

The SQIDEP approval for OCEAN OceanGuard, StormFilter & Jellyfish

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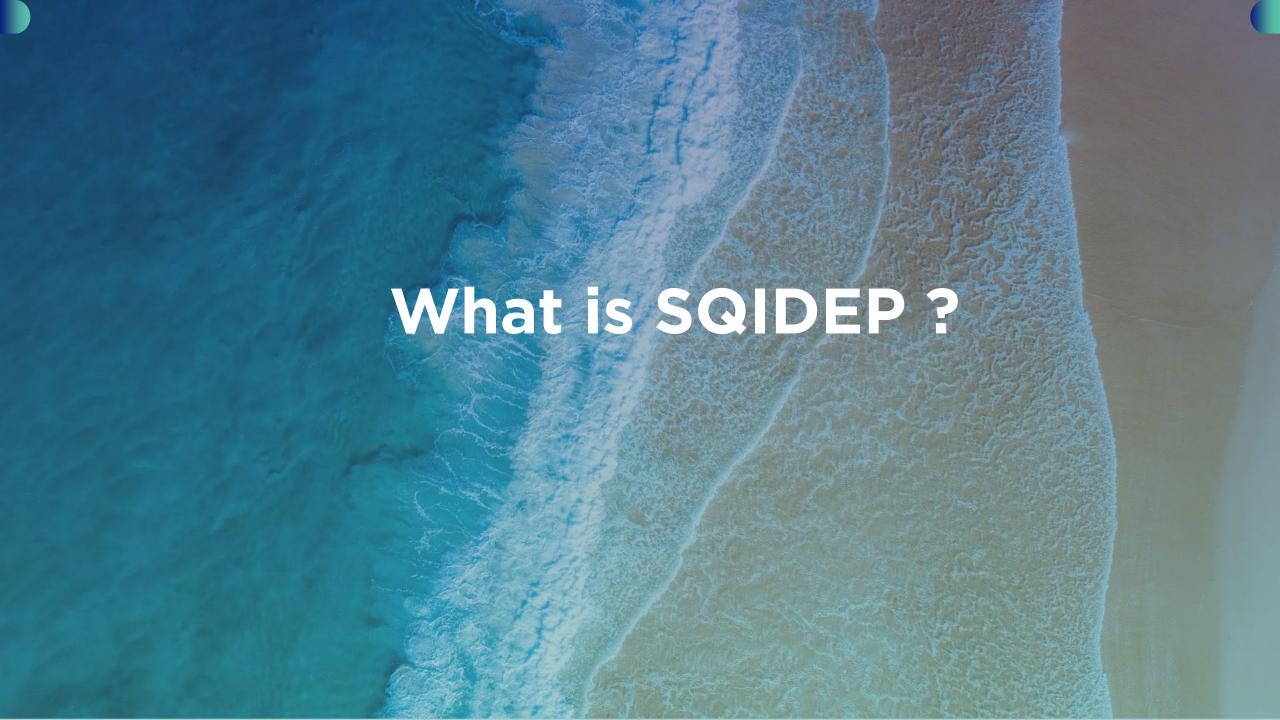


Agenda

- What is SQIDEP?
- Where is SQIDEP applied?
- Overview of our SQIDEP-approved SQIDs
- Overview of studies submitted for review
- The SQIDEP Experience
- What now?
- © Q&A







What is SQIDEP?

- SQIDEP = Stormwater Quality Improvement Device Evaluation Protocol
- "industry-formulated, independent evaluation process for verifying the performance of devices and technologies for improving stormwater quality", which Stormwater Australia is the custodian of
- https://www.stormwateraustralia.com.au/sqidepstormwater-quality-improvement-device-evaluationprotocol/







Where is SQIDEP applied?

- Queensland:
 - Gold Coast City
 - Ipswich City
 - Sunshine Coast Region
 - Brisbane City (required after 10th June)
- NSW:
 - Aerotropolis (in Western Sydney)
 - Blacktown City Council (with additional requirements) for new SQIDs
- Victoria, SA, Tasmania, WA, ACT, NT
 - ?







