



Unlocking the Future: Harnessing the Power of Smart Technologies for Addressing Challenges of Local Salt Farming Processes

Can you imagine human life without
SALT?



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Background



Local Salt Farm
(Samut Songkhram Thailand)



November

Dry land
Fertilizer



December

Fleur salt 18-20
Cosmetic and skin care.



January

White salt 22-23
For food



February

Black salt & Magnesium 24-25
Cleaning and antibacterial activity/ For detox .



Salt farming

- Farmer Entirely Dependent On Nature*
- Bad Weather Drastically Impact Salt Production*



**Salt By-Products
into Therapeutic
Products**

**The Process Takes Long Time
(4 Months)**

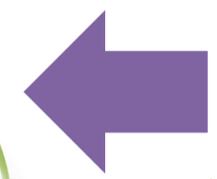
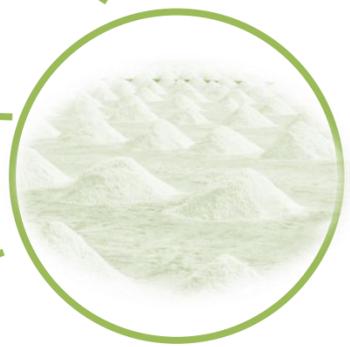
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**Non-resilient
Process
(Depend On
Weather Conditions)**

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**Limited/Low yield
Products
(10 % Edible and 90 % Byproduct)**

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**Adjustable Nanoparticle-
coated Dome To Protect
Salt Ponds From Wind
And Rain**

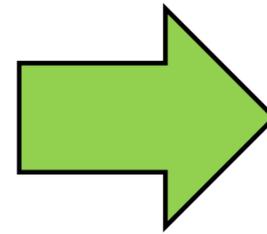
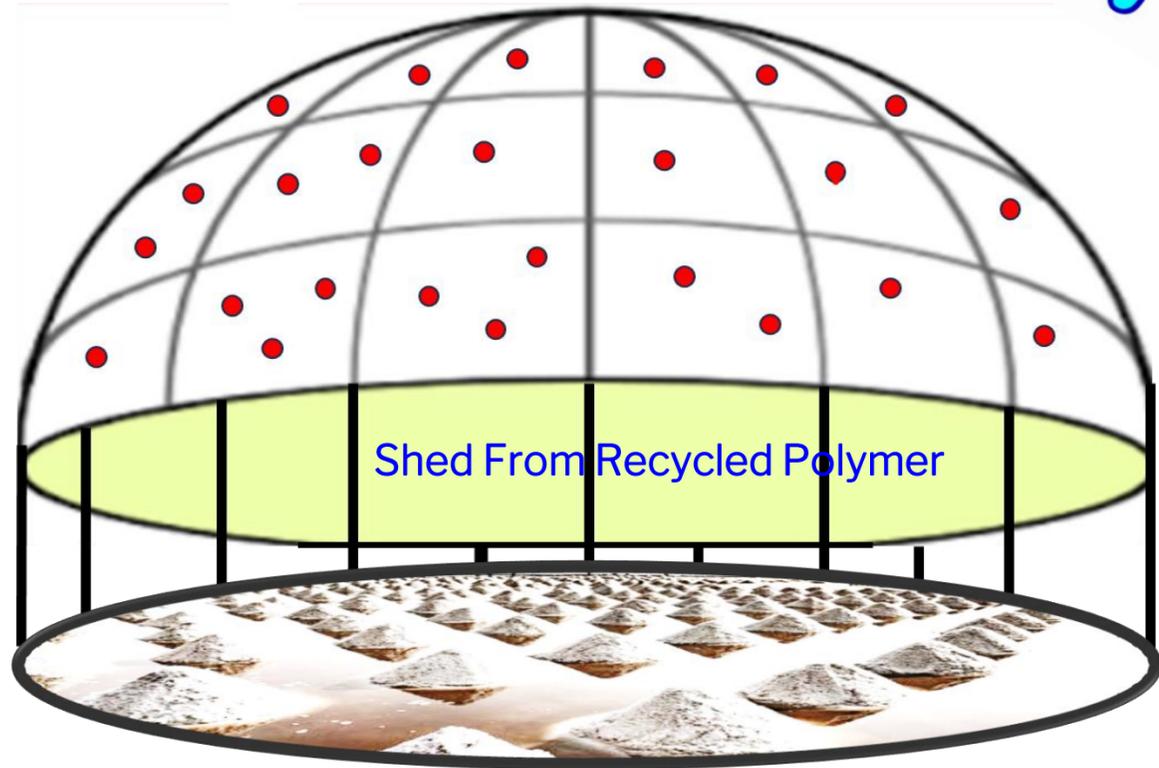
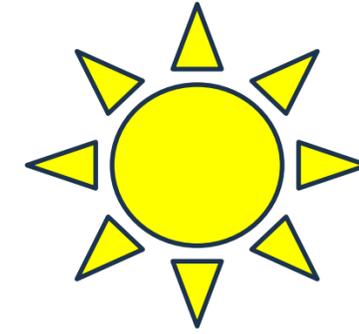


**Salt Powered
Batteries**

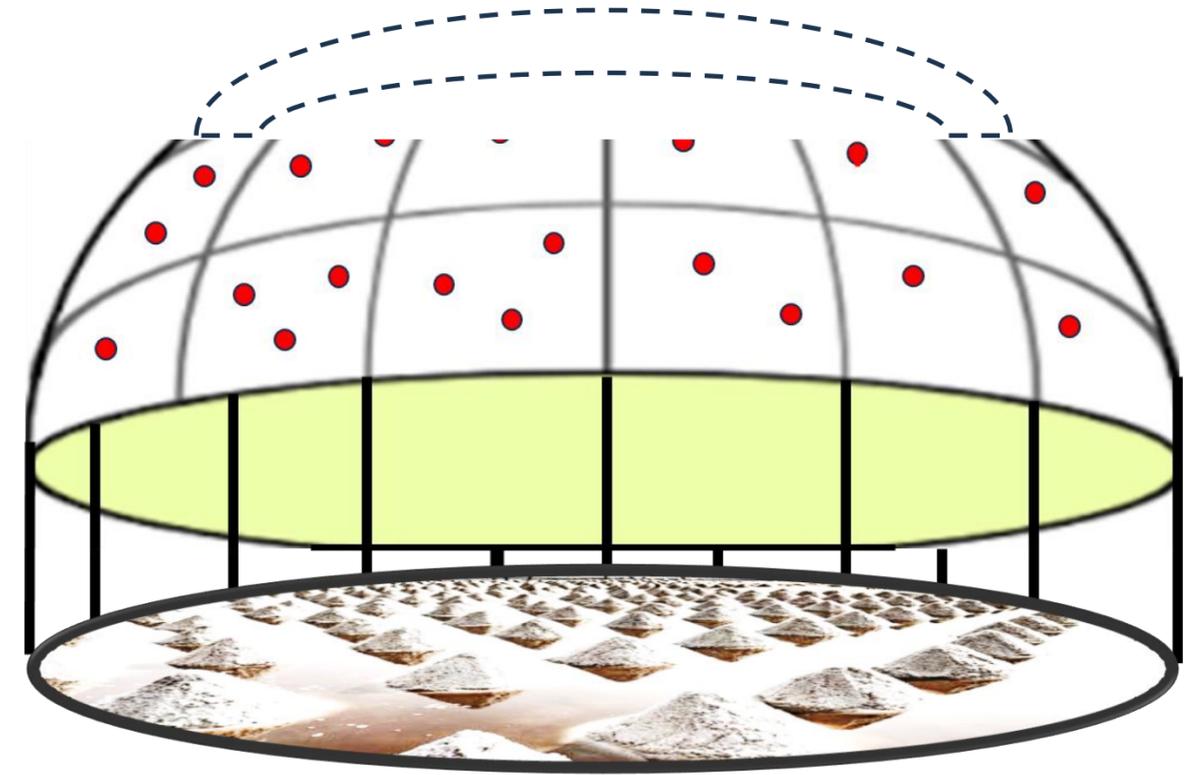
Smart Adjustable and Nanoparticle Coated Shed

