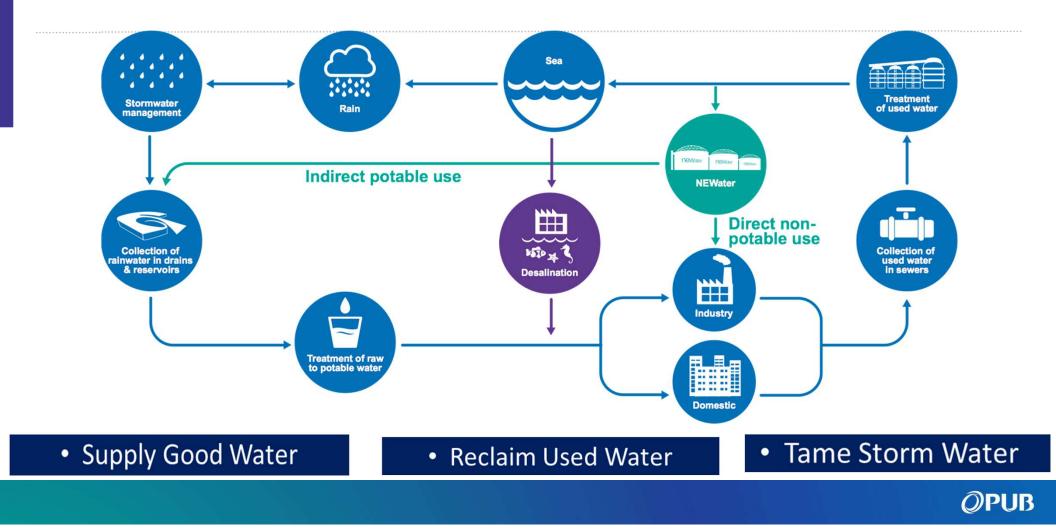


# Introduction to the Singapore Water Ecosystem

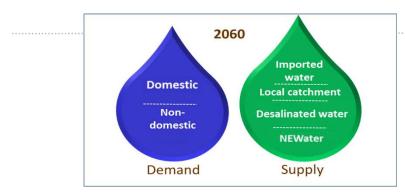
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### **PUB Manages the Entire Water Loop**



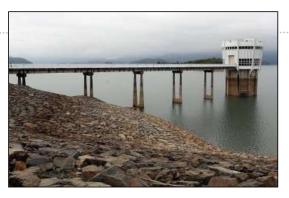
### Singapore's Water Challenges



### **Rising Water Demand**



Land Constraints



Water Scarcity



**Rising Public Expectations** 



### Technology as the Lever for Water Sustainability

PUB leverages technology to overcome water challenges and meet long-term water sustainability





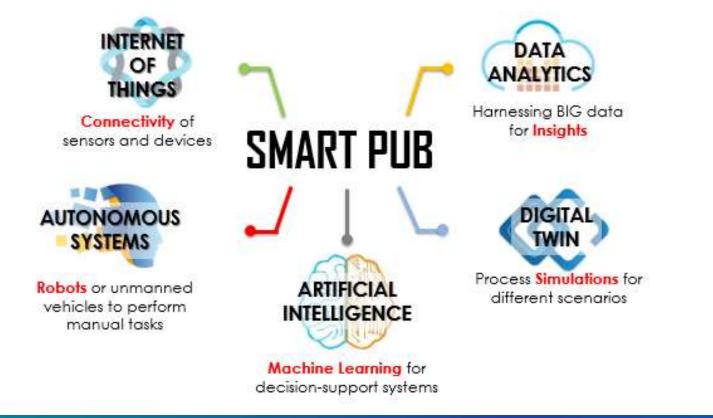
# Why Digitalise?

