

The Related Research on Urban Runoff LID BMPs Control for Sponge city

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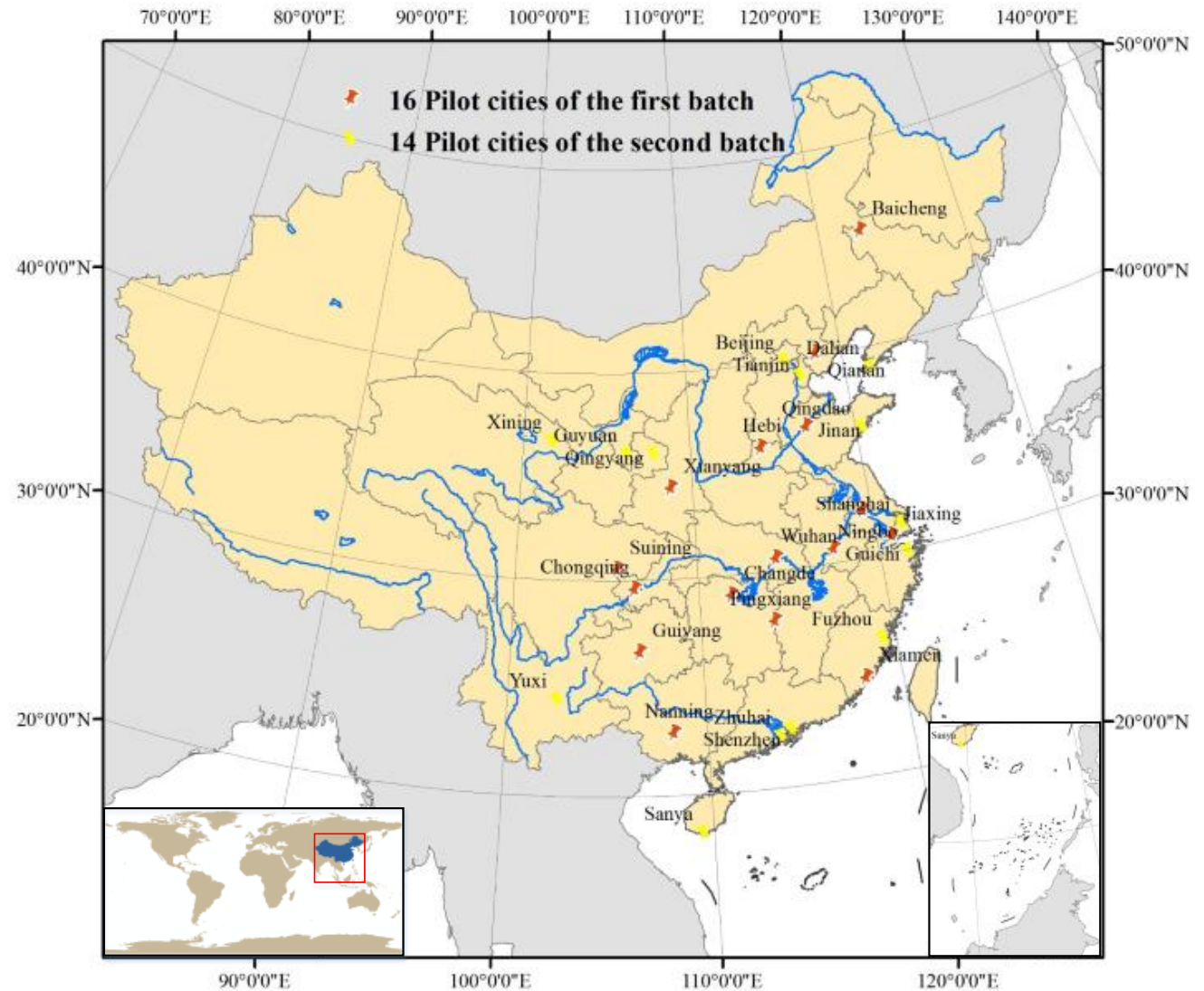
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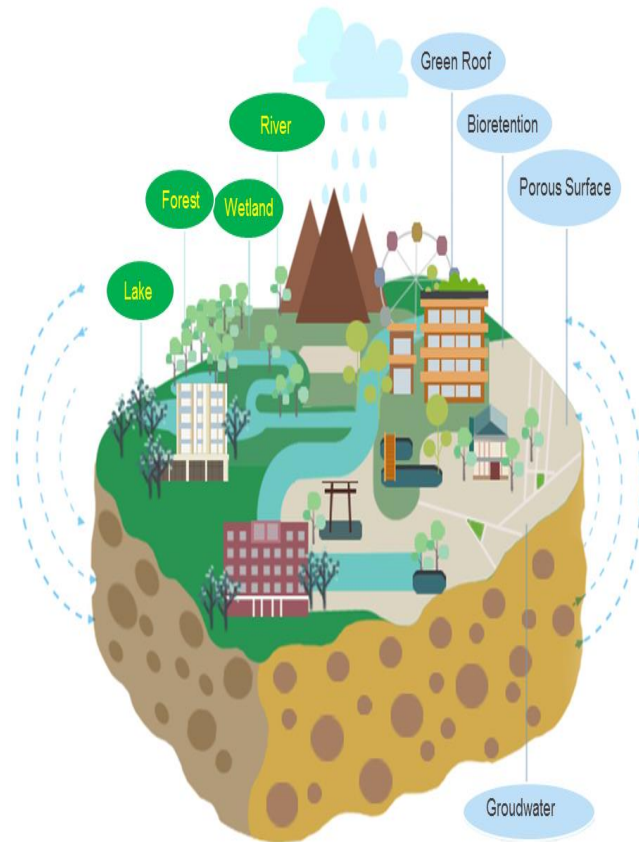
Sponge city in China



- ◆ It has been a national policy and movement in late 2013
- ◆ 30 National pilot cities
- ◆ 1000 billion RMB Yuan market



