



Template for Evidence(s) UI GreenMetric Questionnaire

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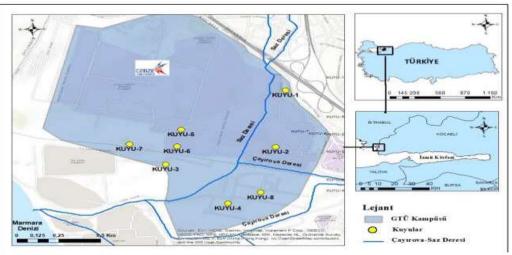
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[4] Water (WR)

[4.1] Water Conservation Program Implementation





Location of grandwater wells on GTU campus





ÜNİVERSİTEDE MEVCUT KUYULAR VE KUYU SUYU KULLANIMI

Gözlem İstasyonu	Koordinatlar		Ortalama Su Seviyesi	Arazi seviyesinde n	15
	Enlem	Boylam	(mt)	Kuyu Derinliği	Mevcut Su seviyesi
Kuyu-1/Eski Sera	40°48'50.78"K	29°21'47.45"D	2,55	8,1 mt	5,3mt
Kuyu-2/Öğr. Yemekhane	40°48'35.03"K	29°21'44.39"D	3,65	11 mt	4,7mt
Kuyu-3/Asemlab	40°48'30.79"K	29°21'16.16"D	2,88	7 mt	3mt
Kuyu-4/Kimya Müh.	40°48'19.62"K	29°21'31.63"D	2,23	9,2 mt	6,6mt
Kuyu-5/Personel Yemekhane	40°48'40.40"K	29°21'20.46"D	5,63	9,6 mt	1,7mt
Kuyu-6/Cami Yanı	40°48'35.73"K	29°21'19.29"D	5,01	6,2 mt	2 mt
Kuyu-7/Sumer	40°48'22.47"K	29°21'40.17"D	2,88	10,3 mt	7,4mt

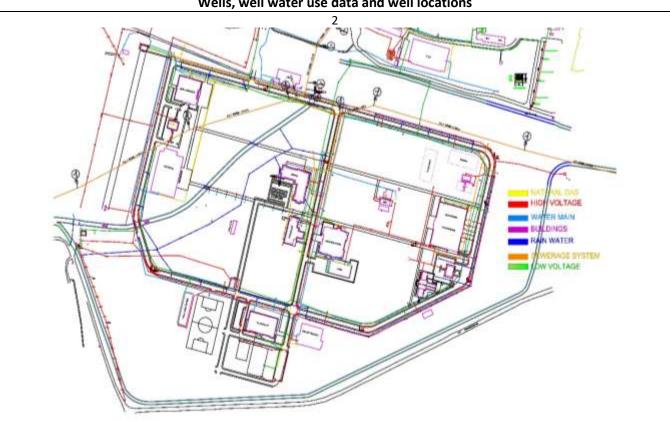
PEYZAJ SULAMADA KUYULARDAN KULLANILAN SU MİKTARI

HAZİRAN 15 Ton/gün 300 Ton/ay **TEMMUZ** 15 Ton/gün 345 Ton/ay **AĞUSTOS** 15 Ton/gün 330 Ton/ay EYLÜL 15 Ton/gün 315 Ton/ay

> TOPLAM 1.290 Ton/yıl

Total water consumption from wells for campus irrigation

Wells, well water use data and well locations



Map of sewer system





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GÜNLÜK RUTİNLERİMİZDEKİ KÜÇÜK DEĞİŞİKLİKLER GEZEGENİMİZİN EN ÖNEMLİ KAYNAĞI OLAN SUYUN KORUNMASINDA BÜYÜK BİR ETKİYE SAHİPTİR.



Damlayan muslukları ve sız<mark>dıran boruları</mark> en kısa sürede tamir ederek,



Tasarruflu musluk başlıkları kullanarak,



Bulaşık ve çamaşır makinenizi sadece tam doluyken çalıştırarak,



Duş alırken su tasarrufuna dikkat ederek veya bir zamanlayıcı ile duş süresini azaltarak,



Suyun buharlaşmasını azaltmak için çimlerinizi ve bitkilerinizi sabahın erken saatlerinde veya akşam geç saatlerde sulayarak,



Musluk suyu kullanımı yerine, dış mekan sulama için yağmur suyunun toplanabileceği tanklar kurarak veya site yöneticilerinizi bu uygulama için teşvik ederek,

su kullanımını azaltabiliriz ve su kaynaklarımızın korunmasına yardımcı olabiliriz.



Sürdürülebilir Kalkınma Hedefi 14 Sürdürülebilir kalkınma için okyanusları, denizleri ve deniz kaynaklarını korumayı ve sürdürülebilir şekilde kullanmayı hedefler

Example of message sent by the sustainability office







Saz Creek

Water Conservation Program Implementation at GTU (Gebze Technical University, Turkiye)

Description:

As a result of the activities shown above implemented by GTU, 1 - 25% water conservation is achieved.

- 1) The total annual water consumption in GTU in 2023 is $112,175 \, m^3$. There are eight underground water wells within the university campus that are used for irrigation purposes (around $1290 \, m^3$ /year). Detailed data is shown in Picture 1. This picture also shows the locations of the eight wells on campus. Rainwater is filtered through the soil and collected in these wells. These groundwater wells are one of GTU's most important assets. Thanks to these resources, annual water savings of approximately 1,14% are achieved. All buildings of the Gebze Technical University have a separate sewerage system, for waste water and for clean water (rainwater).
- 2) The sustainability office sends messages on awareness on saving water resources, to-do and not-to-do lists, and to encourage people to save water resources. Example 3 shows several precautions for reducing water usage at our homes and recycling water (the last precaution in the banner says to build rainwater tanks near residences and use this water for irrigation purposes).
- 3) The Saz Stream (Saz Creek) passing through the GTU Campus is an important stream that is also under the pressure of industry located at the Gebze location. Rehabilitation of the creek was finished 8 years ago; the banks of the stream to prevent flooding were performed using natural landscaping techniques, and in some locations, artificial walls were constructed. Figure 4: (a) the natural banks of the Saz Stream; (b) a flood wall designed according to 100-year flow for the downstream part of the stream; c) the Saz Stream view. In addition, water quality is measured by sampling Saz Creek at regular intervals.