

# Florida Onsite Sewage Nitrogen Reduction Strategies Study

## TASK B.7 PROGRESS REPORT

## B-HS1 Field System Monitoring Report No. 7

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#### 1.0 Background

Task B of the Florida Onsite Sewage Nitrogen Reduction Strategies Study (FOSNRS) includes performing field experiments to critically evaluate the performance of nitrogen removal technologies that were identified in FOSNRS Task A.9. To meet this objective, full scale treatment systems are being installed at various residential sites in Florida and monitored over an extended timeframe under actual onsite conditions. The Task B Quality Assurance Project Plan (Task B.5) documents the objectives, monitoring framework, sample frequency and duration, and analytical methods to be used at the home sites. This report documents the seventh sample event of a passive nitrogen reduction system at a home site in Wakulla County, Florida (site B-HS1).

#### 2.0 Purpose

This monitoring report documents data collected from the seventh B-HS1 monitoring and sampling event conducted on November 28, 2012. This monitoring event consisted of collecting flow measurements from the household water use meter and the treatment system internal water meter, recording electricity use, monitoring of field parameters, collection of water samples from four points in the treatment system, and sample analyses by a NELAC certified laboratory.

#### 3.0 Materials and Methods

#### 3.1 Project Site

The B-HS1 field site is located in Wakulla County, FL. The nitrogen reducing onsite treatment system for the single family residence was installed in June 2011. Design and construction details were presented previously in the Task B.6 document. The B-HS1 system consists of a 1,500 gallon two chamber concrete tank with a 1,000 gallon primary treatment tank (primary chamber) and a 500 gallon pump chamber (pump chamber); an Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> unsaturated media filter; and a 1,500 gallon single chamber upflow tank containing Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> media. Treated effluent from the Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> unit is discharged to a soil dispersal system (drainfield) consisting of four Infiltrator trenches.

Three of the four Infiltrator trenches are 40 feet in length, and the fourth is 36 feet. Based on measured average wastewater flow and tank volumes, there is over a ten day transit time through the treatment system prior to dispersal. Figure 1 is a site schematic showing the system components and layout of the installation.

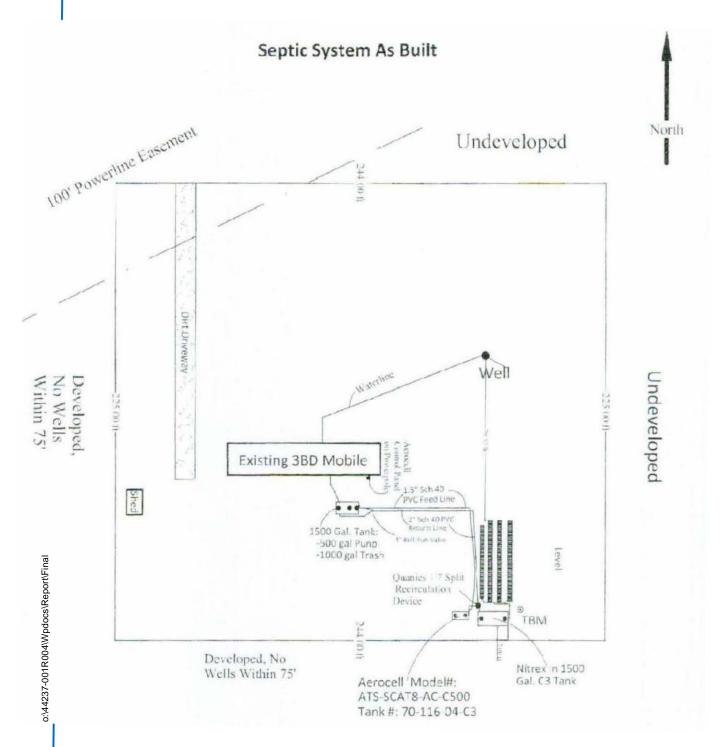


Figure 1 B-HS1 Site Schematic

#### 3.2 Monitoring and Sample Locations and Identification

The four monitoring points for this sample event are shown in Figure 2. The first monitoring point, B-HS1-STE, is the effluent sampled approximately 1.5 feet below the surface of the first chamber of the primary tank, which is referred to as primary effluent or septic tank effluent (STE). Samples from monitoring point B-HS1-STE represent the whole household wastewater and are the influent to the remainder of the onsite nitrogen reduction system. The STE chamber is accessed from the middle tank lid of the primary treatment tank. The second sampling point (B-HS1-PUMP) was taken approximately 1.5 feet below the surface of the second chamber of the primary tank, which serves as the pump chamber and contains a mixture of primary effluent (STE) and recirculated effluent from the Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> unsaturated biofilter.

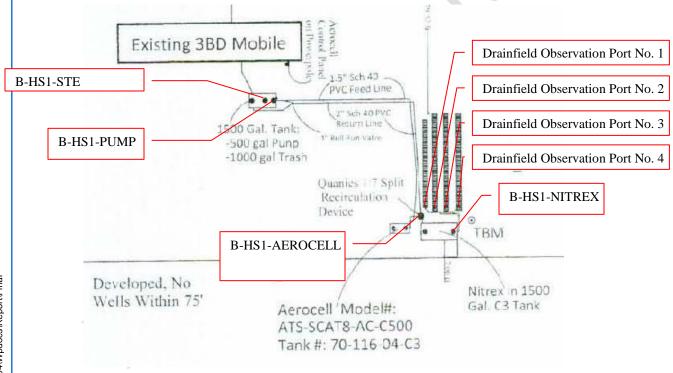


Figure 2
B-HS1 Sample and Monitoring Locations

The pump discharges wastewater to the top of the unsaturated Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> chamber. The Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> effluent flows into an adjustable split recirculation device which allows for a portion of the effluent to be sent back to the pump chamber. The remainder of the Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> effluent proceeds to the Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> tank. Samples from the third monitoring location are taken from the middle of the split recirculation device (B-HS1-AEROCELL) and represent Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> effluent (Figure 3).

