



AnoxKaldnes



A close-up photograph of several water droplets on a dark, textured surface. One large, clear droplet is in sharp focus in the center foreground, reflecting the surrounding environment. Smaller droplets are scattered across the surface in the background, creating a sense of depth and texture.

# Separation by flotation with the MUSLING™ process

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# The MUSLING™ - history

**The first DAF-plant was constructed already in 1898:**

- 1898 DAF for oil, F.E. Elmore.
- 1902 DAF with dissolved air, G.D. Delport.
- 1929 Sulitjelma Mining Company. The largest DAF in the world in 1929.
- 1981 MUSLING™ was invented and patented.
- 2001 JO Water acquires the patent.
- 2005 MUSLING™ Generation 2 is patent pending.
- 2005 AnoxKaldnes acquires JO Water

# The MUSLING™

- **The MUSLING® has been thoroughly documented and tested since 1981.**
- **In 2006 there are some 140 plants in operation.**

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Ekstrakt:
Det har vært gjennomført forsøk med Muslingen på avløpsvann fra renseanlegget til AS Maarud. Den hydrauliske overflatebelastningen og slammoverflatebelastningen var mellom 9 og 12 ganger større i Muslingen enn i de konvensjonelle sedimenteringsbassengene ved Maarud. Det ble oppnådd tilnærmet samme renseresultater som på Maarud renseanlegg under forsøkskjøringen. Det ble oppnådd gode renseresultater med hydrauliske overflatebelastninger opp mot 7,3 m³/m²·h med vann fra lagune 2. Slamproduksjonen i anlegget var da ca. 12,6 kg TS slam produsert/m²·h. Maksimal slambelastning, med gode renseresultater, var 20,5 kg TS slam produsert/m²·h. Den hydrauliske overflatebelastningen var da 4,9 m³/m²·h med vann fra lagune 3.
Ved høye slambelastninger vil Muslingen være begrenset av dispersjonsvannmengden. Forholdet mellom kg TS slam og dispersjonsvannmengden bør ikke overstige 15 kg TS slam/m³ dispersjonsvann dersom det skal oppnå tilfredsstillende renseresultat.
Avhengig av kvaliteten på vannet inn til Muslingen varierte JKL-doseringen mellom ca. 300 og 950 ml/m³ for å oppnå tilfredsstillende renseresultater. Relatert til stoffbelastningen er dette lav dosering sammenliknet med tilsvarende forhold mellom JKL-doseringen og stoffbelastningen på kommunale anlegg.
Med noe tekniske utbedringer av Muslingen forventes prosessen å ha enda større kapasitet enn vist i disse forsøkene, på samme type avløpsvann som man har ved AS Maarud sitt renseanlegg.

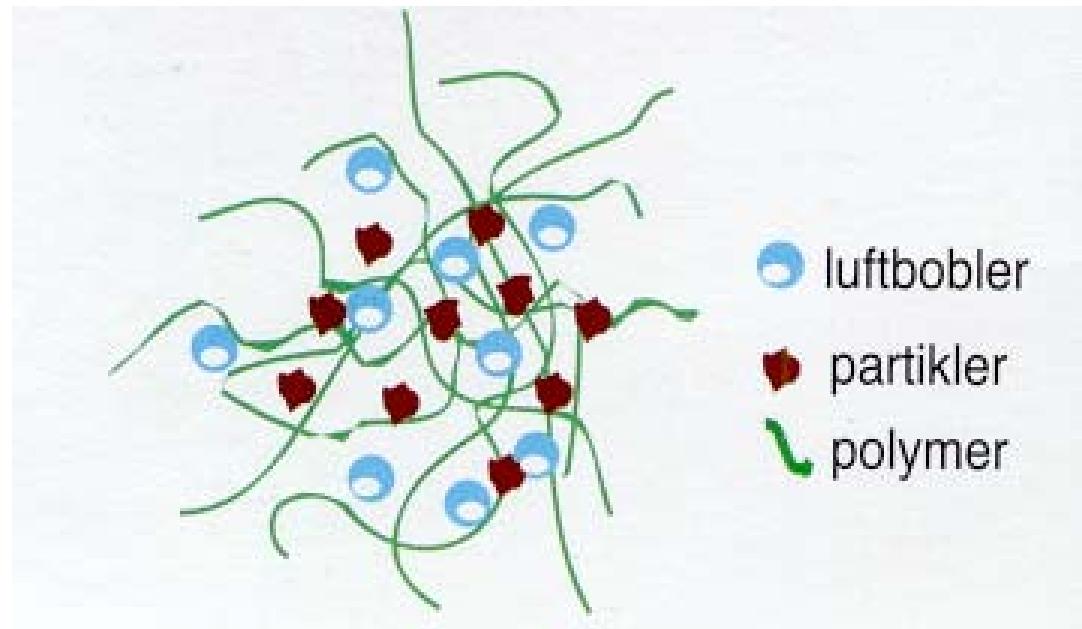
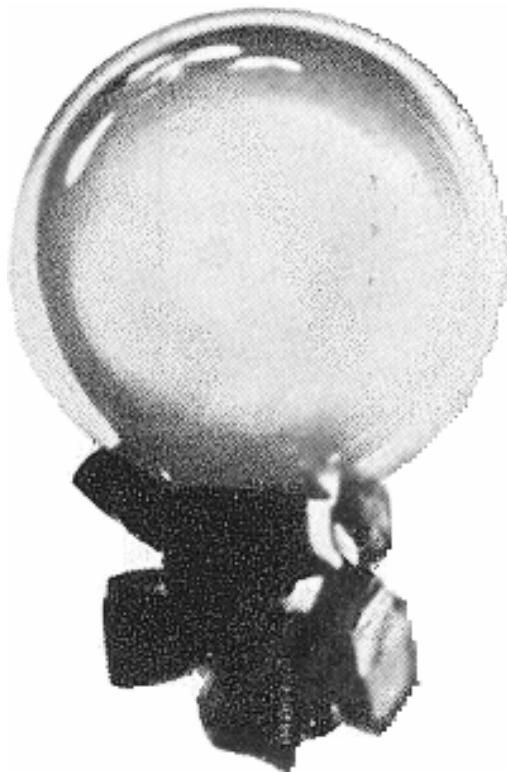
Stikkord - norsk	Stikkord - engelsk
Flotasjon	Flotation
Industriavløp	Industrial waste water
Potetindustri	Potato industry
Luftede laguner	Aerated lagoons

