

## 2.3. UA for resource efficiency and waste management

### **2.3.2 Waste-to-resources: the potential uses of bio-waste**

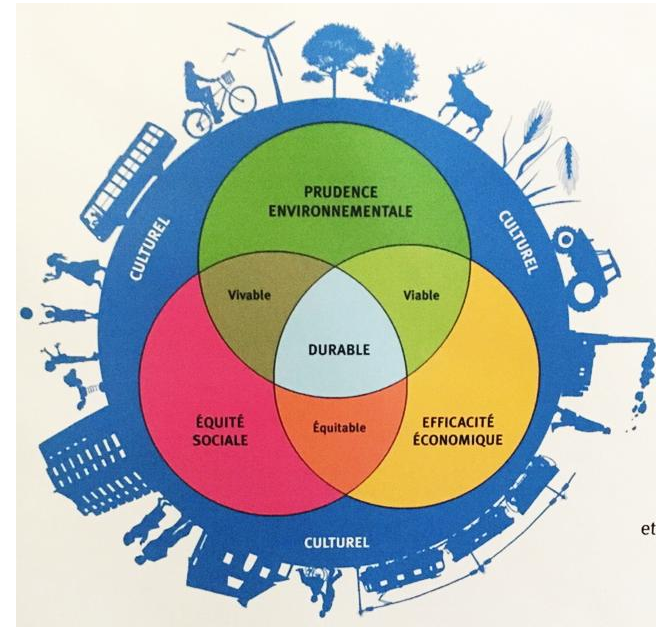
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## 2.3.5 Waste-to-resources: The potential uses of biowaste

### Plan

- Urban system
- Type of urban wastes
- Ways of recycling
- Potential uses of bio-waste for plant production



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## Regulations

The uses of compost must follow state regulations.

In France regulations for organic amendment (NF U 44-051) and for growing media (NF U 44-551). A european rule in on the way (2019).

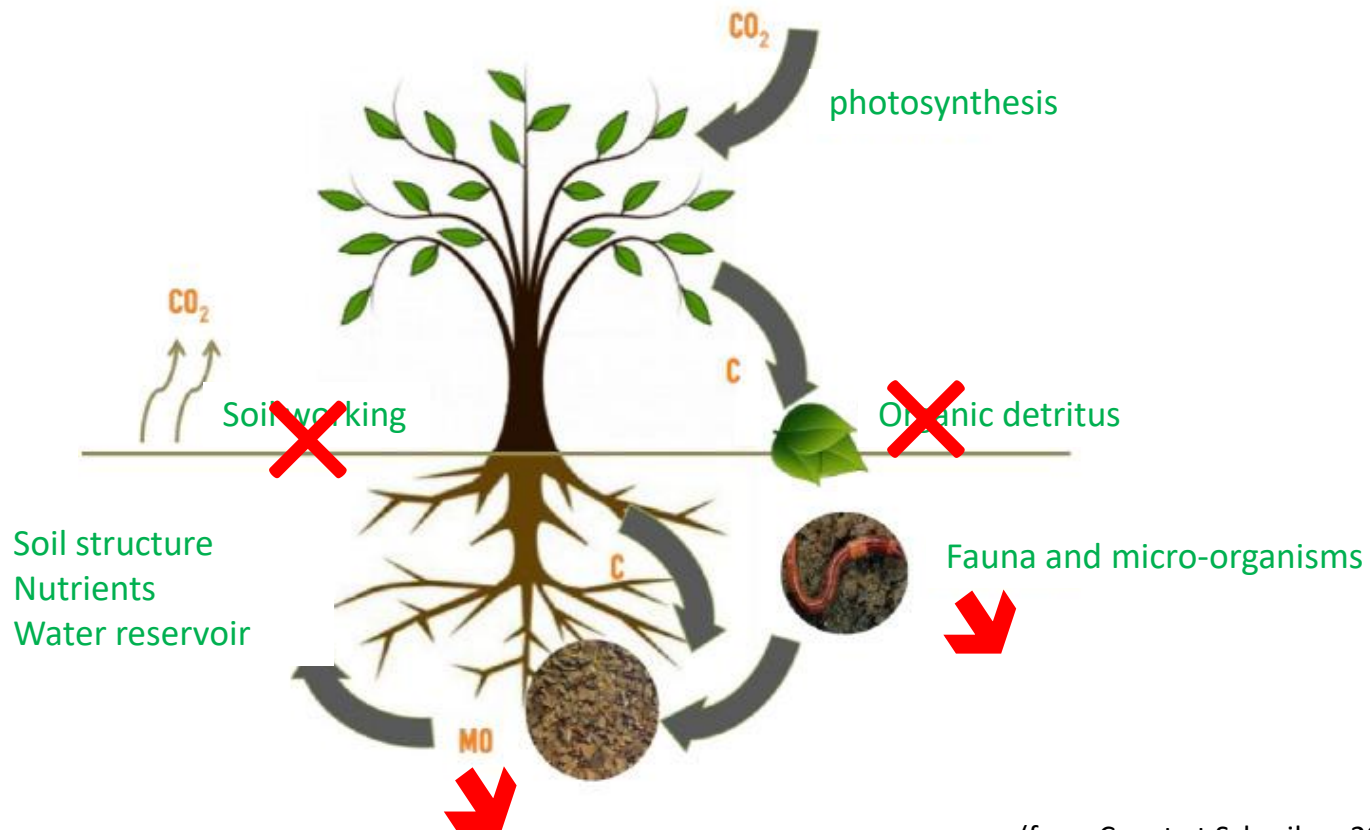
The products must be conform to a compulsory standard

