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SUEZ IS OPENING ITS FIRST VALOVISIO® SMART CENTRE FOR WASTE MANAGEMENT AND RECOVERY

After the VISIO water management centres, SUEZ is launching VALOVISIO®, smart centres for waste management and recovery. The first VALOVISIO® centre was opened today in Caluire-et-Cuire, near Lyon (France). Dedicated to services for business in the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes and Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur regions, it will give SUEZ's clients the benefit of an optimised service perfectly tailored to their needs, tracking for their flows and greater responsiveness to their requirements.

Drawing on proven human expertise, the use of real-time data and smart digital tools, the VALOVISIO® 360° management centre is a hub gathering data (geolocation of collection trucks and containers, container fill levels, collection progress etc.) generated by the connected tools and sensors fitted to SUEZ's vehicles, installations and containers.

Continuously analysed, the data is translated into dashboards and used to support decision-making, to optimise services very responsively, to reinforce safety and to guarantee perfect tracking for the waste flows. Thanks to VALOVISIO®, it is possible to schedule waste collection automatically, taking driver and vehicle availability and normal journey times into account in real time and adjusting or modifying rounds based on traffic, breakdowns or urgent new requests from clients.

A management centre 100% dedicated to services for business

Using this innovative technology for data analysis and processing, SUEZ supports companies in their development and helps them respond to their new economic and environmental challenges.

By optimising the way services are organised and adapting resources, VALOVISIO® will improve the operational performance of the service, guaranteeing control over costs and keen pricing for clients. By providing a source of information, VALOVISIO® will give them a complete and perfectly transparent view of their waste management. New intelligent systems for analysing the data will make it possible to go still further, offering an evolution of their services based on past data to anticipate their needs and optimise the associated resources to be deployed. The service is thus more than responsive – it becomes predictive.

Another step forward in the implementation of SUEZ Group's digital strategy

The VALOVISIO® management centre in Caluire is the first one dedicated to waste, and SUEZ will gradually roll out the technological solution to the rest of the country. Extending it to all the group's waste activities, including services for local authorities, is currently being examined.

The launch of VALOVISIO® is part of SUEZ's firm ambition to become the leader in smart and digital services in waste recycling and reuse. These innovative solutions contribute to the concrete development of the circular economy in the regions and to the resource preservation.

Key figures

VALOVISIO® services for business

- Coverage of **19** departments
- **740** employees
- **7000** client companies
- **6** local branches
- **220** collection vehicles
- **10,000** containers deployed
- **over 7 million** km traveled/year
- **650,000** tonnes of business waste collected/year



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About SUEZ

With 90 000 people on the five continents, SUEZ is a world leader in smart and sustainable resource management. We provide water and waste management solutions that enable cities and industries optimize their resource management and strengthen their environmental and economic performances, in line with regulatory standards. To meet increasing demands to overcome resource quality and scarcity challenges, SUEZ is fully engaged in the resource revolution. With the full potential of digital technologies and innovative solutions, the Group recovers 17 million tons of waste a year, produces 3.9 million tons of secondary raw materials and 7 TWh of local renewable energy. It also secures water resources, delivering wastewater treatment services to 58 million people and reusing 882 million m3 of wastewater. SUEZ generated total revenues of 15.3 billion euros in 2016.

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