Solutions

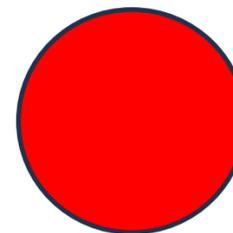
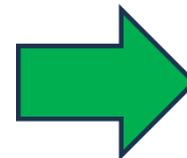
Biomass Derived Photothermal Nanoparticle Coated Shed



Smart Shed



Biomass



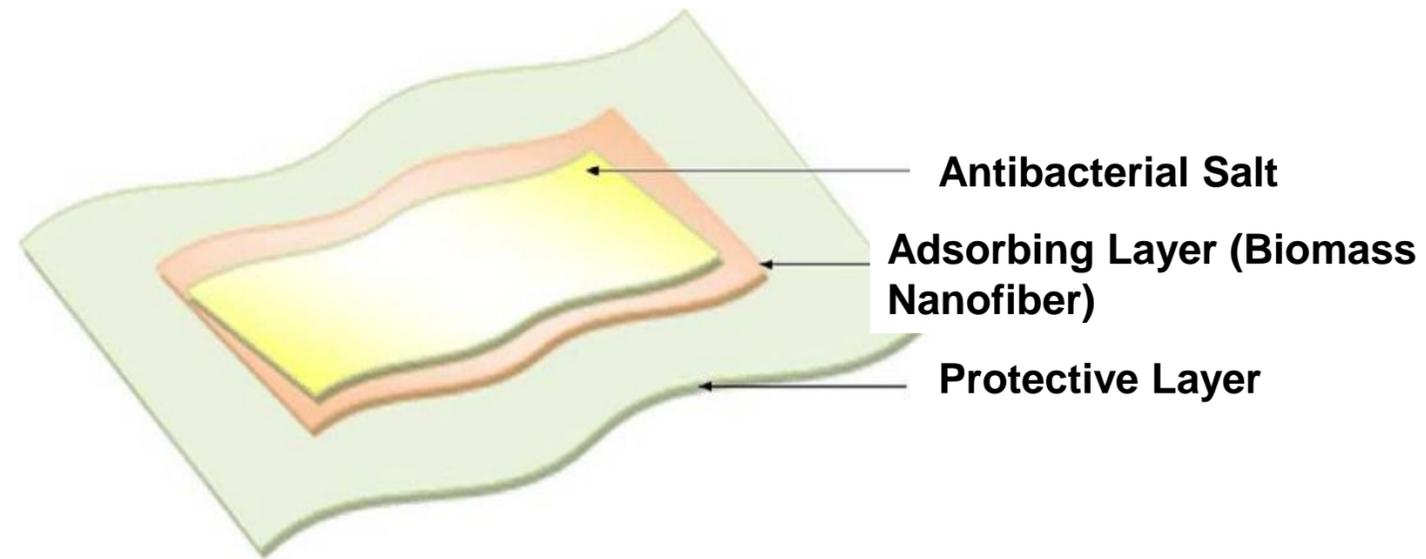
Nanoparticle

1 Value Creation

Medical Applications of Salt Farming Byproducts

Wound Dressing

Pain-relieving Smart Bandages/Wraps For Arthritis



Anticancer Agents

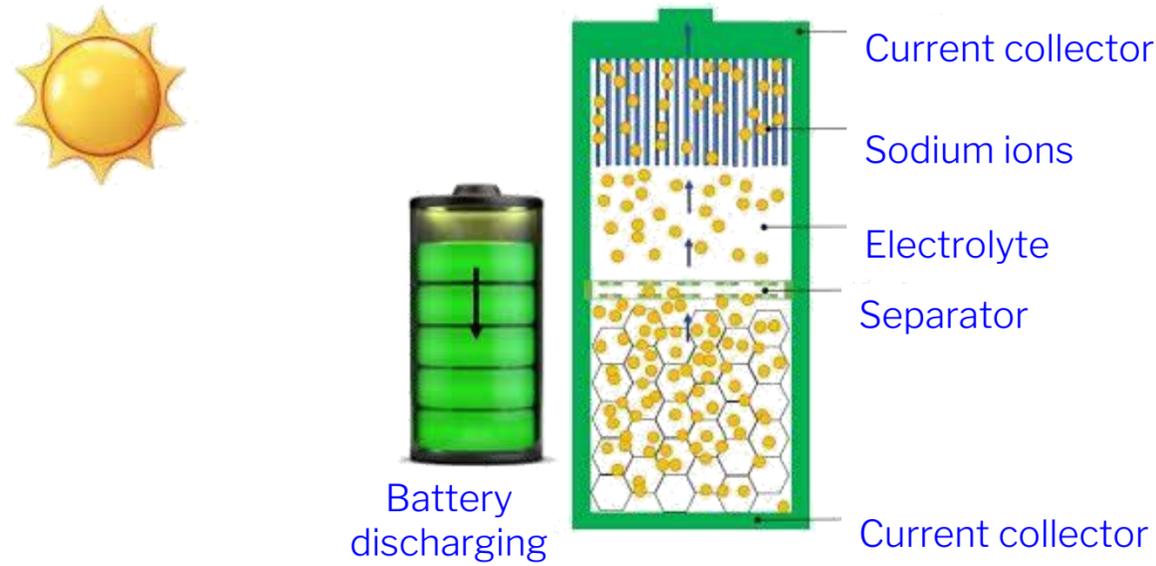
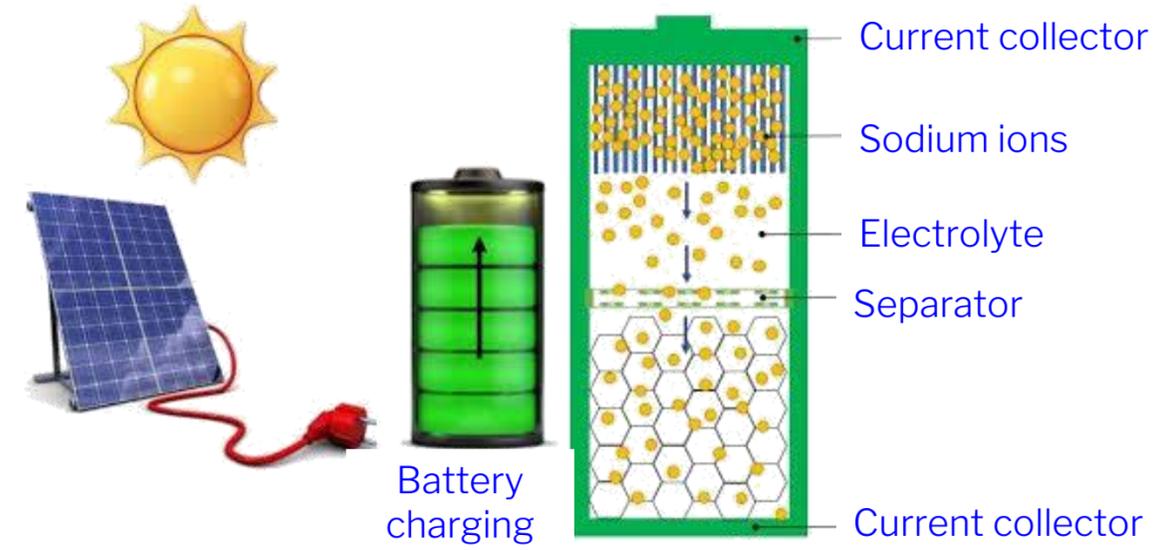
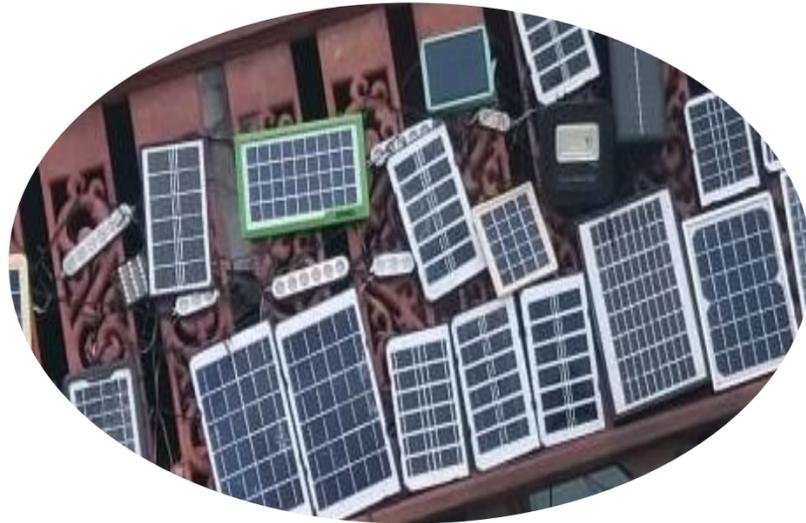


