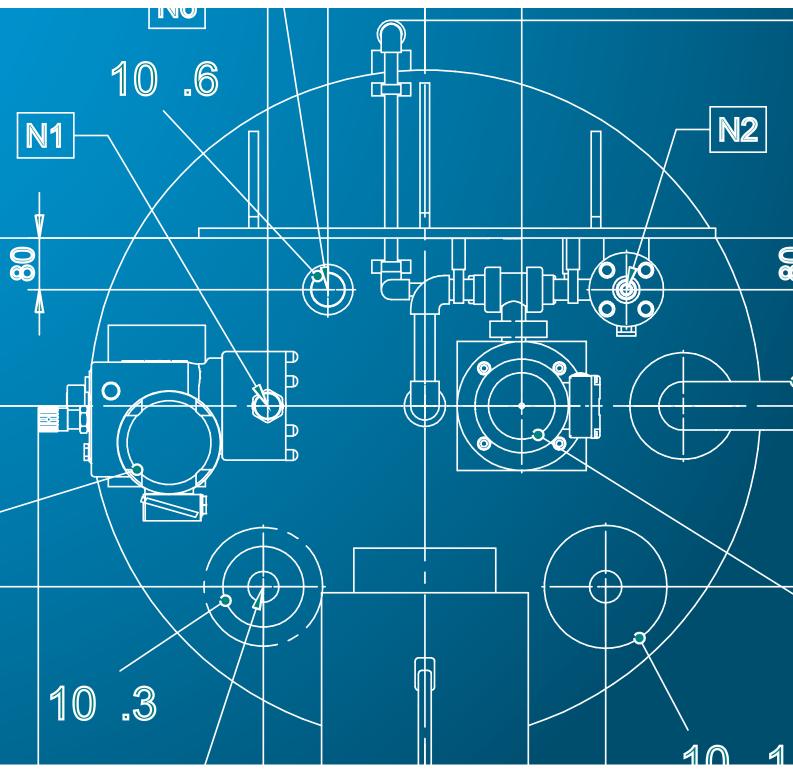


DOSING TECHNOLOGY



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We create added value for people and the environment.

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Our foundation

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Our aim

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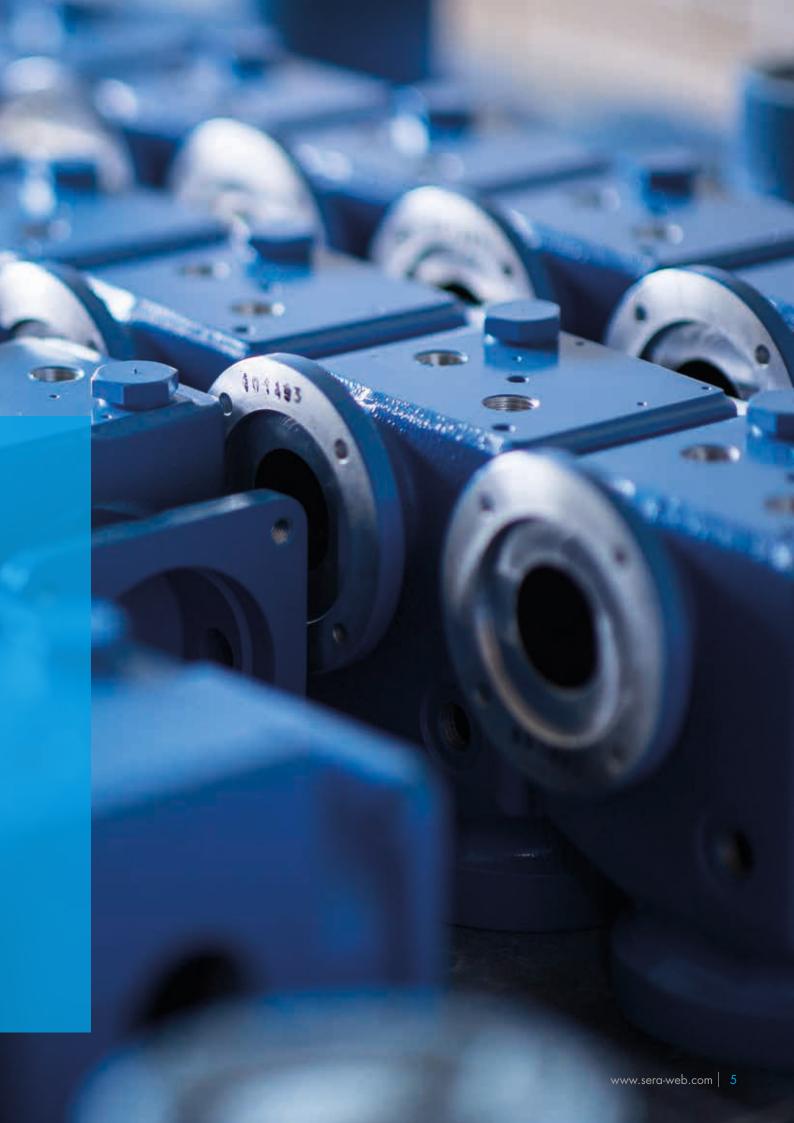
sera is your partner when it comes to developing and implementing customized solutions in the area of dosing technology.

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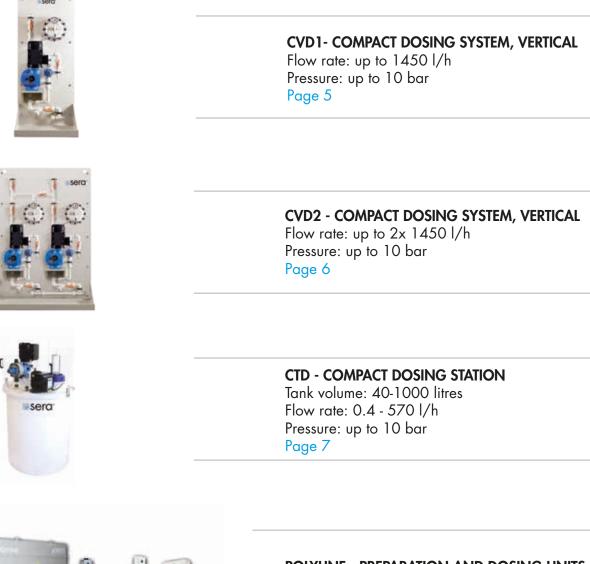
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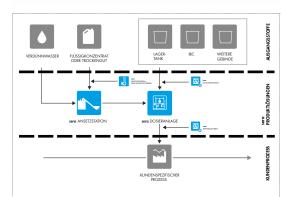
OUR DOSING SYSTEMS AND UNITS -THE BEST SOLUTION FOR YOUR APPLICATION





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COMPACT DOSING UNITS, VERTICAL DESIGN CVD1



The most modern pump technology Standardized mounting plates Space-saving wall mounting Wide range of applications High safety standard Large range of capacity High dosing accuracy Easy to operate Low maintenance Complete range of accessories

TECHNICAL DATA

UNIT DATA		CVD1(s)-60.1	CVD1(s)-550.1	CVD1(s)-1500.1
Flow capacity	l/h	0 - 60	0 - 550	0 - 1500
Permissible counter pressure	bar (max)	10	8	5
Permissible suction head	mWC (max)	3	3	3
Number of pumps	Quantity	1	1	1

BASIC DESIGNS

CVD 1 s

Dosing pump

2-way shut-off valve on the pressure side (Shut off/Emptying) Diaphragm relief valvew

Wall mounting plat made of PP (H=1.000mm, with drip pan)

Piping on pressure side made of PVC-U or PP

Seals made of EPDM or FPM

Connection suction side: External thread of pump's suction valve Connection pressure side: External thread of final shut-off valve

CVD 1

Dosing pump 2-way shut-off valve on the pressure side (Shut off/Emptying) Diaphragm relief valve Wall mounting plat made of PP (H=1.500mm, with drip pan) Piping on pressure side made of PVC-U or PP Seals made of EPDM or FPM

Connection suction side: External thread of pump's suction valve Connection pressure side: External thread of final shut-off valve

COMPACT DOSING UNITS, VERTICAL DESIGN CVD2



The most modern pump technology Standardized mounting plates Space-saving wall mounting Wide range of applications High safety standard Large range of capacity High dosing accuracy Easy to operate Low maintenance Complete range of accessories

TECHNICAL DATA

UNIT DATA		CVD2-60.1	CVD2-550.1	CVD2-1500.1
Flow capacity	l/h	2x 0-60	2x 0-550	2x 0-1500
Permissible counter pressure	bar (max)	10	8	5
Permissible suction head	mWC (max)	3	3	3
Number of pumps	Quantity	2	2	2

BASIC DESIGNS

CVD 2

2x Dosing pump

2-way shut-off valve on the pressure side (Shut off/Emptying) Diaphragm relief valves Wall mounting plat made of PP (H=1.500mm, with drip pan) Piping on pressure side made of PVC-U or PP Seals made of EPDM or FPM

Connection suction side: External thread of pump's suction valve Connection pressure side: External thread of final shut-off valve

COMPACT DOSING STATIONS CTD



TECHNICAL DATA

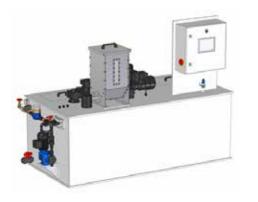
UNIT DATA		CTD						
		40.1	75.1	100.1	200.1	300.1	500.1	1000.1
Tank volume	Litres	40	75	100	200	300	500	1.000
Flow capacity	l/h	0,435	0,4180	0,4180	0,4570	0,4570	0,4570	0,4570
Permissible counterpressure	bar (max)	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Nominal width of suction lance	DN	5	5/10	5/10	5/10/15	5/10/15	5/10/15	5/10/15

BASIC DESIGNS

CTD

Dosing tank (PE-transparent) with litre scale and cover (DIN162) Suction lance with foot valve and sieve Ventilation- / exhaust bow with hose nozzle Brackets for floor mounting

