



**The Marlee Float Skimmer
For Sediment Basins and
Post-Construction Water Quality**

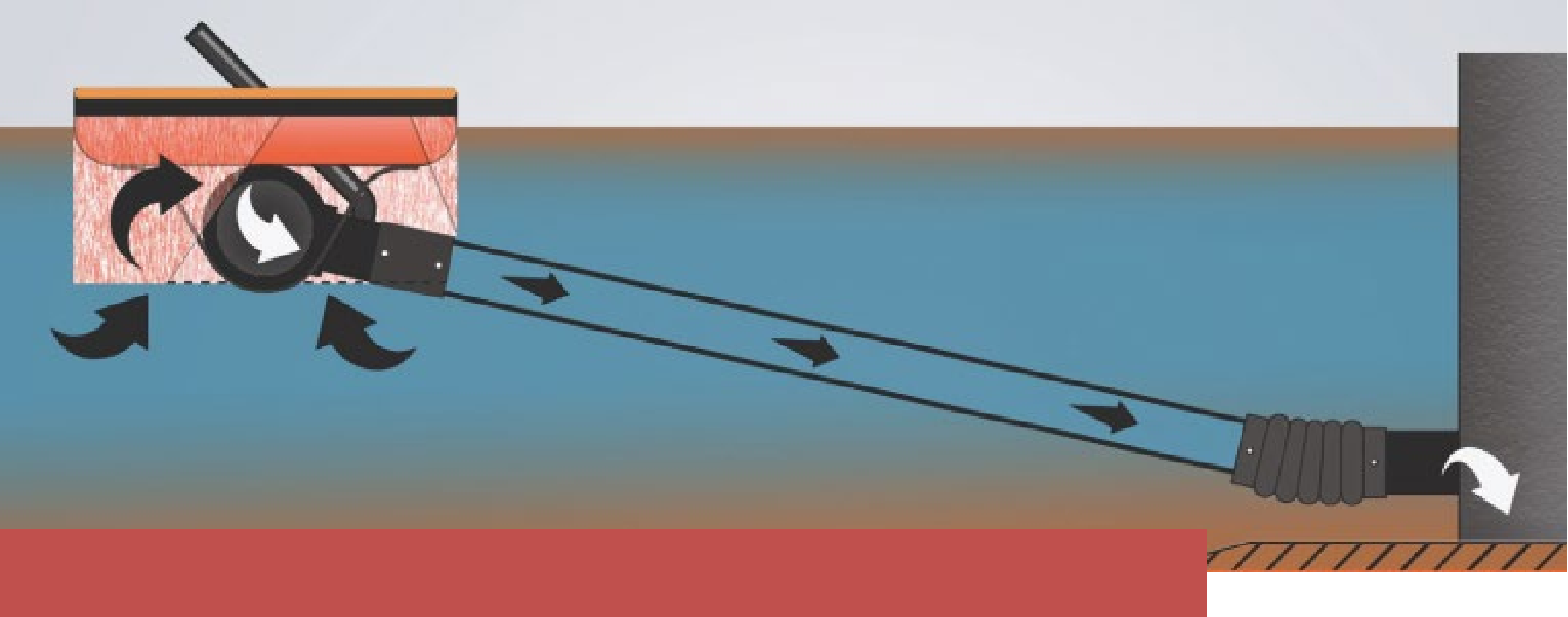
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Presentation Objectives

Features of the Marlee Float Skimmer and Sediment Basin Design Tool

Understand Benefits of Using Skimmers for Post-Construction

Introduce the new post-construction filter for water quality to achieve 90% TSS Removal



The Marlee Float Skimmers float at the surface of the water and withdraw from just below the surface to release the cleaner water at the top of the water column and prevent floating debris from being discharged or clogging the skimmer.



How is The **Marlee Float™** Different?



State of the Art Design

- Made of HDPE pipe, polyethylene float and stainless steel fittings
- UV Resistant and virtually indestructible
- Fabricated to be part of the permanent outlet structure
 - No moving parts



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Enhanced Water Quality

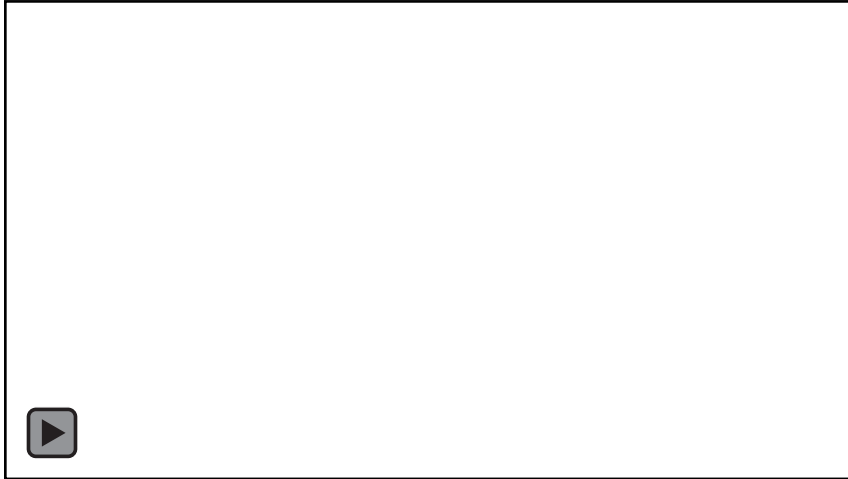


- Shielded orifice prevents clogging
- Flow enters from 4"-20" below water surface
- Unique design traps floatables in basin and increases sediment trapping efficiency
- Mud and debris do not get to outlet orifice
- Subsurface drain continues to work in mild frozen conditions of 4 - 6" of ice.

