



# Standardization of on-site treatment in China

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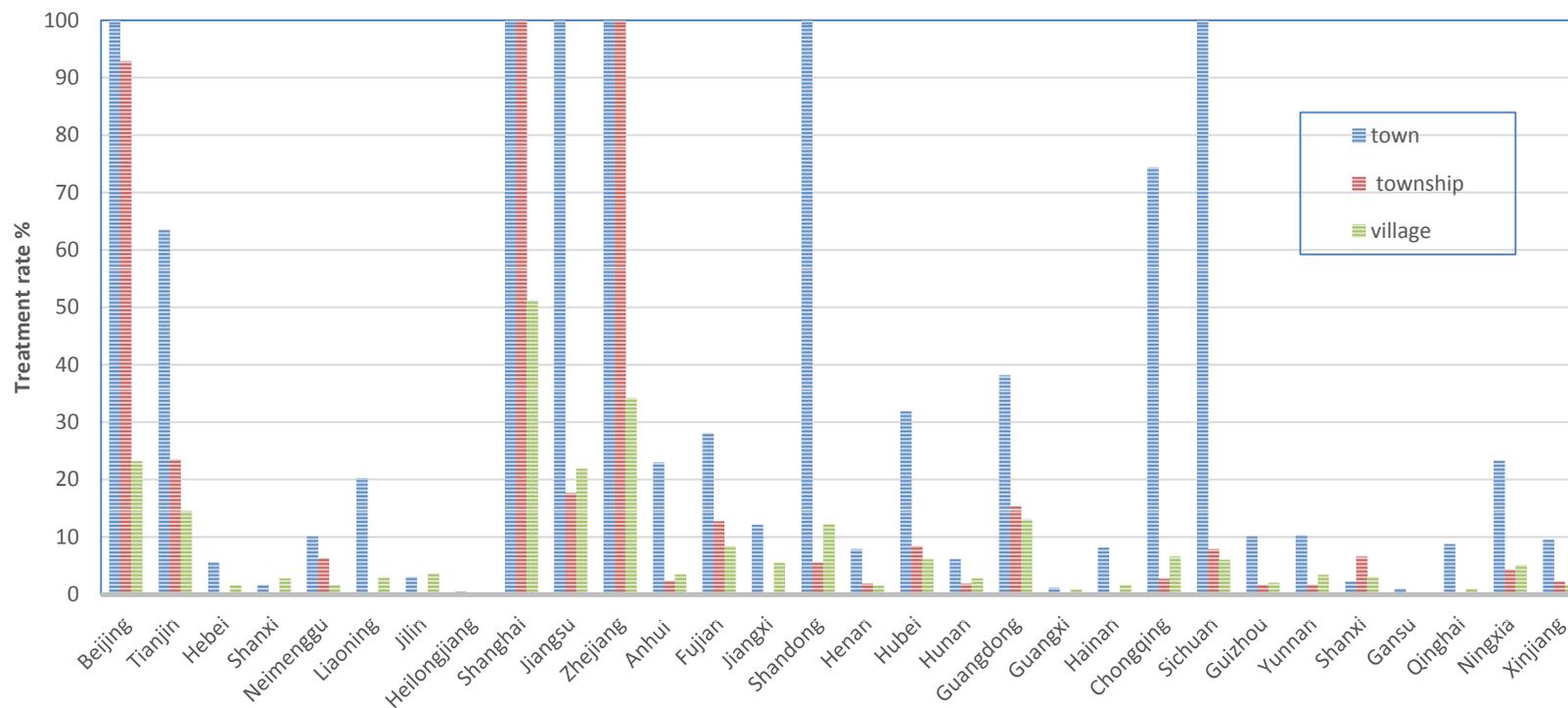
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# standards of on-site wastewater treatment



