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**Storing stormwater
for any application**

- **SickuPipe**
pipe swale infiltration
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Water is far too valuable to be wasted through the gully ...

The topic of decentralised stormwater management is gaining more and more importance in constructional engineering in federal states and municipalities.

Due to increased environmental awareness and rising costs for the construction and modernisation of sewers, demands are not to discharge stormwater in wastewater sewers but either store it as process water, e.g. for irrigation, car wash or use in toilets, and/or infiltrate it on the spot and thus return it to the groundwater. This way, new sewers to be built in the future can be dimensioned smaller and hence more inexpensively.

Retention of stormwater with subsequent infiltration or through controlled discharge benefits flood control and prevents flooding.

The high ecological efficiency of storage/infiltration systems is undisputed. According to the effective Federal Water Act (*Wasserhaushaltsgesetz*), nearby stormwater management has priority.

The objective of legislation and standards is to maintain the natural water cycle as much as possible in surface drainage in the future.

This should be achieved with decentralised methods of stormwater management.



STORAGE VARIANTS

Pipe swale

SickuPipe system

Underdrained swale system

MuriPipe system

Storage/infiltration system

Rigofill® inspect system

The ecological pipe system for the decentralised infiltration of stormwater and surface water

The German Association for Wastewater (*Abwassertechnische Vereinigung, ATV*) stipulated the regulations for „Planning, Construction and Operation of Facilities for the Percolation of Precipitation Water“ (*Bau und Bemessung von Anlagen zur dezentralen Versickerung von nicht schädlich verunreinigtem Niederschlagswasser*) in DWA-A 138. It recommends spread infiltration which directly diverts stormwater into the subsoil on the spot through backfilled pipe swales. The SickuPipe pipes lead to an ideal water distribution in the planar gravel storage.



SickuPipe

perforated swale infiltration pipe

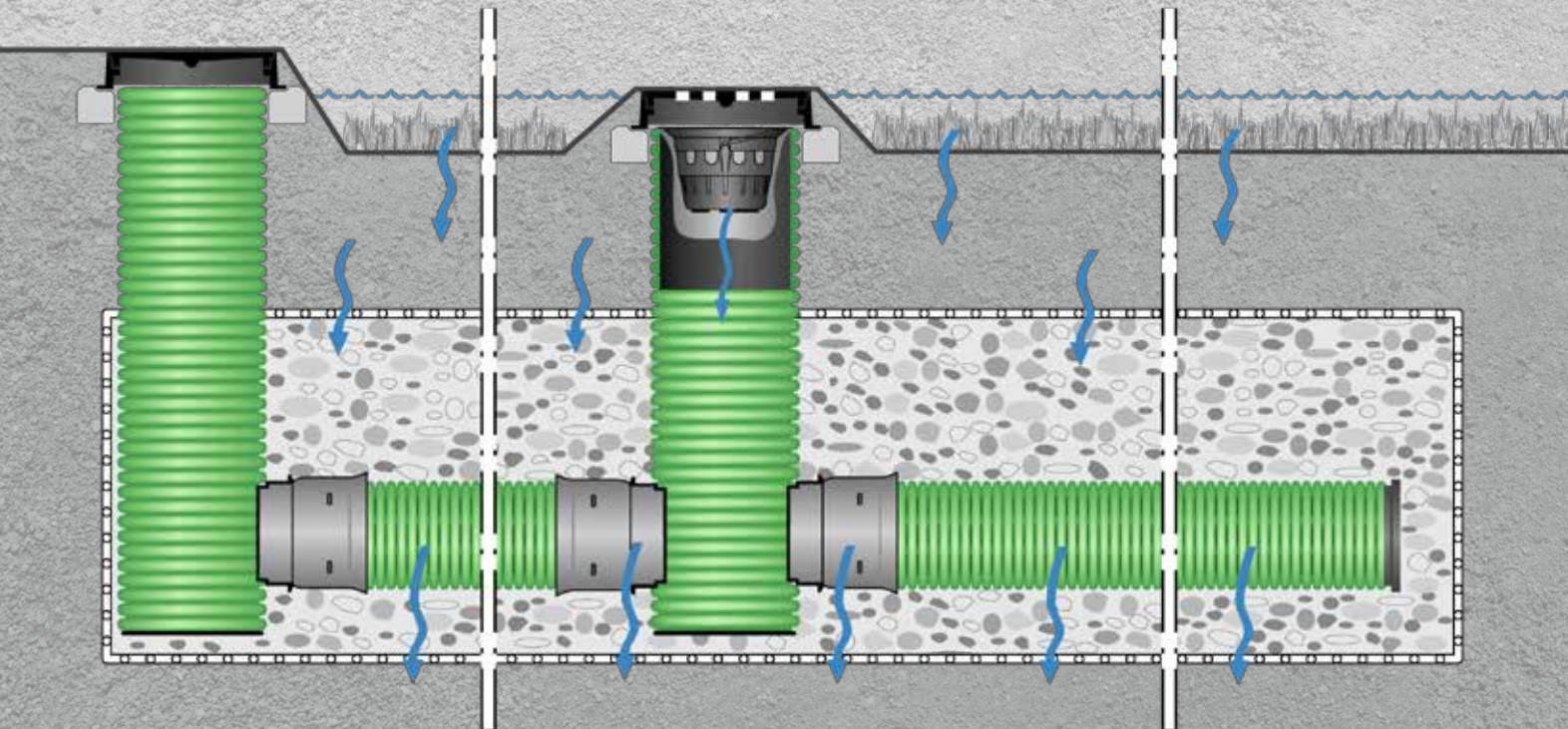
- totally perforated pipe (TP)
- DN/ID 300
- total perforation area $\geq 180 \text{ cm}^2/\text{m}$