Principle and means of Sponge city



Infiltration

Conserving groundwater

Retention

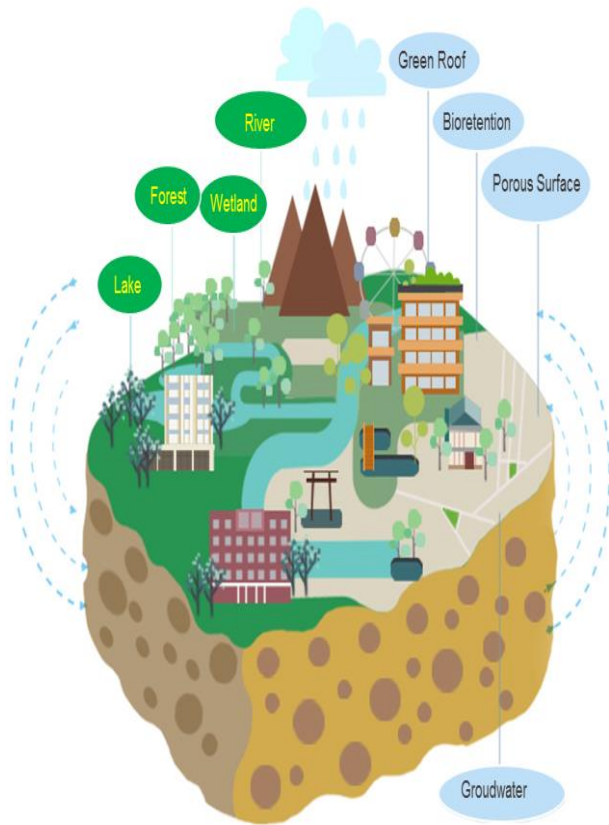
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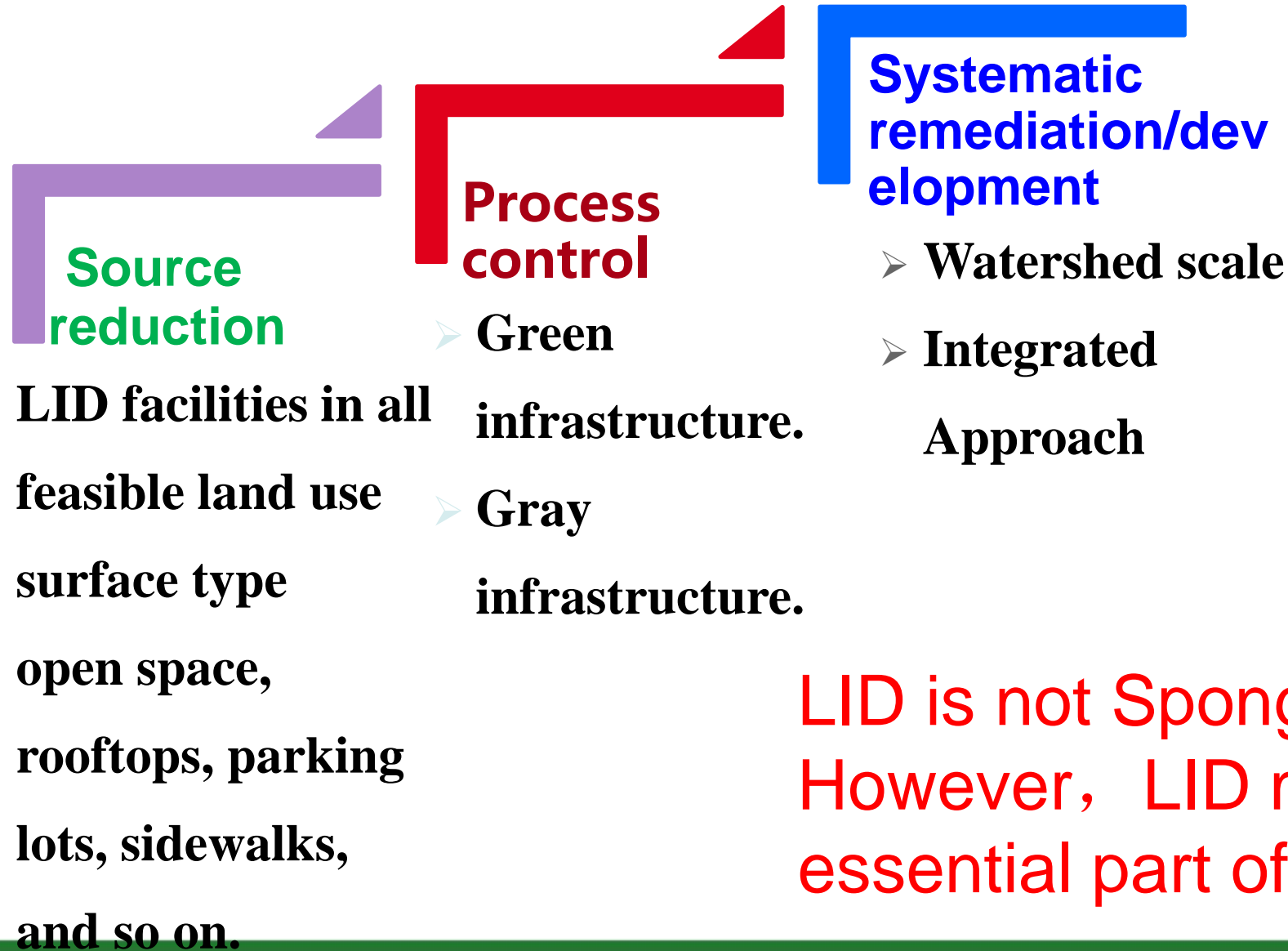
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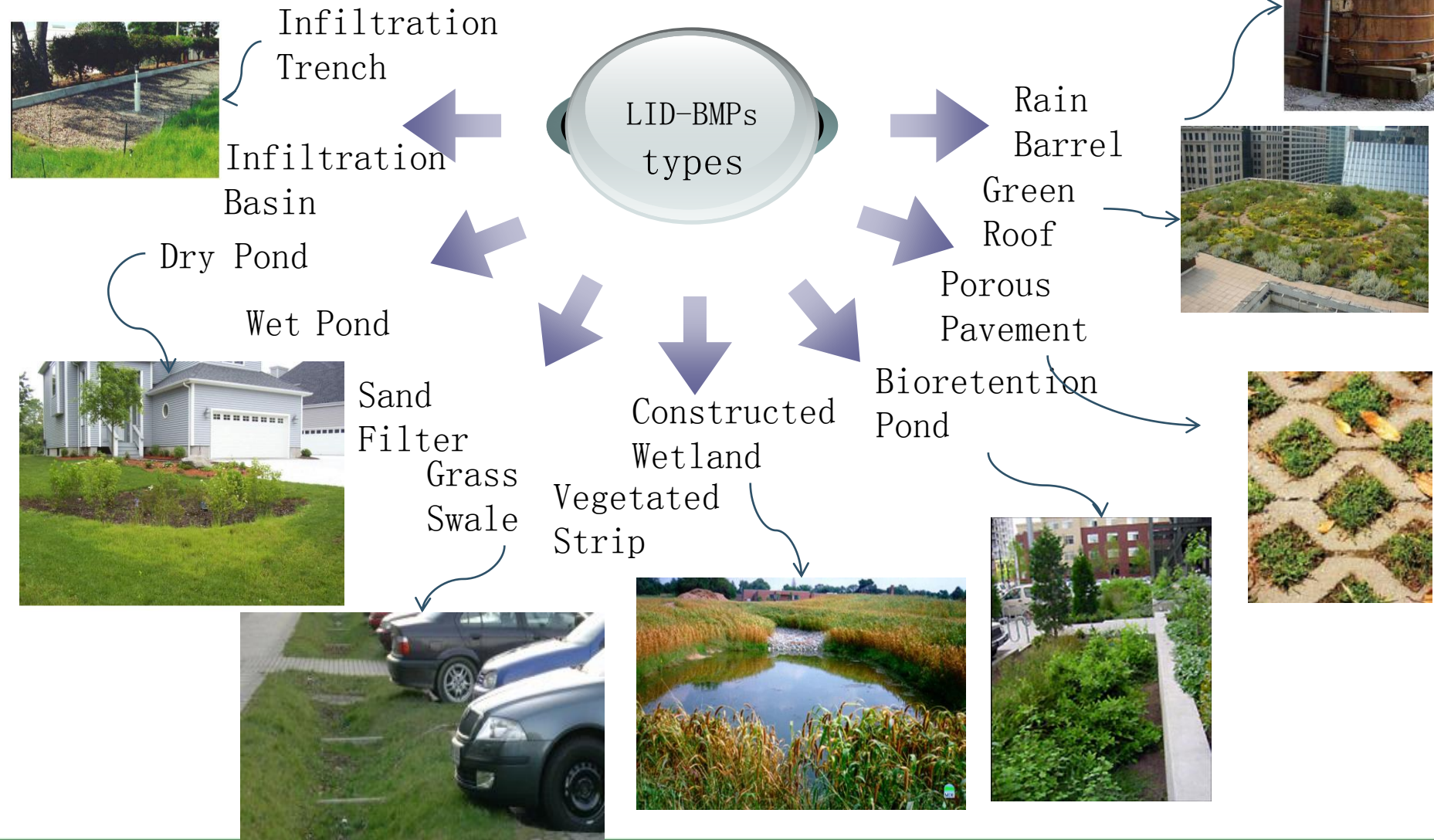
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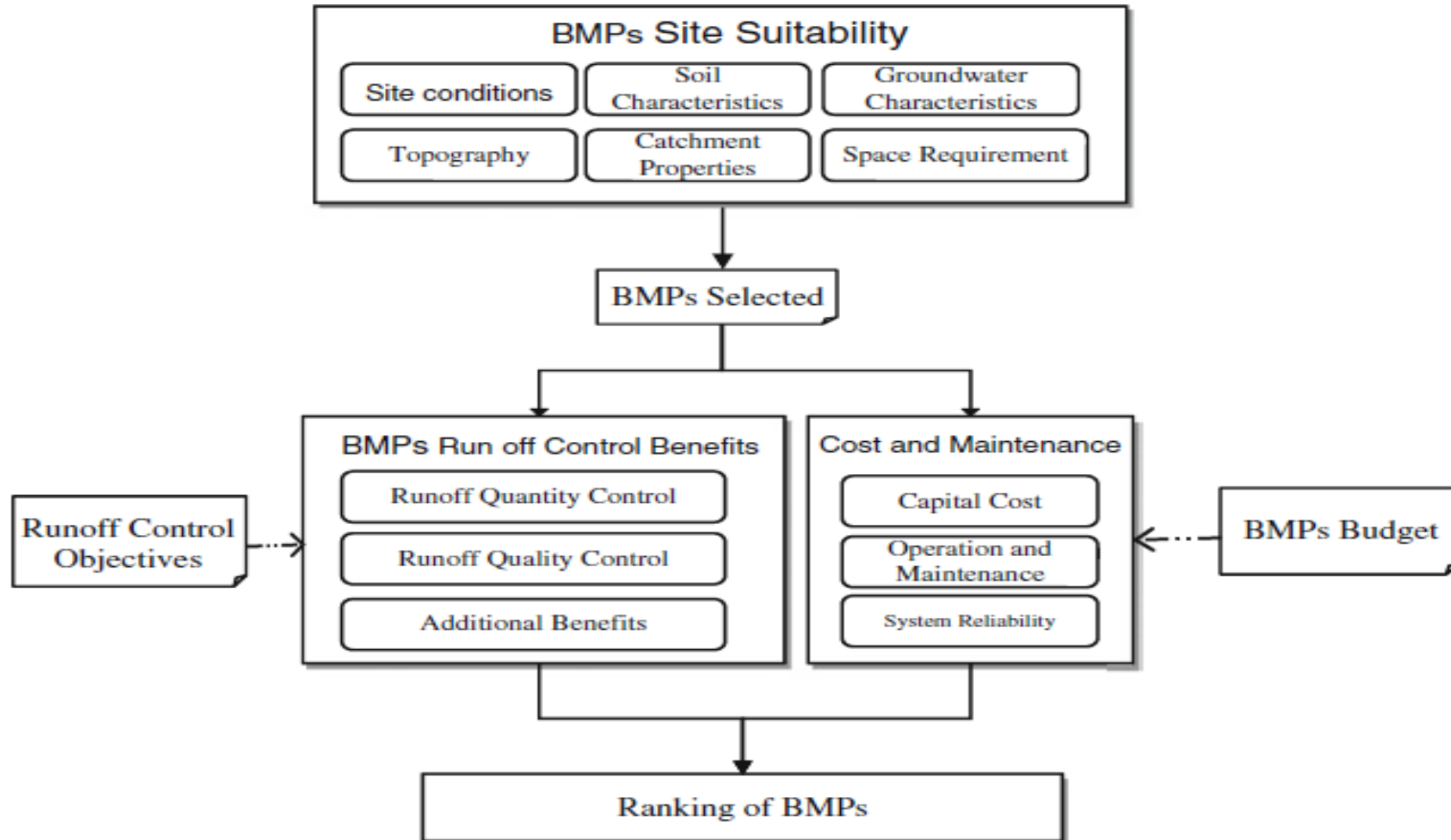
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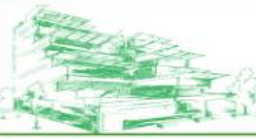


Selection of suitable LID BMPs



- A multi-criteria index ranking system for urban runoff LID BMPs selection





- LID-BMPs selection Software



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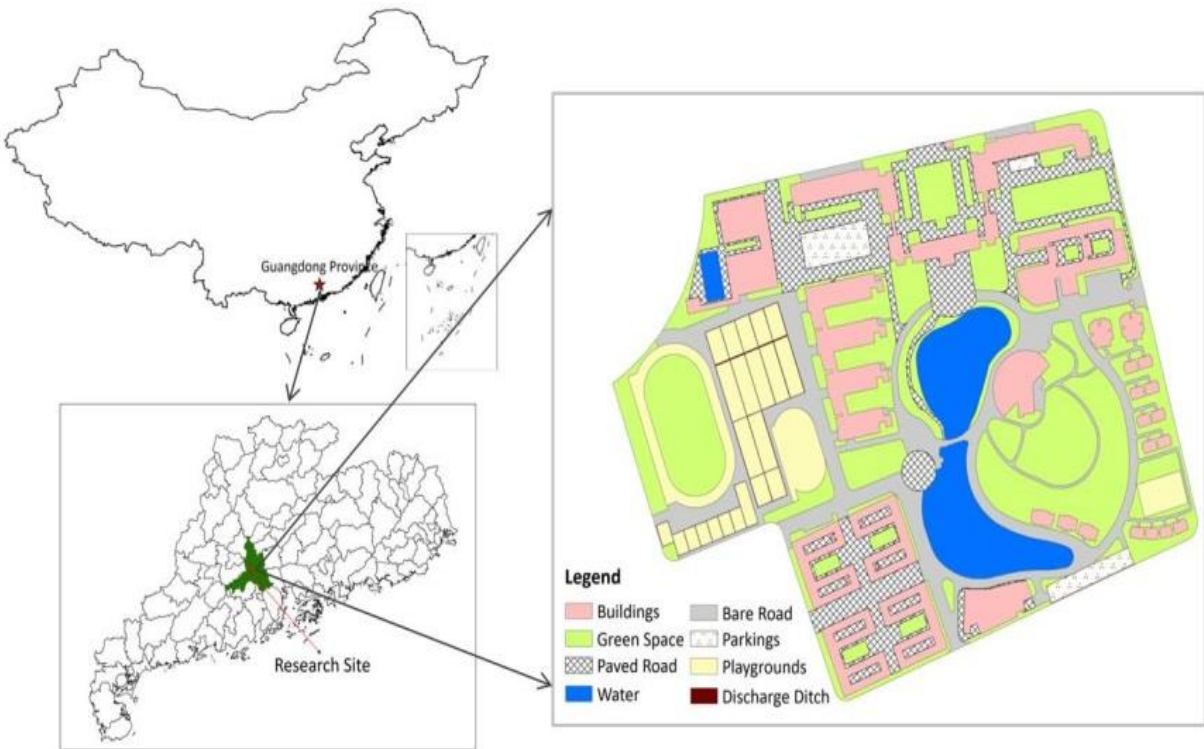
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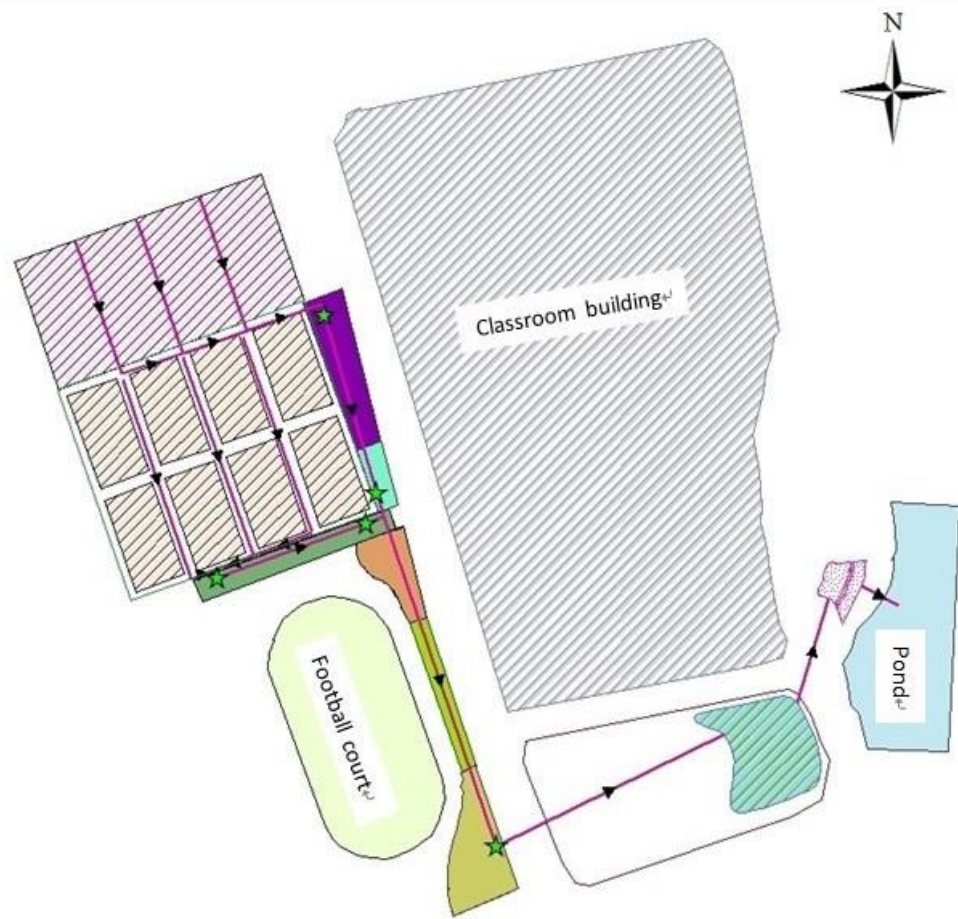
The test site is on the campus of Guangdong vocational college of environmental protection in **Foshan**, Guangdong province in southern China.



