# **VIBRATORS**





Vibrators may seem like an affordable flow aid that is easy to retrofit, but can have hidden costs, limited efficiency, and frustrating maintenance issues

## FUNCTIONALITY

- Vibrators use external agitation of the vessel or shaking to stimulate material flow
- Shaking breaks the friction to loosen material, and gravity finishes the job

### ») NOISE LEVEL

Very loud, irritating noise

- AirSweep uses internal activation through aeration.
- High-pressure, high-volume air pulses to lift stalled material back into the flow stream
- Makes a quick, ear-friendly "psst" or "pop"

- MAINTENANCE COST
  - Causes weld and metal fatigue, leading to vessel replacement/repair
  - High electricity consumption

- No damage, vibration, stress or wear to vessel walls
- Only needs inspection every 6 months, and replacement of parts after 1,000,000 cycles
- Uses as little as 10 CFM of compressed air or gas
- Longest industry warranty 7 years

### 🔍 WORKER SAFETY & CONVENIENCE

- High-current supply lines may be dangerous in some work environments
- Noise transmits through entire production area, adding to worker stress
- $\Rightarrow$  material control
  - De-aerates and compacts some materials, creating rather than solving material flow problems
  - Even if bridging is controlled, material build-up on bin walls requires periodic shutdowns for cleaning

- Safe, quiet and non-intrusive
- > Can be cleaned and inspected without the use of tools
- Reduces workload: can be used to provide on-demand flow or automatic cleaning/flushing of vessels
- Effective for all kinds of material, including moist, sticky and heavy powders and bulk solids
- Fully clears each batch from the bin, ensuring first-in/first-out material flow with no cross-contamination

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