



Capacity of Circular Pipe Flowing 1/2 Full

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PIPE DESCRIPTION	SLOPE (%)	SIZE (IN)	MANNING'S COEFFICIENT (n)	VELOCITY (FT/S)	CAPACITY (CFS)	CAPACITY (GPD)	CAPACITY (MGD)
6" PVC North	5.60	6.00	0.01	8.81	0.87	559,327	0.56
6" PVC South	1.48	6.00	0.01	4.53	0.44	287,543	0.29

Variables Defined

Q=Capacity of Pipe (CFS)
 V=Velocity in Pipe Section (FT/S)
 R=Hydraulic Radius of Pipe Section
 S=Slope of Pipe Section (FT/FT)
 D=Diameter of Pipe (FT)
 d=Depth of Flow in Pipe (FT)
 n=Manning's Coefficient
 Wp=Wetted Perimeter (FT)

Typical Values for Manning's Coefficient (n)

n(RCP)= 0.013
 n(HDPE-Smooth Interior)= 0.012 *Varies with Manufacturer
 n(DIP)= 0.013
 n(PVC)= 0.010
 n(CMP)= 0.024

Equations used:

Q=VA
 $V = (1.49/n) * R^{(2/3)} * S^{(1/2)}$
 $Q = (1.49/n) * R^{(2/3)} * S^{(1/2)} * A$

Utilizing Appendix 16.A from the Civil Engineering Reference Manual-Seventh Edition, by Micheal Lindeburg, Copyright 1999
 The following equations were utilized to calculate the Hydraulic Radius and Area of a Circular Pipe Section flowing 1/2 full

$A = (\pi * D^2 / 4) * 0.5 = 0.3927 * D^2$
 $R = A / Wp = 0.3927 * D^2 / ((2 * \pi * D / 2) * 0.5) = 0.25 * D$

Therefore:

$Q = (1.49/n) * (0.25 * D)^{(2/3)} * S^{(1/2)} * (0.3927 * D^2)$
 $V = (1.49/n) * (0.25 * D)^{(2/3)} * S^{(1/2)}$

Unit Conversion Equations

1 Cubic Foot=7.4805 Gallons
 1 Day = 86,400 Seconds

Therefore:

$$\frac{\text{Cubic Foot}}{\text{Second}} \times \frac{86,400 \text{ Seconds}}{1 \text{ Day}} \times \frac{7.4805 \text{ Gallons}}{1 \text{ Cubic Foot}} = \frac{\text{Gallon}}{\text{Day}}$$

$$\frac{\text{Gallon}}{\text{Day}} \times \frac{1 \text{ Million Gallons}}{1,000,000 \text{ Gallons}} = \frac{\text{Million Gallons}}{\text{Day}}$$