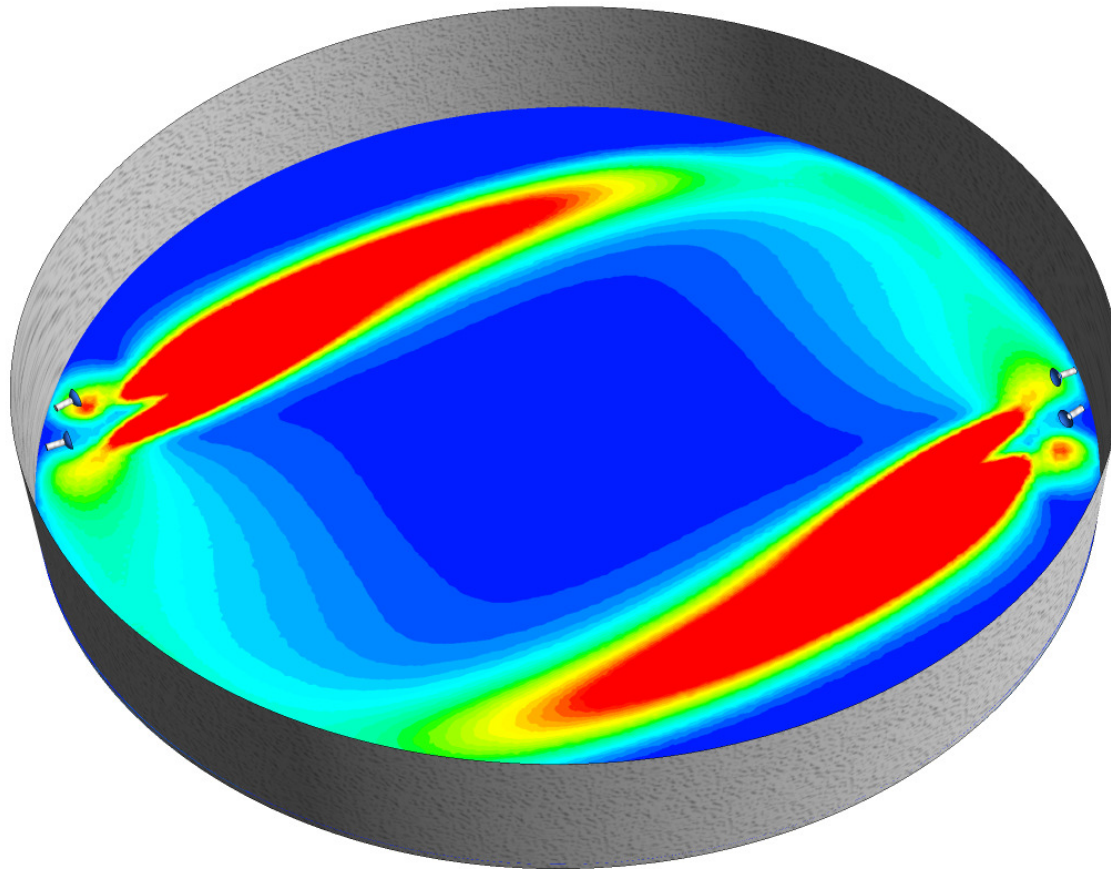


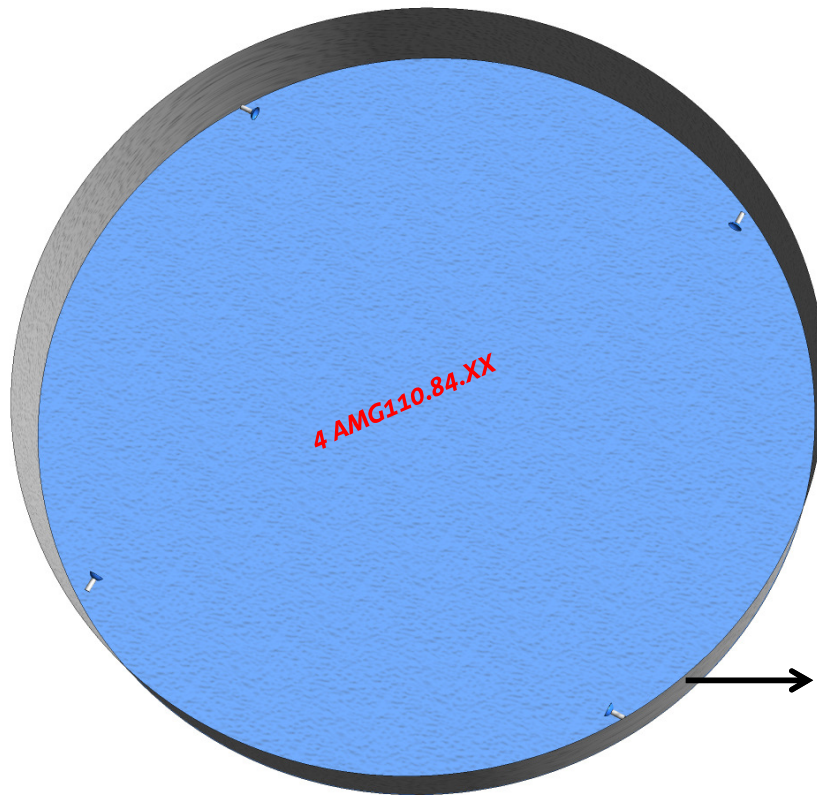
# CFD analysis no. 2 for **WWTP Stargard Szczecinski**



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# Introduction

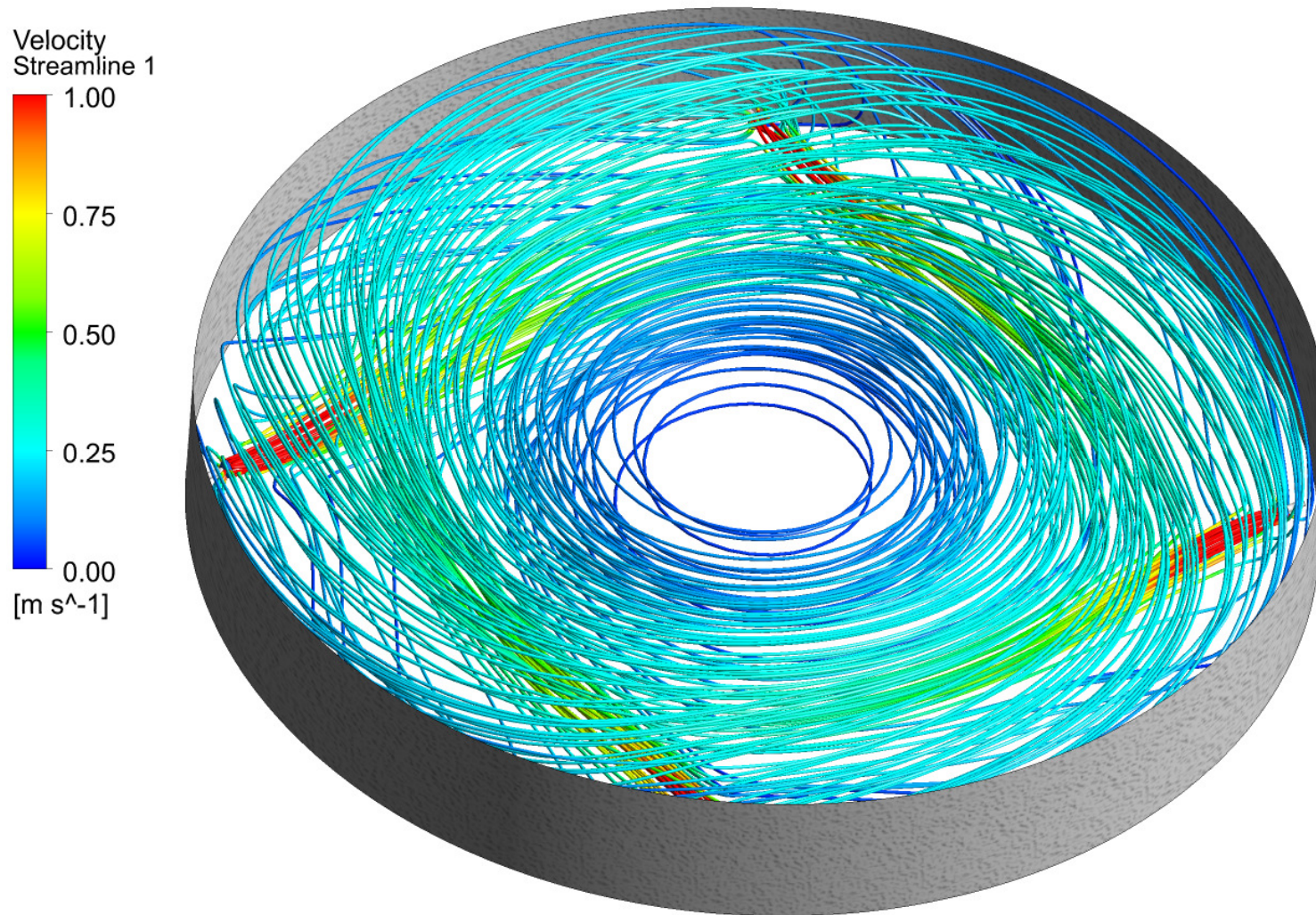
- A CFD Model was used to reinvestigate flow paths of Poland WWTP. The aim of CFD study is to simulate the flow patterns of new positioned mixer and identifying and evaluating the mixing performance of digester tank.



