# **Unit Specification**

The SP series has several unit types with different unit heights which can meet a wide range of water depth requirements for retrofit projects.

Unit Type	Total Membrane Area	Dimensions			Weight	Required Min.
		Height	Width	Length	(Dry)	Water Depth*
SPC200	200 m <sup>2</sup> / 2,153 ft <sup>2</sup>	1,877 mm / 6.2 ft	944 mm / 3.1 ft	2,186 mm / 7.2 ft	569 kg / 1,255 lbs	2.3 m / 7.55 ft
SPC300	300 m <sup>2</sup> / 3,229 ft <sup>2</sup>	2,401 mm / 7.9 ft	944 mm / 3.1 ft	2,186 mm / 7.2 ft	749 kg / 1,652 lbs	2.8 m / 9.19 ft
SPC400	400 m <sup>2</sup> / 4,306 ft <sup>2</sup>	2,923 mm / 9.6 ft	944 mm / 3.1 ft	2,186 mm / 7.2 ft	929 kg / 2,049 lbs	3.3 m / 10.83 ft
SPC600	600 m <sup>2</sup> / 6,458 ft <sup>2</sup>	4,213 mm / 13.9 ft	944 mm / 3.1 ft	2,186 mm / 7.2 ft	1,423 kg / 3,138 lbs	4.6 m / 15.10 ft

<sup>\*</sup> Extra water depth will be needed for gravity filtration.

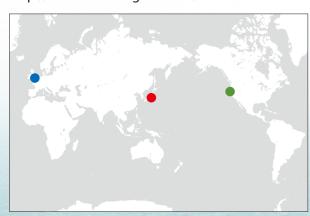
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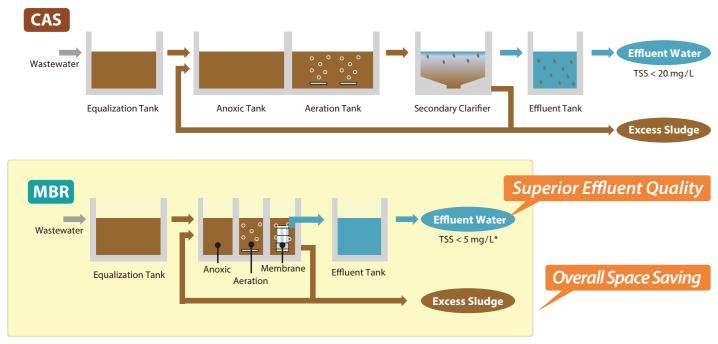
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## **Membrane Bioreactor**

The Membrane Bioreactor (MBR) process is a proven wastewater treatment method which combines a biological treatment process and a membrane filtration process for final solid-liquid separation. The MBR perfectly eliminates the secondary clarifier and carry-over of the activated sludge. Therefore, the concentration of the activated sludge becomes higher and process tank volume becomes smaller compared to Conventional Activated Sludge (CAS) process.

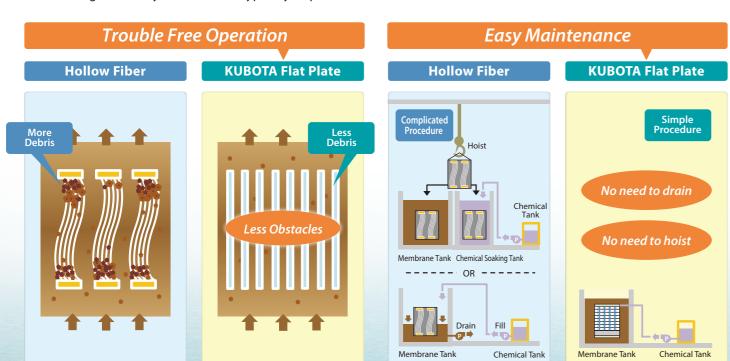


\*TSS < 5 mg/L is typical achievable values, not guaranteed values.

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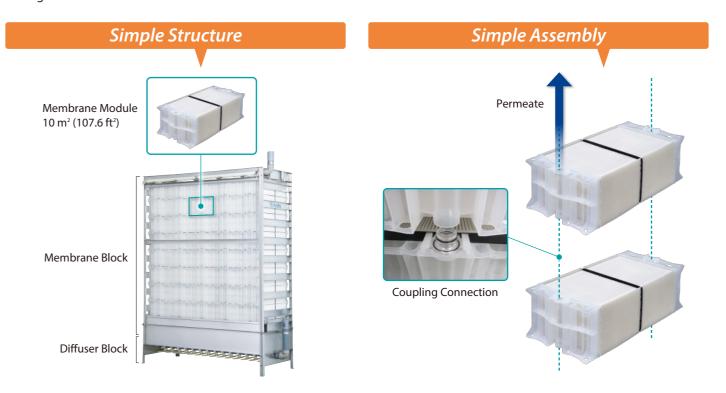
The KUBOTA Submerged Membrane Unit $^{\circ}$  (SMU) is membrane equipment dedicated for the MBR process. The SMU can be directly submerged in activated sludge and allows only clean treated water to pass through its "**Flat Plate**" type membrane. The membrane sheet is made of chlorinated polyethylene with maximum (nominal) pore size of 0.4  $\mu$ m (average: 0.2  $\mu$ m) which blocks most microorganisms in the activated sludge.

The "Flat Plate" configuration keeps the space between membranes clear and minimizes debris accumulation. *In-situ* chemical cleaning is the only maintenance typically required.



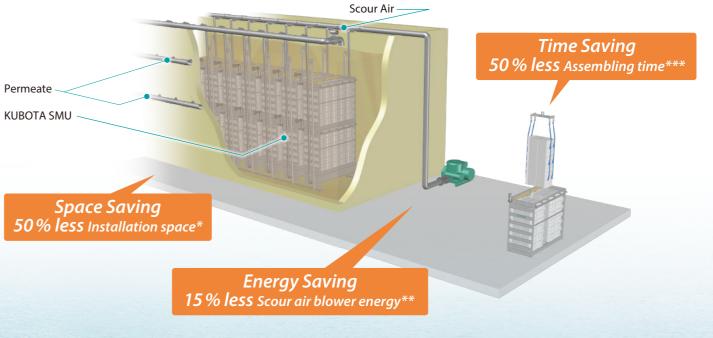
## **Structure of KUBOTA SP Series**

The KUBOTA SP series is made up of SMU models optimized especially for **medium to large scale sewage treatment applications**. Forty (40) flat membrane plates having 10 m<sup>2</sup> of membrane area and permeate collection chambers are integrated into a compact "**Membrane Module**". This design improves packing density and reduces scour air requirements. Multiple Membrane Modules are assembled into a Membrane Block using simple coupling connections. The coupling connection also serves as a conduit to the permeate header. This structure simplifies the assembling procedure of the SMU during field maintenance work.



## **Advantages of KUBOTA SP Series**

Based on its unique structure, the SP series reduces **required space**, **required scour air**, and **required assembling time during maintenance work**; all of which are important considerations for medium to large scale projects.



- \* Comparing SPC600 to RW400 in terms of membrane area per required tank space for installation [m²/m³].
- \*\* Comparing SPC600 to RW400 in terms of required scour air blower energy consumption per membrane area [kWh/m²].
- \*\*\* Comparing SPC600 to RW400 in terms of assembling time per membrane area [min/m²].