Campus

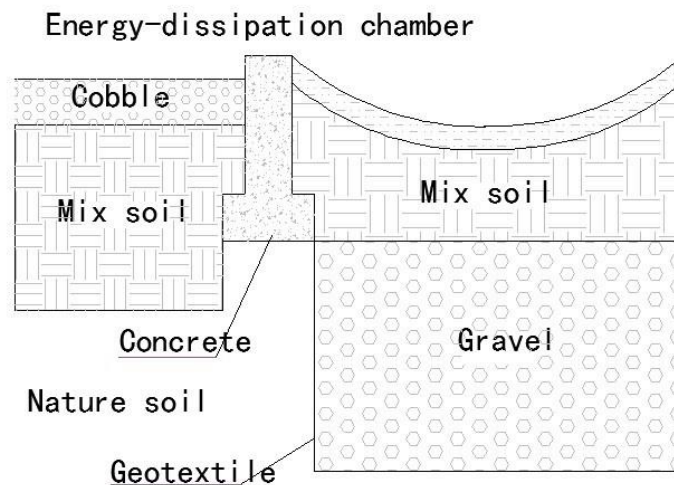
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BMP Design and Construction

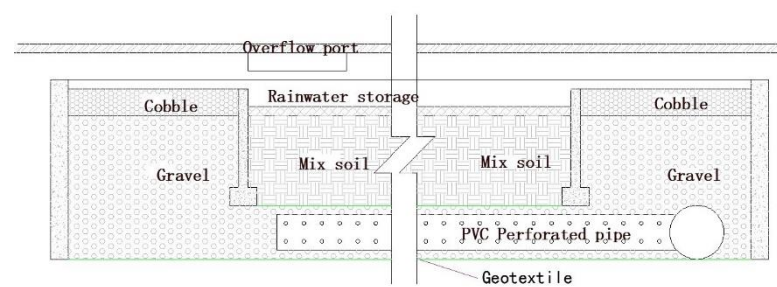


Legend

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|--|---------------------|--|--------------------|--|---------------------|
| | Basketball court | | Grassed swale 1 | | Grassed swale 3 |
| | Tennis court | | Grassed swale 2 | | Infiltration pit 2 |
| | ★ Sampling location | | Bioretention cell | | Constructed wetland |
| | → Flow direction | | Infiltration pit 1 | | Buffer strip |

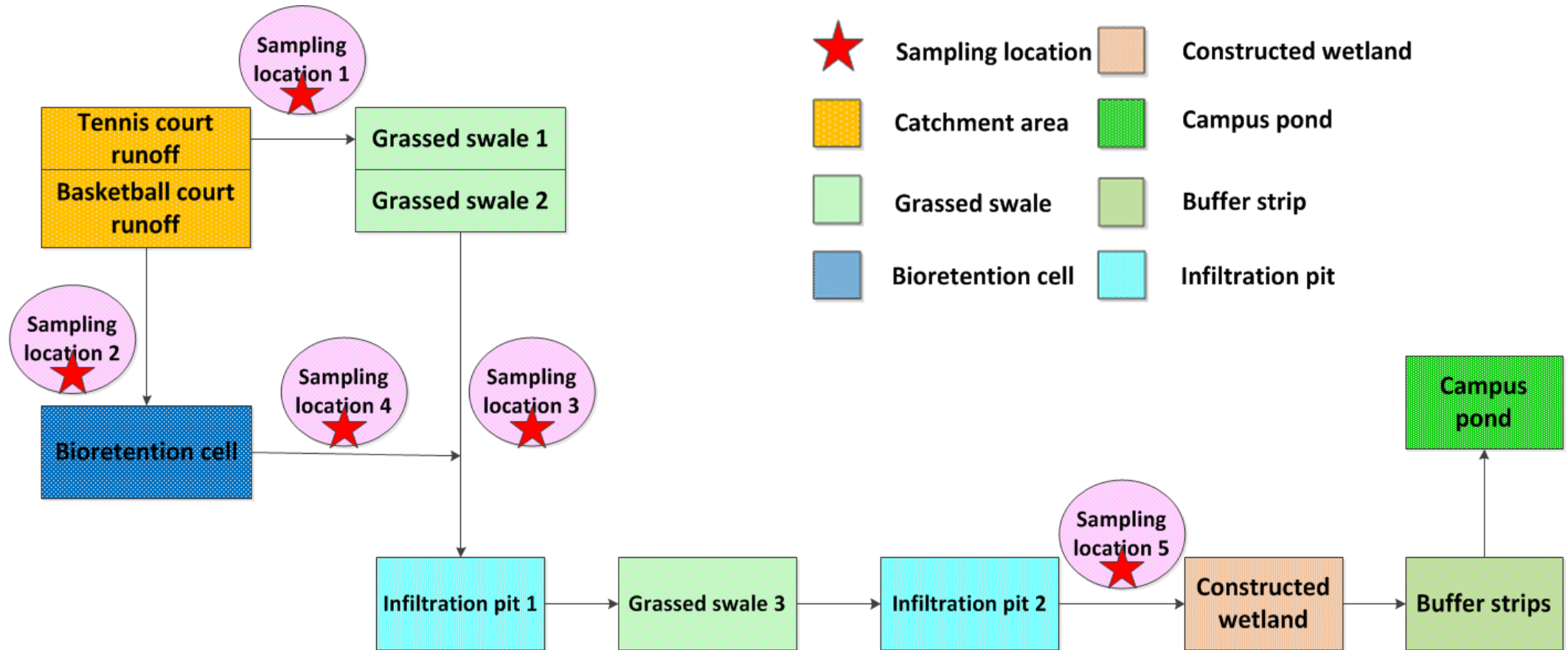


The profile of Grassed swale



The profile of Bioretention

Design of the Sampling Program



Schematic of Sampling Locations

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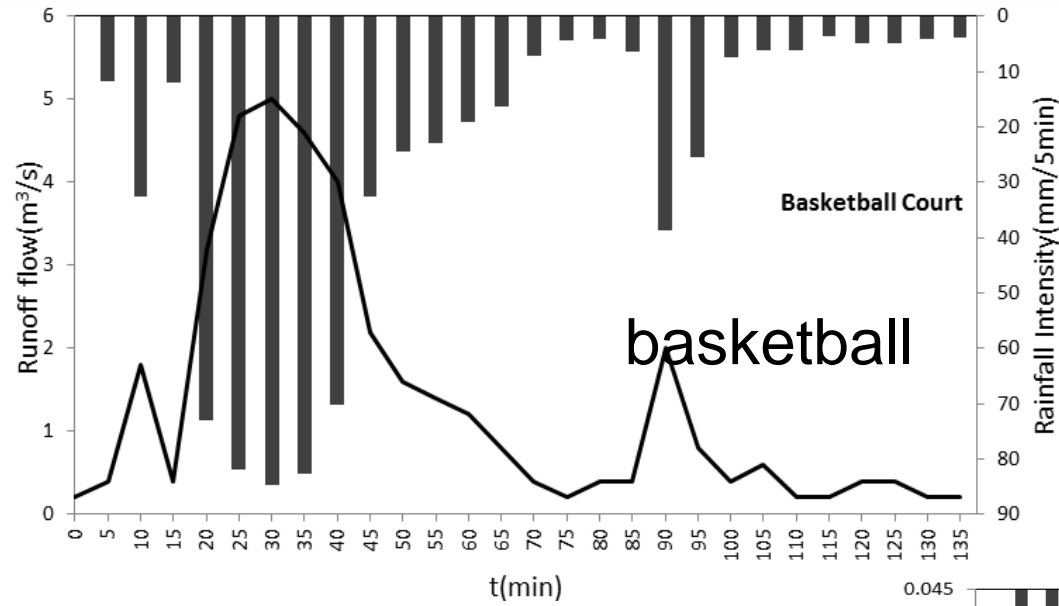
Design of the Sampling Program



- ◆ Water quality parameters analyzed included pH, COD, NH₃-N, TSS, TN, TP, Cu and Zn.
- ◆ A total of 19 storm events were monitored, of which 10 produced outflows from the BMPs from May, 2012 - Sept. 2013