*3D Geometry model for flow simulation*

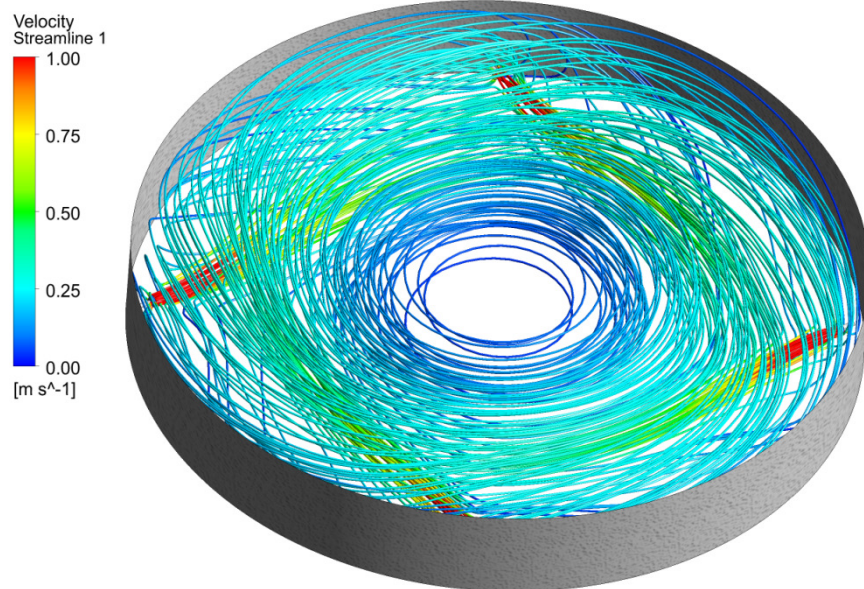
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# Results-Streamline

