Softening

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Drinkingwater Treatment 2

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PID, 2nd Phase







Process scheme 2nd Phase







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PID, 3th Phase







Process scheme, 3th Phase







3th Fase, Scaling up





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Pellet reactor

Storage

- Seeding sand washer
 - small particles are washed out
 - caustic soda is added for disinfection
- Disinfection storage
 - no bacteriological contamination
- Chemical storage
 - NaOH is diluted to a 25% solution
- Seeding sand storage

2 tanks of 3m³ would be sufficient for 8 months in the 2nd fase and for 5.5 months

Pellet storage:

2nd phase: 102,63 kg/h 3th phase: 145,47 kg/h



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Pellet Reactor

- Chemicals
 - •Amount of Chemicals 2nd Phase
 - •Amount of chemicals 3th Phase
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- Construction





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Pellet reactor

Chemicals, 2nd / 3th Phase

- Ca²⁺ = 2.05 mmol/l, raw water
- Mg²⁺ = 0.45 mmol/l, raw water
- 1.55 mmol/l Ca²⁺ needs to be removed

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Na(OH) + CO_2 \rightarrow HCO_3^- + Na^+
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 $Na(OH) + Ca^{2+} + HCO_3^{-} \rightarrow CaCO3 (s) + Na^+ + H_2O$

1.55 mmol/l caustic soda is needed \rightarrow 2nd Phase max 41.05 kg/h NaOH

3th Phase max 58,19 kg/h NaOH

- •Na(OH), gives a fine water quality
- •Easy to dose





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Dimension Softening, 2nd **Phase**

- Min flow-max flow : 60 m/h 100 m/h
- Enough capacity needed when one reactor breaks down
- Partial flow for softening at Lekkerkerk: 4.0 M m³/year \rightarrow 456.62 m³/h

Min: 0.85 * 456.62 m3/h = 388.13 m³/h Max: 1.45 * 456.62 m3/h = 662.1 m³/h

 A_{total} =(662.1 m³/h) / (70 m/h) = 9.46 m² \rightarrow 3 reactors, $A_{reactor}$ =3.15 m²

- When Q_{min} = 388.13 m³/h \rightarrow 2 reactors with a velocity: 61.5 m/h
- When Q_{gem} = 456.62 m³/h → 2 reactors with a velocity: 72.3 m/h
 When 1 reactor breaks down → 2 reactors with a velocity: 105 m/h
- When 1 reactor breaks down → 2 reactors with a velocity: 105 m/h L_e= 7.26 m





Dimension Softening, 3th Phase

- Min flow-max flow : 60 m/h 100 m/h
- Enough capacity needed when one reactor breaks down
- Partial flow for softening at Lekkerkerk: 5.7 M m³/year → 647.3 m3/h Min: 0.85 * 647.3 m3/h = 550.2 m3/h Max: 1.45 * 647.3 m3/h = 938.5 m3/h →

1 extra pellet reactor of equal dimensions

 A_{total} =(938.8 m³/h) / (75 m/h) = 12.60 m² \rightarrow 4 reactors, $A_{reactor}$ =3.15 m²

- When Q_{min} = 550.2 m³/h \rightarrow 2 reactors with a velocity: 87.3 m/h
- When Q_{gem} = 647.3 m³/h \rightarrow 3 reactors with a velocity: 68.5 m/h
- When 1 reactor breaks down \rightarrow 2 reactors with a velocity: 99.3 m/h L_e = 6.86 m





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Construction, 2nd Phase

• $E_{total} = 1/3 * E_{1.0} + 2/3 * E_{0.3}$ $E_{1.0} = 1.0$ $E_{0.3} = 3.3$ $\rightarrow E_{total} = 2.53$



$$L_{e} = L_{0} * E_{total}$$

$$L_{e} = (2 \text{ m})*2.53 = 5.06 \text{ m}$$

$$L_{in} = 1.5 \text{ m}$$

$$L_{uit} = 2.60 \text{ m}$$

d_{uit} = 2.65 m d_{cil} = 2.00 m







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Construction, 3th Phase

• E_{total}=1/3*E_{1.0}+2/3*E_{0.3} E_{1.0}=1.1 E_{0.3}=3.5 \rightarrow E_{total}=2.7



•L_{total}=L_{in} + L_e + L_{uit}
L_e = L₀ * E_{total}
L_e = (2 m)*2.7= 5.40 m
L_{in}=1.5 m
L_{uit}=2.92 m

$$d_{uit} = 2.73 m$$

$$d_{uit} = 2.00 m$$

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