Shore Protection Works

- About 590 km shoreline distributed among 9 coastal districts
- Coastal erosion has become one of the most alarming threats in varying pockets
- Shoreline analysis suggests that 46% of coast is eroding, 23% is accreting, 31% is in stable
- KSCADC put forward suitable mitigation schemes to arrest/minimize the coastal erosion along the Coastal stretch of Kerala.

Location	District	Type of structure	Length (m)
Manjeswaram	Kasargode	Groyne	3820
Thalai	Kannur	Groyne	200
Chettuva	Thrissur	Groyne	450
Kollam- Thanni	Kollam	Groyne	4300
Muthalapozhy	Trivandrum	Groyne	1950
Poonthura	Trivandrum	Offshore breakwater	700
Valiyathura	Trivandrum	Offshore breakwater	425
Shangumugam	Trivandrum	Offshore breakwater	850
Thottaplly	Alappuzha	Stabiplage	500
Vypin- Munambam	Ernakulam	Groyne	2400



Shore Protection works at Manjeswaram, Kasargode

Total Outlay - Rs. 12.67 crore

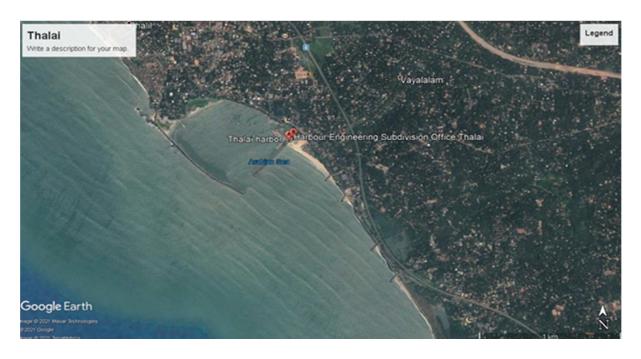
Funding - KIIFB



Shore Protection works at Thalai, Kannur

Total Outlay - Rs. 2.93 crore

Funding - KIIFB



Shore Protection works at Chettuva, Thrissur

Total Outlay - Rs. 7.14 crore

Funding - KIIFB



Shore Protection works at Kollam, Thanni, Kollam

Total Outlay - Rs. 42.19 crore

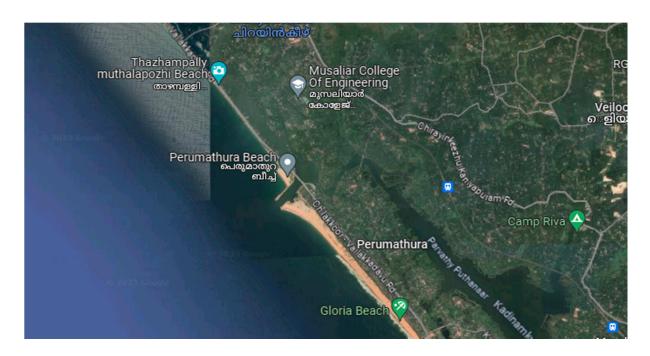
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Shore Protection works at Muthalapozhy, Trivandrum

Total Outlay - Rs. 49.65 crore

Funding - KIIFB



Innovative Approaches to Coastal Protection

Offshore Breakwater Construction at Poonthura in Trivandrum District

Total Outlay - Rs. 20.78 crore Funding- KIIFB

- Ground breaking innovative & sustainable approach that circumvents the use of rocks.
- Technology conceived by NIOT.
- Customized poly propelene geotubes
- 3 layers of geotubes, each with a circumference of 15m, are slated for placement on the 6m deep seabed, running parallel to the shore at a distance ranging from 80 to 120 m.
- Strategically placed Offshore breakwaters act as an effective barrier diminishing the strength of oncoming waves.
- This environment friendly approach benefits both local fishermen and tourists, presenting a holistic solution to coastal protection









