

User Manual

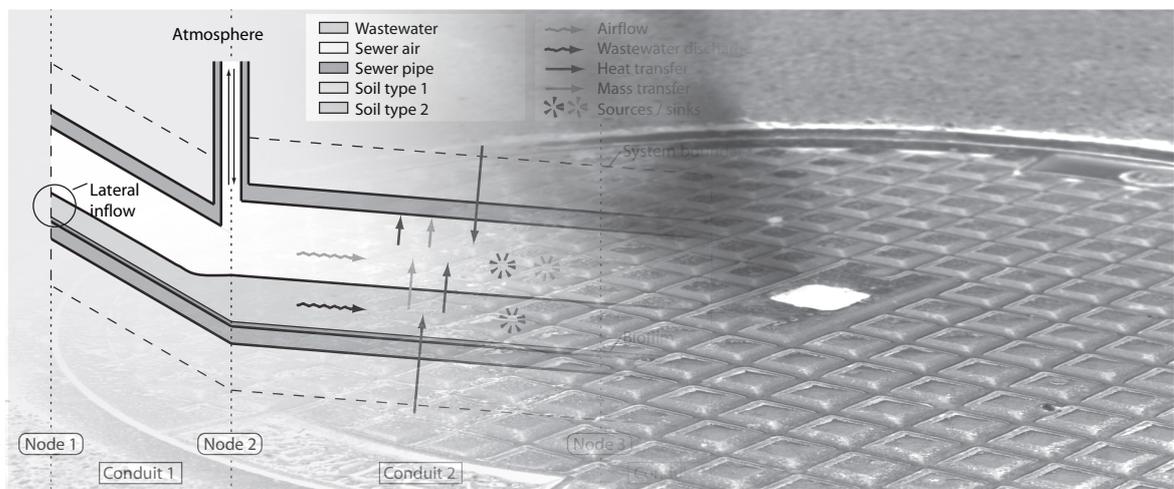
TEMPEST

Computer Program for the Simulation of the
Wastewater Temperature in Sewers

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1 | Introduction

The program TEMPEST was designed for the calculation of the dynamics and longitudinal spatial profiles of the wastewater temperature in the sewer. This manual introduces the concepts behind TEMPEST and explains the program handling. It is organized as follows: It first discusses the program's fields of application, its capabilities and the system prerequisites. The second chapter focuses on the program handling and explains the conceptual model formulation. Chapter 3 exemplifies the application of TEMPEST in a heat recovery project for the assessment of the recoverable amount of heat.

1.1. Background

Raw wastewater contains a considerable amount of energy which can be recovered and used to produce warm water and for room heating. This is done by means of a heat pump and a heat exchanger which is installed in the sewer.

The optimal location for the installation of a heat exchanger in the sewer depends on several criteria. First of all, it is important that the energy consumers are located close to the site where the heat is recovered. More heat can be reclaimed from the wastewater if the discharge is high, which is typically the case towards the end of the sewer. On the other hand, the wastewater temperature usually is highest in the initial part of the sewer system. An additional aspect to be considered is that the efficiency of a nitrifying wastewater treatment plant is reduced if its influent wastewater temperature is lowered (Wanner *et al.*, 2005). Therefore, planning and design of facilities for heat recovery from raw wastewater require that the changes of the wastewater temperature along the flow path in the sewer and the effect of heat recovery on the influent temperature of wastewater treatment plants can be quantified.

The interactive simulation program TEMPEST (temperature estimation) has been developed to calculate the dynamics and longitudinal spatial profiles of the wastewater temperature in the sewer. The program is based on a new model of the heat balance in sewers (Dürrenmatt, 2006 and for a summary of the model equations see Appendix A.1). Applications range from simple steady state estimates of the changes of the wastewater temperature in a single sewer line to full scale simulations of the dynamics of the wastewater temperature in successive sewer lines with lateral inflows.

1.2. Program Capabilities

TEMPEST targets high applicability in practice. The implemented model requires as few input data and *a priori* estimates as possible. TEMPEST applies default values wherever

possible and disposes of a library that already contains parameter values for the most common soil and pipe types. Generally, it prefers parameters that are either easy to measure or available from the literature, and internally converts them into the appropriate format. However, the model includes all processes, which are of primary importance. Its clear and intuitive graphical user interfaces make it easy to handle.