- Digitalisation is a key aspect to achieve "Adequacy, Resiliency and Sustainability".
- Advancements in digital and information communications technologies offer new opportunities.
- Enhance productivity and efficiency in planning, operations and service delivery



# **Digital Technologies; SMART PUB**

The SMART PUB Roadmap is a 5-year plan to deploy 5 identified tech enablers across PUB and across the entire value chain from planning to operations & maintenance





# **Exploring Potential Applications Across PUB**

| Catchment and<br>Waterways   |   | Supply<br>work Reclamation<br>Network  | Water<br>Reclamation<br>Plants  |
|--|---|--|---|
| SMART DRAINAGE GRID  | SMART PLANTS  | SMART WATER GRID   | SMART SEWER GRID  |
| <ul> <li>Extensive hydrometeorological<br/>monitoring</li> <li>Predictive drainage and flood<br/>management</li> <li>Analysed data to support strategic<br/>planning and maintenance of<br/>drainage infrastructure</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Optimised operations and decision support</li> <li>Man-less operations with automation</li> <li>Autonomous security and safety surveillance</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Extensive monitoring of network<br/>pressure, flow and water quality</li> <li>Pre-emptive leak detection</li> <li>Predictive load dispatch: Demand<br/>forecasting via machine learning</li> </ul>            | <ul> <li>Pre-emptive asset repair and replacement</li> <li>Monitoring network and tunnel structural integrity</li> <li>Illegal discharge tracing and modelling</li> </ul> |
| OPS SUPPORT  |   | DIGITAL WORKPLACE  |   |
| <ul> <li>360° situational awareness and system oversight with improved ops dashboards and mobile connectivity</li> <li>Reducing wastage and enhancing resilience with data analytics</li> </ul>                                |   | <ul> <li>Enhancing productivity by automating manual workflows</li> <li>Encouraging collaboration and knowledge sharing through digital platforms</li> <li>Improving service delivery via digital platforms</li> </ul> |   |

### **Smart Plants**

#### **OPERATIONS EFFICIENCY**

- More extensive data capture by sensors & robots.
- Enhanced analytics using machine learning & Al, enabling prescriptive & predictive decision support systems
- Automation using robots (e.g. sample collection, surveillance)

#### SAFETY & SECURITY

- Surveillance robots & drones (UAVs)
- CCTVs with video analytics
- Wearables with indoor & outdoor positioning





Augmented reality



Pump monitoring using IoT



**Operations Dashboard** 

Surveillance Robot Trial



### **Smart Networks**

#### SMART WATER GRID

SMART DRAINAGE GRID

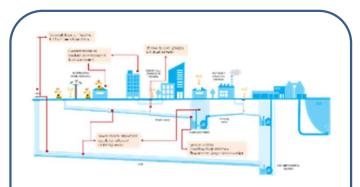
#### SMART SEWER GRID



- >300 sensor stations installed islandwide (water quality, pressure & flow) on PW pipelines
- >100 additional sensors on NEWater, Industrial Water, Potable Water networks



- ~600 flow & water level sensors & CCTVs installed
- > 200 additional sensors & CCTVs to be installed



- ~700 level, flow, water quality (MES, VOC) sensors installed islandwide
- ~6o additional VOC sensors
- ~100 additional MES sensors



## **Collaborating with the Industry**

Vibrant Water Ecosystem with over 200 Companies & more than 25 Research Centres



Water for All: Conserve, Value, Enjoy

**OPUB** 

### **Singapore Water Exchange**

The Singapore Water Exchange houses an ecosystem of water companies that leverage • mutual strengths to push the frontiers of water innovation and business growth.



**Commercialisation Ecosystem** 

**OPUB** 

# **Singapore International Water Week**

### SIWW2021 Event Format



- SIWW2021 SPOTLIGHT ) 📰 21 June 2021
- High-level summit for water leaders in governments, utilities, academia and industry
- Hybrid: physical for Singapore attendees, virtual for overseas attendees
- Co-located with World Cities Summit



- SIWW2021 ONLINE 21 June 2 July 2021
- Thematic webinars
- Virtual Water Convention technical and poster sessions
- Virtual Water Expo and product showcases

### SIWW2021 Key Thematic Areas

#### **Climate Resilience**

Building resilience to impacts of climate change on urban water systems



#### **Digital Water**

Leveraging digital technologies across urban water cycle to achieve optimization and efficiency



#### **Resource Circularity**

Embracing circular resource management to reduce water, energy and resource footprint