high storage volume

ideal perforation area

economic installation

light weight



The underdrained swale system for time-lagged discharge of stormwater

Simple principle, convincing effect. The core component of an underdrained swale infiltration is a vegetated infiltration swale and a gravel swale underneath with a distribution/transport pipe.

Stormwater is stored and filtered in the swale before it enters the underdrained swale system where it distributes evenly through MuriPipe. The advantage is that the stormwater passes through a vegetation layer (the grass layer) and enters the groundwater thoroughly cleaned. With little ground permeability there is only partial infiltration – the remaining water accumulates and flows through the throttle shaft into the natural receiving waters.



ideal infiltration performance

high treatment effect

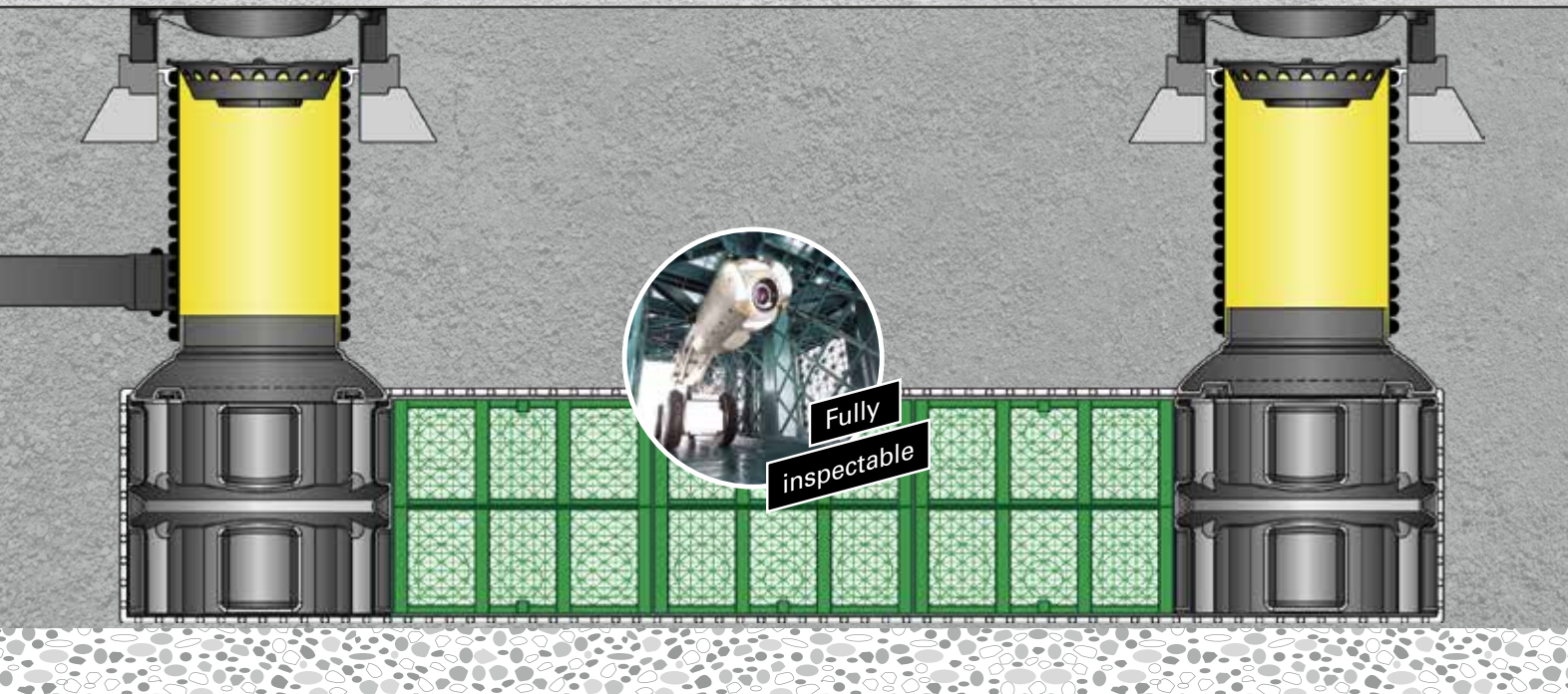
simple design

high safety coefficient

MuriPipe

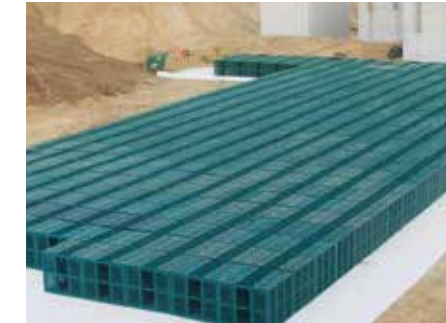
perforated swale infiltration pipe

- totally perforated pipe (TP)
- DN/ID 200
- total perforation area $\geq 150 \text{ cm}^2/\text{m}$



Highly efficient storage/infiltration module with inspection tunnel