# Flotation I



- **Density**
- **Velocity**
- **You can't floatate rocks.**

# Flotation II

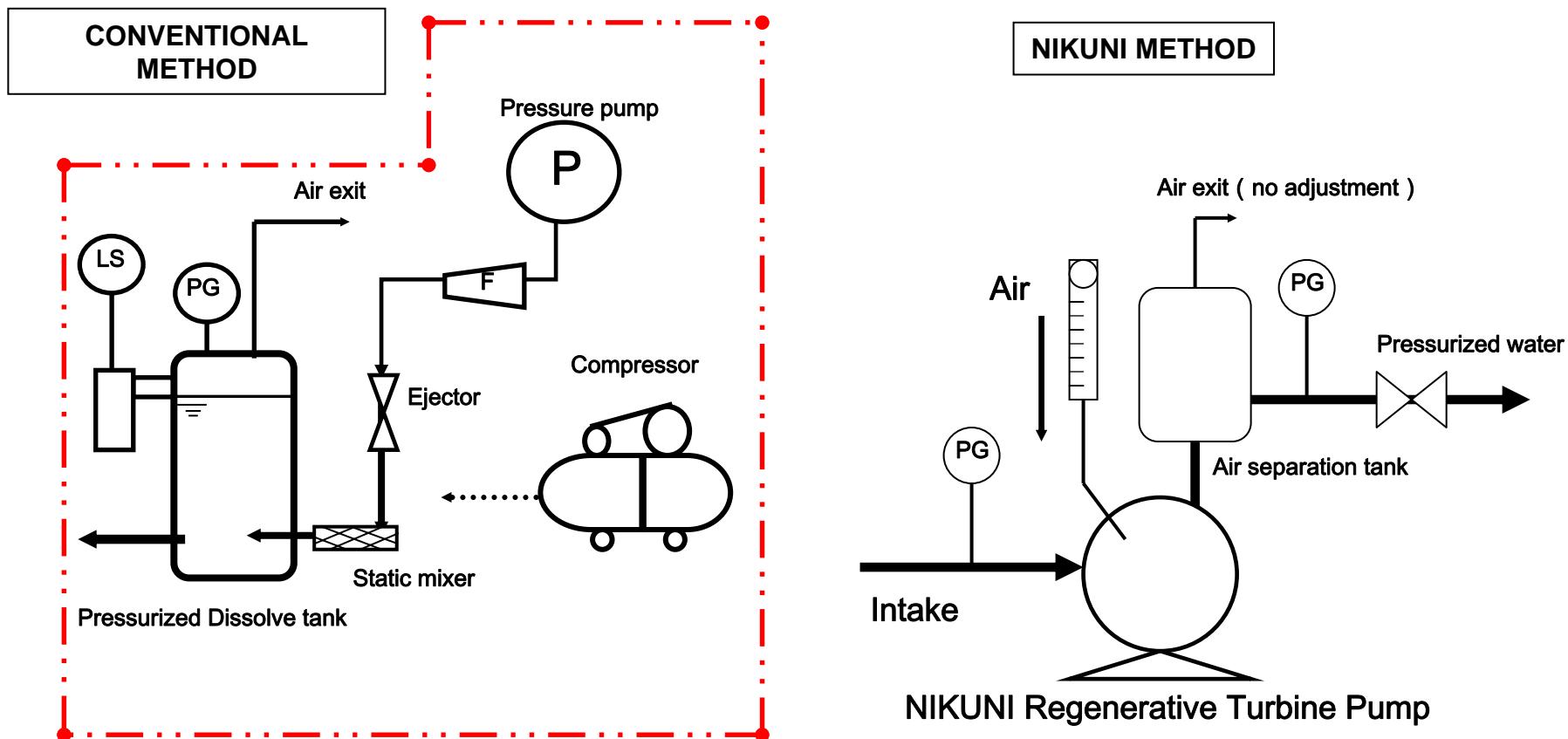


# Dispersion water production NIKUNI – one step

- A NIKUNI pump is a turbine pump which can suck air for one-step dispersion water production.
- The dispersion water is produced without use of compressors, ejectors, pressure tanks.
- Pressure 4 bar.
- Energy consumption 0,4-0,5 kWh/m<sup>3</sup>.
- Bubbles 20-80 µm.
- Climbing speed 10-20 cm/min

