



## WATER TREATMENT CAPABILITIES

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## WHO WE ARE

Advanced Mobile Filtration Services LLC (AMFS) is an industrial water filtration company providing one of the most innovative and effective water treatment solutions in commercial use today. With the use of chemical-free, permanent membrane mobile technology, we are a high-volume alternative to traditional filtration in the coal ash and energy space, among others. This technology meets or exceeds permitted allowances for discharge and is rapidly deployable as a mobile technology in addition to the ability to scale for more permanent needs.

# EQUIPMENT INTRODUCTION

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- Each filtration tower has ~ 1,500 square feet of membrane surface area (scalable) and weighs 1.5 tons.
- Membranes have a very high resistance to fouling from oil, grease and polymers
- Easily removes suspended solids, producing permeate with turbidity <5 NTU
- (99% plus) bacteria and virus reduction without chemicals
- Ability to treat fluid with +50% solids with daily treatment volumes up to 175k gpd
- Capable of removing COC down to 30 Daltons

# TECHNICAL COMPARISON

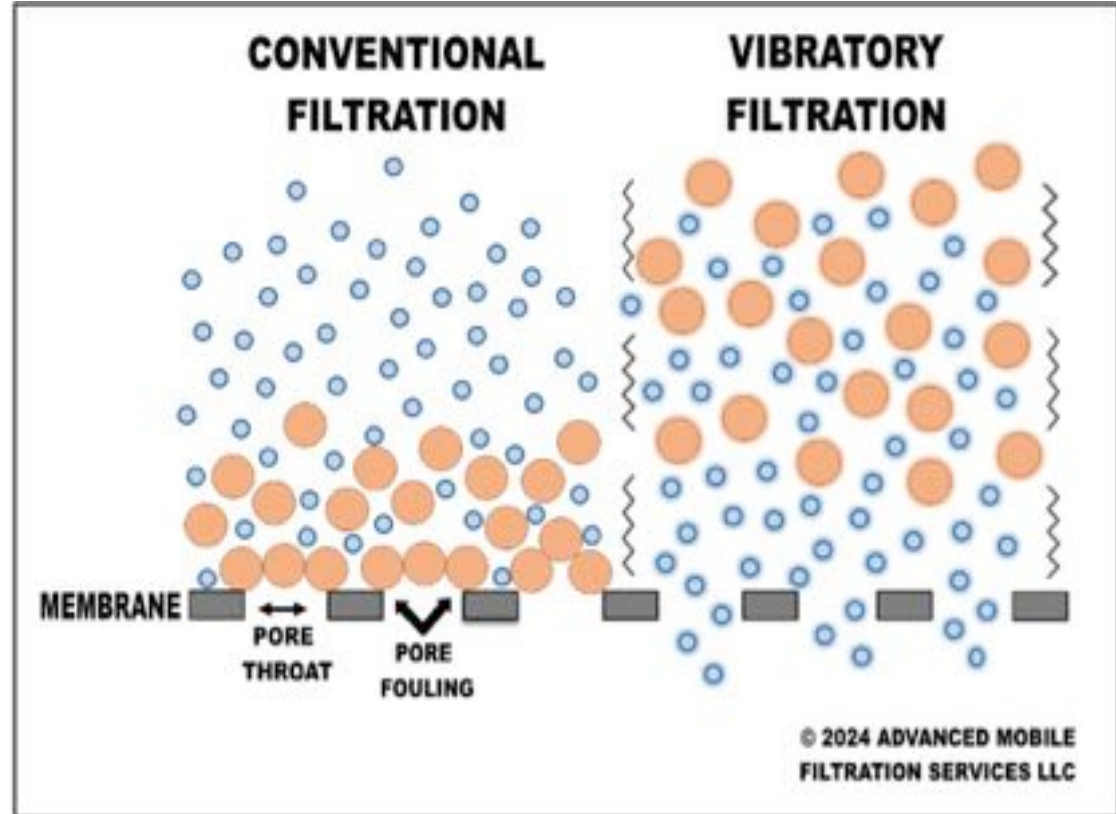
Conventional – Pretreatment/prefiltration is required to increase the efficiency, life expectancy and RO compatibility.  
AMFS - +50% v/v solids loading acceptable without prefiltration using vibration.

