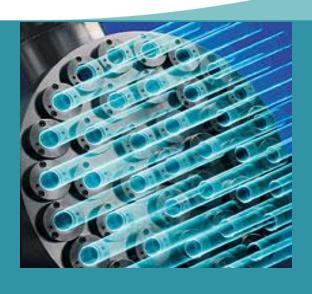
# Welcome

# WEDECO - The Environmentally Friendly UV Technology







**Presenter:** Faarish Fareed

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### **General about WEDECO**

WEDECO concentrates on chemical free water/wastewater treatment with:

**UV-Disinfection** 



### **OZONE-Oxidation**



More Than 250,000 installations worldwide



# Ultraviolet light (UV) – everybody needs it.

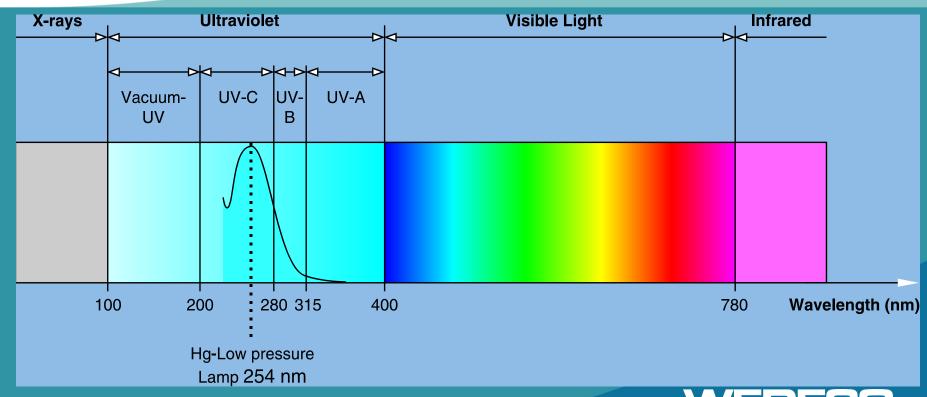






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# The Principle of UV Technology



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# The Principle of UV Technology

# Ultra-violet (UV) light can be commonly divided into the following sections;-

- UVA: 315 400 nm (skin pigmentation sun tan)
- UVB: 280 315 nm (vitamin D synthesis etc)
- UVC: 200 280 nm (germicidal; max absorb of DNA)
- Vacuum UV: 100 200 nm (reaction with oxygen to ozone;
   ozone producing lamps 185 nm)



# The Challenge – Removal of Pathogens

The common pathogens in drinking and waste water

Group	<u>Type</u>	<u>Disease</u>
BACTERIA	Coliforms Salmonella Vibrio Legionella E.coli	Fever, intestinal disease Typhoid fever Cholera Pneumonia Fever, gastro-intestinal disease
VIRUSES	Hep A Polio	Hepatitis Polio
PARASITES	Cryptosporidia Amoeba	Intestinal disease Amebiasis



# **Disinfection Methods**

Method	Target Organism	<u>Comments</u>	
Chlorine	Bacteria & Viruses	THM formation, overdose	
Chloro-dioxide	Bacteria & Viruses	Chlorite formation, overdose	
Ozone	Bacteria, Viruses, Parasites	add. Biodegradability	
Other chemicals	Bacteria, Viruses, Parasites	mostly prohibited	
Ultra-violet Radiation	Bacteria, Viruses, Parasites	no by-products, no residual	
Filtration	Bacteria & Parasites	cost intensive	

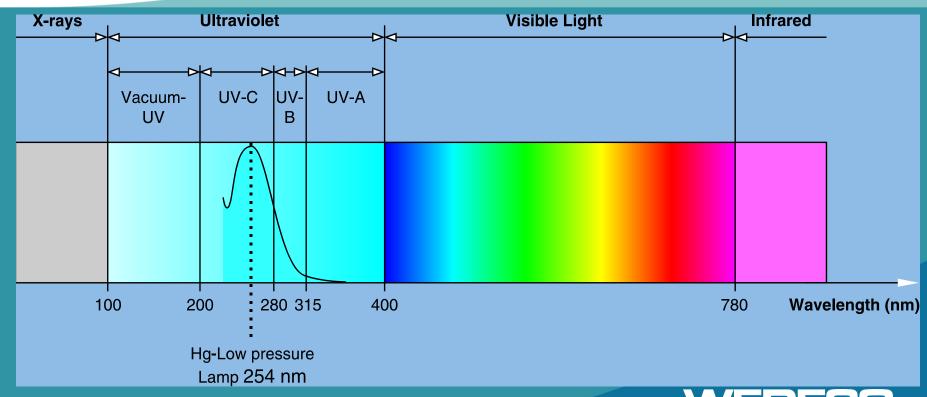
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## **Goal of UV Disinfection**

- Meeting drinking water disinfection requirements
- Product and process water disinfection
- Disinfection of waste water to comply with bathing water or irrigation water standards
- Act as part of multi-barier disinfection technology