Anti-Psoriasis Agents



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Value Creation



Salt Powered Batteries

Conclusion

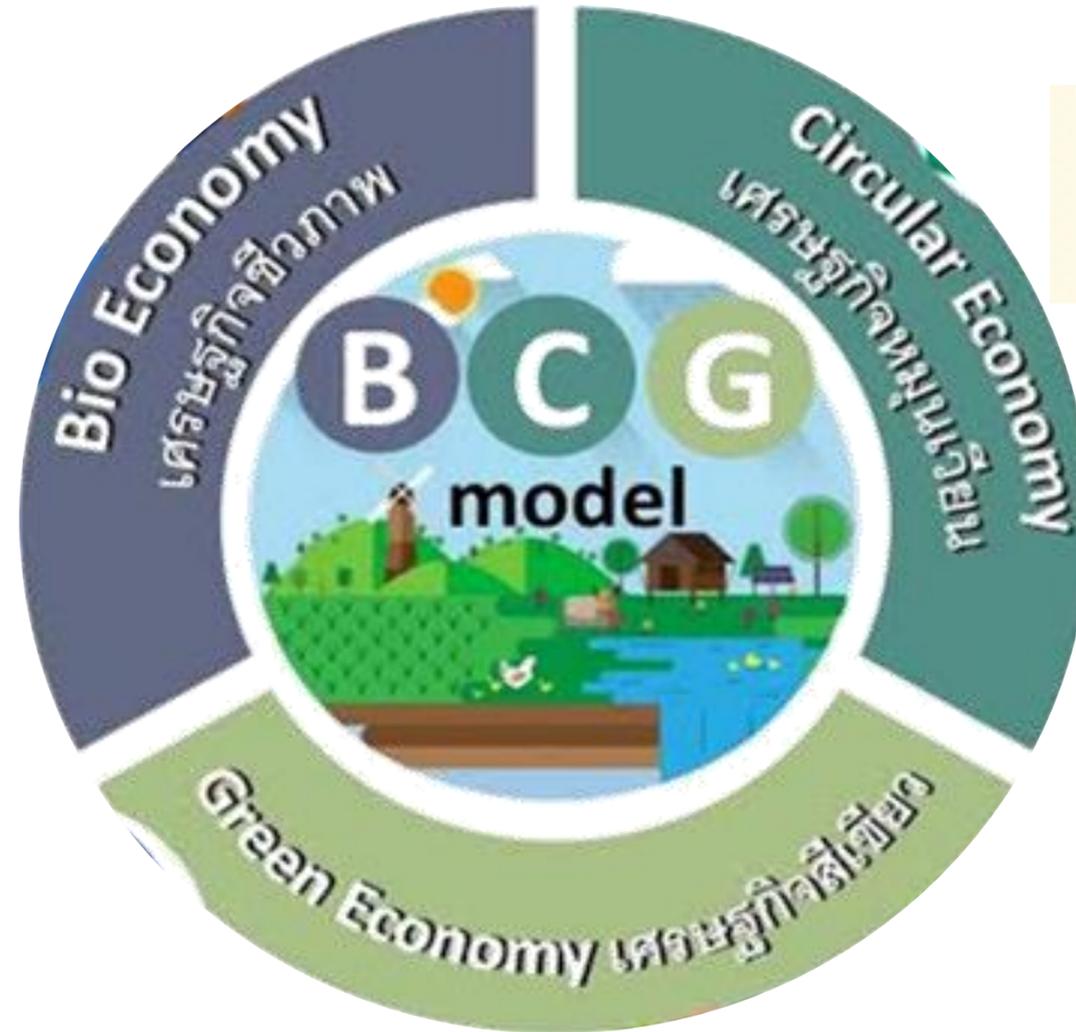


- ✓ Developing Environment-Friendly Technologies for Improving Salt Production Efficiency
- ✓ Newer Value-Added Products from Intermediate Byproducts/Wastes of Salt Farming (Waste to Wealth)

Alignment with BCG Model



Biomass Derived Product

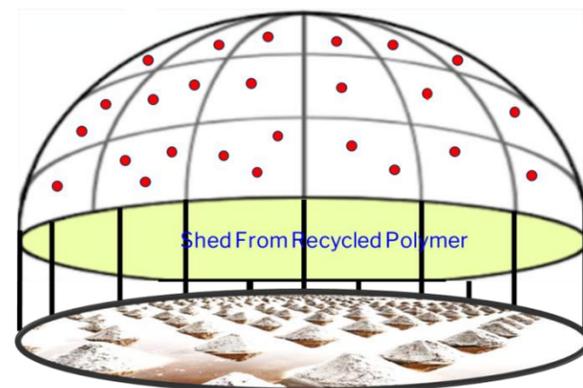


Pain-relieving smart bandages/wraps For Arthritis



Solar cell

Intelligent Usage Of By-products For Circular Economy



Eco-friendly Smart Technology

Thank you!



There must be something sacred in salt. It is in our tears and in the ocean.

Khalil Gibran



Capacity Building from enhanced local salt farming.