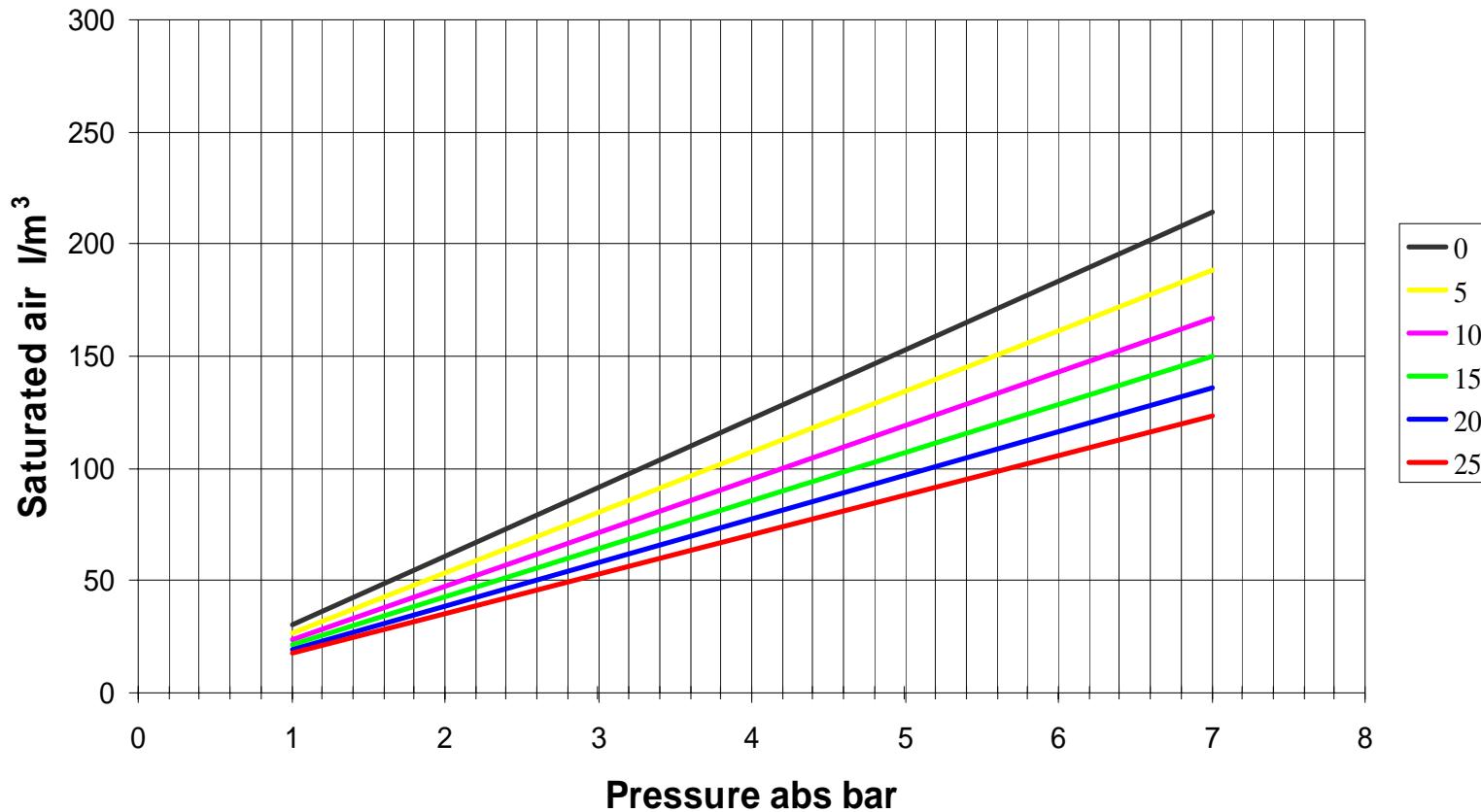


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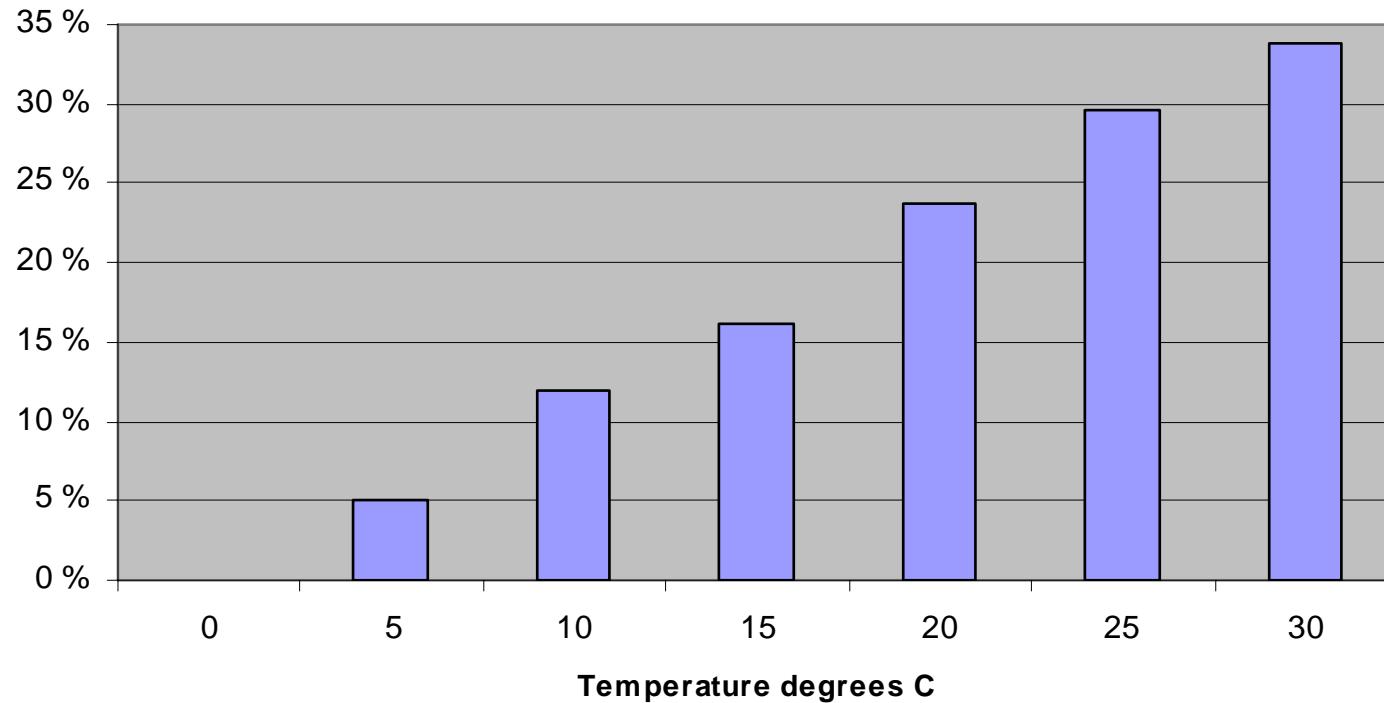


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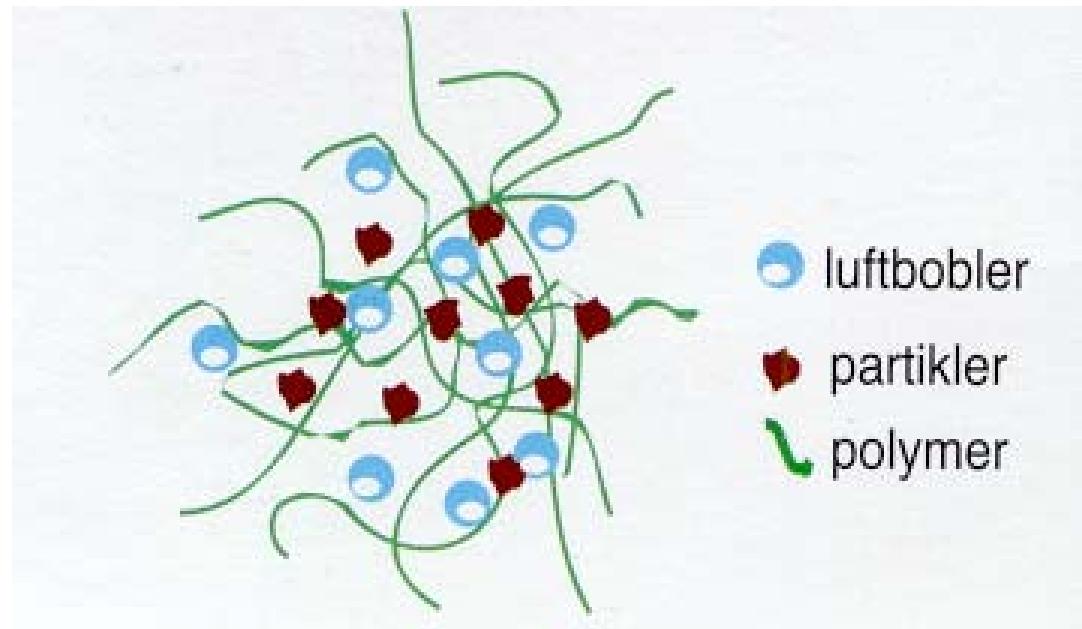
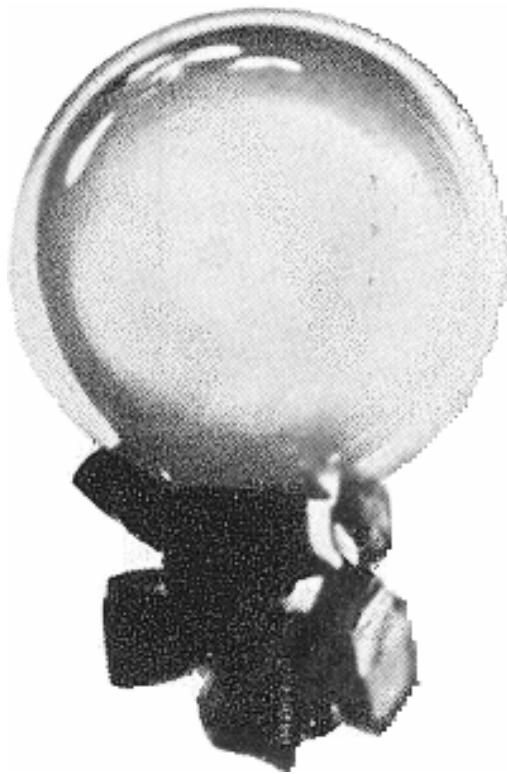


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Necessary increase of dispersion water volume as a function of  
water temperature