# Domestic wastewater treatment rate in 2011 year



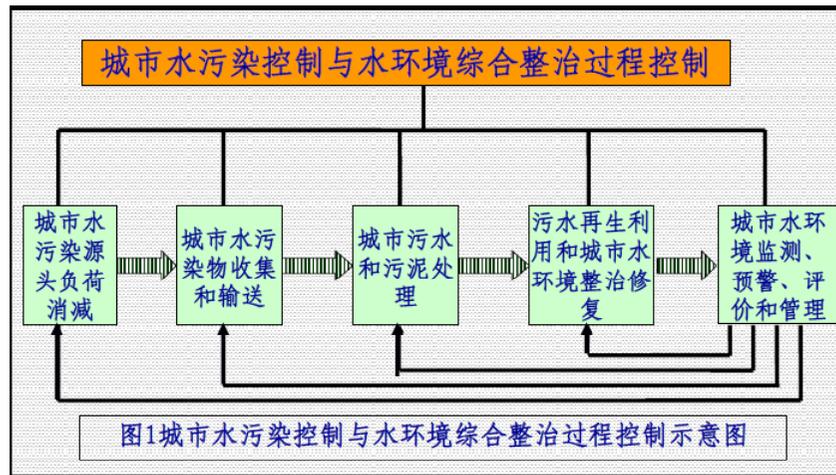
Up to the end of 2010, **22.9%** of domestic wastewater from towns and villages

# Situation

- **Lack of knowledge of decentralized systems**
- **Lack of long-term operation data**
- **Management needed**
  - **systems are a cost-effective and long-term option for meeting public health and water quality goals**
  - **Who is responsible? Typically homeowner for onsite, Inadequate methods of needs assessment**



# Standard system of off-site wastewater treatment

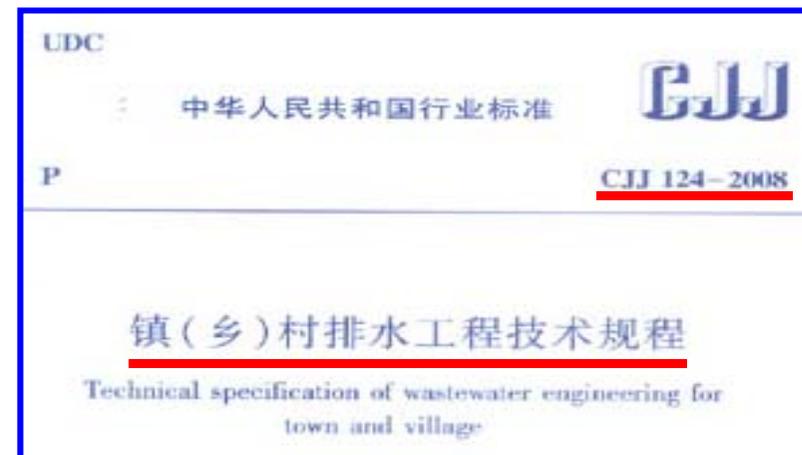


| 领域范围               | 主要内容                                                                                                                                      | 标准状态       |
|--------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| 综合规划               | 1 城市水污染控制技术规范<br>2 城市水环境综合规划技术规程                                                                                                          | 已颁发标准和待编标准 |
| 城市污染源头负荷消减         | 1 相关水量标准<br>2 相关水质标准<br>3 用水器具、设备技术标准<br>4 用水计量技术标准                                                                                       | 已颁发标准和待编标准 |
| 城市水污染物收集和输送        | 5 排水管网技术标准<br>6 排水管网维护与安全, 更新改造技术标准<br>7 管道工程专用设备技术标准<br>8 排水管材管件技术标准                                                                     | 已颁发标准和待编标准 |
| 城市污水和污泥处理          | 9 机械处理相关工程技术标准<br>10 生物处理相关工程技术标准<br>11 膜法处理相关工程技术标准<br>12 自然与人工生态处理相关工程技术标准<br>13 污水处理厂运行维护与安全技术标准<br>14 污泥臭气处理技术标准<br>15 污水污泥处理专用设备技术标准 | 已颁发标准和待编标准 |
| 污水再生利用和城市水环境综合整治修复 | 16 污水再生利用相关工程技术标准<br>17 城市水环境综合整治相关工程技术标准<br>18 城市河湖生态修复相关工程技术标准                                                                          | 已颁发标准和待编标准 |
| 城市水环境检测、预警、管理和评价   | 19 城市水污染控制监测预警技术标准<br>20 城市水污染控制设施功效评定技术标准<br>21 城市水环境管理技术标准<br>22 城市水污染控制与水环境综合评价标准                                                      | 已颁发标准和待编标准 |

