

Emerging Water Technologies Used by ESRD

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What did we learn from the 2013 flood?

Safety

Response Time

Data Quality



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- Extended deployment times
- Smart ports/sensors
- Wet mateable sensor ports
- Bluetooth ready
- Threshold Sampling

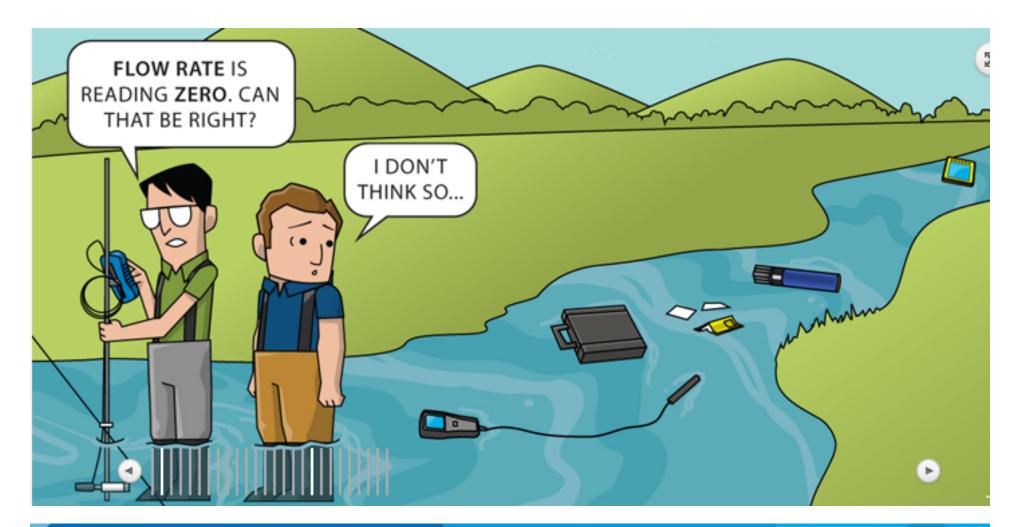


- Submersible UV-Visible spectrometer
- NO3/BOD/TSS
- NH4/K+/pH
- DO, pH, ORP, CI





Hydrometrics





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Meteorological

• Campbell Scientific GMON3 (GammaMONitor)

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- Developed by Hydro-Quebec.
- Large area (50-100m^2)

Sommer SPA (Snow Pack Analyzer)

- Snow depth
- Snow density
- Snow water equivalent (SWE)
- Content of liquid water and ice

Sommer Snow Scale

- Automated measurement of SWE
- High accuracy during melt
- Minimizes bridging effect



