

OPERATIONS

PROCESS OPTIMIZATION

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Reduced Use of Polymers- Coagulants and Flocculants

Optimization of Plant Operations

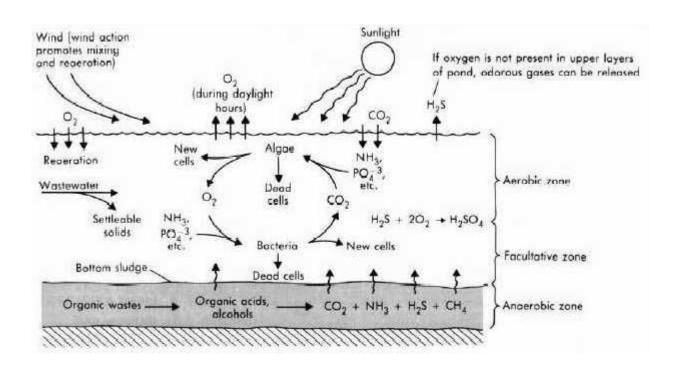
Process Optimization – Ammonium Control

Budget Impact



Pond Operation

- Maximum water column = optimal treatment.
- Facultative Pond
- Dissolved Oxygen
- Reduced BOD and TSS
- Recirculation





Pond Recirculation



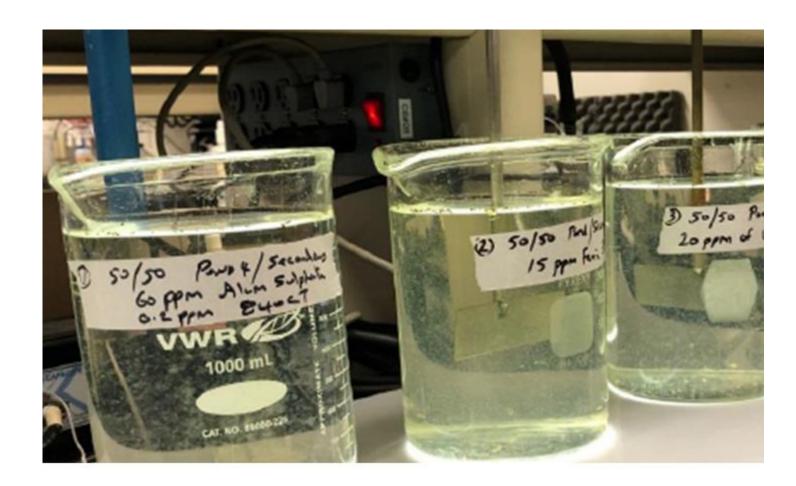
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Optimization of Plant Operations

Jar Testing

- Lab test to determine optimal dose
- Test run by Operations and by chemical venders





Optimization of Plant Operations

Operational Changes – Treat all dry weather influent in the ABs.

Benefits:

- Avoid high cost of pond water clarification
- Reduced chemical cost in the filter
- Reduced chloride concentration in RW
- Reduced loading on the pond system
- Reduced proliferation of blue-green algae



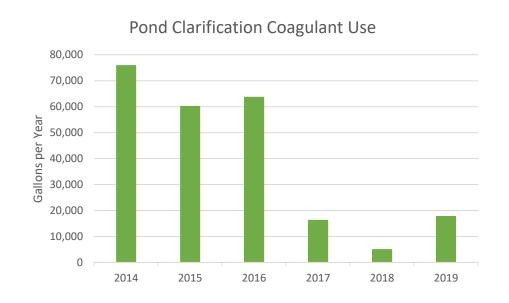
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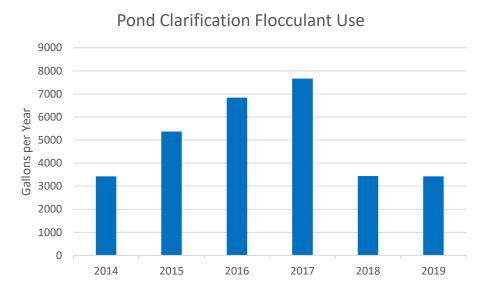
- Nitrification of Ammonia
- Maintain proper air in system for optimal treatment
- Helps prevent Breakpoint chlorination
- Reduced chemical use





