



DESCRIPTION:

Concrete block and gravel filter placed over inlet to storm drain system.

APPLICATION:

- ▶ Construct at inlets in paved or unpaved areas where upgradient area is to be disturbed by construction activities.

INSTALLATION/APPLICATION CRITERIA:

- ▶ Place wire mesh (with 1/2 inch openings) over the inlet grate extending one foot past the grate in all directions.
- ▶ Place concrete blocks around the inlet with openings facing outward. Stack blocks to minimum height of 12-inches and maximum height of 24-inches.
- ▶ Place wire mesh around outside of blocks.
- ▶ Place gravel (3/4" to 3") around blocks.

LIMITATIONS:

- ▶ Recommended for maximum drainage area of one acre.
- ▶ Excess flows may bypass the inlet requiring down gradient controls.
- ▶ Ponding will occur at inlet.

MAINTENANCE:

- ▶ Inspect inlet protection after every large storm event and at a minimum of once monthly.
- ▶ Remove sediment accumulated when it reaches 4-inches in depth.
- ▶ Replace filter fabric and clean or replace gravel if clogging is apparent.

OBJECTIVES

- Housekeeping Practices
- Contain Waste
- Minimize Disturbed Areas
- Stabilize Disturbed Areas
- Protect Slopes/Channels
- Control Site Perimeter
- Control Internal Erosion



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TARGETED POLLUTANTS

- Sediment
- Nutrients
- Toxic Materials
- Oil & Grease
- Floatable Materials
- Other Waste

- High Impact
- Medium Impact
- Low or Unknown Impact

IMPLEMENTATION REQUIREMENTS

- Capital Costs
- O&M Costs
- Maintenance
- Training

- High
- Medium
- Low