城市水污染控制与水环境综合整治标准体系

# Standard system of on-site wastewater treatment

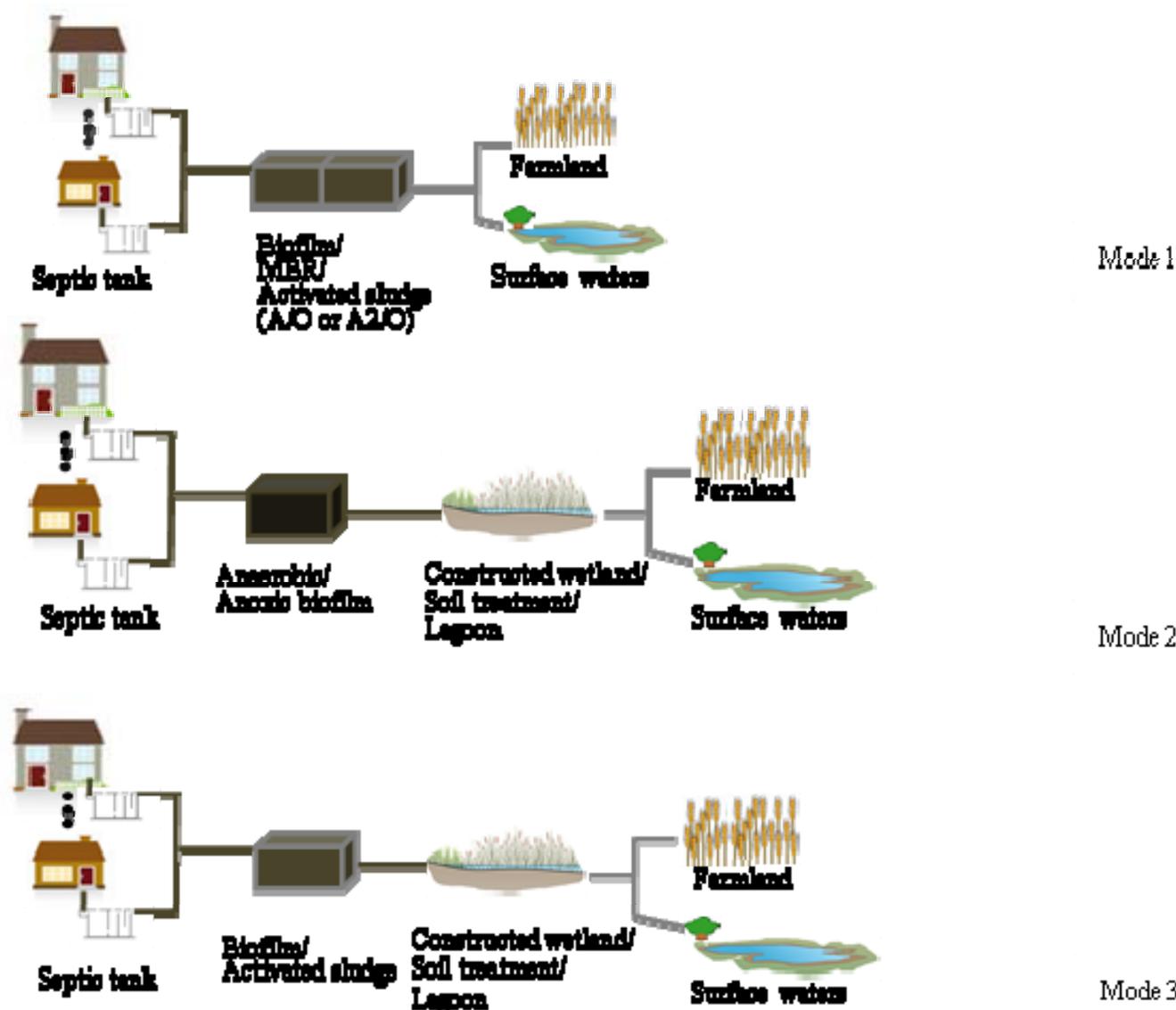
- ✓ **Technique code for village rehabilitation (GB-50445-2008)**
- ✓ **Technical specification of wastewater engineering for town and village (CJJ124-2008)**
- ✓ **Technical Specification of wastewater treatment facilities for village (CJJ/T163-2011)**
- ✓ **Complete equipment for domestic wastewater plant (CJ/T 355-2010)**
- ✓ **Technical guide for rural domestic wastewater treatment in different regions**