PREPARATION UNIT FOR POLYMERS, POLYLINE FLOW



Fully automatic preparation of organic flocculent aid (pulverized and/or liquid) Process logic control (PLC) Selectable concentration of prepared solution Feeding device Dry material feeder with thermal protection zone Pump for liquid polymer (option) Dissolving water unit Electric agitators Performance graduation that meets the requirements

TECHNICAL DATA

DEFINITION of the types		
PolyLine S	S = solid	for preparation with polymer in powder form
PolyLine L	L = liquid	for preparation with liquid polymer
PolyLine SL	SL = solid/liquid	for preparation with polymer in powder form and/or liquid polymer

UNIT DATA			PolyLine Flow 500	PolyLine Flow 1000	PolyLine Flow 2000	PolyLine Flow 4000	PolyLine Flow 8000
Preparation capacity (at 45 min. maturing time)	l/h		500	1.000	2.000	4.000	8.000
	Weight (empty) kg	S	250	270	300	380	470
Weight (empty)		L	230	240	280	360	450
		SL	270	290	340	410	520

ELECTRICAL DATA

PolyLine Flow ... S/L/SL

Supply voltage		~3/400 V /Hz + N + PE
Power consumption	approx. kW	2,0
Control voltage	V DC	24
Faclours	Control cabinet	IP 54
Enclosure	electr. consumer	IP 55

BASIC DESIGNS

PolyLine Flow S

3-Chamber tank made of PP
Control (PLC) for fully automatic preparation
Dry material feeder (DMF) with hopper, 25 liters
Feeding device
2x electric agitator (low speed)
Level monitoring
Dissolving water unit
Language on display de/en

PolyLine Flow L

3-Chamber tank made of PP Control (PLC) for fully automatic preparation Dosing pump for liquid polymer Feeding device 2x electric agitator (low speed) Level monitoring Dissolving water unit Language on display de/en

PolyLine Flow SL

3-Chamber tank made of PP
Control (PLC) for fully automatic preparation
Dry material feeder (DMF) with hopper, 25 liters
Dosing pump for liquid polymer
Feeding device
2x electric agitator (low speed)
Level monitoring
Dissolving water unit
Language on display de/en

PREPARATION UNIT FOR POLYMERS, POLYLINE SWING



Fully automatic preparation of organic flocculent aid (pulverized and/or liquid) Process logic control (PLC) Selectable concentration of prepared solution Feeding device Dry material feeder with thermal protection zone Pump for liquid polymer (option) Dissolving water unit Electric agitators Performance graduation that meets the requirements

TECHNICAL DATA

DEFINITION of the types		
PolyLine S	S = solid	for preparation with polymer in powder form
PolyLine L	L = liquid	for preparation with liquid polymer
PolyLine SL	SL = solid/liquid	for preparation with polymer in powder form and/or liquid polymer

UNIT DATA			PolyLine Swing 500	PolyLine Swing 1000	PolyLine Swing 2000	PolyLine Swing 4000
Preparation capacity (at 30 min. maturing time)	l/h		500	1.000	2.000	4.000
		S	240	240	280	460
Weight (empty) kg	L	230	230	260	440	
		SL	260	260	295	480

ELECTRICAL DATA

PolyLine Swing ... S/L/SL

Supply voltage		~3/400 V /Hz + N + PE
Power consumption	approx. kW	2,0
Control voltage	V DC	24
Englasses	control cabinet	IP 54
Enclosure	electr. consumer	IP 55

BASIC DESIGNS

PolyLine Swing S

2-Chamber tank made of PP
Control (PLC) for fully automatic preparation
Dry material feeder (DMF) with hopper, 25 liters
Feeding device
2x electric agitator (low speed)
2x Level monitoring
Dissolving water unit
Language on display de/en

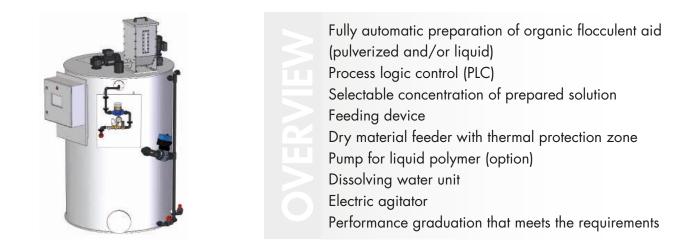
PolyLine Swing L

2-Chamber tank made of PP Control (PLC) for fully automatic preparation Dosing pump for liquid polymer Feeding device 2x electric agitator (low speed) 2x Level monitoring Dissolving water unit Language on display de/en

PolyLine Swing SL

2-Chamber tank made of PP			
Control (PLC) for fully automatic preparation			
Dry material feeder (DMF) with hopper, 25 liters			
Dosing pump for liquid polymer			
Feeding device			
2x electric agitator (low speed)			
2x Level monitoring			
Dissolving water unit			
Language on display de/en			

PREPARATION UNIT FOR POLYMERS, POLYLINE DOUBLE



TECHNICAL DATA

DEFINITION of the types		
PolyLine S	S = solid	for preparation with polymer in powder form
PolyLine L	L = liquid	for preparation with liquid polymer
PolyLine SL	SL = solid/liquid	for preparation with polymer in powder form and/or liquid polymer

UNIT DATA			PolyLine Double 500	PolyLine Double 1000	PolyLine Double 2000
Preparation capacity (at 45 min. maturing time)	l/h		500	1.000	2.000
	kg	S	200	240	325
Weight (empty)		L	160	200	285
		SL	210	250	335

ELECTRICAL DATA		PolyLine Double S/L/SL
Supply voltage		~3/400 V /Hz + N + PE
Power consumption	approx. kW	2,0
Control voltage	V DC	24
Enclosure	control cabinet	IP 54
	electr. consumer	IP 55

BASIC DESIGNS

PolyLine Double S

2-Chamber tank made of PP			
Control (PLC) for fully automatic preparation			
Dry material feeder (DMF) with hopper, 25 liters			
Feeding device			
Electric agitator (low speed)			
Level monitoring			
Dissolving water unit			
Language on display de/en			

PolyLine Double L

2-Chamber tank made of PP Control (PLC) for fully automatic preparation Dosing pump for liquid polymer Feeding device Electric agitator (low speed) Level monitoring Dissolving water unit

Language on display de/en

PolyLine Double SL

2-Chamber tank made of PP			
Control (PLC) for fully automatic preparation			
Dry material feeder (DMF) with hopper, 25 liters			
Dosing pump for liquid polymer			
Feeding device			
Electric agitator (low speed)			
Level monitoring			
Dissolving water unit			
Language on display de/en			

EXAMPLES OF CUSTOMISED SOLUTIONS







DOSING OF H2SO4 96%

- Dosing systems with innovative multiphase motor pumps and flow measurement for maximum precision
- System piping made of stainless steel with stand-by construction and design
- Maximum safety thanks to splash guard, intelligent diaphragm monitoring and operating condition notifications

DOSING OF AMMONIA SOLUTIONS AT POWER PLANTS

- All-in-one dosing station on a gridiron with collecting basin
- Two high-pressure pumps with multilayer diaphragm technology ensure optimal dosing precision
- Stainless steel preparation tank and control cabinet for automatic operation of the systems

CONTAINER FOR DOSING TRISODI-UM PHOSPHATE AT POWER PLANTS

- Two completely assembled dosing systems with collecting basins in one container with double doors
- Location can be determined by customer; easy to retrofit
- Dosing stations with two dosing/ metering pumps each and one preparation pump to ensure optimal availability of chemicals

DOSING PHYTASE

- Complete dosing units with downstream spraying units to supply phytase during pellet production
- Plastic dosing tank with level monitoring and collecting basins
- High dosing accuracy thanks to diaphragm pump with electrical operation via a 4..20mA signal.
- Measures exact dosing quantities with Coriolis flow meter



DOSING OXYGEN BINDERS

- Compact dosing pallet with drip tray and optional splash guard for dosing oxygen binders for steam generators
- Easy plug-and-dose design
- Dosing system with relief valve and pulsation damper for an even flow rate



DOSING SYSTEM FOR DEXTRIN

- Diaphragm pumps with stainless steel heads, 1450l/h capacity, in a stand-by design
- Stainless steel frame construction for floor installation with drip tray and piping in stainless steel
- Pressure manometer and stainless steel pulsation damper for ideal operation



EXAMPLES OF CUSTOMISED SOLUTIONS







DOSING UNIT FOR WASTEWATER TREATMENT IN A CLOSED STAINLESS STEEL SAFETY CABINET

- Closed safety cabinet made of stainless steel for maximum protection against environmental factors
- External suction and pressure connections and cable terminal boxes make up the main electrical interface of the unit
- Two dosing lines with an additional stand-by pump to increase system availability
- Multi-layer diaphragm pump with built-on frequency converter to set variable flow rates
- Pulsation damper to regulate the flow rate and reduce fluctuations in the piping system
- Rinsing and ventilating connections for easy commissioning and safe maintenance of the plant

DOSING CONTAINER FOR AMMONIA WATER

- Dosing container with special coating for saline ambient air
- Climate-control system to keep interior temperatures constant
- Dosing unit for aqueous ammonia with multi-layer diaphragm pumps

PREPARATION AND DOSING UNITS FOR POLYMER SOLUTIONS IN A CLOSED CONTAINER

• Weather-protected and heatinsulated container unit including heating system, lighting and ventilation

- Container contains a 3-chamber polymer continuous flow systems (type: sera PolyLine Flow 2000 S)
- Dry material feeder with smallparts conveyor device and 200-litre storage tank for dry polymer







- Two eccentric worm pumps with frequency converters to inject the polymer solution to the process
- Entire unit features central control cabinet (SPS technology) including customised programming

PUMP OVERVIEW

Solenoid diaphragm pumps max. 351/h, max. 10bar	NEW REODUCTS WILL FOLLOW	SERIES: FEATURES: CONTROL:	204.1 Easy operation, Many features included in standard, Commpact and economic, High quality design Manual, Impulse, Analogue
Diaphragm pumps max. 1450l/h, max. 10bar			

