

# APPENDIX A

## STORMWATER MANAGEMENT DESIGN CRITERIA

### **TABLE A-1 DESIGN STORM RAINFALL AMOUNT (INCHES)**

Graterford 1E Gage (36-3437)  
Source: NOAA Atlas 14 website

### **FIGURE A-1 ATLAS 14 TYPE II S-CURVES FOR ALL FREQUENCY STORMS (INCHES)**

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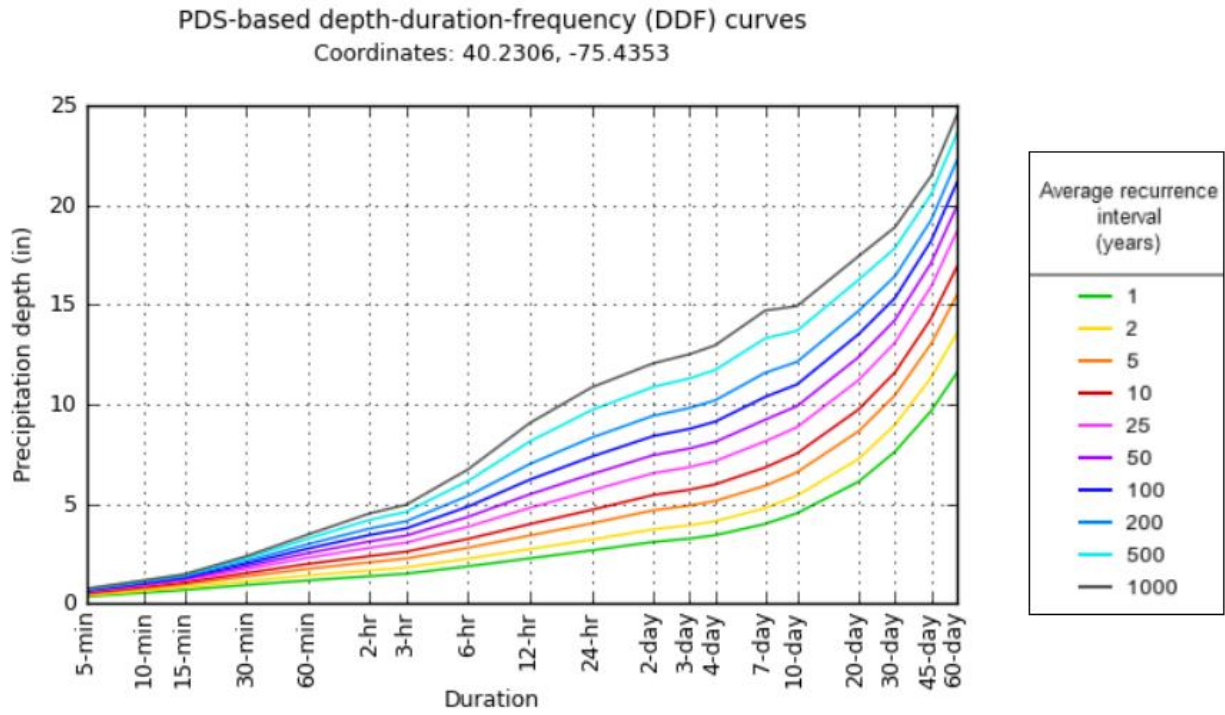
**Point Precipitation Frequency Estimates (inches)  
Graterford 1E Gage (36-3437)**