Some among the major capabilities are:

- The sewer hydraulics is modeled with the dynamic form of the St. Venant equations (Cunge *et al.*, 1980). Therefore, the user has to provide upstream discharge data only. To model parameters, such as temperature, humidity and airflow, balance equations which form a system of one-dimensional partial differential equations (PDEs) are used (for an overview, see Appendix A.1).
- To yield high accuracy and numerical stability, the two step Lax-Wendroff algorithm (Press, 2005) is implemented to solve the system of PDEs (for implementation details, please refer to Appendix A.2).
- TEMPEST applications range from simple steady state estimates of the changes of the wastewater temperature in a single sewer line to full scale simulations of the dynamics of the wastewater temperature in large systems of successive sewer lines with lateral inflows.
- Intuitive graphical user interfaces assist the user in managing data, performing calculations and plotting results. Data can easily be imported from a text file or spreadsheet and results can be plotted on the screen and exported for further use.

1.3. System Prerequisites

TEMPEST is written in the object oriented programming language C++ and uses the wxWidgets graphical user interface library. It is compiled for the Microsoft Windows operating systems and consists of just one executable file, has no dependencies on external libraries and does not require any software installation. Therefore, the only action to be taken in order to run the application is to copy or download the executable file and execute it.

The program has been extensively tested on Windows XP and Windows Vista but it should also run on previous versions of Windows. Since it numerically solves partial differential equations and therefore performs a lot of calculations, faster processor clocks yield shorter calculation times.

1.4. File Format

Models created with TEMPEST can be saved to disk and have the extension “tmo”. Sewer line definitions, material parameters and time series data as well as numerical settings will be saved. Therefore, TEMPEST model files can conveniently be exchanged between users and platforms.

2 | Program Handling

The handling of TEMPEST and its dialog boxes are illustrated in this chapter. The model formulation is explained and it is shown, how sewer systems can be modeled in TEMPEST. The order of the sections corresponds to a typical session in which a user first creates a model file, then defines the model, performs and optimizes computations and eventually analyzes the results.

2.1. Overview

2.1.1. User Interface

Figure 2.1 shows the main window of TEMPEST upon the start of the program. The commands for file handling, model creation and editing and computation can be found in the menus of the menu bar. The commands most often used also are represented in the toolbar. All commands are listed and described in Table 2.1.

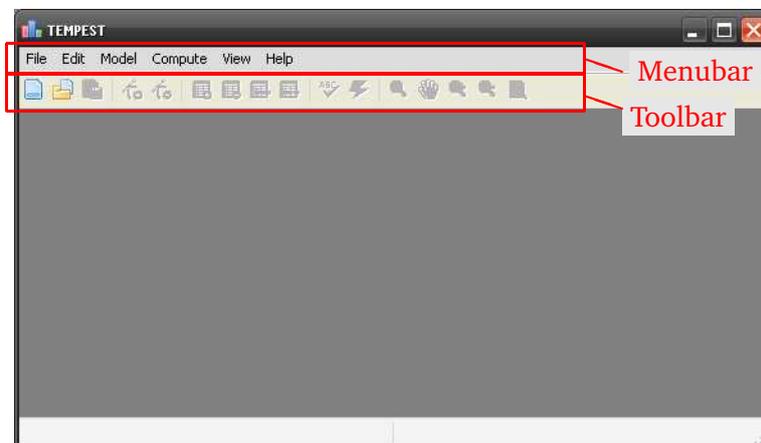


Figure 2.1.: Main window of TEMPEST.

Table 2.1.: Menu and toolbar items.

Menu item	Hot key	Toolbar icon	See also
File	Alt + F		
New	Ctrl + N		2.1.2
Open...			2.1.2
Close	Ctrl + W	–	2.1.2
Save	Ctrl + S		2.1.2
Save As...	Ctrl + Shift + S	–	2.1.2
Export Data...		–	2.4
Recent Files...		–	
Exit	Alt + F4	–	
Edit	Alt + E	–	
Copy		–	2.2.2
Paste		–	2.2.2
Preferences		–	2.5
Model	Alt + M		
Add Sewer Line			2.2.1
Remove Sewer Line			2.2.1
Add Time Series			2.2.2
Delete Time Series			2.2.2
Insert Column			2.2.2
Remove Column			2.2.2
Validate Entries and Data			
Model Settings...		–	2.2.3
Compute	Alt + C	–	
Steady State Solution			2.3
Dynamic Solution			2.3
View	Alt + V	–	
Sewer Lines		–	2.2.1
Time Series		–	2.2.2
Results		–	2.4
Box Zoom			2.4
Pan			2.4
Zoom In			2.4
Zoom Out			2.4
Restore View			2.4
Help	Alt + H		
About...		–	

