

## Introducing the NEW Universal Scoring Module!

Software helps communities make better decisions about their infrastructure. Choosing the right software is critical to succeed in today's water/wastewater management business where "doing more with less" is the norm. CUES, a leading provider of pipeline inspection equipment and condition assessment software has released the Universal Scoring Module. This powerful decision support tool helps people make highly informed, defensible decisions about determining which pipes and structures to fix in the short term as well as the long term.

Working in close collaboration with consultant engineers to leverage years of existing data, CUES designed this module to determine what pipes to fix and when. Using mathematical formulas within the software, structural engineers can now create highly accurate predictive models to determine where and when pipeline failures are likely to happen- and therefore avert pollution events before they happen.

With predictive modeling capabilities, fiscal planners can now create scenario-based budget forecasts to understand the potential costs and anticipated bond funding necessary to sustain the community's service levels 5, 10, 50 and 100 years into the future.

Superior Capital Planning decisions are possible when the probability of failure can be predicted due to the direct correlation of an asset's expected life cycle and its current rate of deterioration. Granite XP software moves the relevant scoring data to GIS so that people can better assess what the consequence of failure could be for high risk pipelines.

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