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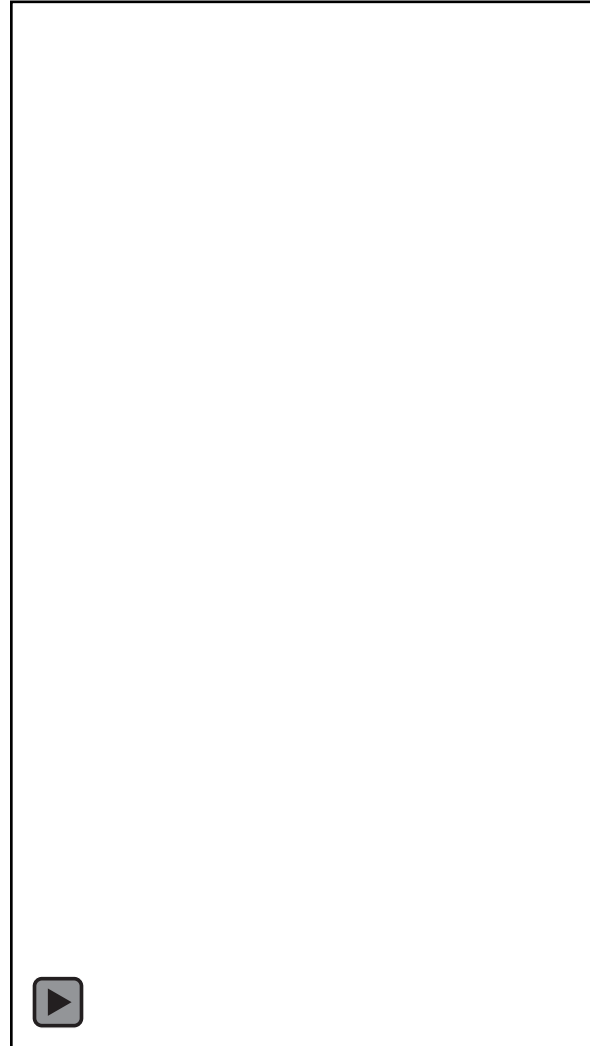
Cost Effective Product

- Six models to choose from with simple, cost effective conversion kits allow weir size to be easily changed
- Orifice Plate held securely in place
- Each model provides 3 to 5 flow rates with 1 device
- Third-party testing to verify flow rates and draw down times





**Updated Design
in 2020 to
always
stay level in
pond**





How is The **Marlee Float™** Different?

- Custom Molded Float for the 3", 4", 6" & 8" Models
- Built-in handles make for easier carrying of 6" & 8"
- Custom colors are available with lead time of 2 months





6 Models available, each with a wide range of flow rates

FLOW RATES & PRICING

*CFD= Cubic Feet per Day
**CFS= Cubic Feet per Second

Marlee Float Flow Rates are based on third party test results.

	Size	24 Hour Peak Flow Rate			Size	24 Hour Peak Flow Rate	
		(cfd)*	(cfs)**			(cfd)*	(cfs)**
2 in. MSRP-\$595	0.5"	250	0.003	6 in. MSRP-\$3,395	3.5"	21,233	0.246
	0.75"	1,290	0.015		4"	28,086	0.325
	1"	1,617	0.019		4.5"	38,760	0.449
	1.5"	2,887	0.033		5"	45,160	0.523
	2"	5,159	0.060		6"	67,221	0.778
3 in. MSRP-\$995	1.5"	3,523	0.041	8 in. MSRP-\$4,995	5"	48,837	0.565
	2"	6,218	0.072		6"	69,877	0.809
	2.5"	10,664	0.123		6.5"	80,677	0.934
	3"	13,725	0.159		7"	117,329	1.358
4 in. MSRP-\$1,545	2"	6,737	0.078	8/8 in. pipe MSRP-\$6,495	8"	132,786	1.537
	2.5"	10,106	0.117		8"	158,350	1.833
	3"	15,361	0.178				
	3.5"	21,040	0.244				
	4"	33,129	0.383				

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8" skimmer with 8" pipe has the highest flow rate of any skimmer available

Ohio EPA Sediment Basin Sizing and Dewatering Compliance Tool

Step 1 – Sediment Basin Volume Requirements

Sediment Basin Sizing and Dewatering Compliance Tool	
version 1.1 2020-06-26	
Project Summary	
Project Name:	<input type="text"/>
Project Location:	<input type="text"/>
Subwatershed ID/Label:	<input type="text"/>
Project Latitude:	<input type="text"/>
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Submitted by:	<input type="text"/>
Date:	<input type="text"/>
Watershed:	<input type="text" value="Statewide"/>
Subwatershed Total Drainage Area, A_{total} =	<input type="text" value="15.00"/> acres = <input type="text" value="653,400"/> ft^2
Subwatershed Disturbed Drainage Area, A_{dist} =	<input type="text" value="10.00"/> acres = <input type="text" value="435,600"/> ft^2

Street address (or street name and nearest intersection), City, state, zip code

Enter latitude at entrance to site in decimal degrees (format: 40.947544)

Enter longitude at entrance to site in decimal degrees (format: -81.465240)

Name of design engineer

mm/dd/yyyy

Select from dropdown which watershed the project is located in, select "Statewide" if not within the Big Darby Creek Watershed

Report to the nearest 0.01 acre; include any drainage from off-site

All Basin dewatering discharge calculations in these worksheets assume free discharge from the outlet (i.e., no tailwater)

Step 1 - Sediment Basin Volume Requirements	
<u>For Statewide Watersheds</u>	
Minimum Sediment Storage Volume, $V_{sediment}$ =	<input type="text" value="10000"/> ft^3 = <input type="text" value="370"/> yd^3 = <input type="text" value="0.230"/> acre-ft
Minimum Dewatering Zone Volume, $V_{dewatering}$ =	<input type="text" value="27000"/> ft^3 = <input type="text" value="1,000"/> yd^3 = <input type="text" value="0.620"/> acre-ft

Requirement: Minimum Sediment Volume = 1000 ft^3 /acre of disturbed drainage area

Requirement: Minimum Dewatering Volume = 1800 ft^3 /acre of total drainage area

Ohio EPA Sediment Basin Sizing and Dewatering Compliance Tool

Step 3 – Outlet Elevation and Storage Volumes

Step 4 – Skimmer Type Outlet Sizing - Includes Multiple Skimmer Options

Marlee Float Skimmer is included IN OH EPA Design Tool

Step 4 - Skimmer-Type Outlet Sizing

Select Skimmer Type or Manufacturer:

Marlee Float: [Click To Access Marlee Float Webpage](#)

Orifice Size Selected: in
Dewatering Drawdown Time: hrs

Direct to webpage, open the Basin with Permanent Pool Design (Ohio) tool under Marlee Float: Design Tools. Fill out spreadsheet to determine skimmer size and model required. Include Marlee spreadsheet in SWP3