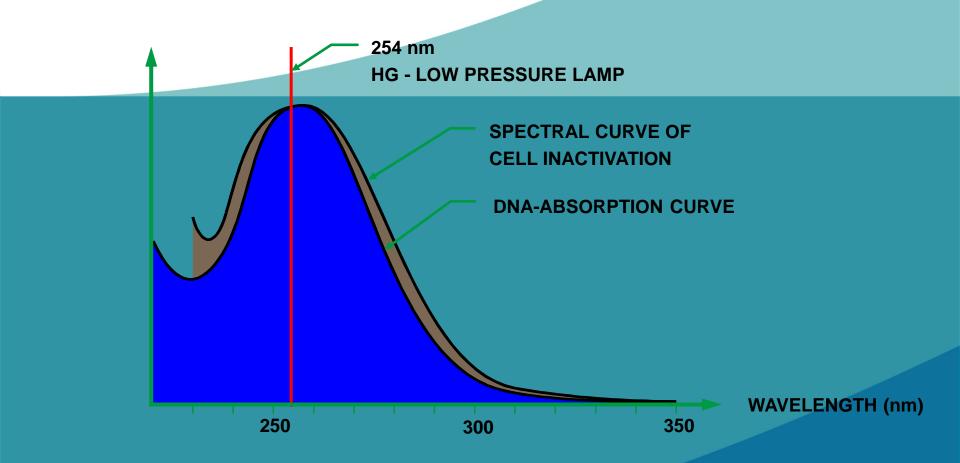


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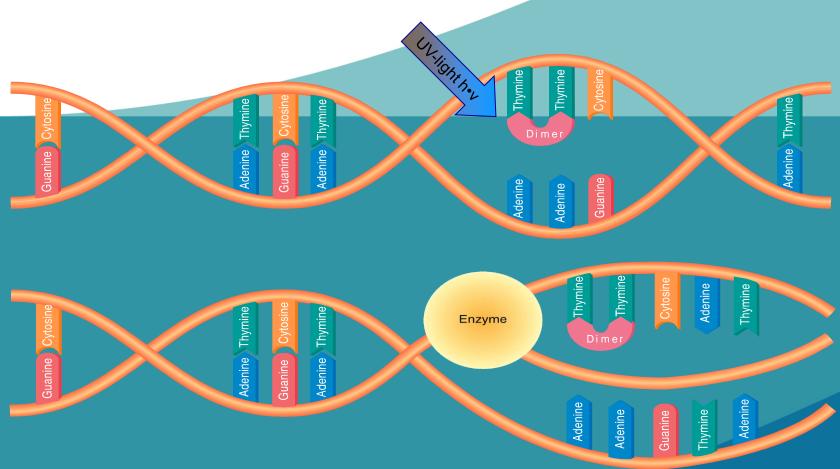
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# **Inactivation Curve – Cellular Level**





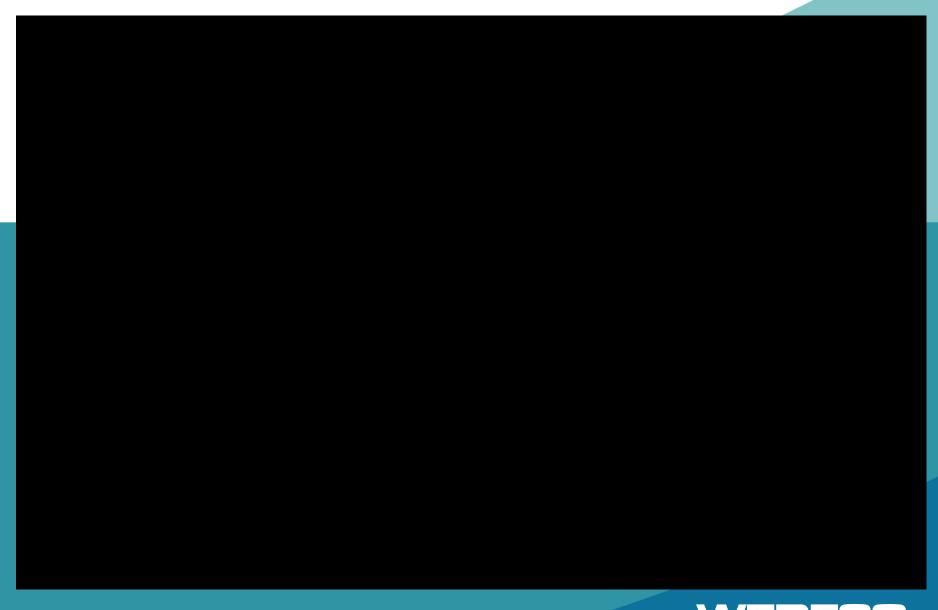
#### Inactivation of pathogenic microorganisms due to photo-oxidation of DNA



**UV** produce Dimers between Thymine bases;

**Enzymes do not work anymore** 





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### The Benefits of UV

Easy and reliable to apply
No change of water
chemistry
Disinfection within seconds
No need of contact tank