PDS-based point precipitation frequency estimates with 90% confidence intervals (in inches) <sup>1</sup>										
Duration	Average recurrence interval (years)									
	1	2	5	10	25	50	100	200	500	1000
5-min	0.339 (0.311-0.370)	0.403 (0.370-0.440)	0.472 (0.431-0.515)	0.520 (0.475-0.567)	0.576 (0.524-0.627)	0.614 (0.555-0.668)	0.650 (0.586-0.708)	0.682 (0.611-0.744)	0.716 (0.637-0.783)	0.741 (0.655-0.812)
10-min	0.541 (0.497-0.591)	0.645 (0.591-0.704)	0.756 (0.691-0.824)	0.832 (0.760-0.907)	0.918 (0.834-1.00)	0.978 (0.884-1.07)	1.03 (0.931-1.13)	1.08 (0.968-1.18)	1.13 (1.01-1.24)	1.17 (1.03-1.28)
15-min	0.677 (0.621-0.739)	0.811 (0.743-0.885)	0.956 (0.874-1.04)	1.05 (0.961-1.15)	1.16 (1.06-1.27)	1.24 (1.12-1.35)	1.31 (1.18-1.42)	1.36 (1.22-1.49)	1.43 (1.27-1.56)	1.46 (1.30-1.61)
30-min	0.928 (0.851-1.01)	1.12 (1.03-1.22)	1.36 (1.24-1.48)	1.52 (1.39-1.66)	1.72 (1.57-1.88)	1.86 (1.69-2.03)	2.00 (1.80-2.18)	2.12 (1.90-2.32)	2.27 (2.02-2.48)	2.37 (2.10-2.60)
60-min	1.16 (1.06-1.26)	1.41 (1.29-1.53)	1.74 (1.59-1.90)	1.99 (1.81-2.17)	2.30 (2.09-2.50)	2.53 (2.28-2.75)	2.75 (2.48-3.00)	2.98 (2.67-3.25)	3.26 (2.89-3.56)	3.46 (3.06-3.80)
2-hr	1.37 (1.24-1.51)	1.66 (1.51-1.83)	2.07 (1.88-2.28)	2.38 (2.16-2.62)	2.79 (2.51-3.06)	3.12 (2.79-3.42)	3.44 (3.06-3.77)	3.76 (3.33-4.13)	4.20 (3.67-4.62)	4.52 (3.92-4.98)
3-hr	1.49 (1.35-1.65)	1.81 (1.64-2.00)	2.26 (2.04-2.50)	2.60 (2.34-2.87)	3.05 (2.74-3.37)	3.40 (3.04-3.75)	3.76 (3.34-4.14)	4.12 (3.62-4.54)	4.59 (3.99-5.07)	4.95 (4.27-5.48)
6-hr	1.86 (1.69-2.07)	2.25 (2.04-2.50)	2.79 (2.53-3.10)	3.24 (2.92-3.58)	3.85 (3.45-4.25)	4.34 (3.86-4.78)	4.86 (4.29-5.35)	5.40 (4.71-5.93)	6.14 (5.28-6.76)	6.72 (5.71-7.42)
12-hr	2.26 (2.06-2.53)	2.73 (2.48-3.05)	3.41 (3.09-3.80)	3.98 (3.59-4.43)	4.80 (4.29-5.31)	5.48 (4.85-6.05)	6.21 (5.45-6.86)	7.00 (6.06-7.73)	8.13 (6.91-8.99)	9.06 (7.58-10.0)
24-hr	2.66 (2.44-2.92)	3.21 (2.93-3.52)	4.02 (3.67-4.41)	4.69 (4.28-5.14)	5.67 (5.14-6.19)	6.49 (5.85-7.07)	7.37 (6.61-8.02)	8.32 (7.42-9.05)	9.70 (8.55-10.5)	10.8 (9.47-11.8)
2-day	3.09 (2.82-3.40)	3.72 (3.39-4.11)	4.68 (4.26-5.16)	5.45 (4.95-6.00)	6.54 (5.91-7.19)	7.44 (6.70-8.17)	8.40 (7.52-9.22)	9.42 (8.37-10.3)	10.9 (9.57-11.9)	12.1 (10.5-13.2)
3-day	3.26 (2.98-3.58)	3.92 (3.59-4.32)	4.91 (4.49-5.40)	5.71 (5.20-6.27)	6.84 (6.21-7.50)	7.78 (7.02-8.51)	8.76 (7.87-9.59)	9.81 (8.76-10.7)	11.3 (10.0-12.4)	12.5 (11.0-13.7)
4-day	3.43 (3.14-3.75)	4.13 (3.78-4.52)	5.15 (4.71-5.64)	5.98 (5.46-6.54)	7.15 (6.50-7.80)	8.11 (7.35-8.85)	9.13 (8.23-9.95)	10.2 (9.15-11.1)	11.7 (10.4-12.8)	13.0 (11.4-14.2)
7-day	3.99 (3.69-4.35)	4.79 (4.43-5.21)	5.91 (5.46-6.43)	6.83 (6.29-7.42)	8.14 (7.47-8.83)	9.22 (8.43-9.99)	10.4 (9.43-11.2)	11.6 (10.5-12.5)	13.3 (11.9-14.4)	14.7 (13.1-15.9)
10-day	4.53 (4.21-4.89)	5.41 (5.03-5.84)	6.59 (6.12-7.11)	7.53 (6.98-8.12)	8.85 (8.17-9.53)	9.90 (9.12-10.7)	11.0 (10.1-11.8)	12.1 (11.1-13.1)	13.7 (12.4-14.8)	14.9 (13.5-16.1)
20-day	6.12 (5.69-6.58)	7.26 (6.75-7.80)	8.65 (8.05-9.30)	9.75 (9.05-10.5)	11.2 (10.4-12.0)	12.4 (11.4-13.3)	13.5 (12.5-14.5)	14.7 (13.5-15.8)	16.3 (14.9-17.5)	17.4 (15.9-18.8)
30-day	7.62 (7.17-8.09)	8.97 (8.44-9.52)	10.5 (9.83-11.1)	11.6 (10.9-12.3)	13.1 (12.3-13.9)	14.2 (13.3-15.1)	15.3 (14.3-16.3)	16.4 (15.3-17.5)	17.8 (16.5-19.0)	18.9 (17.5-20.1)
45-day	9.67 (9.16-10.2)	11.3 (10.8-12.0)	13.0 (12.3-13.8)	14.3 (13.5-15.1)	15.9 (15.0-16.8)	17.1 (16.1-18.1)	18.2 (17.2-19.2)	19.2 (18.1-20.3)	20.5 (19.3-21.7)	21.5 (20.1-22.7)
60-day	11.6 (11.0-12.2)	13.6 (12.9-14.3)	15.5 (14.7-16.3)	16.9 (16.0-17.8)	18.7 (17.7-19.7)	19.9 (18.9-21.0)	21.1 (20.0-22.3)	22.2 (21.0-23.5)	23.6 (22.2-24.9)	24.5 (23.1-25.9)

