

# **OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE GUIDELINES**

## **CDS Stormwater Treatment Unit**

### **INTRODUCTION**

The CDS unit is an important and effective component of your storm water management program and proper operation and maintenance of the unit are essential to demonstrate your compliance with local, state and federal water pollution control requirements.

The CDS technology features a patented non-blocking, indirect screening technique developed in Australia to treat water runoff. The unit is highly effective in the capture of suspended solids, fine sands and larger particles. Because of its non-blocking screening capacity, the CDS unit is un-matched in its ability to capture and retain gross pollutants such as trash and debris. In short, CDS units capture a very wide range of organic and in-organic solids and pollutants that typically result in tons of captured solids each year such as: Total suspended solids (TSS) and other sedimentitious materials, oil and greases, trash, and other debris (including floatables, neutrally buoyant, and negatively buoyant debris). These pollutants will be captured even under very high flow rate conditions.

CDS units are equipped with conventional oil baffles to capture and retain oil and grease. Laboratory evaluations show that the CDS units are capable of capturing up to 70% of the free oil and grease from storm water. CDS units can also accommodate the addition of oil sorbents within their separation chambers. The addition of the oil sorbents can ensure the permanent removal of 80% to 90% of the free oil and grease from the storm water runoff.

### **OPERATIONS**

The CDS unit is a non-mechanical self-operating system and will function any time there is flow in the storm drainage system. The unit will continue to effectively capture pollutants in flows up to the design capacity even during extreme rainfall events when the design capacity may be exceeded. Pollutants captured in the CDS unit's separation chamber and sump will be retained even when the units design capacity is exceeded.

### **CDS UNIT INSPECTION**

Access to the CDS unit is typically achieved through two manhole access covers – one allows inspection (and cleanout) of the separation chamber (screen/cylinder) & sump and another allows inspection (and cleanout) of sediment captured and retained behind the screen.

The unit should be periodically inspected to determine the amount of accumulated pollutants and to ensure that the cleanout frequency is adequate to handle the predicted pollutant load being processed by the CDS unit. The unit should be periodically inspected for indications of vector infestation, as well. The recommended cleanout of

## Patented continuous deflection separation (CDS) technology

Using patented continuous deflective separation technology, the CDS system screens, separates and traps debris, sediment, and oil and grease from stormwater runoff. The indirect screening capability of the system allows for 100% removal of floatables and neutrally buoyant material without blinding. Flow and screening controls physically separate captured solids, and minimize the re-suspension and release of previously trapped pollutants. Available precast or cast-in-place, offline units can treat flows from 1 to 300 cfs. Inline units can treat up to 6 cfs, and internally bypass flows in excess of 50 cfs. The pollutant removal capability of the CDS system has been proven in the lab and field.

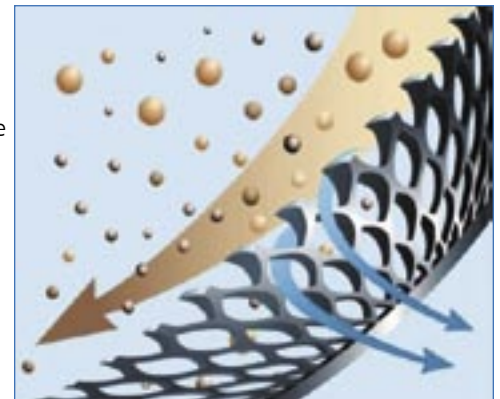
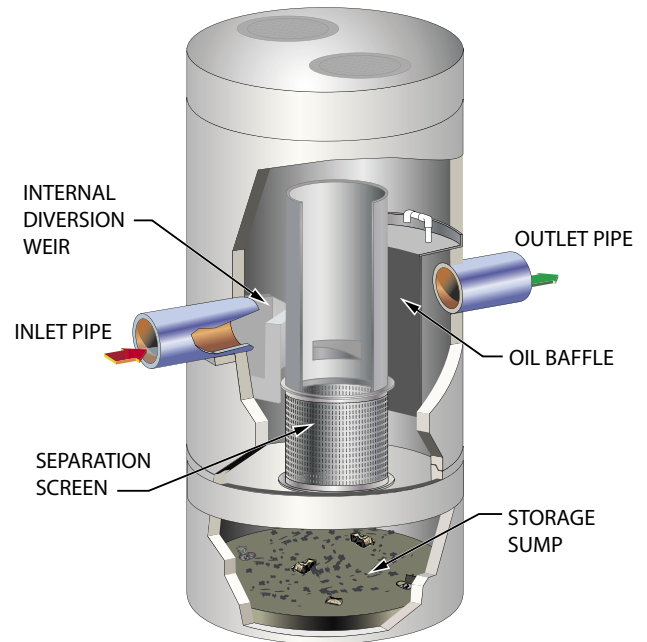
### How does it work?

Stormwater enters the CDS unit's diversion chamber where the diversion weir guides the flow into the unit's separation chamber and pollutants are removed. All flows up to the system's treatment design capacity enter the separation chamber.

Swirl concentration and screen deflection forces floatables and solids to the center of the separation chamber where 100% of floatables and neutrally buoyant debris larger than the screen apertures are trapped.

Stormwater then moves through the separation screen, under the oil baffle and exits the system. The separation screen remains clog free due to continuous deflection.

During flow events exceeding the design capacity, the diversion weir bypasses excessive flows around the separation chamber, so captured pollutants will not wash out.



