





Toray's Activities towards Saudi Vision 2030



FIRST SUCCESSFUL SWRO REFERENCE IN KHAFJI GULF

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INTRODUCTION - LOCATION



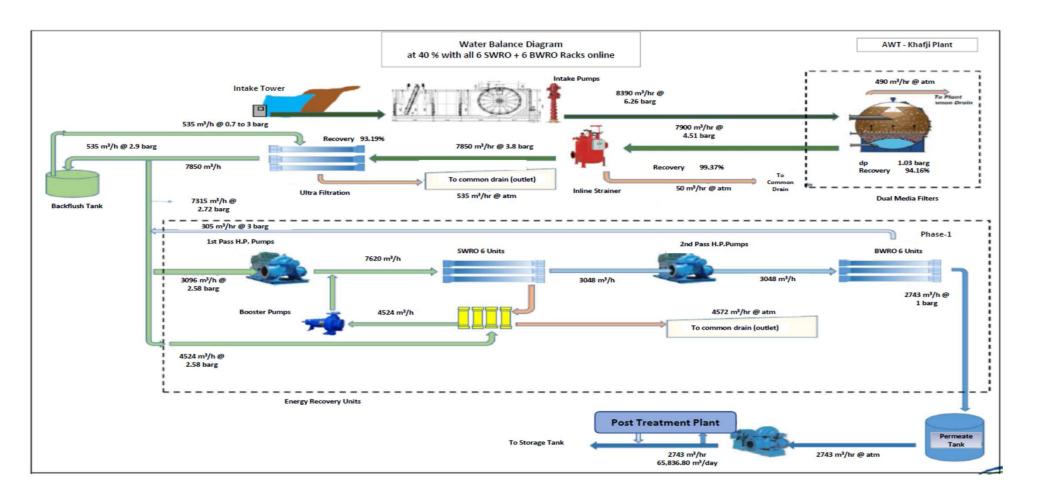


Khafji City

Location 300 km north of Dammam, Saudi Arabia Supplying potable water to Khafji City

INTRODUCTION – PROCESS FLOW









There were many challenges for the operation conditions at Khafji Gulf Sea water plant due to following reasons:

- High Feed Water TDS with Wide Temperature Range.
- Sea Shallowness
- Risk for Red Tide & Jellyfish Activities.



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Description	1st Pass – SWRO	2 nd Pass – BWRO
System permeate flux	12.33 - 13.56 l/m²/h	32.54 l/m²/h
Recovery ratio	40 – 44 %	90 %
Number of trains	6	6
Number of vessels / train	144	Stage-1: 38 Stage-2: 16
Number of elements / vessel	7	7
Membrane model	TM820M-440	TM720D-400
Total number of membrane elements	6048	2268



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RO Feed Water Quality

Description	Unit	Value
Temperature	°C	16 - 40
рН	-	8.0 - 8.3
Calcium	mg/l	520.7
Magnesium	mg/l	1,718
Sodium	mg/l	14,511
Potassium	mg/l	499.9
Chloride	mg/l	26,011
Sulphate	mg/l	3,541
Bicarbonate	mg/l	177.1
Fluoride	mg/l	1.252
Silica	mg/l	0.417
Boron	mg/l	5.5
TDS	mg/l	47,000
SDI (15 mins)	-	< 3.0 (100% of the time)
Turbidity	NTU	< 0.5 (100% of the time)