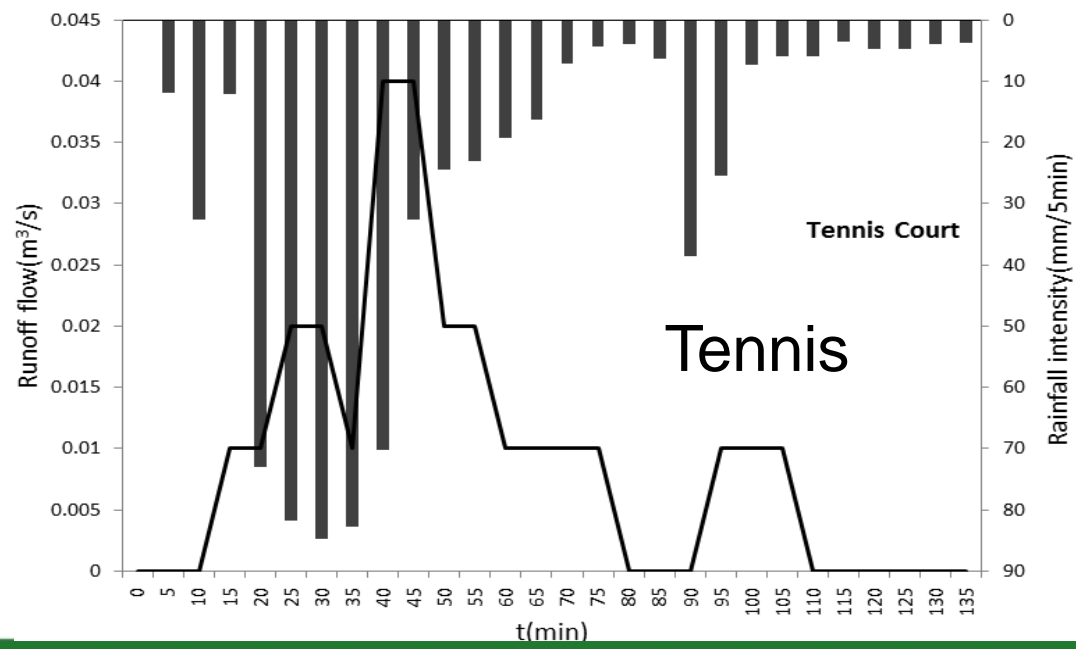
- ◆ Runoff Control Performance
 - Volume Reduction
 - Peak Reduction
- ◆ Pollutant Removal Performance
 - Bioretention Cell Removal Efficiency
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Results and Discussion

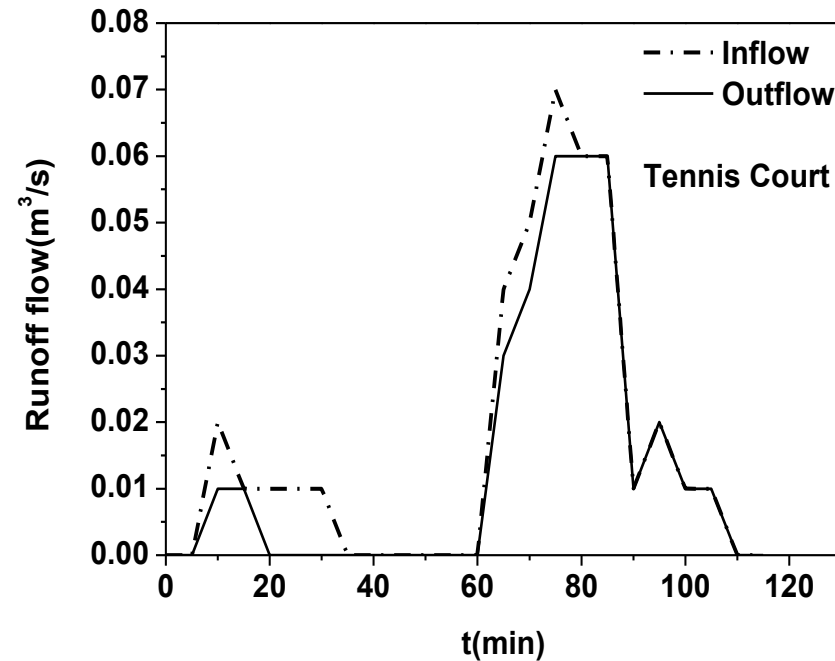
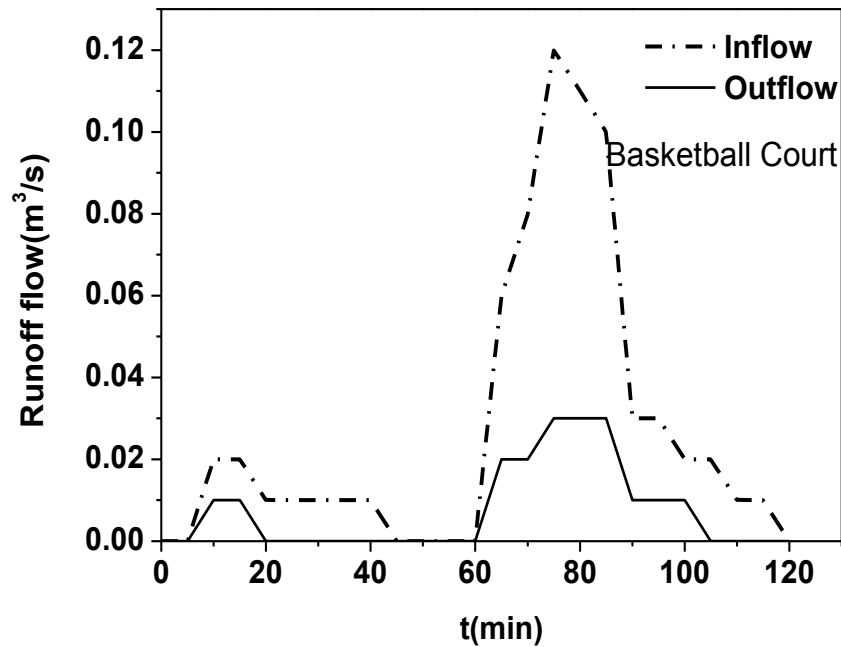


Rainfall Hyetograph for the May 18, 2012 Storm

Runoff Hydrograph for the May 18, 2012 Storm



Runoff Control Performance

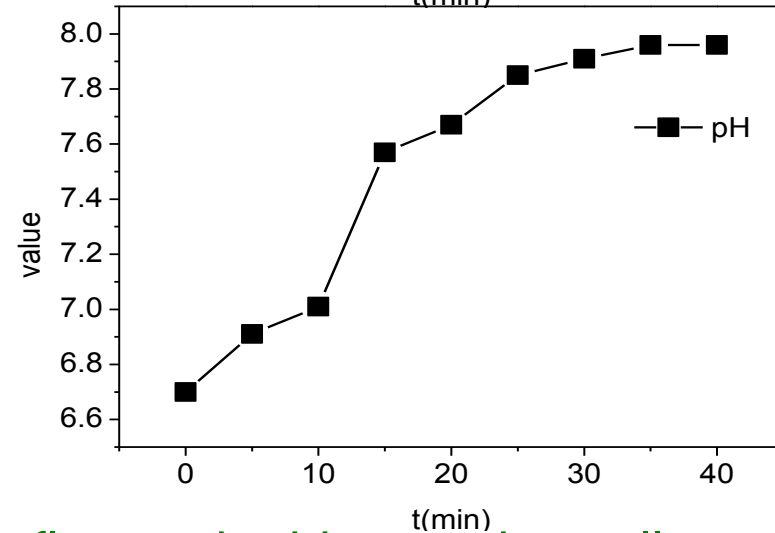
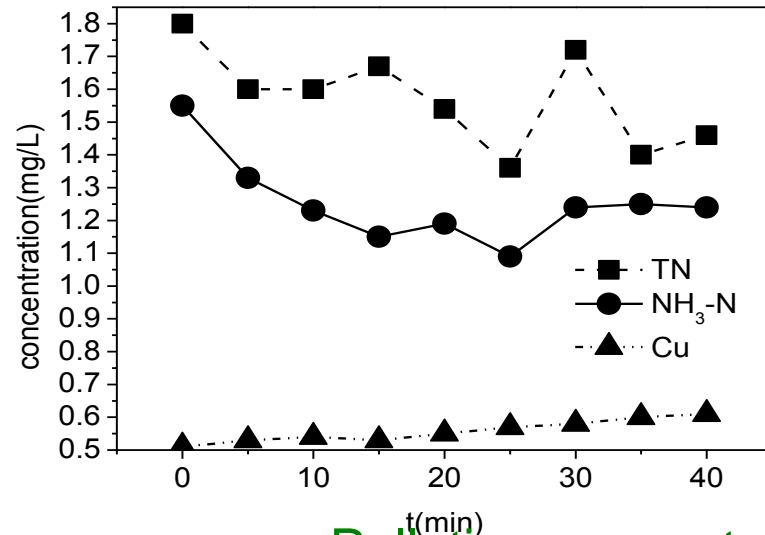
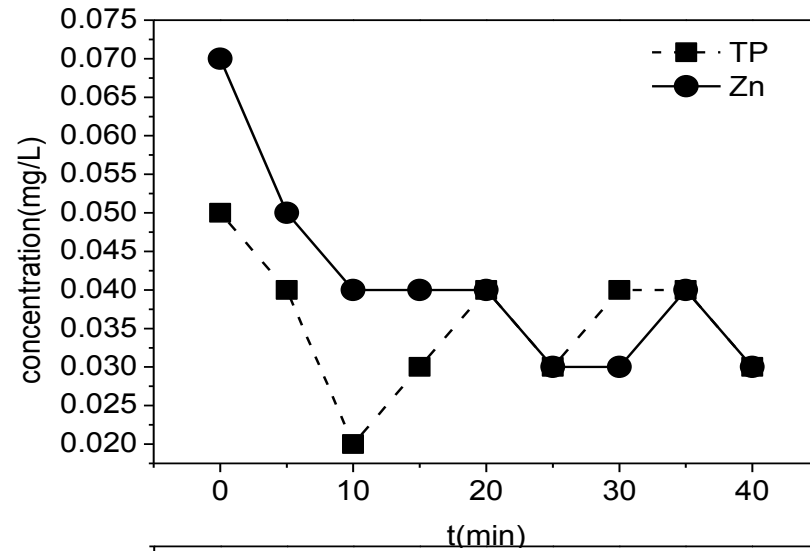
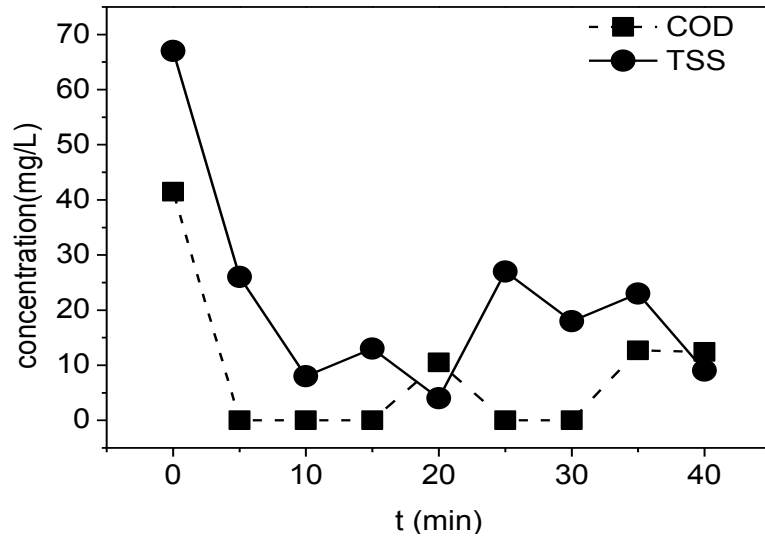


Inflow and outflow hydrographs for the bioretention cell for the May 27, 2012 storm

Inflow and outflow hydrographs for the grassed swale for the May 27, 2012 storm

- bioretention cell is quite efficient in reducing the runoff peak and volume,
- while the swale is much less effective for a relatively **large storm**

Pollutant Removal Performance



Pollution concentrations of inflow to the bioretention cell
for the May 20, 2012 storm

Bioretention Cell Removal Efficiency



Overall removal efficiency for bioretention cell

Pollutant	TN	NH ₃ -N	Zn	Cu	COD	TSS	TP
2012 Removal rate (%)	44.29	46.67	100.00	69.45	17.93	-29.62	-29.76
2013 Removal rate (%)	59.43	62.18	*	*	-	36.44	0.00
Total Removal rate (%)	48.61	51.10	100.00	69.45	17.93	-10.75	-21.26