Multi-layer diaphragm pumps max. 12001/h, max. 20bar



Piston diaphragm pumps max. 850l/h, max. 300bar



Piston pumps max. 181/h, max. 140bar





SERIES: FEATURES:

CONTROL:

409.2 Cost-effective high-pressure pump, Very high dosing accuracy, Operational security thanks to leakage nozzles

Manual, Frequency conver ter, Actuator, Control electronics (Impulse, Analogue, External), ProfiBus Feed pumps max. 3.100 l/h, max. 4 bar





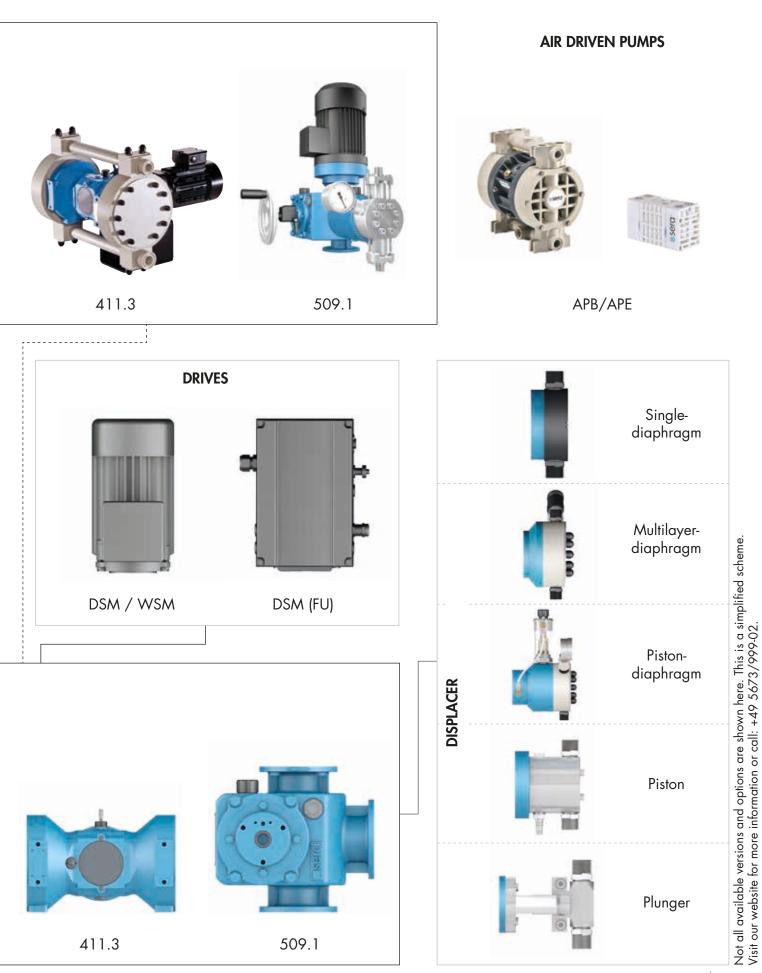




Stepper mo max. 50l/h, n		NEW PRODUCTS SOON	SERIES: FEATURES: CONTROL:	iSTEP Adjustment range 1:1000, Batch dispensing with recipe storage, Week-/Daytimer, Diaphragm monitoring, Service indicator, Intuitive and easy to use Manual, Control electro- nics (Impulse, Analogue, External), ProfiBus
			SERIES: FEATURES: CONTROL:	409.2 / 410.2 High operational security, Complete leakage-free, Safe to run dry and self- priming, Cost-effective, max. 5 heads up to 7.500 I/h, CIP design Manual, Frequency conver ter, Actuator, Control elec- tronics (Impulse, Analogue, External), ProfiBus
			SERIES: FEATURES:	409.2 / 410.2 Very high operational securi- ty, Diaphragm service life up to 10.000 h,* Diaphragm monitoring, max. 5 heads up to 6.000 l/h, up to 100°C (fluid temp.) Manual, Frequency conver ter, Actuator, Control elec- tronics (Impulse, Analogue, External), ProfiBus
			SERIES: FEATURES:	409.2 / 410.2 / 509.1 Very high operational securi- ty, Diaphragm service life up to 10.000 h,* Diaphragm monitoring, max. 5 heads up to 4.000 I/h Manual, Frequency conver ter, Actuator, Control elect ronics (Impulse, Analogue, External), ProfiBus
SERIES: DISPLACER: FEATURES: CONTROL:	411.3 Single-diaphragm low-maintenance trans- fer pump, up to 8m WC, Easy handling, Leakage-free, Unlimi ted safe to run dry and selfpriming Manual, Frequency converter	Air driven diaphragm pumps max. 50m³/h, max. 7bar	SERIES: FEATURES: CONTROL:	APB / APE Low-maintenance, Safe to run dry, Overrange protected By compressed air

MODULAR SYSTEM





SOLENOID DIAPHRAGM PUMPS -FOR SIMPLE DOSING TASKS Operating range up to max. 10 bar / 35 l/h

Solenoid diaphragm pumps of the 204.1 series are electronically controlled, versatile dosing pumps for maximum operational reliability in a robust industrial design. The pump is easy to operate and has an output range of 0.4 l/h to 35 l/h at pressures up to 10 bar.

SAMPLE APPLICATIONS

For exact, process-dependent dosing of slightly outgassing media in all areas of industry.

OPTIONAL DESIGNS

• PROFIBUS DP - interface - optional

ADVANTAGES AT A GLANCE

- Directly controllable
- PROFIBUS DP interface optional
- High dosing accuracy
- Long diaphragm service life
- High-grade materials
- Linear control characteristics
- Low-maintenance
- Low operating costs
- Leakage-free
- Can be run dry indefinitely
- Easy to use
- Low weight



DESIGNS

MATERIALS

The high quality of the materials guarantees longterm, operationally reliable use. The right material is available to meet every need.

PUMP BODIES AND VALVES

PVC, PP, PVDF, 1.4571, PP-GFK, PVDF-GFK

VALVE BALLS

PTFE, 1.4401, Al₂O₃

VALVE SEALS EPDM, FPM, FEP-coated, FFKM

WORKING DIAPHRAGM PTFE-faced

MANUAL VENT VALVE PP-FRP, PVDF-FRP

DRIVE

The drive unit of the **sera** solenoid diaphragm pumps consists of a powerful lifting magnet in a strong plastic housing. The non-turning lifting magnet is equipped with a thermal overload protection device.

ACCESSORIES

- Flow controller
- Flow meter
- PROFIBUS components

We supply all accessories required for the optimal installation of dosing pumps, including relief valves, loading valves, pulsation dampers, dosing valves, dosing tanks, flow monitors etc.



- 1 Drive solenoid
- 2 Pressure valve
- **3** Vent valve
- 4 Pump body
- 5 Diaphragm
- 6 Suction valve

MULTIPHASE MOTOR PUMPS -FOR CHALLENGING DOSING TASKS Operating range up to max. 10 bar / 50 l/h

The **sera** iSTEP multiphase motor dosing pump combines an intelligent drive concept with the accuracy of a diaphragm dosing pump and sets new standards in terms of reproducibility and reliability. Thanks to the variable frequency control and an output range of 20 ml/h...50 l/h at 10...3 bar, the possible applications are almost unlimited. It is intuitive to use, durable and particularly suited for demanding dosing tasks.

SAMPLE APPLICATIONS

- Chlorine dosing for treatment of drinking water
- Flocculating agent dosing in sewage treatment
- Dosing of flocculant aids
- CIP applications

INPUTS & OUTPUTS

- 3 inputs programmable as 3x digital inputs
 - 2x analogue inputs 0/4...20mA
- 2 digital outputs
- 1 analogue output for 0/4...20mA signal
- All inputs and outputs are freely configurable

ADVANTAGES AT A GLANCE

- Extremely large output range with just one pump
- Adjustment range 1:1000, can therefore be adjusted optimally
- Low-pulsation dosing
- Microprocessor-controlled drive
- Remote design
- Energy-efficient drive technology (low annual energy costs)
- Batch dosing and recipe storage
- Intuitive menu control including configuration
- Pulse scaling
- Day/timer function with 10 storage slots
- Low chemical consumption thanks to high dosing accuracy
- Slow mode for viscous substances



DESIGNS

MATERIALS

The high quality of the materials guarantees longterm, operationally reliable use. The right material is available to meet every need.

PUMP BODIES AND VALVES

PVC, PP-FRP, PVDF, 1.4571, 1.4435

VALVE BALLS PTFE, 1.4401

VALVE SEALS EPDM, FPM, FEP-coated

WORKING DIAPHRAGM

PTFE-faced

DRIVE

The drive unit of the iSTEP consists of a multiphase motor, coupled to a precise eccentric drive in a strong plastic housing. **sera** housings and base rings cope with any requirements and can, for example, withstand chemical attack because of the material they are made from.

CONTROL

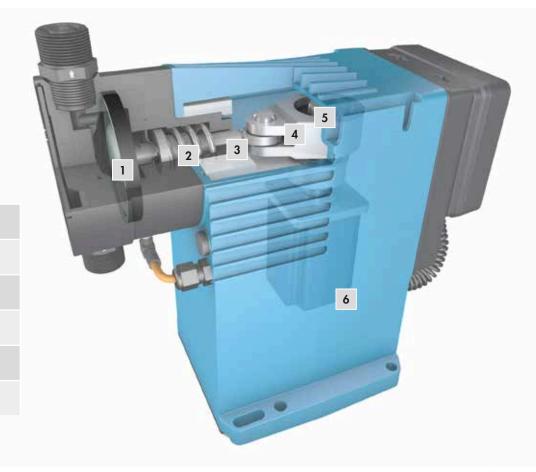
The flow rate of the **sera** multiphase motor pumps can be controlled continuously by hand or by means of signals. An adjustment range of 1:1000 can be covered in this way. The stroke speed is used as the control mechanism.