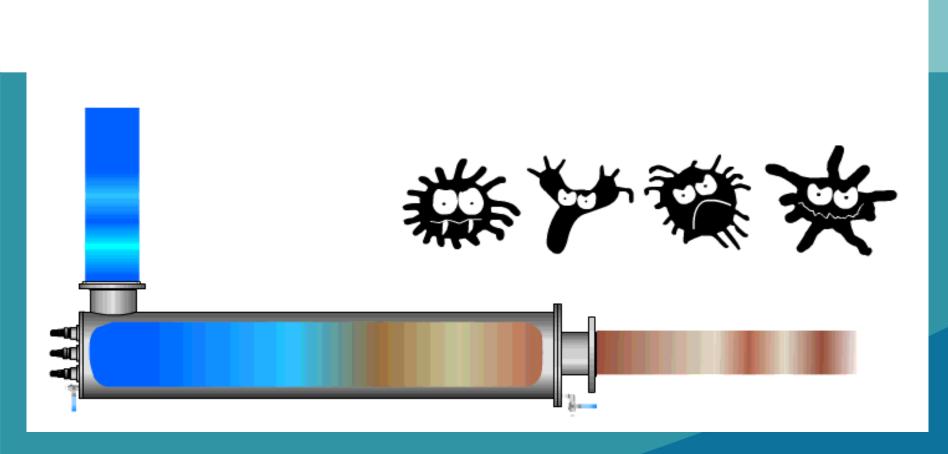
- No by products or residuals
- No effect on odour and taste
- No regrowth of viruses,
   bacteria and parasites

- No corrosion
- No hazardous chemicals handling, transport & storage
- No resistance as with chlorine
- Less space requirement
- On site disinfectant production

Strong movement from chemical disinfection to physical biotechnology



# Simple Concept "BUT" Effective



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# **Key Parameters in the UV Design**

Average Retention Time:

flow rate / reactor volume

min. velocity

max. velocity

headloss

Average Intensity:

lamp output

lamp age

quartz sleeve transmittance (coating)

water quality (UV transmittance)

UV Dose = Retention Time x UV Intensity
[mJ/cm²] = [s] x [mW/cm²]

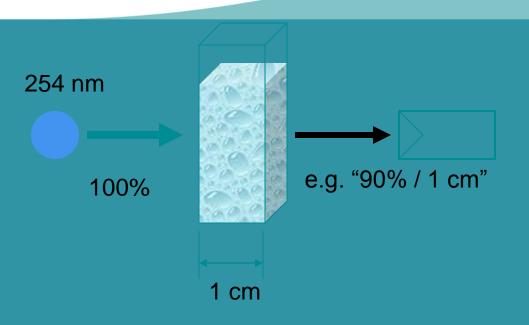


# **UV Transmittance (UVT)**

- UVT = percentage (%) of UV light passing through material (e.g. a water sample or quartz) over a specified distance.
- The lower the UVT value, the lesser UV light is available for disinfection.
- In consequence, a lower UVT will require a higher UV power to be applied to receive the same UV dose.



# **UV Transmittance (UVT)**





Typical drinking water UVT: ~ 85 – 95% / 1 cm @ 254 nm

Filtered wastewater UVT: ~ 60 - 70% / 1 cm @ 254 nm



# **Peak Flow Conditions**

- UV systems should always be designed on peak flow conditions
- For normal or average flows, the UV lamps can ramp down in power to match conditions and allow for power savings
- Optidose (variable power) very similar in concept to VSD operation



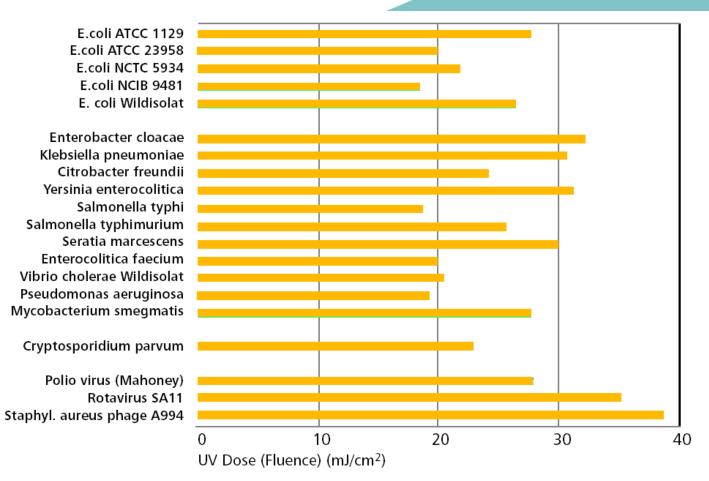
# **UV Dose Requirements**

UV Dose for

3 log

(99.9%)

Inactivation



UV dose requirements include effects of photoreactivation

Source: University of Bonn

# Typical UV Tender Specification for Tertiary Treated Sewage Effluent for re-use in KSA

Peak flow =  $e.g.100,000 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$  (site specific)

UV transmission = > 60%

Suspended Solids = 5 mg/L average, 10 mg/L @ maximum

UV dose = 80 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup> (UViDIS Dose)