2.1.2. File Handling

TEMPEST models (consisting of sewer lines, time series and settings) are stored in model files with the file extension TMO.

The File menu provides the basic functionalities to create TEMPEST models (File – New), to save a model (File – Save or File – Save As...) or to load a previously created model from the file system (File – Open...).

2.2. Model Formulation

In TEMPEST, the basic element used to build models of complex sewer systems, is the “Sewer Line”, which consists of a “Node” followed by a “Conduit” (Dürrenmatt and Wanner, 2008). Nodes are introduced in the sewer at each location, where there are lateral inflows, changes in the pipe geometry, changes in the material properties of the sewer pipe, or changes in the surrounding soil, as shown in Figure 2.2. Lateral wastewater inflows to the system and inflow temperatures can either be constant values in time or time series.

Mathematically, “Conduits” represent sets of mass balance equations and “Nodes” represent sets of continuity conditions of the variables of successive conduits. The variables considered are discharge and temperature in the wastewater compartment, airflow, temperature and humidity in the sewer headspace, and temperature in the sewer pipe and the surrounding soil. The hydraulics is modeled with the St. Venant equations (Cunge *et al.*, 1980) and the airflow with a recently developed model for circular pipes. The heat and mass transfer processes considered in the model are shown in Figure 2.3. The rate expressions of the transfer processes were taken from the literature (e.g. Holman, 2002; Incropera and DeWitt, 2002; Wanner *et al.*, 2004). The complete mathematical model implemented in TEMPEST is described and discussed in two publications (Dürrenmatt, 2006 and Wanner and Dürrenmatt, in preparation; an overview is given in Appendix A.1).

The following sections explain how to input sewer lines and read in time series data.

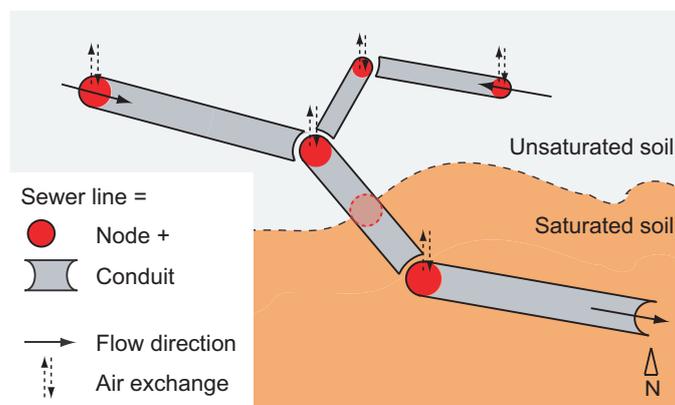


Figure 2.2.: Discontinuities require that nodes are introduced, which separate sewer conduits having different properties.