SPECIAL DESIGNS

We offer individual solutions for special dosing tasks, including spring-loaded valves, triclamp connection and integration into a PROFIBUS/PROFINET network with the INTERFACE MODULE.

ACCESSORIES

We supply all accessories required for the optimal installation of dosing pumps, including relief valves, loading valves, pulsation dampers, dosing valves, dosing tanks, flow monitors etc.



- 1 Diaphragm
- 2 Pressure spring
- **3** Connection rod
- 4 Driving rod
- 5 Eccentric shaft
- 6 Multiphase motor

DIAPHRAGM PUMPS -THE ALLROUNDERS Operating range up to max. 10 bar / 1450 l/h

sera diaphragm pumps are oscillating positive displacement pumps for dosing liquids. The medium to be conveyed is separated from the drive by a diaphragm. It is therefore protected from the damaging effects of the medium. They are used wherever leak-free and precise dosing is important, as with corrosive, malodorous, abrasive, flammable, viscous or toxic media. The flow rate is adjusted by stroke frequency adjustment by means of an externally fitted frequency converter or control electronics (C-variant) and manual stroke length adjustment for optimal adjustment to any requirements.

SAMPLE APPLICATIONS

- Beverage industry
- Food industry
- Dye and paint manufacturing
- Power station technology
- Water treatment
- Shipbuilding
- Electroplating
- Textile industry
- Wastewater treatment

AUTOMATIC FLOW RATE ADJUSTMENT

- Three-phase motors suitable for use with an external frequency converter to adjust the stroke frequency
- Actuators with positioning controllers for automatic stroke length adjustment
- C-design with control electronics
- Three-phase motors with fitted frequency converter

ADVANTAGES AT A GLANCE

- High dosing accuracy
- Long diaphragm service life
- Linear control characteristics
- Leakage-free
- Low-maintenance
- ATEX-compliant designs available (not in stock)
- Can be run dry indefinitely
- Usable for larger suction heights

OPTIONAL DESIGNS

- Diaphragm monitoring
- Controllable variants
- Stroke frequency sensor





DESIGNS

MATERIALS

The high quality of the materials guarantees longterm, operationally reliable use. The right material is available to meet every need.

PUMP BODIES AND VALVES

PP, PVC-U, PVDF, PP-FRP, PVDF-FRP, 1.4571

VALVE BALLS

PTFE, 1.4401

VALVE SEALS FPM, EPDM, FEP-coated

WORKING DIAPHRAGM

PTFE-faced, EPDM, FPM

MANUAL VENT VALVE (2.4e)

PP-FRP, PVDF-FRP

DRIVE

Each drive unit consists of a proven motor model, coupled with a stroke mechanism in a robust motor housing.

sera housings can cope with even the harshest conditions. Their material thickness and surface treatment can even withstand chemical attacks. The flow rate can be constant or controlled continuously. In the controllable design, this is achieved manually by adjustment of the stroke length. Automatic flow rate adjustment can be carried out by means of the following options:

- Three-phase motors suitable for use with an external frequency converter to adjust the stroke frequency
- Three-phase motors with integrated frequency converter
- Integrated control electronics
- Actuators with positioning controllers for automatic stroke length adjustment

SPECIAL DESIGNS

We offer individual solutions for special dosing tasks:

These include pump bodies with special nominal widths, double valve designs and with springloading, with elastic ball seats, flushing devices for interval or final flushing to prevent sediments in pump bodies, integration of stroke encoders, diaphragm rupture monitoring, special materials such as titanium or Hastelloy, CIP design.

ACCESSORIES

We supply all accessories required for the optimal installation of dosing pumps, including relief valves, loading valves, pulsation dampers, dosing valves, dosing tanks, flow monitors etc.

- 1 Return spring
- 2 Connection rod plate
- 3 Eccentric shaft
- 4 Adjusting spindle
- 5 Setting wheel



MULTI-LAYER DIAPHRAGM PUMPS MAXIMUM PROCESS RELIABILITY Operating range up to max. 20 bar / 1440 l/h

sera multi-layer diaphragm pumps work according to the same functional principle as conventional diaphragm pumps, i.e. the diaphragm is oscillated mechanically by means of a connection rod and as a result, the dosing medium is moved.

SAMPLE APPLICATIONS

- Cleaning in place (CIP)
- Wastewater treatment
- Exhaust gas treatment
- Process industry
- Ex areas
- Chemical industry

MULTI-LAYER DIAPHRAGMS

Complex dosing tasks as far as technical safety is concerned can be completed by using multi-layer diaphragms. The greater safety requirements are taken into account by the significantly longer diaphragm service life compared to single-layer diaphragms and diaphragm monitoring (pressure switches, manometers, etc.).

MULTI-LAYER DIAPHRAGM PACKAGE

This consists of three PTFE diaphragms. This concept with diaphragm monitoring as standard ensures that there are absolutely no leaks if the working diaphragm is damaged. Damage to the working diaphragm does not result in direct dosing pump failure.

ADVANTAGES AT A GLANCE

- High operational reliability thanks to the multi-layer diaphragm technology
- Diaphragm status display via integrated diaphragm monitoring system (optical as standard/electrical available as an option)
- Outstanding suction properties with no additional components
- Can be used in areas with explosion protection with optional equipment variants
- Also suitable for higher medium temperatures and higher pressures

CONTROLLABLE VARIANTS

- Future-proof pump concept with integrated, multi-functional control electronics
- Easy commissioning with "Plug&Dose"
- High reliability with viscous media thanks to slow mode technology





DESIGNS

MATERIALS

The high quality of the materials guarantees longterm, operationally reliable use. The right material is available to meet every need.

PUMP BODIES AND VALVES

PVC, PP, PVDF, 1.4571, PP-FRP, PVDF-FRP,

VALVE BALLS

PTFE, 1.4401, Hastelloy

VALVE SEALS

EPDM, FPM, FEP-coated

WORKING DIAPHRAGM

PTFE (3-ply)

DRIVE

Each drive unit consists of a proven motor model, coupled with a stroke mechanism in a robust housing.

sera housings can cope with even the harshest conditions. Their material thickness and surface treatment can even withstand chemical attacks.

CONTROL

The flow rate of the **sera** multi-layer diaphragm pump can be controlled constantly or continuously.

- Three-phase motors suitable for use with an external frequency converter to adjust the stroke frequency
- Three-phase motors with integrated frequency converter
- Integrated control electronics
- Actuators with positioning controllers for automatic stroke length adjustment

SPECIAL DESIGNS

We offer individual solutions for special dosing tasks:

These include double valves, valves with spring loading, integrated stroke encoders, electric actuators.

We also offer special materials such as titanium or Hastelloy.

ACCESSORIES

We supply all accessories required for optimal installation of dosing pumps, including relief valves, loading valves, pulsation dampers, dosing valves, dosing tanks, flow monitors etc.



- 1 Stroke mechanism
- 2 Connection rod

Multi-layer diaphragm package:

- Working diaphragm
- Signal diaphragmProtective diaphragm
- Diaphragm monitoring by • manometer
 - pressure switch
- 5 Pump body

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6 Suction valve

PISTON DIAPHRAGM PUMPS VERSATILE APPLICATION Operating range up to max. 80 bar / 1020 l/h

The stroke movement of the mechanically controlled piston is transmitted to the multi-layer diaphragms hydraulically. An integrated compensating valve guarantees exceptional dosing accuracy and offers optimal overload protection: If the counterpressure is excessive, the hydraulic fluid can escape into the compensating valve.

SAMPLE APPLICATIONS

- Power station technology
- Drinking water treatment
- Wastewater treatment
- Brewery technology

MULTI-LAYER DIAPHRAGMS

Complex dosing tasks as far as technical safety is concerned can be completed by using multi-layer diaphragms, as the diaphragm rupture monitoring system (pressure switch, manometer, etc.) takes account of the greater safety requirements. The diaphragm service life is also significantly longer than single-layer diaphragms. A rupture in the diaphragm does not lead directly to failure of the dosing pump.

ADVANTAGES AT A GLANCE

- High operational reliability thanks to the multi-layer diaphragm technology
- Diaphragm status display via integrated diaphragm monitoring system (optical as standard/electrical available as an option)
- Outstanding suction properties with no additional components
- Can be used in areas with explosion protection with optional equipment variants
- High pressures with piston diaphragm technology
- Integrated overpressure protection with relief valve in the hydraulic space

ADVANTAGES OF CONTROLLABLE VARIANTS

- Future-proof pump concept with integrated, multi-functional control electronics
- Easy commissioning with "Plug&Dose"
- High reliability with viscous media thanks to slow mode technology





DESIGNS

MATERIALS

The high quality of the materials guarantees longterm, operationally reliable use. The right material is available to meet every need.

PUMP BODIES AND VALVES

PVC, PP, PVDF, 1.4571, PP-FRP, PVDF-FRP,

VALVE BALLS

PTFE, 1.4401

VALVE SEALS

EPDM, FPM, FEP-coated

WORKING DIAPHRAGM

PTFE (3-ply)

DRIVE

Each drive unit consists of a proven motor model, coupled with a stroke mechanism in a robust motor housing.

sera housings can cope with even the harshest conditions. Their material thickness and surface treatment can even withstand chemical attack.

CONTROL

The flow rate of the sera piston diaphragm pump can be constant or continuously controlled. Manual flow rate adjustment by:

- Stroke length adjustment

Automatic flow rate adjustment, depending on analogue or digital input signals, with:

- Three-phase motors with frequency converter for stroke frequency adjustment
- Actuators with positioning controllers for stroke length adjustment
- C-variant

SPECIAL DESIGNS

We offer individual solutions for special dosing tasks:

These include double valves, valves with spring loading, integrated stroke encoders, electric actuators. We also offer a model for explosive areas and special materials such as titanium or Hastelloy.

ACCESSORIES

We supply all accessories required for optimal installation of dosing pumps, including relief valves, loading valves, pulsation dampers, dosing valves, dosing tanks, flow monitors etc.