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**FIGURE A-1**

**Atlas 14 Type II S-Curves for All Frequency Storms – Graterford 1E Gage (36-3437)**



**TABLE A-2**

**RUNOFF CURVE NUMBERS**

Source: NRCS (SCS) TR-55

LAND USE DESCRIPTION	Hydrologic Condition	HYDROLOGIC SOIL GROUP			
		A	B	C	D
Open Space					
Grass cover < 50%	Poor	68	79	86	89
Grass cover 50% to 75%	Fair	49	69	79	84
Grass cover > 75%	Good	39	61	74	80
Meadow		30	58	71	78
Agricultural					
Pasture, grassland, or range – Continuous forage for grazing	Poor	68	79	86	89
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Brush-weed-grass mixture with brush the major element.	Poor	48	67	77	83
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Fallow Bare soil	-----	77	86	91	94
Crop residue cover (CR)	Poor	76	85	90	93
	Good	74	83	88	90
Woods – grass combination (orchard or tree farm)	Poor	57	73	82	86
	Fair	43	65	76	82
	Good	32	58	72	79
Woods	Poor	45	66	77	83
	Fair	36	60	73	79
	Good	30	55	70	77
Commercial (85% Impervious)		92	94	95	
Industrial (72% Impervious)		88	91	93	
Institutional (50% Impervious)		82	88	90	
Residential districts by average lot size:					
	% Impervious				
1/8 acre or less * (town houses)	65	77	85	90	92
1/4 acre	38	61	75	83	87
1/3 acre	30	57	72	81	86
1/2 acre	25	54	70	80	85
1 acre	20	51	68	79	84
2 acres	12	46	65	77	82
Farmstead		59	74	82	86
Smooth Surfaces (Concrete, Asphalt, Gravel or Bare Compacted Soil)	98	98	98	98	
Water	98	98	98	98	
Mining/Newly Graded Areas (Pervious Areas Only)	77	86	91	94	

\* Includes Multi-Family Housing unless justified lower density can be provided.

**Note:** Existing site conditions of bare earth or fallow ground shall be considered as meadow when choosing a CN value.

