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Assessment of The Utilization of Local Wind in Urban Area of Makassar City Indonesia

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Abstract : The coastal area has natural and physical characteristics that are very different from the land. The coastal area has local wind potential which can be used to improve air quality in urban areas. This study aims to assess the usefulness of the wind in urban solid cashiers. This research was carried out in the city of Makassar, namely three city area locations that were selected as observation units to be studied, each with an area of 100 m. To support this research, data on wind speed and direction, and air temperature from the Makassar Potere Maritime Meteorological and Geophysical Station have been collected for five consecutive years (2012-2017). The measurement of microclimate conditions is carried out five times from morning to evening during sunny weather at the same time at all measuring points. The analysis is carried out quantitatively using a formula from Edward Ng (2006) as an indicator. The results of the analysis show that the Makassar sea breeze is very useful for planning the built environment.

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