Check to ensure that orifice sizing calculation is done using required, NOT provided dewatering volume
Check that dewatering drawdown time is greater than 2 days and less than 7 days

Design Aid Tool

Rest of Page Auto-calculates & Puts Results on Skimmer Report Page

22	161	56	1838	5684	42517	19.6%	2	0.00	397	7	0.01	106	8	
23	159	55	1783	7467	55852	25.7%	2	0.00	522	7	0.01	140	8	
24	158	54	1728	9195	68779	31.7%	2	0.00	644	7	0.01	172	8	
25	156	53	1674	10869	81301	37.4%	2	0.00	763	7	0.01	204	8	
26	155	52	1621	12490	93425	43.0%	2	0.00	879	7	0.01	234	8	
27	153	50	1568	14058	105156	48.4%	2	0.00	991	7	0.01	264	8	
28	152	49	1516	15575	116499	53.6%	2	0.00	1100	7	0.01	293	8	
29	150	48	1465	17040	127459	58.7%	2	0.00	1206	7	0.01	320	8	
30	149	47	1415	18455	138043	63.6%	2	0.00	1309	7	0.01	347	8	
31	147	46	1365	19820	148255	68.3%	2	0.00	1410	7	0.01	373	8	
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33	144	43	1268	22404	167586	77.2%	2	0.00	1602	6	0.01	423	8	
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39	135	36	994	29040	217219	100.0%	1	0.00	2129	6	0.01	555	6	
40	Skimmer / Orifice Combinations with Sufficient Flow:							no			no			
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Skimmer draw down time for selection
 Typically recommend skimmer with draw down time closest to 72 hours

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↑ Skimmer Report Page

Design Aid Tool
Skimmer Size Selection
Report Page

Confirm Sediment Storage
and Dewatering Volume
Match Basin Design

Using the input parameters
from the Sizing Calcs entry
page, this report is
automatically generated.

Marlee Float Skimmer Size Selection Report				
Date	August 1, 2020			
Company	Meyer Engineering			
Engineer	J. Fields			
Project Name	Buckeye Acres			
Project Location	Columbus, OH			
Basin Description	Skimmer Basin 1			
Total Disturbed Area	10	Acres		
Required Sediment Storage Volume:	10,000	CF		
Total Drainage Area	15	Acres		
Required Dewatering Volume	27,000	CF	Confirm Calculated Pond Volume is similar to Required Dewatering Volume	
Inputs		Calculations		
Max. Time to Drain, hrs = 168		Calculated Pond Volume, ft ³ = 27,500		
Min. Time to Drain, hrs = 48				
Pond Depth, ft = 2.5		Calculated Pond Volume, gal = 205,700		
Pond Top Length, ft = 200				
Pond Top Width, ft = 100				
Pond Bottom Length, ft = 100				
Pond Bottom Width, ft = 40				
Minimum Average Flow Rate Allowable	3,929	cfd to drain in	168	hrs
	0.045	cfs		
Maximum Average Flow Rate Allowable	13,750	cfd to drain in	48	hrs
	0.159	cfs		

Design Aid Tool
Skimmer Size Selection
Report Page

Skimmer Size Selection
Report gives you skimmer
size & orifice size to use for
required flow rate

Select skimmer based on
preferred draw down time –
typically recommend
skimmer with time closest to
72 hours

Include this report in SWPPP

Marlee Float Selection Chart

Model #	Orifice	Draw down time (hrs)	Acceptable for basin
2"	0.5"	1955	no
2"	0.75"	507	no
2"	1.0"	424	no
2"	1.5"	228	no
2"	2"	141	MF 2" - 2"
3"	1.5"	197	no
3"	2.0"	109	MF 3" - 2.0" Orifice
3"	2.5"	70	MF 3" - 2.5" Orifice
3"	3"	52	MF 3" - 3"
4"	2.0"	100	MF 4" - 2.0" Orifice
4"	2.5"	66	MF 4" - 2.5" Orifice
4"	3.0"	43	no
4"	4"	22	no
6"	3.5"	35	no
6"	4"	26	no
6"	4.5"	20	no
6"	5"	16	no
6"	6"	11	no
8"	5"	14	no
8"	6"	11	no
8"	6.5"	9	no
8"	7"	7	no
8"	8"	6	no
8"***	8"***	5	no

*** This 8" skimmer requires an 8" pipe instead of a 6" pipe from the skimmer to the outlet and is a special order item. Make sure to note on plans this is needed if this version is specified. Requires two weeks for shipping

Ohio EPA Sediment Basin Sizing and Dewatering Compliance Tool

Includes Printout of Both Design Tools in SWPPP



Marlee Float Skimmer Size Selection Report

Date: August 1, 2020
Company: Meyer Engineering
Engineer: J. Fields
Project Name: Buckeye Acres
Project Location: Columbus, OH
Basin Description: Skimmer Basin 1
Total Disturbed Area: 10 Acres
Required Sediment Storage Volume: 10,000 CF
Total Drainage Area: 15 Acres
Required Dewatering Volume: 27,000 CF

Confirm Calculated Pond Volume is similar to Required Dewatering Volume

Inputs	Calculations
Max. Time to Drain, hrs = 168	Calculated Pond Volume, ft ³ = 27,500
Min. Time to Drain, hrs = 48	
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6"	6"	11	no
8"	5"	14	no
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Sediment Basin Sizing and Dewatering Compliance Tool

Project Summary

Project Name: _____
 Project Location: _____
 Subwatershed ID/Label: _____
 Project Latitude: _____
 Project Longitude: _____
 WPC/Stream/Outlet: _____
 Submitted By: _____
 Date: _____

Watershed:

Subwatershed Total Drainage Area, A_{sub} = 21.00 acres = 600,000 ft²
 Subwatershed Outlet Drainage Area, A_{out} = 10.00 acres = 270,000 ft²

Street address (or street name and nearest intersection), City, state, zip code

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Name of design engineer

mm/AA/yyyy

Select from dropdown which watershed the project is located in, select "Other" if not within the Big Darby Creek Watershed

Report to the nearest 0.02 acre, include any drainage from off-site

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Step 1 - Sediment Basin Volume Requirements