Conventional – membranes can last between hours to years  
AMFS – membranes operating still after 30+ years

Conventional – large footprint of equipment for treatment  
AMFS – 1/5th size of conventional

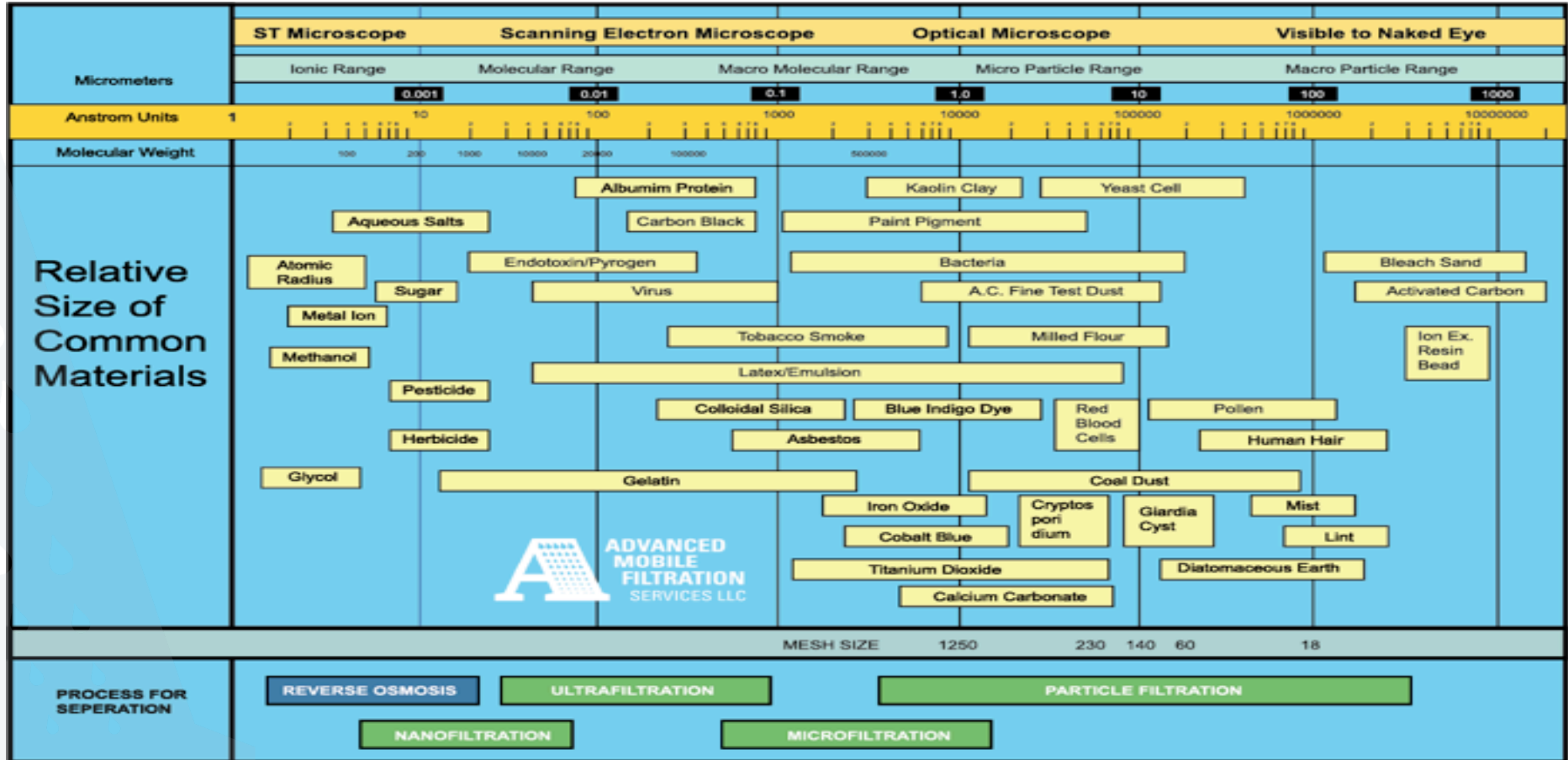
Conventional – pretreatment requires polishing of permeate after treatment  
AMFS – no chemicals, no polishing