Male involvement in the salt farm

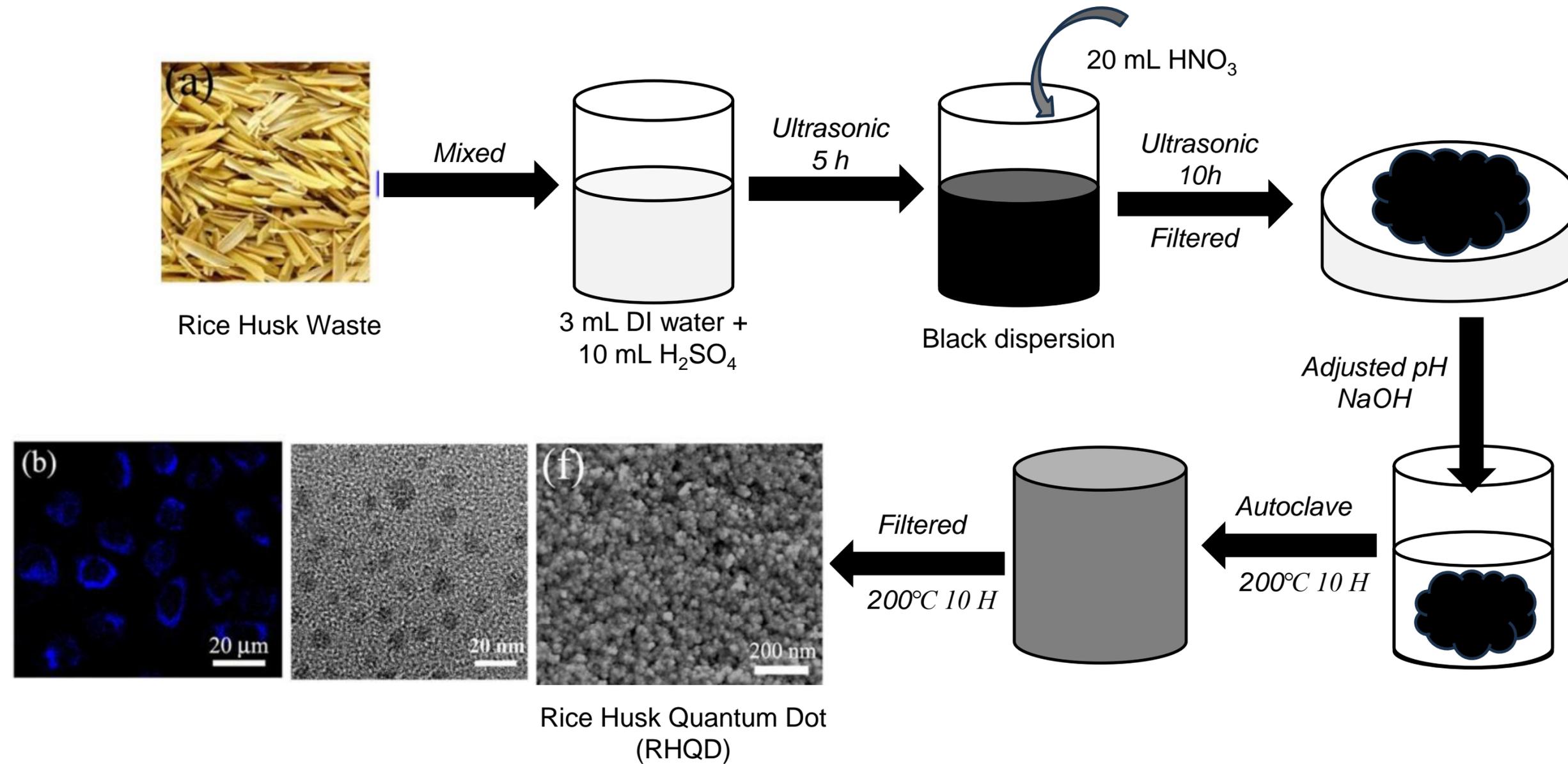


Other people's involvement-in tourism
and collaboration and Global
Networking



Female- involvement in medical
product processing and salt collection

RHQD synthesize process



Investment analysis

Materials



Bamboos (\$66)
Screws (\$18)
Polymers (\$135)

Total Less than (\$ 220)/64 square meter

Lifetime



salt farmer can reuse the sheds and reassemble it (lifetime of polymers more than 200 years) .

Assembly



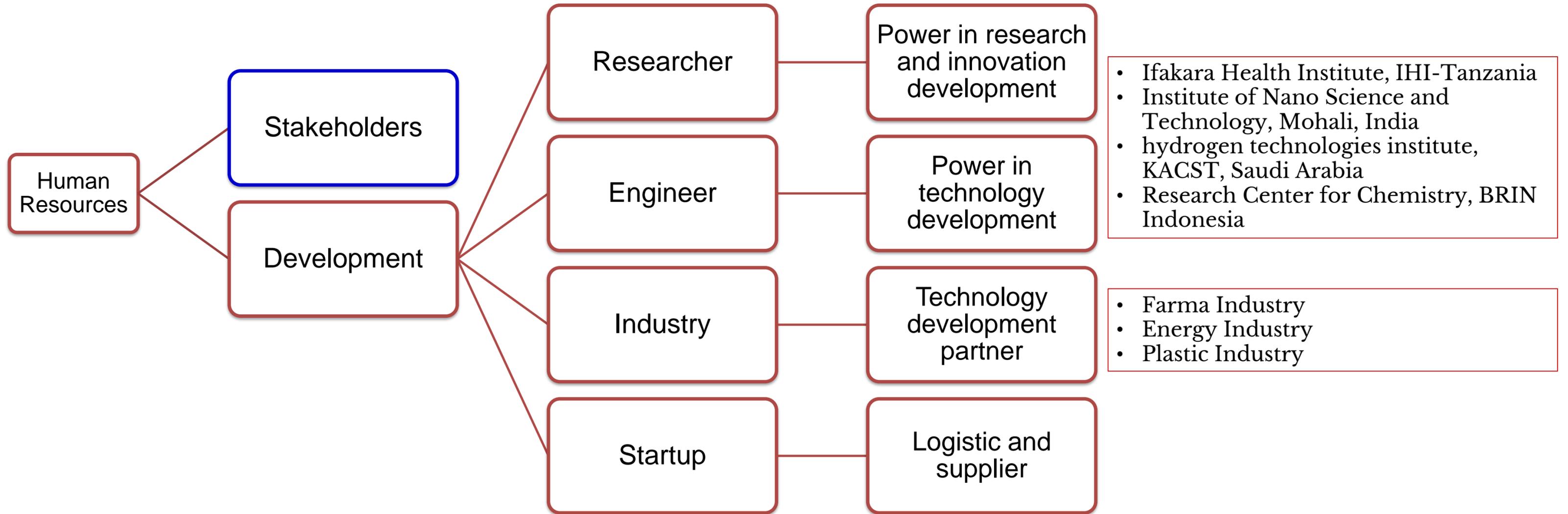
Three salt farmer with minimal training should be able to assemble it.