Pump body

- Diaphragm monitoring by manometer
 pressure switch 2

Multi-layer diaphragm package:

- Working diaphragm • Signal diaphragm
- Protective diaphragm
- 4 Hydraulic compensating valve
- 5 Piston

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- Stroke mechanism 6
- 7 Suction valve
- Pressure valve 8

PROCESS PUMPS -LARGE OUTPUT RANGES Operating range up to max. 300 bar / 89 l/h

sera 509.1 KM piston diaphragm pumps transmit the stroke movement of the mechanically controlled piston to the multi-layer diaphragms hydraulically. An integrated compensating valve guarantees outstanding dosing accuracy and optimal overload protection. The capacity can be adjusted via the stroke length using an eccentric adjuster. The capacity can also be adjusted via a speed control system with an external frequency converter.

SAMPLE APPLICATIONS

- Oil & gas industry
- Refineries
- Petrochemicals
- Chemicals
- Power station technology
- Energy
- Pharmaceuticals & cosmetics

AUTOMATIC FLOW RATE ADJUSTMENT

- Three-phase motors suitable for use with an external frequency converter to adjust the stroke frequency
- Actuators with positioning controllers for automatic stroke length adjustment
- Three-phase motors with integrated frequency converter

ADVANTAGES AT A GLANCE

- High dosing accuracy
- Counter pressure up to 300 bar
- Overload protection with integrated hydraulic valve
- High process reliability thanks to multi-layer diaphragms
- Diaphragm status display via integrated diaphragm monitoring system
- CE and EAC conformity certificates

OPTIONAL DESIGNS

- ATEX-compliant design
- API 675 standard





DESIGNS

MATERIALS

The materials used are suitable for almost any requirements and guarantee reliable continuous operation.

PUMP BODIES AND VALVES

VALVE BALLS

1.4401

VALVE SEALS

FPM, FFKM

WORKING DIAPHRAGM

PTFE (3-ply)

DRIVE

Each drive unit consists of a proven motor model, coupled with a stroke mechanism in a robust housing.

sera housings can cope with even the harshest conditions. Their material thickness and surface treatment can even withstand chemical attack.

CONTROLS

The flow rate can be constant or controlled continuously.

Manual flow rate adjustment by:

- Stroke length adjustment by means of a variable eccentric
- Reproducibility +/- 1% at 10 100% stroke length

Automatic flow rate adjustment, depending on analogue input signals, with:

- Three-phase motors suitable for use with an external frequency converter to adjust the stroke frequency
- Actuators with positioning controllers for automatic stroke length adjustment
- Three-phase motors with integrated frequency converter

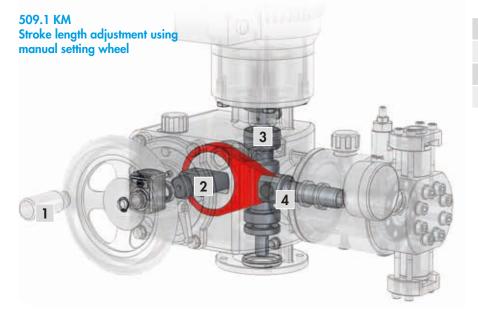
SPECIAL DESIGNS

We offer individual solutions for special dosing tasks:

duplex or triplex designs

ACCESSORIES

We supply all accessories required for optimal installation of dosing pumps, including relief valves, loading valves, pulsation dampers, dosing valves, dosing tanks, flow monitors etc.



- Setting wheel
- 2 Eccentric shaft
- **3** Drive shaft
- 4 Piston

PISTON PUMP -FOR HIGH PRESSURE Operating range up to max. 140 bar / 22 l/h

The 409.2 - K is versatile in its application and extremely reliable despite its high pressure range. With low-wear components, hardly any maintenance work is required and the familiar quality and reliability is impressive.

SAMPLE APPLICATIONS

- Water treatment
- Food/drinks industry
- Chemical industry, petrochemicals, gas, refineries
- Power station technology
- Pharmaceuticals

ADVANTAGES AT A GLANCE

- Large pressure range
- High operational reliability
- Easy commissioning
- Extended operating range
- Robust design

PERFORMANCE FEATURES

- High pressure range with counter pressure up to 140 bar
- High operational reliability thanks to leakage nozzles and optional flushing nozzles
- Little maintenance work thanks to lowwear components
- Stroke mechanism in spring-cam drive design
- Linear/continuous adjustment of the stroke length from 0...100%, display of stroke length adjustment in standard design, manual stroke length adjustment
- Can be operated with frequency converter (RF design)







DESIGNS

MATERIALS

The high quality of the materials guarantees longterm, operationally reliable use. The high-quality stainless steel pump body withstands almost any pressure.

PUMP BODIES AND VALVES

1.4122V and 1.4571

VALVE BALLS

1.4401

VALVE SEALS EPDM, FPM, FEP-coated

PISTON

1.4571

PISTON SEAL

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DRIVE

Each drive unit consists of a proven motor model, coupled with a stroke mechanism in a robust motor housing.

sera housings can cope with even the harshest conditions. Their material thickness and surface treatment can even withstand chemical attacks.

CONTROL

The flow rate of the sera piston pumps can be controlled constantly or continuously.

- Manual flow rate adjustment by:
- Stroke length adjustment

Automatic flow rate adjustment, depending on ana-Induction of the second seco

- stroke frequency adjustment
- Actuators with positioning controllers for stroke • length adjustment

SPECIAL DESIGNS

We offer individual solutions for special dosing tasks:

These include flushing nozzles for flushing the leakage area, integrated stroke encoders, electric actuators.

ACCESSORIES

We supply all accessories required for optimal installation of dosing pumps, including relief valves, loading valves, pulsation dampers, dosing valves, dosing tanks, flow monitors etc.

AIR OPERATED AIR DIAPHRAGM PUMPS Operating range up to max. 7 bar / 850 l/min

sera air operated diaphragm pumps are cost-effective, leakage-free positive displacement pumps. They have two diaphragms linked by a connecting rod. Compressed air is supplied alternately to the air chambers behind the diaphragms through an air control valve, so that one diaphragm is pushed forward while the other is pulled back (pressure/suction stroke). The special design of the air control valve ensures that the pumps can always be started up safely and there are no inconvenient downtimes. The valve balls open and close with the stroke rhythm of the diaphragms.

SAMPLE APPLICATIONS

- Food and Beverage industry
- Shipbuilding
- Electroplating
- Dye and paint manufacturing
- Textile industry
- Power stations
- Chemical intake systems

ADVANTAGES AT A GLANCE

- Available from stock
- Long service life
- Inexpensive
- Leakage-free
- Overpressure protection
- ATEX-compliant designs available (not in stock)
- Can be run dry

DESIGNS

MATERIALS

The high quality of the materials guarantees long-term, operationally reliable use. The right material is available to meet every need.

PUMP BODIES AND VALVES

PP, PP-CFK, ECTFE, PVDF, AISI 316

VALVE BALLS

Glass, PTFE, AISI 316

VALVE SEALS

FPM, EPDM, PTFE

WORKING DIAPHRAGM NBR/PTFE, Santo-PTFE

ACCESSORIES

- MPD series pulsation dampers Compressed air supply units •
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FEEDING PUMPS Operating range up to max. 4 bar / 3100 l/min

sera feeding pumps in the ZXM 411.3 and ZXRI 411.3 ranges are oscillating positive displacement pumps for conveying and dosing liquids in all areas of industry.

SAMPLE APPLICATIONS

- Drinks industry
- Shipbuilding
- Food industry
- Electroplating
- Dye and paint manufacturing
- Textile industry
- Power stations
- Chemical intake systems

PERFORMANCE FEATURES

- High dosing accuracy
- High-grade materials
- Linear control characteristics (ZRXI models)
- Low-maintenance
- Low operating costs
- Leakage-free
- Can be run dry indefinitely
- Easy to use
- Design in accordance with ATEX



DESIGNS

MATERIALS

The high quality of the materials guarantees longterm, operationally reliable use. The right material is available to meet every need.

PUMP BODIES AND VALVES PVC, PP, PVDF, 1.4571

VALVE BALLS

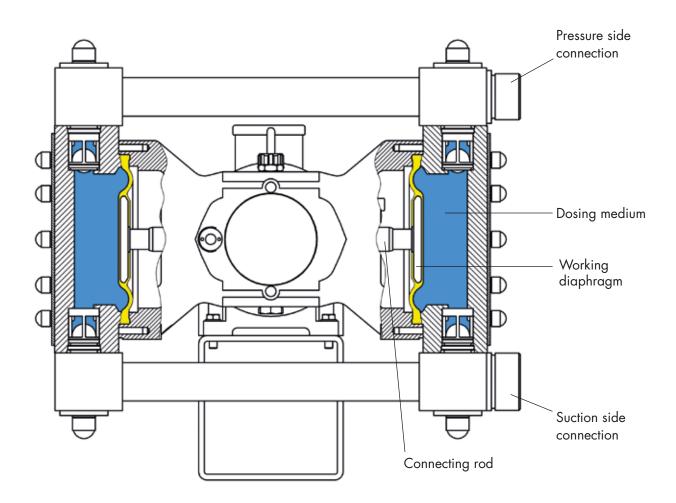
PTFE, 1.4401, Hastelloy

VALVE SEALS EPDM, FPM, FEP-coated

WORKING DIAPHRAGM PTFE-laminated

ACCESSORIES

We supply all accessories required for optimal installation of dosing pumps, including valves, pulsation dampers, dosing valves, dosing tanks, flow monitors etc.



PROCESS MEASURING AND CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

As a system provider, **sera** offers customised complete dosing systems ("turn key systems") alongside its standard dosing systems and components, which are perfectly tailored to the specific customer requirements with extensive process measuring and control technology.

The **sera** service portfolio ranges from engineering, via programming, system assembly and inspection, to worldwide on-site installation and commissioning – all from a single source.