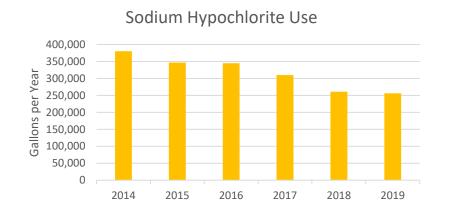
Pond Operation

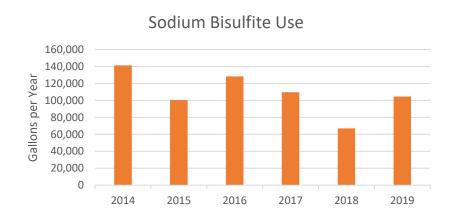


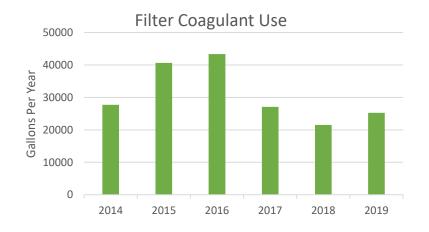




Disinfection & Filters

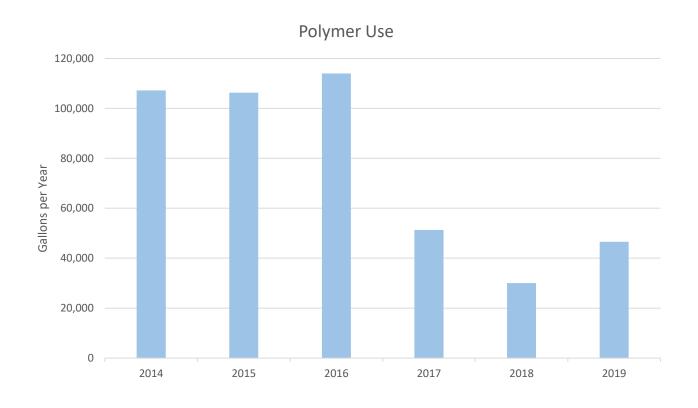








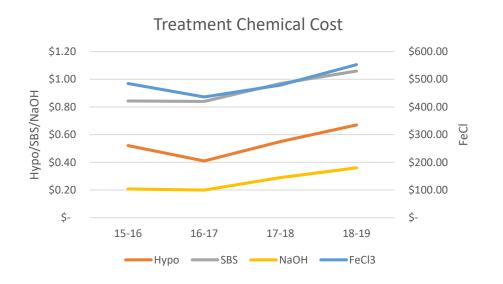
Overall Polymer Use

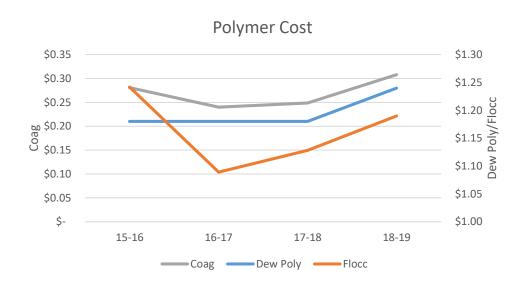


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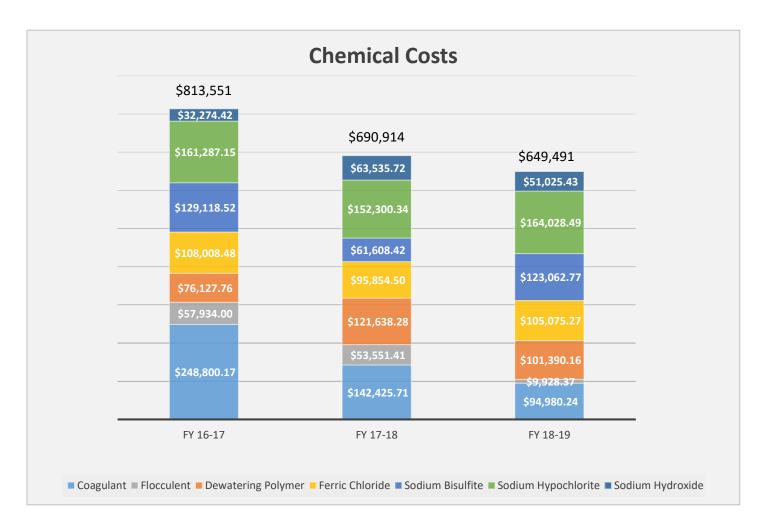
Increasing Chemical Cost







Budget Impacts





Questions