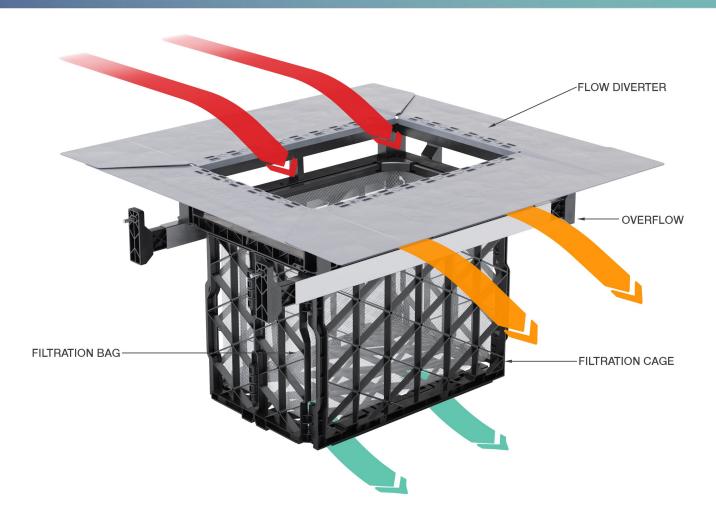




Jellyfish



OceanGuard

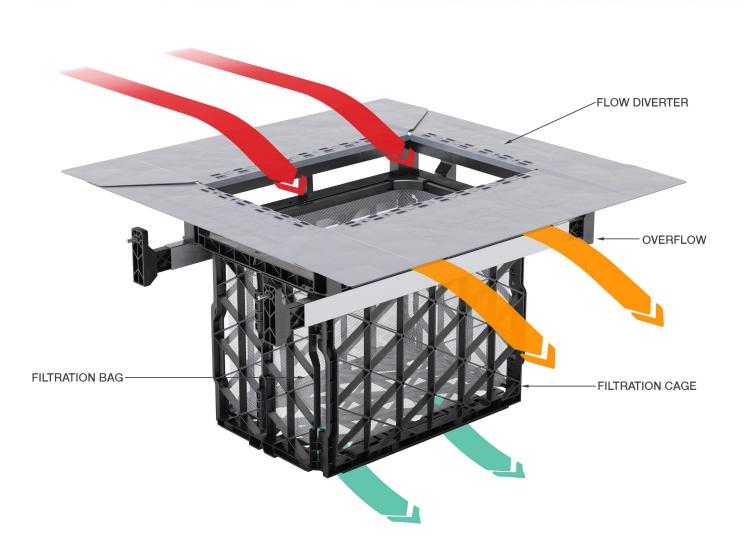




What is OceanGuard?

- Gully pit basket
- Integrated into pits
- Different bag options
- Ideal for pre-treatment

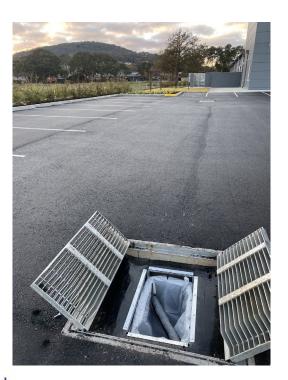






Application

- © Commercial, industrial & residential areas
- Other projects (e.g. roads, airports)





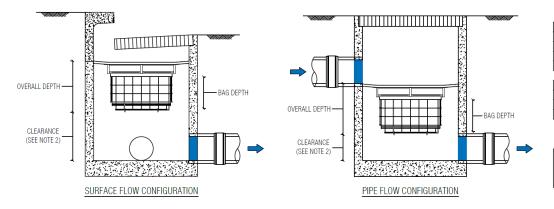






Configuration

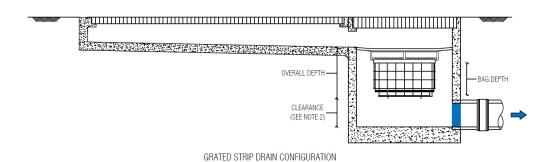
- Surface flow (typical)
- Pipe flow
- Grated strip drain
- 4 sizes
- © 3 depths



PLAN ID	MAXIMUM PIT PLAN DIMENSIONS		
S	450mm x 450mm		
M	600mm x 600mm		
L	900mm x 900mm		
XL	1200mm x 1200mm		

DEPTH ID	BAG DEPTH	OVERALL DEPTH
1	170	270
2	300	450
3	600	700

		DEPTH ID		
		1	2	3
PLAN ID	S	•		
	M	•		
	L	•		•
	XL	•		•





Performance

- 4 x 'real world', published studies
- 2 x peer review reports
- SQIDEP & Council approved performance values

















A review of the application of OceanGuard® in Australia

Date: August 2021



Maintenance



- Manual lifting of bag & emptying
- Can use vacuum unit
- Replace bag (if damaged)







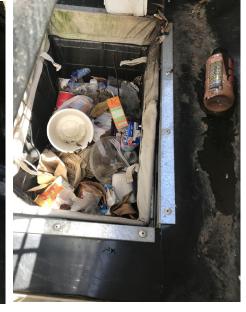




Case studies

Over 28,000 installed in Australia











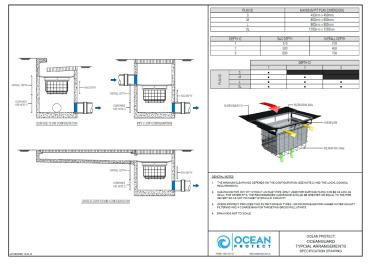


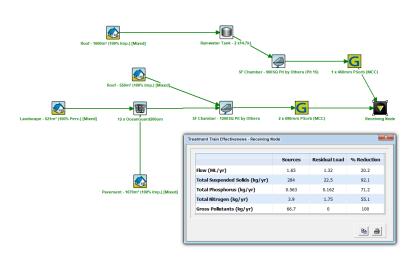


How to specify?

