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Intermunicipal coastal protection project

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What is the problem?

North coast of Zealand

- Chronic coastal erosion
- Net sediment transport from Hundested to Helsingør
- Developed part protected with coastal protection (revetments)









North coast of Zealand

Pictures after the storm Bodil / Sven 6/12-2013















Pictures: Christian Helledie

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Increasing need for protection of the coastline





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Agenda

- Objective
- Preliminary study
- Assessment of existing coastal protection
- Final project









- 50 year return period (storm)
- 50 year lifetime (year 2075)
- 64% probability that the storm will occur during the lifetime







- Bathymetrical survey and sediment sampling
- Topographical survey
- Geotechnical desk-study
- Registration of coastal defences
- Design parameters





Deep-sea sounding and sediment sampling – DHI (boat)







Figur B.1 Linje 256 processeret i Hypack Max[™] Sub Bottom Processing. Havbunden er markeret med den blå linje, mens sandaflejringerne er markeret med transparent gul.



Deep-sea sounding and sediment sampling – DHI (boat)

Sand fraction on beach

• $d_{50} = 0.35 \text{ mm}$

At depths larger than 0.8 m

• $0.12 \text{ mm} < d_{50} < 0.25 \text{ mm}.$





Preliminary study Topographical survey – LiDAR and orthophoto









Registration of existing constructions









Design parameters (DHI)

Extreme value analysis

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- Water levels (~1.7 m)
- Wave heights (4.4 and 3.6 m)



Design parameters (DHI)

Erosion during a storm (0.9-1.8 m)



Initial minimumshøjde af strand foran konstruktionen (m)	Total akut erosion volumen (m ³ /m)		
	50 års hændelse, Vest	50 årshændelse, Øst	Bodil
- 0.5	5.0	4.7	7.2
+0.0	5.6	5.3	8.1
+0.5	7.1	6.9	9.9
+1.0	8.7	8.4	12.1
+1.5	10.3	9.9	14.4
+2.0	12.2	11.6	16.8
+2.5	14.0	13.5	19.9



Now and in the future

Starting point: Water depth in front of coastal protection

- Water level
 - Storm surge
 - Wave set-up
 - Seal level rise
- Terrain level
 - Isostatic rebound
- Erosion
 - Chronic erosion
 - Erosion during a storm
 - Erosion due to sea level rise
- Beach nourishment









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Today and in 50 years



Today and in 50 years without beach nourishment





Today and in 50 years with beach nourishment



Final project

Combination of beach nourishment and revetments

- 1. Communal beach nourishment where the coast is developed
 - Initial beach nourishment
 - Maintenance every five years
 - +2.5 m west of Gilleleje
 - +2.0 m east of Gilleleje



- 2. Inspiration on upgrading of the coastal protection (landowners)
 - Revetments which can withstand a 50 year storm in 50 years



Final project Natura 2000 N195





Final project Visualisation