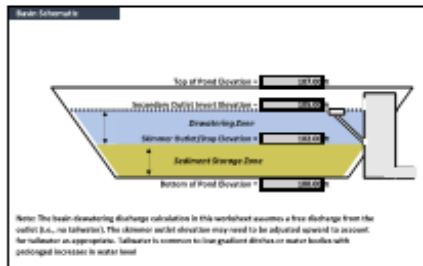
Minimum Sediment Storage Volume, V_{sediment} = 20000 ft³ = 0.74 acre-ft
 Minimum Dewatering Pond Volume, V_{dewatering} = 27000 ft³ = 1.00 acre-ft

Requirement: Minimum Sediment Volume = 2000 ft³/acre of disturbed drainage area
 Requirement: Minimum Dewatering Volume = 1800 ft³/acre of total drainage area

Step 2 - Basin Stage Storage Relationship

Elevation (ft)	Area (ft ²)	Incremental Volume (ft ³)	Cumulative Volume (ft ³)
10.00	11,000	11,000	11,000
10.25	11,500	2,750	13,750
10.50	12,000	2,750	16,500
10.75	12,500	2,750	19,250
11.00	13,000	2,750	22,000
11.25	13,500	2,750	24,750
11.50	14,000	2,750	27,500

(AM/FM/FM) Sheet include the exact Skimmer Outlet/Skimmer Step Elevation and the secondary Outlet Invert Elevation in the Stage Storage Table



Step 3 - Outlet Structures and Storage Volumes

Skimmer Outlet Invert/Skimmer Step Elevation = 10.25 ft = 10.25 ft
 Secondary Outlet Invert Elevation = 10.75 ft = 10.75 ft

Provided Sediment Storage Volume = 20,000 ft³ = 0.74 acre-ft
 Provided Dewatering Volume = 27,000 ft³ = 1.00 acre-ft

The Invert of the Skimmer Outlet/Skimmer Step (i.e., step up) corresponds to the top of the sediment storage zone (sediment pond) and is the lowest elevation for the exit available (usually pond discharge or flood control outlet). This elevation must exceed that of the skimmer or "check". The difference between the skimmer outlet invert/skimmer step elevation and the secondary outlet invert elevation (dewatering in) the sediment storage volume must exceed the requirement listed above in Step 1

The Dewatering Volume must exceed the requirement listed above in Step 1

Step 4 - Skimmer Type Outlet Sizing

Select Skimmer Type or Manufacturer:

Marlee Float: [Click to access Marlee Float Design Tools](#)

Orifice Size Selected: 2.5" Orifice

Dewatering Drawdown Time: 72 hrs

Select to helppage, open the Basin with Permanent Flood Design (Sizing) tool and Marlee Float Design Tools. Fill out spreadsheet to determine

Check to ensure that orifice sizing calculation is done using required, NOT provided dewatering volume

Check that dewatering drawdown time is greater than 3 days and less than 7 days

Marlee Skimmer Photo

Please note the drawing and/or image below are provided solely to assist with identification of the skimmer type and its associated components. The drawing and/or photo below does not necessarily depict an installation that complies with the General Permit or Rainwater & Land Development specifications, especially where the sediment storage zone is omitted.

Marlee Float™ Skimmer Cut Sheet/Installation Instructions

Basin Details available on our website www.MarleeFloat.com

Make sure to specify the **required dewatering volume** and **draw down time frame** on your plan set

SKIMMER SEDIMENT BASIN DESIGN CRITERIA	
MIN. LENGTH TO WIDTH RATIO	2:1
MAX. LENGTH TO WIDTH RATIO	6:1
SEDIMENT STORAGE VOLUME REQUIRED	1000 CU. FT. PER AC. DISTURBED
DEWATERING VOLUME REQUIRED	1800 CU. FT. (67 CU. YD.) PER AC. TOTAL
SURFACE AREA REQUIRED	325 SQ. FT. PER CFS Q10
MINIMUM DEWATERING TIME	48 HRS
MAXIMUM DEWATERING TIME	120 HRS

NOTES:

- REFER TO MS4 FOR ADDITIONAL DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS REGARDING SEDIMENT BASINS.
- FOREBAY, IF REQUIRED BY MS4. IF NOT ADD THIRD BAFFLE.
- INSTALL SKIMMER PARALLEL TO BANK FOR EASE OF INSPECTION.

* IF EQUAL ALLOWED MUST CONFIRM MEETS FLOW RATE RANGE SPECIFIED.

BASIN NO.	SEDIMENT STORAGE VOL.		DEWATERING VOLUME	
	REQ. (CF)	PROV. (CF)	REQ. (CF)	PROV. (CF)

DATA BLOCK

BASIN NO.	DRAINAGE AREA (ACRES)	DISTURBED AREA (ACRES)	Q ₁₀ (CFS)	BASIN SURFACE AREA		BOTTOM OF BASIN (ELEV.)	OUTLET INVERT (ELEV.)	BARREL PIPE (SIZE)	TOP OF RISER (ELEV.)	EMER. SPILLWAY (ELEV.)	EMER. SPILLWAY (WIDTH)	SKIMMER SIZE	SKIMMER ORIFICE DIAMETER	SKIMMER TYPE	EQUAL ALLOWED *		SKIMMER FLOW RATE	
				REQ. (CF)	PROV. (CF)										YES	NO	MIN.	MAX.
														MARLEE				
														MARLEE				

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WITH PERMANENT WET POND
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Marlee Float Specs

We've assembled informational details including installation instructions, basin diagrams, and product cut sheets to better assist you in sourcing the Marlee Float for your next project. Please reach out to a RYMAR Specialist if you have additional questions.

Marlee Float: Design Tools

Download these simple tools to help you determine which skimmer size best fits your needs.

