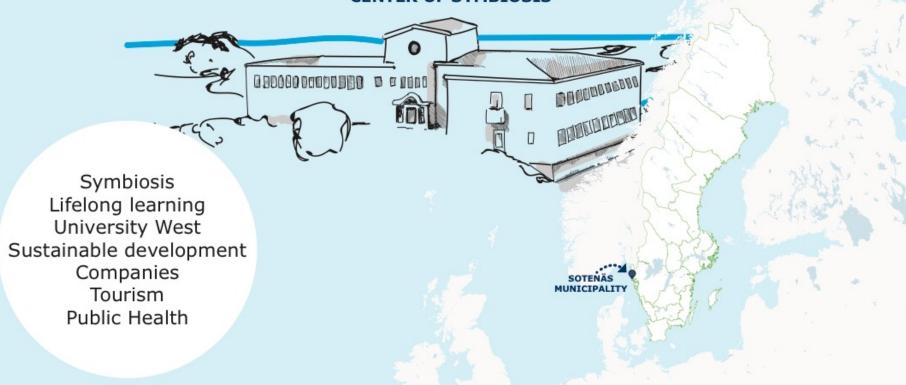


INDUSTRIAL AND SOCIAL SYMBIOSIS IN SOTENÄS

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Industrial symbiosis:

The science of leftovers!

A path towards a circular economy

Going from linear to circular production





Symbiosis in Sotenäs

- In 2011 the municipality began to think in a new way
- 2012 the private company Renahav was founded
- After a study visit in 2013, to Kalundborg in Denmark, Sotenäs realized that they already had begun the work with symbiosis
- In 2015, the municipal platform "Sotenäs Centre of Symbiosis" was founded



Local challenges required new thinking!

Challenges connected to the marine food industries







Symbiosis is dynamic and constantly evolves

Sketch by industries 2012

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Lerby

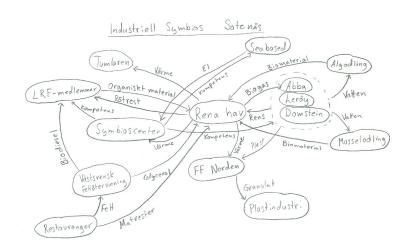
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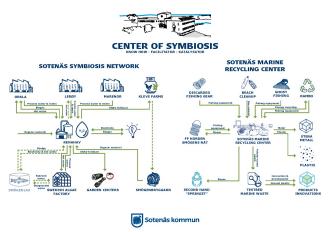
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Sketch by municipality 2013

Sketch by municipality 2022







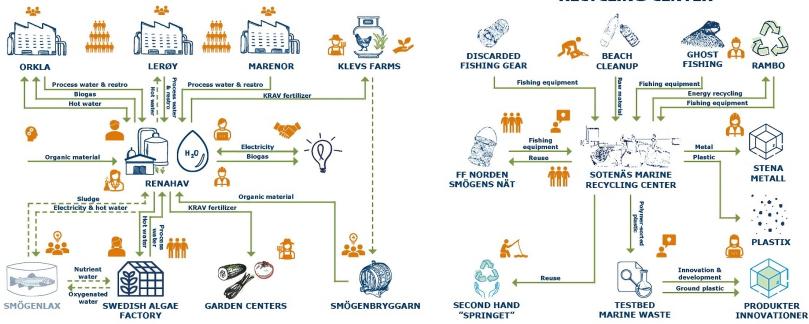


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SOTENÄS MARINE SOTENÄS SYMBIOSIS NETWORK RECYCLING CENTER

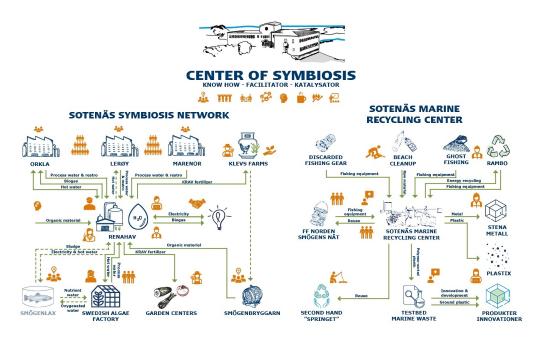






Symbiosis creates opportunities!

- People, people, people
- Solve obstacles by finding the opportunities
- Innovation fosters more innovation
- Connects marine food industry to farming
- Creates local resilience
 - · Energy, fertilizers, food
- Achieves the Green deal!











10 years of symbiosis -remember the challenge?

"Swedens most sustainable industrial cluster" -University of Linköping, 2022



Så skapades Sveriges mest hållbara industrikluster

John Marthinson

Sotenäs kommun vände den lokala industrins negativa miljöpåverkan till strategi för lokal och hållbar utveckling med hjälp av ett gång lokala entreprenörer, entusiastiska tjänstemän och forskningsbaserade metoder. Idag är symbiosen i Sotenäs Sveriges kanske bästa exempel på cirkular ekonomi.

Renahay visar upp sina lokaler under Biogasresan 2021, Foto: John Marthins

Industriell symbios minskar miljöpåverkan

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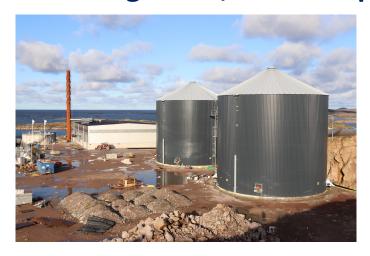
Under en femårsperiod uppskattas de årliga utsläppen av CO2-ekv minska med 60 000 ton, övergödning med 388 ton fosfater och transporter med 19 miljoner tonkm.