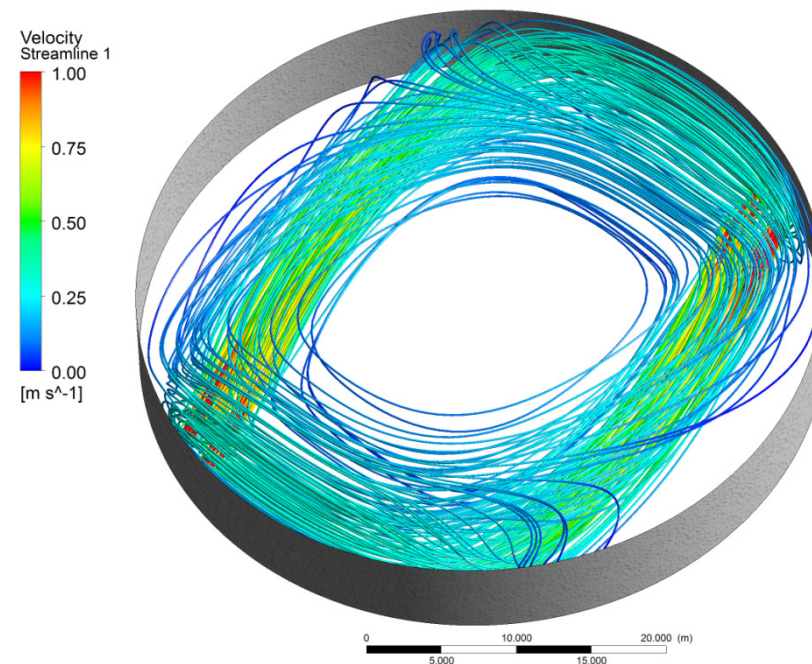


# Results-Streamline

## Comparison with original design



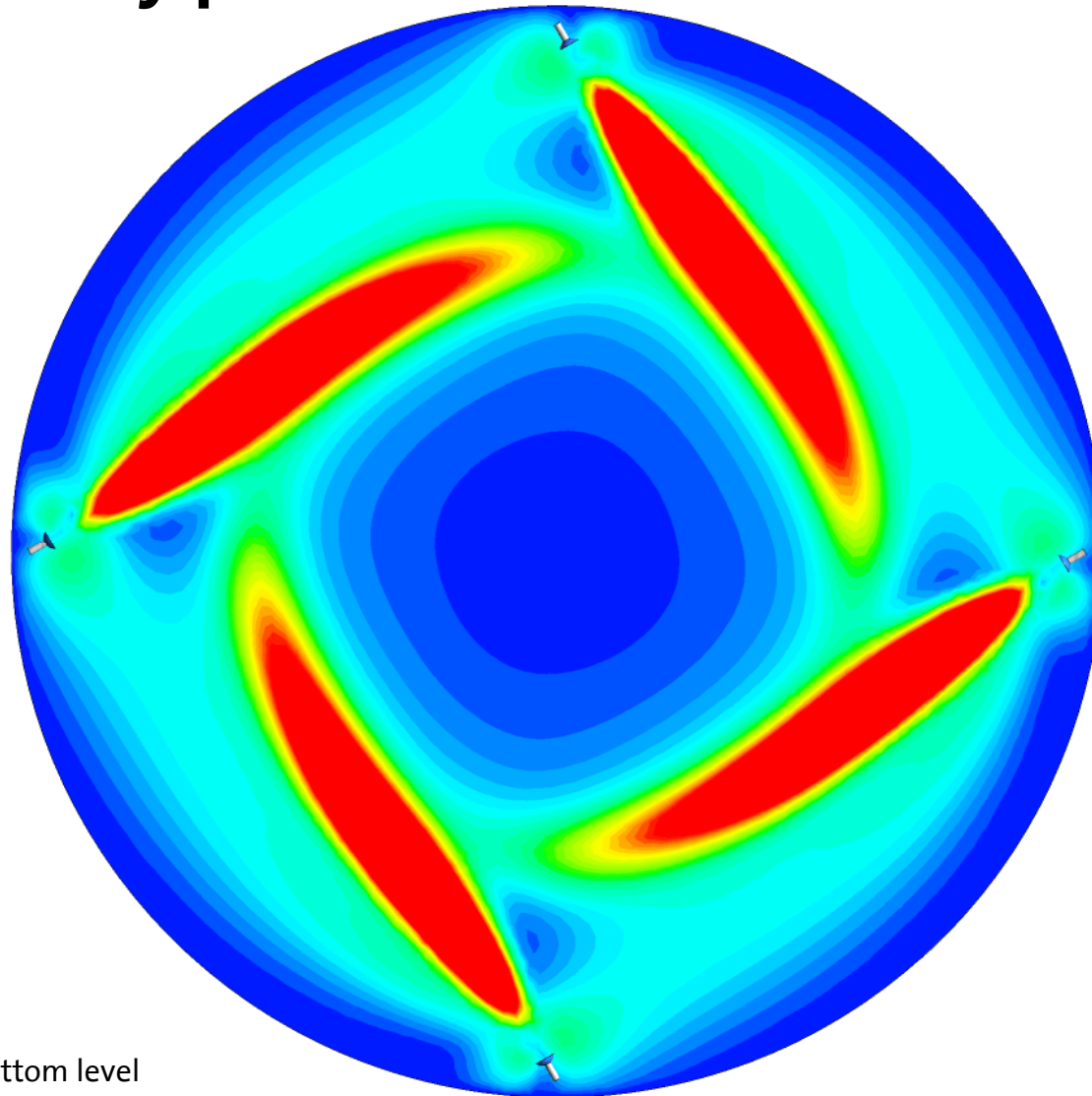
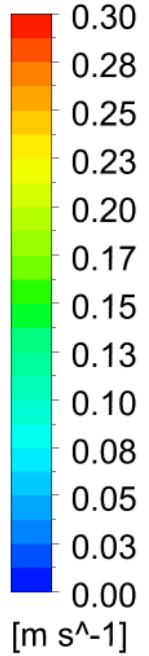
Sim. no.2 result



