

Modelling a Water Treatment Plant

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Water Parameters

- Water parameters used in this model (in reality there are many more)
 - Sand Concentration and Grain Size
 - Mass Density
 - Concentration of the following materials
 - Aluminum
 - Dissolved Organic Carbon
 - Chloride
 - Dry Matter
 - Organic Dry Matter
 - E. Coli
 - Coliform Bacteria
 - Enterococci
 - Turbidity
 - Volumetric Flow Rate





CHLORIDE



Values of Water Parameters

For our model we suggest the following initial values for these parameters

Sand Concentration and Grain Size

Mass Density

Concentration of the following materials

Aluminum

Dissolved Organic Carbon

Chloride

Dry Matter

Organic Dry Matter

• E. Coli

Coliform Bacteria

Enterococci

Turbidity

Maximum Volumetric Flow Rate

750 mg/l and 0.0002 m

999.976 g/l

0.2323 mg/l

12.64 mg/l

300 mg/l

1.8 g/l

0.6 g/l (i.e. 1/3 of the Dry Matter)

985 l⁻¹

1010 I⁻¹

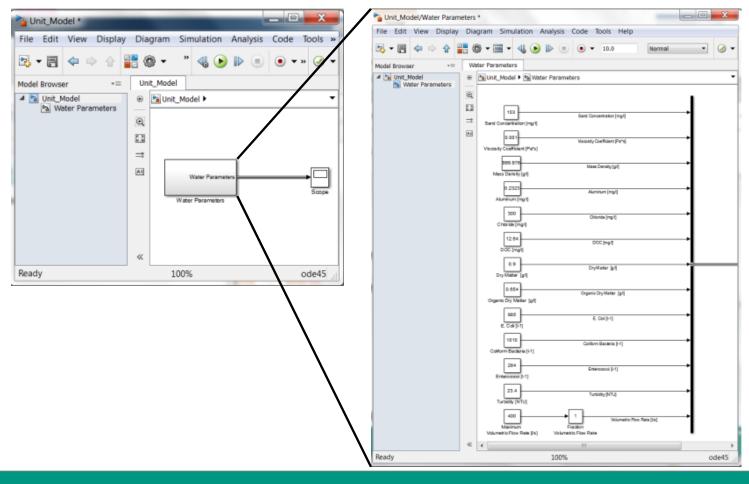
284 I⁻¹

23.4 NTU (Nephelometric Turbidity Unit)

400 l/s



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Modelling Water Parameters: Exercise

- Build a Simulink® model that represents the water parameters described in this unit in a bus.
- Group your function blocks in a subsystem.
- Observe some of the parameters in displays or socpes.