- Raw materials allowed,
- Thresholds for
  - heavy metals (Cd, Cr, Cu, HG, Ni, Pb, Zn),
  - micro-organims (Escherichia coli, Helminths eggs, ...)
  - Pathogens (salmonella and listeria monocytogenes)
- Labelling requirement as pH and electrycal conductivity

**European regulations**  Population sanitary protection

# Potential uses of bio-waste

## Urban soil characteristics



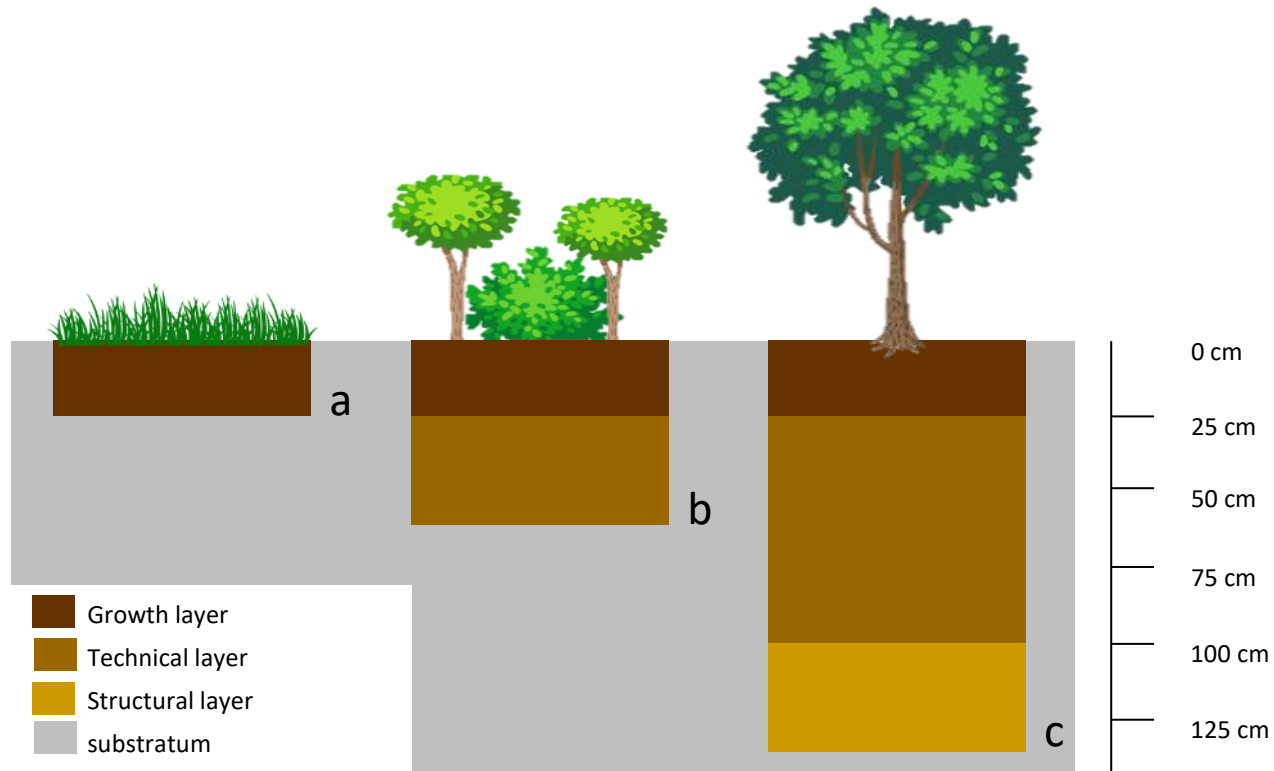
(from Canet et Schreiber, 2015)