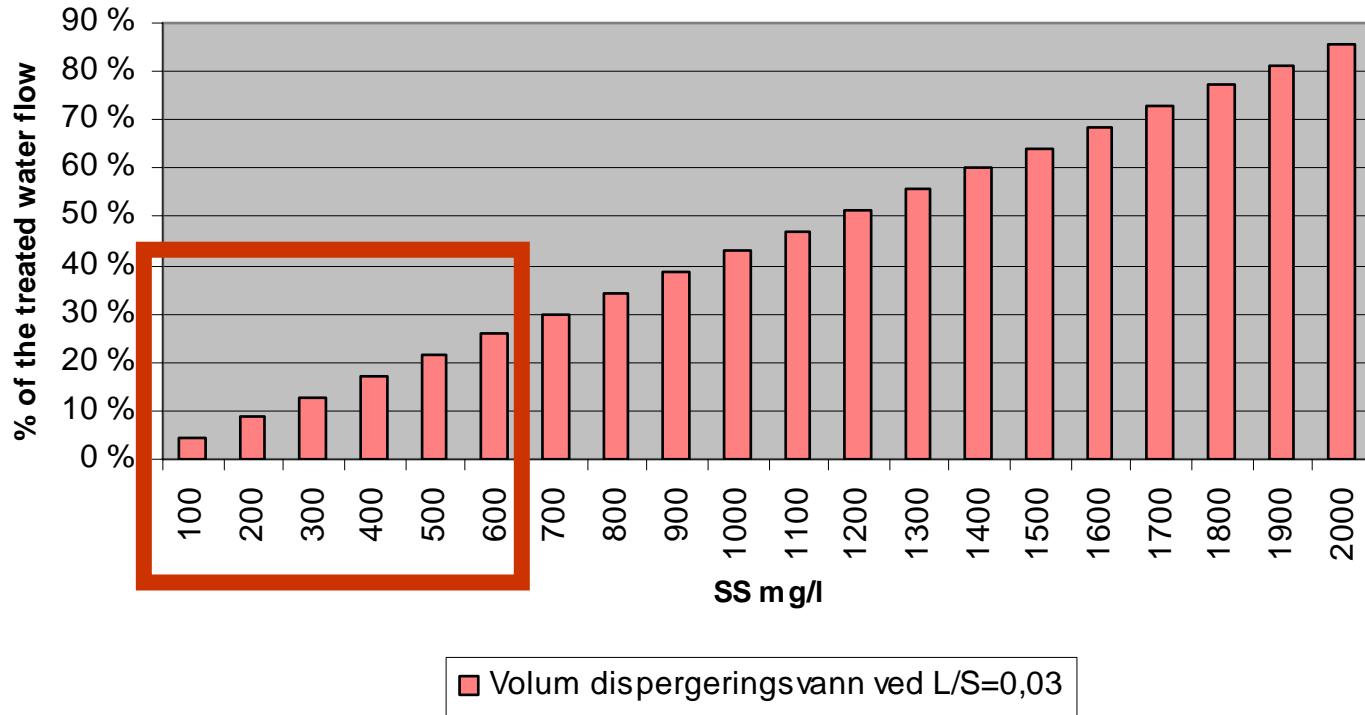


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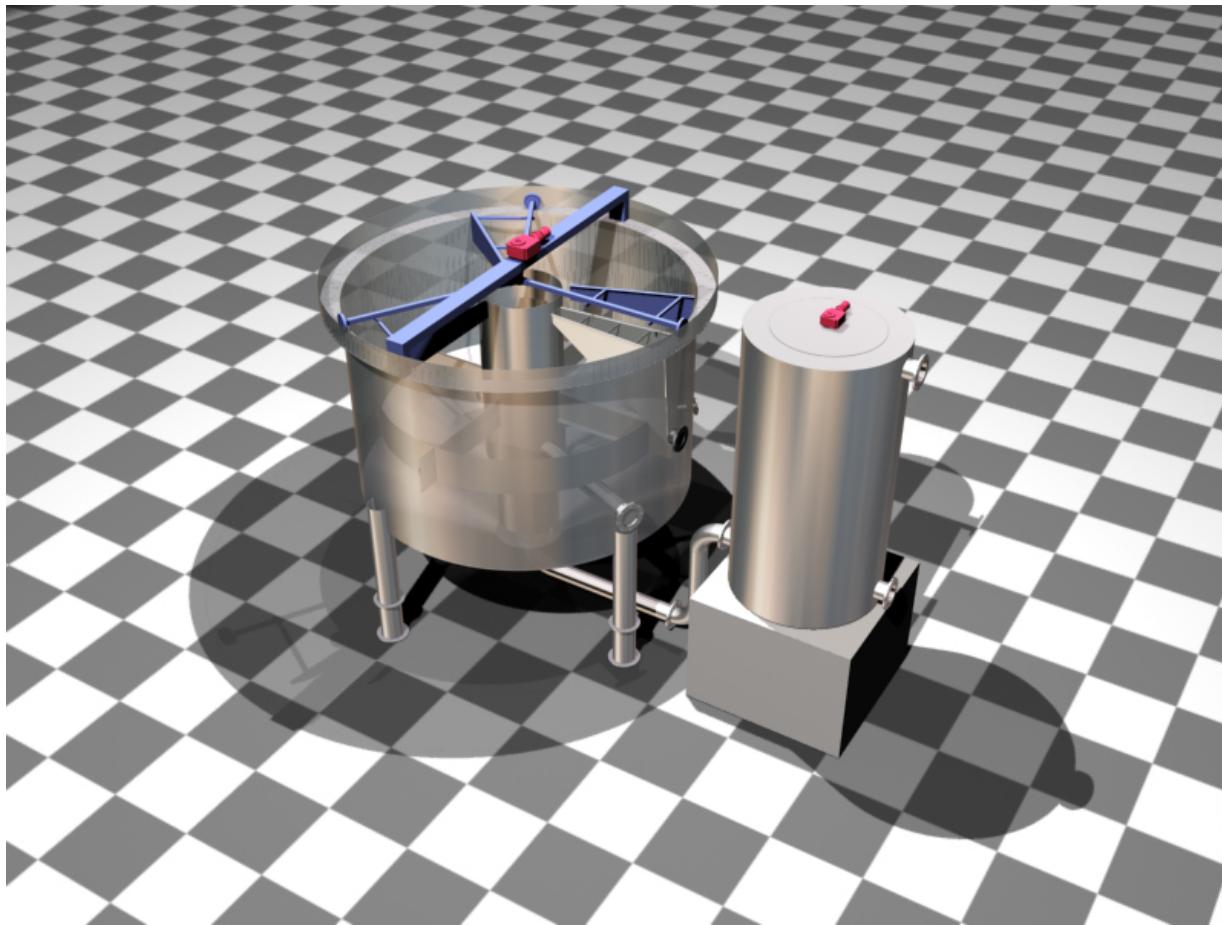


# Suspended solids

Necessary dispersion water in % of treated water flow  
at 6 bars and 7 degrees C



