Independent Test Results

- <u>2186%</u> Increase in Infiltration Rate
- <u>85%</u> More Air Pores
- Air Water Balance was 1:2.76 now
 1:1.31 – <u>almost</u> <u>textbook ideal!</u>

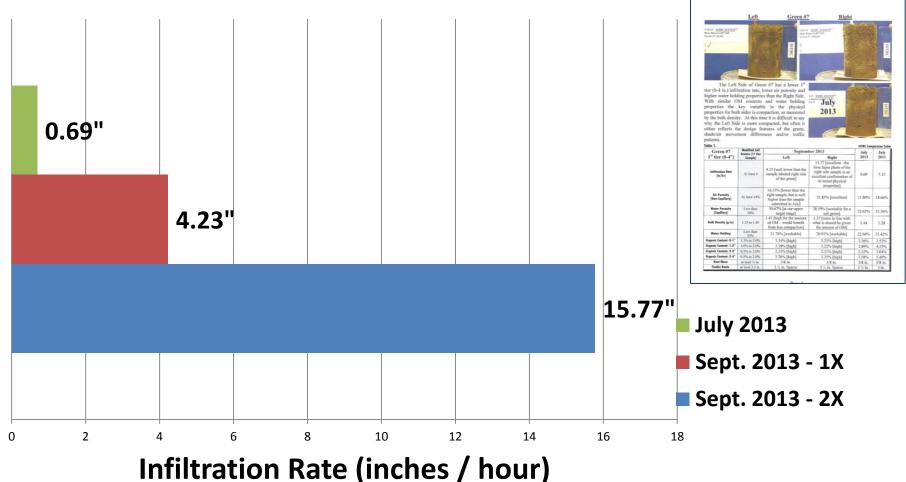


The Left Side of Green #7 has a lower 1st tier (0-4 in.) infiltration rate, lower air porosity and higher water holding properties than the Right Side. With similar OM contents and water holding properties the key variable in the physical properties for both sides is compaction, as measured by the bulk density. At this time it is difficult to say why the Left Side is more compacted, but often it either reflects the design features of the green, shade/air movement differences and/or traffic patterns.



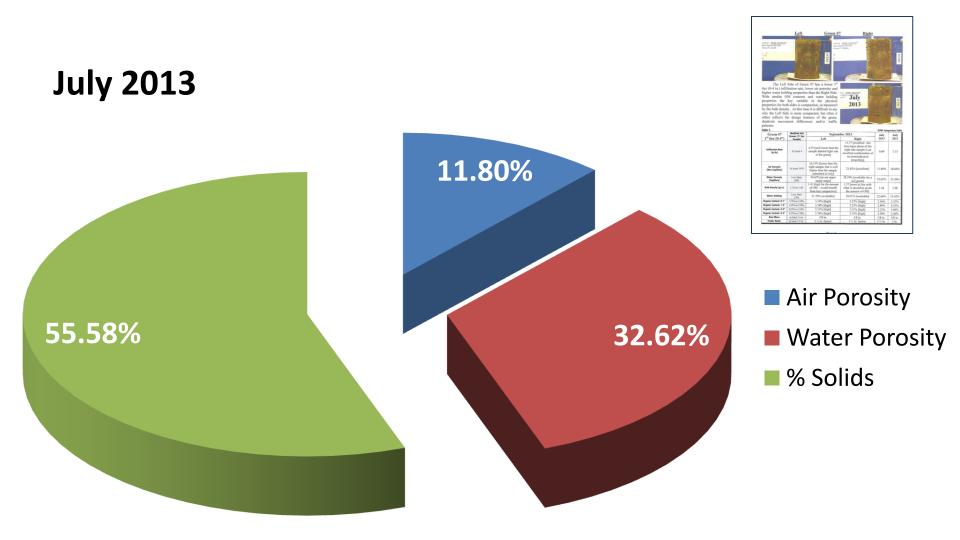
Green #7 1 st tier (0-4")	Modified Soil Greens (1st tier Sample)	September 2013		July	July
		Left	Right	2013	2011
Infiltration Rate [In/hr]	At least 4	4.23 [well lower than the sample labeled right side of the green]	15.77 [excellent –the time lapse photo of the right side sample is an excellent confirmation of its tested physical properties]	0.69	7.15
Air Porosity [Non-Capillary]	At least 14%	16.13% [lower than the right sample, but is well higher than the sample submitted in July]	21.83% [excellent]	11.80%	18.66%
Water Porosity [Capillary]	Less than 30%	30.67% [at our upper target range]	28.59% [workable for a soil green]	32.62%	32.56%
Bulk Density [g/cc]	1.35 to 1.45	1.41 [high for the amount of OM – would benefit from less compaction]	1.37 [more in line with what is should be given the amount of OM]	1.44	1.28
Water Holding	Less than 25%	21.70% [workable]	20.91% [workable]	22.66%	25.42%
Organic Content: 0-1"	1.5% to 3.0%	3.34% [high]	3.23% [high]	2.36%	2.52%
Organic Content: 1-2"	1.0% to 2.0%	3.58% [high]	3.22% [high]	2.89%	4.55%
Organic Content: 2-3"	0.5% to 2.0%	2.53% [high]	2.31% [high]	2.22%	3.04%
Organic Content: 3-4"	0.5% to 2.0%	3.76% [high]	3.35% [high]	3.58%	5.40%
Root Mass	at least 1/2 in.	3/8 in.	3/8 in.	3/8 in.	5/8 in.
Feeder Roots	at least 3.5 in.	3 1/2 in. Sparse	3 1/2 in. Sparse	3 ½ in.	3 in.