### CDS

- Removes sediment, trash, and free oil and grease
- Patented screening technology captures and retains 100% of floatables, including neutrally buoyant and all other material greater than the screen aperture
- Operation independent of flow
- Performance verified through lab and field testing
- Unobstructed maintenance access
- Customizable/flexible design and multiple configurations available
- Separates and confines pollutants from outlet flow
- Grate inlet available
- Multiple screen aperture sizes available

# Available Models

Refer to the following tables for our standard models, sizes, and treatment capacities. Drawings and specifications are available at [contechstormwater.com](http://contechstormwater.com).

We encourage you to contact your local stormwater consultant for site-specific design assistance. In many cases our products can be customized to fit your particular project's needs.

Local regulations may impact design requirements.

	CDS Model	Structure Diameter <sup>1</sup>		Typical Depth Below Invert		Water Quality Flow <sup>2</sup>		Screen		Sump Storage	
		ft	m	ft	m	125 $\mu$ m cfs	L/s	Diameter/Height ft	m	yd <sup>3</sup>	m <sup>3</sup>
Inline	PMIU20_15	4	1.2	3.7	1.1	0.7	19.8	2.0/1.5	0.6/0.5	0.5	0.4
	PMIU20_15_4	4	1.2	3.5	1.1	0.7	19.8	2.0/1.5	0.6/0.5	0.5	0.4
	PMSU20_15	5	1.5	4.4	1.3	0.7	19.8	2.0/1.5	0.6/0.5	1.1	0.8
	PMSU20_20	5	1.5	5.0	1.5	1.1	31.1	2.0/2.0	0.6/0.6	1.1	0.8
	PMSU20_25	5	1.5	5.3	1.6	1.6	45.3	2.0/2.5	0.6/0.8	1.1	0.8
	PMSU30_20	6	1.8	5.5	1.7	2.0	56.6	3.0/2.0	0.9/0.6	2.1	1.6
	PMSU30_30	6	1.8	6.5	2.0	3.0	85.0	3.0/3.0	0.9/0.9	2.1	1.6
	PMSU40_30	8	2.4	7.8	2.4	4.5	127.4	4.0/3.0	1.2/0.9	5.6	4.3
Offline	PMSU40_40	8	2.4	8.8	2.7	6.0	169.9	4.0/4.0	1.2/1.2	5.6	4.3
	PSWC30_20	6	1.8	5.3	1.6	2.0	56.6	3.0/2.0	0.9/0.6	1.9	1.5
	PSW30_30	varies	varies	6.3	1.9	3.0	85.0	3.0/3.0	0.9/0.9	5.8	4.4
	PSWC30_30	6	1.8	6.3	1.9	3.0	85.0	3.0/3.0	0.9/0.9	2.1	1.6
	PSWC40_30	7	2.1	7.7	2.3	4.5	127.4	4.0/3.0	1.2/0.9	1.9	1.5
	PSWC40_40	7	2.1	8.8	2.7	6.0	169.9	4.0/4.0	1.2/1.2	1.9	1.5
	PSW50_42	varies	varies	8.8	2.7	9.0	254.9	5.0/4.2	1.5/1.3	1.9	1.5
	PSWC56_40	8	2.4	8.8	2.7	9.0	254.9	5.6/4.0	1.7/1.2	1.9	1.5
	PSW50_50	varies	varies	9.5	2.9	11.0	311.5	5.0/5.0	1.5/1.5	1.9	1.5
	PSWC56_53	8	2.4	10.1	3.1	14.0	396.4	5.6/5.3	1.7/1.6	1.9	1.5
	PSWC56_68	8	2.4	11.8	3.6	19.0	538.0	5.6/6.8	1.7/2.1	1.9	1.5
	PSWC56_78	8	2.4	12.8	3.9	25.0	707.9	5.6/7.8	1.7/2.4	1.9	1.5
	PSW70_70	varies	varies	13.0	4.0	26.0	736.2	7.0/7.0	2.1/2.1	3.9	3.0
	PSW100_60	varies	varies	11.0	3.4	30.0	849.5	10.0/6.0	3.0/1.8	6.9	5.3
	PSW100_80	varies	varies	13.0	4.0	50.0	1415.8	10.0/8.0	3.0/2.4	6.9	5.3
PSW100_100	varies	varies	15.0	4.6	64.0	1812.3	10.0/10.0	3.0/3.0	6.9	5.3	

1. Structure diameter represents the standard inside dimension of the concrete structure. Offline systems will require additional concrete diversion components.

2. Water Quality Flow is based on 80% removal of a particle size distribution with an average particle size of 125 microns. This flow also represents the maximum flow prior to which bypass occurs. Test results are based on use of a 2400 micron screen.

Cast-in-place system are available to treat higher flows. Check with your local representatives for specifications.

**Notes:** Systems can be sized based on a water quality flow (e.g. 1 inch storm) or on a net annual basis depending on the local regulatory requirement. When sizing based on a water quality storm, the required flow to be treated should be equal to or less than the listed water quality flow for the selected system. Systems sized based on a water quality storm are generally more conservatively sized. Additional particle size distributions are available for sizing purposes upon request. Depth below invert is measured to the inside bottom of the system. This depth can be adjusted to meet specific storage or maintenance requirements. Contact our support staff for the most cost effective sizing for your area.