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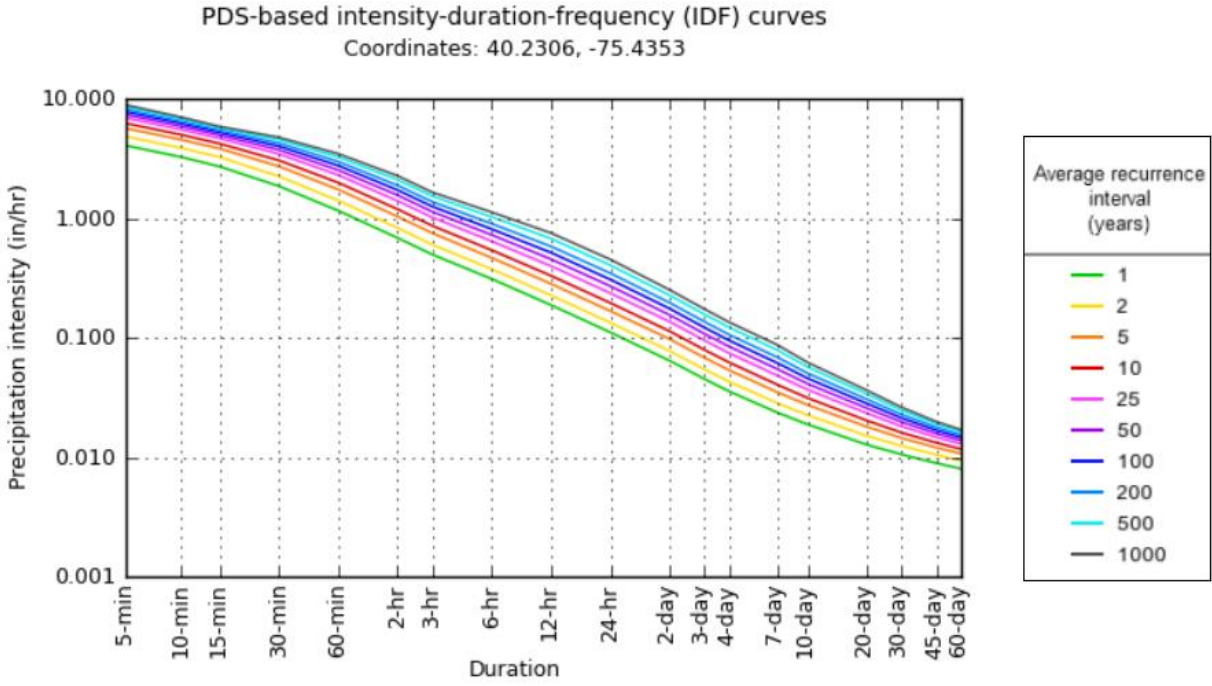
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Graterford 1E Gage (36-3437)**