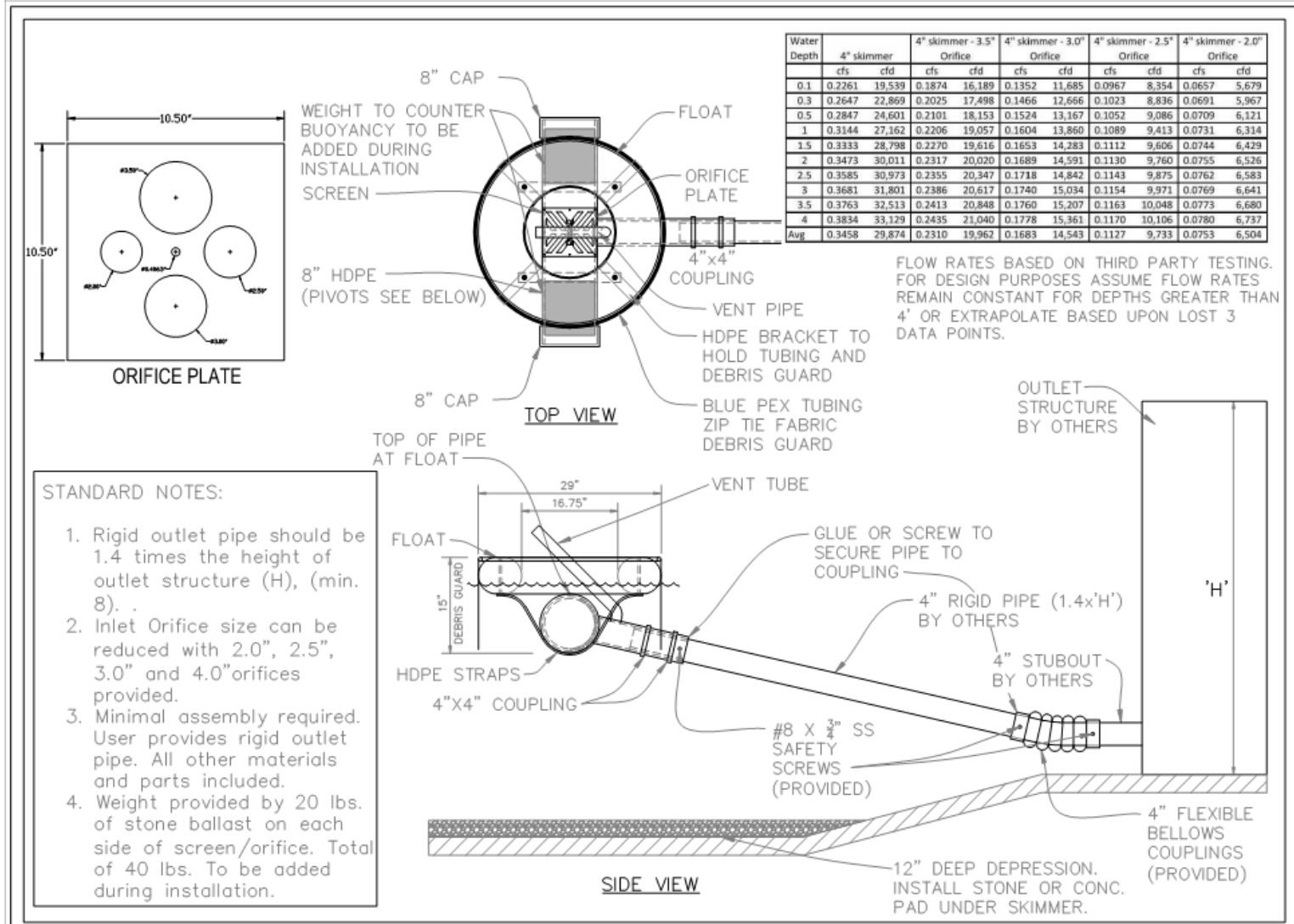
DESIGN TOOL (XLS)

Basin with Permanent Pool Design
(Ohio)

COMPARISON CHART

Marlee Float: Product Detail Cut Sheets

2"	3"	4"
0.5-2 INCH DESIGN (PDF)	1.5-3 INCH DESIGN (PDF)	2-4 INCH DESIGN (PDF)
0.5-2 INCH DESIGN (DWG)	1.5-3 INCH DESIGN (DWG)	2-4 INCH DESIGN (DWG)
0.5-2 INCH DESIGN CUT SHEETS	1.5-3 INCH DESIGN CUT SHEETS	2-4 INCH DESIGN CUT SHEETS



4" MARLEE FLOAT
2" - 4" Orifice
Skimmer Detail



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SCALE
N.T.S.
DATE
02/28/2020

PROPERTY LOCATION

County, State

Why Consider Surface Withdrawal for Permanent Basins?

Permanent basins rely upon settlement to capture pollutants. Designs are typically based on a “First Flush” volume released over 24 - 48 hours to attempt to achieve sufficient settlement time.

Low-flow water quality orifices often need to be 3” or less in diameter and are prone to clogging. Basins are meant to collect sediment and will often have significant sediment build-up over time.

Surface withdrawal from permanent detention or retention basins releases the cleaner water from near the surface and allows more time for pollutants to settle. Does it make sense to do this during construction but then use an orifice at the bottom of the pond for post-construction?

Basins rely upon the natural settling of sediment particles as they travel from the inlet to the outlet.

