

2013

INVESTMENT

1,1 M €

OPERATIVE

20 years

PAYBACK PERIOD

7 years

INTERNAL RATE OF RETURN

13 %

SAVINGS PER YEAR

160 000 €

REDUCED EMISSIONS

600 000 kg CO2e / year

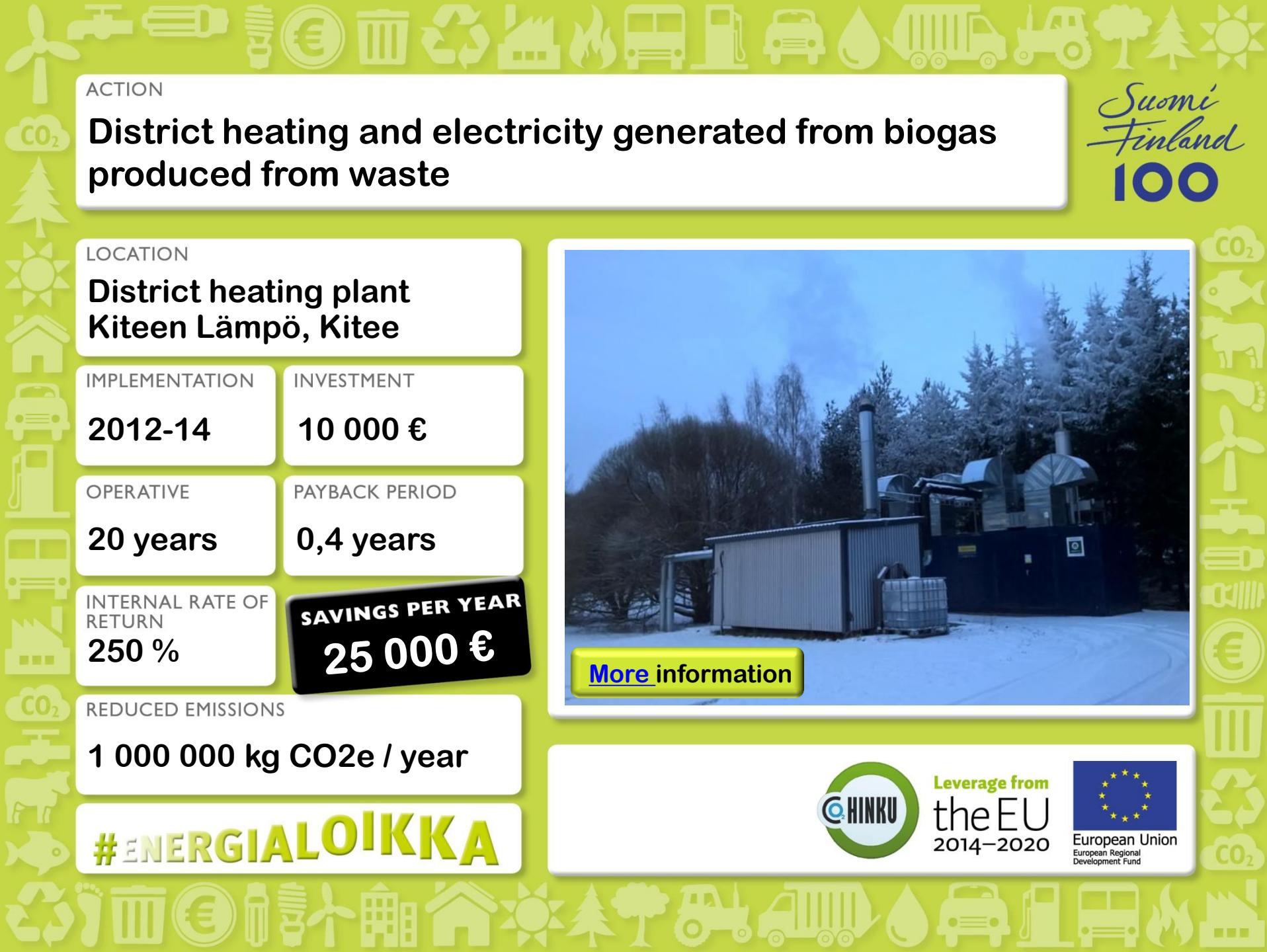
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ACTION

District heating and electricity generated from biogas produced from waste

LOCATION

District heating plant
Kiteen Lämpö, Kitee

IMPLEMENTATION

2012-14

INVESTMENT

10 000 €

OPERATIVE

20 years

PAYBACK PERIOD

0,4 years

INTERNAL RATE OF RETURN

250 %

SAVINGS PER YEAR

25 000 €

REDUCED EMISSIONS

1 000 000 kg CO2e / year

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