- : less than detection limit; *: no sampling

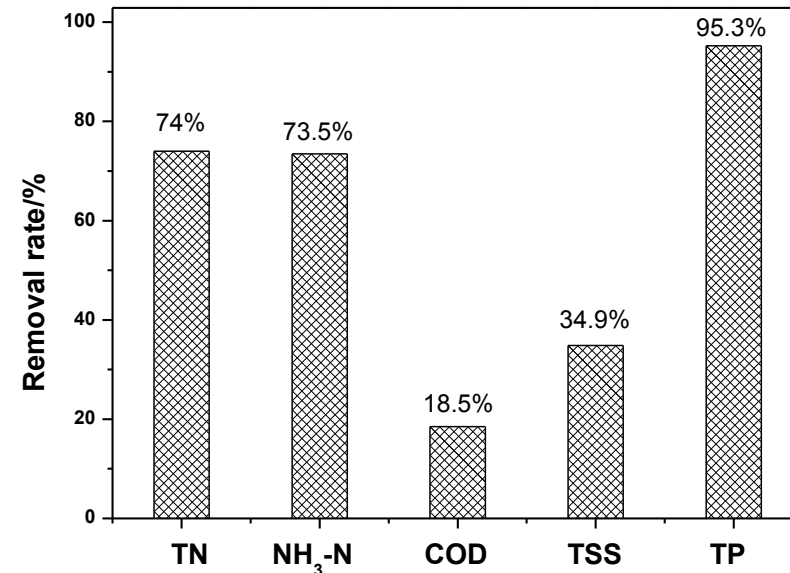
- significant removal rates for NH₃-N, TN , Zn and Cu; fare removal rate for COD; negative removal rate for TSS, TP.
- the pollutants removal rates in 2013 were higher than that in 2012, especially the removal rate for TSS which changed from negative to positive.
- The results show that the performances of bioretention cell need one year operation to stabilize.

System Removal Efficiency



	Inflow		Outflow	Removal rate* (%)
	Grassed swale 1	Bioretention cell	Infiltration pit 2	
COD/ kg	3.02	0.80	3.11	18.52
NH ₃ -N/ kg	0.49	0.13	0.17	73.48
TN/ kg	0.96	0.25	0.31	74.00
TSS/ kg	8.44	3.11	7.53	34.85
TP/ g	0.07	0.71	0.04	95.26

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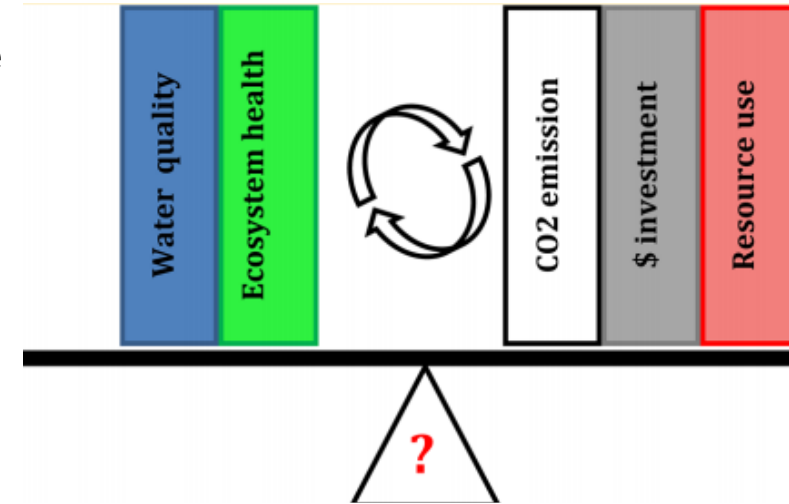
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Why should it be optimized?



- The types and connection methods of LID facilities are diverse. The existing planning is usually subjective, which requires multi-objective optimization of layout considering economic and environmental benefits.

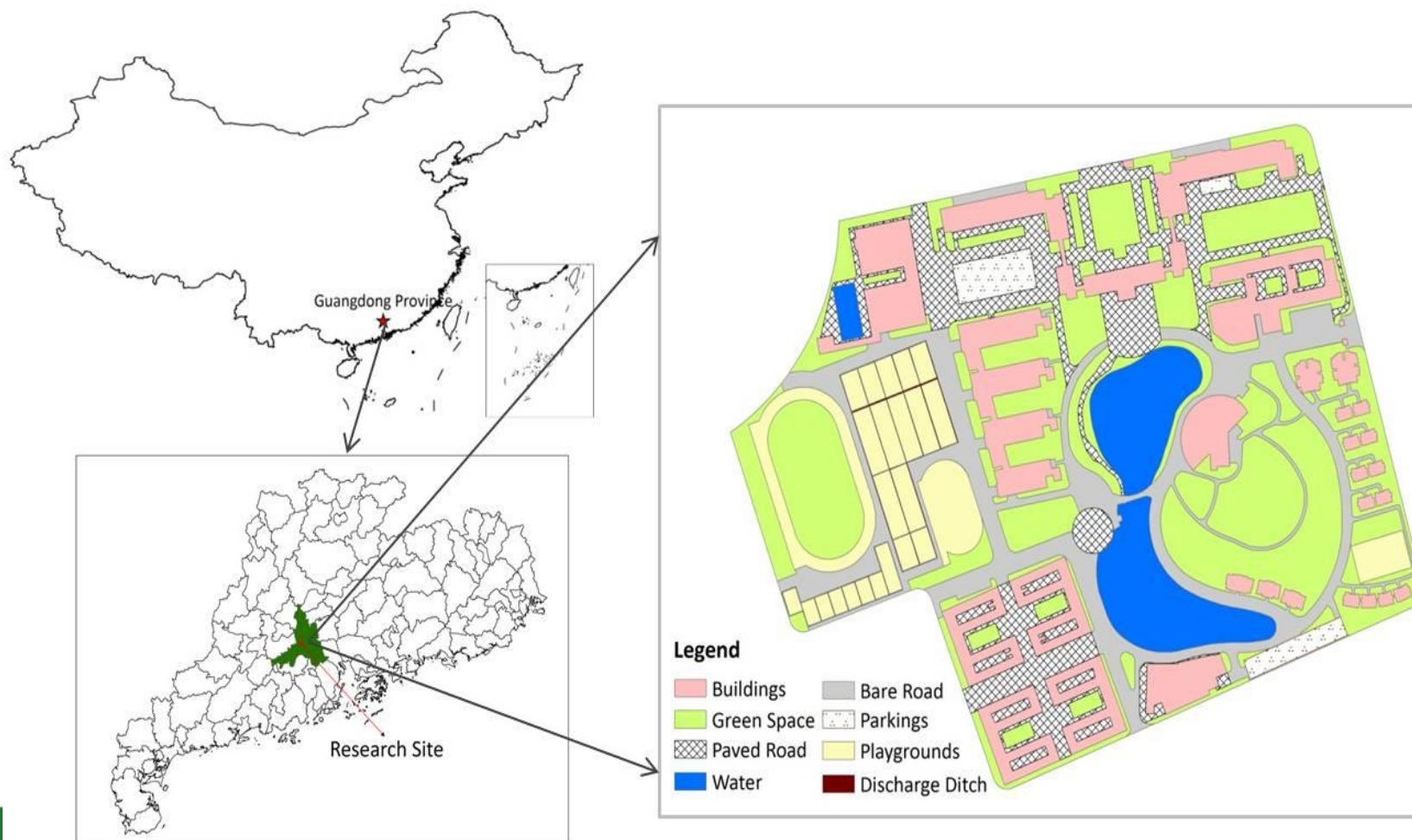


Methods	Limitations	References
scenario analysis	strong subjectivity, far from pareto optimum	Ahiablame L. M., Engel B. A., Chaubey I. Effectiveness of low impact development practices in two urbanized watersheds: Retrofitting with rain barrel/cistern and porous pavement[J]. Journal of Environment
non-dominated sorting genetic algorithm-II	long calculation time, complex mechanism, premature convergence	Jia H., Yao H., Tang Y., et al. LID-BMPs planning for urban runoff control and the case study in China[J]. Journal of Environmental Management, 2015, 149:65-76
Method-MCGS	Fast and reliable optimization	XU Te, ENGEL Bernard A., SHI Xinmei, LENG Linyuan, JIA Haifeng. Marginal-cost-based greedy strategy (MCGS): Fast and reliable optimization of low impact development (LID) layout. Science of the Total Environment. 2018 (640–641): 570–580.

A Case study in Foshan city based on NSGA-II)



☂ Guangdong College of Environment Protection: New campus in Foshan city



Case Study

Introduction



☂ Climate

🌿 Subtropical monsoon climate, Plenty of sunshine

🌿 Annual average temperature 22-23℃,

🌿 Annual rainfall: 1622mm

☂ Rainfall in Typical year

☂ Topography

☂ Land use

☂ Drainage system

☂ Soil characteristics

Layer	Soil type	Height of layer (m)	Top level of layer (m)
artificial filled soil 第四系全新统冲洪积层	人工填土 artificial filled soil	0.40-8.60	
Quaternary holocene alluvial layer 第四系全新统坡洪积层	淤泥质粉质粘土 Soft silty clay	0.50-5.50	0.00-8.40
Quaternary holocene alluvial layer 第四系全新统坡洪积层	粘土 Clay	0.60-9.50	0.00-7.20
Quaternary epipleistocene alluvial layer 第四系上更新统冲洪积层	粉砂 Silty sand	0.50-6.70	5.00-11.50
Quaternary epipleistocene alluvial layer 第四系上更新统冲洪积层	粘土 Clay	0.90-7.70	0.40-12.50
Quaternary eluvium 第四系残积层	粉质粘土 Silty clay	0.80-25.10	0.00-12.40
第三系地层 下伏基岩	强风化泥质砂岩/砂质泥岩 Strong-weathered rock	0.80-33.30	0.00-28.50
第三系地层 下伏基岩	中等风化泥质砂岩/砂质泥岩 medium-weathered rock	0.50-11.70	7.70-37.30
Tertiary underlying rock	微风化泥质砂岩/砂质泥岩	0.60-5.70	10.00-42.00


