



Developer and Owner - WWOTC

Online Course - Instructor Led

Impacts of Trapped Air Particles in the Water Distribution System

November 21-22, 2023 (1:00 – 5:00 PM AST)

Course Objective / Description

The objective of this course is to understand and minimize the influences of air on our distribution system.

What will be covered:

- How air travels into water distribution pipes
- Impacts of air pockets that generate destructive forces
- Importance of continuously purging air to maintain pipeline efficiency
- Understanding gas laws that details out how air will behave in a pressurized system
- Operational procedures that can minimize air pockets in water systems
- Examination of old air valve designs to understand performance deficiencies that can impact how pipelines are filled and drained
- Review of air valve inspection procedures and hands-on exercises for operators
- How air bubbles can be removed with swabs & ice pigging
- Cavitation

Lesson	Description	Contact Hours
Lesson 1	Sources of Dissolved Air	2.0
Lesson 2	Air in Distribution Pipes	1.75
Lesson 3	Air Valves	0.75
Lesson 4	Dissolved Air Flotation	0.75
Lesson 5	Biofilm Effects	1.00
	Review and Exam	0.75
	Total Instruction/Contact Time:	7.0

CEU: 0.7

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Company:		
Company Mailing Address		
City, Province:	Postal Code:	
Phone:	Email:	
	WEF Membership #: listed, you will be invoiced as a non-member. See pricing below.	
Fee for	r ACWWA or WEF Members & Employees of UTILITY Members Course: \$355.00 + \$53.25 HST (15%) = \$408.25	
	Fee for Non – Members Course: \$380.00 + \$57.00 HST (15%) = \$437.00	
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