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Duration	Average recurrence interval (years)									
	1	2	5	10	25	50	100	200	500	1000
<b>5-min</b>	4.07 (3.73-4.44)	4.84 (4.44-5.28)	5.66 (5.17-6.18)	6.24 (5.70-6.80)	6.91 (6.29-7.52)	7.37 (6.66-8.02)	7.80 (7.03-8.50)	8.18 (7.33-8.93)	8.59 (7.64-9.40)	8.89 (7.86-9.74)
<b>10-min</b>	3.25 (2.98-3.55)	3.87 (3.55-4.22)	4.54 (4.15-4.94)	4.99 (4.56-5.44)	5.51 (5.00-6.00)	5.87 (5.30-6.39)	6.20 (5.59-6.76)	6.48 (5.81-7.07)	6.80 (6.04-7.43)	7.00 (6.19-7.67)
<b>15-min</b>	2.71 (2.48-2.96)	3.24 (2.97-3.54)	3.82 (3.50-4.17)	4.21 (3.84-4.59)	4.66 (4.23-5.07)	4.95 (4.48-5.39)	5.22 (4.70-5.69)	5.45 (4.88-5.95)	5.70 (5.07-6.24)	5.86 (5.18-6.42)
<b>30-min</b>	1.86 (1.70-2.03)	2.24 (2.05-2.45)	2.72 (2.48-2.96)	3.05 (2.78-3.33)	3.45 (3.13-3.75)	3.73 (3.37-4.06)	4.00 (3.60-4.36)	4.24 (3.80-4.63)	4.54 (4.03-4.96)	4.74 (4.19-5.20)
<b>60-min</b>	1.16 (1.06-1.26)	1.41 (1.29-1.53)	1.74 (1.59-1.90)	1.99 (1.81-2.17)	2.30 (2.09-2.50)	2.53 (2.28-2.75)	2.75 (2.48-3.00)	2.98 (2.67-3.25)	3.26 (2.89-3.56)	3.46 (3.06-3.80)
<b>2-hr</b>	0.684 (0.622-0.754)	0.830 (0.755-0.914)	1.03 (0.938-1.14)	1.19 (1.08-1.31)	1.40 (1.26-1.53)	1.56 (1.39-1.71)	1.72 (1.53-1.89)	1.88 (1.66-2.07)	2.10 (1.83-2.31)	2.26 (1.96-2.49)
<b>3-hr</b>	0.497 (0.451-0.550)	0.602 (0.546-0.666)	0.751 (0.680-0.831)	0.865 (0.781-0.955)	1.02 (0.911-1.12)	1.13 (1.01-1.25)	1.25 (1.11-1.38)	1.37 (1.21-1.51)	1.53 (1.33-1.69)	1.65 (1.42-1.82)
<b>6-hr</b>	0.311 (0.283-0.345)	0.375 (0.341-0.417)	0.467 (0.423-0.517)	0.541 (0.488-0.598)	0.643 (0.576-0.709)	0.725 (0.645-0.799)	0.811 (0.716-0.893)	0.901 (0.787-0.991)	1.03 (0.882-1.13)	1.12 (0.953-1.24)
<b>12-hr</b>	0.188 (0.171-0.210)	0.227 (0.206-0.253)	0.283 (0.257-0.315)	0.330 (0.298-0.368)	0.398 (0.356-0.441)	0.455 (0.403-0.502)	0.515 (0.452-0.570)	0.581 (0.503-0.642)	0.675 (0.573-0.746)	0.752 (0.629-0.831)
<b>24-hr</b>	0.111 (0.102-0.122)	0.134 (0.122-0.147)	0.167 (0.153-0.184)	0.196 (0.178-0.214)	0.236 (0.214-0.258)	0.270 (0.244-0.295)	0.307 (0.275-0.334)	0.347 (0.309-0.377)	0.404 (0.356-0.439)	0.452 (0.394-0.491)
<b>2-day</b>	0.064 (0.059-0.071)	0.078 (0.071-0.086)	0.097 (0.089-0.108)	0.113 (0.103-0.125)	0.136 (0.123-0.150)	0.155 (0.140-0.170)	0.175 (0.157-0.192)	0.196 (0.174-0.215)	0.226 (0.199-0.248)	0.251 (0.220-0.275)
<b>3-day</b>	0.045 (0.041-0.050)	0.055 (0.050-0.060)	0.068 (0.062-0.075)	0.079 (0.072-0.087)	0.095 (0.086-0.104)	0.108 (0.098-0.118)	0.122 (0.109-0.133)	0.136 (0.122-0.149)	0.157 (0.139-0.172)	0.174 (0.153-0.190)
<b>4-day</b>	0.036 (0.033-0.039)	0.043 (0.039-0.047)	0.054 (0.049-0.059)	0.062 (0.057-0.068)	0.074 (0.068-0.081)	0.084 (0.077-0.092)	0.095 (0.086-0.104)	0.106 (0.095-0.116)	0.122 (0.109-0.133)	0.135 (0.119-0.148)
<b>7-day</b>	0.024 (0.022-0.026)	0.028 (0.026-0.031)	0.035 (0.032-0.038)	0.041 (0.037-0.044)	0.048 (0.044-0.053)	0.055 (0.050-0.059)	0.062 (0.056-0.067)	0.069 (0.062-0.075)	0.079 (0.071-0.086)	0.088 (0.078-0.095)
<b>10-day</b>	0.019 (0.018-0.020)	0.023 (0.021-0.024)	0.027 (0.025-0.030)	0.031 (0.029-0.034)	0.037 (0.034-0.040)	0.041 (0.038-0.044)	0.046 (0.042-0.049)	0.051 (0.046-0.054)	0.057 (0.052-0.061)	0.062 (0.056-0.067)
<b>20-day</b>	0.013 (0.012-0.014)	0.015 (0.014-0.016)	0.018 (0.017-0.019)	0.020 (0.019-0.022)	0.023 (0.022-0.025)	0.026 (0.024-0.028)	0.028 (0.026-0.030)	0.031 (0.028-0.033)	0.034 (0.031-0.036)	0.036 (0.033-0.039)
<b>30-day</b>	0.011 (0.010-0.011)	0.012 (0.012-0.013)	0.015 (0.014-0.015)	0.016 (0.015-0.017)	0.018 (0.017-0.019)	0.020 (0.018-0.021)	0.021 (0.020-0.023)	0.023 (0.021-0.024)	0.025 (0.023-0.026)	0.026 (0.024-0.028)
<b>45-day</b>	0.009 (0.008-0.009)	0.011 (0.010-0.011)	0.012 (0.011-0.013)	0.013 (0.013-0.014)	0.015 (0.014-0.016)	0.016 (0.015-0.017)	0.017 (0.016-0.018)	0.018 (0.017-0.019)	0.019 (0.018-0.020)	0.020 (0.019-0.021)
<b>60-day</b>	0.008 (0.008-0.008)	0.009 (0.009-0.010)	0.011 (0.010-0.011)	0.012 (0.011-0.012)	0.013 (0.012-0.014)	0.014 (0.013-0.015)	0.015 (0.014-0.015)	0.015 (0.015-0.016)	0.016 (0.015-0.017)	0.017 (0.016-0.018)