Productivity

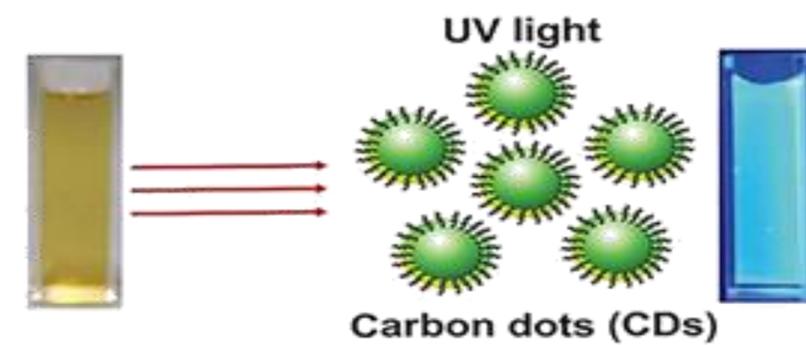
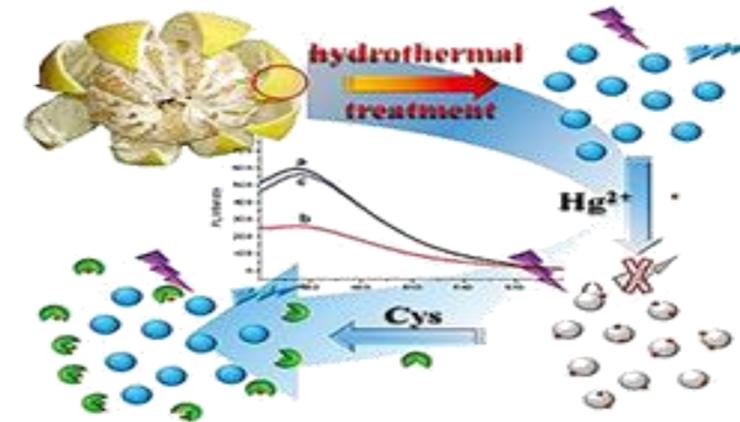
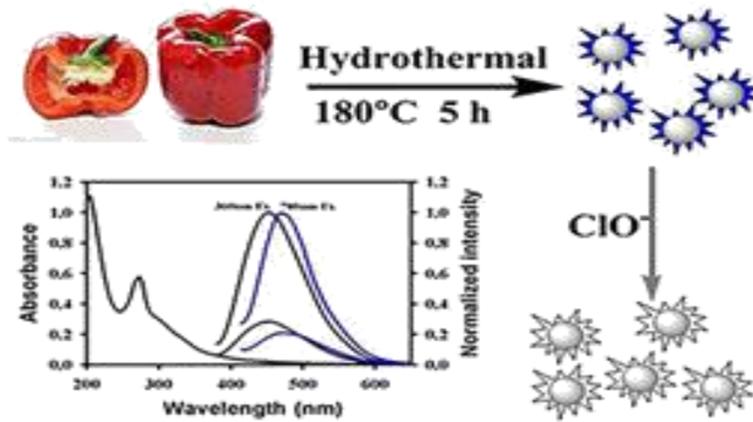
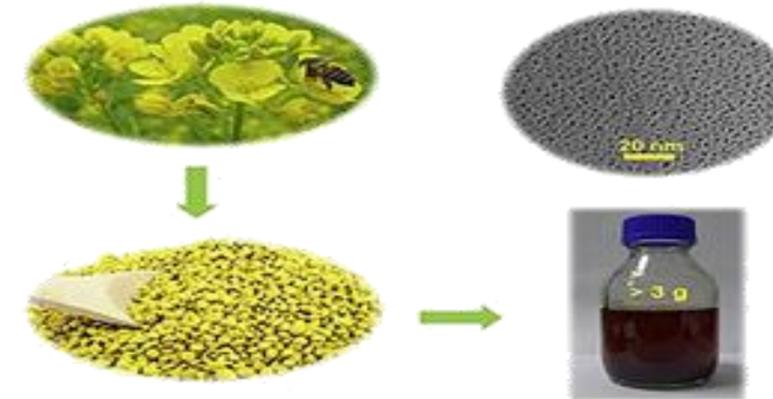
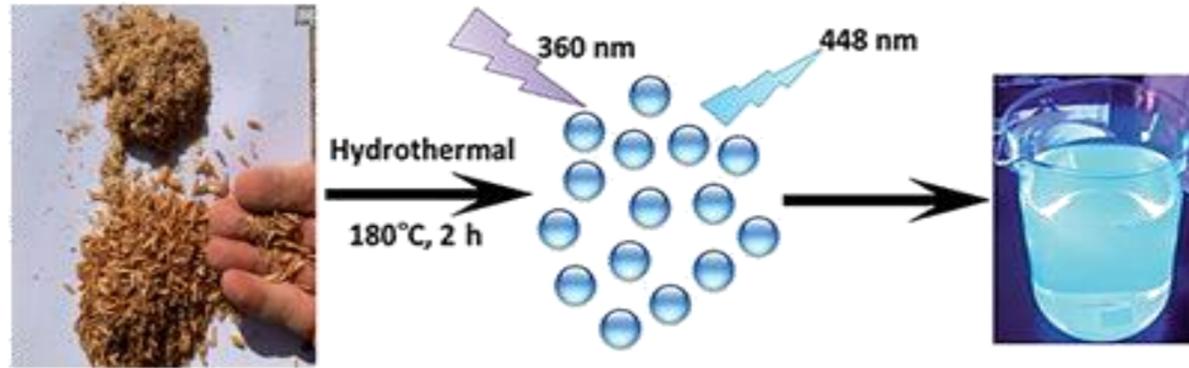


It can improve productivity compared with traditional technology. (compare with producing salt every 4 months)

Resources



Biomass Derived Photothermal Nanoparticle



Preliminary design of a low-cost greenhouse for salt production in Indonesia

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Abstract. Salt is an essential material of industry, not only in food industry point of view but also in various industries such as chemical, oil drilling, and animal feed industries, even less than half of salt needs used to household consumption. It is crucial to ensure salt production in Indonesia reaches the national target (3.7 million tons) due to relatively low technology and production level. Thus salt production technology is developed to facilitate farmers consisted of geomembrane and filtering-threaded technology. However, the use of those technologies in producing salt was proved less effective due to unpredictable weather conditions. Therefore, greenhouse technology is proposed to be used for salt production for several good reasons. This paper describes the preliminary design of a low-cost greenhouse designed as a pyramid model that uses bamboo, mono-layer and high density polyethylene plastics. The results confirmed that the yield of salt produced by greenhouse significantly increased compared with prior technology and the NaCl content increased as well. The cost of greenhouse was IDR 5,688,000 and easy to assembly.



Figure 1. Bamboo framework of a low-cost greenhouse.



Figure 2. UV plastic with 14% reducing sunlight intensity.

Table 2. Field testing results in producing salt.

Parameters	Value
Average temperature	45 °C
Productivity	150 kg/ha
Sodium chloride/NaCl	95 %
Colour	white

How much does a Growing Dome cost?

You are wondering how much do they cost? The base price for a Growing Dome greenhouse kit ranges from about \$9,990 for a 15-foot diameter dome to about \$48,950 for a 42-foot diameter dome. All of our sizes and prices can be found here. These prices do not include Shipping, Installation and Owner Supplied items. You will also need to add your raised beds, soil or talk to us about Customization options.

GERMANY's Covestro, a US\$12.3 billion material science company that makes some of the world's strongest coating and adhesives, is promoting the benefits of what it calls a breakthrough product that can boost the incomes of farmers and fishermen in Thailand.