# MUSLING™ - Generation 2

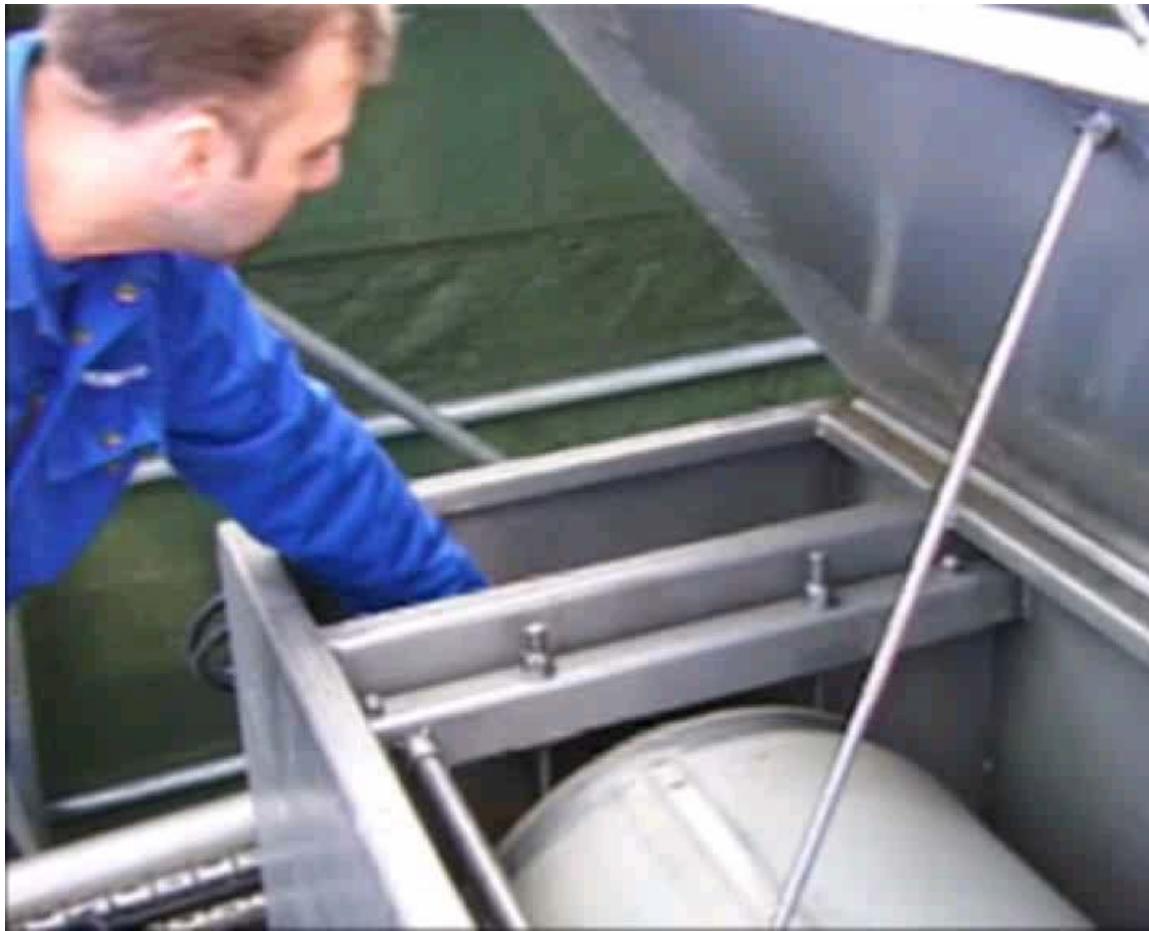


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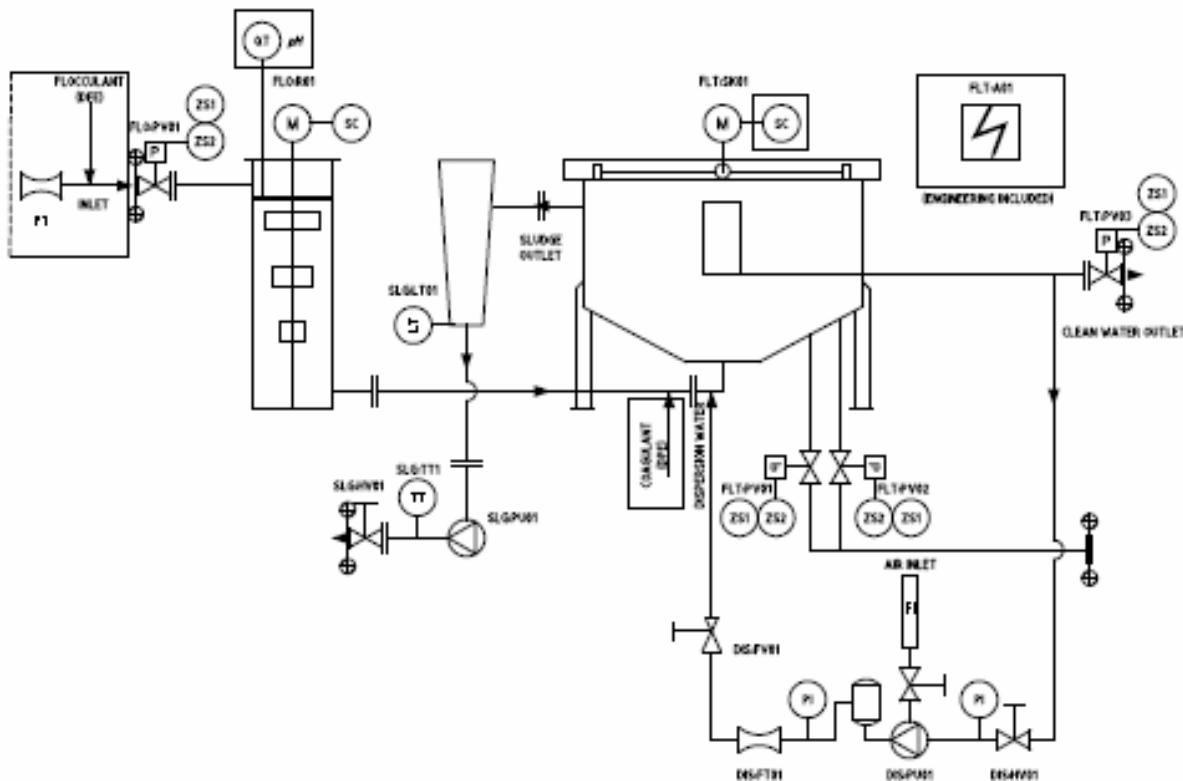
- Inlet
- Chemical dosing - flocculation
- Dosing dispersion water
- Hydraulic distribution
- Acceleration area
- Separation area
- Decanting area
- Outlet
- Sludge hopper