Storage/infiltration systems temporarily collect stormwater and discharge it later. In addition to infiltration using under-drained swale systems, pipe swales, and gravel swales common in the past, more and more storage/infiltration systems are being built today. The storage space of the storage/infiltration system consists of numerous Rigofill inspect modules which can be combined three-dimensionally to form large systems. The advantage of this method is that the void ratio is up to three times larger in these infiltration systems than in gravel swales which saves space and excavation work. Rigofill inspect is a modular system which is characterised by high flexibility, rapid installation and a high level of user-friendliness.



huge storage capacity

very little space required

weight and handling: light

strength: exceptional



Rigofill® inspect

Highly durable and hard-wearing storage/infiltration module

- DIBt approval: Z-42.1-473
- suited for HGV 60

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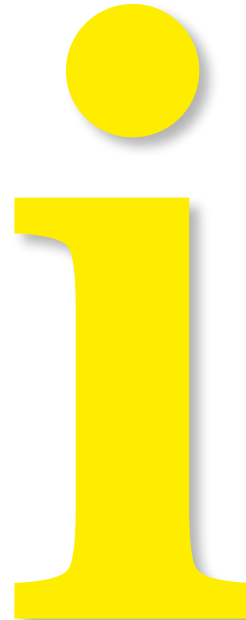
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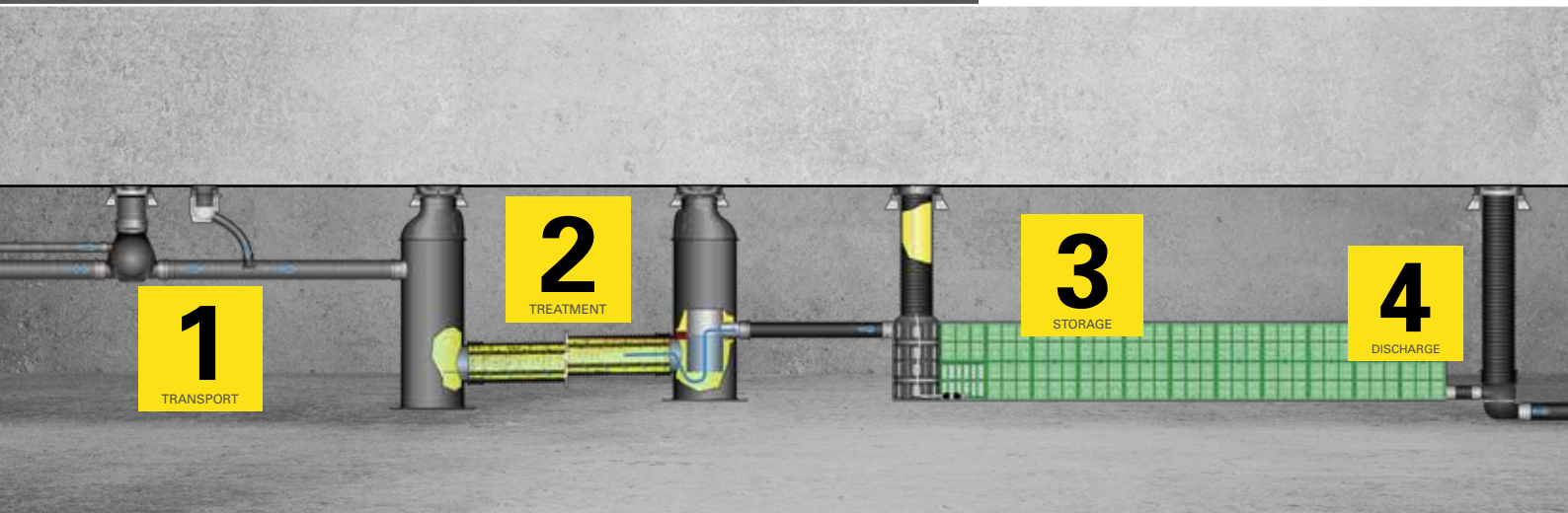
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