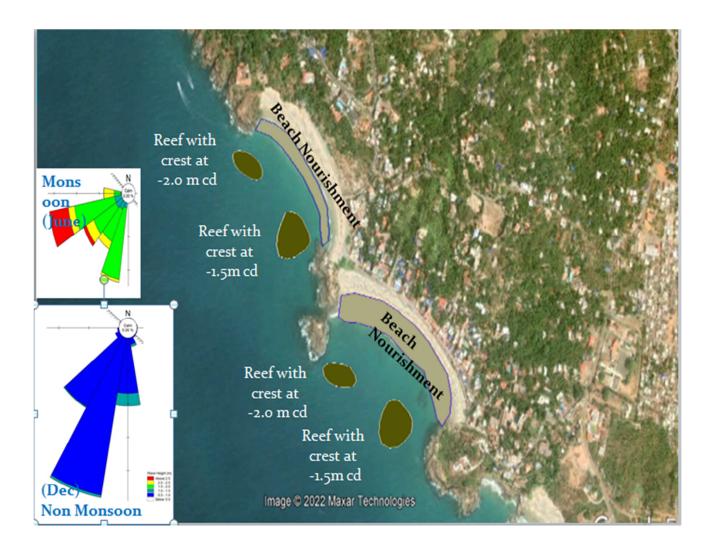




Beach Formation at the shore side of Breakwater stretch

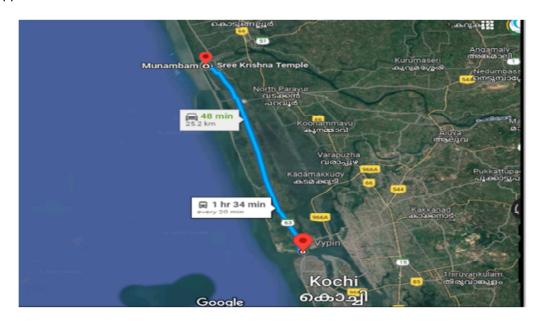
Kovalam Beach during Various Seasons

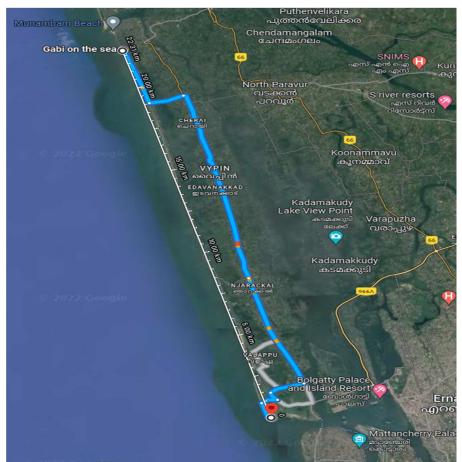
- Each bay will be protected by two offshore submerged reefs with geotubes along with Beach Nourishment.
- Northern reef will be small with crest level about -2m cd.
- The Southern reef will be large with crest about -1.5m.



Shore Protection along Vypin-Munambam coastal stretch

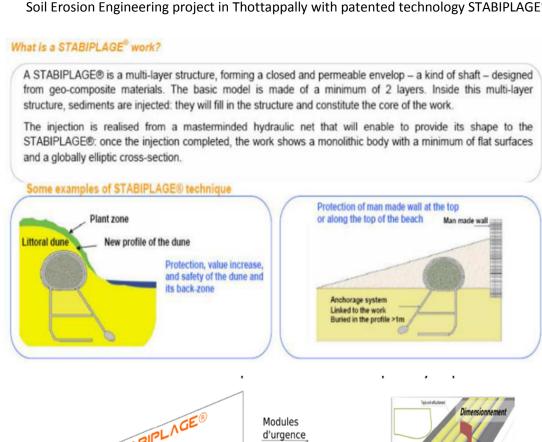
- Groynes, Seawall strengthening, Offshore breakwater
- Valappu beach, Zaid Muhammed beach, Pazhangadu, Velyathamparambu, Puthenkadappuram
- Approximate Cost: Rs.250 Cr

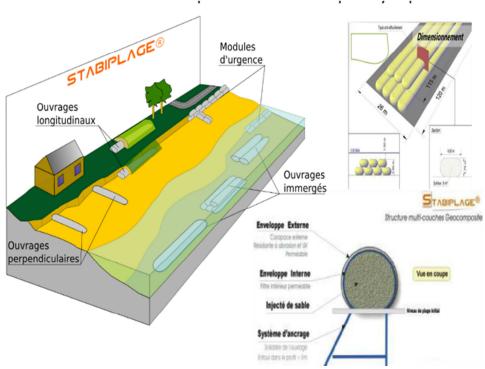




STABIPLAGE" Shore protection technology at Thottapally, Alappuzha (French Government). (Rs. 6.00 Crore)

- EspacePur' propose to construct pilot project in Thottapally with grant assistance from FASEP fund sanctioned by Ministry of Finance Government of France
- With the FASEP grant and support from Kerala government in the form of data and local resources, a Soil Erosion Engineering project in Thottappally with patented technology STABIPLAGE® is planned



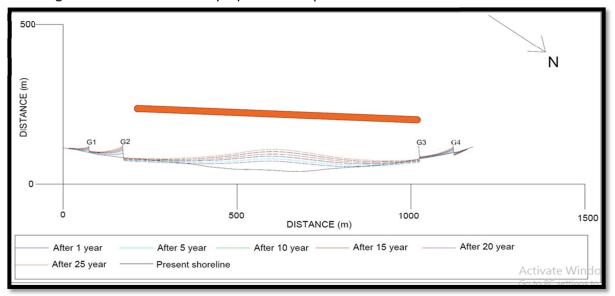


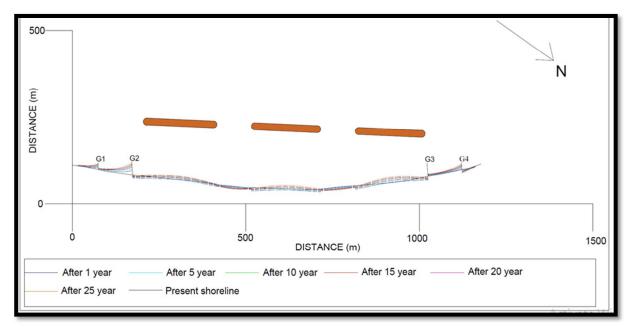
Sustainable Development Plan for Kollam Beach

Client: Kollam Corporation

The specific objectives of the work are as below:

- 1. Study the impact of waves on the shoreline of a specific stretch of the Kollam coast.
- 2. Develop and design shore protection measures to reduce the wave effects on the Kollam beach while ensuring the safety of tourists.
- 3. Forecast the future shoreline changes if the proposed protection schemes are implemented.
- 4. Design detailed sections of the proposed shore protection measures.





Shoreline Evolution