Fecal Coliform target = 2.2 CFU/100 ml (30 day geomean)



# **UV Applications Overview**

#### Drinking water

- -Raw water disinfection
- -Chlorine removal
- Protection of ion exchanger and membranes

#### Recycling + Waste Water

- Disinfection of waste water
- Disinfection of recycling water

#### Food & Beverage

- Disinfection of product and brewing water
- Disinfection of CIP water
- -Table water disinfection
- Disinfection of liquid sugar
- Head space disinfection of tanks
- Cap disinfection

#### **☞** Bio-Pharma, Cosmetic

- Protection of ion exchange + membranes
- Disinfection of Purified or DI water
- Ozone destruction below detection level
- Disinfection of liquid sugar
- Disinfection of blood serum
- DI water for dialysis machines
- TOC reduction in RO water

#### Micro-electronic

- TOC reduction
- Disinfection

#### Ships and Trains

- Drinking water and waste water
- Ballast water disinfection

#### Aqua Culture / Zoos

- Fresh water disinfection
- Recycling water disinfection
- Waste water disinfection

#### Swimming Pools

- Chloramine destruction
- Disinfection

#### Process water

- Deionised water disinfection
- Water recycling -automotive industry
- Hot water loop disinfection (legionella)
- Cooling Valer <del>dis</del>infection

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# **BX Series**

WEDECO UV systems acc. to international drinking water regulations

- Wedeco BX series
- 400 J/m² biodosimetric dose
- optional automatic wiping system
- 12 2,120 m³/h flow capacity











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# A/B - PE Series

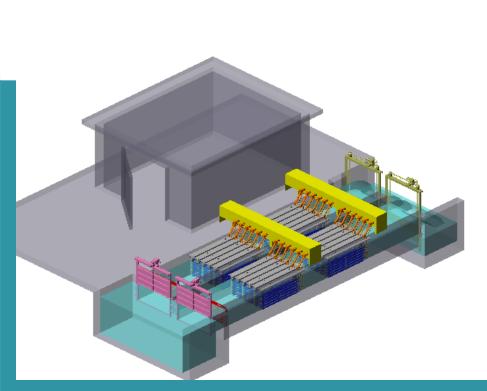
WEDECO UV systems for corrosive mediums

- Wedeco A/B-PE series
- Polyethylene reactor
- 1 390 m³/h flow capacity

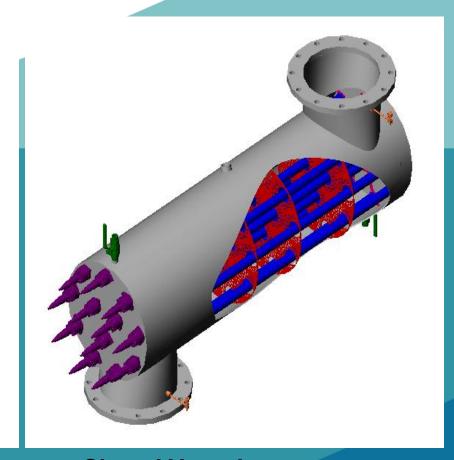


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# **UV** systems used in Wastewater Disinfection



**Open channel** 



**Closed Vessel** 



# **LBX Series**

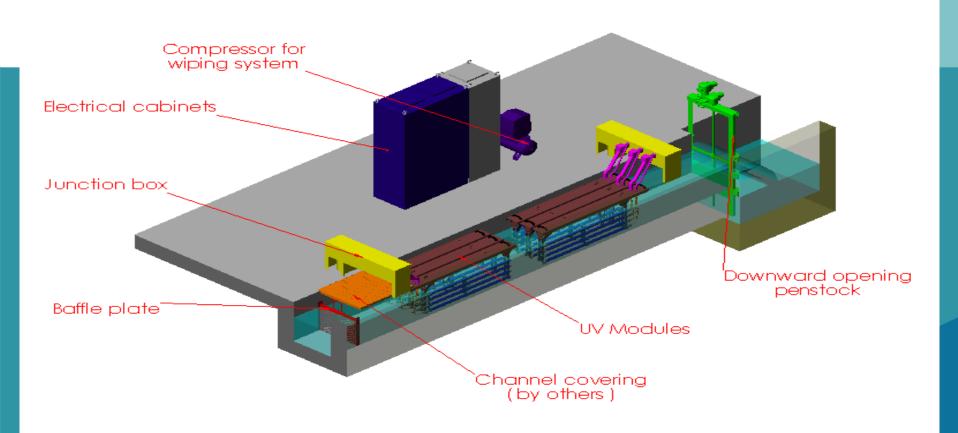
WEDECO UV systems acc. to international wastewater regulations

- Wedeco LBX series
- optional automatic wiping system
- 3 1,500 m³/h flow capacity





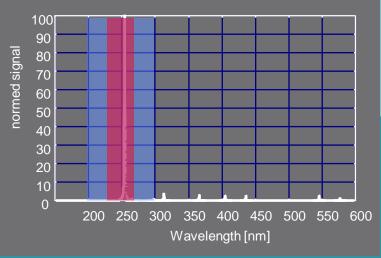
# Traditional WEDECO TAK 55 Open Channel System (+30 years operational history)





