## GLOBAL INVENTORY OF CLOSED-OFF TIDAL BASINS AND DEVELOPMENTS AFTER THE CLOSURE

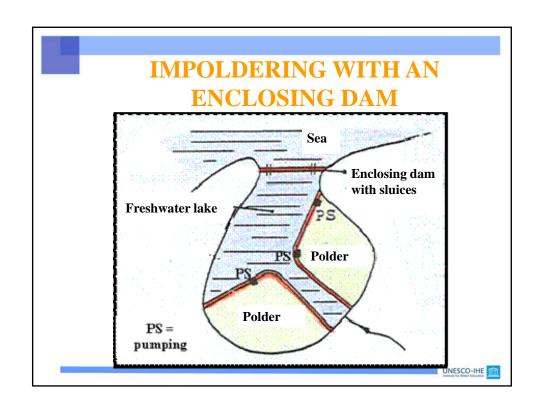
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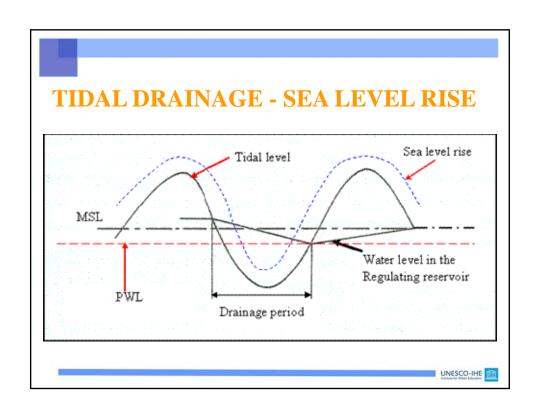
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## POLDERS IN A COASTAL LAGOON Encircling polder dike Sea Reclaimed polders PS = Pumping station



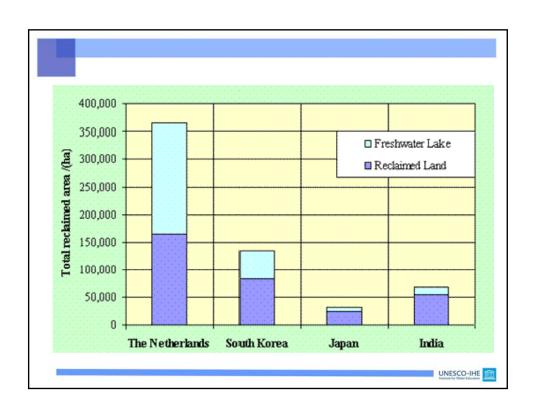


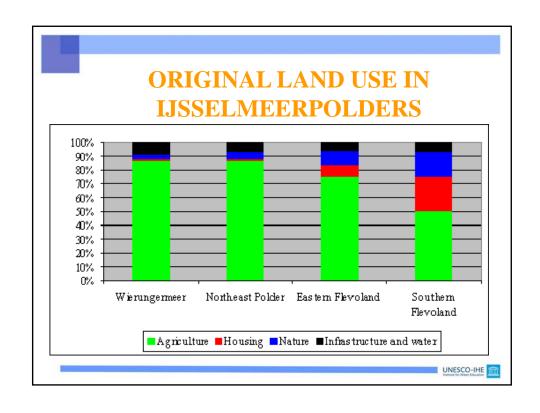


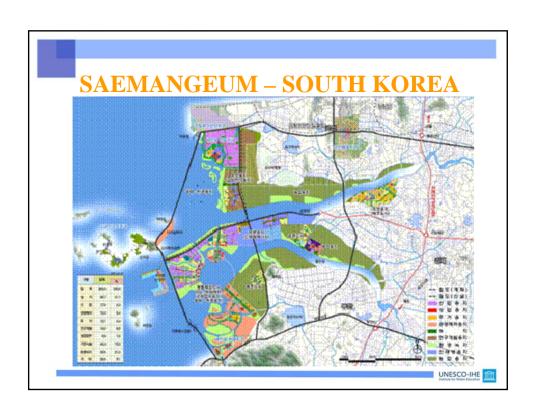
## SOME CHARACTERISTIC DATA

- schemes especially in densely populated countries and regions: Netherlands, South Korea, India and Japan
- **23** schemes with a total area of 600,000 ha: 327,000 ha reclaimed land and 272,00 ha fresh water reservoir
- generally successful schemes, reclaimed lands are intensively used
- in some cases water quality problems in the created fresh water reservoirs
- plans for new reclamations especially in Asia

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Parameter	Sea level rise			
	0 cm	10 cm	20 cm	60 cm
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Total volume discharged (million m³)	1,250	1,194	1,093	688
Average discharge (m³/s)	498	477	436	275
Percentage reduction in discharge	-	4.3	12	44
Average water level for whole month	-0.39	-0.36	-0.29	-0.03
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Total volume discharged (million m³)	203	203	205	189
Average discharge (m³/s)	81	81	82	75
Percentage reduction in discharge	-	nil	nil	6.9
Average water level for whole month	-1.47	-1.46	-1.44	-1.38

