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### **PUBLIC BUILDINGS**

Project	Education: school complex Sri Sumangala		
	Girls School		
Project name	Tsunami Rehabilitation and reconstruction		

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Country	Sri Lanka
Region/town	Weligama, southern Sri Lanka
GIS data (WGS 84)	N 05.97399° E080.42433°
Project type	Repair / rehabilitation and New constructions
Typology	Complete school compound with 2- and 3-storey buildings, gym hall, assembly hall and sanitary buildings, students from Kindergarten to Matrix level (1 - 12)
Approach	Contracted Planner & Engineer, Private construction firm
Beneficiaries	Tsunami affected students, teachers & parents
Climate	Tropical hot & humid
Special constraint	Construction while school operation on-going, safety of students, very big school (2600 students)



### **Partners**

Country GNP

Start / end of project

Organization (donor) Projects Financed 100% by SDC
IO/NGO partners N/A: Chain of hope, providing school furniture directly to beneficiary
GO partners Ministry of Education, at central and province/district levels

xx.2005 / 30.06.2008

USD/cap

CP planning xx05.07.05
CP construction xx20.2.06

## **Context to project**

Initial Situation	School received students from tsunami-affected schools; school served as temporary accommodation for the public immediately after the Tsunami.
Goals, Beneficiaries	To add space for additional students; students, teachers, parents; refurbish the existing school buildings and complex: 2600 Students, 120 Teachers
Implementations/Results	Additional space for about 200 students available and improved toilet capacity for students, income generation by rent of Gym & Assembly Hall

## Federal Department of Foreign Affairs FDFA Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation SDC

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Reference data (comparative)				
Land plot Classes/rooms per block	m2	Number of blocks Number of units	See list on page 5	
Beneficiary / unit		Total beneficiaries	School: 2600 + 120	
Latrines, (2 Toilet Blocks)	m2 112; 13 WC, 9 urinals	Other infrastructure	Electrical & plumbing, storm drainage	
Ground floor (incl. walls)	m2	Floor (incl. walls)		
Total surface COMPLEX	m2	Surface / beneficiary	m2/ beneficiary	
Volume (outside dim.)	m3	Volume / beneficiary	m3/ beneficiary	
Heated surface <b>N/A</b>	0.00 m2: N/A	Heated surface/	m2/ beneficiary	
Cooling with ceiling fans		beneficiary		
cost of complex	USD: 940'000.00	cost/beneficiary	USD/beneficiary 361.50	
Total cost CHF 1'081'000	USD: 940'000	Self help (beneficiaries)*)	USD/beneficiary	

<sup>\*)</sup> removal of temporary classrooms by Students / Parents and Teachers after inauguration and taking over of the project.

Approach to results	
Initial Situation	School was over crowded, temporary classrooms were used during repair and permanent construction works.
Approach	Needs assessment in cooperation with Government; MoU with Government, planning phase with contracted local architects; implementation phases with contracted construction firms. (Implementation in 3 phases)
Problems/Constraints	Price hike due to exorbitant demand on the construction industry after the Tsunami. Change towards much higher standards for schools by the Ministry of Education casing additional cost increases. Xxx
	To build while school operation is going on; during school exams building activities were stopped
	Rainy season, labour shortage, high ground water levels
	Site management and construction supervision by the local consultants was poor
Lessons learned	Xxx re- evaluate also designers, do not choose lowest cost
Evaluation	xxxx

## Legal framework

Political attachmentMatara Town; District of Matara, Southern ProvinceType of ownershipGovernment (central government ownership)

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Construction information cost repartition

Construction

**Structure** Foundations Single footing RCC x%

Walls or columns Walls in brick / hollow blocks, columns RCC

Facade

Roof Tiled roof

Earthquake protection Standard safety factors applied

materials Floor surface Mass concrete

Walls: Bricks / cement hollow blocks

Doors wooden

Windows Wooden, no glass
Ceiling No suspended ceilings

Thermo insulation N/A, sunshades against direct irradiation Ceiling Ground floor: RCC, upper floor no ceiling

**WatSan** water From overhead tank (low head)

**Toilets** 

Waste water Septic tank, soakage pit, percolation trench

Rain water Open channel drainage

**equipment** heating / cooling system Ceiling fans

Electricity connection 240 V, single phase

Telephone connection N/A existed for Principal's office
Cooking facilities N/A existed already (canteen) use LPG

