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1) Effluent bsCOD

$$S = \frac{K_s [1 + b(SRT)]}{SRT(Yk - b) - 1} = \frac{10 \cdot (1 + 0.10 \cdot 6)}{6 \cdot (0.40 \cdot 12.5 - 0.10) - 1} = 0.56 \text{ g bsCOD/m}^3$$

caution: for simplicity units are not shown – check by yourself!

2) HRT required to achieve $X_{VSS} = 2500 \text{ g/m}^3$

$$X_{VSS} = \left(\frac{SRT}{\tau} \right) \left[\frac{Y(S^0 - S)}{1 + b(SRT)} \right] + (f_d)(b)(X_a)(SRT) + \frac{X_i^0(SRT)}{\tau}$$

$$2500 = \left(\frac{6}{\tau} \right) \left[\frac{0.40 \cdot (192 - 0.56)}{1 + 0.10 \cdot 6} \right] + 0.15 \cdot 0.10 \cdot X_a \cdot 6 + \frac{30 \cdot 6}{\tau}$$

Note that the first term of the left hand side, $\left(\frac{SRT}{\tau} \right) \left[\frac{Y(S^0 - S)}{1 + b(SRT)} \right]$, equals to X_a

$$2500 = \frac{287.2}{\tau} + 0.15 \cdot 0.10 \cdot \frac{287.2}{\tau} \cdot 6 + \frac{30 \cdot 6}{\tau}$$

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$$2500 = \frac{493.0}{\tau}$$

$$\tau = 0.197 d$$

3) Daily sludge production

$$P_{X,VSS} = \frac{X_{VSS}V}{SRT}$$

$$V = Q \cdot \tau = 1000 m^3/d \cdot 0.197d = 197 m^3$$

$$P_{X,VSS} = \frac{2500 g/m^3 \cdot 197 m^3}{6 d} = 8.21 \times 10^4 g VSS/d = 82.1 kg VSS/d$$

$$P_{X,TSS} =$$

$$\frac{1}{0.85} \cdot \frac{QY(S^0 - S)}{1 + b(SRT)} + \frac{1}{0.85} \cdot \frac{(f_d)(b)YQ(S^0 - S)SRT}{1 + b(SRT)} + QX_i^0 + Q(X_{TSS}^0 - X_{VSS}^0)$$

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$$\begin{aligned} P_{X,TSS} &= \frac{1}{0.85} \cdot \frac{1000 \cdot 0.40 \cdot (192 - 0.56)}{1 + 0.10 \cdot 6} \\ &+ \frac{1}{0.85} \cdot \frac{0.15 \cdot 0.10 \cdot 0.40 \cdot 1000 \cdot (192 - 0.56) \cdot 6}{1 + 0.10 \cdot 6} + 1000 \cdot 30 + 1000 \cdot 10 \\ &= 1.01 \times 10^5 \text{ g TSS/d} = 101 \text{ kg TSS/d} \end{aligned}$$

4) Fraction of active biomass in MLVSS

From

$$\begin{aligned} X_{VSS} &= \left(\frac{SRT}{\tau} \right) \left[\frac{Y(S^0 - S)}{1 + b(SRT)} \right] + (f_d)(b)(X_a)(SRT) + \frac{X_i^0(SRT)}{\tau} \\ &= \frac{287.2}{\tau} + \frac{25.8}{\tau} + \frac{180}{\tau} \end{aligned}$$

The first term is active biomass

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$$\text{Active biomass fraction} = \frac{287.2/\tau}{287.2/\tau + 25.8/\tau + 180/\tau} = 0.58$$

5) Oxygen requirement

$$R_o = Q(S_o - S) - 1.42P_{X,bio}$$

Recall

$$P_{X,vss} = \frac{QY(S^0 - S)}{1 + b(SRT)} + \frac{(f_d)(b)YQ(S^0 - S)SRT}{1 + b(SRT)} + QX_i^0$$

$$P_{X,bio} = \frac{QY(S^0 - S)}{1 + b(SRT)} + \frac{(f_d)(b)YQ(S^0 - S)SRT}{1 + b(SRT)}$$

So:

$$P_{X,bio} = P_{X,vss} - QX_i^0$$

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$$\begin{aligned} P_{X,bio} &= 82.1 \text{ kg VSS/d} - 1000 \text{ m}^3/\text{d} \cdot 30 \text{ g/m}^3 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ kg/g} \\ &= 52.1 \text{ kg VSS/d} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} R_o &= 1000 \text{ m}^3/\text{d} \cdot (192 - 0.56) \text{ g/m}^3 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ kg/g} - 1.42 \cdot 52.1 \text{ kg VSS/d} \\ &= 117 \text{ kg O}_2/\text{d} \end{aligned}$$