Thanks to the latest flow rate, fill level and measuring and control technology, all process parameters are monitored, evaluated and controlled directly in the dosing system or from a control centre, as required. Efficient use of chemicals is therefore guaranteed at all times (e.g. during mixing and preparation). Communication between the controller and control system can take place by the conventional route, using analogue signals and floating contacts for example, or via on-site PLC and network connections for complex and sophisticated systems. All systems meet the latest VDI guidelines and European standards.







THE RIGHT ACCESSORIES FOR EVERY APPLICATION

sera offers an extensive range of dosing fittings and accessories for a wide variety of process tasks and system peripherals. Our range is available in a variety of materials and designs to maximise the operational reliability of the dosing units and systems for the application concerned.

sera pulsation dampers are approved and certified in accordance with the Pressure Equipment Directive (2014/68/EU).

The **sera** fittings and accessories range includes:

- Dosing, check and foot valves
- Pressure relief and loading valves
- Multifunctional valves
- Suction lances
- Pulsation dampers
- Ball cocks
- Multifunction devices
- Calibration pots
- Injection fittings

- Line strainers
- Connectors
- Dosing hoses
- Dosing tanks
- Collecting basins
- Mixers and agitators
- Pressure gauges
- Dry material feeders
- Absorption vessels
- Measurement and control sensors

EFFICIENT SERVICES ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD

From planning, via commissioning of systems, through to a fast and straightforward worldwide device replacement service, **sera** offers support in all project phases. Our aim is to ensure that our customers continue to achieve the production results they are looking for with our systems, dosing units and pumps after commissioning is complete. High availability of the system with a minimum of system downtimes is essential to ensure this. To this end, **sera** offers a wide range of services, from technical support, via a spare parts service, to a repair service.

SERVICING & MAINTENANCE SERVICE

sera systems are serviced and maintained by experienced service technicians in order to avoid shutdowns. We offer an extensive range of service contracts, tailored to customer requirements. Early detection of possible causes of faults allows unexpected system shutdowns to be eliminated almost completely.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT

Whether it's for questions relating to **sera** products, help with system design or a solution for a specific requirement – our experienced, well-qualified **sera** service team will be happy to help.

CUSTOMER TRAINING COURSES

sera training courses are held at **sera's** headquarters in Immenhausen or, on request, on our customers' premises, and can be customer or application-based. You can find specific information about the current course dates in the Service section of our website.

ASSEMBLY & COMMISSIONING

Our trained **sera** service technicians are available for assembly and commissioning work. On request, assembly can also be carried out by the customer's technical personnel under the guidance of a **sera** service technician. In this way, the customer's technical staff become familiar with handling the new system in a very short time.

SPARE PARTS & REPAIR SERVICE

Quality, ease of servicing and durability can be taken for granted with our products.

But if a spare or replacement part is needed, our spare parts service can deliver the part required quickly, as we have the majority of our spare parts in stock.

If the entire pump is defective, it can either be sent for repair or a qualified **sera**service technician will come to you and repair it on site.

SERVICING OF NETZSCH PUMPS

We now also service eccentric worm pumps made by our partner Netzsch. Our experienced, well-qualified **sera** service team will be happy to help.









sera PLATO APP

Planning can be this easy

With the unique **sera** PLATO APP, which is available free of charge, **sera** offers all technical managers and planners of industrial and public effluent and sewage works an easy, cross-platform tool for configuration and technical specification of dosing systems for flocculating agents.

With just a few mouse clicks, the user can draw up perfect solutions for the process to be planned thanks to the intuitive user guidance and extensive help options. The tendering text can be saved in project folders or exported as a TXT, PDE, Word or GEAB file.

All information accessible immediately

The QR codes make service easier for the user. By scanning the code, which is unique to the servicenumber, with an appropriate QR code reader on a smart phone or tablet, the user is taken directly to the sera service portal, where the following information is available to download:

- Service contact
- Operating manual(s)
- Product information
- Article text
- Data sheets

WASTEWATER SOLUTIONS

We provide an extensive product range so that the best possible solutions for each step of the process are always available. Here are some examples of our product range for a typical wastewater treatment process:

1 CONTAINER STATION

Dosing of bivalent metal salts for the elimination of hydrogen sulphide (H_2S)

DOSING STATION DAV4

 Dosing of carbon sources for denitrification, e.g. methanol, acetic acid, glycol

3 MOBILE DOSING STATION

Dosing of formic or acetic acid to descale ventilation systems

OSING STATION CVD2

Dosing of flocculating agents such as $FeCl_3$, $Al_2(SO_4)_3$ for the elimination of phosphorus/phosphate precipitation

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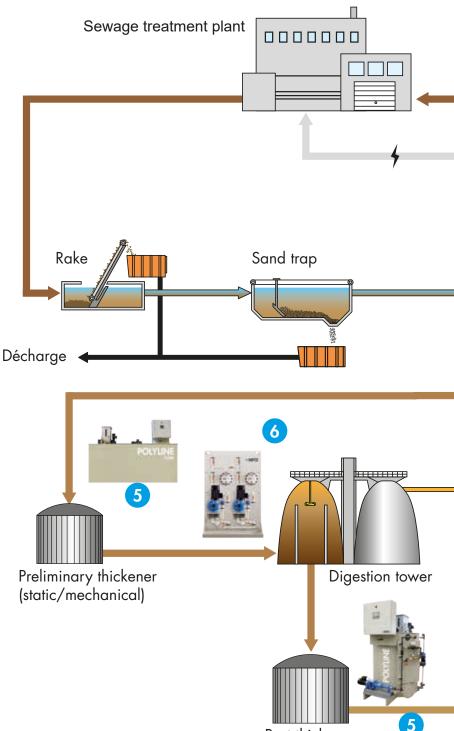
Solymer preparation station for sludge conditioning for thickening/dewatering

DOSING STATION CVD2

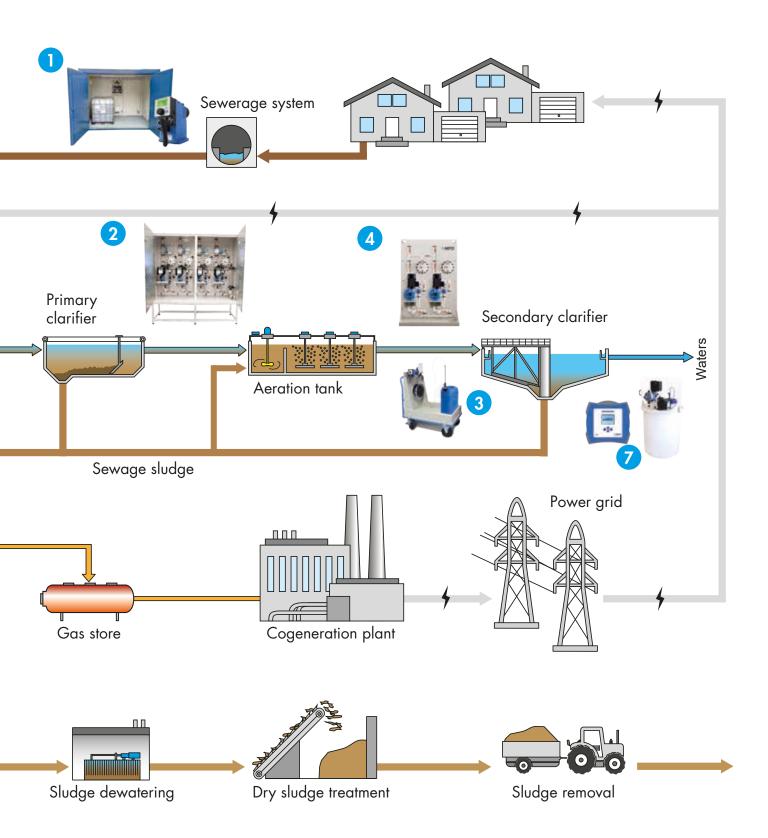
 Dosing of defoaming agents to reduce and prevent foam

