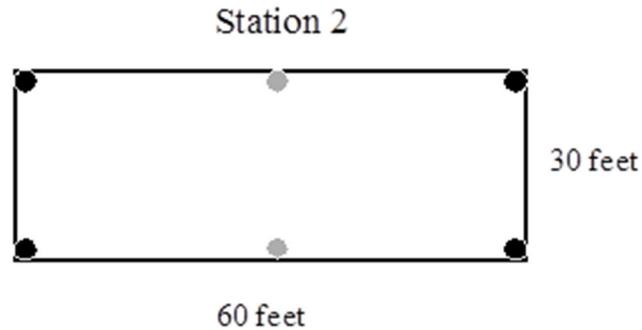


Calculating Design Precipitation Rate

1. Calculate the precipitation rate (in inches per hour) for station 2 below.



- Half-circle = 4 GPM
- Quarter circle = 2 GPM

Determine the precipitation rate for the following questions using the manufacturers' charts:

2a. What nozzle should be used for a rotor operating at 40 psi and has a radius of 30 ft?

2b. What is the precipitation rate if using square spacing?

2c. What is the precipitation rate if using triangular spacing?

PGP Red Standard Nozzle Performance Data					
Nozzle	Pressure PSI	Radius ft.	Flow GPM	Precip in/hr	
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1	30	28'	0.5	0.12	0.14
	40	29'	0.6	0.14	0.16
	50	29'	0.7	0.16	0.19
	60	30'	0.8	0.17	0.20
2	30	29'	0.7	0.16	0.19
	40	30'	0.8	0.17	0.20
	50	30'	0.9	0.19	0.22
	60	31'	1.0	0.20	0.23
3	30	30'	0.9	0.19	0.22
	40	31'	1.0	0.20	0.23
	50	31'	1.2	0.24	0.28
	60	32'	1.3	0.24	0.28
4	30	32'	1.2	0.23	0.26
	40	33'	1.4	0.25	0.29
	50	34'	1.6	0.27	0.31
	60	34'	1.8	0.30	0.35
5	30	34'	1.6	0.27	0.31
	40	36'	1.8	0.27	0.31
	50	38'	2.0	0.27	0.31
	60	38'	2.2	0.29	0.34