OptiFiber® Cloth Media Filtration Pilot System

More than 20 years ago, Aqua-Aerobic Systems was first in the industry with cloth media filtration and continues to lead through innovation and experience. We offer more application and cloth media construction knowledge than any other supplier offering fabric media or microscreens. Technology pilot demonstrations can be beneficial to wastewater treatment plants by providing a snapshot of essential process operating conditions and allowing the customer to interact with the technology and factory personnel. The OptiFiber® Cloth Media Filtration Pilot System provides our customers with the most comprehensive on-site testing and analytical services available. Our unique approach is designed to provide prompt operational feedback, allowing immediate fine tuning of operating parameters for the most effective pilot/demonstration experience.

Features and Advantages

- Totally enclosed, drop-deck trailer housing a full-scale 1-disk Aqua MiniDisk® cloth media filter with monitoring and analyzing equipment
- OptiFiber PA2-13®, OptiFiber PES-13® (chlorine resistant) and OptiFiber PES-14® (Microfi ber) pile cloth media available for testing
- Flexible variable speed influent pump for custom influent needs
- Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) system
- Integrated, fully equipped laboratory for on-site analysis
- Industry leading filter pilot services including test protocol, Aqua-Aerobic pilot technician, and comprehensive pilot study report

Filtration, Monitoring, and Analysis Equipment

- Influent and waste flow meters
- Chemical feed and flocculation systems
- Influent pump with VFD control to vary hydraulic loading rates, and pH adjustment prior to the filter
- Influent and effluent online turbidimeters
- Spectrophotometer for phosphorus analysis and speciation
- Phipps and Bird jar tester
- 1-disk Aqua MiniDisk cloth media filter
- Control system with SCADA for continuous monitoring and recording of process data
- Laboratory for on-site analysis of most operating parameters

Industry Leading Pilot Services

- Customized Test Protocol: Outlines performance objectives and testing methods
- Services of an experienced Aqua-Aerobic pilot unit technician from start to finish for:
  - Supervised placement of the cloth media pilot trailer and necessary hydraulic and electrical connections
  - Process and mechanical operation of the pilot equipment for the duration of the test
  - Sampling, laboratory testing and analysis
  - Training plant personnel on operation and maintenance of the pilot unit
  - Decommissioning of the pilot unit at the close of testing
- A comprehensive pilot study report which includes:
  - Daily operating conditions
  - Influent and effluent turbidity charts
  - Influent and backwash flow rates
  - Particle size, suspended solids, phosphorus analysis (including speciation)
  - Other specific data, per customer request

Contact Aqua-Aerobic Systems to design a customized OptiFiber Cloth Media Filtration Pilot Study for your specific application.