# Technical Specification of wastewater treatment facilities for village (CJJ/T163-2011)



# Main models of on-site wastewater treatment in China



# Main contents

## How to choose the suitable technology for rural area?

- 1 General provisions
- 2 Terms and symbols
- 3 General requirement
- 4 Treatment technologies
  - Anaerobic biofilm tank
  - Biological contact oxidation tank
  - Biological aeration filter
  - Oxidation ditch
  - Rotating biological contactor
  - Activated-sludge process
  - Ecological treatment of wastewater
  - Chemical phosphorus removal
  - Disinfection
- 5 Wastewater treatment facilities in village
- 6 Wastewater treatment station in village
  - Wastewater treatment station for COD removal
  - Wastewater treatment station for nitrogen removal
  - Wastewater treatment station for nitrogen and phosphorus removal
- 7 Construction and acceptance of engineering quality

# Main contents

## Discharged standard:

- Discharge
- Reuse

| Items              | Grade IA | Grade IB | Grade II |
|--------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| COD                | 50       | 60       | 100      |
| T-N                | 15       | 20       | -        |
| NH <sub>4</sub> -N | 5(8)     | 8(15)    | 25(30)   |
| T-P                | 0.5      | 1        | 3        |

Unit: mg/L

3.0.3 污水的排放要求直接关系到污水处理程度和技术选择，因此，农村生活污水的排放要求需根据国家和地方的排放要求因地制宜地确定，以保证污染物消减目标的实现和降低成本。在没有排放要求的农村地区，针对地区的特征，建议按表 1 参考不同的排水去向的排放要求。