# **Lamp Type ECORAY ELR 30**





#### **ECORAY Lamp Specification**

Lamp No# ELR 30

Input watts: 315

Output watts (254 nm): **150** 

Lamp life rating: 14,000 hrs

Turndown: Linear turndown 50-100%

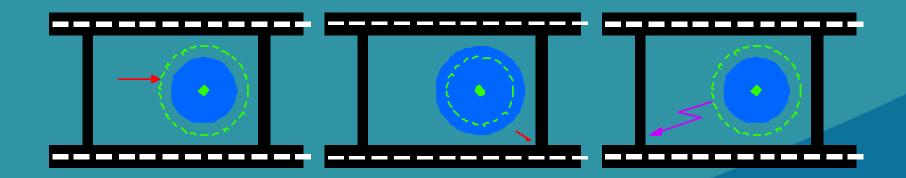
Lamp type: Amalgam / Low Pressure

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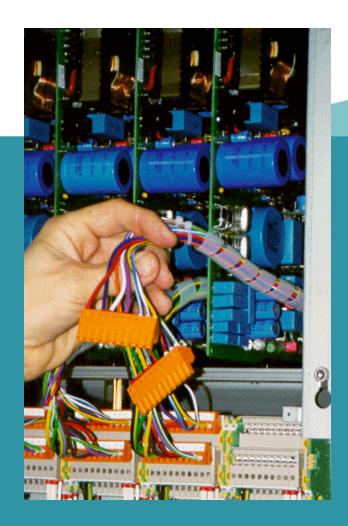
# **Mercury Gas Discharge Lamps**





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### **Ease of Maintenance: Electronic Ballast Card**

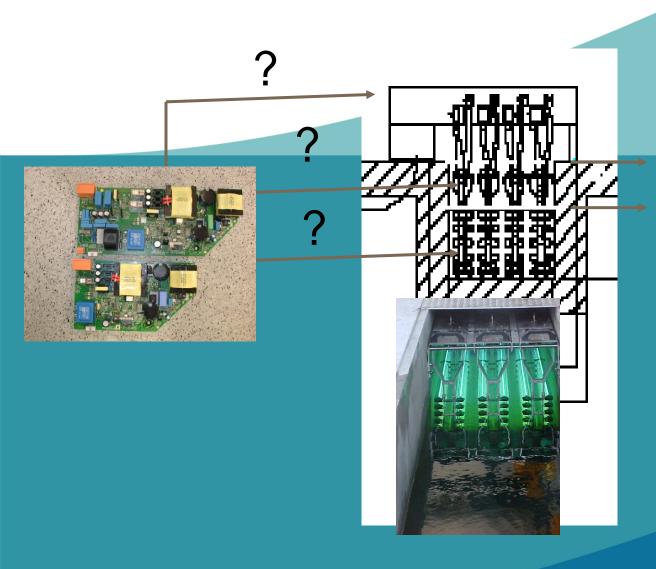






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# **Location of Ballast**



Above flood level

Flood level Normal water level



# **TAK Series 55: Module Arrangement in Banks**

12 Modules wide

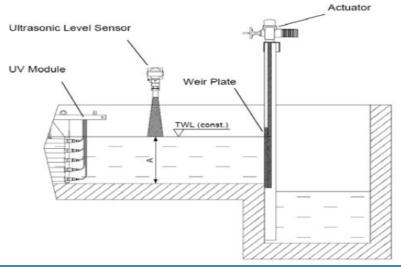


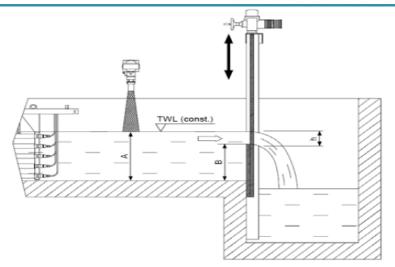
8 Modules wide

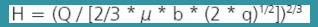


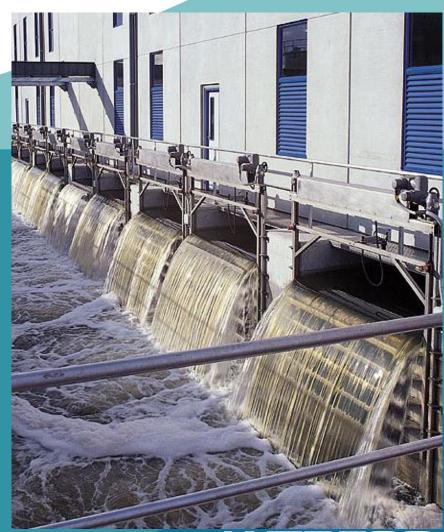
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# **Downward Opening Penstock**









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# **UV Dose Pacing**

UV Dose = Retention Time x Average Intensity

Intensity is a function of:

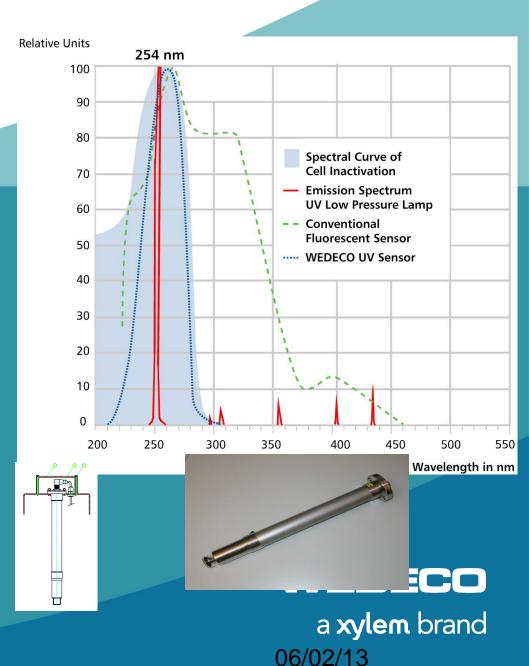
- lamp output
- lamp age
- quartz sleeve transmissivity (coating)
- water quality(UV transmittance)



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# **UV Intensity Sensor**

Excellent selectivity @ 254nm to control UV-C Output: > 99% High accuracy  $\pm$  3% Factory calibration - no field adjustment necessary Perfect simulation of the spectral curve of cell inactivation (Similar Sensitivity than microorganisms) 100% day-light blind Aging < 3% / 10,000 hQuick replacement / counter-check with reference sensor



#### Reference list UV-disinfection

Waste Water disinfection with Type TAK for high flow rates (> 5.000 m<sup>3</sup>/h)

Project / Customer	Туре	Flow rate, UVT	Contract award
South Mekkah SAUDIARABIA	TAK 55 with automatic wiping system	15.625 m³/h, 70%	12/2004
West Mekkah SAUDIARABIA	TAK 55 with automatic wiping system	7.813 m³/h, 70%	09/2005
North Jeddah SAUDIARABIA	TAK 55 with automatic wiping system	15.625 m³/h, 70 %	01/2006
Sharjah Phase 7 / Besix Sanotec NV U.A.E.	TAK 55 with automatic wiping system	5.314 m³/h, 65 %	10/2007
Sharjah Phase 4&5 / Besix Sanotec NV U.A.E.	TAK 55 with automatic wiping system	5.314 m³/h, 65 %	10/2007
Sharjah Phase 2&3 / Besix Sanotec NV U.A.E.	TAK 55 with automatic wiping system	3.543 m³/h, 65 %	10/2007
Jebel Ali U.A.E.	TAK 55 with automatic wiping system	22.643 m³/h, 65 %	05/2008
South Amghara & South New Jahra KUWAIT	TAK 55 with automatic wiping system	7.500 m³/h, 60 %	01/2009
South Jeddah STW Phase 4 SAUDI ARABIA	TAK 55 with automatic wiping system	15.625 m³/h, 65 %	02/2009

# Mangere STP UV Installation Auckland NZ - World's Largest Open Channel by WEDECO > 7,700 UV lamps



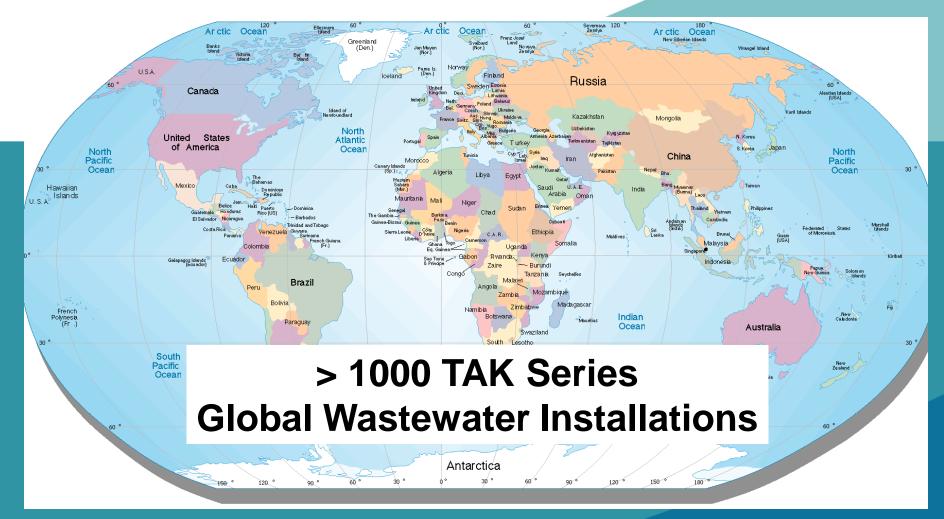






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### **TAK World-Wide**





# Customer Feedback after years of successful TAK 55 operation

- UV is achieving disinfection target goal !!!
- Can number of UV lamps be reduced if a similar system was designed today?
- Can electricity consumption be optimised?
- Can replacement of UV lamps be made any easier than lifting out the modules ?
- What has WEDECO done in terms of R&D for the open channel UV system lately?