- https://oceanprotect.com.au/oceanguard/ (drawings, manuals, review paper)
- Contact Ocean Protect
- OP can do MUSIC modelling & site-specific drawings (no obligation)
- Identifying location(s) of drawings is OK

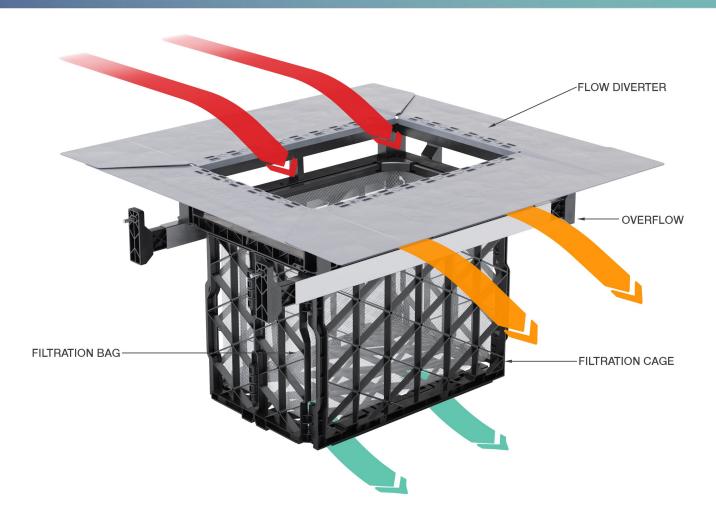








OceanGuard





StormFilter







What is StormFilter?

- Radial treatment technology
- Flexible configurations
- Multiple media options
- Self cleaning functionality
- Accessible & rechargeable cartridges







Application

- © Commercial, industrial & residential areas
- Other projects (e.g. roads, airports)

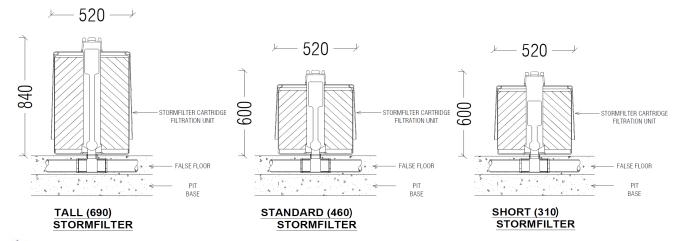






Configuration

- Precast concrete pits & tanks
- Custom above ground HDPE/aluminium tanks
- Integrated within on-site detention structures
- On-line or off-line
- © 3 x cartridge options









Performance

- 4 x 'real world', published studies
- 2 x peer review reports
- 1 x longevity study
- SQIDEP & Council approved performance values





