DOSING STATION CTD

Dosing of e.g. sodium hypochloritefor downstream disinfection



Post thickener

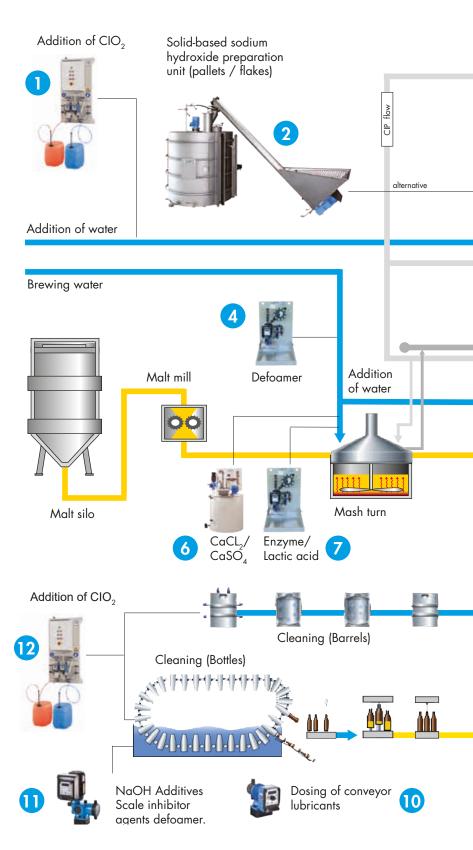


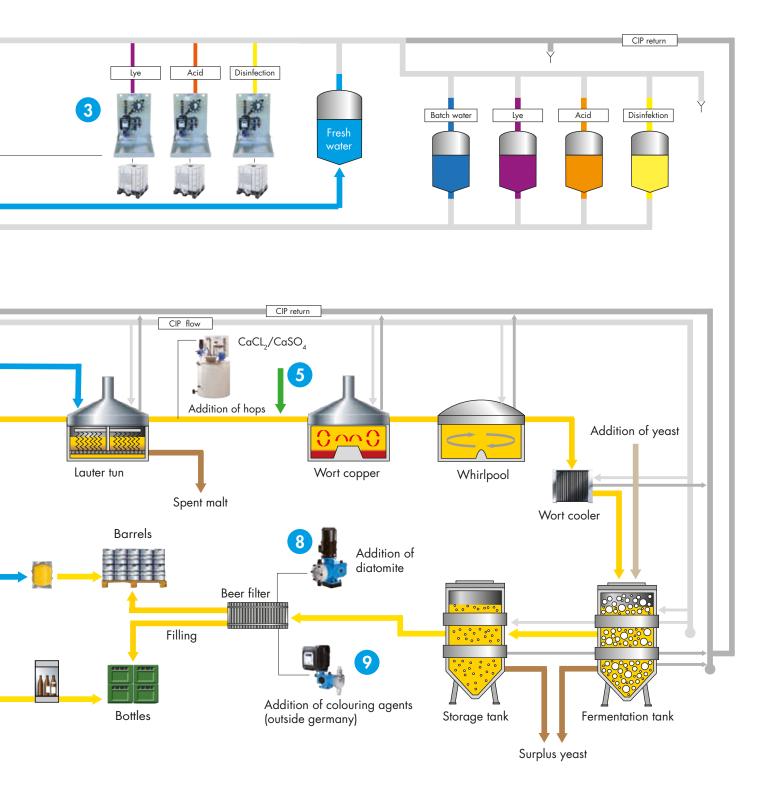
BREWERY SOLUTIONS

Wherever food is handled, the work area must be kept clean and tidy. This is especially true when it comes to brewing beer. Producing great tasting beer requires not only a sophisticated brewing process but also ways of cleaning and disinfecting industrial production systems and methods for treating all kinds of water needed for the brewing process.

We provide an extensive product range so that the best possible solutions for each step of the process are always available. Here are some examples of solutions from our comprehensive range, based on typical processes in brewery technology:

- Addition of CLO₂ to disinfect drinking, process and cooling water
- 2 Caustic soda preparation
- 3 Enzyme dosing disinfection, CIP
- 4 Enzyme dosing, disinfection, CIP
- 5 Dosing of calcium chloride (CaCl₂)
- Oosing of calcium sulphate (CaSO₄)
- Enzyme dosing, disinfection, CIP
- 8 Addition of diatomite/beer filtratio
- Olouring agent dosing
- 🔟 Conveyor lubricant dosing
- Dosing of chemicals
- Addition of CLO₂ to disinfect drinking, process and cooling water





INDUSTRIAL SOLUTIONS

The requirements and dosing processes of our customers are extremely varied in the area of industrial and process solutions. Individual challenges must be identified and resolved.

As a system provider of dosing technology, **sera** is able to understand these different processes and develop tailormade solutions to meet any customer requirements.

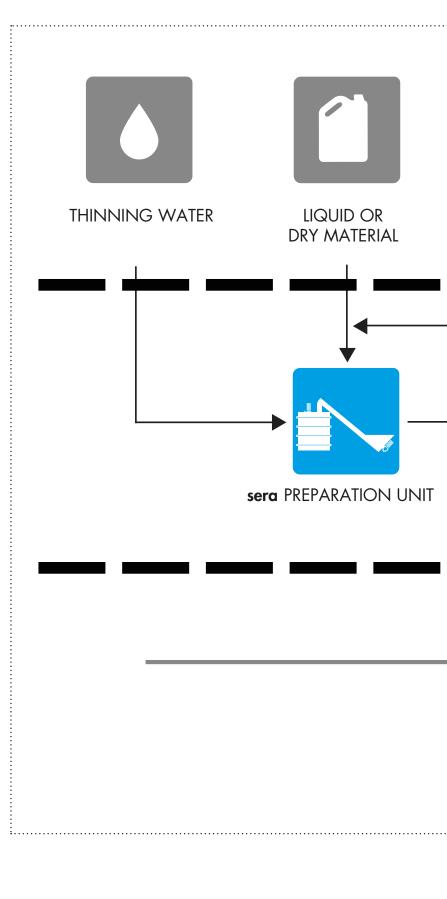
Particular attention is devoted to considering the interfaces:

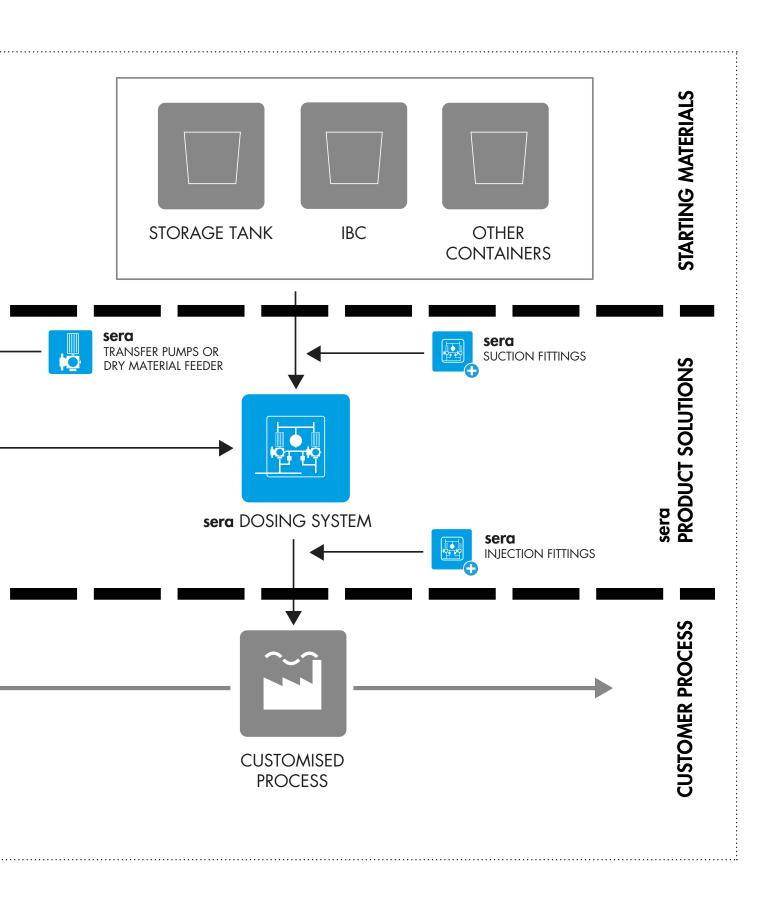
For which point in the customised process are our solutions intended and how can they be integrated smoothly? Only when these essential questions have been answered can smooth project management be ensured for the customer.

sera is able to draw on a multitude of product solutions that it has developed itself to complete various dosing tasks, such as preparation and dosing stations with the associated dosing pumps and appropriate suction and pressure fittings.

A decision is made in each case about which components are actually required to complete the dosing task and which are not. As a result, the dosing systems are adapted to the needs of the specific application.

In terms of design, the individual parameters and customer requirements are implemented by the company's own engineering department, so that the customer has a customised solution for their dosing task – all from one source!





BONN - WASTE RECYCLING



Recycling of the waste from Bonn and the surrounding region is carried out by Müllverwertungsanlage Bonn GmbH (MVA), a subsidiary of Stadtwerke Bonn (Bonn Public Utilities). Over 1,000 tonnes of waste, which has to be disposed of in a safe and environmentally friendly way, is delivered to it every working day. In a complex thermal process, the waste is first incinerated and then processed. Flue gases are created when the refuse is burnt.

Their energy is recovered by means of a boiler or steam generator that is downstream from the incineration process. As the hot flue gases flow through the boiler, they are cooled down, while the boiler feed water heats up and evaporates. The steam created is then used to generate electricity and heat. In the downstream condenser, the steam is liquefied again and returned to the feed water.

The feed and boiler water must meet certain requirements to be able to operate a boiler safely and without causing damage.



sera designed and supplied a special dosing system for the boiler plant at MVA Bonn. Two independent dosing systems for caustic soda and ammonia solution have been installed in this plant, which condition the boiler water in such a way that it corresponds to the specifications of the VGB guidelines for power station operation. Both systems have dosing pumps, fittings, 500 litre batching tanks, fill level sensors, collecting basins and space for delivery containers. As ammonia solution is a volatile chemical, this part of the system has a gas-tight design. A shared control cabinet monitors the two dosing systems and provides information to the control centre at MVA Bonn. Decentralised monitoring and control of the systems is therefore possible.

The application solutions are both made fully automatically and with level monitoring from a mixture of concentrate and water. Dosing of the prepared solutions is carried out with controllable **sera** diaphragm and/or piston pumps. The demand on and adjustment of the pumping capacities depend on the operation of the higher level system parts.

sera dosing pumps ensure that there is a consistent pH value in the boiler feed water by adding caustic soda and that the condensate has a pH value of approx. 9.5 to protect the feed water and condensate pipes.

In this way, the boiler and pipes in the thermal section of the MVA have the optimal permanent corrosion protection.



Approximately 50 million tons of caustic soda are produced annually and used in various ways in industry. **sera** has developed a cost-effective system solution specifically for use in the food industry, which has a variable but large demand for alkaline cleaning agents such as caustic soda. This enables safe and efficient preparation of caustic soda based on sodium hydroxide (NaOH) in solid form (pellets, flakes, pearls or powder) and water.

Breweries use caustic soda particularly because it is cost-effective: transport, delivery and storage of goods in sacks with undissolved solids is significantly less expensive than ready-made solutions. The extensive building work which is required to accommodate delivery of ready-made solutions in tankers containing hazardous substances is also unnecessary. Above all, however, the well-known suppliers in the drinks industry value the flexibility that they have with their own preparation unit: solutions are prepared as required and their concentration can be adjusted by increasing or lowering the amount of solid materials added.

These factors also played a part in the decision of Heineken, the operator of the Cambodia Brewery Ltd. in Phnom Penh, to go back to a caustic soda preparation unit in its renovation of the brewery in 2016.