**Low fertility of soil**  $\rightleftharpoons$  **High mortality of urban vegetation**

# Potential uses of bio-waste



Support for plant development as function of land uses



Support of traffic lanes  
Tramway  
Extensive green roofs

Squares and parks  
Support of public building  
Intensive green roofs  
Common gardens  
Industrial sites

Street trees

Unep 2010



## Constructed soil with great quantity of composts

Soil of tramway



Extensive green roof



# Potential uses of biowaste



**Constructed soil with great quantity of composts for squares and parks**

Fondation Louis Vuitton Paris 2014



Florentaise

Cité Internationale Lyon 1998



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2012



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# Potential uses of biowaste



**Constructed soil with great quantity of bio-waste for intensive green roof**



Roof of AgroParisTech  
Paris

Montréal



# Potential uses of biowaste



Soil with great quantity of composts for common gardens  
60% of soils modified and with technogenic materials



# Potential uses of biowaste



Soil with great quantity of composts for private gardens  
60% of soils modified and with technogenic materials



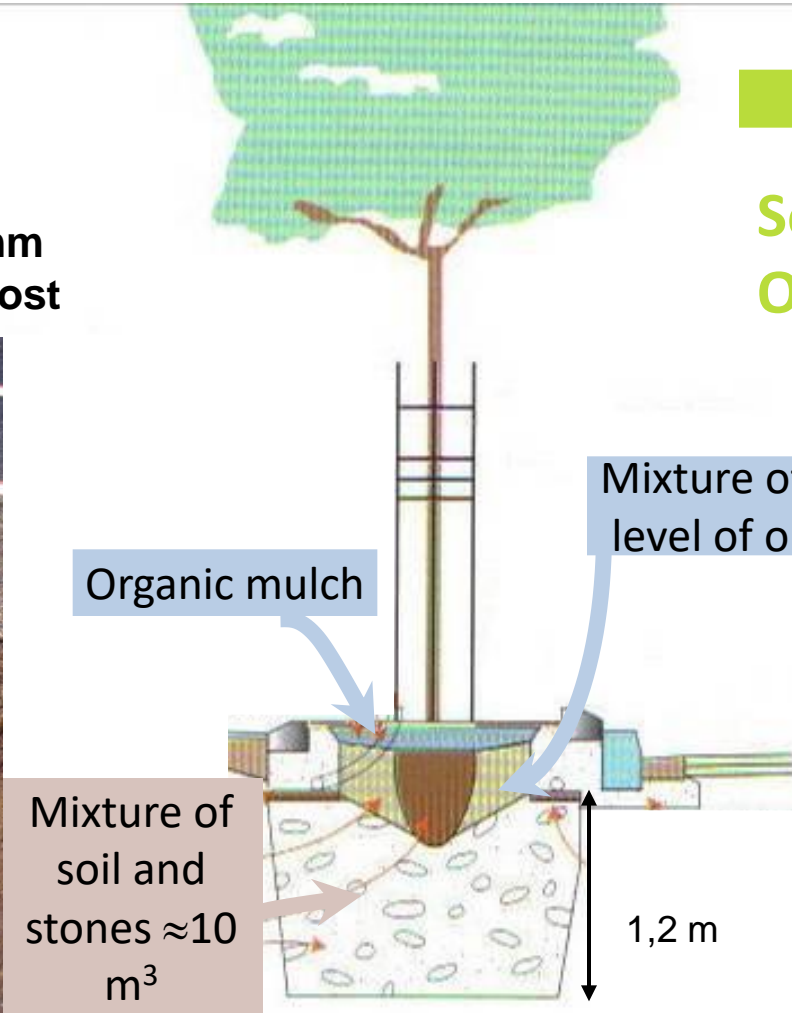
**Bad control of organic matter inputs**  
⇒ soil contamination and salinisation