Conventional – requires 3<sup>rd</sup> party support for crane and setup support  
AMFS– completely mobile with onboard crane



# CAPTURE THE WHOLE SPECTRUM

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# OPERATIONAL SETUP

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- Equipment was set up next to the leachate pond
- External pump moved leachate water to a frac tank and internal unit pumps directed the feed to the membranes
- Approximately 109,000 gpd (75gpm) feed
- 24-hour operations over 48 days to completion



# ANALYTICAL RESULTS

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| Parameter          | Units | MDL    | Feed         | Permeate |
|--------------------|-------|--------|--------------|----------|
| Aluminum           | mg/l  | 1.5    | 0.866        | 0.01     |
| Antimony           | mg/l  | 0.02   | 0.0147       | <0.0002  |
| Arsenic            | mg/l  | 0.14   | 7.18         | 0.0183   |
| Barium             | mg/l  | 14     | 0.137        | 0.0527   |
| Cadmium            | mg/l  | 0.0006 | 0.00368      | <0.00006 |
| Cobalt             | mg/l  | 0.0048 | 0.0211       | 0.00006  |
| Copper             | mg/l  | 0.048  | 0.0274       | 0.00137  |
| Hex. Chromium      | mg/l  | 0.047  | 0.50         | <0.006   |
| Iron               | mg/l  | 2.2    | 0.462        | 0.01     |
| Lead               | mg/l  | 0.052  | <0.0200      | <0.0002  |
| Manganese          | mg/l  | 13.4   | 0.713        | 0.0372   |
| Nickel             | mg/l  | 1      | 0.0369       | <0.0009  |
| Selenium           | mg/l  | 0.074  | 2.13         | 0.0105   |
| Thallium           | mg/l  | 0.0025 | 0.0133       | <0.00025 |
| Trivalent Chromium | mg/l  | 1.7    | Not Analyzed | <0.00298 |
| Vanadium           | mg/l  | 1.6    | 1.01         | 0.00561  |
| Zinc               | mg/l  | 0.42   | 0.139        | 0.0167   |

💧 Rare Earth Elements entrained in the feed were removed along with problematics such as Aluminum, Iron, Lead, Arsenic, Hexavalent Chromium, and Vanadium, among others, >99% removal efficiency.

💧 Since chemicals are not added, these recovered elements can be recovered as byproducts.

💧 Permeate met NPDES Permit and discharged direct to river source.

# PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS



- Two Phase Separation –  
Feed : Permeate:  
Concentrate 100:75:25
- No chemicals are used  
in the system for  
filtration, so no increase  
in COD
- Feed: 30-40,000 uS/cm  
Permeate: 1,200 uS/cm
- Drastic change in NTU
- Concentrate was  
disposed of offsite

# OPERATIONAL CHALLENGES

- 💧 Power on Demand - Electrical hookup requiring 480 VAC (volts alternating current) 3 Phase are not always readily available. A generator was placed on location for continuous power.
- 💧 Project Installation Location - While hard pack locations were available, the on-board leveling system and secondary containment was deployed on location.
- 💧 Feed Characteristics – Changes in contaminants, viscosities and solids loading fluctuated greatly. Constant fluids management aided in a successful project outcome.