Sim. no.1 result  
(previous analysis)

# Results-Velocity plots

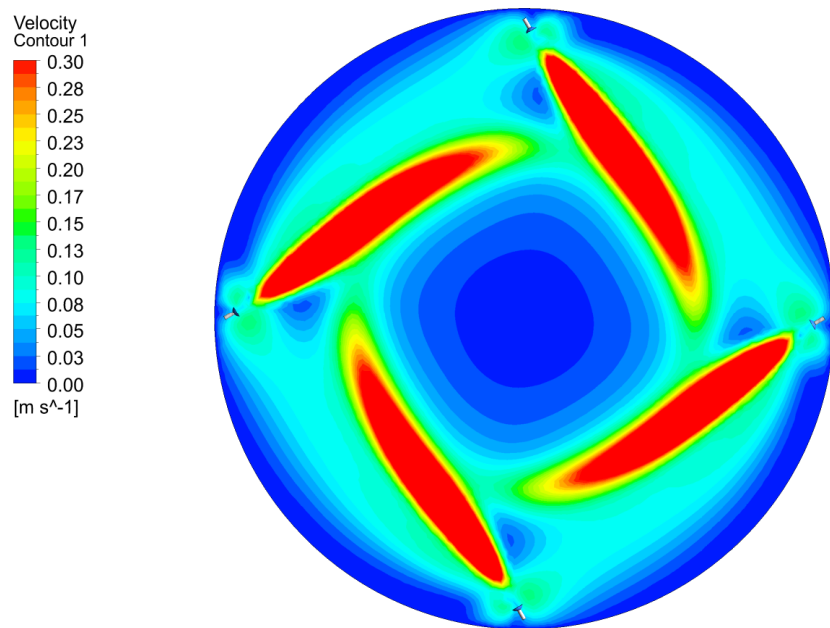
Velocity  
Contour 1



0.3m plane above the bottom level

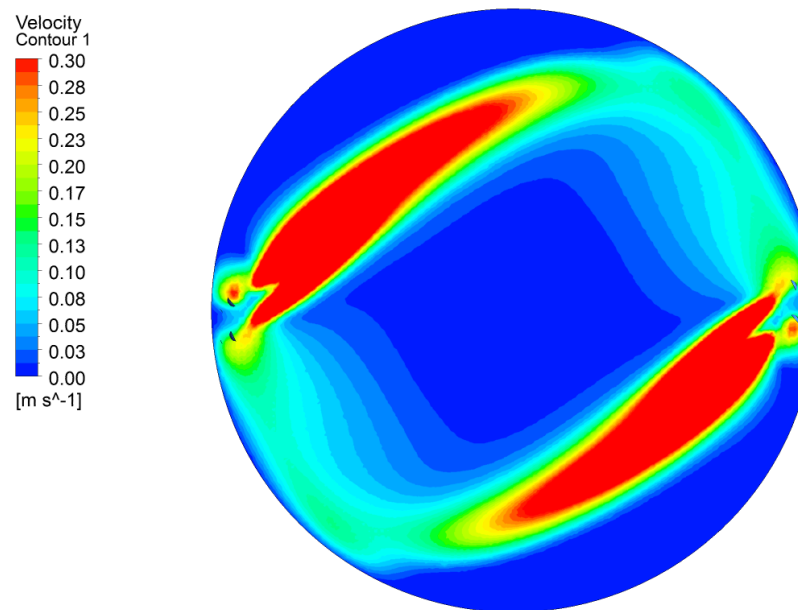
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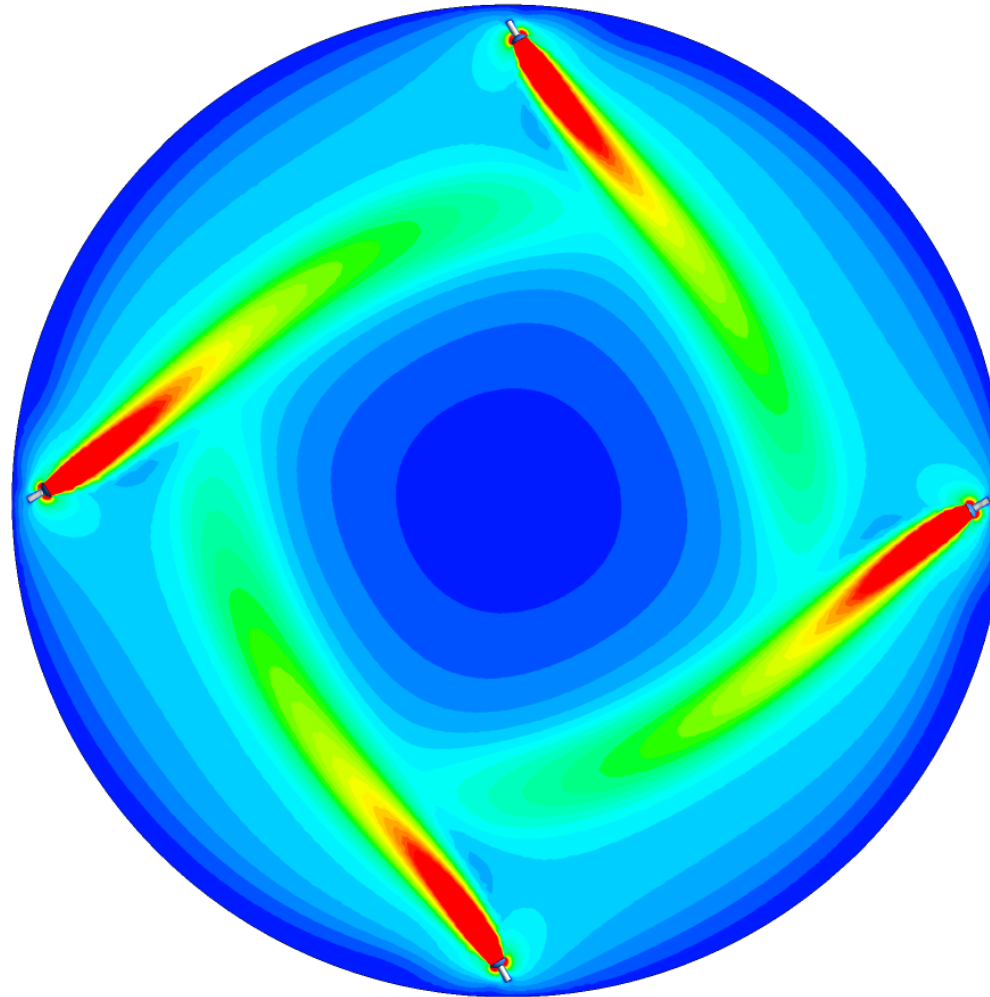
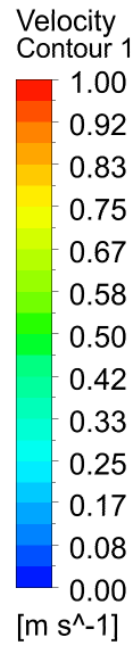