# MUSLINGEN™



# Typical P&ID



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SCOPE OF SUPPLY

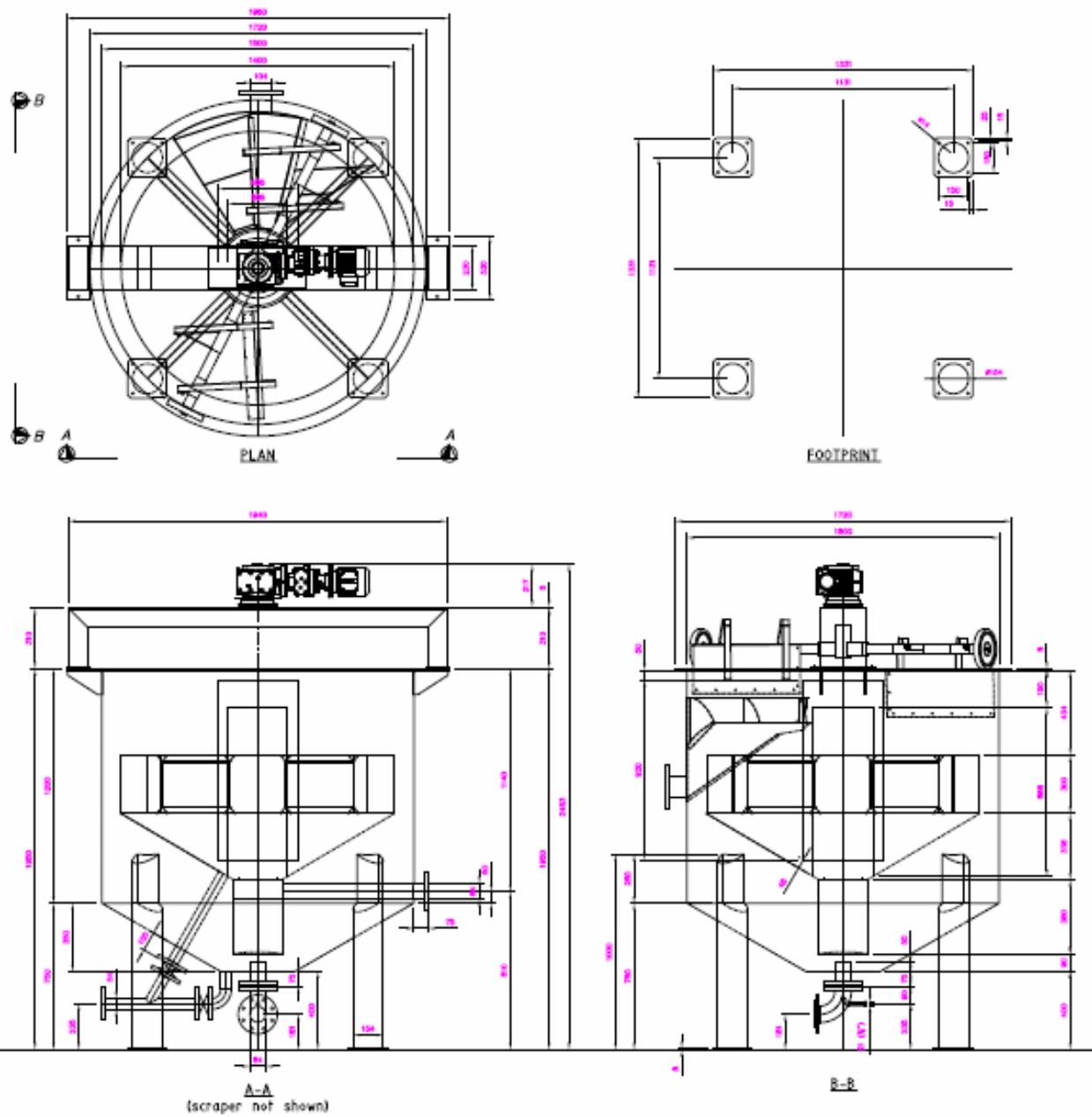
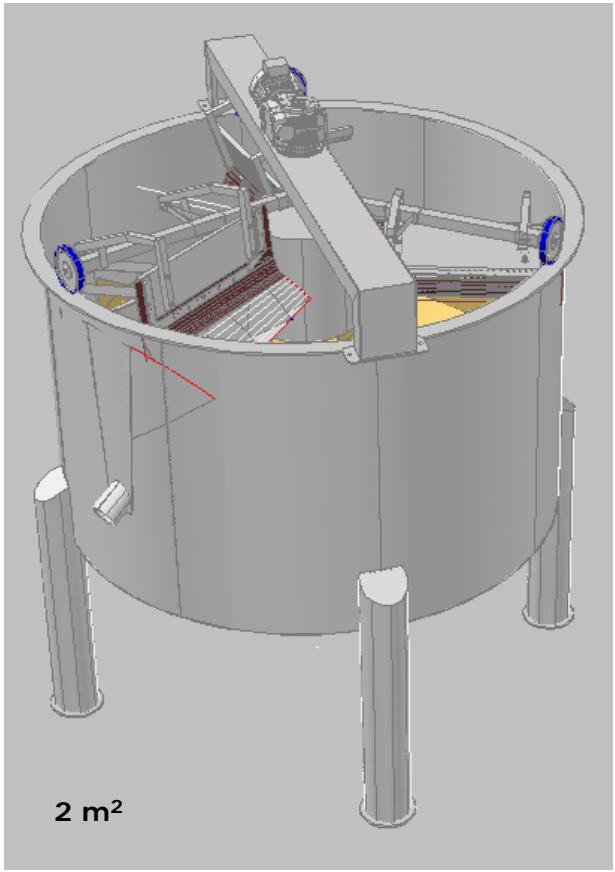
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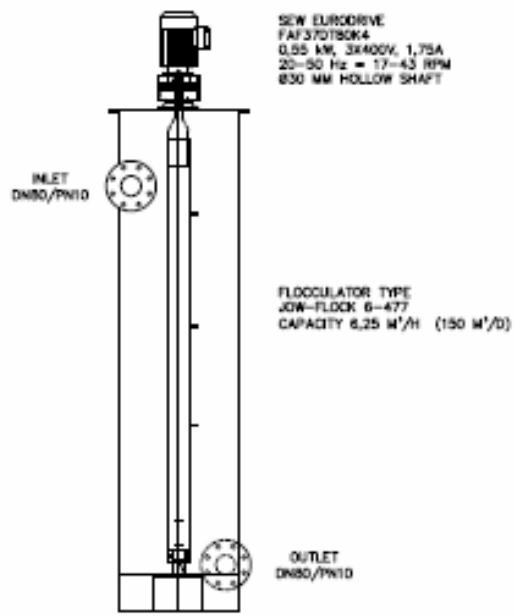
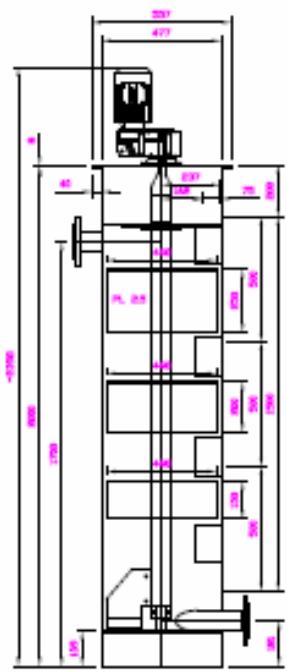
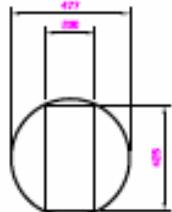
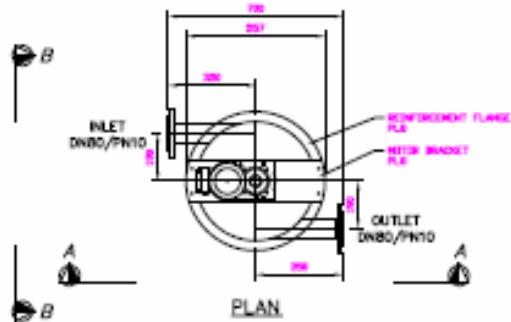
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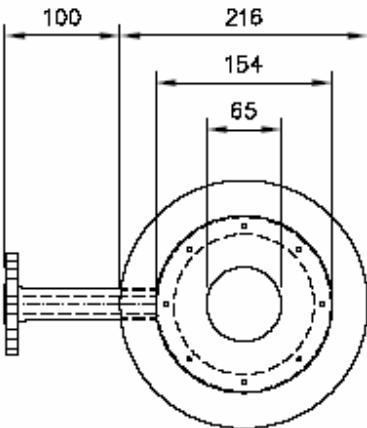
FLO - FLOCCULATION  
 FLT - FLATATION  
 SLG - SLUDGE  
 DIS - DISPERSION  
 SFD - FLOCCULANT (NOT PART OF SCOPE)  
 SFG - FOGGANT (NOT PART OF SCOPE)