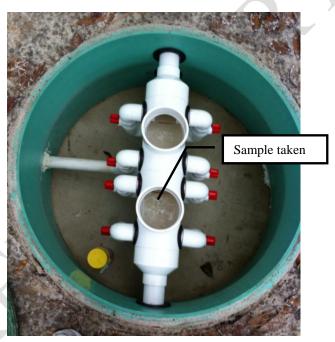


Figure 3
Recirculation Device (B-HS1-AEROCELL sample)

The fourth monitoring location is the Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> tank sample tube that is connected to the Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> effluent pipe (Figure 4). This sample represents the Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> effluent, which is the final effluent from the treatment system prior to being discharged to the soil infiltration system, or drainfield. Each drainfield line has an observation port installed at the end near the Nitrex system for monitoring (see Figure 2)



Figure 4
Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> Tank (B-HS1-NITREX sample)

#### 3.3 Operational Monitoring

Start-up of the system occurred on June 10, 2011 and the system has operated continually since that date. For this seventh sampling event, the water meter for the house and the Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> flow meter were read and recorded on November 28, 2012. The Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> flow meter is located on the line leading from the pump/recirculation tank to the Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> chamber and records the cumulative flow in gallons pumped from the pump chamber. The measurement of the Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> flow meter includes both the forward wastewater flow from the household and the recirculation flow. The control panel includes telemetry where reports are generated regarding alarms, pump cycles, and other information using a Vericomm panel system.

#### 3.4 Energy, Chemical and/or Additives Consumption

Energy consumption was monitored using an electrical meter installed between the main power box for the house and the control panel. The electrical meter records the cumulative power usage of the system in kilowatt-hours. The power usage of the system is primarily due to the single recirculation pump in the pump chamber, although a small amount of power is used by the control panel itself. There are no chemicals added to the system. However, the Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> media is a "reactive" media which will be consumed during operation. The Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> tank was initially filled with 42 inches of media, which ostensibly will last for many years without replenishment or replacement.

#### 3.5 Water Quality Sample Collection and Analyses

Influent, intermediate, and effluent water quality samples from the system were collected November 28, 2012 for water quality analysis. Samples were collected at each of the four monitoring points described in Section 3.2: B-HS1-STE, B-HS1-PUMP, B-HS1-AEROCELL, and B-HS1-NITREX. A peristaltic pump was used to collect samples and route them directly into analysis-specific containers after sufficient flushing of the tubing had occurred. Field parameters were then recorded. The sampling tube was placed approximately 1.5 feet below the surface in the STE and pump chamber samples and at mid-depth in the split recirculation device.

The analysis-specific containers were supplied by the analytical laboratory and contained appropriate preservatives. The analysis-specific containers were labeled, placed in coolers and transported on ice to the analytical laboratory. Each sample container was secured in packing material as appropriate to prevent damage and spills, and was recorded on chain-of-custody forms supplied by the laboratory. Chain of custody forms, provided in Appendix A, were used to document the transfer of samples from field personnel to the analytical laboratory.

Field parameters were measured using portable electronic probes and included temperature (Temp), dissolved oxygen (DO), oxidation-reduction potential (ORP), pH, and specific conductance. The field parameters were measured by placing the analytical probes in a container overflowing with sample water. The influent, intermediate, and effluent samples were analyzed by the laboratory for: total alkalinity, total Kjeldahl nitrogen (TKN-N), ammonia nitrogen (NH<sub>3</sub>-N), nitrate nitrogen (NO<sub>2</sub>-N), total phosphorus (TP), orthophosphate (Ortho P), total suspended solids (TSS), fecal coliform (fecal), and E.coli. All analyses were performed by independent and fully NELAC certified analytical laboratories (Southern Analytical Laboratory and Ackuritlabs, Inc.). Table 1 lists the analytical parameters, analytical methods, and detection limits for these analyses.

Table 1
Analytical Parameters, Method of Analysis, and Detection Limits

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Analytical Parameter	Method of Analysis	Method Detection Limit (mg/L)							
Total Alkalinity as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	SM 2320B	2 mg/L							
Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD)	EPA 410.4	10 mg/L							
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (TKN-N)	EPA 351.2	0.05 mg/L							
Ammonia Nitrogen (NH <sub>3</sub> -N)	EPA 350.1	0.005 mg/L							
Nitrate Nitrogen (NO <sub>3</sub> -N)	EPA 300.0	0.01 mg/L							
Nitrite Nitrogen (NO <sub>2</sub> -N)	EPA 300.0	0.01 mg/L							
Total Phosphorus (TP)	SM 4500P-E	0.01 mg/L							
Orthophosphate as P (Ortho P)	EPA 300.0	0.01 mg/L							
Carbonaceous Biological Oxygen Demand (CBOD <sub>5</sub> )	SM5210B	2 mg/L							
Total Solids (TS)	EPA 160.3	.01 % by wt							
Total Suspended Solids (TSS)	SM 2540D	1 mg/L							
Volatile Suspended Solids (VSS)	SM 2540E	1 mg/L							
Fecal Coliform (fecal)	SM9222D	2 ct/100mL							
E.coli	EPA1603	2 ct/100mL							

#### 4.0 Results and Discussion

#### 4.1 Operational Monitoring

The flow meter readings, recycle ratio, and average daily water use for the B-HS1 field site are summarized in Table 2. The operation and maintenance log which includes actions taken since start-up is provided in Appendix B. Summary tables of the Vericomm PLC recorded data are provided in Appendix C. These include daily and cumulative pump runtime and system alarms that are used to check general pump operation and performance.

Table 2 Summary of System Flow Rates

House Average Aerocell™ Average									
Date and Time Read	Water Meter Reading	Daily Household Flow, Q	Flow Meter Reading	Daily Flow Total Q + R <sup>1</sup>	Average Recycle Ratio				
	Cumulative Volume (gallons)	Gallons/ day	Cumulative Volume (gallons)	Gallons/ Day	Recycle: Forward Flow				
6/8/2011 14:10	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0					
6/9/2011 17:10	87.3	77.6	2.1	0.0	0.0 : 1				
6/10/2011 12:25	148.2	75.9	629.2	668.9	7.8 : 1				
7/6/2011 11:20	2,884.8	105.4	35,025.2	1,325.2	11.6 : 1				
7/7/2011 17:10	3,088.6	164.0	38,272.2	2,612.1	14.9 : 1				
7/19/2011 10:30	4,254.0	99.4	40,756.0	212.0	1.1 : 1				
9/13/2011	9904.0	101.7	60,840.0	361.5	2.6 : 1				
10/26/2011 8:24	13804.7	90.0	118,640.9	1333.3	13.8 : 1				
11/30/2011	17673.0	111.6	125,260.0	191.0	0.7 : 1				
Total average prior to									
SRD <sup>2</sup> replacement		101.3		722.3	6.1 : 1				
12/23/2011	20,280.0	113.3	153,930.0	1,246.5	10.0 : 1				
1/25/2012 9:00	23,871.3	107.6	192,410.5	1,154.4	9.7 :1				
1/30/2012 10:10	24,443.3	113.3	198,874.8	1,268.5	10.2: 1				
2/24/2012 11:08	27,458.0	120.4	231,640.5	1,308.7	9.9 : 1				
3/27/2012 9:56	30,820.2	105.2	267,763.0	1,130.4	9.7 : 1				
4/20/2012 11:45	33,379.8	106.3	291,392.5	981.6	8.2 : 1				
5/24/2012 8:55	36,914.4	104.3	323,118.2	936.4	8.0 : 1				
6/22/2012 9:13	39,954.4	104.8	351,626.7	982.6	8.4 : 1				
8/6/2012 8:52	45,137.0	115.2	413,985.7	1,386.2	11.0 : 1				
8/30/2012 11:16	47,678.9	105.6	444,252.0	1,257.3	10.9 : 1				
9/26/2012 11:19	51,047.0	124.7	478,626.3	1,271.7	9.2 : 1				
10/26/2012 12:39	54,348.4	109.8	505,821.1	904.8	7.2 : 1				
11/28/2012 9:37	58,471.2	125.4	540,715.2	1,061.3	7.5 : 1				
Total average after SRD <sup>2</sup> replacement		111.9		1,132.9	9.1 : 1				
Total average start-up to 11/28/12		108.5		1,005.4	8.3 : 1				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Household (Q) + Recirculation (R)