# PROJECT & TECHNOLOGY SUMMARY

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- Remove COC such as PFAS, arsenic and selenium and others from contaminated sources
- Can treat high solids fluid sources without issue (30%)
- Meet National, State and Local permitted targets (NPDES)
- Large volume, low pressure, chemical-free, mobile or fixed based systems. (75 gpm/200 psi)
- Leachate ponds, orphaned tanks/pits, aquifers, chemical spills and emergency situations

# PAST EXPERIENCE: SPACE FORCE

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- Awarded DoD contract for dewatering and treatment of PFAS contaminated fluid
- Removed 100,000 gallons of heavily contaminated AFFF fluid from an underground storage tank (UST)
- Reduced PFOS/PFOA levels from 240,000 ppt to non-detect, exceeding 2024 EPA Drinking Water Regulations
- Permeate was approved to discharge directly into onsite sanitary sewer system

## CLIENT REFERENCE

**“An industrial facility in West Virginia had a difficult wastewater that needed treatment for discharge. We researched many treatment options. The AMFS advanced mobile filtration unit was the only system that offered a viable option to meet the low concentrations needed to discharge the water. The AMFS unit performed better than our expectations and successfully treated this difficult water.”**

*Our Clients*



**Stantec**



**Dominion  
Energy**



**Felman  
Production, LLC**



# CONTAMINANT REMOVAL CAPABILITIES

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Acid Mine Drainage  
AFFF PFOS PFAS  
Algae Dewatering

## Arsenic

Beer Juice Clarification  
Bilge Water  
Biogas Effluent  
Black Liquor  
Boiler Feed Water  
Boron  
Bottled Water  
Box Plant Effluent  
Bromide  
BTEX  
Calcium  
Calcium Carbonate  
Catalyst Recovery  
Calcium Sulfate  
Catalytic Converter Coating  
Cheese Whey Effluent  
Chemical Processing  
Chlorinated Solvent  
Chromium 6  
Coal Ash Ponds  
Coal Mine Runoff  
Coal Seam Gas Wastewater  
Cobalt  
Colloidal Silica Concentration  
Concentration Carbon Black  
Concentration Catalyst  
Concentration Titanium  
Coolant Recovery  
Cooling Pond Water

Cooling Tower Blowdown  
DEA Recovery  
Deicing Fluids  
Desalter Effluent  
Diafiltration  
Dioxide Wash Water Zeolite  
Disposal Well Injection Water  
Distillery Effluent (Vinasse)  
Drilling Fluid Recycling  
Drinking Water  
Ethanol Stillage  
Flue Gas Scrubber Effluent  
Frac Water  
Fuel Storage Tank Water  
Grease  
Groundwater Remediation  
Groundwater/Well Water  
Gypsum  
Hardboard Squeezings  
Heavy Coker Gas Oil  
Herbicide/Pesticide  
Iron  
Ion Exchange Regen Water  
Iron Oxide Concentration

## Lead

## Lithium

Manufacturing  
Manure  
Medium Density Fiberboard  
Metal Hydroxide Filtration

Metal Plating Wastewater  
Mercury  
Mining  
Molybdenum  
Motor Pool Oil  
Nickel Mine Sulfate Removal  
Nitrogen  
Olive Oil Filtration  
Olive Processing Wastewater  
Orange Juice Clarification  
Palm Oil Mill Effluent (POME)  
PCB  
Paper Coating Recycling  
Petroleum and Biofuels

## PFAS

Phosphoric Acid Purification  
Pigment Concentration  
Polymer Diafiltration  
Produced Water  
PTFE Wastewater  
Pulp and Paper

## Rare Earth Elements

Rendering and Off-ape Rendering  
Rendering Wastewater  
River Water Purification  
RO Reject

## Selenium

Slaughterhouse Wastewater  
Slop Oil

Sodium Sulfate Concentration  
Starch Wastewater  
Stripped Sour Water  
Sugar Water Clarification  
Tailings Pond Water  
Tannery Effluent  
Tea Concentration  
Textile Dye Wastewater  
Titanium Dioxide  
Ultrapure Water  
Washing  
Waste Oil Recycling  
Wastewater  
Wastewater Metals  
Wastewater Selenium  
Water, Food, and Beverage Beer  
Wine

## 1,4 Dioxane

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And more...

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