

Silt Saver (SS-100A) Frame Discharge Analysis

Orifice only flow calculations

Head (ft)	Opening Area (SF)	Equation Used	Flow Orifice	Total Flow (cfs)
0.5	2.1	O	7	7
1	3.9	O	19	19
1.5	7	O	41	41
2	8	O	54	54
2.5	9.2	O	70	70
3	9.2	O	77	77

Due to narrow slot, a transition will occur between weir and orifice conditions.

Orifice flow will provide a more conservative estimate of flow, therefore the lessor of the orifice and weir flows will be used for each stage calculation.

Weir Equation (W) = $Q=3.3 P(h)^{1.5}$

Orifice Equation (O) = $Q=0.6A(2gh)^{0.5}$

P= feet perimeter

h= head in feet

Q= capacity in CFS

A=Free open area of frame

g=32.2 feet per second per second