Preliminary selection of suitable LID BMPs

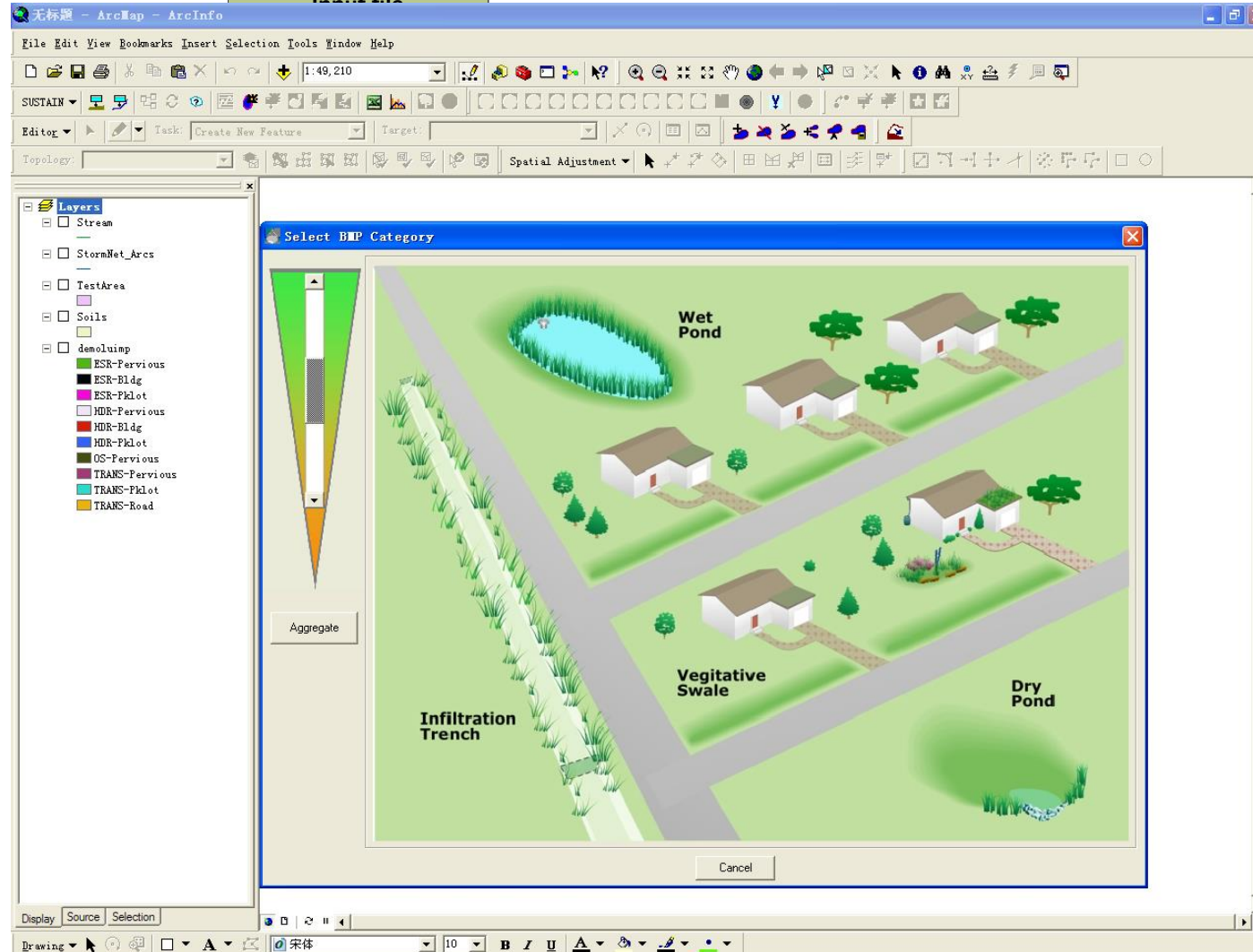


BMPs	Landuse and Location		Soil type	Groundwater level to bottom of BMPs facility	Topography Slope (%)	Watershed characteristics		Space of occupied (hm)
	Landuse type	Pollution load intensity Special requirement				Service areas (hm)	Ratio of impervious areas (%)	
Infiltration Trench	R,C,S,T,G	medium Building distance >3m Stream distance >30m	A-B	>3	<15	<2	>0	medium
Infiltration Basin	R,C,S,G	medium Stream distance >30m	A-B	>3	<15	1-4	>0	Large
Dry Detention Pond	R,C,S,G	medium Higher topography Stream distance >30m	A-D	>1.22	<10	>4	>0	large
Wet Detention Pond	R,C,S,G	medium Stream distance >30m	A-D	>1.22	<10	>6	>0	large
Vegetated Filter Strip	R,C,S,M,T,G	high Around Impervious surface Road buffer distance <30m	A-D	>0.61	<5	-	>0	medium
Grassed Swale	R,C,S,T,G	medium Around Impervious surface Road buffer distance <30m	A-D	>0.61	0.5-5	<2	>0	medium
Constructed Wetland	R,C,G	medium Stream distance >30m	B-D	>1.22	4-15	>10	>0	large
Sand Filter	R,C,M,T	medium Stream distance >30m	A-D	>0.61	<10	<40	0-50	small
Green Roof	R,C,M	low Flat roof	-	-	<4	-	-	-
Rain Barrel	R,C	low Building buffer distance <10m	-	-	-	-	-	small

Simulation and optimization tool : SUSTAIN



 **SUSTAIN:** System for Urban Stormwater Treatment and Analysis
INtegration



Program output

Basic scenario: the previous development scheme



☂ Drainage System simplification

- 💧 Reclassification of Landcover :
Roof; Road; Grass; water

☂ Basic scenario

- 💧 Water Quantity simulation

- 💧 Total runoff
- 💧 Peak flow

- 💧 Water Quality simulation

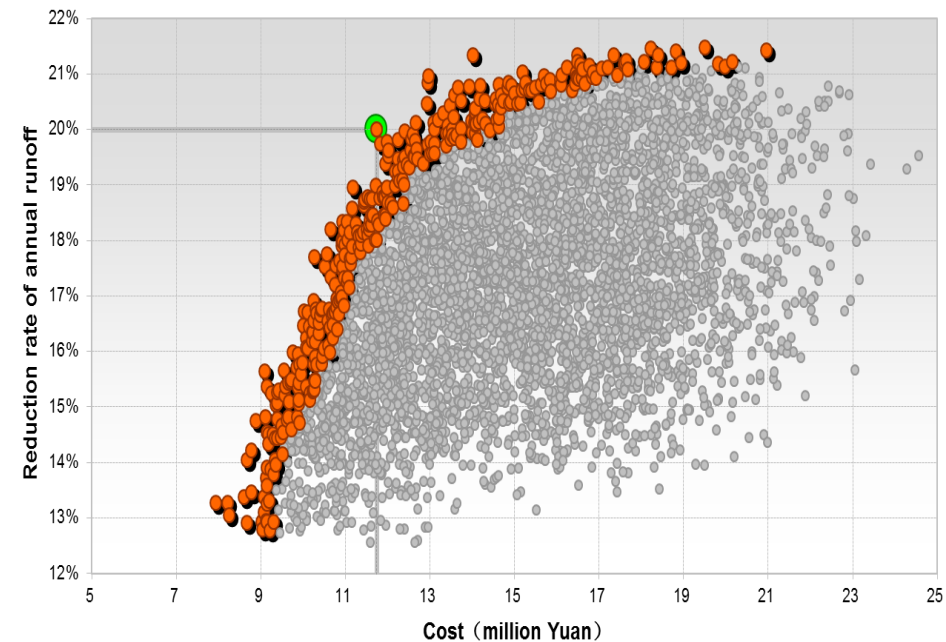
- 💧 COD
- 💧 SS
- 💧 TN
- 💧 TP



LID scenarios



- LID-BMPs design and optimization



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A Fast and reliable optimization Method



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Marginal-cost-based greedy strategy (MCGS): Fast and reliable optimization of low impact development (LID) layout



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Method-MCGS



Marginal-Cost based on Greedy Strategy, MCGS

- In economics, marginal cost (MC) measures the opportunity cost that arises when producing one more unit of a good. Expanded to a USWM system, the marginal cost of placing an extra ratio of a certain LID practice can be defined as:

$$MC_{i,t} = -\frac{dC_i}{dU} \Big|_{s_{t-1}} \approx -\frac{C_{i,t} - C_{t-1}}{U_{i,t} - U_{t-1}} \Big|_{\varphi_{i,t} = S_{i,t-1} + \Delta}$$

S_t : a vector that represents placing ratios of each LID practice at the t -th stage

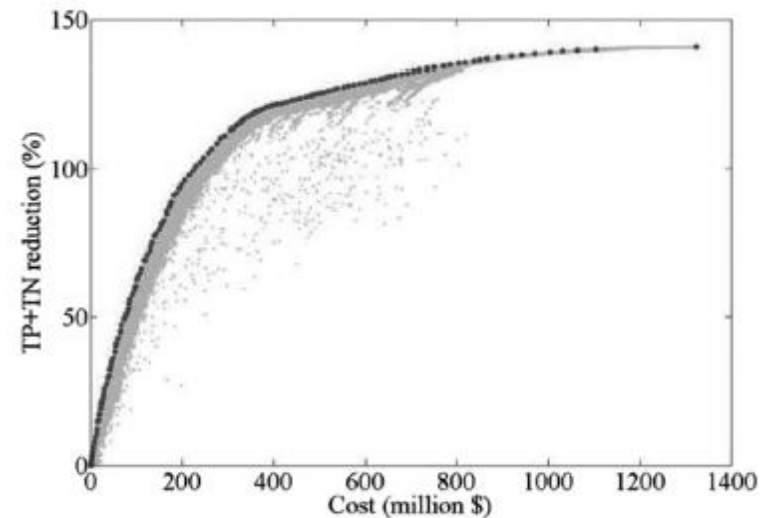
U : environmental indicators

C : economic indicators

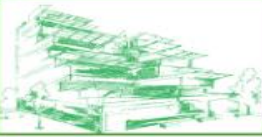
φ : decision variable

- According to this definition, the economic law of increasing MCs can be expressed as the following two conditions

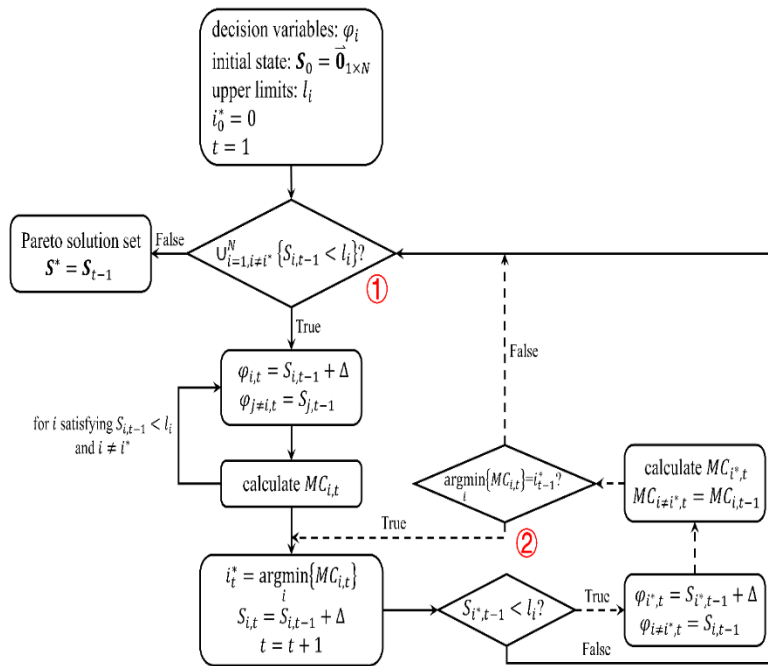
$$\frac{\partial MC_i}{\partial \varphi_i} \geq 0$$
$$\frac{\partial MC_j}{\partial \varphi_i} \geq 0, \forall j \neq i$$



