

The Source for Floating WWT Equipment Brush Rotors - Mixers - Polishing RBCs

# CASE HISTORIES

## AEROBIC DIGESTERS





ACTIVATED
SLUDGE BASINS





been utilized in all types of wastewater applications including Activated Sludge Basins, Oxidation Ditches, Aerobic Digesters, EQ Basins, as well as Lagoons.





OXIDATION DITCHES





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APPLICATIONS

## AEROBIC DIGESTERS





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be used in <u>any</u> aerated basin or lagoon that needs aeration, no matter the size or shape. These are not just surface units - Mixing Depth & Homogeneous Mixing are not issues.





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# Case History of... Franklin, NC











after

## Upgrade of 200 HP Orbal Oxidation System Wayne Price, Plant Operator

- In early 2006, the city of Franklin purchased a single Manual 2000 Series 15 HP Floating Brush Rotor with EZ Access platforms and Allen Bradley SMC Soft Starts.
- Over the next 18 months, the city purchased eight more units, for a total of 135 HP.
- In 2008, DO monitors were added to three of the units.
- According to Wayne Price, plant operator, it is fairly typical for the plant to leave one to three of the units <u>un-operational</u> because of the DO levels.
- Wayne also states that the plant is running better than ever, and he always seems to have plenty of DO.

# Case History of... **Grenada, MS**



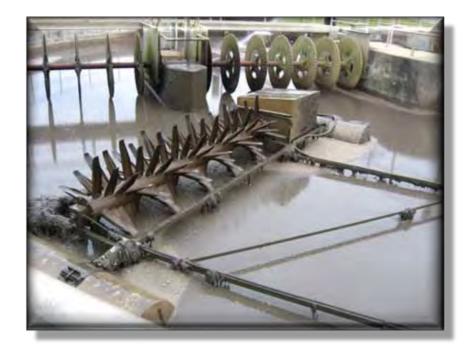


- In 1992, the city of Grenada replaced a Trickling Filter System with an Aerated Lagoon System using twelve 10 HP Floating Brush Rotors.
- Various upgrades have been made to the equipment on an "as needed" basis.
- Some of the original Wastewater Lubricated Bearings\* are still in use.

\* For more information on our Maintenance-Free Wastewater Lubricated Bearing Systems, please visit www.airoflo.com/images/bearing\_system.jpeg

## Case History of... Fitzgerald, GA

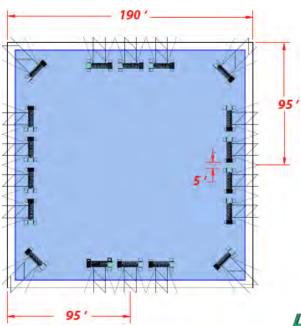




- Original system consisted of 50 HP Orbal system in a digester.
- This system was replaced with two MANUTO 15 HP Floating Brush Rotors. (one unit in 2000, another unit in 2002)
- The results were *improved* Mixing and Oxygen Levels, with *less* Energy used.

## Aguascalientes, Mexico





#### Lynn Aiken, General Manager (ret.) INISA

- In 2004, INISA purchased eighteen 2000 Series 20 HP Floating Brush Rotors.
- Competition recommended 650 HP of vertical splashers
- Activated sludge application for the washing of blue jeans material
- DO was the determining parameter
- Lynn Aiken: "the maintenance engineer tells me (the units) are in service and they are happy with the performance... You have a great product."
- Unique Situation: Existing basin, along with extremely high DO requirements dictated the very close placement of the 20HP units

Legend:



- 20 HP MAIRURU Aerator (360 HP total)

## Texas Department of Criminal Justice





## Upgrade of Existing Oxidation Ditches Howard Gray, Environmental Specialist IV, TDCJ

- Between 2004 and 2008, TDCJ has upgraded oxidation at five sites with SAN ARRELL® Floating Brush Rotors, Bridges and EZ Access Systems
- As of May, 2009, Howard Gray, Environmental Specialist IV at TDCJ, was in the process of purchasing 12 more units, with plans on "replacing all my fixed aerators within the next 5 to 7 years with S&N (products)."

## White Oak, TX



## Oxidation Ditch Upgrade -Eight 15 HP Units replacing Fixed Rotors

Power \$avings!

#### Tom Fulton, Water/Wastewater Manager

- Between October, 2005 and October, 2006, the City of White Oak spent approximately \$30,000 in repairs to existing rotor equipment, and \$40,000 in electrical costs.
- In March 2007, the City of White Oak purchased a eight Sente 2000 Series 15 HP Floating Brush Rotor with EZ Access platforms.
- As a result, the electrical costs dropped to approximately \$26,000 in 2008
- Tom Fulton: "I truly believe the S&N Rotors have been the single best investment the City of White Oak has made since 2006. Our wastewater quality has never been better. We are now able to spend maintenance money on other equipment at the wastewater plant."

## Eufaula, AL







before

after

## Activated Sludge Basin

- March, 2005: Vertical Units in two Activated Sludge Basins replaced with 20 HP Floating Brush Rotors (NOTE: This basin is 12' deep)
- As a result, HP used was reduced from 330 to 240.
- Cycling units between October April.
- Energy consumption reduced by 48% \*.

\* For more energy saving information, click the "Save Energy" button on the home page of our website, www.airoflo.com.



# Case History of... Eden, NC









before

after

### Aerobic Digester Upgrade

- May, 2004: Vertical Splashers in Aerobic Digester replaced with four Market Splashers (NOTE: This basin is 15' deep)
- The original design recommendation called for <u>two</u> more units. However, budget restraints held the purchase to only the <u>four</u> units, with a pledge to buy more. To date, there has not been a need for additional units.

OLD UNITS

REPLACED WITH

Vertical Splashers	145 HP	D.O. 0.0 mg/l	1/3 Never Mixed	2 -3 Days Decant
SAN AHURA (1) Rotors	80 HP	D.O. 1.0 mg/l	90 – 95% Mixed	20 -24 Hours Decant