PROTECTING RO MEMBRANES AT A PET FOOD MANUFACTURER

SECTOR
Industrial Clean Water

APPLICATION
Monitoring a river water intake to a RO treatment process that provides water for pet food manufacture

CUSTOMER
Pet Food Manufacturer, UK

INSTALLATION DATE
2016

PROBLEM
Accidents with hydrocarbon contamination in the river meant that the customer could have to replace a new RO membrane installation at a very high cost.

PRODUCT
MS1200-01-SYS – Standard version, 4-20mA

INSTALLATION FACTS
The instrument has been installed within the factory. The manufacturer abstracts water from a river and has its own small water treatment plant. Since the water is used in the preparation of food for pet animals, they need a high degree of purity and an RO system is paramount. The river has a history of accidents involving hydrocarbons. This means that the RO membranes could need replacement on a regular basis. Now, when a contamination event is detected, that water is discarded and the system is protected.