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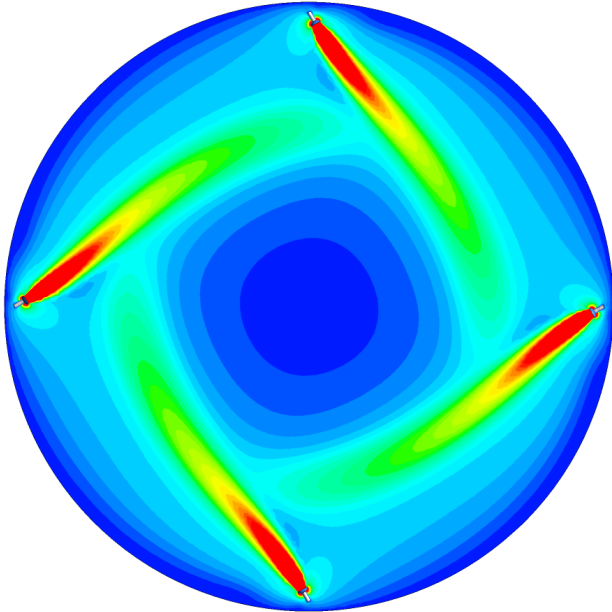
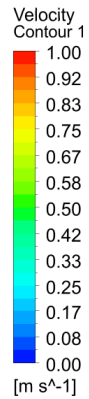
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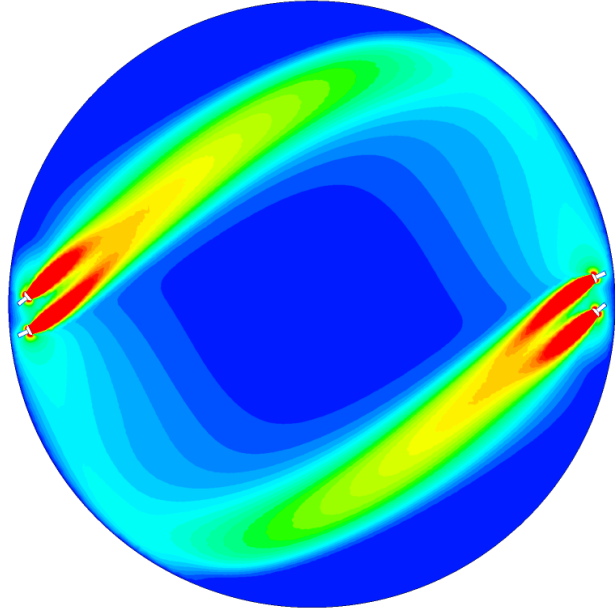
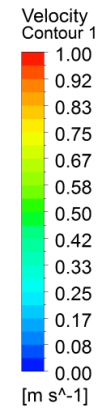
Through the AMG110 axis direction