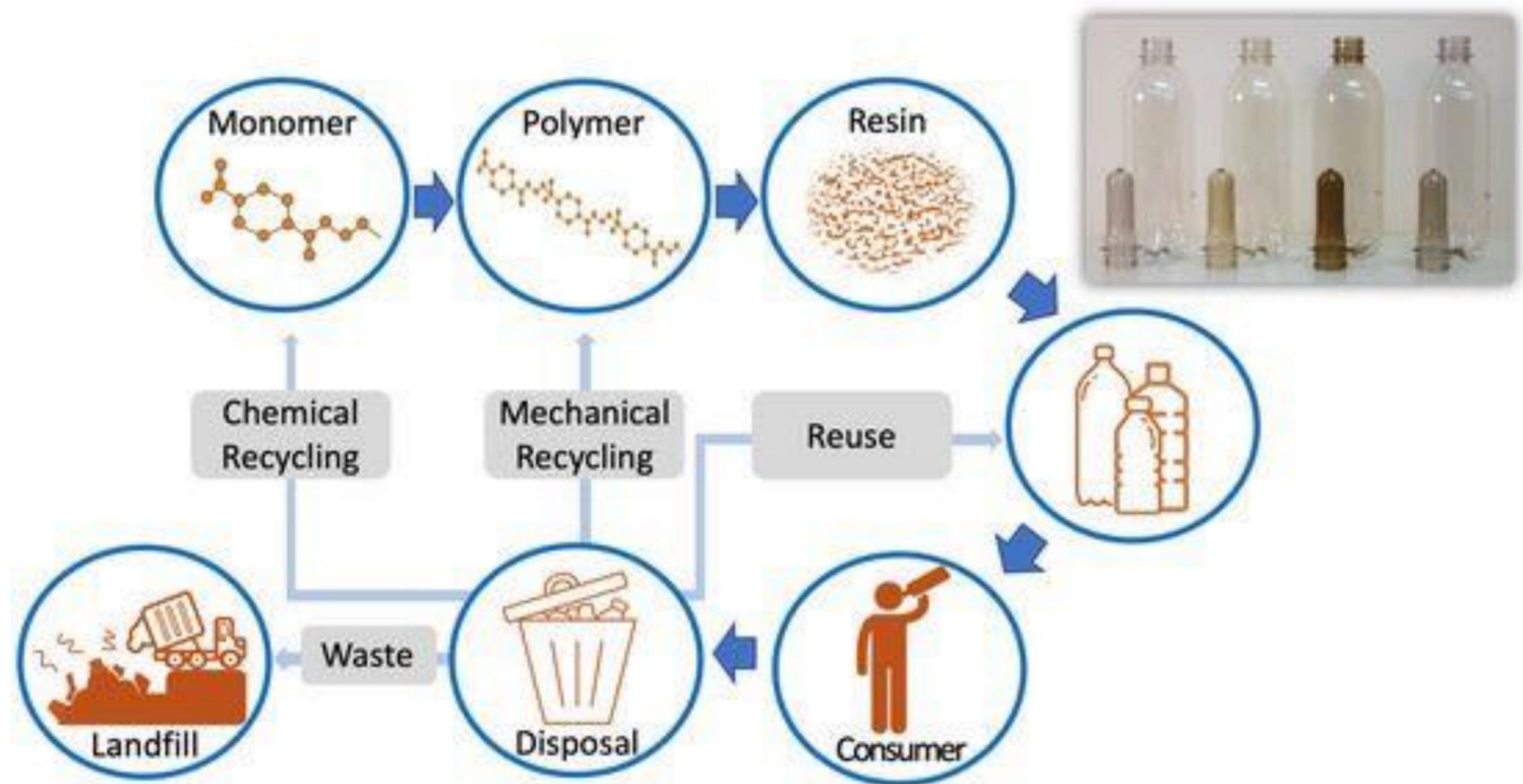
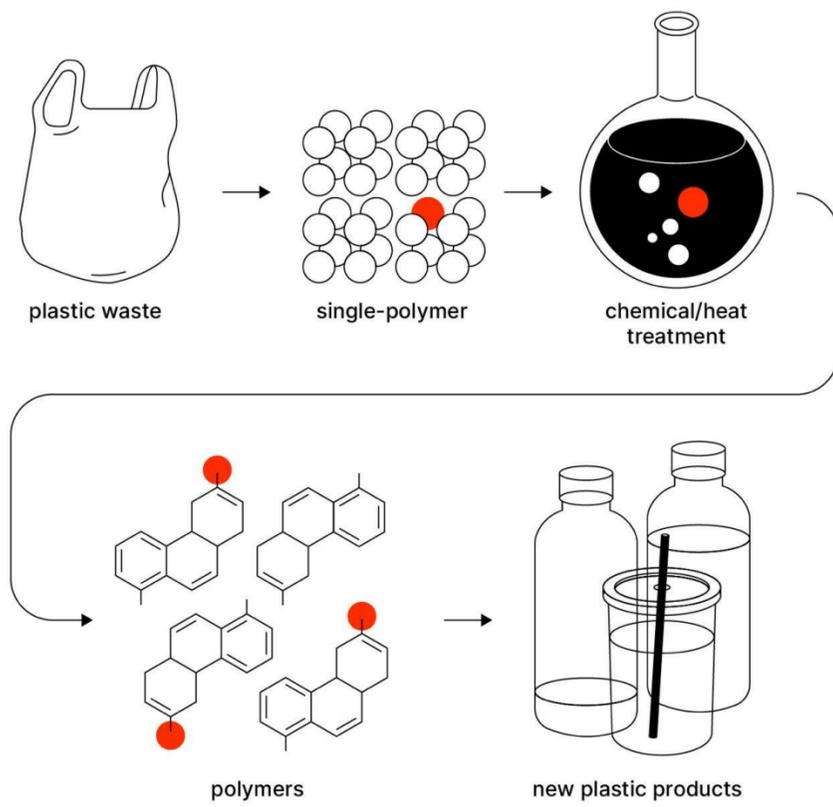
Table 3. Investment analysis of a lo-cost greenhouse technology.

Materials	Lifetime	Total	Price per items (IDR)	Total (IDR)
Screws	5	800 pcs	350	280,000
Bamboos	5	20 pcs	50,000	1,000,000
labourage	-	3 people	200,000	600,000
Geomembranes	5	15 kg	119,000	1,785,000
UV plastics	5	17 kg	119,000	2,023,000
			Total	5,688,000

The benefits of the low-cost greenhouse of salt production, as follows:

- Greenhouse costs: Less than IDR 5,688,000 for an affordable greenhouse with a minimum planting area of 64 square meter.
- Ease of assembly: Three individuals with minimal training should be able to assemble the greenhouse from the ground-up in a day.
- Lifetime: Minimal lifetime of five years for the greenhouse structure and five years for the glazing; only limited maintenance should be required by the salt farmer.
- High productivity: It can improve productivity compared with traditional technology.
- Purity of salt: Sodium chloride can reach more than 95%.

300 USD



SWOT ANALYSIS

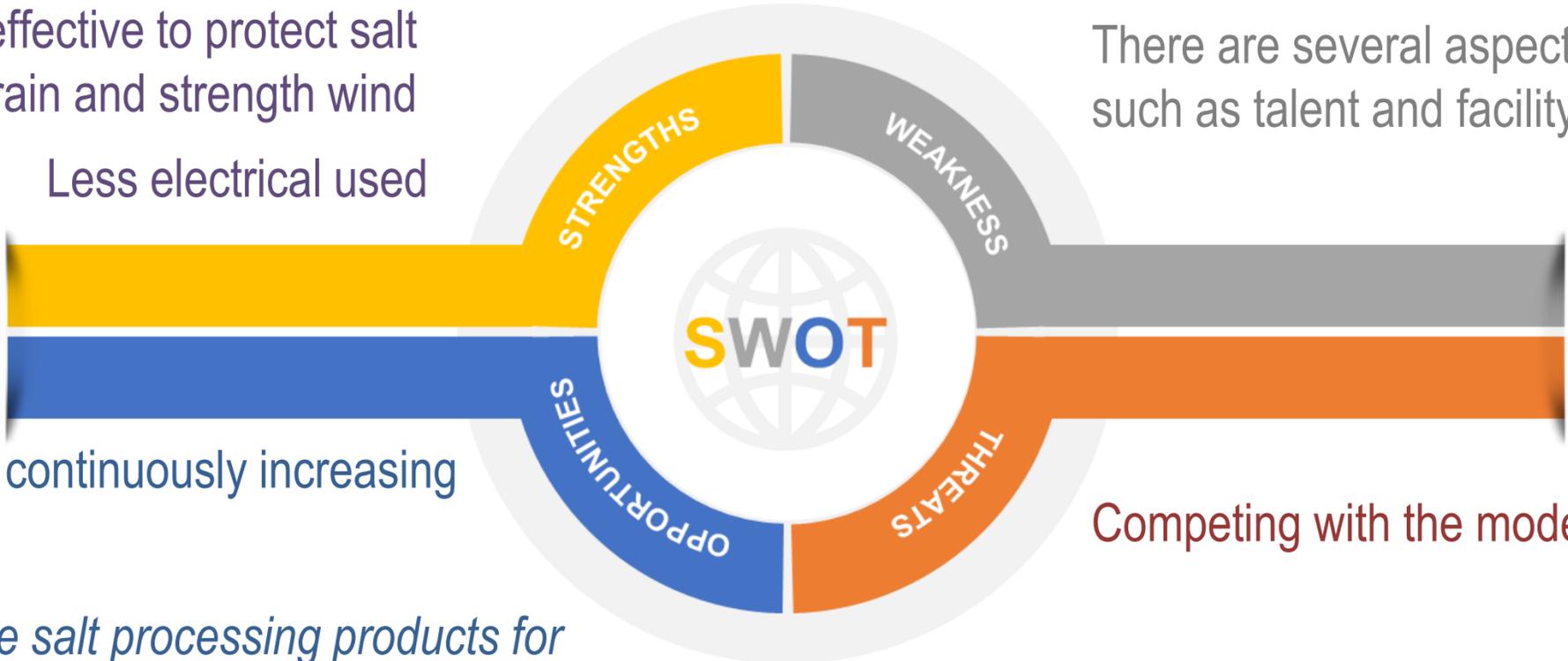
Sustainable biomass resources

Scale up the NPs-based biomass is feasible

A glass dome is effective to protect salt ponds from rain and strength wind

Less electrical used

There are several aspects that need to be developed, such as talent and facility development