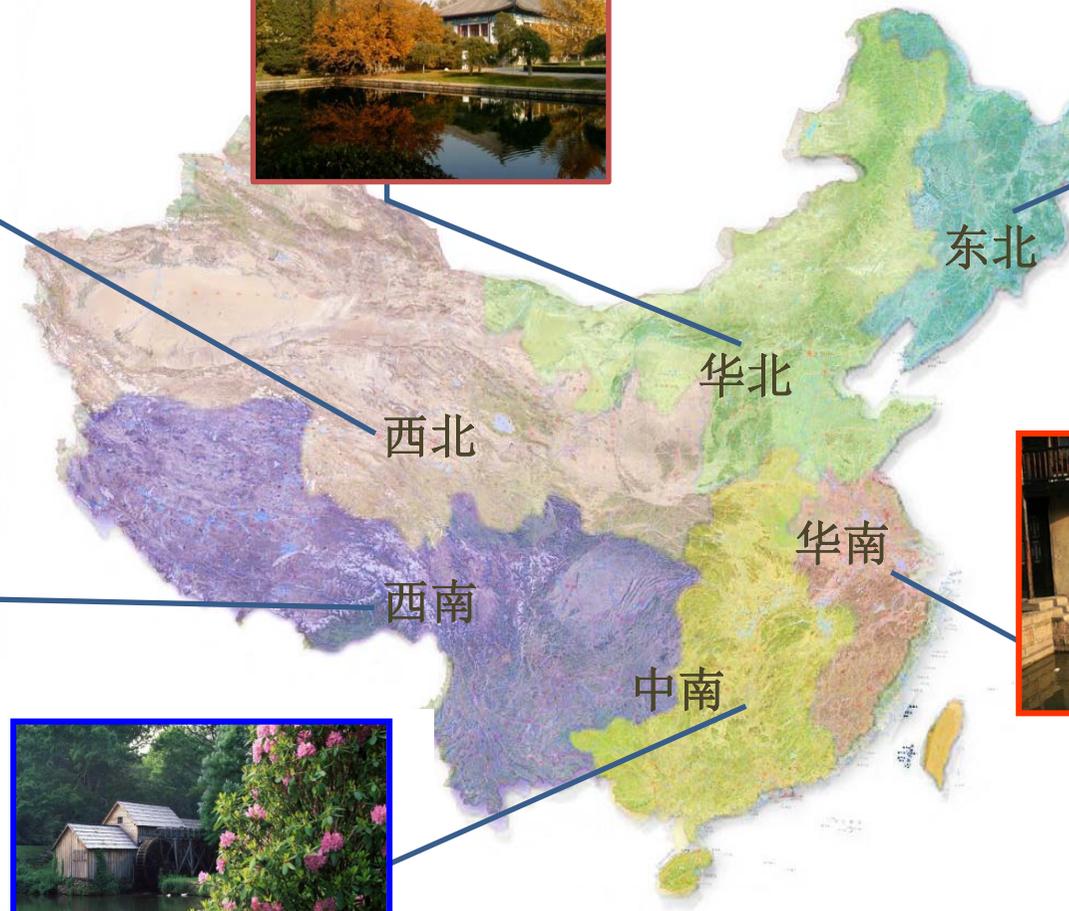
表 1 村庄污水排放执行的相关参照标准

| 排水用途 | 直接排放                    |                                | 灌溉用水                    |                                   | 渔业用水                 | 景观环境用水                             |
|------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|
|      | 污水综合排放标准<br>GB8978-1996 | 城镇污水处理厂污染物排放标准<br>GB18918-2002 | 农田灌溉水质标准<br>GB5084-2005 | 城市污水再生利用农田灌溉用水水质<br>GB 20922-2007 | 渔业水质标准<br>GB11607-89 | 城市污水再生利用景观环境用水水质<br>GB/T18921-2002 |
| 参考标准 |                         |                                |                         |                                   |                      |                                    |