The split recirculation device (SRD) controls the fraction of Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> effluent that is recirculated and the fraction sent to the Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> tank. The SRD was initially set so that 5 parts went back to the pump chamber and 1 part went to the Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> tank (5:1 recycle

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Split recirculation device (SRD) was replaced December 9, 2011.

ratio). While calibrating the replacement SRD, the vendor increased the recycle ratio target to 10:1 to improve performance of the nitrification unit. The recycle ratio drifted downward towards 8:1 from April through June. In August and September the recycle ratio was close to the manufacturer's set point. However, the recycle ratio drifted downwards below 8:1 in October and November to 7.2:1 and 7.5:1, respectively. The cause for the decrease in recirculation is not clear.

Prior to the SRD replacement, the household flow average was 101.3 gallons per day with periods of higher and lower flows. The average flow to the Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> unit was 722.3 gallons per day with a corresponding average recycle ratio of 6.1:1. Following the SRD replacement, the household flow average was 111.9 gallons per day, and the average flow to the Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> unit was 1,132.9 gallons per day with a corresponding average recycle ratio of 9.1:1. The household flow average between start-up and November 28, 2012 was 108.5 gallons per day, and the average flow to the Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> unit was 1,005.4 gallons per day with a corresponding average recycle ratio of 8.3:1.

#### 4.2 Energy, Chemical and/or Additives Consumption

Energy consumption is monitored using an electrical meter installed between the main power box for the house and the control panel to record cumulative power usage of the pump in kilowatt-hours. The recorded electrical use for the system is summarized in Table 3.

Table 3
Summary of System Electrical Use

Summary of System Electrical Use										
Date and Time Read	Electrical Meter Reading	Average Daily Electrical Use	Average Electrical Use per Gallon Pumped to Aerocell							
	Cumulative (kWh)	(kWh/day)	(kWh/gal)							
6/9/2011 17:10	1	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	, ,							
6/10/2011 12:25	2	1.25	0.0019							
7/6/2011 11:30	40	1.46	0.0011							
7/7/2011 19:30	44	3.00	0.0011							
7/19/2011 11:00	49	0.43	0.0020							
9/13/2011	74	0.45	0.0012							
10/26/2011 8:27	80	0.14	0.0001							
Total average prior to										
SRD <sup>1</sup> replacement		0.57	0.0012							
1/25/2012 8:30	268	2.07	0.0018							
1/30/2012 10:26	286	3.54	0.0028							
2/24/2012 11:15	378	3.67	0.0028							
3/27/2012 10:06	486	3.38	0.0030							
4/20/2012 11:46	558	2.99	0.0030							
5/24/2012 8:58	652	2.77	0.0030							
6/22/2012 9:14	734	2.83	0.0029							
8/6/2012 8:50	910	3.91	0.0028							
8/30/2012 11:14	994	3.49	0.0028							
9/26/2012 11:21	1,088	3.48	0.0027							
10/26/2012 12	1,162	2.46	0.0027							
11/28/2012 9	1,262	3.04	0.0029							
Total average after SRD <sup>1</sup> replacement		3.23	0.0028							
Total average start-up to 11/28/12		2.35	0.0023							

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Split recirculation device (SRD) was replaced December 9, 2011.

The total average electrical use through November 28, 2012 was 2.35 kWh per day. The higher readings, following the SRD replacement, are attributed to the increased pump runtime due to the increased target recycle ratio. The average electrical use following the SRD replacement was 3.23 kWh per day. The average electrical use per gallon pumped to the Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> following the SRD replacement is 0.0028 kWh per gallon, and this parameter appears fairly stable in the period of January 30, 2012 through November 28, 2012. Figure 5 shows a plot of the average electrical use per gallon pumped versus time of experiment.

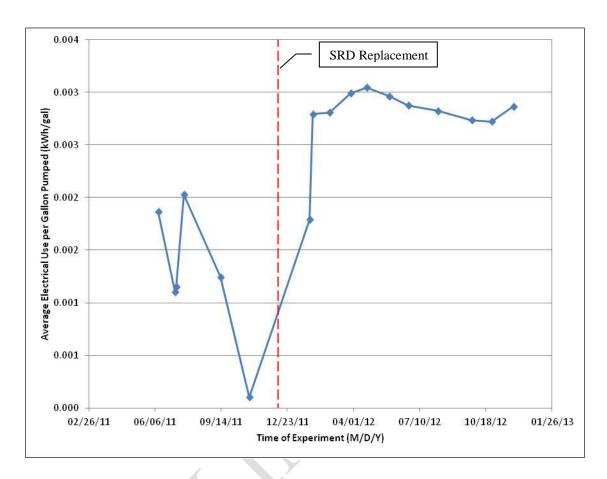


Figure 5
Plot of Average Electrical Use per Gallon Pumped

#### 4.3 Water Quality

Water quality analytical results, for Sample Event No.7, are listed in Table 4. The laboratory report containing the raw analytical data is included in Appendix A. The following discussion summarizes the water quality analytical results. The performance of the various system components was compared by considering the changes through treatment of nitrogen species (TKN-N, NH<sub>3</sub>-N, and NO<sub>X</sub>-N), as well as supporting water quality parameters. The nitrogen results are graphically displayed in Figure 6. A summary of the water quality data collected to date for the test system is presented in Table 5.