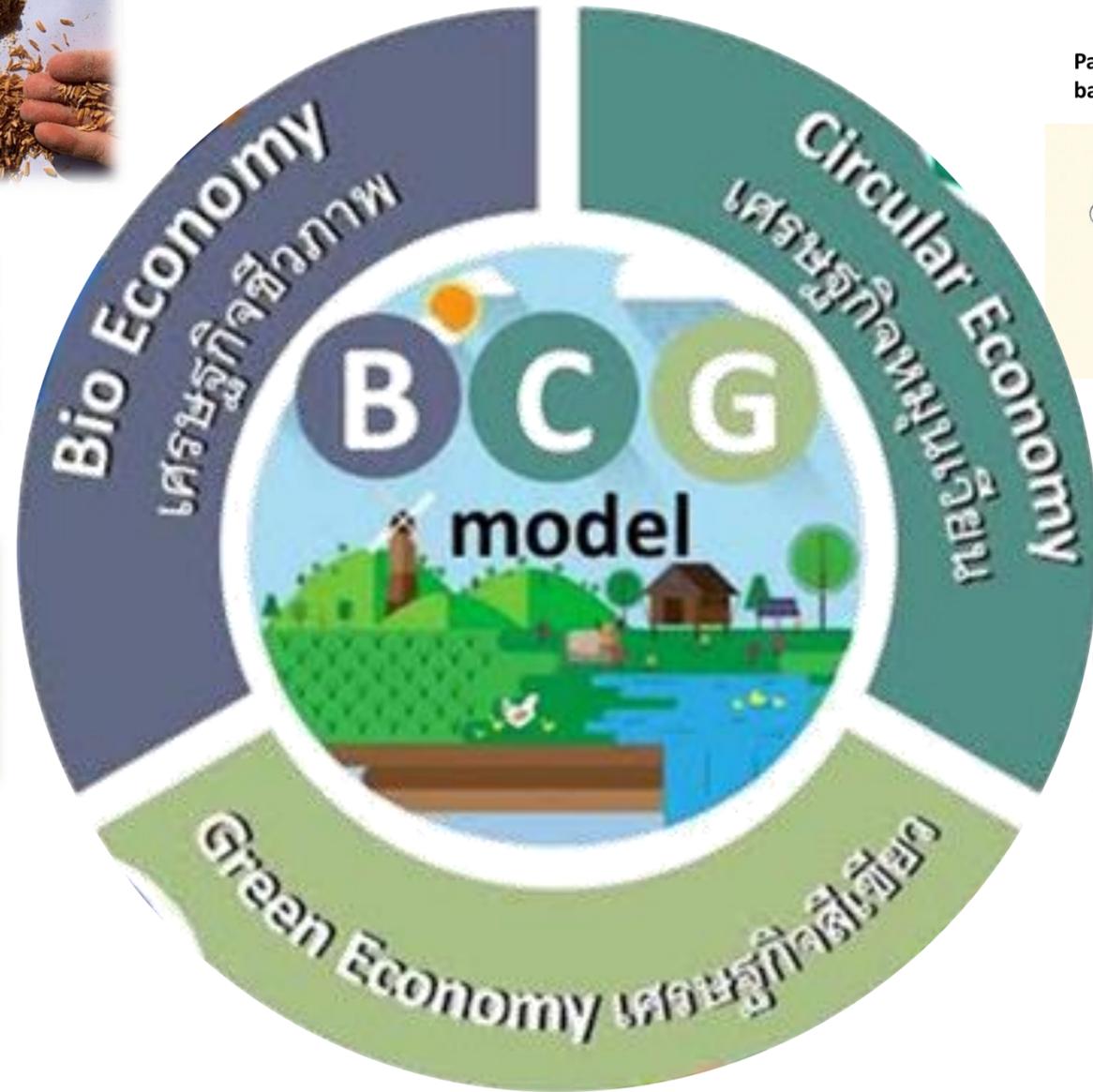
Salt products demand is continuously increasing

Competing with the modern salt industry

The utilization of intermediate salt processing products for medical fields application is wide

Open the opportunities for collaboration in technology development and utilization of processed product outcomes

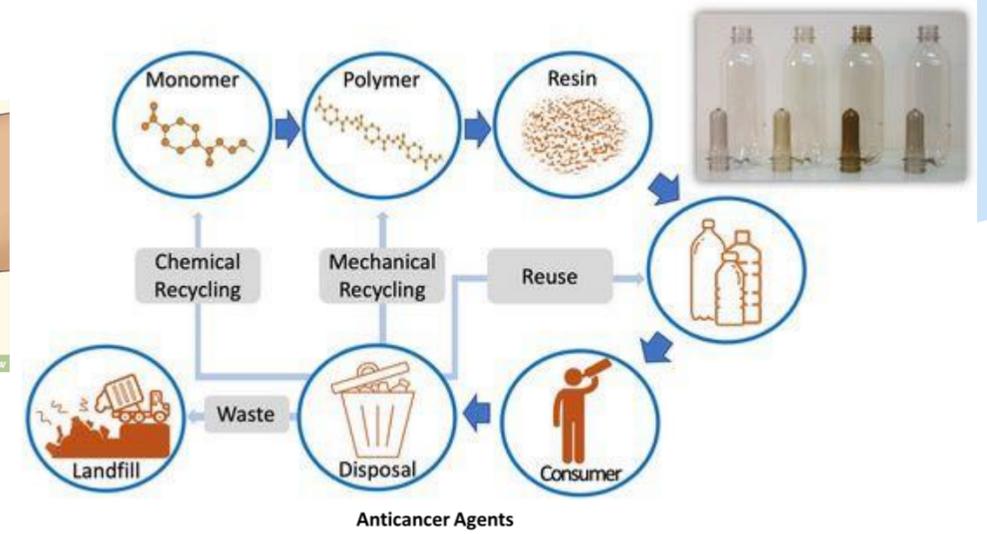
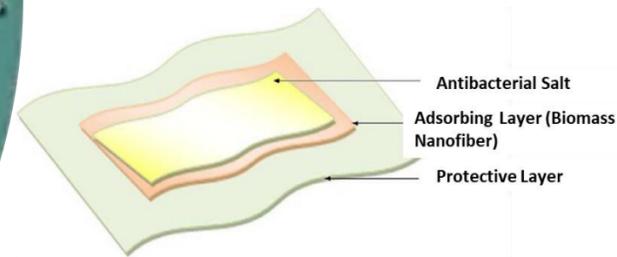
Outcomes and Conclusion



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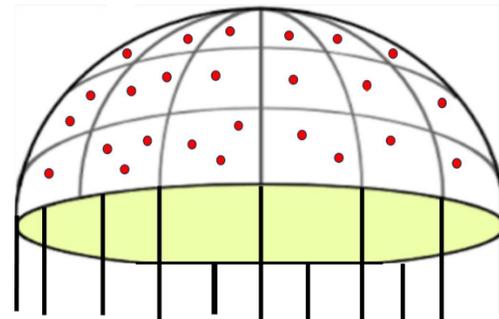
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The process took long time
4 months