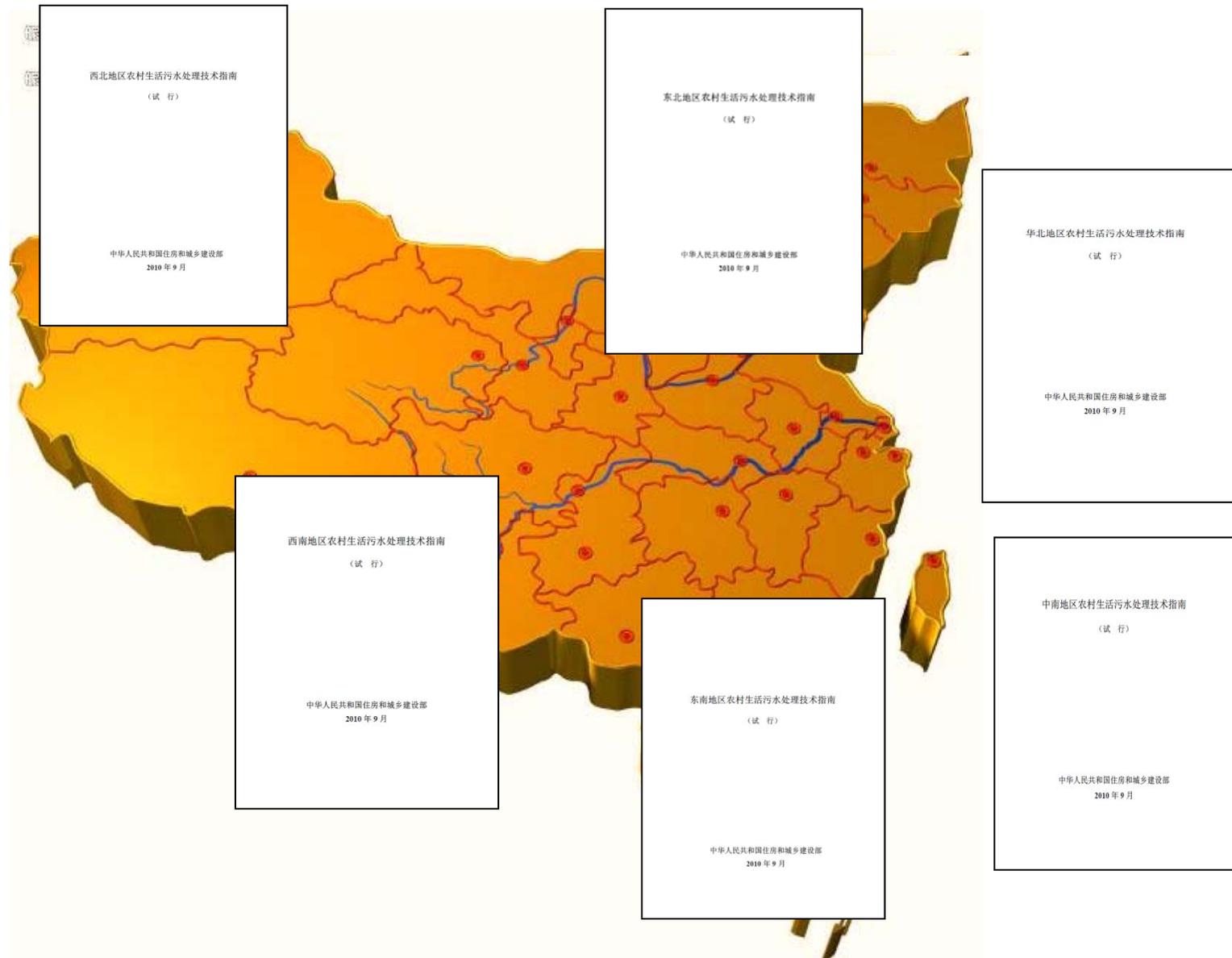
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# Wastewater in different regions

## Domestic water use (L/P. day)

| Types of village                                | Northeast | North south | North   | West north | West south | South   |
|-------------------------------------------------|-----------|-------------|---------|------------|------------|---------|
| Good economic, bath ,flush toilet ,wash mashine | 80-135    | 90~200      | 100~145 | 75~140     | 80-160     | 100~180 |
| Good economic, bath and kitchen                 | 40-90     | 80~100      | 40~80   | 50~90      | 60-120     | 60~120  |
| Normal economic ,simple toilet                  | 40-70     | 60~90       | 30~50   | 30~60      | 40-80      | 50~80   |
| No flush toilet                                 | 20-40     | 40~70       | 20~40   | 20~35      | 20-50      | 40~60   |

## Charactics of wastewater (mg/L)

| 主要指标        | pH      | SS      | COD     | BOD <sub>5</sub> | NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup> -N | TP      |
|-------------|---------|---------|---------|------------------|---------------------------------|---------|
| West south  | 6.5~8.5 | 100-300 | 100-400 | 50-300           | 3-50                            | 1.0-6.0 |
| Northeast   | 6.5-8.0 | 150-200 | 200-450 | 200-300          | 20-90                           | 2.0-6.5 |
| North south | 6.5~8.5 | 100~200 | 70~300  | 150~450          | 20~50                           | 1.5~6.0 |
| North       | 6.5~8.0 | 100~200 | 200~450 | 200~300          | 20~90                           | 2.0~6.5 |
| West north  | 6.5~8.0 | 150~200 | 150~400 | 100~150          | 20~50                           | 2.0~6.0 |
| South       | 6.5~8.5 | 100~200 | 100~300 | 60~150           | 20~80                           | 2.0~7.0 |

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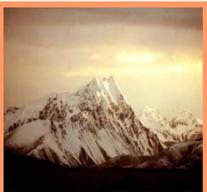
**Northeast:** septic tanks, anaerobic biofilter, bio-contact oxidation tank, land treatment, constructed wetlands, lagoon