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Maintenance













Case studies

- Over 35,000 installed in Australia
- Over 220,000 installed overseas

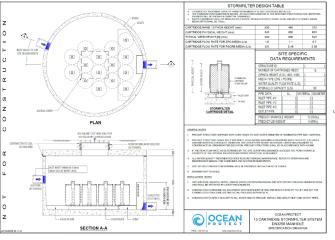


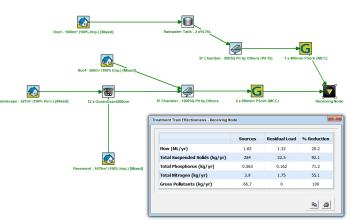


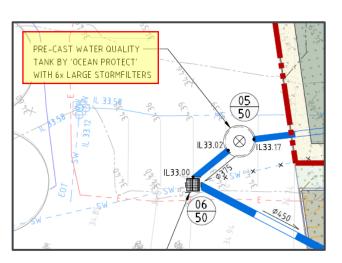
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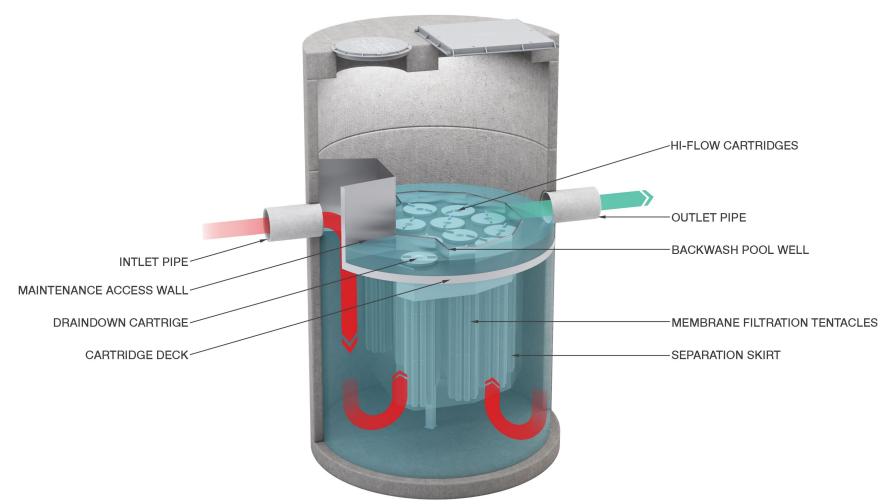
StormFilter







Jellyfish





What is Jellyfish?

- Membrane cartridge filtration
- Up-flow hydraulics
- Self cleaning functionality
- Flexible configurations
- Accessible & replaceable cartridges

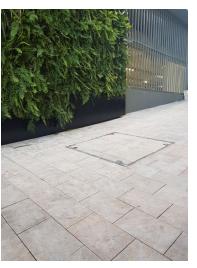






Application

- © Commercial, industrial & residential areas
- Special projects (e.g. highways, airports)
- Popular for sites with low driving head









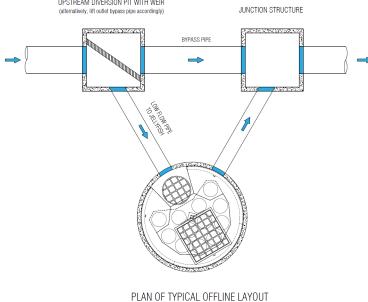




Configuration

- Precast concrete pits & tanks
- Custom chambers
- On-line or off-line







Model	High-flow Cartridges	Drain-down Cartridges	Flow Rate (L/s)	Approximate unit Diameter (m)
JF1200-1-1	1	1	7.5	
JF1200-2-1	2	1	12.5	1.2
JF2250-3-1	3	1	17.5	
JF2250-4-1	4	1	22.5	
JF2250-5-1	5	1	27.5	
JF2250-6-1	6	1	32.5	0.05
JF2250-7-2	7	2	40	2.25
JF2250-8-2	8	2	45	
JF2250-9-2	9	2	50	
JF2250-10-2	10	2	55	
JF3250-11-2	11	2	60	
JF3250-12-2	12	2	65	
JF3250-13-3	13	3	72.5	
JF3250-14-3	14	3	77.5	
JF3250-15-3	15	3	82.5	
JF3250-16-3	16	3	87.5	
JF3250-17-3	17	3	92.5	
JF3250-18-3	18	3	97.5	3.25
JF3250-19-4	19	4	105	
JF3250-20-4	20	4	110	
JF3250-21-4	21	4	115	
JF3250-22-4	22	4	120	
JF3250-23-4	23	4	125	
JF3250-24-4	24	4	130	
JF3250-25-5	25	5	137.5	
JF3250-26-5	26	5	142.5	
JF3250-27-5	27	5	147.5	
JF3250-28-5	28	5	152.5	

Performance

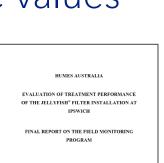
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JELLYFISH® FILTER

Imbrium Systems Corporation

January 2012

- 2 x 'real world', published studies
- 2 x peer review reports
- SQIDEP & Council approved performance values





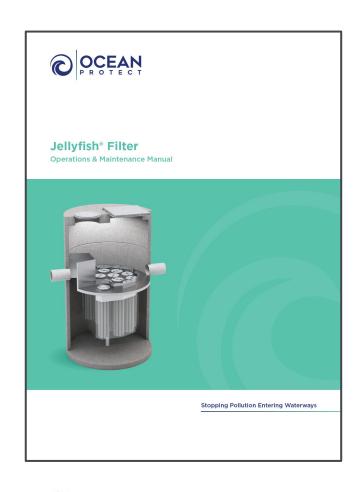








Maintenance



- Minor service rinse cartridges & remove pollution (~6 months)
- Major service replace cartridges (as required)