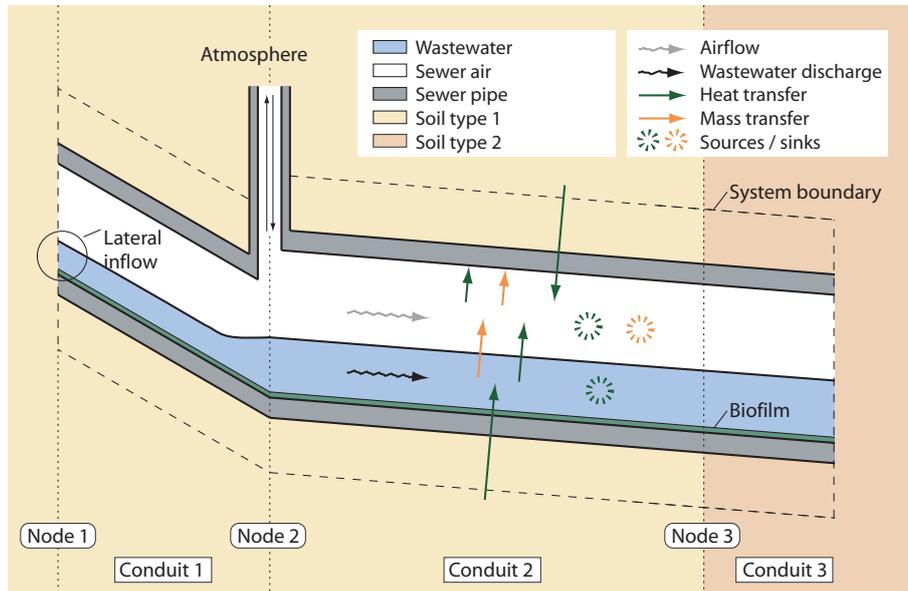


Figure 2.3.: Compartments and processes considered in the sewer model. Complex systems can be modeled by series of the elements "node plus conduit".

2.2.1. Sewer Lines

Each model can contain an unlimited number of sewer lines. The management of the sewer lines is done within the Sewer Lines tab (see Figure 2.4): The Table to the left lists the successive sewer lines, the form to the right has input fields for the various parameters. A small image of a sewer cross section with the location where each model parameter is measured indicated helps the user.

In TEMPEST, the input data needed for wastewater temperature simulations can be divided into three groups: sewer node data, sewer pipe data and surrounding soil data.

The wastewater discharge and temperature, ambient meteorological conditions, and the Air Exchange Coefficient at the upstream end of a sewer conduit are specified in the Sewer Node section. The Air Exchange Coefficient describes the capacity for air exchange between the sewer and the environment. The Sewer Pipe and Soil sections are filled with data describing these two compartments. By the select fields the user can choose appropriate values for thermal conductivities, a biofouling factor and friction coefficients of many types of materials. The COD Degradation Rate describes the production of heat by biological processes and the Penetration Depth describes the depth to which the soil temperature $T_{S,inf}$ is assumed to be affected by the sewer. Table 2.2 lists all parameters needed to model a sewer system with TEMPEST and Figure 2.5 shows a screenshot of the Sewer Lines form with typical parameter values.

To add a new sewer line, click on  in the toolbar or, alternatively, select Add Sewer Line... from the Model menu. A dialog box as shown in Figure 2.6 appears. You can now name the series and, if desired, choose a sewer line whose parameter values should be copied and used for the new sewer line. Confirm by clicking the OK button.

Sewer lines can be deleted by using the Remove Sewer Line command from the Model menu or by using the  button in the toolbar.

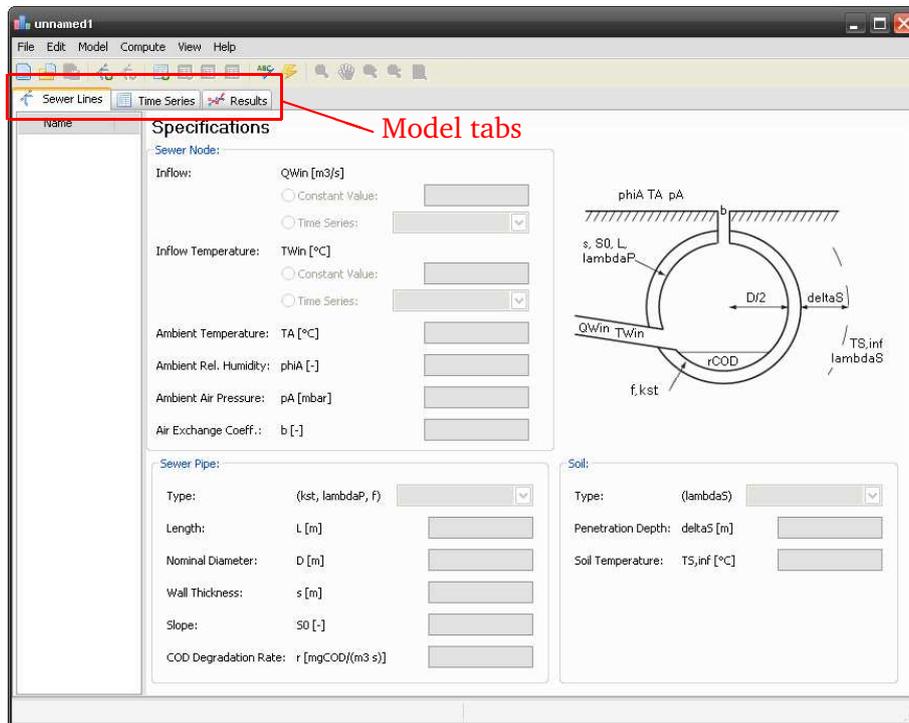


Figure 2.4.: New model with empty Sewer Lines form. The model tabs can be used to switch between Sewer Lines, Time Series and Results view.