#### VALVE/INSTRUMENT ABBREVIATIONS:

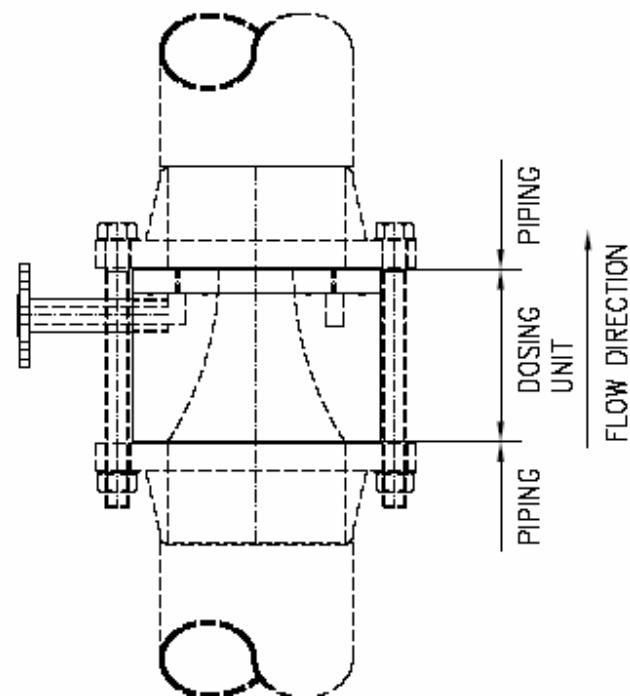
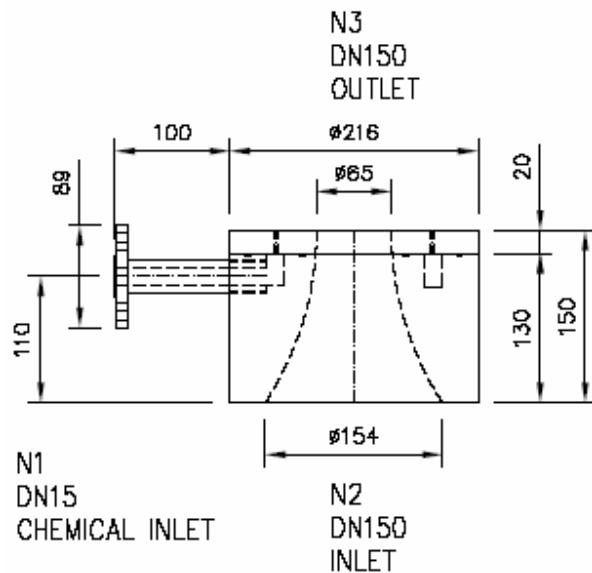
FI - FLOW INDICATOR  
 FT - FLOW TRANSMITTER  
 FRV - FLOW REGULATION VALVE (MANUAL)  
 HV - HAND OPERATED VALVE  
 LT - LEVEL TRANSMITTER  
 M - MOTOR  
 PI - PRESSURE INDICATOR  
 PU - PUMP  
 PV - PNEUMATIC VALVE  
 R - AGITATOR  
 SC - SURFACE SCRAPER  
 TT - TEMPERATURE TRANSMITTER  
 ZS - POSITION SWITCH