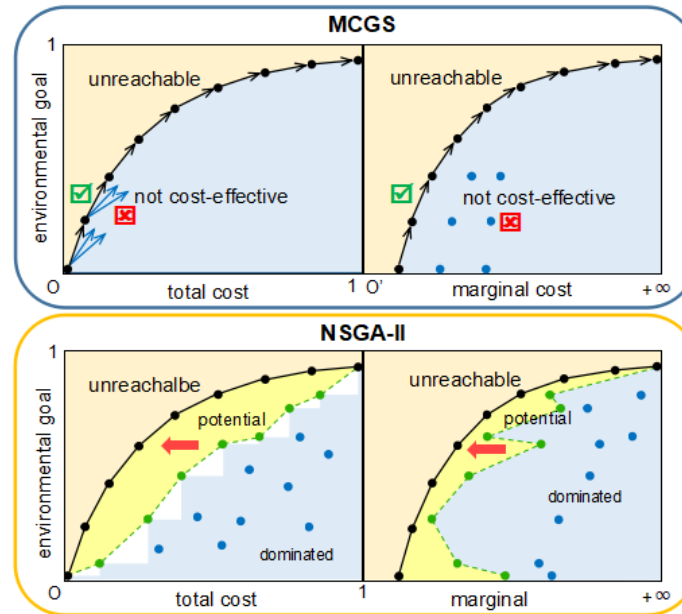
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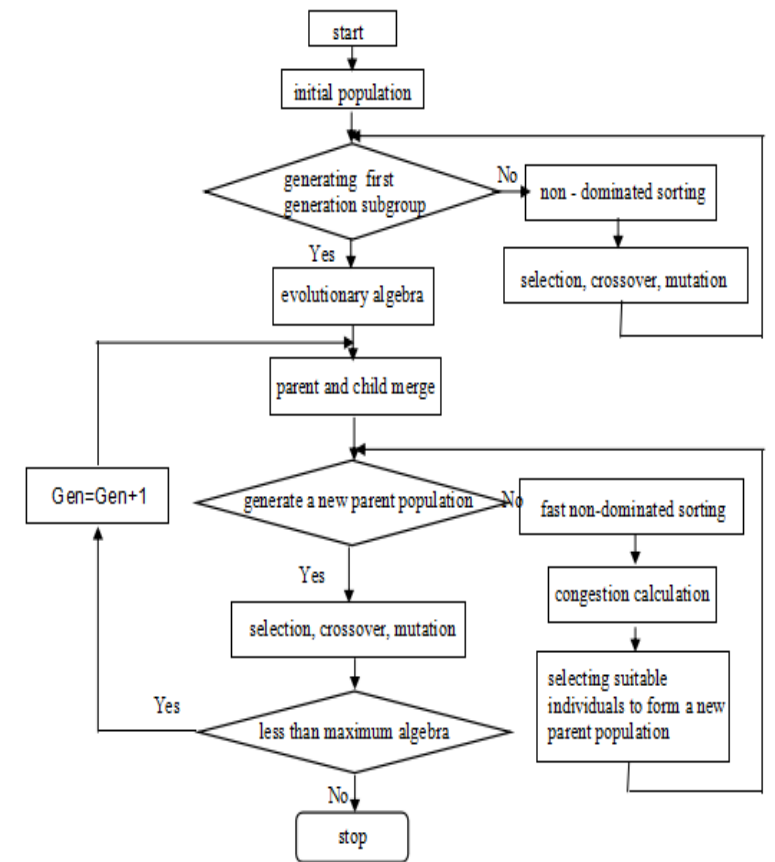
MCGS & NSGA



Programming flowchart of Marginal-Cost-Based Greedy Strategy. Digit One with the solid arrows represents the output loop. Digit Two with the dashed arrows represents the inner loop.

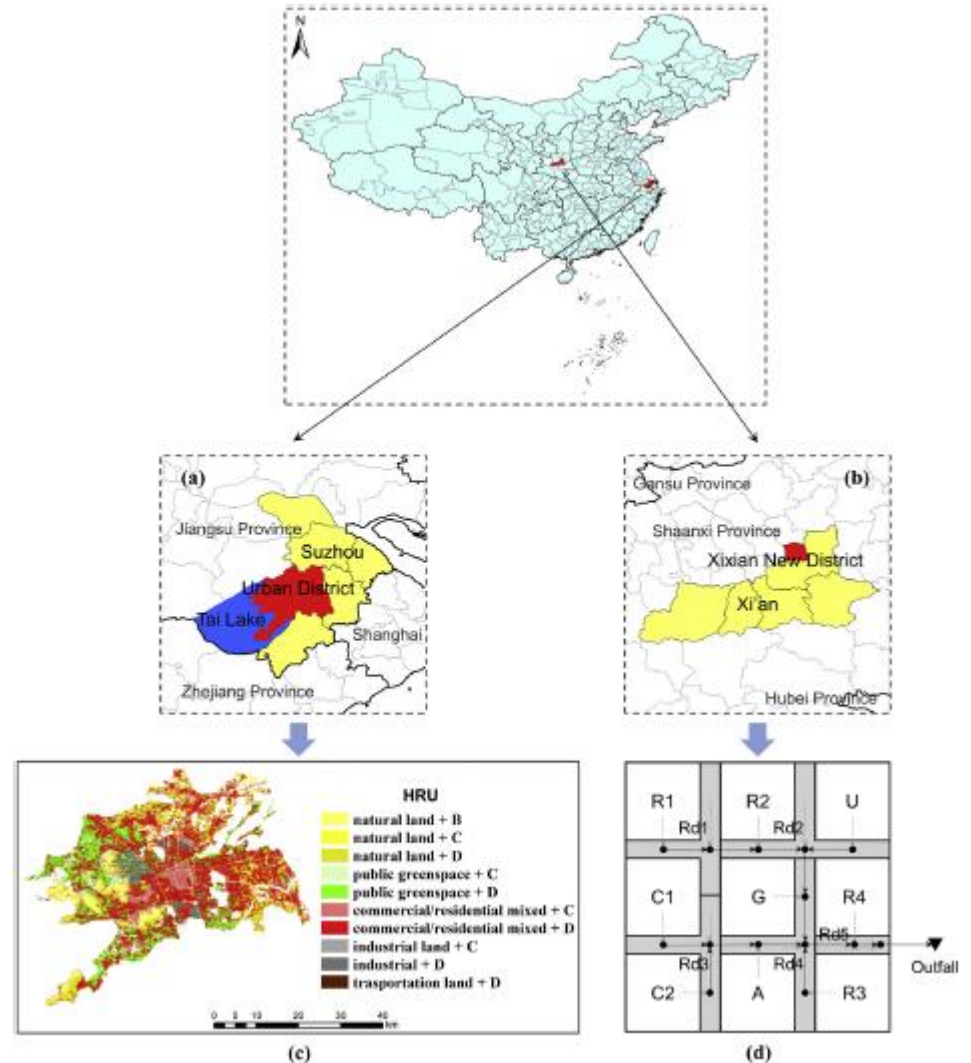
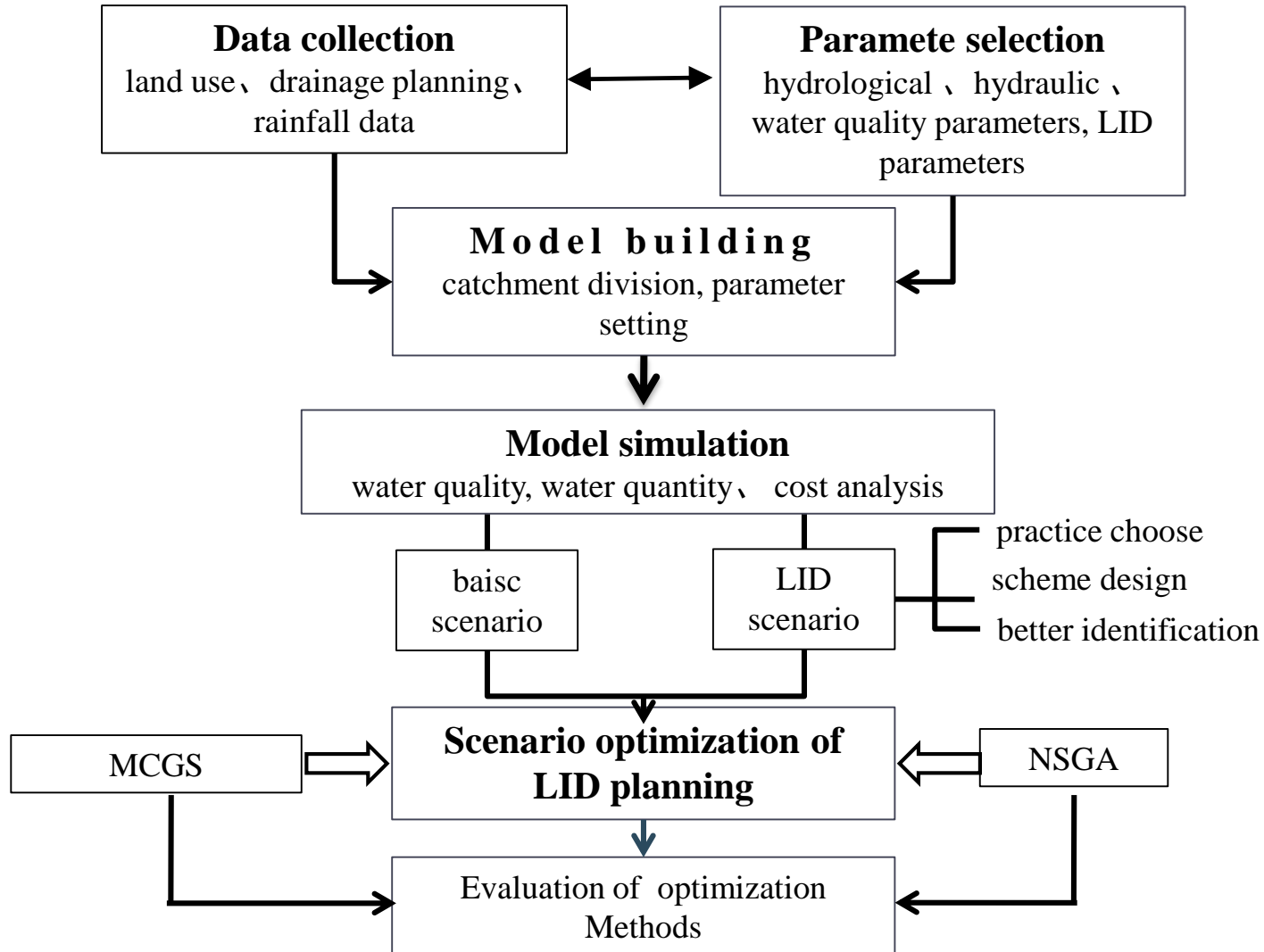


Graphical explanations and comparisons of NSGA-II (right) and MCGS (right).