Case studies

© Over 2300 installed in Australia since 2017







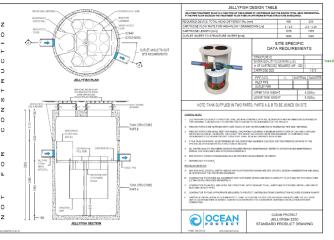


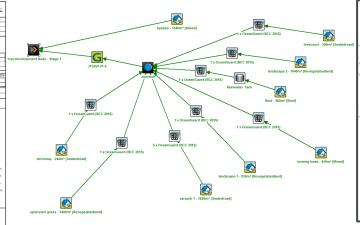


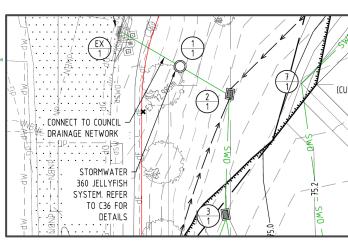
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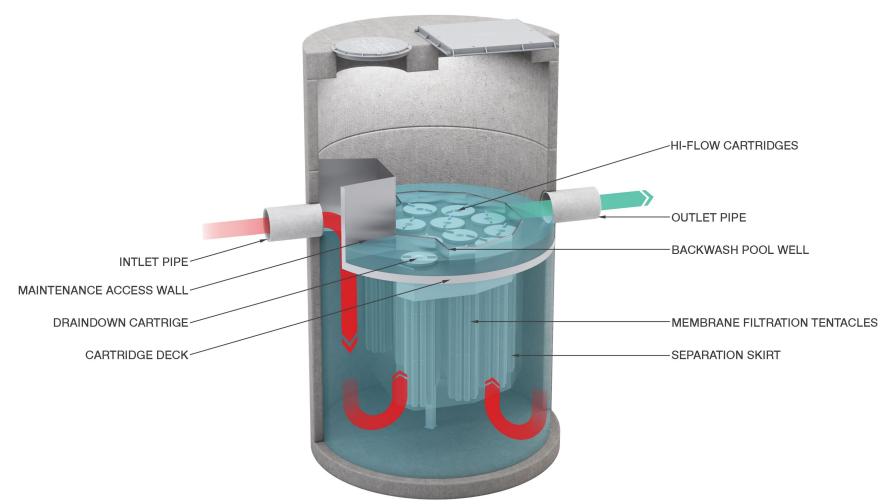








Jellyfish







OceanGuard study

- Kingswood, Western Sydney, NSW
- Monitoring from March 2020 to June 2021
- Sixteen (16) events
- Single OceanGuard
 - Treatment flow rate 20L/s



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- including:
- Third party peer review report
- AWA Water E-Journal paper
- Additional studies





Downloads





OceanGuard study













StormFilter study

- Zig Zag, Oregon, USA
- Monitoring from February 2012 to April 2014
- Sixteen (16) events
- Single 460 PSorb cartridge
 - Treatment flow rate 0.86L/s



including:

- Third party peer review reports
- Additional studies







StormFilter study



Figure 3. Aerial view of the Lolo Pass Site.





Figure 4. View of the drainage area of the Lolo Pass Site looking south towards US 26.



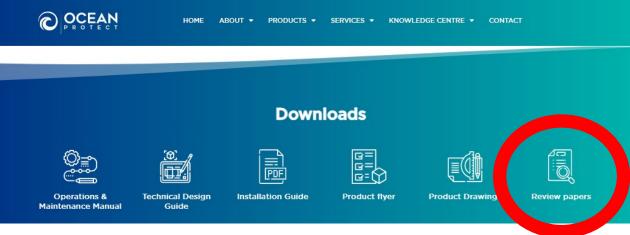
Figure 6. External view of the StormFilter system at Lolo Pass Road.

Jellyfish study

- West Ipswich, QLD
- Monitoring from June 2014 to September 2015
- Seventeen (17) events
- © JF1200-2-1
 - Treatment flow rate 12.5L/s

https://oceanprotect.com.au/jellyfish-filter/ for 'Review Paper', including:

Third party peer review report







Jellyfish study

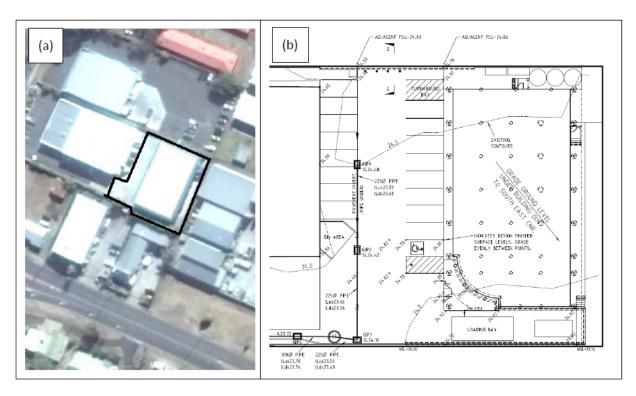


Figure 1. Study site: (a) aerial view; (b) drainage network plan

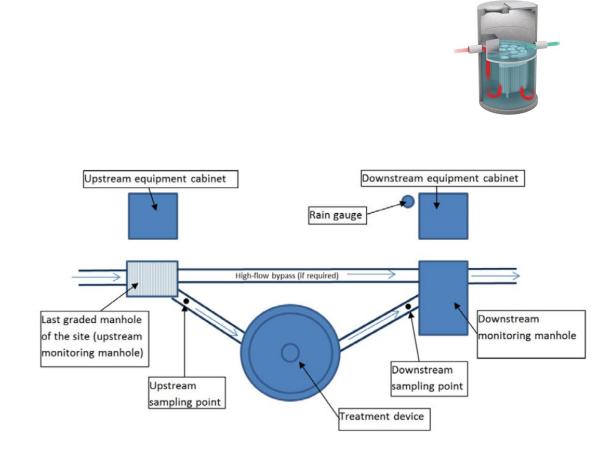


Figure 2. Monitoring system layout

Source: Goonetilleke et al (2017)

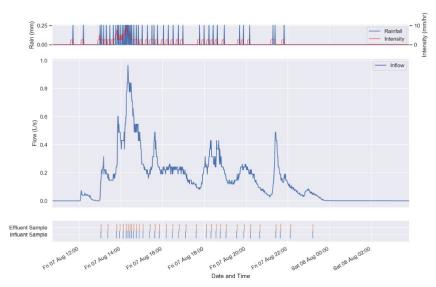




SQIDEP submissions

- Initial form, & \$26,500 + GST (per SQID)
- Reporting describing study methodology, results, & SQIDEP compliance
 - 70+ individual criteria
- Individual storm reports
 - Rainfall time series & analyses
 - Flow time series & analyses
 - Sampling intervals
 - Certificate of analysis
 - Chain of custody documentation
- Site photos & drawings
- Device maintenance reports
- Sampling/ monitoring equipment calibration & maintenance reports
- Statutory declarations
- Additional studies & peer review reports





Timeline - OceanGuard & StormFilter reviews

- January 2022 Submitted for SQIDEP review
- October 2022 First meeting with reviewers
- March 2023 Draft joint reports received
- April 2023 Responses to the draft joint reports provided to reviewers
- September 2023 Third party review initiated
- December 2023 Third party review finalized & SQIDEP verification issued



Timeline - Jellyfish review

- June 2022 Submitted for SQIDEP review
- May 2023 First meeting with reviewers
- November 2023 SQIDEP verification issued



OceanGuard - Summary of performance claim

Table 2: Summary of the performance claim

Pollutant	OP Performance claim (% removal)	Verified performance claim (% removal)	
Total Suspended Solids	51.6	51.6	
Total Phosphorous	64.7	64.7	
Total Nitrogen	40.9	24.9	
Gross Pollutants	100	100*	

^{*} The gross pollutant performance claim is based on independent laboratory testing





StormFilter - Summary of performance claim

Table 2: Summary of the performance claim for the OP StormFilter

Pollutant	OP Performance claim (% removal)	Verified performance claim (% removal)	
Total Suspended Solids	88.6	88.6	
Total Phosphorous	77.1	77.1	
Total Nitrogen	61.9	61.9	
Gross Pollutants*	100	100	



^{*} The gross pollutant performance claim is based on photographic evidence and evaluation of the design.

Jellyfish - Summary of performance claim

Table 5: Independent evaluator accepted claim for Jellyfish water quality treatment performance

Pollutant	Claimed Performance (ER) (% retained on average per annum)	Accepted Performance (ER) (% retained on average per annum)
Total suspended solids (TSS)	92.6	92.6
Total phosphorous	57.0	57.0
Total nitrogen	46.8	46.8
Gross pollutants	100.0	100





SQIDEP Certificates

Verification certificates available at https://www.stormwateraustralia.com.au/sqidep-stormwater-quality-improvement-device-evaluation-protocol/



OceanGuard SQIDEP Verification



Stormwater Quality Improvement Device Evaluation Protocol (SQIDEP)

VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE



Modelling a OceanGuard in MUSIC is as follows:



Use a Generic node with the following properties:

High flow bypass/ treatment flow rate (TFR)	Pollutant removal up to TFR	
2017	51.6% for TSS 64.7% for TP	
20 L/ s per OceanGuard	24.9% for TN 100% for gross pollutants	

Input properties should reflect those given below:

Pollutant	Influent	Effluent	Reduction
Total suspended solids (TSS)	1000	484	51.6%
Total Phosphorus (TP)	10	3.53	64.7%
Total Nitrogen	100	75.1	24.9%
Gross Pollutants	1000	0	100%



Conditions/Notes

The limitations of the acceptance of these claims include:

- The results lie within acceptable inflow limits for this type of catchment and based on the analysis are found to be representative. The device has been tested within the pollutant loading ranges specified by SQIDEP v1.3. As with the majority of treatment devices, where the influent water is more polluted there would likely be a greater percentage of pollutants removed and a higher residual load in effluent water and, where the influent water is cleaner (i.e. below limits of detection), there would likely be a lower percentage of pollutants removed and a lower residual pollutant load in effluent water.
- The OP OceanGuard filter bag is the only treatment mechanism applied by the device. The field results evaluated for the OP OceanGuard were for a device with a 200-micron filter bag. The OP OceanGuard filter bag can be supplied with multiple pore sizes from 200 micron or larger. This verification certificate is specific to filter bag with pore size of 200 microns.
- Design and installation should be performed in accordance with the manufacturer's guidelines. Results are reliant on the maintenance of the device being consistent with the manufacturer's guidelines.
- Regular inspection and maintenance should be performed in accordance with the manufacturer's operation and maintenance manuals.

StormFilter PSorb SQIDEP Verification







VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE

Verified method
to model in
MUSIC

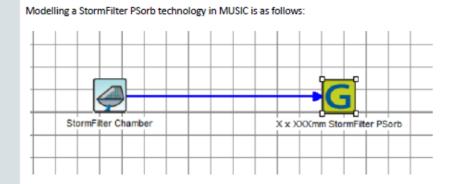


Table 1 - Summary of StormFilter® PSorb cartridge dimensions

Parameter	Cartridge name/ siphon height			
Parameter	690	460	310	
Physical height (mm)	840	600	600	
Typical weir height from outlet (mm)	920	690	540	
Treatment flow rate (L/s)*	1.26	0.86	0.60	

^{*:} Treatment flow rate based on StormFilter* Psorb technology applied at study site.

Use the detention basin node to hydraulically represent the detention tank (or 'vault' / storage) 'housing' the StormFilter® cartridge system(s), with the properties given in Table 2.

Table 2 – Recommended values for MUSIC Detention Node component for StormFilter® PSorb technology modelling

Parameter	Value for given cartridge name/ siphon height		•				
	690	460	310	Comments			
Inlet properties							
Low flow by-pass (m³/s)	0			No bypass of flows below treatment flow rate occurs.			
High flow by-pass (m³/s)	100			Default (very high value), noting bypass occurs in the Generic node and any overflow occurs via the overflow weir in the detention node			
Storage properties				_			
Surface area (m²)	Varies. Adjust to be equal to value of surface area of chamber housing StormFilter® cartridges minus area of cartridges.		er housing				
Extended detention depth (m)	0.77	0.54	0.39	Standard 80mm head above top of cartridge media.			
Permanent pool volume (m³)		0		No permanent ponding of water occurs in appropriately functioning			
Initial volume (m³)		0		StormFilter® technologies.			
Evaporative Loss as % of PET	0			StormFilter® cartridges are almost exclusively underground. Any evaporative loss is likely to be minimal.			
Outlet properties							
Equivalent pipe diameter (mm)		Varies.		Depends on cartridge height, number, and chamber dimensions.			
Overflow weir width (m)	Varies. Adjust to be equal to width of weir structure within system.			Best to liaise with Ocean Protect.			
Notional detention time (hrs)	Varies.						
Advanced properties							
k (m/year)	Set to 1 or zero.		0.	Ensures no additional treatment is modelled where none exists.			

StormFilter PSorb SQIDEP Verification (cont'd)



Use the generic node with the properties given below in Tables 3 and 4.

Table 3 – Recommended treatment flow rate & pollutant removal for StormFilter® PSorb technology

High flow bypass/ treatment flow rate (TFR)	Pollutant removal up to TFR	
Treatment flow rate multiplied by number of	88.6% for TSS 77.1% for TP	
cartridges*	61.9% for TN 100% for gross pollutants	

^{*:} Treatment flow rates for available configurations given in Table 1.

Table 4 – Recommended generic node transfer function properties for StormFilter® PSorb technology

Pollutant	Influent	Effluent	Reduction
Total suspended solids (TSS)	1000	114	88.6%
Total Phosphorus (TP)	10	2.29	77.1%
Total Nitrogen	100	38.1	61.9%
Gross Pollutants	1000	0	100%

Conditions/Notes

The limitations of the acceptance of these claims include:

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- Design and installation should be performed in accordance with the Manufacturer's guidelines. Results are reliant on the maintenance of the device being consistent with the manufacturer's guidelines.
- Regular inspection and maintenance should be performed in accordance with the Manufacturer's Operation and Maintenance Manuals.