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**FIGURE A-2**

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**TABLE A-4**

**RATIONAL RUNOFF COEFFICIENTS  
By Hydrologic Soils Group and Overland Slope (%)**

Source: Rawls, et al, 1981

Hydrologic Soil Group	A			B			C			D		
	Land Use/Slope	0-2%	2-6%	6%+	0-2%	2-6%	6%+	0-2%	2-6%	6%+	0-2%	2-6%
Cultivated Land	*0.08 **0.14	0.13 0.18	0.16 0.22	0.11 0.16	0.15 0.21	0.21 0.28	0.14 0.20	0.19 0.25	0.26 0.34	0.18 0.24	0.23 0.29	0.31 0.41
Pasture	0.12 0.15	0.20 0.25	0.30 0.37	0.18 0.23	0.28 0.34	0.37 0.45	0.24 0.30	0.34 0.42	0.44 0.52	0.30 0.37	0.40 0.50	0.50 0.62
Meadow	0.10 0.14	0.16 0.22	0.25 0.30	0.14 0.20	0.22 0.28	0.30 0.37	0.20 0.26	0.28 0.35	0.36 0.44	0.24 0.30	0.30 0.40	0.40 0.50
Forest	0.05 0.08	0.08 0.11	0.11 0.14	0.08 0.10	0.11 0.14	0.14 0.18	0.10 0.12	0.13 0.16	0.16 0.20	0.12 0.15	0.16 0.20	0.20 0.25
Resident 1/8 acre lots	0.25 0.33	0.28 0.37	0.31 0.40	0.27 0.35	0.30 0.39	0.35 0.44	0.30 0.38	0.33 0.42	0.38 0.49	0.33 0.41	0.36 0.45	0.42 0.54
1/4 acre lots	0.22 0.30	0.26 0.34	0.39 0.37	0.24 0.33	0.29 0.37	0.33 0.42	0.27 0.36	0.31 0.40	0.36 0.47	0.30 0.38	0.34 0.42	0.40 0.52
1/3 acre lots	0.19 0.28	0.23 0.32	0.26 0.35	0.22 0.30	0.26 0.35	0.30 0.39	0.25 0.33	0.29 0.38	0.34 0.45	0.28 0.36	0.32 0.40	0.39 0.50
1/2 acre lots	0.16 0.25	0.20 0.29	0.24 0.32	0.19 0.28	0.23 0.32	0.28 0.36	0.22 0.31	0.27 0.35	0.32 0.42	0.26 0.34	0.30 0.38	0.37 0.48
1 acre lots	0.14 0.22	0.19 0.26	0.22 0.29	0.17 0.24	0.21 0.28	0.26 0.34	0.20 0.28	0.25 0.32	0.31 0.40	0.24 0.31	0.29 0.35	0.35 0.46
Industrial	0.67 0.85	0.68 0.85	0.68 0.86	0.68 0.85	0.68 0.86	0.69 0.86	0.68 0.86	0.69 0.86	0.69 0.87	0.69 0.86	0.69 0.86	0.69 0.88
Commercial	0.71 0.88	0.71 0.88	0.72 0.89	0.71 0.89	0.72 0.89	0.72 0.89	0.72 0.89	0.72 0.89	0.72 0.90	0.72 0.89	0.72 0.89	0.72 0.90
Streets	0.70 0.76	0.71 0.77	0.72 0.79	0.71 0.80	0.72 0.82	0.74 0.84	0.72 0.84	0.73 0.85	0.76 0.89	0.73 0.89	0.75 0.91	0.78 0.95
Open Space	0.05 0.11	0.10 0.16	0.14 0.20	0.08 0.14	0.13 0.19	0.19 0.26	0.12 0.18	0.17 0.23	0.24 0.32	0.16 0.22	0.21 0.27	0.28 0.39
Parking	0.85 0.95	0.86 0.96	0.87 0.97	0.85 0.95	0.86 0.96	0.87 0.97	0.85 0.95	0.86 0.96	0.87 0.97	0.85 0.95	0.86 0.96	0.87 0.97