# Potential uses of biowaste

➔ **Constructed soil with great quantity of composts for street trees**

Since 2000 in France

**Mixture stone-soil =  
65% v/v stones 40-90mm  
35% v/v soil and compost**



**Soil improvement  
OM recycling**



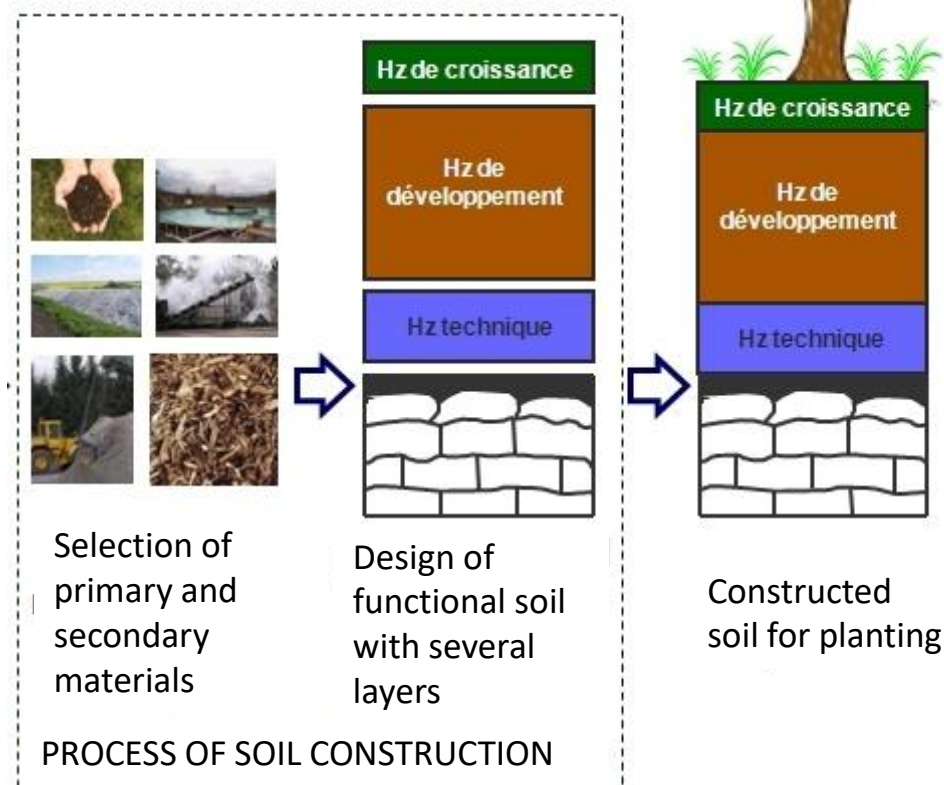
Soil reconstitution for tree planting (Daunay, 1999)