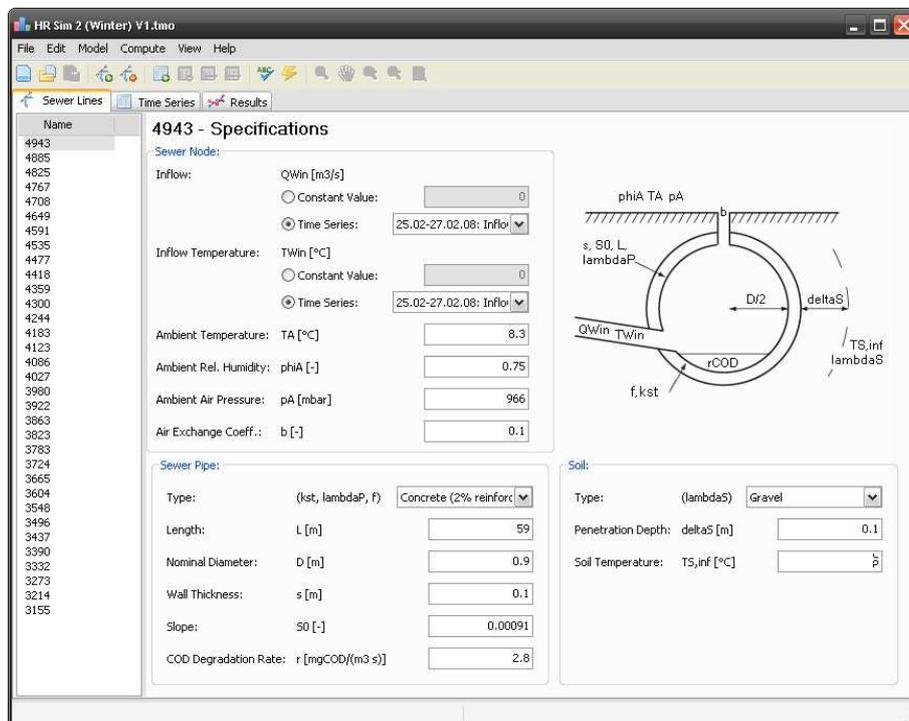
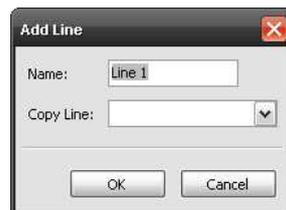


Figure 2.5.: Main window displaying the Sewer Lines tab completed with values.

Table 2.2.: List of all parameters needed in order to perform simulations with TEMPEST.

Name	Symbol	Unit	Constraints
Sewer Node			
Inflow	QWin	m ³ /s	QWin > 0 m ³ /s for first and QWin ≥ 0 m ³ /s for successive sewer lines
Inflow Temperature	TWin	°C	
Ambient Temperature	TA	°C	
Ambient Relative Humidity	phiA	–	0 ≤ phiA ≤ 1
Ambient Air Pressure	pA	mbar	pA > 0 mbar
Air Exchange Coefficient	b	–	0 ≤ b ≤ 1
Sewer Pipe			
Type	(kst, lambdaP, aP, f)		Value from library
Length	L	m	L > 0 m
Nominal Diameter	D	m	D > 0 m
Wall Thickness	s	m	s > 0 m
Slope	S0	–	S0 > 0
COD Degradation Rate	r	mg/(m ³ s)	
Soil			
Type	(lambdaS, aS)		Value from library
Penetration Depth	deltaS	m	deltaS > 0 m
Soil Temperature	TS,inf	°C	

