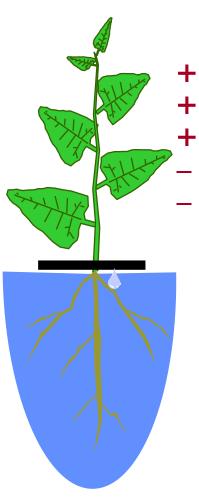
#### \*\*BENEFITS\*\*

#### **Surface Drip**

### **Buried Drip**

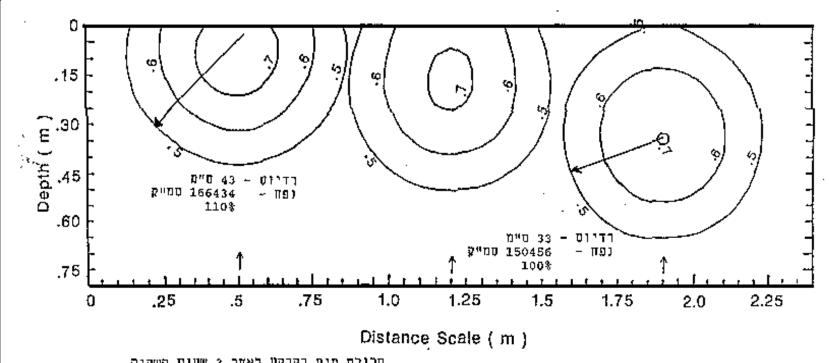


- See Water
- + More Flexibility
- Crop Rotations
- Shorter Life
  - Humidity in Canopy

- + Dry Soil Surface
- + Long Life
- Deeper Roots
- + mechanical harvesting
- + less weeds
- + labor saving
- + quality yield
- + longer crop productivity
- environmental use of sewage
- Water not visible
- complexity in design

#### Distribution of Water

Distribution of  $\mathbf{S}_{\mathbf{W}}$  after three hours of redistribution followed by eight hours of infiltration.



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#### Vacuum Breaker

DON'T SAVE ON NUMBER OF VACUUM BREAKERS!!

COST IS

NEGLIGIBLE IN

COMPARISON TO

A FAILURE



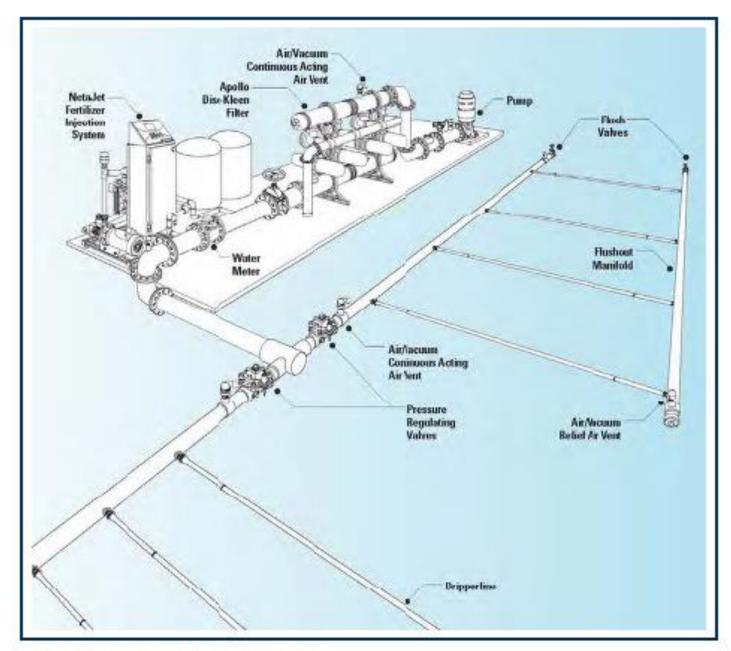
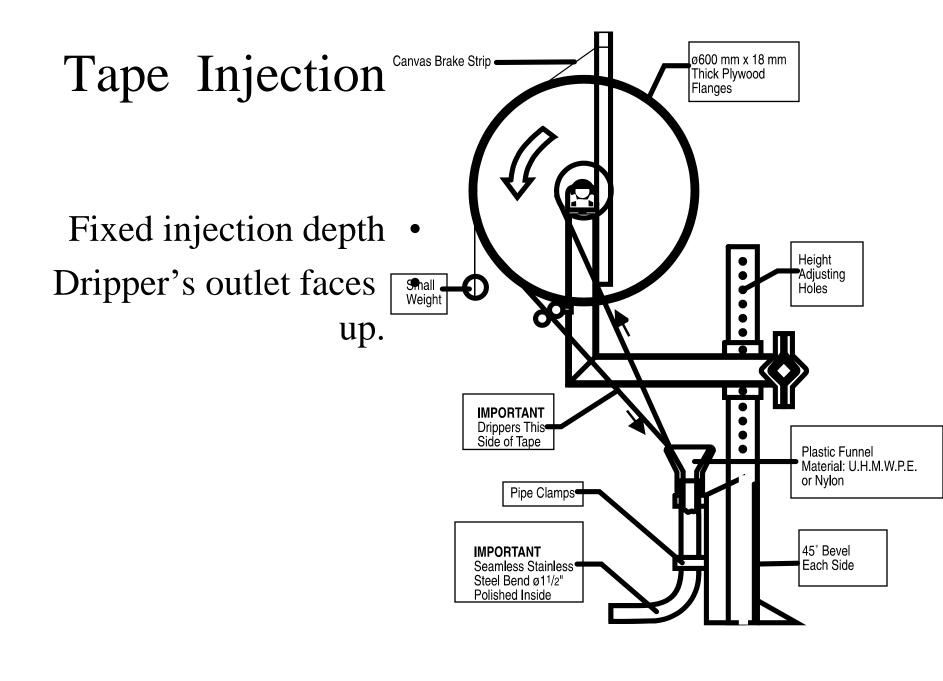


FIGURE 1. Schematic layout of drip system components



## SDI in Alfalfa



# Valves in Area of Sub-Surface Irrigation