### **WEDECO DURON**

Greener, more efficient simply better



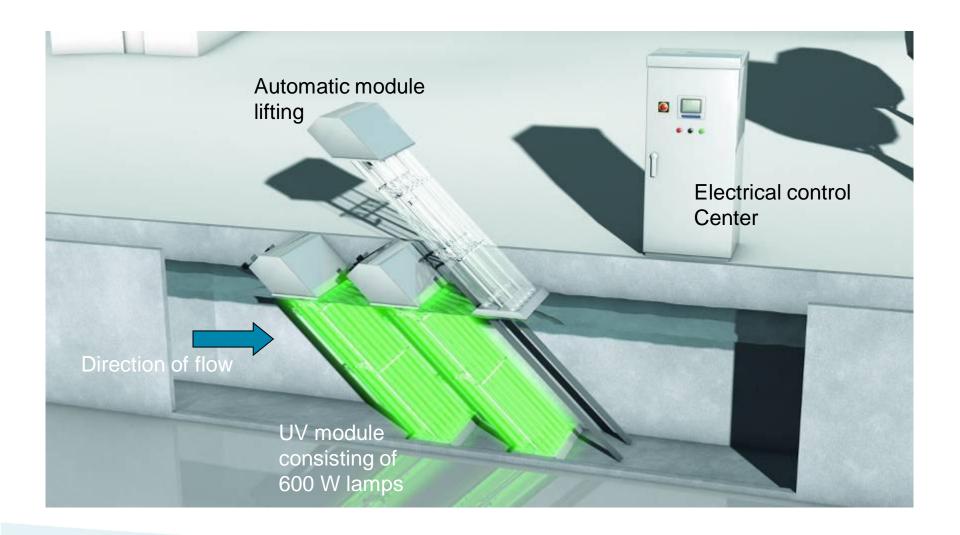
### Introduction





### **System overview**





### Enhanced ECORAY® Technology DURON

#### **Greener, more efficient, simply better**

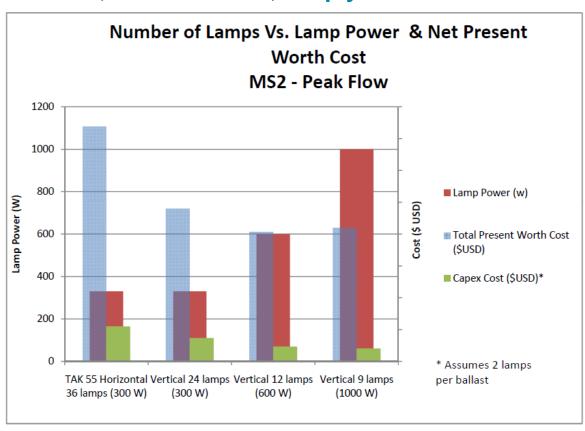
- Minimizes your operational expenditures due to
  - Low UV lamp count
  - High UV lamp efficiency
  - Excellent lamp dimming behaviour
  - Long lamp life
  - Easy lamp handling and replacement



## Enhanced ECORAY® Technology DURON

#### **Designed for Life Cycle cost optimisation:**

#### **Greener, more efficient, simply better**



Unique 600 W lamp offering best balance between lamp efficiency and lamp count

### Enhanced ECORAY® Technology DURON

#### **ECORAY®** lamp **ELR60**





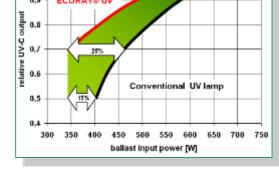
**Electronic ballast** 





600 W per lamp

2 lamps per ballast



UV-C output in dimmed power mode

- Proprietary lamp & ballast development with > 15 years of in-house expertise
- Perfectly matched lamp & ballast for highest efficiency
- 50 % ballast power input -> 70 % of UV-C output
- Up to 20 % energy savings in dimmed mode

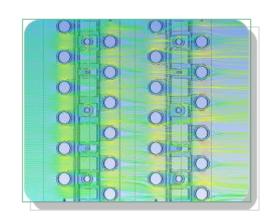
#### "Shining new lights on our original ideas"

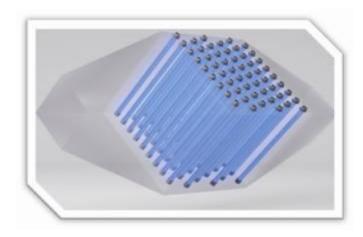
- Gives you highest disinfection efficiency
- Gives you best performance proof by outstanding validation
- Reduces the required lamp count by >50 % compared to conventional open channel systems
- Minimizes your time required for lamp exchange
- Generates only low headloss even at high flow rates per lamp
- Allows for excellent adaptation to whatever site specific space availabilities
- Is designed for minimal footprint requirements

**Highest disinfection efficiency** 

"Shining new lights on our original ideas"







