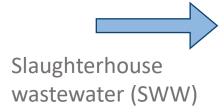
LCA & Risk Assessment applied to the Water2REturn project

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Nutrients = Contaminants



W2R Goal

- 90-95% nutrient recovery
- Free of pathogens and contaminants

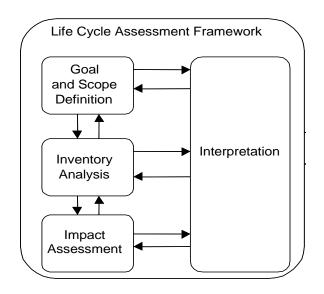


- Agronomic products
- Reclaimed water
- Energy



LCA & Risk Assessment

Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) (ISO 14040-14044)



- Environmental **impacts** and **benefits** of **W2R** system
- Comparison between traditional and W2R technologies
- Eco-design feedback for process optimization

The OH&S risk assessment (RA) will be based on the ISO 45001:2018 by applying the circular Plan-Do-Check-Act (PDCA) approach. The data collection will be done by means of performing risk interviews and surveys.

			Severity			
Almost Certain	Medium	High	High	High	High	
Probable	Medium	Medium	Hah	Hah	High	Likelihood
Possible	Low	Medium	Medium	regis	High	
Unlikely	Low	Low	Medium	Medium	High	
Rare	Low	Low	Low	Medium	Medium	
	Insignificant	Significant	Severe	Major	Catastrophic	

- Identifying the potential biological risks
- Ensuring the pathogen free nutrient recovery
- Providing recommendations to prevent and mitigate the potential OH&S risks for workers



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