Total USD: Applied rate: Rs. 90/- = 1.0 USD 100%

### **Urban planning**

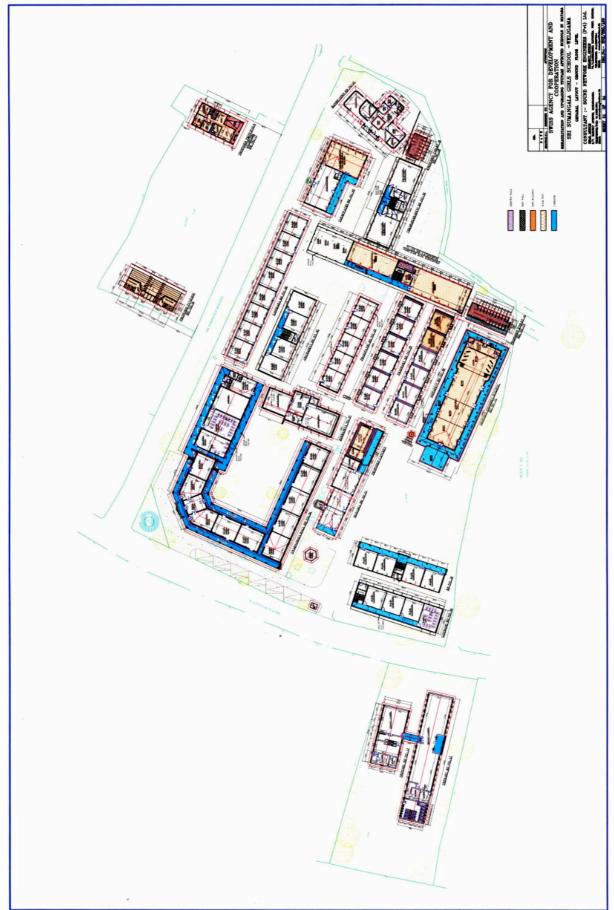
**Distance to :** villages School is in town

Public transport Available (public & private bus operators etc.)

#### For further information

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Recommended partners:	
Recommended books/reports:	
Relevant other projects (links):	

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## Sri Sumangala Girls School, Sri Lanka

4% for "Preliminaries" and 7% for electrical contract (labour and material, such as ceiling fans etc.) are included in costs.

PHASE 1:			CHF	CHF	
Building:	m2	m3	Costs m2	Costs m3	Remarks:
New Toilet Block	56	219			9 squatting pans, 6 hand wash basins, ground floor only
Building 3, Amaradevi, class rooms & IT Lab	219	2'232			3-storey building, simple redecoration work, existing asbestos roof not touched
Building 10, Prajapath	i, class roo	ms			Ground floor only, simple refurbishment
•	Building 9, Primary, class rooms				
Building 8, Somadevi, class rooms					
Building 6, Yashora					
TOTALS:	1266	6453	108.60	21.40	
PHASE 2			CHF	CHF	
Building:	m2	m3	Costs m2	Costs m3	Remarks:
Building 02, Gothami	219	1'625	126.80	17.20	2-storey building, refurbishing only
Building 04, Viharamadevi	657	2'354	51.00	14.30	3-story laboratory building, simple refurbishing,
Building 05, Saraswathi	252	1'019	223.20	55.20	Ground floor, dancing and music, refurbish & major modifications to the building
Building 07, Bimbadevi	187	714	39.00	10.30	Laboratory building, ground floor only, simple refurbishing "face lift"
Buildings 12 & 13, Primary	482	2'300	163.00	34.30	Substantial modifications made from dormitory cum kitchen/ dining unit to classrooms
PHASE 3			CHF	CHF	
Building:	m2	m3	Costs m2	Costs m3	Remarks:
Building 11, Mallika	283	1'245	253.40	57.70	Ground floor only, attached new canteen building, and new home science installations
Building 01, Dulawatta & Swarnamali	1'173	6'469	253.40	25.50	Ground floor only, complete new roof- tiling, refurbishing; administration & class rooms
New Toilet building	71	317	345.60	77.50	Complete new building, 1 WC, 13 squatting pans, 5 hand wash basins, including floors and walls tiled, septic tank and percolation trenches
PHASE 4			CHF	CHF	
Building:	m2	m3	Costs m2	Costs m3	Remarks:
New Principals Quarters	113	482	372.40	87.30	Complete new building, including septic tank & soak away
Building 14, New Gym Hall					Complete new building, expensive foundation works
Building 15, New Assembly Hall with stage	580	3'245	248.30	44.40	Complete new building; no suspended ceiling in the hall, expensive foundation
External works: storm drainage					CHF 20'000,00; open channel drainage.

Add: Allow some amount for inauguration ceremony !! Add for Construction Supervision, Management of Works x%, Add SDC office = %