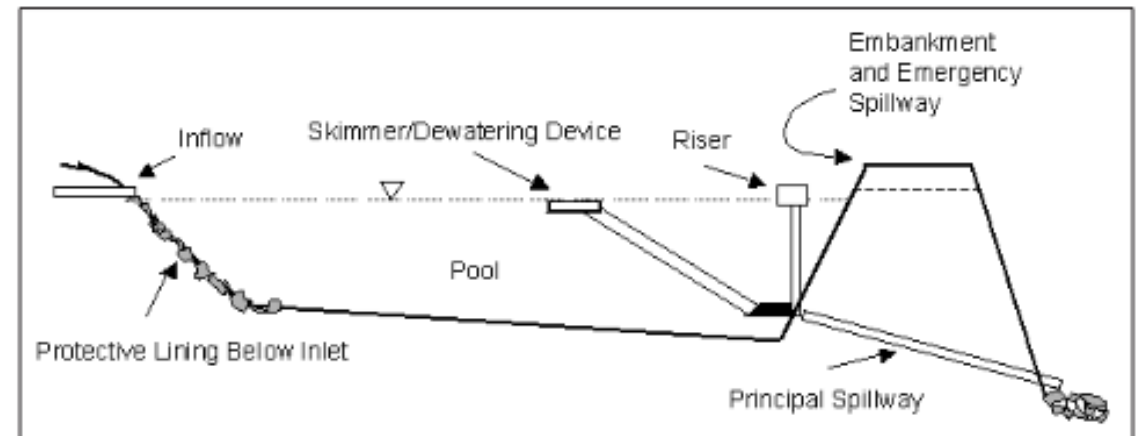
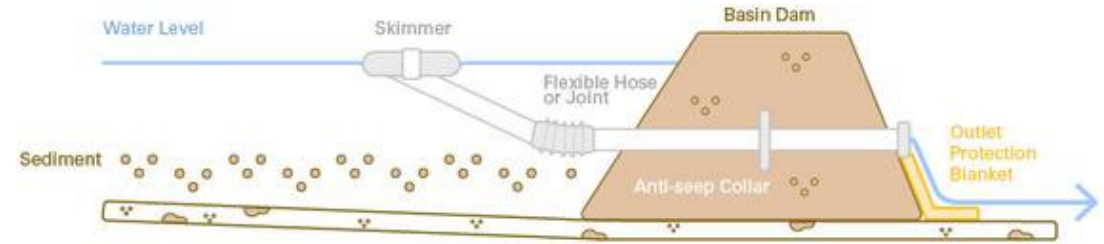
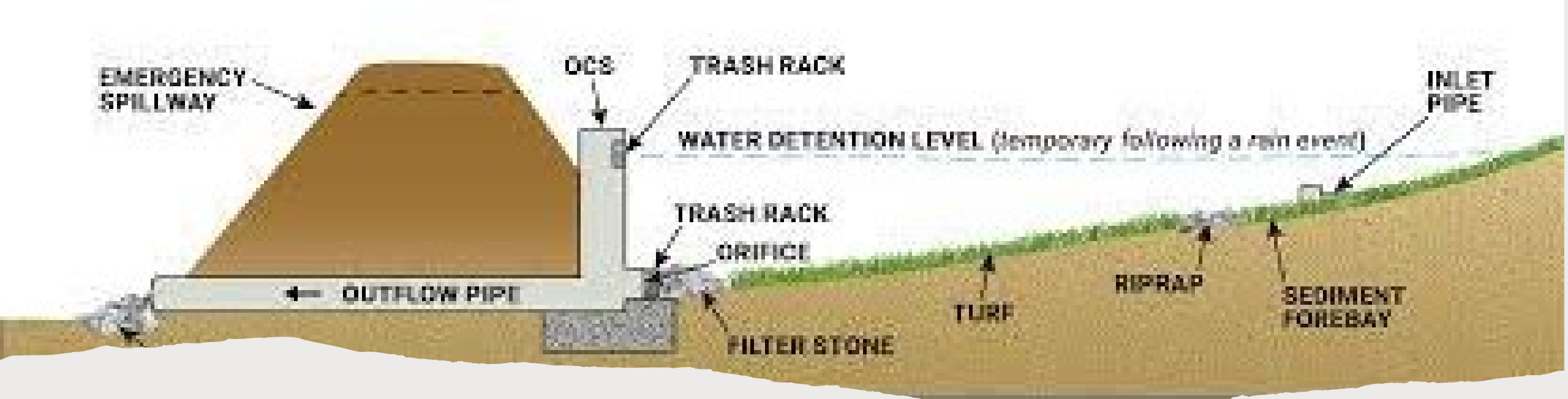



Figure 6.1.2 Typical components of a settling basin



Typical Dry Detention Basin

- Skimmer is removed
- Low Flow Orifice installed at bottom of riser to release "First Flush"
- Often includes some sort of guard or filter to attempt to reduce clogging, which requires routine maintenance to keep functional

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Flaws with
using
Extended
Detention
for Water
Quality

Basins are designed to capture pollutants by holding runoff for an extended time, allowing for settlement

Basins that rely on settling time provide very little treatment for smaller storm events due to limited ponding/holding time

Volume based design results in larger pond sizes

Benefits to Using Skimmers for Post Construction

- The skimmer can be sized to control the peak rate for lower storm events
- Skimmer increases trapping efficiency by withdrawing from the surface, where water is cleaner
- Skimmer is easy to access or pull to side of pond for maintenance