# Results-Velocity plots

Comparison with original design



Sim. no.2 result



Sim. no.1 result  
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Through the AMG110 axis direction



# Results-Bottom shear stress

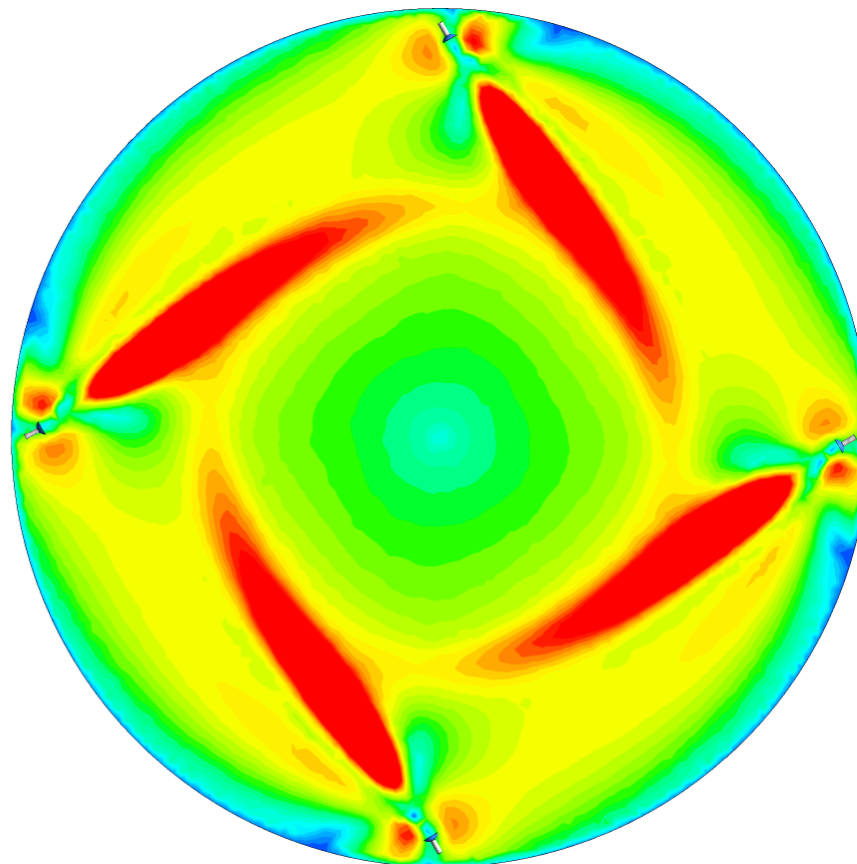
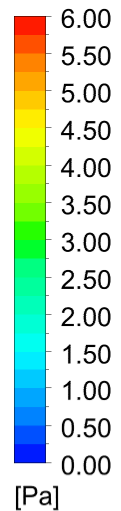
Bottom shear stress  $\tau = \text{force}/\text{acting area}$

Shear stress is the force applied by flowing liquid to its boundary. In this case, the liquid is waste water and the boundary is tank bottom. and it describes the force of water that is trying to drag the tank bottom downstream with it.

