



Expected results

Main expected achievements of the proposed experiments

- In order to promote this new SUDS technology, we need to quantify flow rate distribution to various components of the TES4: inlet maintenance hole, two perforated pipes, granular sewer trench, the surrounding soil, and the overflow sewer (if any); and the Hydraulic grade line along the perforated pipes, the granular sewer trench because the design of TES4 depends on the understanding of system dynamics during a storm event.
- Two new improvements of the system performance: (1) a smooth inlet (reduce entrance loss); and
 (2) an alternative outlet (for poor surrounding soil) of the exfiltration pipe will be quantified.
- Various modeling methods of the flow distribution of TES4 during a storm event have been developed using the US EPA SWMM; the laboratory data will allow a comprehensive calibration and verification; and a recommended modeling method for design applications.

