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## Application Reference

### Waste Water Treatment

## Automatically control of SBR tanks

#### Application problem:

A customer at a waste water treatment plant wanted to automatically control the SBR (Sequential Batch Reactor) tanks. The SBR tanks were very deep 7 meter (22 ft) and they utilised surface agitators rather than diffusers. The surface agitators created high agitation in the tank. The customer used a sludge judge to check that the process was operating within limits. The client wanted to monitor the full sequence automatically.

#### Solution:

We provided our floating sonar transmitter that floated on the surface as the decant levels changed. During the aeration sequence showed a high output with suspended solids. During the settling sequence the transmitter followed the settling blanket down to a level to start the decant. During the decant sequence the transmitter monitored the settling blanket to make sure it did not rise and carry over into the launders. A special counterweight was utilised to minimise the radial effects on the float when the aeration sequence was operating.

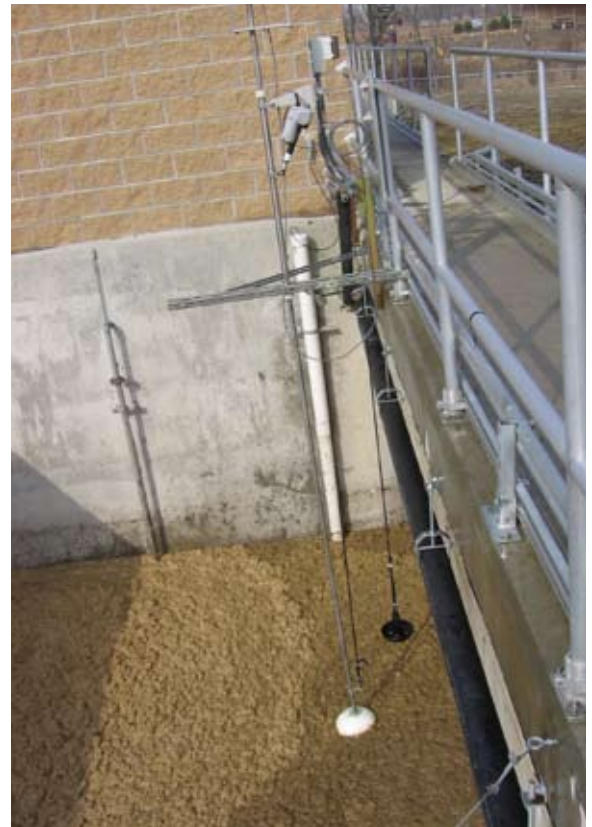
#### Ordering information:

Part number  
OSIRDYX - transmitter  
OSIRT003S4XC6 - Sonar transducer  
OSIRSCD - Sonar Cleaner/Float/Brackets  
OSIRME - L5 - Sonar Transducer SS Pole 5 m (16.5 ft)

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