Different bottom shear stress depicts how well sediment is re-suspended at different zones of the tank bottom. Sedimentation can occur at the lower shear value zones.



Wall Shear  
Contour 1



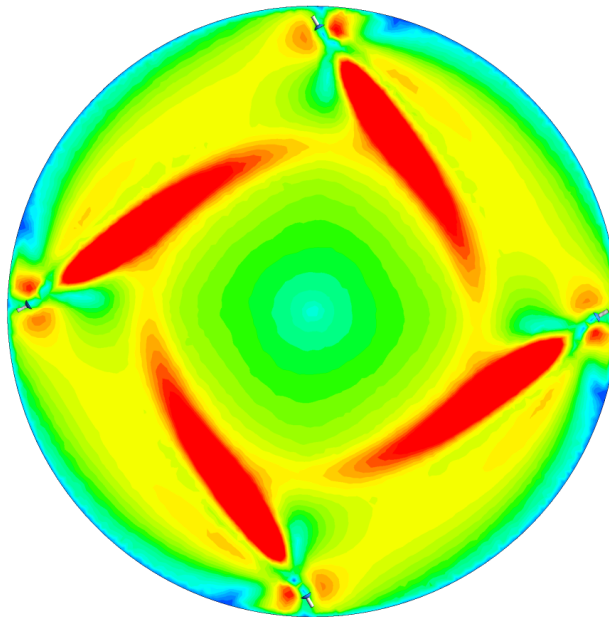
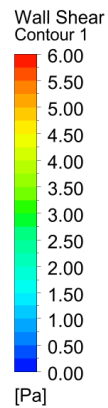
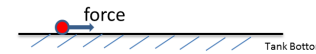
# Results-Bottom shear stress

## Comparison with original design

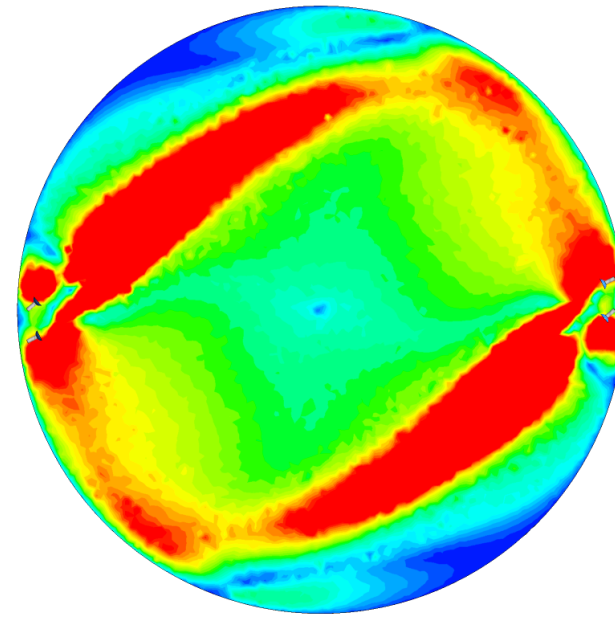
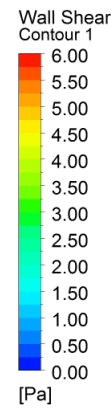
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(previous analysis)

## Results analysis&conclusions

CFD analysis of the digester tank has been investigated to find the optimum positioning of the mixers , taking into consideration that the only possible positioning area is at the periphery area of the tank.

By the CFD results it is clearly illustrated that the distribution and the utilization of the selected input power is possible by positioning the mixers at every quarter of the tank periphery. (Figure in Page 6)

To illustrate the performance we have chosen to visualize the bottom shear stress which is an effective factor to eliminate any possible solid build up.

The bottom shear stress and the average velocity can be increased by increasing input power but the selected mixer size seems sufficient for the required task.

# Disclaimer

This test report shows a simulation of fluid flows inside a WWTP tank.

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