Food and agriculture



Bioenergy, biomaterial
and biochemical



Medical and wellness

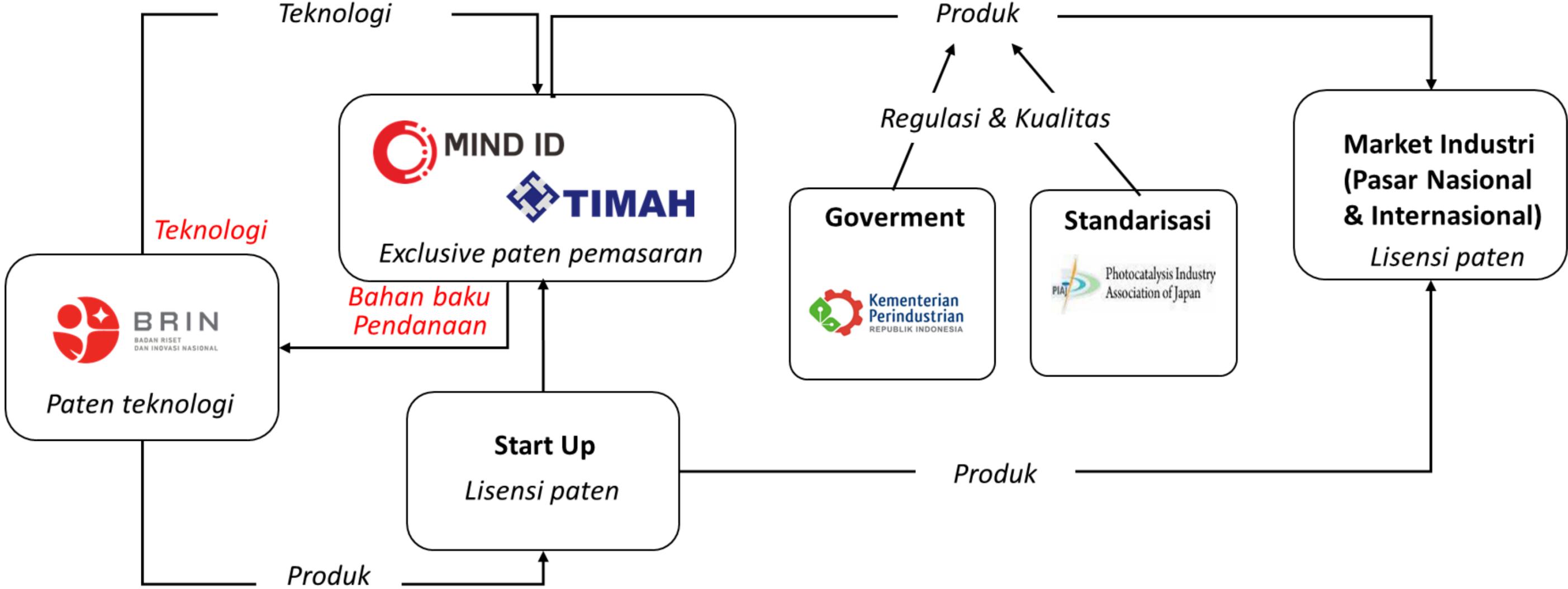


Tourism and creative
economy

BCG



Skema Bisnis

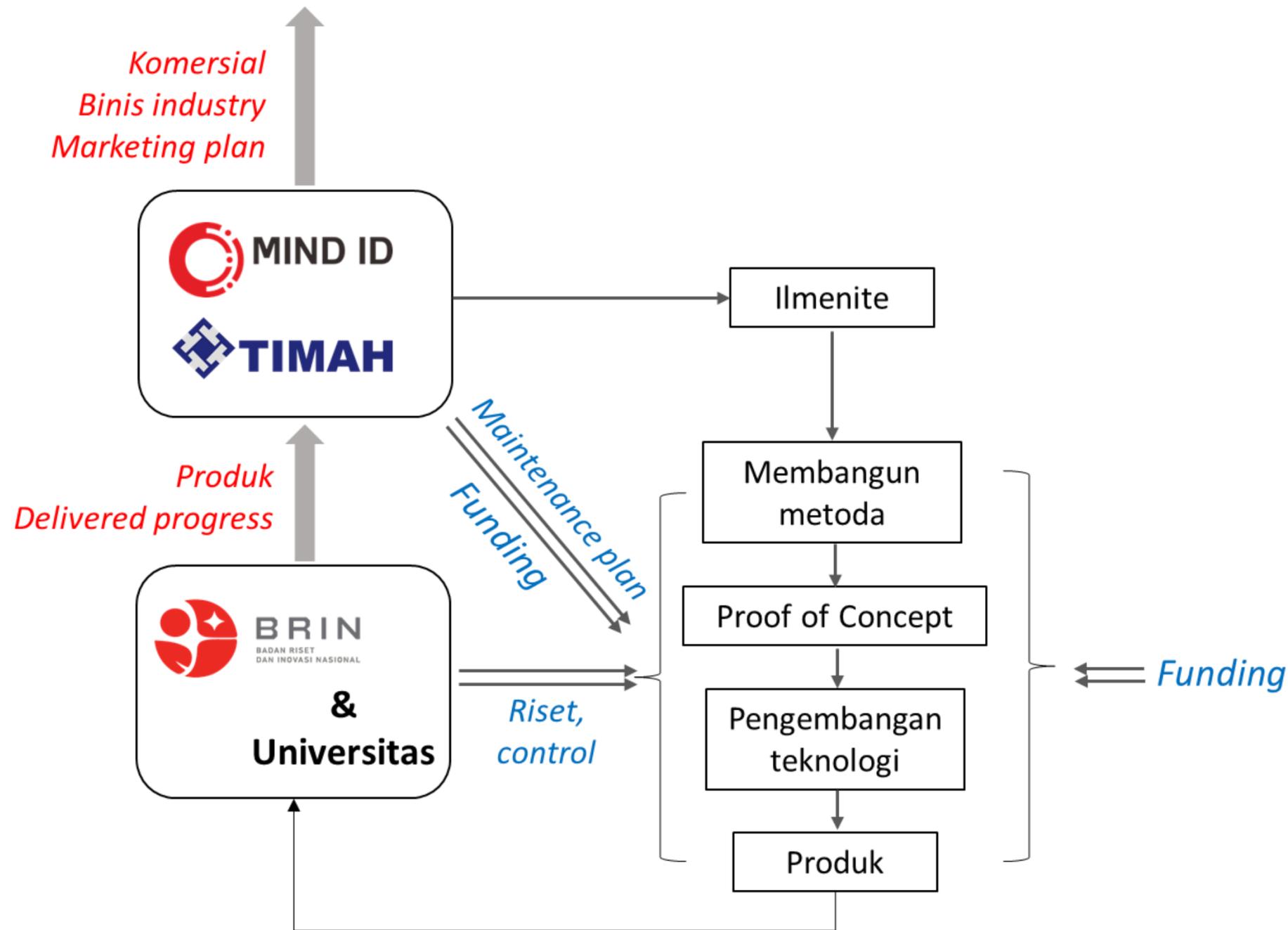


Steps of salt farming



See dad-back salt fertilizer)

Strategi Kunci dan Implementasi



- ✓ Mengembangkan teknologi membutuhkan **multidisiplin keilmuan**
- ✓ Peningkatan benefit dapat dicapai dengan **persiapan mitigasi yang jelas**
- ✓ Penentuan **market industri** yang tepat
- ✓ Melibatkan **stakeholder dan Lembaga terkait** dalam proses penjualan produk

Background



26,977 rai farmed by 490 families from Samut Sakhon and near areas.

Price salat for A-grade is 10 baht/kg, B-grade 5 baht/kg, C-grade 2.5 baht/kg, Inferior quality 30—40 baht/sack.

90% of salt is for industrial businesses 10% is table salt.

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Salt farming Production

- Farmer completely dependent on Nature
- Bad weather is drastically impacting salt farming production