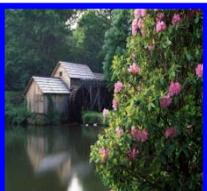
**North China :** septic tanks, sewage digesters, aeration tank, sequencing batch bio-reactor, oxidation ditch, biological contact oxidation , constructed wetlands, land treatment



**Northwest :**septic tank, anaerobic digesters, anaerobic biofilter, constructed wetlands, land treatment..



**Southwest:** septic tanks, wetland, land treatment, anaerobic technology, bio-contact oxidation tank, oxidation ditch, anaerobic biofilter



**Middle south:** septic tanks bio-contact oxidation, oxidation ditch, constucted wetland, lagoon, floating islands could be applied for sewage treatment.



**southeast:** septic tank, anaerobic biofilter, anaerobic digesters; biological contact oxidation tank, oxidation ditch, constructed wetlands, ecological filter.

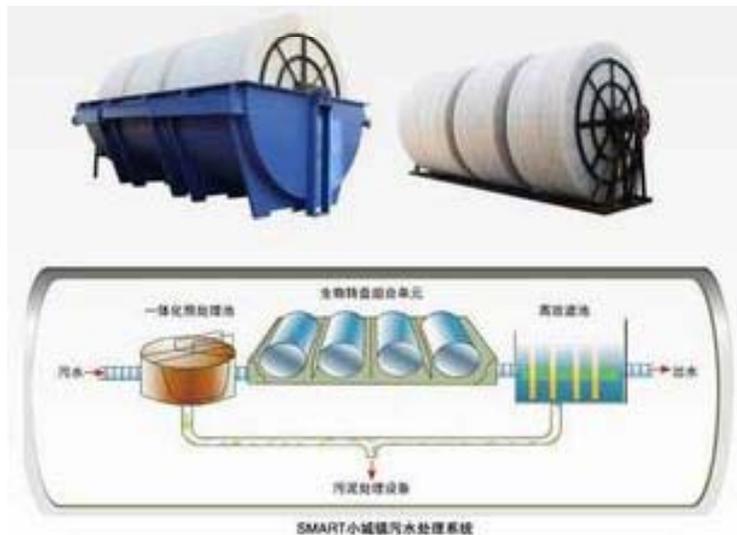
- **Complete equipment for domestic wastewater plant  
(CJ/T 355-2010)**
- **Household sewage treatment plant**



# Main contents

Less than 50 M<sup>3</sup>/day Facilities

- **Discharge:**  
**Biofilm**
- **Reuse:**  
**MBR**



Less than 2M<sup>3</sup>/day Facilities

|   | Technologies              | P  | G  |
|---|---------------------------|----|----|
| 1 | Anaerobic +biofilm        | √  | —— |
| 2 | Anoxic- oxic biofilm      | √  | —— |
| 3 | Anaerobic digestion       | —— | √  |
| 4 | Anoxic/ anaerobic biofilm | —— | √  |

# Challenges and future



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- **The standards of rural sewage drainage** currently follow a uniform urban sewage treatment plant emission standard. However, attaining these urban standards is difficult using rural technologies and is unrealistic based on the economic potential of rural areas. Thus, rural characteristics must be taken into account when developing new sewage, drainage and water quality standards. Furthermore, whether effluent from sewage facilities is reused for irrigation or discharged into surrounding water bodies, it must meet a certain quality standard. There should be an emphasis on reusing effluent for more sustainable sewage treatment practices in Chinese villages.
- In rural areas, there is a **lack of supervision in sewage treatment facilities**, resulting in operational problems and poor implementation of treatments such that facilities are running at a lower standard than is expected. We recommended identifying the appropriate regulatory authorities to be responsible for daily testing of water quality in sewage treatment facilities.
- Surface water bodies in rural areas are the main source of water for the livelihood of villagers. However, these water bodies are also used for the discharge of sewage, so sanitation must be monitored for the health of villagers and the environment. Lack of disinfection of effluent discharged from rural sewage treatments could cause the spread of potentially dangerous pathogens, therefore, suitable disinfection processes must be applied in the rural sewage treatment process.

**Thanks for your attention!**