10 years after the first symbiosis sketches

local growth, new companies and new ideas





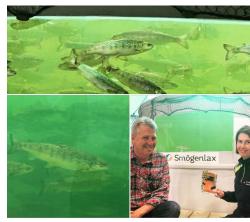


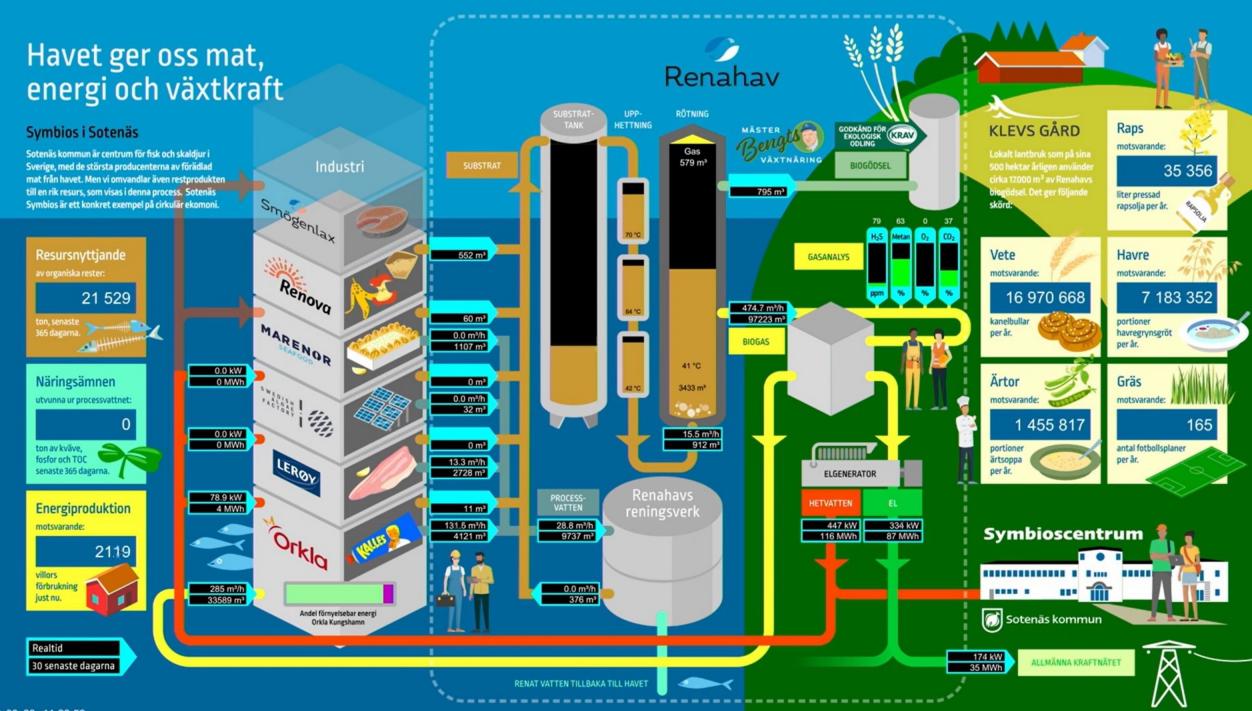














Why symbiosis is important for a municipality

- Innovation occurs in a small rural municipality
- Symbiosis attracts external companies
- Attracts research and development
- Our companies are front runners in the green transition

- Show that Sotenäs is a dynamic municipality to live and work in
 - The countryside is fighting for the sustainable companies and creative residents
 - Municipalities must be able to offer something that stands out



The municipality's role

- Social symbiosis
- Neutral platform for the symbiosis network
- Land, building permits and detail plans
- Can function as link to the innovation system
- Can coordinate development projects
- Link to strategic actors and networks
- Offer coffee!

The companie's role

- Industrial symbiosis
- The companies support & own the symbiosis flows
- Stable deals/agreements regarding resource flows
 - The forerunners and those who take the risks
- Break the linear mindset
 - Go from waste costs to resource thinking
 - Find new business opportunities
 - Build smart and sustainable businesses
 - · Branding that enables future resilience
 - Answers to the consumers and employees new demands



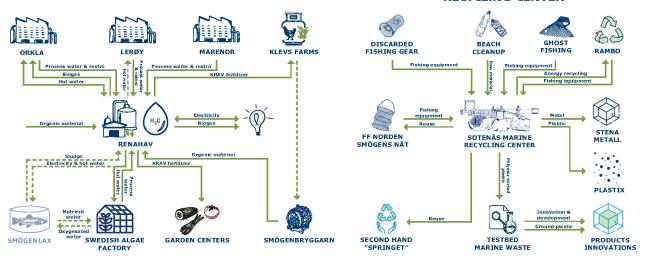


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EDUCATION & COMPETENS BROKER

FYSICAL PLACE FOR COLLABORATION

SYMBIOSIS DEVELOPMENT & NETWORKING

A SYMBIOSIS NETWORK BASED ON COLLABORATION

BUSINESSES - ACADEMIA - INSTITUTIONS -LOCAL AUTHORITIES - NEIGHBOURING MUNICIPALITIES - REGION - ETC.





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