- Unique 45° vertical inclined staggered lamp arrangement for ideal mixing and uniform irradiation field
- Long-term experience with vertical lamp arrangement from K-Reactor performance
- CFD modeling supported by empirical data
- "Right dose for every bug design" possible due to sophisticated validation concept

#### Best performance proof by outstanding validation

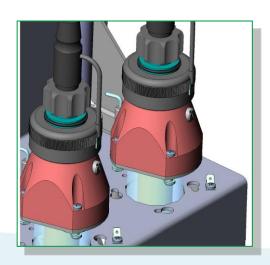
- Largest system worldwide used for validation purposes
- Average "working" flow of 700-1,400 m³/h, increase up to well above 2,000 m³/h
- Independent 3rd party validated by Carollo Engineers
- Compliant to latest NWRI 2012 standard
- Compliant to IUVA guideline and US EPA's UV Disinfection Guidance Manual (UVDGM)
- Bug specific design possible due to the use of various surrogates
- Largest UVT range tested to allow for validated design for whatever wastewater quality

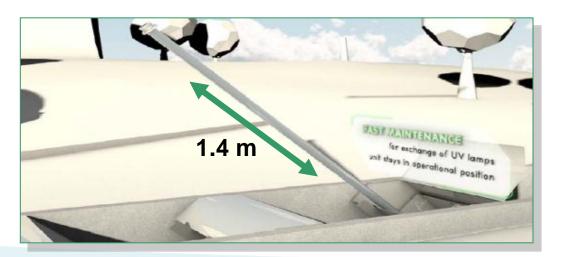




#### Fast and easy lamp exchange

- Easy accessible without lifting the UV module unit stays in operational position
- Safe and reasonable handling due to lamp length of 1.4 m
- High uptime as other UV banks can remain in operation
- Safety switch automatically de-energizes entire UV module before lamp take out is possible
- No need for tools at all due to lamp quick connections







#### Full system automation for your convenience

- Unique compact automatic lifting mechanism makes all maintenance works easy
- Safety switches automatically de-energize UV modules prior to lifting/lamp replacement to protect operators from UV light
- Proven intelligent UV system control automatically ensures minimal energy consumption without any compromise to disinfection performance
- Safe performance due to power in the back
- Automatic wiping system keeps quartz sleeves free of deposits
- "Total care" concept completes our 'peace of mind' product offering



#### **Integrated compact lifting mechanism**

- Easy & safe servicability
- Integrated E-motor drive per module
- Able to lift to any service position / height
- Good protection in top lifting position by light shields
- In-place lifting
- Minimal footprint

Easy winterization in lifted position







#### **OptiDose Control**

- Fully automated performance safe system operation due to continuous consideration of
  - UVT changes,
  - Lamp aging
  - Quartz sleeve fouling
- Lowest available lamp count per sensor with one sensor per module (max. 12 lamps)
- OENORM compliant UV sensor for highest accuracy
- Extensive 3rd party validation, including multiple challenge organisms
- → Automatic minimization of energy consumption aligned to varying operational conditions without any compromise to disinfection performance





#### **TotalCare concept**

- Provides a great range of services to assure continuous availability of the customers´ systems
- Helps our customers to minimize downtime, save energy and optimize performance
- Outstanding own service force that directly fills in operational experience into new product development
- Unique combination of experience and technical know-how, communication philosophy and R&D
- Service concept is #1 world-wide coverage with dedicated personnel trained to highest technical and safety standards





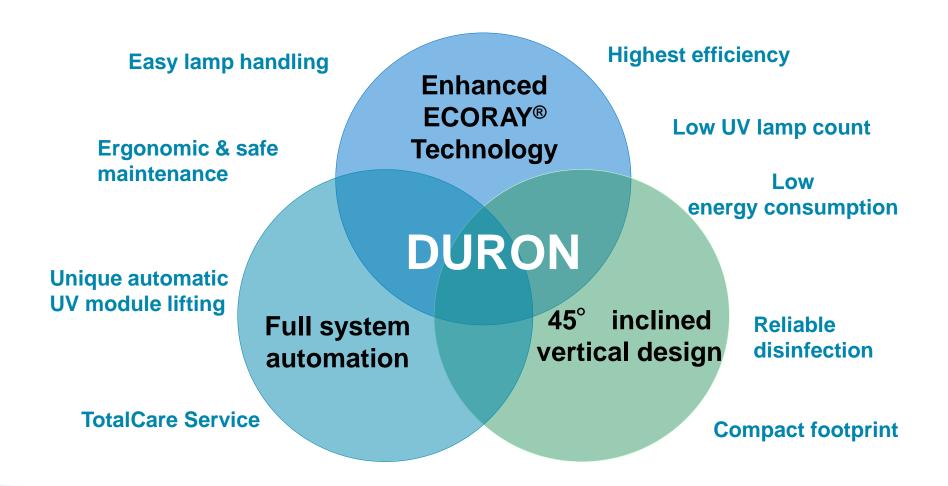




# Greener, more efficient, simply better **DURON**



#### No need for chemicals





# **THANK YOU**