The system supplied consists of a stainless steel batching tank, an agitator and a special conveyor that is separate from the batching tank. The conveyor consists of a feed hopper and a stainless steel screw-conveyor that carries the solid materials to the batching tank. With this design, the operating personnel are not in the immediate danger area of the batching tank in which the solid matter reacts exothermically with water.

The batching tank has a level indicator with a shut-off valve, a temperature display and a pipe safety cage to prevent accidental physical contact. The prepared solution is transferred into a larger storage tank either by a **sera** refilling system.

A **sera** CVD (Compact Vertical Dosing) system with a modular design is also provided to remove the solution from the storage tank and feed it precisely into the cleaning process.



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STADTWERKE WINTERBERG

Winterberg, a centre of tourism in the Sauerland region with 13,000 inhabitants in 15 districts, has experienced a development boom in recent years and – from the point of view of tourism – has all the features of a typical destination in the central German uplands.

In order to give winter sports enthusiasts 80 days of guaranteed snow a year, a plan was drawn up in the 1990s to make snow. The scheme worked: in 2012, Winterberg recorded more than 1 million overnight stays for the first time – and that was in commercial hotels alone. Unrecorded stays with small and private accommodation providers and about 1.5 million day visitors a year should be added to this. Of course, this has consequences for the local sewage system. Stadtwerke Winterberg AöR (Winterberg Public Utilities) operates two sewage treatment plants which struggle especially in winter with sudden additional loads because of the increase in tourism. The operator built on our expertise to overcome two particular challenges in this connection:

the large number of day visitors has changed WC usage and the quantity of urea in the sewage has increased significantly. As a result, the amounts of carbon and nitrogen in the sewage are out of proportion. In normal public sewage, the ratio of carbon to nitrogen is 5:1, while in Winterberg it hovers around 2:1. This disproportionate ratio leads to a shortage of carbon in the denitrification period. Acetic acid is added to the sewage as a source of carbon to compensate for this. This supports the breakdown of nitrates into elemental nitrogen and the ratio of carbon to nitrogen is restored to the level required.

As a result of weeks of snow melting in Winterberg, the sewage also has very low temperatures, which causes poor settling behaviour of the sewage sludge in the secondary clarification process. Addition of polymer flocculating agents improves the bonding and settling behaviour.

sera provided a solution for both challenges: the two sewage treatment plants were each supplied with a complete solution in an insulated hazardous material container with ventilation and heating. A DAV2 dosing system with spray protection doses the acetic acid from a 1,000 litre IBC into the denitrification system. Two iSTEP S50 multiphase motor pumps with a very large adjustment range of 50 ml/h to 50 l/h, supported by a controller, ensure that very large quantities of acetic acid can be added if necessary, but it is also possible to add small quantities of acetic acid continuously in the denitrification process.

Both turn-key containers also have a smart CTD small quantity dosing system to prepare and dose polymer flocculating agents. The polymer solution is prepared from a concentrate and water and is added to the feed to the secondary clarification system. The polymer is added automatically, depending on the turbidity in the secondary clarification system. Here, too, we used two iSTEP S50 pumps in order to offset fluctuations as effectively as possible. And this also facilitates easy maintenance and parts supply.

We are delighted that we were able to work with Stadtwerke Winterberg to develop and supply the right solution.





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STADTWERKE FLENSBURG

We at **sera** are experts in the field of sewage sludge conditioning. We were therefore awarded the contract to build and supply a preparation unit for polymer flocculating agents as part of the reconstruction of the mechanical sludge thickening plant of Flensburg sewage works.

In the course of wastewater treatment, sewage sludge is created and its disposal and reuse is the responsibility of the plant operator. The aim here is to reduce the volume of sludge and increase the amount of dry material to simplify its reuse and minimise operating costs.

During mechanical sludge thickening in the belt thickener, the thin sludge is conditioned and filtered by adding polymer flocculating agents. Between the flocks, sludge water that has been released runs off through the filter material of the belt thickener as filtrate, while the flocculated solids are held back by it.

sera supplied a customised 2-chamber pendulum system for preparation and addition of the polymer flocculating agents. The system is made entirely of stainless steel and has two batching tanks with a usable volume of 2 m³ each. While water and polymer concentrate is prepared in one chamber in the predefined concentration and then mature, the other chamber is ready for removal. Our system ensures that the polymer flocculating agent is always prepared in the right proportions and with consistent quality, and is released as a stable solution. Two eccentric worm pumps with dry running protection devices and overpressure protection convey the optimally prepared polymer solution into the belt thickener and the process for mechanical sludge thickening.

Simple operation, maintenance and servicing were very important to the customer. The tanks were therefore supplied with covers of a special size to ensure easy access. The preparation system was also equipped with a customised controller with large 9" colour panel and integrated into the automation and control equipment of the mechanical sludge thickening unit in the central process control system of the sewage treatment plant. Decentralised monitoring and control of the polymer preparation unit is therefore possible.

With the installation of the new mechanical sludge thickening system, both the operational reliability and the throughput capacity were extended and optimised significantly. In addition, it was possible to reduce the consumption of flocculant aids significantly and simultaneously increase the end dry material content of the thick sludge to 6 - 8%.

The new mechanical sludge thickening system will make a significant contribution to reducing the energy and operating material costs of Flensburg sewage treatment plant in future – thanks also to the polymer preparation unit supplied by **sera**.





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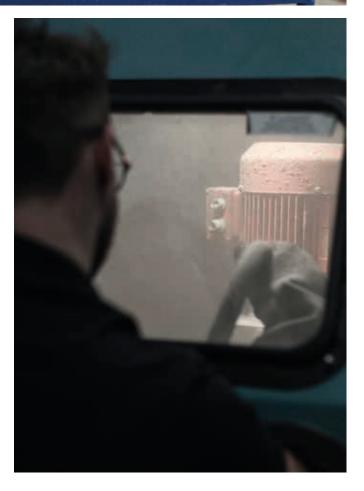
SERVICE



family The Dinkelacker brewery, founded in Stuttgart in 1888, has been using sera dosing pumps for a hygienically perfect brew-ing process for decades. The R413KM was used to dose chemicals in the cleaning process for over 30 years – but the wear and its age could no longer be ignored and a replacement was essential. As this pump was removed from our product range several years ago, our Service department recommended reconditioning the old pump as a solution.



Atter initial manual cleaning, the pump is cleaned of dirt and rust by sandblasting and the surfaces are then ready for further processing.











HIGHEST QUALITY IS OUR STANDARD

Every day we face up to new challenges – always with a professional and extremely careful approach. sera has set itself the goal of manufacturing products of the highest quality and using appropriate processes to do so. And our customers have every right to expect the best of us. From the management and the employees at all levels of the company through to our suppliers, everyone involved is aware of this huge responsibility – because our goal is always to meet these high standards.

Quality is the basis for effective collaboration, the foundation for a well thought-out product – and it is the prerequisite for an effective process. Quality is therefore evident in all areas at sera: in the work of our employees, in our technical development, and in the function and assembly of our systems.

In order to meet this high standard at all times, team training, participation of our company in various committees and ongoing control of our products, materials and production through certification is all part of our day-to-day business. As we are always putting our products to the test and developing them further, they are a by-word for environmental awareness, reliability, sustainability, efficiency and state-of-the-art technology – and therefore for demonstrably high quality overall!

Our quality testing and control, which is independent from production and the product lines, ensures that the materials processed, the components, assemblies and products produced and the services we offer always meet the highest standards. Our quality assurance monitors compliance with national and international regulations, statutory and contractual provisions and the guidelines and regulations that we put in place.

In order to ensure smooth interaction of quality and occupational safety management, we have brought these two areas together to form an Integrated Management System (IMS).



Our IMS is based on the principles of the sera Group in relation to quality, environmental protection and occupational safety. It meets the requirements of the internationally recognised standards and regulations, such as DIN EN ISO 9001:2015, under which we were one of the first companies to be certified. We also take account of statutory regulations and, in special cases, specific requirements of a sector, such as energy technology or the food and pharmaceuticals industries.

In this way, we are able to offer you efficient solutions that meet all standards, fit perfectly with existing systems and provide a long service life and reliable operation of your plant.





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High-quality pumps, dosing units and systems

We offer you a comprehensive portfolio of reliable, durable and precise metering pumps for output capacities from 0.4 l/h to 1,450 l/h at pressures of up to 300 bar. Or choose from a wide range of feeding pumps with a pump capacity of up to 3,100 l/h.

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A wide variety of models and materials

For over 70 years, we have stood for experience and expertise. We are able to modify your designs and provide the models you require quickly and flexibly.



Individual customised solutions

Developing and implementing customised solutions perfectly tailored to meet the needs of each specific application.



Economical solutions

Short delivery times and high availability at a great price without compromising on performance. Sophisticated product lines for a wide range of applications with extensive upgrading options and accessories.



Maintenance and service

Our services include maintenance and repair services, providing spare parts, assembly and installation, technical support, and customer training.



Fittings and accessories

We provide an extensive range of fittings and accessories, thanks to our dosing systems and metering pumps. Feel free to contact us.

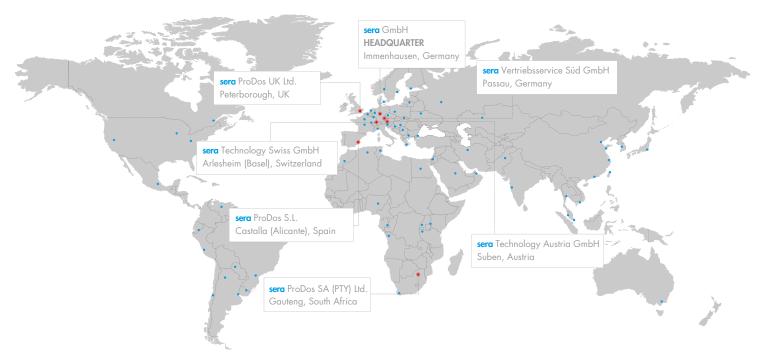
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