



# SEA WATER AIR CONDITIONING FOR TAHITI HOSPITAL

## A SUCCESS STORY

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With 3 installations since 2005 in French Polynesia, the SWAC has proven to be a disruptive, reliable, and cost-effective technology for cooling in tropical areas.

# KEYS FIGURES

## PROJECT DETAILS

- **Commissioning:** 2022
- **Investment:** 30M USD (Public : EIB, AFD, Polynesian Gov)
- **Cooling Power:** 6MWc
- **Intake Pipe Diameter :** 710 mm (2.33 ft)
- **Intake Pipe Length:** 3585 meters (11762 ft)
- **Human Ressources:** 200 workers involved
- **Industrial Ressources:** 25 companies involved

## TECHNICAL PERFORMANCE

- **CO2 Savings :** 15000 tons / yr
- **Electric Consumption:** - 12 GWH / yr (-90%)
- **Performance Coefficient :** 45 to 50 (vs 25 to 30 exp.)

## FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

- **Electric Cost Savings:** 3M USD / yr (-90%)
- **Loan interests :** 1.5M USD / yr over 20 yrs
- **Return:** cost covered over 10 yrs vs amortized over 20 yrs in model

**Low Maintenance (divided by 10)**

**No Negative Impact on the Environment**

**Less Dependence on Fossil Fuels**

**Better Cooling Comfort**

**Low Carbon Footprint**

**High Reliability (3rd installation in Fr. Polynesia)**



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