ACCESS TO DRINKING WATER IN DESERT REGIONS: SOLAR-OBTAINED WATER

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THE PROBLEM

- Lack of drinking water in desert areas.
- Drinking water producing systems not friendly with the environment.

MAP OF THE PRESENTATION

DESCRIPTION OF THE SYSTEM:

- General comment on the operation of the system.
- Only company that makes the product: Source Hydropanels.

SYSTEM COMPONENTS AND WATER HARVESTING PROCESS:

- Five main components.
- Dimensions and capacity of each unit.
- Process in detail.

ADVANTAGES AND DISADVANTAGES OF HYDROPANELS:

- Eco friendly.
- Cost.
- Versatility.

DESCRIPTION OF THE SYSTEM

SYSTEM COMPONENTS AND WATER HARVESTING PROCESS

- Different stages: The air is collected. It turns into water and mineralizes.
- Obtaining and purification process: two stages where two elements act.
- Dimensions and capacity: each panel measures 1.2m x 2.4m. Capacity of almost 30 liters and weighs approximately 124 kilograms.
- They have a battery for cloudy periods.

ADVANTAGES AND DISADVANTAGES

- DISADVANTAGES:
  - ❖ High cost ($5500 - $6500).
  - ❖ It does not cover the necessary basic demands.

- ADVANTAGES:
  - ❖ Innovative and decentralized drinking water.
  - ❖ Environmentally friendly.
  - ❖ The system returns sustainable and quality water.
  - ❖ It uses few pieces of pipe.
  - ❖ Small size and no electricity required.

CONCLUSION

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