Jellyfish SQIDEP Verification







VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE

Verified method to model in MUSIC

Modelling a Jellyfish Filter in MUSIC is as follows:



Bypass (TFR) parameters should be set as appropriate, according to the following:

Driving head	(L/s/n	flux* n²) per ridge	Cartridge length		TFR (L/s) per cartridge Polluta	
(mm)	Hi- flow	Drain down		Hi- flow	Drain down	removal
457	0.141	0.071	54-in (1.37m)	5	2.5	
457	0.141	0.071	27-in (0.686m)	2.5	1.30	TSS 92.6%
205	0.004	0.055	54-in (1.37m)	3.34	1.96	TP 57.0%
305	0.094	0.055	27-in (0.686m)	1.68	0.98	TN 46.8%
220	0.071	0.045	54-in (1.37m)	2.52	1.58	GP 100%
229	0.071	0.045	27-in (0.686m)	1.27	0.79]

^{*:} Peak flux rate is defined as the maximum filtration flux rate or maximum flow per unit of membrane surface area. The above peak flux rates are derived from the University of Florida (2011) report TARP Field Test Performance Monitoring of a Jellyfish Filter JF4-2-1. This report confirmed a peak flux rate of 0.141 L/s/m² for the hi-flow cartridge and 0.071 L/s/m² for the drain-down cartridge for a 457mm driving head (35.4m² membrane surface area per cartridge).

Input properties should reflect those given below:

Pollutant	Influent	Effluent	Reduction
Total Suspended Solids (TSS)	1000	74	92.6 %
Total Phosphorus (TP)	10	4.3	57.0 %
Total Nitrogen (TN)	100	53.2	46.8 %
Gross Pollutants (GP)	1000	0	100 %

Conditions/Notes

The limitations of the acceptance of these claims include:

- As with the majority of treatment devices, designers should consider the need for pretreatment on a case-by-case basis with regard to optimising the maintenance regime for the site.
- The results lie within acceptable inflow limits for this type of catchment and based on
 the analysis are found to be representative. The device has been tested within the
 pollutant loading ranges specified by SQIDEP v1.3. As with the majority of treatment
 devices, where the influent water is more polluted there would likely be a greater
 percentage of pollutants removed and a higher residual load in effluent water and,
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 effluent water.
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- Regular inspection and maintenance should be performed in accordance with the Manufacturer's Operation and Maintenance Manuals.

Notes

There is no pathway for a gross pollutant to move through one of the tentacles. The only other potential pathway for a gross pollutant to leave the system would be by flowing over the weir. To ensure this does not occur, the following is required:

- The weir (maintenance access wall) shall be set a minimum of 100 mm above the system design hydraulic grade line.
- If this is not achievable, then the weir level shall be set so that it is a maximum of 50 mm below the soffit of the chamber.
- At all times, the weir (The maintenance access wall) will be above the system design HGL regardless of requirements 1 and 2.

Summary









- SQIDEP verified TSS/TP/TN/ GP reductions as per submitted* claims
 - *Except for OceanGuard TN removal
 - Applicable to all available configurations
- © SQIDEP verified treatment flow rates (TFR) as per submitted claims
 - Note: TFR of the SQIDEP-approved StormFilter PSorb is different to our 'standard'
- Design, installation & maintenance as per typical OP recommendations



Key advantages of Ocean Protect









- The only SQIDEP-approved gully pit insert
- The highest SQIDEP-approved nutrient removal for any cartridge
- Likely the most efficient "treatment train"



Modelling Options



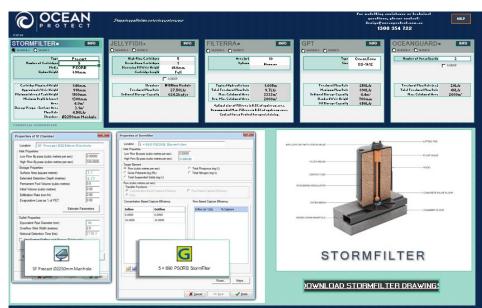






- Ask OP to do your MUSIC modelling (no obligation); or
- Ask OP to provide you MUSIC nodes (& spreadsheet calculators); or
- Develop your own MUSIC nodes (based on SQIDEP verification statements)
 - Feel free to ask OP to check models/ designs







What now?

- OceanGuard, StormFilter PSorb & Jellyfish can now be specified where SQIDEP verification required
- Filterra biofiltration & another SQID already submitted for SQIDEP review
- Continued R&D by Ocean Protect





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