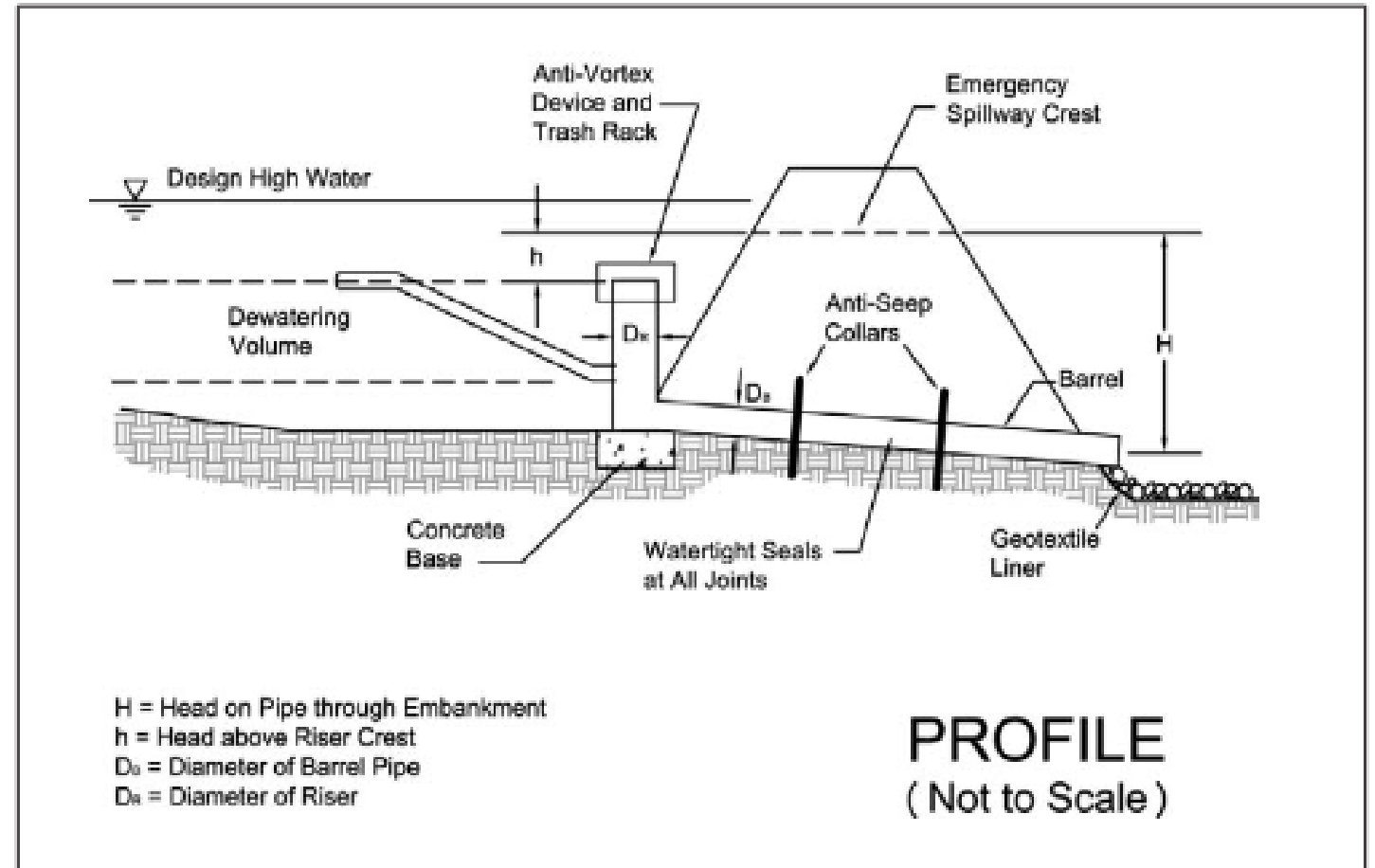


Figure 6.1.10 Principal Spillway Design

Audience Question

Have you ever considered using a Skimmer permanently?

If not, now that you are aware of the benefits would you?

Benefits to Filtration instead of Settling

Ponds provide a large containment volume to reduce maintenance frequency and treat larger drainage areas

There is excellent potential to retrofit older basins that did not include water quality benefits in the design if peak flow rate can be maintained

Filters around skimmers in ponds are relatively easy to access and maintain.

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Challenges to Using Skimmers with Filtration

Filters are prone to clog over time and will require maintenance and periodic cleaning or changing

Skimmer must be durable and last more than a few years to be suitable for permanent use. May need alternate drain during frozen conditions.

There are no established standards for basis of design and permitting based upon combination of pond and filtration

Testing Protocol

There are currently two widely recognized testing protocols – Washington TAPE program and NJCAT Certification

NJCAT has established testing procedures for Filtration Manufactured Treatment Devices (MTDs)

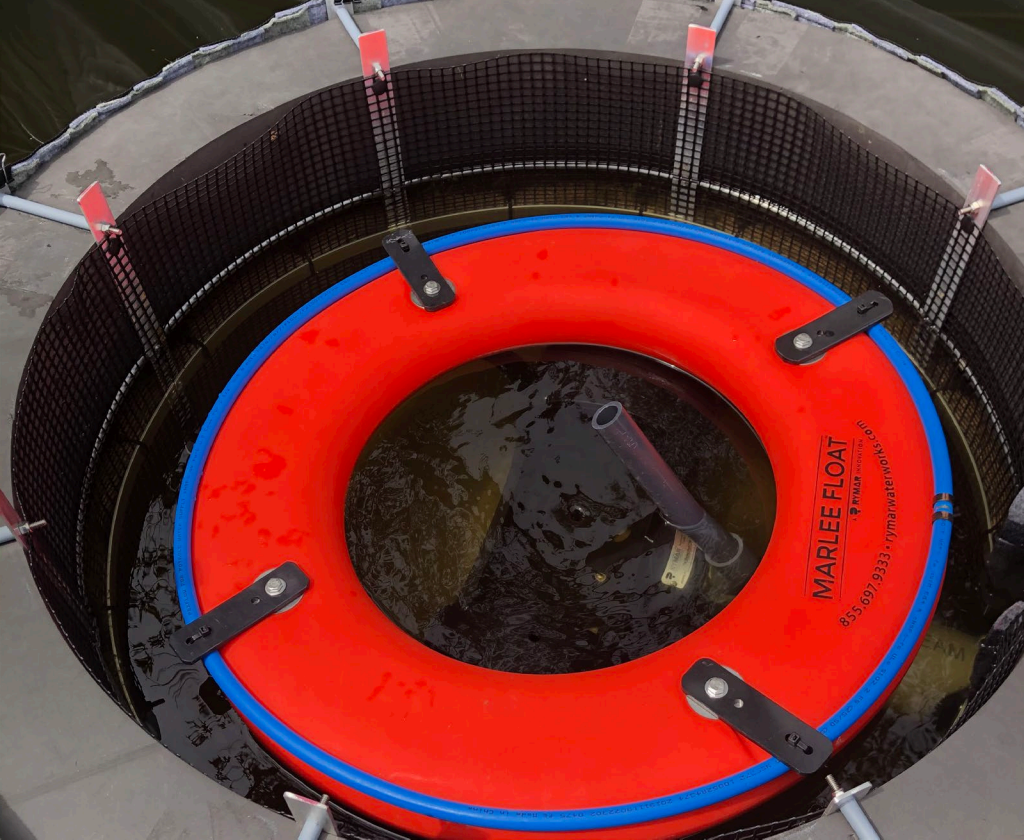
ASTM Standards have recently been established for Sediment Retention Testing and other ASTM Standards are in process

Filter Prototype Testing

Have gone through several rounds of testing to develop a final product



- **Tested High Flow Non-Woven Geotextile in strips with two offset inner layers of Coir Filter (openings at top or bottom of each layer)**
 - **AOS 100+**
 - **140-150+ gpm/ft flow rate**



Prototype Testing Results

- **Results**
 - **Flow rates of high flow geotextiles generally kept up with skimmer.**
 - **Provided very good filtration, even with open bottom of basket**

Field Test Site

The prototype was installed in March 2021
with latest model that uses two stage filter



Prototype Field Testing



- The prototype is regularly monitored and has been in the pond for over 24 months
- Area flowing to pond is highly developed with few other stormwater management facilities, therefore, large volume of sediment, trash and debris enters this pond



Prototype Field Monitoring

- Time lapse camera was installed to monitor flow.
- Evening of 7/7 – started to rain
- Morning of 7/8 – pond full



Prototype Field Monitoring

- Later Morning of 7/8 – pond starting to drain
- Evening of 7/8 – pond draining



Prototype Field Monitoring

- Morning 7/9 - Rained overnight, pond draining
- Morning 7/10 – Pond almost drained

Prototype Field Monitoring

- Vegetation has started to grow in inner non-woven filter. Will evaluate for nutrient removal potential.