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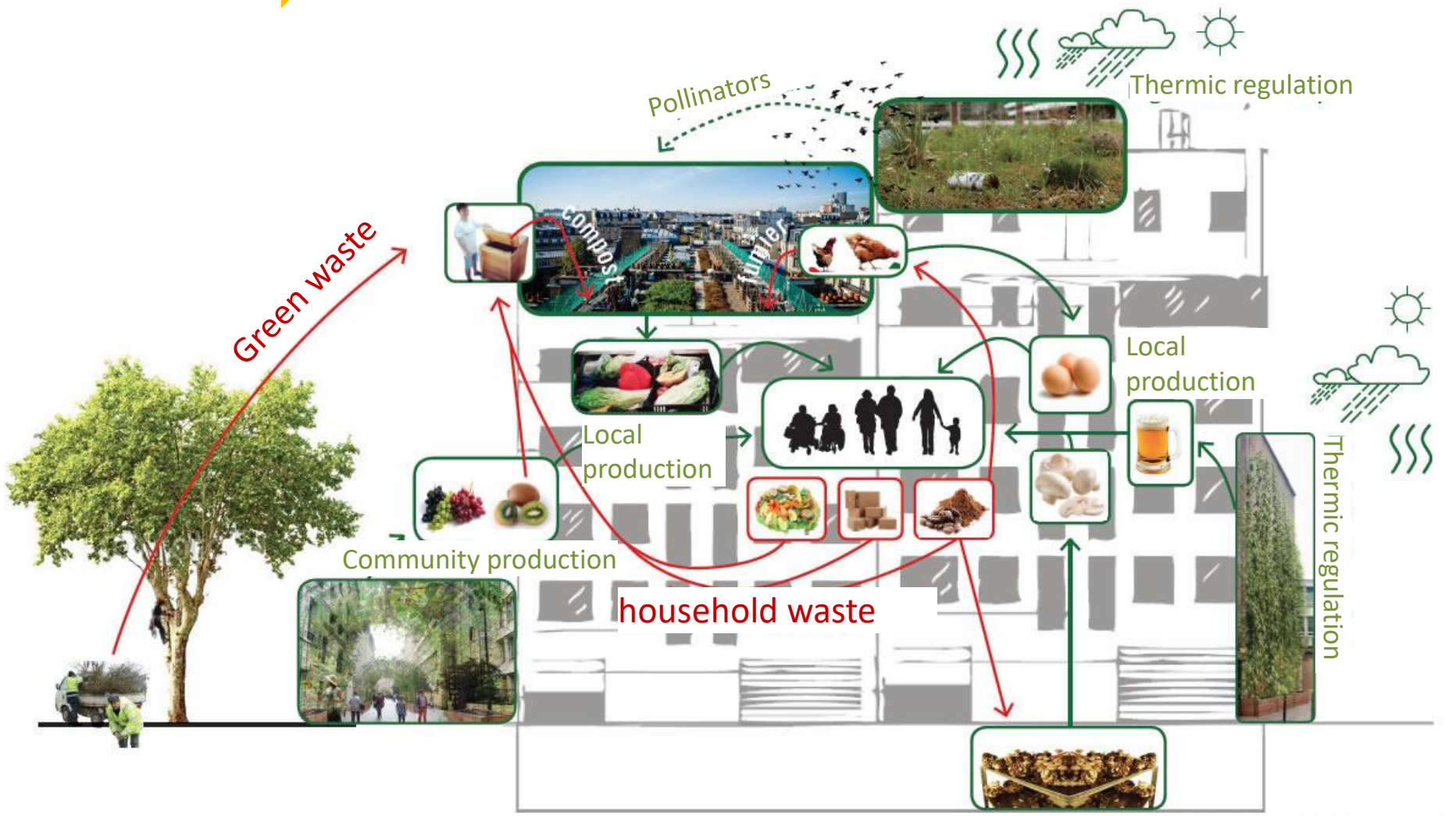
## Constructed soil with biowaste and mineral waste

SITERRE program is funded by the French Environmental Agency (ADEME) and aims at developing an alternative approach **by constructing fertile soils with urban wastes and by product dedicated to landscaping.**



# Potential uses of biowaste

➔ **The city as a sustainable ecosystem**



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