Under Pressure

Sensus Analytics Pressure Profile application - remote system pressure monitoring through your entire network to ensure optimal service levels.

The Sensus Analytics Pressure Profile software application enables remote pressure monitoring capabilities, providing visibility into what’s happening in your water distribution system. With the FlexNet® communication network, your system can become a smart utility network, and you will maximize return on your AMI investment by adding data points to your supply and distribution system to better understand and identify problem areas. Pressure Profile helps you to reduce leakage and bursts and ensure proper system pressure for desired service levels.

Several deployment options are available to capture your essential pressure data and device status.

- At the service connection, you can deploy ally® residential smart water meters with integrated pressure monitoring capabilities to map the pressure at the user level.

- For OMNI commercial and industrial water meters, Sensus® Smart Gateway Sensor Interface works with attached pressure sensors and can be used to access pressure at your most critical users.

- For monitoring asset performance in your distribution system, the Sensus Smart Gateway Sensor Interface combined with pressure sensors can be deployed on service and main lines, at pressure reducing valves (PRV), pump stations, and storage tanks.

Sensors can be deployed anywhere in your system and provide the right data at the right time allowing you to make decisions with the utmost confidence - all this at a fraction of the cost of a traditional SCADA system.

- Reduce water loss
- Prevent property damage
- Improve operating conditions
- Limit consequential costs due to water main breaks

Pressure Profile expands your system visibility and alerts you to issues at any point in your distribution system before they become a problem.
Pressure Profile represents a fundamental advancement in augmenting and expanding your SCADA system to monitor the operational efficiency and integrity of your water supply and distribution network.

**Benefits**
- System visibility
- Sustainability
- Cost reduction
- Customer service
- Asset optimization
- Risk mitigation

**Features**
- Map-based view to explore pressure, total head, and alarms
- Custom grouping for zone management, districts, focus areas, and service management
- Historical pressure graphs with up to three years of data storage
- User configurable alarms
- Dashboard to highlight significant events, alarms, and zonal statistics
- Map-based address search to quickly locate areas of interest

**Extend your SCADA’s view with remote pressure monitoring**
- See the full view of your system by monitoring remote areas or blind spots SCADA can’t reach.
- No need to rely on a wired power supply. Smart Gateways provide 10 years of battery life.
- More than reads: Incorporate alarm thresholds and other asset information.

**Stand-alone pressure monitoring**
Pressure monitoring as part of a suite of applications from Sensus Analytics provides an affordable solution, revealing relevant, actionable insights to help improve everything from operations to customer service.
Explore the pressure data spatially in the analysis view which includes grouping, table, and charting capabilities.

Quickly get a pulse on your water system with alarm summaries and zone statistics.

True insights on system performance and health
Pressure Profile is just one of a suite of applications within Sensus Analytics, offering a user-friendly way to take your utility to greater return on intelligence. The cloud-based, integration-ready software combines real-time and historical data to understand trends and identify abnormal operating conditions within your water system. Pressure Profile provides out-of-the-box analytics with customizable dashboards designed to instantly extract value from your data without the learning curve or setup time.
Adding Pressure Profile to your toolkit enables quicker and more informed decisions for enhanced customer service and accurate utility operations.

- Improve customer service by monitoring pressure both historically and on demand.
- Ensure reliable service for customers.
- Safeguard water for fire mitigation.
- Capture pressure data to reduce background leakage and pumping costs.
- Avoid boil water advisories with low-pressure alerts.
- Extend the life of your assets throughout your water network.
- Validate field activities by monitoring pressure before, during, and after repairs and projects.

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Pressure Profile in action

With remote pressure monitoring through ally water meters or Smart Gateways across the FlexNet communication network coverage area, Sensus can give you game-changing system visibility. In New Mexico, the Albuquerque/Bernalillo County Water Authority is responsible for delivering water of the highest quality to a service population of 650,000.

Albuquerque uses the Sensus AMI system to collect hourly reading data from their services. They also needed a way to get dispersed pressure and asset data to help manage their 25 pressure zones that are regulated with 250 pressure reducing valves. Since the FlexNet network was already installed, they added ally meters with integrated pressure sensors and Smart Gateways strategically throughout their service areas to collect pressure data.

By analyzing the system data, Pressure Profile enabled this utility to approach their operations proactively.

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Enjoy peace of mind with the remote pressure monitoring solution from Sensus. Leverage the enhanced system visibility to safe guard water quality, reduce truck rolls, save time and money, mitigate risk, and most importantly, ensure service to end users.