

- Population: 14.1 million people (1972)
- 50 % of population living in urban areas
- Significant migration to urban areas
 (5.1% of urban growth a year)
- 35% of population in urban areas classified as urban poor
- Most of them living in slums called pueblos jóvenes (young settlements), located in the outskirts of the main cities
- 13.7% of annual expected increase in pueblos jóvenes population
- People in pueblos jovenes lack property titles, drinking water, sewerage and electricity

Pueblos Jóvenes





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The Solution:

Sites and Services Project



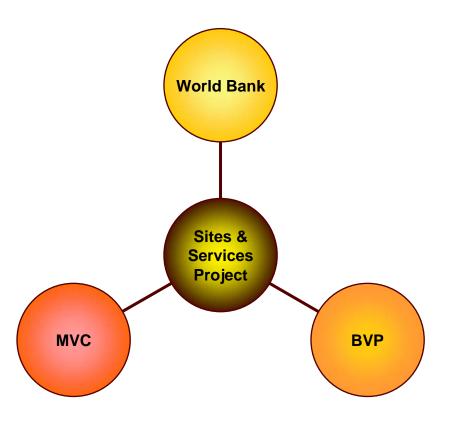
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- Establishment of an institutional capability for the delivery of basic services to the urban poor
- Generation of employment opportunities for low-income workers
- Improvement of the productive capacity of a growing segment of residents in pueblos jóvenes

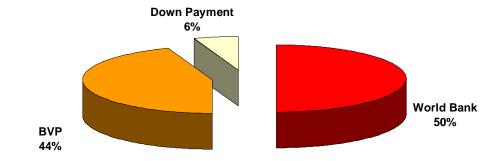
- 1. Water and sewerage for *pueblos jóvenes* in Lima and Arequipa providing about 7,200 household connections
- 2. Electrification of 16,300 households in *pueblos jóvenes* in Lima and Arequipa
- 3. Access roads of 86.1 km to connect *pueblos jóvenes* to main roads and upgrade existing roads in those settlements
- 4. Health and nutrition centers in pueblos jóvenes in Lima
- 5. Industrial sites and services in Lima and Arequipa
- 6. Housing and commercial sites and services in Lima
- 7. Supervised credit in Arequipa
- 8. Technical assistance

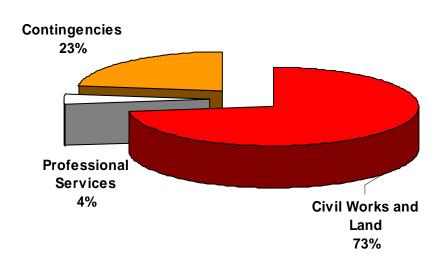
Institutions Involved

- World Bank: Financing, evaluation and technical assistance during implementation
- 2. Ministry of Housing and Construction (MVC): Formulation of policy, preparation of urban plans, coordination of public and private housing investments, govt. Investments in general construction, water, sewerage, and infrastructure
- 3. Housing Bank of Peru (BVP):
 Financing, executing agency of
 the project through its Technical
 Department



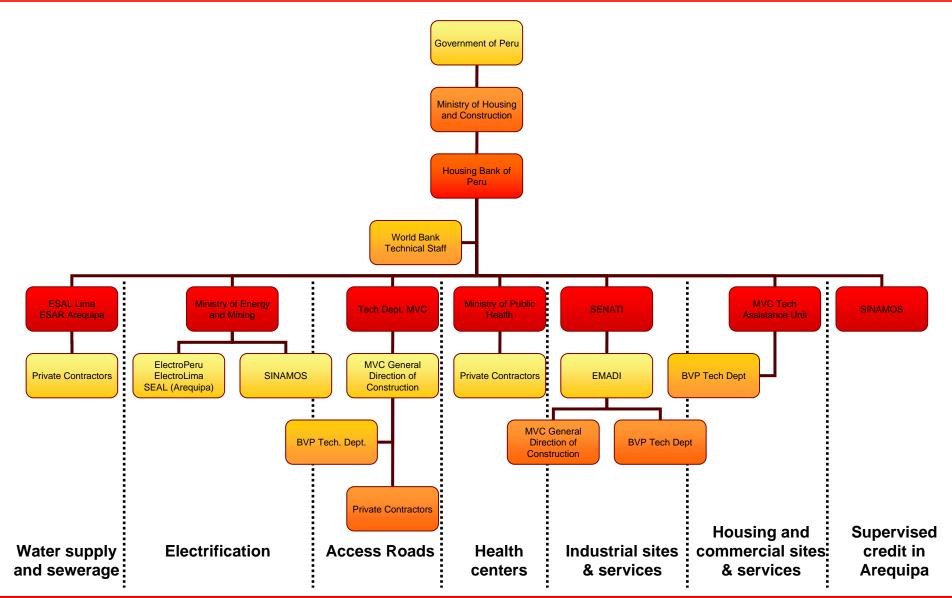
- Total cost: US\$ 43.2 million
- World Bank loan: US\$ 21.6 million (50% of total cost)
- US\$ 19.1 provided by Banco de la Vivienda del Perú
- US\$ 2.5 million of down payments from project beneficiaries
- 65% of recovery of costs comes from charges and sales to final users
- Expected rate of return of quantifiable elements: 30%



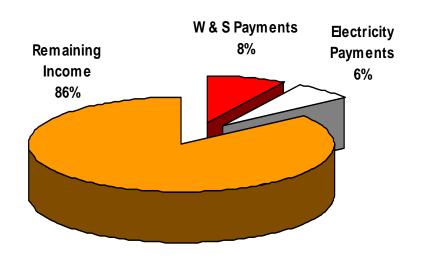




Organizational Structure



- Loan terms are for 20 years
 with a 10% downpayment and
 an interest rate of 12% on the
 unpaid balance
- ESAL and ESAR (W & S public companies) collect on behalf of BVP monthly payments from households which reflect both costs of construction and costs of water consumed



Per capita income 1973

Peru: US\$ 87

Lima: US\$ 117

Pueblos Jóvenes: US\$ 78

Participation

LEVELS OF PARTICIPATION	STAGES OF PROJECTS AND PROGRAMS				
	INITIATE	PLAN	DESIGN	IMPLEMENT	MAINTAIN
NONE					
INDIRECT					
CONSULTATIVE				•	
SHARED CONTROL					
FULL CONTROL					

Outcomes



- Improvement in the quality of life
- Reduction of water-related and vectorborne diseases
- Consolidated neighborhoods after 30 years: upgraded houses and public spaces
- Sites & Services projects offer the opportunity to regularize urban fabric
- More facilities in the neighborhoods (schools, hospitals, community centers, etc.)





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- Reactive model, that consolidates informality as a way to obtain housing
- Not all the households improve their houses
- Top-down process. The community did not participate in the decision-making process
- Low rate of cost recovery
- Creation of an informal market of housing, often related to corruption networks





Recommendations

- Match infrastructure projects with regularization of land tenure
- Formulation of proactive land policies oriented to the lowest income families
- Design projects as simple as possible
- Create a clear institutional organization
- Promote community participation in the early stages of the project