RO Product Water Quality

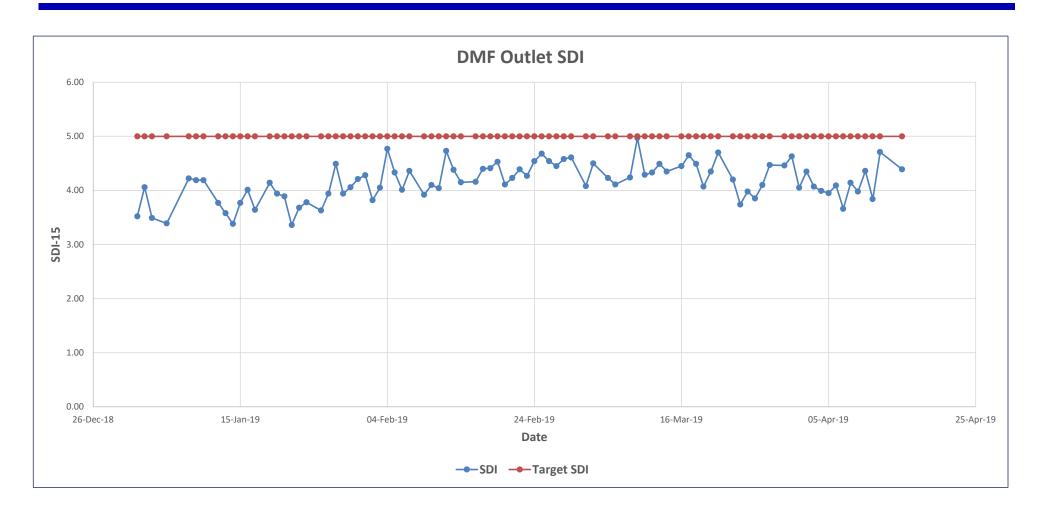
Description	Unit	Value
TDS	mg/l	35
Chloride	mg/l	18
Boron	mg/l	2.4



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DMF WATER QUALITY - SDI



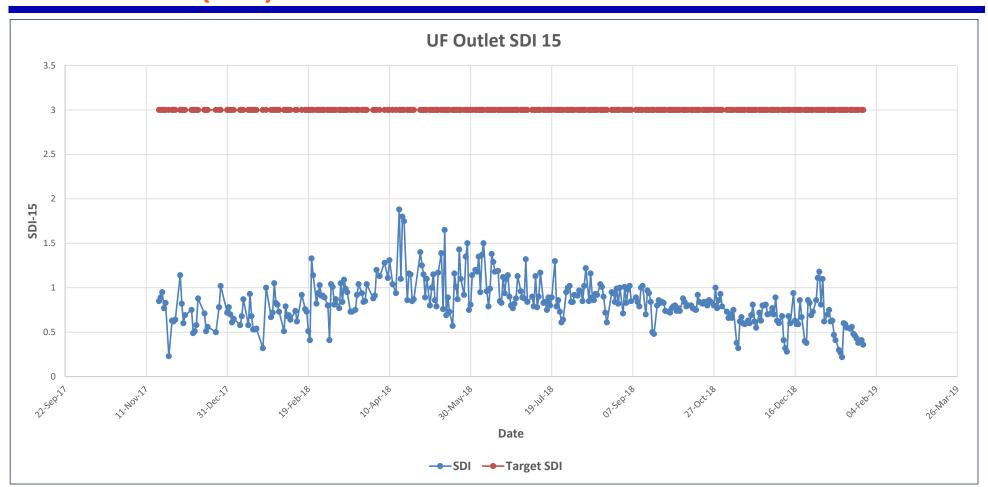




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RO FEED (UF) WATER QUALITY - SDI