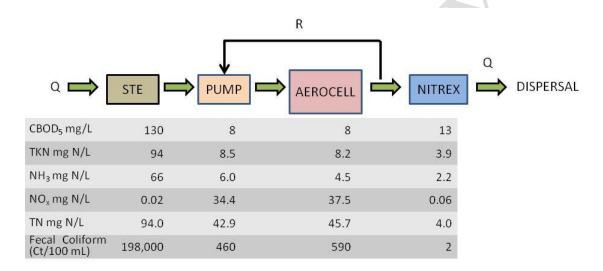


Figure 6
Graphical Representation of Nitrogen Results

**Septic Tank Effluent (STE) Quality:** The water quality characteristics of STE collected in Sample Event 7 were within the typical range generally expected for domestic STE. However, the measured STE total nitrogen (TN) concentration was 94 mg/L, which is somewhat higher than has been typically reported for Florida single family residence STE.

**Pump Chamber and Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> Effluent:** The pump chamber and Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> effluent NH<sub>3</sub>-N levels were 6.0 mg/L and 4.5 mg/L, respectively with a DO level at 3.4 mg/L in the Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> effluent (Table 4). TSS and CBOD<sub>5</sub> were below 10 mg/L. The pump chamber effluent NO<sub>x</sub>-N was 34.4 mg/L, and Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> effluent NO<sub>x</sub>-N was 37.5 mg/L. These results indicate significant denitrification (approximately 50% reduction of STE nitrogen) was occurring as the effluent was recirculated back into the pump chamber. Even with

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an increased STE TN concentration, the Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> unit showed improved nitrification from the previous sampling event with an NH<sub>3</sub>-N concentration of 4.5 mg/L and TKN of 8.2 reduced from 7.9 mg/L and 19 mg/L, respectively.

*Nitrex*<sup>TM</sup> *Effluent:* Effluent NO<sub>x</sub>-N from the Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> unit was 0.06 mg/L. The low NO<sub>x</sub>-N was accompanied by a measured 0.19 mg/L DO and -223 mV ORP. The DO sampling methodology was the same as the previous sampling event, using the method of taking the sample field readings in a secondary container. Extra care was taken to assure no bubbles were present in the sample tubing with a steady overflow of fresh sample during the multiple recorded readings. The Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> system was effective in producing a reducing environment and achieving the NO<sub>x</sub>-N reduction goals. Final total nitrogen (TN) in the treatment system effluent was 4 mg/L. The Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> unit effluent CBOD<sub>5</sub> of 13 mg/L was lower than the previous sample event which was below 17 mg/L. Fecal coliform and E. coli were all effectively reduced to less than the mdl of 2 colonies/100 mL.

### Table 4 Water Quality Analytical Results

Sample ID	Sample Date/Time	Sample Type	Temp (°C)	рН	Total Alkalinity (mg/L)	DO (mg/L)	ORP (mV)	Specific Conductance (µS)	TSS (mg/L)	CBOD <sub>5</sub> (mg/L)	COD	TN (mg/L N) <sup>1</sup>		Organic N (mg/L N) <sup>2</sup>	, ,	NO <sub>3</sub> -N (mg/L N)	NO <sub>2</sub> -N (mg/L N)	NOx (mg/L N)	TIN (mg/L N) <sup>3</sup>	TP (mg/L)	Ortho P (mg/L P)	Fecal (Ct/100 mL)	E-coli (Ct/100 mL)
B-HS1-STE	11/28/2012 12:08	G	19.5	7.1	540	0.10	-228	1260	51	130	420	94.0	94	28.0	66	0.01	0.01	0.02	66.02	8.2	4.4	198,000	124,000
B-HS1-PUMP	11/28/2012 11:54	G	18.1	6.79	190	3.31	103	893	1	8	26	42.9	8.5	2.5	6	34	0.42	34.42	40.42	7.3	1.7	460	440
B-HS1-AEROCELL	11/28/2012 11:22	G	18.0	6.58	190	3.38	53	883	2	8	24	45.7	8.2	3.7	4.5	37	0.52	37.52	42.02	7.3	1.9	590	550
B-HS1-NITREX	11/28/2012 10:52	G	17.5	6.62	330	0.19	-223	778	2	13	47	4.0	3.9	1.7	2.2	0.05	0.01	0.06	2.26	6.5	2.2	2	2

#### Notes:

<sup>1</sup>Total Nitrogen (TN) is a calculated value equal to the sum of TKN and NO<sub>x</sub>.

<sup>2</sup>Organic Nitrogen (ON) is a calculated value equal to the difference of TKN and NH<sub>3.</sub>

<sup>3</sup>Total Inorganic Nitrogen (TIN) is a calculated value equal to the sum of NH<sub>3</sub> and NO<sub>X</sub>.

D.O. - Dissolved oxygen

G - Grab sample

Gray-shaded data points indicate values below method detection level (mdl), mdl value used for statistical analyses.

Yellow-shaded data points indicate the reported value is between the laboratory method detection limit and the laboratory practical quantitation limit, value used for statistical analysis.

Orange-shaded data points indicate results based upon colony counts exceeded the ideal range of 20-60 (fecal coliform) or 20-80 (E. coli) colonies per plate