Prototype Field Monitoring

March 2022

- The vegetation tended to die off over the winter and had minimal effect on the skimmer or filter.
- Future research could include use of specific vegetation for targeted pollutant removal, such as phosphorous or nitrogen





Prototype Field Monitoring

July 2022

- The vegetation returned
- Future research could include use of specific vegetation for targeted pollutant removal, such as phosphorous or nitrogen

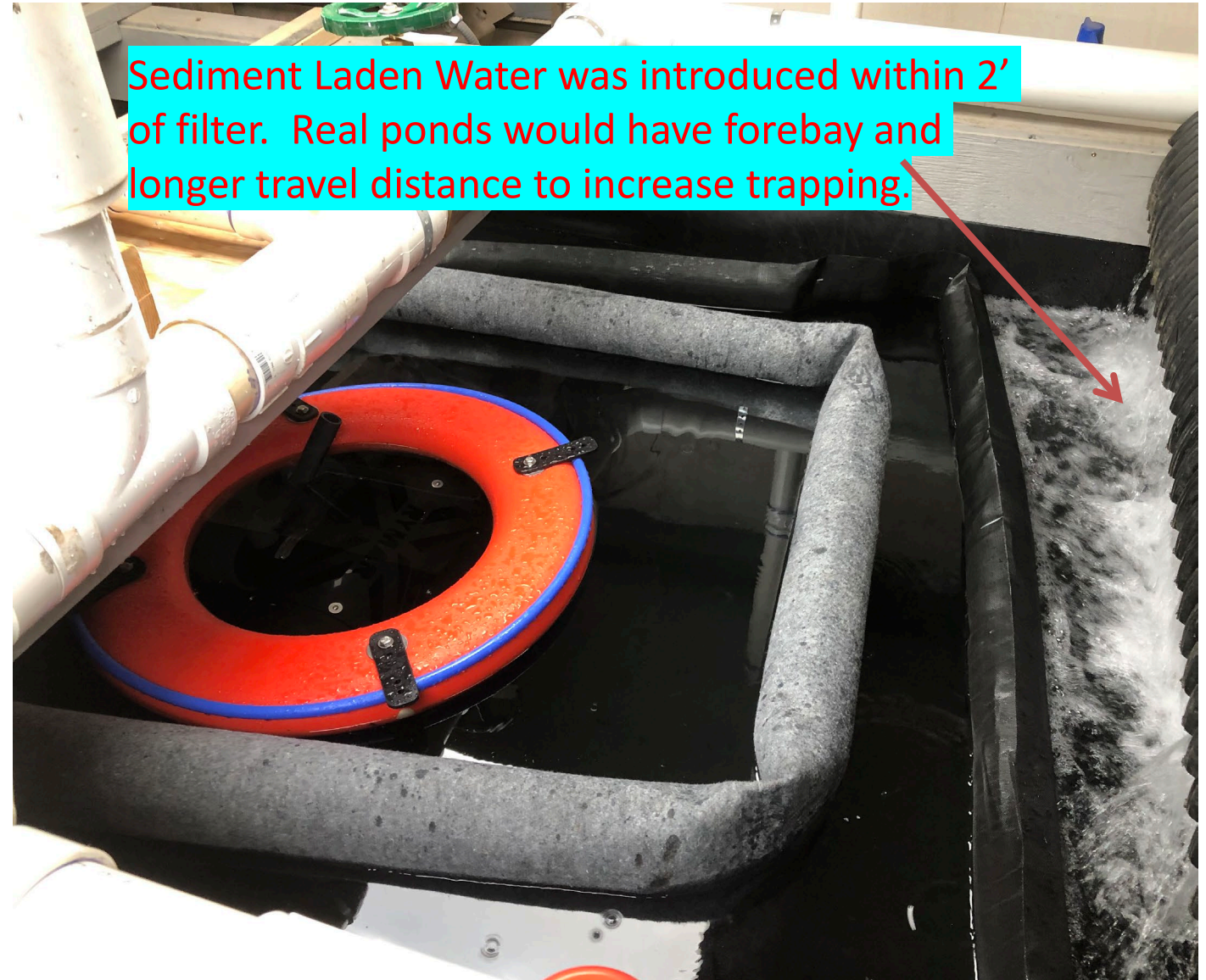


Field Testing Results

- **Results**
 - **Field testing of two stage filtration model shows discharge water has less turbidity and minimal sediment.**
 - **Third Party Testing to confirm TSS removal performed by TRI Environmental to confirm TSS removal efficacy**

Third Party Testing Results

- TRI Environmental tested two versions of the skimmer with filter in accordance with ASTM C1746.
- ASTM C1746 is a standard test method for sediment retention devices.
- Tank was setup to minimize effect of the “pond” by introducing sediment laden water within 2’ of the filter.
- Modeled as Dry Pond. Wet ponds would be expected to have higher trapping efficiency





Testing Results

Both versions achieved greater than **90% TSS Removal Efficiency**

Future R&D will be conducted to test filter media to remove metals, hydrocarbons and other pollutants

Inner filter does absorb hydrocarbons and includes anti-microbial treatment



Benefits to Filtration vs Settlement

The peak rate of discharge can be based on filter treatment flow rate up to first quantity storm event

The filter treats 100% of runoff from storms up to the peak rate of the filter - treats larger portion of annual rainfall

The filtration media can be customized to target specific pollutants of concern, including hydrocarbons, metals, bacteria and possibly nutrients

Summary

Skimmers are less prone to clogging than orifices located at the bottom of the pond and often require less maintenance to keep the pond functioning properly.

Skimmers can be a very effective way to retrofit existing basins to reduce maintenance and provide enhanced water quality

Testing has confirmed 90% TSS Removal Efficiency for the Rymar Post-Construction Water Quality Filter.

This meets requirements for most MS4s.



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