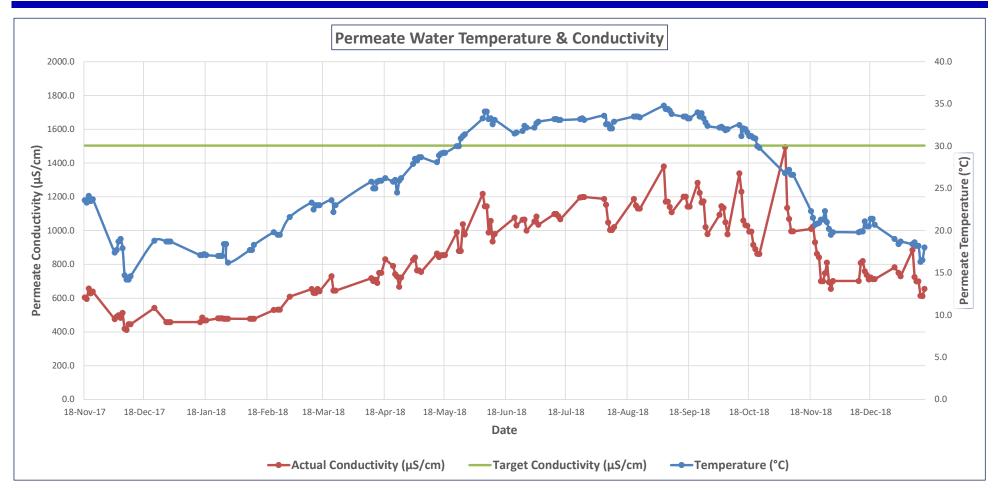




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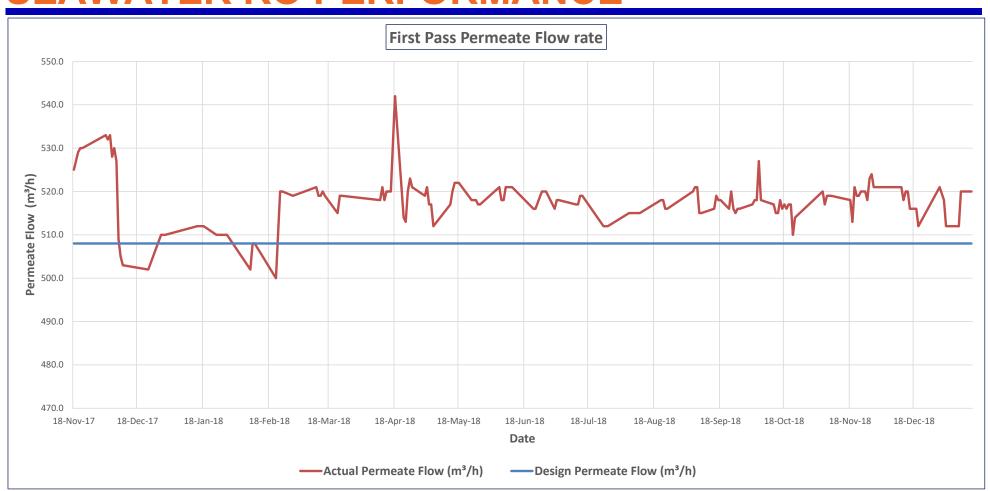
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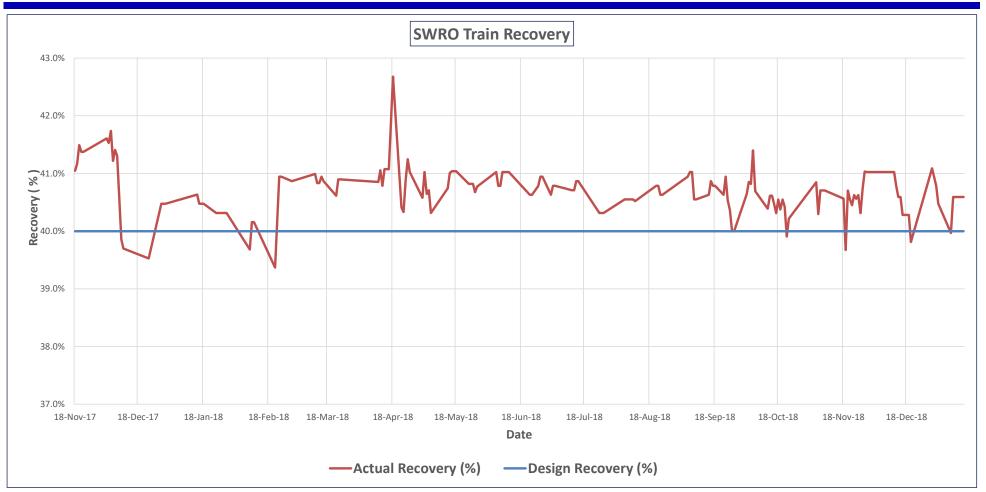
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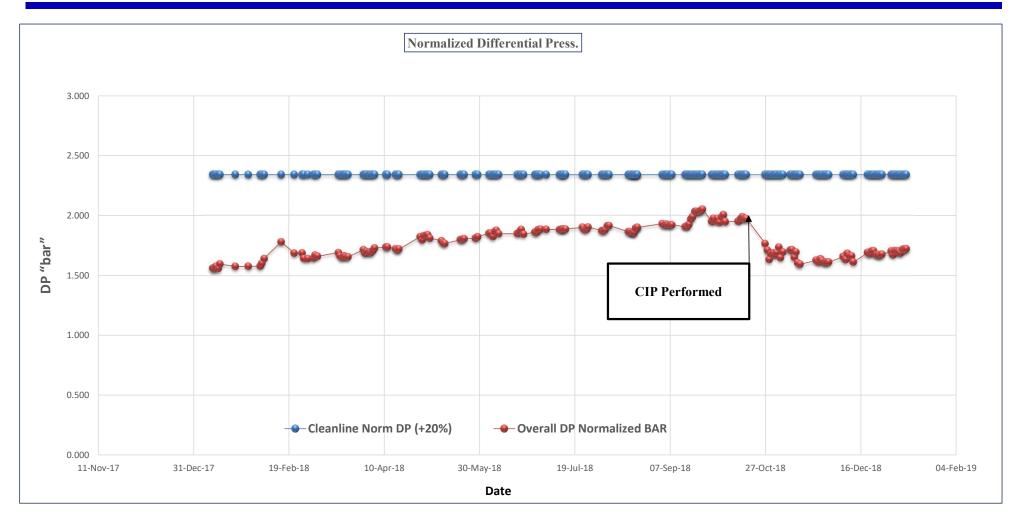
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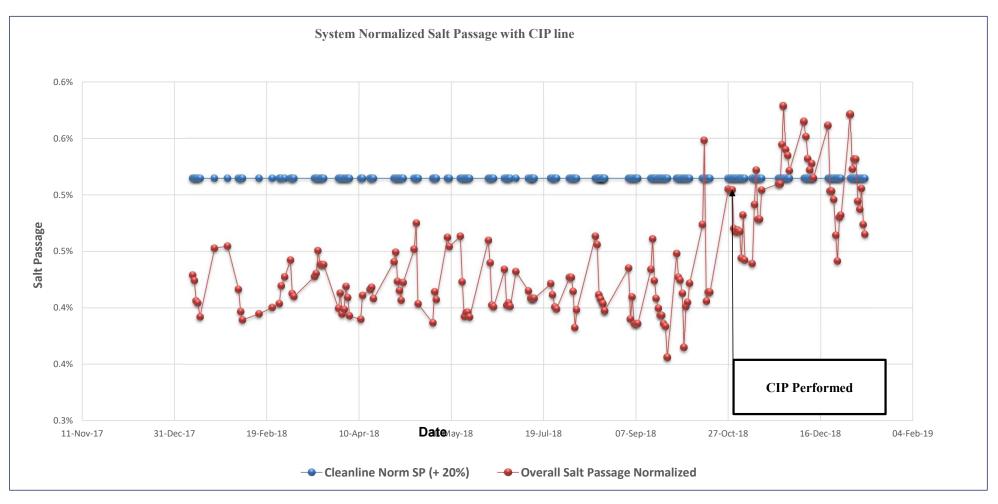
SEAWATER RO PERFORMANCE - NDP CURVE Innovation by Chemistry







SEAWATER RO PERFORMANCE - NSP CURVE





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CONCLUSION



- Al Khafji SWRO is successfully operating for more than one year.
- Even though the operation is not at the full capacity yet due to the low demand, the quality of the 2nd pass permeate water is according to the design parameters (TDS ≤ 35 mg/l, boron ≤ 2.4 mg/l).
- During the first year of plant operation, one Chemical Cleaning (CIP) cycle was performed for each train in the 1st pass unit.
- The steps considered by the operation team in the pretreatment including the intermittent chlorination, periodic sterilization & DMF disinfection (soaking) with chlorine demonstrates significant success to maximize the membrane performance with low CIP frequency.
- This result will be milestone to expand RO (Polyamide membrane) technology in Khafji Gulf.





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