### Table 5 Summary of Water Quality Data

Sample ID	Statistical Parameter	Temp (°C)	pH⁴	Total Alkalinity (mg/L)	DO (mg/L)	ORP (mV)	Specific Conductance (µS)	TSS (mg/L)	VSS (mg/L)	TVS (mg/L)	CBOD₅ (mg/L)	COD	TN (mg/L N) <sup>1</sup>		Organic N (mg/L N) <sup>2</sup>	3	NO <sub>3</sub> -N (mg/L N)	NO <sub>2</sub> -N (mg/L N)	NOx (mg/L N)	TIN (mg/L N) <sup>3</sup>	TP (mg/L)	Ortho P (mg/L P)	Fecal <sup>4</sup> (Ct/100 mL)	E-coli <sup>4</sup> (Ct/100 mL)
	n	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	6	3	7	7	7	7	7	7	6	6	7	7	7	7	7	7
	MEAN	22.27	6.97	602.86	0.27	-155.30	1170.00	52.43	47.50	140.00	96.29	287.14	80.69	80.57	19.43	61.14	0.07	0.14	0.12	61.26	8.31	4.37	162,694	99,059
B-HS1-STE	STD. DEV.	2.53		137.81	0.42	171.87	74.52	7.96	10.50	122.88	43.24	102.91	10.05	10.06	8.04	5.21	0.10	0.18	0.12	5.23	1.24	0.99		
	MIN	19.50	6.77	530.00	0.00	-298.10	1019.00	40.00	32.00	0.00	30.00	170.00	71.13	71.00	10.00	55.00	0.01	0.01	0.01	55.01	6.60	2.60	36,000	20,000
	MAX	26.10	7.11	910.00	1.19	192.00	1260.00	63.00	64.00	230.00	150.00	420.00	95.09	95.00	29.00	67.00	0.26	0.46	0.30	67.30	10.00	5.50	800,000	740,000
	n	7	7	7	6	7	7	7	6	6	7	7	7	7	7	7	6	6	7	7	7	7	7	7
	MEAN	21.66	6.82	238.57	1.81	65.29	884.29	7.14	5.50	65.00	11.86	46.71	48.09	18.83	3.87	14.96	33.33	0.76	29.26	44.21	8.00	2.57	2,464	1,943
B-HS1-PUMP	STD. DEV.	3.15		116.11	0.99	48.77	66.59	4.98	4.18	117.26	7.06	21.85	11.45	13.70	2.45	13.57	8.59	0.71	14.90	12.57	1.37	0.93		
	MIN	18.10	6.16	110.00	0.71	-24.00	756.00	1.00	3.00	0.00	3.00	26.00	35.27	6.30	1.30	5.00	22.00	0.42	0.27	31.27	6.00	1.30	8	6
	MAX	26.30	7.03	470.00	3.31	109.00	951.00	14.00	13.00	290.00	22.00	90.00	70.20	41.00	8.90	38.00	47.00	2.20	47.53	67.20	9.50	4.10	80,000	50,000
	n	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	6	4	7	7	7	. 7	7	7	6	6	7	7	7	7	7	7
	MEAN	21.20	6.67	208.00	2.77	21.53	864.57	5.14	3.58	100.00	10.29	34.43	46.37	13.00	3.82	9.18		0.57	33.37	42.56	7.99	1.97	439	364
B-HS1-AEROCELL	STD. DEV.	3.46		92.06	1.10	52.83		6.07		118.04		14.83		10.15	3.29	9.49			15.71	11.99	1.37	0.84		
	MIN	17.50	5.82		1.12	-93.30	754.00	1.00	1.50	0.00	2.00	18.00	26.20	2.40	1.60	0.08		0.27	3.20	23.20	6.10	0.66		18
	MAX	26.10	7.07	380.00	4.42	57.00	939.00	18.00	6.00	230.00	31.00	61.00	62.30	28.00	11.10	25.00	52.00	1.30	52.27	59.30	9.60	3.30	35,000	31,000
	n	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	6	6	7	7	7	7	7	7	6	6	7	7	7	7	7	7
	MEAN	20.74	6.54	368.57	1.09	-160.13		3.86	5.58			78.86	7.45	-		4.81			0.09		7.16	2.46		5
B-HS1-NITREX	STD. DEV.	3.38		56.99	1.25	132.85		1.95	3.38	57.79		41.89	6.09			4.84	_	100	0.09		1.10	0.69		
	MIN	16.90	5.75	310.00	0.00	-284.90	669.00	2.00	1.00	0.00	2.00	47.00	2.97	2.70	0.80	0.94		0.01	0.01	1.21	5.90	1.60	2	2
	MAX	25.40	7.33	470.00	3.46	126.00	882.00	7.00	9.50	140.00	110.00	170.00	20.03	20.00	5.60	15.00	0.26	0.01	0.27	15.03	8.70	3.20	600	600

Notes:

D.O. - Dissolved oxygen

G - Grab sample

Gray-shaded data points indicate values below method detection level (mdl), mdl value used for statistical analyses.

Yellow-shaded data points indicate the reported value is between the laboratory method detection limit and the laboratory practical quantitation limit, value used for statistical analysis.

Orange-shaded data points indicate results based upon colony counts exceeded the ideal range of 20-60 (fecal coliform) or 20-80 (E. coli) colonies per plate.

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 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$ Total Nitrogen (TN) is a calculated value equal to the sum of TKN and NO $_{\chi}$ 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Organic Nitrogen (ON) is a calculated value equal to the difference of TKN and NH<sub>3.</sub>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Total Inorganic Nitrogen (TIN) is a calculated value equal to the sum of NH<sub>3</sub> and NO<sub>X.</sub>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Geometric mean provided rather than arithmetic mean.

#### 5.0 B-HS1 Sample Event No. 7: Summary and Recommendations

#### 5.1 Summary

The results of the seventh sampling event indicate that the system is operating well and no adjustments are recommended at this time. For this sampling event, nitrification was improved as indicated by the Aerocell<sup>TM</sup> sample values of 37.5 mg/L NO<sub>x</sub>-N and 8.2 mg/L TKN. The Sample Event No. 7 results indicate that:

- Septic tank effluent (STE) quality is characteristic of typical household STE quality. The total nitrogen concentration of 94 mg/L is in the upper range of values typically reported for Florida single family residence STE.
- The Aerocell<sup>™</sup> biofilter was more effective in converting ammonium to oxidized nitrogen; effluent contained 8.2 mg/L TKN, of which 4.5 mg/L was ammonia.
- The Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> system was effective in producing a reducing environment and achieving the NO<sub>x</sub>-N reduction goals. The Nitrex<sup>TM</sup> unit effluent fecal coliform and E. coli were effectively reduced to below method detection levels.
- The total nitrogen concentration in the final effluent from the total treatment system was approximately 4 mg/L, an approximately 96% reduction from STE.

#### 5.2 Recommendations

No operational adjustments are recommended at this time, and continued sampling should provide additional insight to system performance.