Programming flowchart of NSGA

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Grassed Swale



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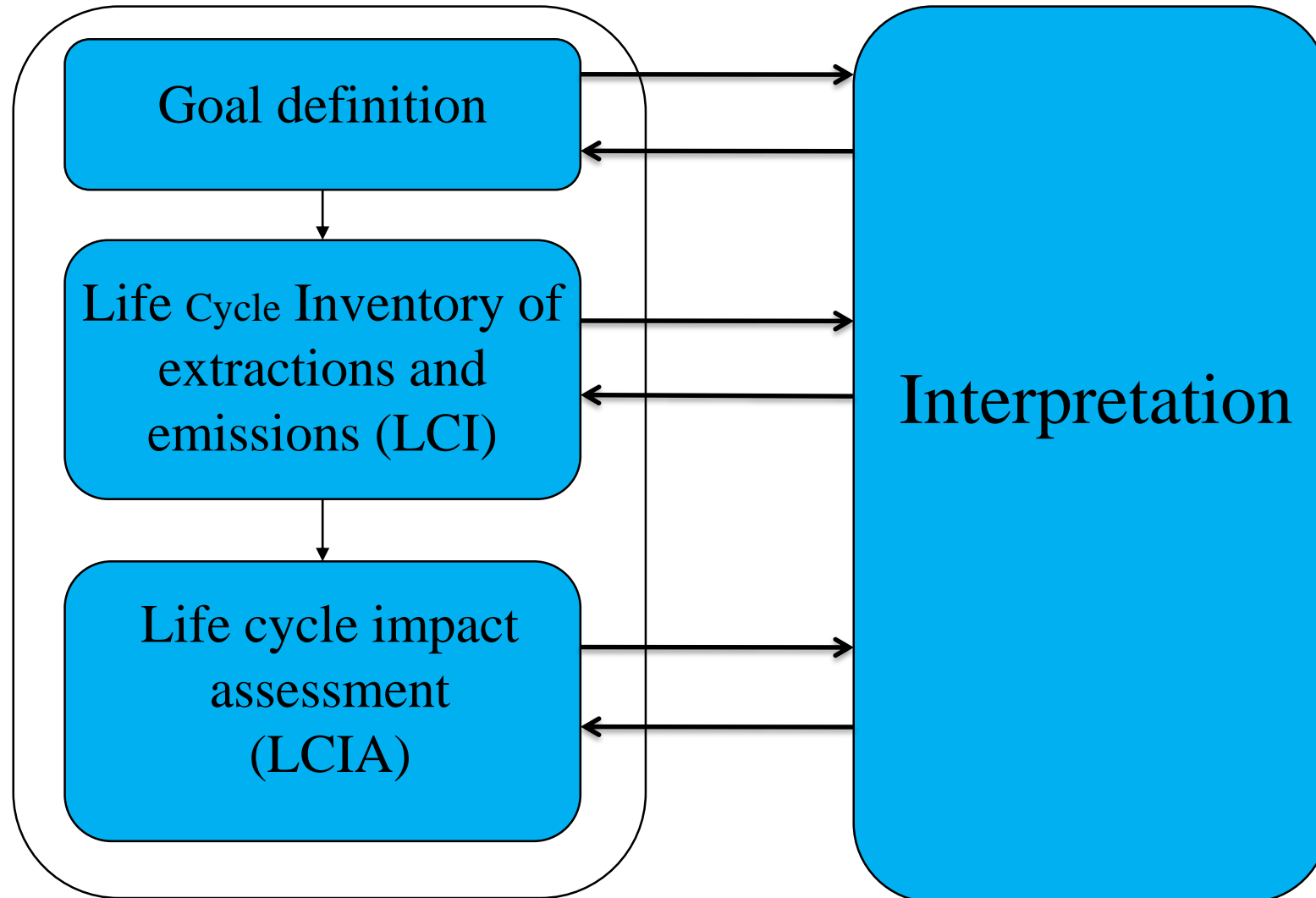


Infiltration Pit

Source	Parameter					
	TSS (%)	NH ₃ -N	TN	TP	Cu	Zn
Removal efficiencies in 2013 in this study	36.44	62.18	59.43	0.00	69.45 ^a	100 ^a
Li et al. (2008)	93		63	57	63	95
Brown et al. (2011)	82	54	19	44		
Center for Watershed Protection (2007)	59		46	5	81	
Chapman et al. (2011)	87		63	67	80	
Geosyntec, Inc et al. (2011)	77	76	72	73		
Mangangka et al. (2015) (long dry period (>6 days))	80.78	82.21	40.93	75.33		
Mangangka et al. (2015) (short dry period (<6 days))	61.81	49.31	38.70	36.42		
Chen et al. (2013)			56			
Trowsdale and Simcock (2011)	45–70					

- **Materials production, consumption and transportation**
- **Maintenance and disposal can bring about environmental and economic burdens**

LCA evaluation of LID BMPs



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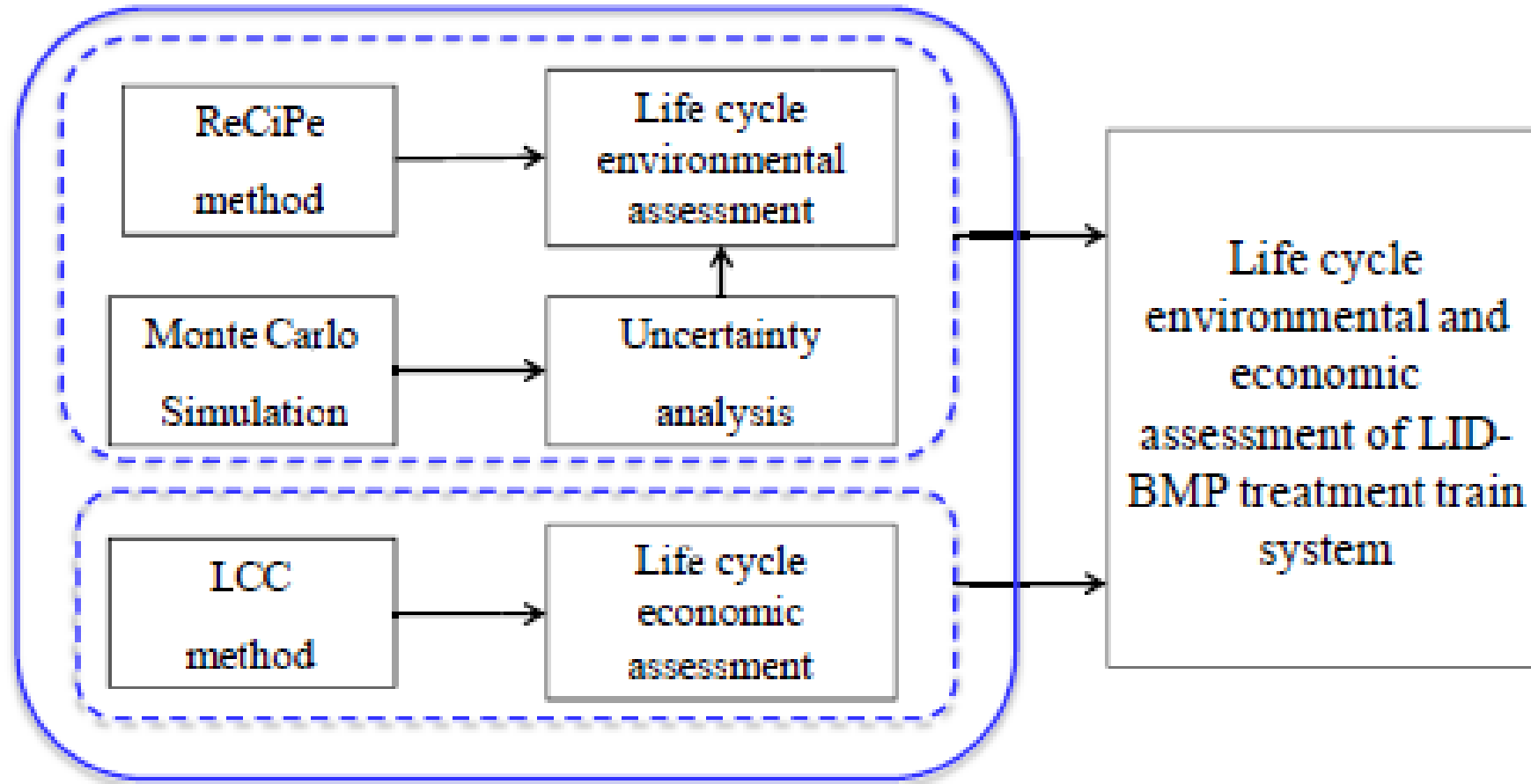
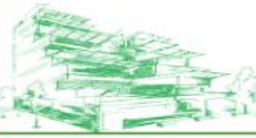


Fig. 1. Structure of the models.

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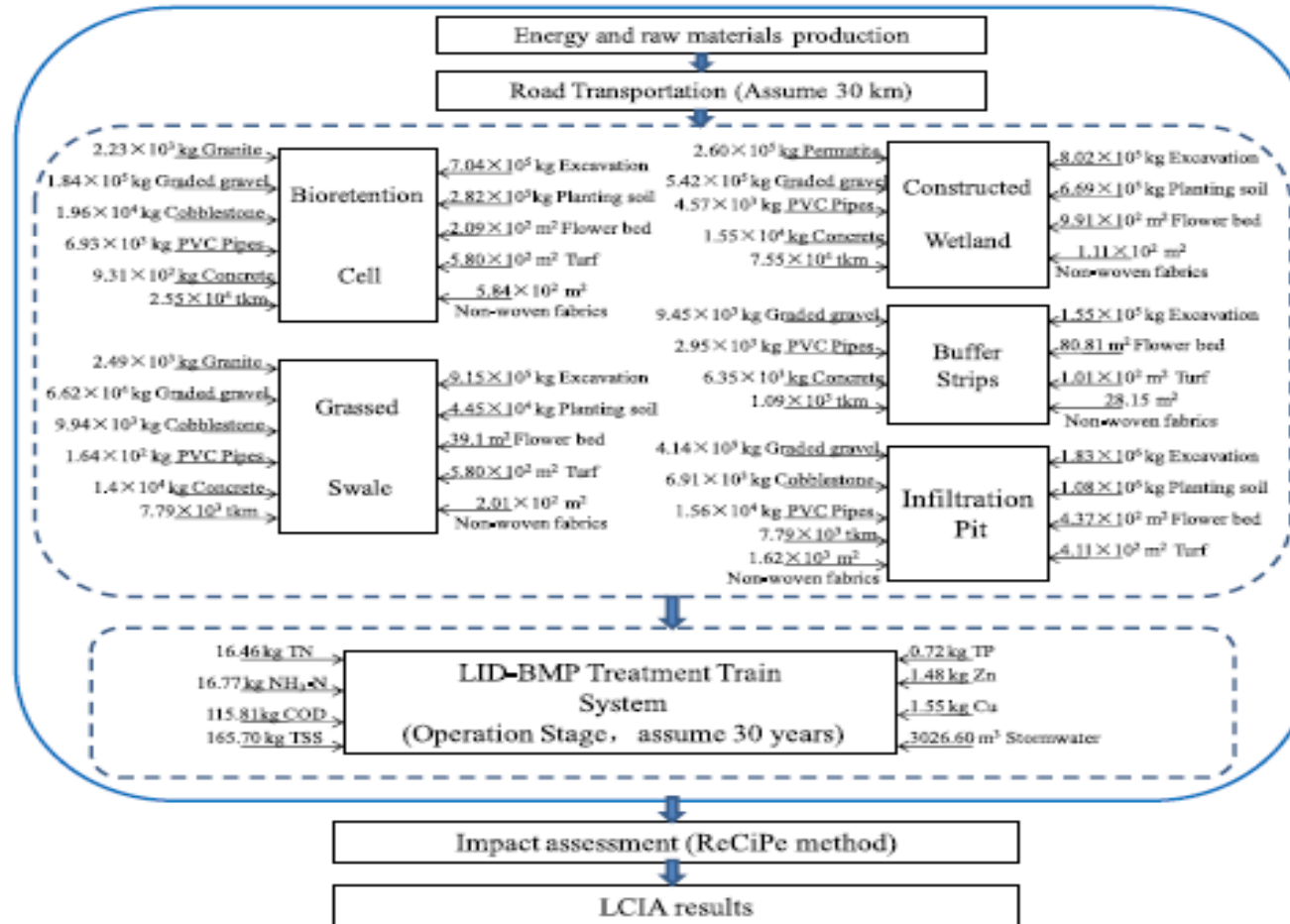
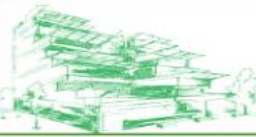


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