

Philadelphia Water Department

ANALYSIS OF PEAK WET WEATHER VS. PEAK DRY WEATHER FLOWS

DESCRIPTION	VALUE	NOTES / REFERENCES	Date	1/22/2015
STEP 1: ESTIMATE THE PEAK WET WEATHER FLOW FOR TOTAL SYSTEM (COMBINED + SEPARATE STORM)				
Choose Option for Combined Sewer System Flow: 1 = Lower Estimate; 2 = Avg. Estimate; 3 = High Estimate	2			
Combined Sewer System (CSS) Wet Weather Volume				
CSS System-Wide Captured Volume	21,522	MG	Table 3-45 of LTCPU	
CSS System-Wide Overflow Volume	13,090	MG	Table 3-45 of LTCPU	
Total CSS Wet Weather Volume	34,612	MG	Table 3-45 of LTCPU	
Average Day CSS Wet Weather Flow	94.83	MGD	= 34,612 MG / 365 days	
Separate Storm Sewer System Wet Weather Estimate				
Ratio Wet Weather Flow From CSS to Separate Storm Sewer System				
$\frac{94.83 \text{ MGD}}{60 \% \text{ of City}} = \frac{X \text{ MGD}}{40 \% \text{ of City}}$			CSS covers 60% of City; S4 covers 40%; See 5/24/2011 CAC Presentation.	
	X = 63.22	MGD	= (94.83 MGD X 40%) / 60%	
Total Separate Sewer Wet Wthr. Est. =	23,075	MG	= 63.22 / 365 days	
Avg. Day System-Wide Wet Weather Flow				
	158.05	MGD	= 94.83 MGD + 63.22 MGD	
	57,687	MG	= 34,612 MG + 23,075 MG	
# of Events > 0.05 inches (Assume = Wet Weather)	77.6		From Page 3-297 of LTCPU (Table 3-113)	
Estimated Peak Flow per Wet Weather Event =	743.38	MGD	= 57,687 MG / 77.6 daily events	901.43 0.82467239

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STEP 2: ESTIMATE THE PEAK DRY WEATHER FLOW FOR THE TOTAL SYSTEM			
Estimated Peak Dry Weather Flow			
Avg. Day Flows to WPCPs (FY 2012, 2013, & 2014)	423.58	MGD	Monthly Manager's reports. Average of FY 2012, 2013 and 2014 Year End Actual Average Flows.
Less: Avg. Day Flow From DELCORA	(26.19)	MGD	DELCORA flow from rate model adjusted down 10% to reflect dry weather estimate.
Less: Avg. Day Captured Stormwater	(58.96)	MGD	= 21,522 MG / 365 days. CSS System-Wide Captured Volume From Table 3-45 of LTCPU
Estimated Dry Weather Flow to WPCPs	338.43	MGD	
 Avg. Day Metered Data (Retail & Wholesale) =	209.00	MGD	Metered data from rate model used for Retail and Wholesale customers (excludes DELCORA and I/I).
Diurnal Peaking Factor =	1.5		
Peak Flow From Retail & Wholesale =	313.50	MGD	= 209 MGD X 1.5
Add Groundwater I/I =	129.43	MGD	= 338.43 MGD - 209.00 MGD. Assume no Groundwater peak.
Estimated Dry Weather Peak Flow =	442.93	MGD	= 313.50 MGD + 129.43 MGD. Estimated Impact on PWD Collection System.
STEP 3: COMPARE WET WEATHER AND DRY WEATHER PEAK EVENTS			
Total Wet Weather Peak + Dry Weather Peak =	1,186.31	MGD	Wet Weather Peak Event Flow of 743.38 MGD + Dry Weather Peak Flow of 442.93 MGD.
% of Peak Wet Weather Flow to Combined Peak =	62.66%		= 743.38 MGD / 1,186.31 MGD.
% of Peak Dry Weather Flow to Combined Peak =	37.34%		= 442.93 MGD / 1,186.31 MGD.
Rounded Wet Weather Flow to Combined Peak =	60.00%		
Rounded Dry Weather Flow to Combined Peak =	40.00%		

Note: Wet Weather reflects rainfall induced stormwater flows
 Dry weather does not reflect rainfall induced stormwater flows