### **Appendix A: Laboratory Report**



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#### **Laboratory Report**

Project Name		Wakulla County	B-HS1 SE#7					
Sample Description Matrix SAL Sample Number Date/Time Collected Collected by Date/Time Received		B-HS1-STE Wastewater 1213732-01 11/28/12 12:08 Client 11/29/12 12:55						
Parameters	Units	Results *	Method	PQL	MDL	Prepared	Analyzed D	ilution
Inorganics								
Ammonia as N	mg/L	66	EPA 350.1	2.0	0.47		12/03/12 12:59	50
Ammonium as NH4	mg/L	85	EPA 350.1	0.05	0.01	12/04/12 12:36	12/04/12 12:38	1
Carbonaceous BOD	mg/L	130	SM 5210B	2	2	11/29/12 08:36	12/05/12 15:45	1
Chemical Oxygen Demand	mg/L	420	EPA 410.4	25	10	12/03/12 08:05	12/03/12 11:30	1
Nitrate (as N)	mg/L	0.01 u	EPA 300.0	0.04	0.01		11/30/12 09:45	1
Nitrite (as N)	mg/L	0.01 υ	EPA 300.0	0.04	0.01		11/30/12 09:45	1
Orthophosphate as P	mg/L	4.4	EPA 300.0	0.040	0.010		11/30/12 09:45	1
Phosphorous - Total as P	mg/L	8.2	SM 4500P-E	0.20	0.050	12/01/12 07:31	12/04/12 10:40	5
Total Alkalinity	mg/L	540	SM 2320B	8.0	2.0		12/04/12 11:46	1
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	mg/L	94	EPA 351.2	0.20	0.05	12/05/12 08:06	12/11/12 12:09	20
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L	51	SM 2540D	1	1	12/03/12 08:11	12/03/12 16:31	1
Volatile Suspended Solids	mg/L	64	EPA 160.4**	1	1	12/04/12 08:03	12/05/12 16:48	1

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Project Name		Wakulla County	/ B-HS1 SE#7					
Sample Description Matrix SAL Sample Number Date/Time Collected Collected by Date/Time Received		B-HS1-PUMP Wastewater 1213732-02 11/28/12 11:54 Client 11/29/12 12:55						
Parameters	Units	Results *	Method	PQL	MDL	Prepared	Analyzed Di	lution
Inorganics								
Ammonia as N	mg/L	6.0	EPA 350.1	0.40	0.095		12/03/12 13:44	10
Ammonium as NH4	mg/L	7.8	EPA 350.1	0.05	0.01	12/04/12 12:36	12/04/12 12:38	1
Carbonaceous BOD	mg/L	8	SM 5210B	2	2	11/29/12 08:36	12/05/12 15:45	1
Chemical Oxygen Demand	mg/L	26	EPA 410.4	25	10	12/03/12 08:05	12/03/12 11:30	1
Nitrate (as N)	mg/L	34	EPA 300.0	0.04	0.01		11/30/12 09:45	1
Nitrite (as N)	mg/L	0.42	EPA 300.0	0.04	0.01		11/30/12 09:45	1
Orthophosphate as P	mg/L	1.7	EPA 300.0	0.040	0.010		11/30/12 09:45	1
Phosphorous - Total as P	mg/L	7.3	SM 4500P-E	0.20	0.050	12/01/12 07:31	12/04/12 10:41	5
Total Alkalinity	mg/L	190	SM 2320B	8.0	2.0		12/04/12 11:46	1
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	mg/L	8.5	EPA 351.2	0.20	0.05	12/05/12 08:06	12/06/12 10:42	9.62
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L	1 υ	SM 2540D	1	1	12/03/12 08:11	12/03/12 16:31	1
Volatile Suspended Solids	mg/L	3	EPA 160.4**	1	1	12/04/12 08:03	12/05/12 16:48	1

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Project Name		Wakulla County I	3-HS1 SE#7					
Sample Description Matrix SAL Sample Number Date/Time Collected Collected by Date/Time Received		B-HS1-AEROCELL Wastewater 1213732-03 11/28/12 11:22 Client 11/29/12 12:55						
Parameters	Units	Results *	Method	PQL	MDL	Prepared	Analyzed Di	lution
Inorganics								
Ammonia as N	mg/L	4.5	EPA 350.1	0.40	0.095		12/03/12 13:46	10
Ammonium as NH4	mg/L	5.8	EPA 350.1	0.05	0.01	12/04/12 12:36	12/04/12 12:38	1
Carbonaceous BOD	mg/L	8	SM 5210B	2	2	11/29/12 08:36	12/05/12 15:45	1
Chemical Oxygen Demand	mg/L	24 ।	EPA 410.4	25	10	12/03/12 08:05	12/03/12 11:30	1
Nitrate (as N)	mg/L	37	EPA 300.0	0.04	0.01		11/30/12 09:45	1
Nitrite (as N)	mg/L	0.52	EPA 300.0	0.04	0.01		11/30/12 09:45	1
Orthophosphate as P	mg/L	1.9	EPA 300.0	0.040	0.010		11/30/12 09:45	1
Phosphorous - Total as P	mg/L	7.3	SM 4500P-E	0.20	0.050	12/01/12 07:31	12/04/12 10:42	5
Total Alkalinity	mg/L	190	SM 2320B	8.0	2.0		12/04/12 11:46	1
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	mg/L	8.2	EPA 351.2	0.20	0.05	12/05/12 08:06	12/06/12 10:44	9.62
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L	2	SM 2540D	1	1	12/03/12 08:11	12/03/12 16:31	1
Volatile Suspended Solids	mg/L	6	EPA 160.4**	1	1	12/04/12 08:03	12/05/12 16:48	1

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#### **Laboratory Report**

Project Name		Wakulla County	B-HS1 SE#7					
Sample Description Matrix SAL Sample Number Date/Time Collected Collected by Date/Time Received		B-HS1-NITREX Wastewater 1213732-04 11/28/12 10:52 Client 11/29/12 12:55						
Parameters	Units	Results *	Method	PQL	MDL	Prepared	Analyzed [	Dilution
Inorganics								
Ammonia as N	mg/L	2.2	EPA 350.1	0.040	0.009		12/03/12 13:05	5 1
Ammonium as NH4	mg/L	2.8	EPA 350.1	0.05	0.01	12/04/12 12:36	12/04/12 12:38	3 1
Carbonaceous BOD	mg/L	13	SM 5210B	2	2	11/29/12 08:36	12/05/12 15:45	5 1
Chemical Oxygen Demand	mg/L	47	EPA 410.4	25	10	12/03/12 08:05	12/03/12 11:30	) 1
Nitrate (as N)	mg/L	0.05	EPA 300.0	0.04	0.01		11/30/12 09:45	5 1
Nitrite (as N)	mg/L	0.01 U	EPA 300.0	0.04	0.01		11/30/12 09:45	5 1
Orthophosphate as P	mg/L	2.2	EPA 300.0	0.040	0.010		11/30/12 09:45	5 1
Phosphorous - Total as P	mg/L	6.5	SM 4500P-E	0.20	0.050	12/01/12 07:31	12/04/12 10:43	3 5
Total Alkalinity	mg/L	330	SM 2320B	8.0	2.0		12/04/12 11:46	5 1
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	mg/L	3.9	EPA 351.2	0.20	0.05	12/05/12 08:06	12/06/12 10:15	5 1
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L	2	SM 2540D	1	1	12/03/12 08:11	12/03/12 16:31	1 1
Volatile Suspended Solids	mg/L	3	EPA 160.4**	1	1	12/04/12 08:03	12/05/12 16:48	3 1

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#### \* Qualifiers, Notes and Definitions

Results followed by a "U" indicate that the sample was analyzed but the compound was not detected. Results followed by "I" indicate that the reported value is between the laboratory method detection limts and the laboratory practical quantitation limit.