**NOTES:**

\* Runoff coefficients for storm recurrence intervals of less than 25 years.

\*\* Runoff coefficients for storm recurrence intervals of 25 years or more.

**TABLE A-5**

**MANNING'S ROUGHNESS COEFFICIENTS**

<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>Manning's n-value</b>
Smooth-wall Plastic Pipe	0.011
Concrete Pipe	0.012
Smooth-lined Corrugated Metal Pipe	0.012
Corrugated Plastic Pipe	0.024
Annular Corrugated Steel And Aluminum Alloy Pipe (Plain or polymer coated)	
68 mm × 13 mm (2 2/3 in × 1/2 in) Corrugations	0.024
75 mm × 25 mm (3 in × 1 in) Corrugations	0.027
125 mm × 25 mm (5 in × 1 in) Corrugations	0.025
150 mm × 50 mm (6 in × 2 in) Corrugations	0.033
Helically Corrugated Steel And Aluminum Alloy Pipe (Plain or polymer coated)	
75 mm × 25 mm (3 in × 1 in), 125 mm × 25 mm (5 in × 1 in), or 150 mm × 50 mm (6 in × 2 in) Corrugations	0.024
Helically Corrugated Steel And Aluminum Alloy Pipe (Plain or polymer coated)	
68 mm × 13 mm (2 2/3 in × 1/2 in) Corrugations	
a. Lower Coefficients*	
450 mm (18 in) Diameter	0.014
600 mm (24 in) Diameter	0.016
900 mm (36 in) Diameter	0.019
1200 mm (48 in) Diameter	0.020
1500 mm (60 in) Diameter or larger	0.021
b. Higher Coefficients**	0.024
Annular or Helically Corrugated Steel or Aluminum Alloy Pipe Arches or Other Non-Circular Metal Conduit (Plain or Polymer coated)	0.024
Vitrified Clay Pipe	0.012
Ductile Iron Pipe	0.013
Asphalt Pavement	0.015
Concrete Pavement	0.014
Grass Medians	0.050
Grass – Residential	0.30
Earth	0.020
Gravel	0.030
Rock	0.035
Cultivated Areas	0.030 - 0.050
Dense Brush	0.070 - 0.140
Heavy Timber (Little undergrowth)	0.100 - 0.150
Heavy Timber (w/underbrush)	0.40
Streams:	
a. Some Grass And Weeds (Little or no brush)	0.030 - 0.035
b. Dense Growth of Weeds	0.035 - 0.050
c. Some Weeds (Heavy brush on banks)	0.050 - 0.070

**Notes:**

\* Use the lower coefficient if any one of the following conditions apply:

- a. A storm pipe longer than 20 diameters, which directly or indirectly connects to an inlet or manhole, located in swales adjacent to shoulders in cut areas or depressed medians.
- b. A storm pipe which is specially designed to perform under pressure.

\*\*Use the higher coefficient if any one of the following conditions apply:

- a. A storm pipe which directly or indirectly connects to an inlet or manhole located in highway pavement sections or adjacent to curb or concrete median barrier.
- b. A storm pipe which is shorter than 20 diameters long.
- c. A storm pipe which is partly lined helically corrugated metal pipe.