Air₂G₂ Improves Infiltration



14.87" Improvement – 2186%

Initial Air-Water Balance = 1.0 : 2.76

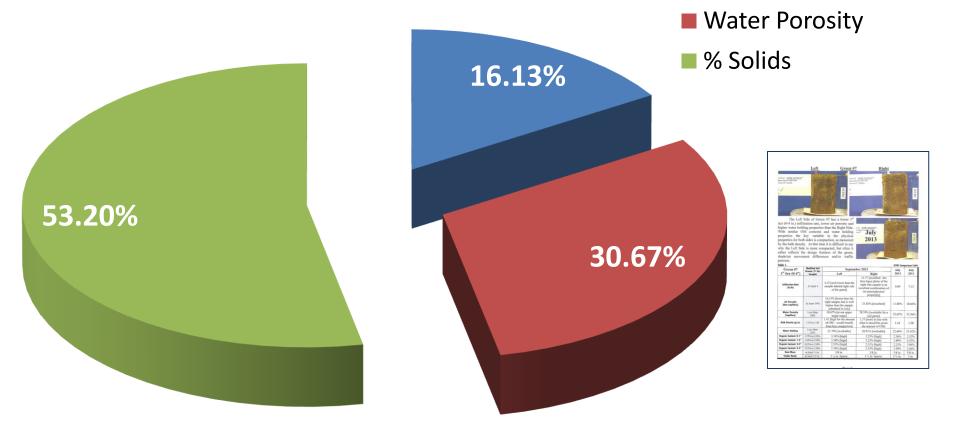


Data from 2013 ISTRC Report

Air:Water After <u>1X</u> Air₂G₂

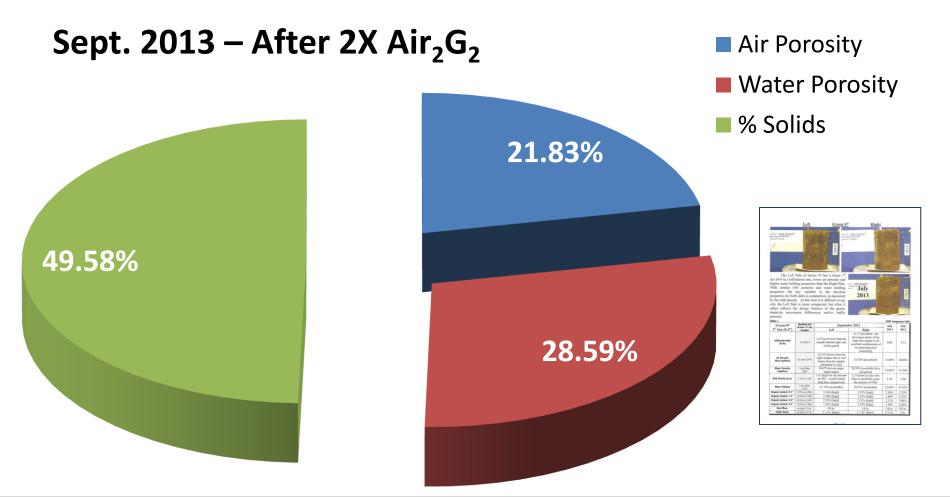
Air Porosity

Sept. 2013 – After Air₂G₂



36.7% More Air Pores

Air:Water After <u>2X</u> Air₂G₂



85.0% More Air Pores