A statement of estimated uncertainty of test results is available upon request.

For methods marked with \*\*, all QC criteria have been met for this method which is equivalent to a SAL certified method.

Test results in this report meet all the requirements of the NELAC standards. Any applicable qualifiers are shown below.

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	B-HS1-AEROCELL	11/28/12	11:22	ww	$\dagger$	x	1	1			18.0	884	6.61	2
	B-HS1-NITREX	11/28/12	10.52	ww	T	x	1	1			17.5	778	6.62	2
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#### REPORT OF MICROBIOLOGICAL ANALYSIS

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Report #:

22089

Report Date: December 5, 2012

NELAC#:

E81350

FDEPQA#:

920087G

Project#:

211296

Sampled By: Mark Busby

Sample Site: Drive Septic System

Sample Date: 11-28-12

Table 1. Samples received 11-28-12.

	Fecal Coliform	Dilution	E. coli	Dilution
Units:	# colonies/100 mL	Factor	# colonies/100 mL	Factor
Methodology:	SM 9222D		EPA 1603	
Detection Limit:	2.0		2.0	
Analysis Date:	11-28-12		11-28-12	
Analysis Time:	14:55		14:55	
Analyst:	TA		TA	
Sample Location/Time:				
Lab Number:				
Nitrex Tank, 10:52				
#113270	2.0 U	2	2.0 U	2
Aerocell Tank, 11:22				
#113271	590	10	550	10
Pump Tank, 11:54				
#113272	460	10	440	10
STE Tank, 12:08				
#113273	198,000 B	1,000	124,000 B	1,000

Data Qualifiers that may apply:

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B = Colony count exceeded the ideal of 20-60 (fecal coliform) or 20-80 (E. coli) colonies per plate.

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Table 2. Samples received 11-28-12.

	рН	Temperature	Conductivity	DO	ORP
Nitrex Tank, 10:52 #113270	6.62	17.6	778	0.17	-227
Aerocell Tank, 11:22 #113271 Pump Tank, 11:54	6.52	17.7	876	2.67	53
#113272 STE Tank, 12:08	6.79	18.1	893	3.32	100
#113273	7.11	19.5	1,261	0.09	-230

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B = Colony count exceeded the ideal of 20-60 (fecal coliform) or 20-80 ( E. coli) colonies per plate.

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11-28-12	0830	A	0.0	6.7	.1%	Yes	In:4	Mb.
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11-28-12	1220	A	0.0	0.1	11%	Yes	Cont	mB
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		C	1413	1414	,1%	Yes	Cont	MB
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11-28-12	0830	A	46.6	40.0	0%	Yes	Inst	MB
		В	4.0	4.0	0%	401	Inst	mo
		C	1.0	1,0	0%	Yes	First	MS
11-28-12	1220	A	46.0	46,0	0%	Yes	Cont	Mo
		B	4.0	4.0	0%	Yes	Conf	mo
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### **Appendix B: Operation & Maintenance Log**

## Table B.1 Operation and Maintenance Log

Date	Description
6/10/11	Start-up of system
7/6/11	Homeowner reported that over the weekend the alarm kept sounding.
7/7/11	Contractor made site visit. The flow splitter device was adjusted.
	Some of the recirculation tubes seemed to be too low.
	Recirculation rate higher than intended.
	The wiring was not done correctly at install. Contractor rewired panel.
	Noted that the Nitrex sampling port has water which indicates that
	the Nitrex tank is now full.
7/19/11	Override float still triggering alarm.
	Contractor raised override float up, because of the float error.
	Contractor read water meter and adjusted flow splitter again.
	Contractor also checked the pump rate which is reading low.
	Pump flow rate measured at 12.5 gallons per minute.
8/18/11	Vericomm system panel installed to replace existing control panel.
	Drainfield observation ports installed.
9/13/11	FDOH collected samples.
	Contractor checked system and detected that a malfunction of the
	dosing floats for the pump causes a lack of dosing to the Aerocell unit.
9/20/11	Contractor checked system.
10/17/11	New sampling port for Nitrex sample installed by contractor.
	A tee was placed in the outlet pipe, so that a sample is taken directly
	from the effluent pipe.
	The pump vault was causing the floats to get stuck.
	Contractor removed pump vault within the second chamber of the primary
10/26/11	tank.
10/26/11	Monitoring sample event No.1.  Leaks apparent on Aerocell split recirculation device.
	Water level within the split recirc device approximately 1-inch below return
	tubes.
	Sand was noted in the return pipe leading into the pump chamber.
11/30/11	Contractor checked system.
12/9/11	Replacement of splitter recirculation device by vendor.
12/23/11	Vendor checked system.
1/25/12	Monitoring sample event No.2.
	Drainfield observation port #3 had ponded water ~0.25 inch in height. All other
	ports were dry.

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Date Description 1/30/12 Recorded flows to verify recycle ratio. Drainfield observation port #3 had ponded water ~0.25 inch in height. All other ports were dry. 2/24/12 Site visit. Drainfield observation port #3 had ponded water ~0.25 inch in height. All other ports were dry. 3/27/12 Monitoring sample event No.3. Drainfield observation port #3 had ponded water ~0.125 inch in height. All other ports were dry. 4/20/12 Site visit. Drainfield observation port #3 had ponded water ~0.5 inch in height. All other ports were dry. Monitoring sample event No.4. 5/24/12 Drainfield observation port #3 had ponded water ~0.125 inch in height. All other ports were dry. 6/22/12 Site visit. Drainfield observation port #3 had ponding of ~ 0.25 inch to 0.5 inch in height (uneven bottom) water across entire field of vision. All other ports dry. Site visit. Discussed with homeowner his concerns about the system. 7/26/12 Sampling called off due to rain from Tropical Depression Debby. 7/30/12 Site visit. Heavy, intermittent rain, cancelled sampling again. 8/06/12 Monitoring sample event No.5. Drainfield observation port #3 had ponded water ~0.125 inch in height. All other ports dry. Ground saturated from recent heavy rains. 8/30/12 Site visit. Drainfield observation port #2 had ponded water ~3/8" inch water across entire field of vision. Port #3 had ponded water ~1/8" in a puddle ~1/2 field of view. Ports #1 and #4 were dry. 9/26/12 Monitoring sample event No.6. All drainfield observation ports were dry Site visit. 10/26/12 All drainfield observation ports were dry Monitoring sample event No.7 11/28/12 Drainfield observation port #2 had ponded water ~1/4" inch water across entire

Port #3 had ponded water less than 1/8". Ports #1 and #4 were dry.

