

# Workgroup **reuse of contaminated** **sediments (1/3)**

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## Observations:

- While the **focus in the EU and USA** on treatment techniques seemed to differ, it was more the difference in solution windows in which we worked.
- We had an **open invite** for short presentations on the topic, which worked well (4!).
- There are still a lot of good ideas out there on sediment use, let's try to realize more. The topic should therefore **stay on the SedNet agenda**.

## Workgroup use of sediments (2/3)

### Remarks:

- Move away from term like reuse and spoil
- Allow flexibility in applications, do not get stuck on policy definitions  
("niet lullen maar poetsen")
- High tech, high energy solutions are only for the most contaminated sediment part, but they do have a high value outputs

# Workgroup use of sediments(3/3)

## Remarks:

- Look at the overall system, removing sediments is not always the only option (integrated approach)
- Trans-boundary transport of sediments is crazy; look at regional processing facilities.
- Capitalize on programs and networks already in place, there are a lot of examples of sediment use.
- Ecosystem services + LCA = beneficial use