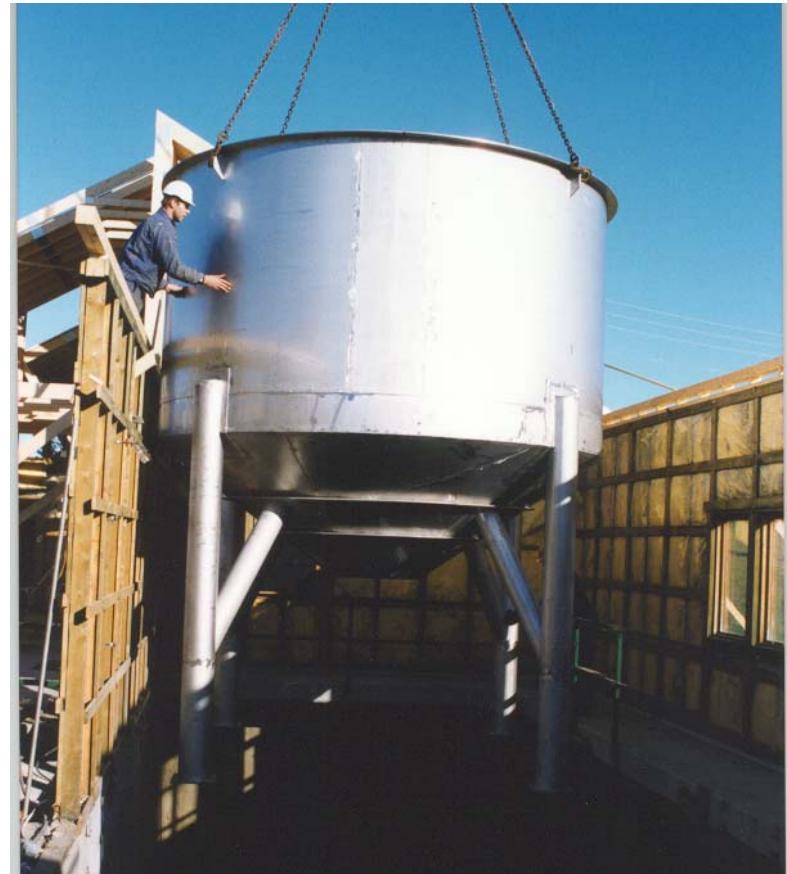




INSTALLATION IN PIPE



# MUSLING™



# Bortelid RA, Åseral kommune



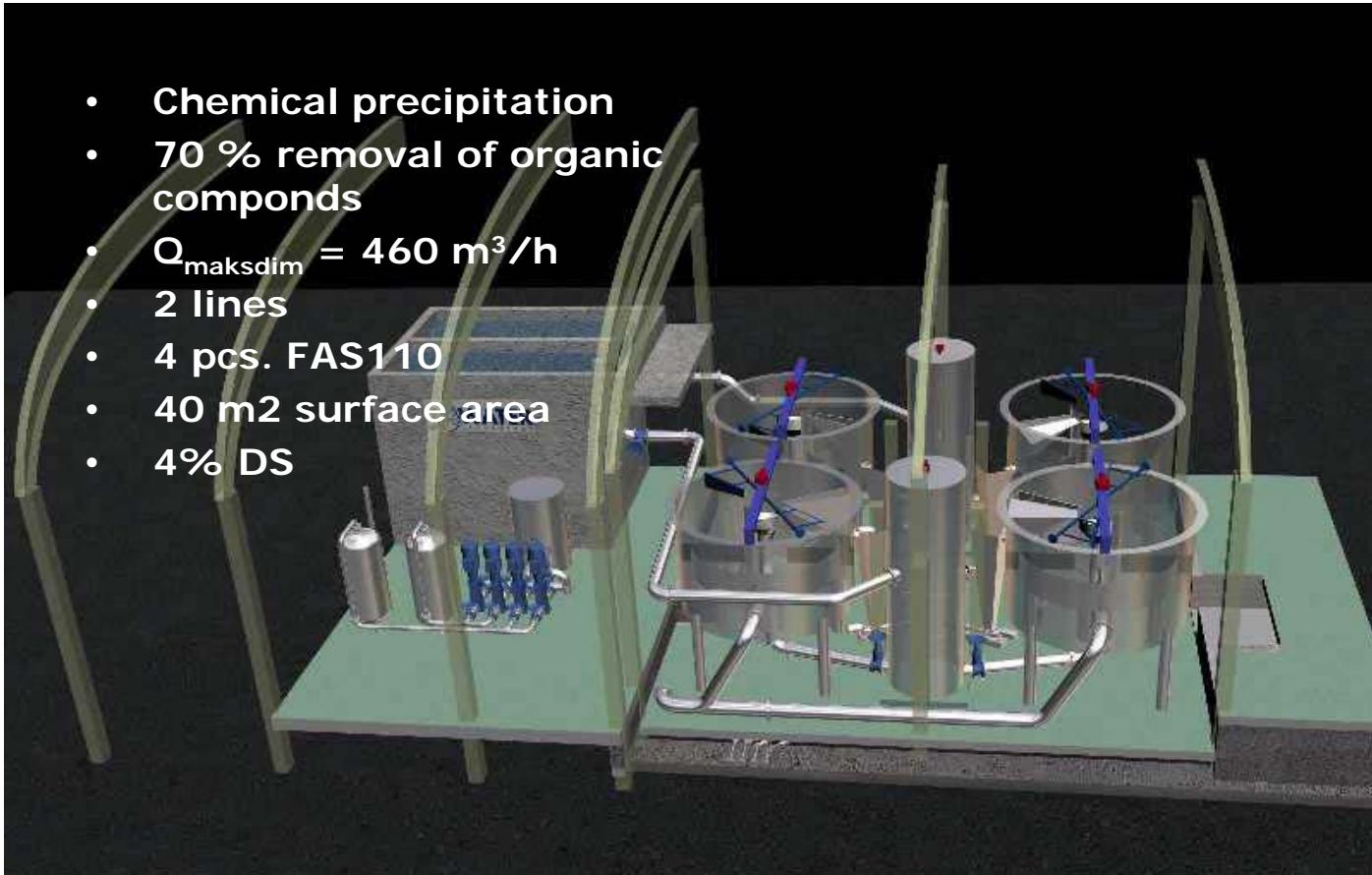
- Mountain cabins
- 30 m<sup>3</sup>/h
- 3 m<sup>2</sup> surface area
- 3% DS

# Bortelid RA, Åseral kommune



# Heistad RA, Porsgrunn kommune

- Chemical precipitation
- 70 % removal of organic compounds
- $Q_{\text{maksdim}} = 460 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$
- 2 lines
- 4 pcs. FAS110
- 40 m<sup>2</sup> surface area
- 4% DS



# Heistad RA, Porsgrunn kommune



# Vårnes RA, Stokke kommune

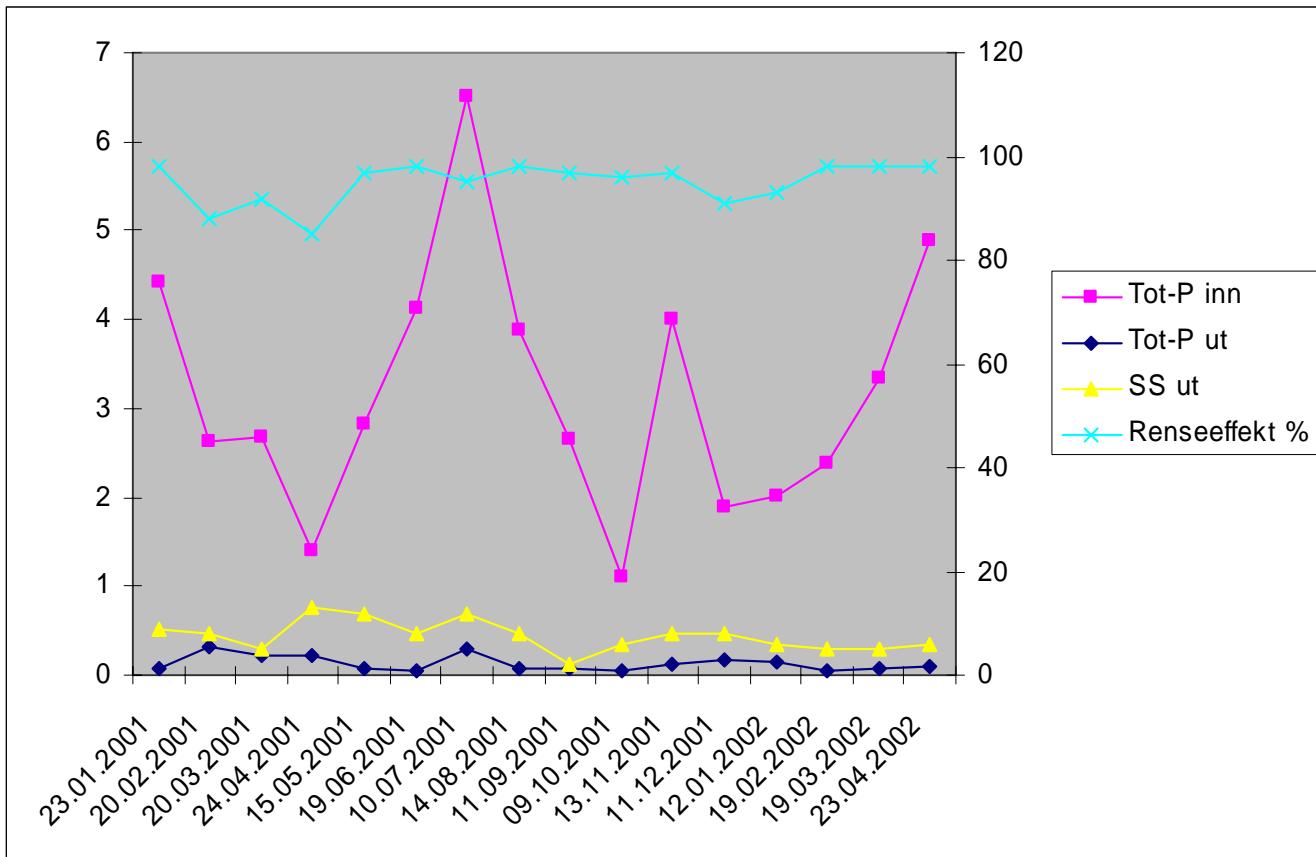
- Chemical precipitation
- 250 - 500 m<sup>3</sup>/h
- 3 pcs. MUSLING™ FA110
- 30 m<sup>2</sup> surface area
- 3% DS
- May 2000



# Vårnes RA, Stokke kommune



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# Logotypes

**MUSLING®**  
GENERASJON 2

**MUSSLAN®**  
GENERATION 2



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- BRUK MEG OFTE!**



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