Nitrex sample tube was blocked prior to sampling. The blockage was cleared

field of vision.

using a stiff wire.

Wood chips appeared a darker brown.

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### **Appendix C: Vericomm PLC Data**

System	Status		28-Nov-12	5-Nov-12	26-Oct-12
Point	Description	Status	Value	Value	Value
1	Alarm Status	Automatic	OK	OK	OK
2	Alert Status	Automatic	OK	OK	OK
3	System Mode	Automatic	Normal	Normal	Normal
5	Timer Mode	Automatic	Normal	Normal	Off
6	Active Off Time	Automatic	15.0 Minutes	15.0 Minutes	15.0 Minutes
7	Active On Time	Automatic	2.0 Minutes	2.0 Minutes	2.0 Minutes
9	Pump Mode	Automatic	OffCycl	OffCycl	Off
10	Pump Status	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
12	Pump Cycles Today	Automatic	35.0 Cycles	8.0 Cycles	22.0 Cycles
13	Override Cycles Today	Automatic	0.0 Cycles	0.0 Cycles	0.0 Cycles
14	Pump Run Time Today	Automatic	70.6 Minutes	16.2 Minutes	44.8 Minutes
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Point	Description	Status	Value	Value	Value
17	Off Cycle Time	Constant/Setpoint	15.0 Minutes	15.0 Minutes	15.0 Minutes
18	On Cycle Time	Constant/Setpoint	2.0 Minutes	2.0 Minutes	2.0 Minutes
19	Override Off Cycle Time	Constant/Setpoint	7.0 Minutes	7.0 Minutes	7.0 Minutes
20	Override On Cycle Time	Constant/Setpoint	1.7 Minutes	1.7 Minutes	1.7 Minutes
21	Minimum Override Cycles	Automatic	3.0 Cycles	3.0 Cycles	3.0 Cycles
23	Override Cycle Limit per Day	Constant/Setpoint	21.0 Cycles	21.0 Cycles	21.0 Cycles
24	Time Limit per Day	Constant/Setpoint	200.0 Minutes	200.0 Minutes	200.0 Minutes
25	High Level Pump Test	Automatic	2.0 Minutes	2.0 Minutes	2.0 Minutes
28	Alarm Update Interval	Timing Override	120.0 Minutes	120.0 Minutes	120.0 Minutes
29	Page Delay	Automatic	960.0 Minutes	960.0 Minutes	960.0 Minutes
30	Page Interval	Automatic	30.0 Minutes	30.0 Minutes	30.0 Minutes
31	Local Alarm Delay	Constant/Setpoint	1140.0 Minutes	1140.0 Minutes	1140.0 Minutes
32	Local Reactivate Delay	Automatic	120.0 Minutes	120.0 Minutes	120.0 Minutes
Trouble	shooting				
Point	Description	Status	Value	Value	Value
33	Top Float Status	Automatic	OK	OK	OK
34	Middle Float Status	Automatic	OK	OK	OK
35	Bottom Float Status	Automatic	OK	OK	OK
37	Contactor Status	Automatic	OK	OK	OK
38	Pump Status	Automatic	OK	OK	OK
40	Filter Status	Automatic	OK	OK	OK
41	Tank Status	Automatic	OK	OK	OK
43	Power Status	Automatic	OK	OK	OK
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Point	Description	Status	Value	Value	Value
49	Pump Run Time Today	Automatic	70.6 Minutes	16.2 Minutes	44.8 Minutes
50	Override Cycles Today	Automatic	0	C	C
51	Pump Cycles Today	Automatic	35.0 Cycles	8.0 Cycles	22.0 Cycles
52	Average Run Time per Cycle Today	Automatic	2.0 Minutes	2.0 Minutes	2.0 Minutes
	Brownouts Today	Automatic	0	C	(

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System	Status		28-Nov-12	5-Nov-12	26-Oct-12
	History Data				
	Description	Status	Value	Value	Value
	30 Day Average Run Time per Day	Automatic	101.3 Minutes	85.2 Minutes	82.1 Minutes
-	30 Day Average Override Cycles per Day	Automatic	0.0 Cycles	0.0 Cycles	0.0 Cycles
67	30 Day Average Cycles per Day	Automatic	50.3 Cycles	42.3 Cycles	40.7 Cycles
68	30 Day Average Run Time per Cycle	Automatic	2.0 Minutes	2.0 Minutes	2.0 Minutes
71	30 Day Total Pump Run Time	Automatic	3038.9 Minutes	2555.5 Minutes	2462.2 Minutes
72	30 Day Total Override Cycles	Automatic	0.0 Cycles	0.0 Cycles	0.0 Cycles
73	30 Day Total Cycles	Automatic	1508.0 Cycles	1268.0 Cycles	1222.0 Cycles
76	30 Day Total Brownouts	Automatic	0	0	0
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Point	Description	Status	Value	Value	Value
82	Pump Total Run Time	Automatic	743.8 Hours	701.7 Hours	688.3 Hours
	Pump Total Cycles	Automatic	23021.0 Cycles	21768.0 Cycles	21368.0 Cycles
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Point	Description	Status	Value	Value	Value
145	Pump On Auto	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
	Pump Test Today	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
	Pump Check Enable	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
	Total Override Cycles	Automatic	0	0	-
	High Level Condition	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
	Leak Check Enable	Automatic	On	On	Off
	Brownout State	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
- 0	Test Mode	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
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Point	Description	Status	Value	Value	Value
	General Alarm	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
	New Alarm	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
	Update Central Enable	Automatic	On	On	On
	Page Alarm Start	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
	Pager Signal	Override Off	Off	Off	Off
	Local Alarm Start	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
	Local Alarm Silence	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
	& Outputs	Automatic	OII	OII	OII
	Description	Status	Value	Value	Value
-	High Level/Override Timer Float Input	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
	Timer Float Input	Automatic	On	On	Off
179	Redundant Off Float & Low Level Alarm Input	Automatic	On	On	On
181	Push To Silence Input	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
-	Auxiliary Contact Input	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
	Pump Output	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
	Alarm Light Output	Automatic	Off	Off	Off
7	Audible Alarm Output	Override Off	Off	Off	Off