**Figure 2.6.:** Dialog box for adding new sewer lines.

2.2.2. Time Series

The inflow of a sewer line can either be described by a constant value or a time series. To define a time series, the Time Series tab which has a spreadsheet-like interface can be used. If the user wants to add a new time series for wastewater discharge or wastewater temperature, he or she has to perform the following steps:

1. Switch to the time series tab (click on the  Time Series tab or select Time Series in the View menu).
2. Select Add Time Series in the Model menu or click on  in the toolbar to open the dialog box showed in Figure 2.7.
3. Name the time series, specify the initial number of rows (corresponds to the number of data point you want to enter) and select whether your time series should have a relative or an absolute time scale. The former has seconds as unit starting from second zero, whereas the latter uses absolute time values (e.g. “25.02.2004 12:00”). The time series is then added by clicking the OK button. Its name appears in the list on the left of the Time Series tab and is automatically selected. The time series now consists of a column for time values only.
4. In order to add a column for inflow or inflow temperature, click on  in the toolbar or open the Model menu and select Insert Column... and specify the parameter you want to add to column for and a default value (not required). Figure 2.8.
5. Repeat step 4 to add another column and go to step 2 to add additional time series. If new time series are added, the appropriate select fields in the Sewer Lines tab will be extended.

To input and edit values, two main methods can be applied: The user can use the arrow keys or the mouse cursor to navigate in the table and enter values directly or, more easily, paste values previously copied from a text file or a spreadsheet application (select the upper left cell where the pasted area should start and select Paste from the Edit menu).

Please consider that TEMPEST expects the date/time values to have the same format as specified in the system preferences (menu Edit – Preferences...) and that date and time values must be provided. If this is not the case, TEMPEST tries its best to guess the right format. Furthermore, consider that data gaps are not allowed and that the date/time value must increase with increasing row number. The program ignores empty cell at the end of the table. The columns for time series parameters do not need to have the same number of rows but the number of rows of the time scale column must be at least as high as the length of the longest data column.

In Figure 2.9, the screenshot of the Time Series tab of a model which contains one time series (“25.02-27.02.08”) is shown. The time series has an absolute time scale and values for both inflow discharge and inflow temperature are specified.

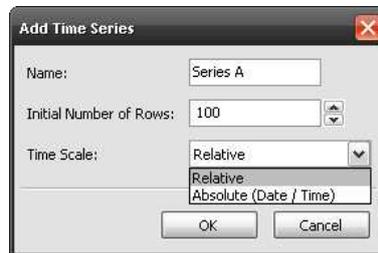


Figure 2.7.: Dialog box for adding Time Series.

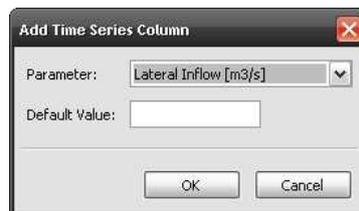


Figure 2.8.: Dialog box for adding new columns.

Name	Data #	Date / Time	Inflow [m3/s]	Inflow Temperature [°C]
25.02-27.02.08	1	25.02.2008 00:00:00	0.015147	13.16581
	2	25.02.2008 00:01:00	0.015077	13.21365
	3	25.02.2008 00:02:00	0.014989	13.18973
	4	25.02.2008 00:03:00	0.014307	13.16581
	5	25.02.2008 00:04:00	0.014284	13.14668
	6	25.02.2008 00:05:00	0.014294	13.1706
	7	25.02.2008 00:06:00	0.014497	13.13232
	8	25.02.2008 00:07:00	0.013789	13.13232
	9	25.02.2008 00:08:00	0.014403	13.12274
	10	25.02.2008 00:09:00	0.014127	13.12754
	11	25.02.2008 00:10:00	0.01465	13.11796
	12	25.02.2008 00:11:00	0.014685	13.12327
	13	25.02.2008 00:12:00	0.014796	13.12275
	14	25.02.2008 00:13:00	0.014717	13.08923
	15	25.02.2008 00:14:00	0.014503	13.11423

Figure 2.9.: Time Series tab.

Time series columns and entire time series can be deleted if no references to sewer lines exist.

- To delete a column of a time series, select the time series and click on  in the toolbar or select Remove Column from the Model menu alternatively. Then, a dialog box shows up listing the columns of the current time series. Select the column you want to be removed and confirm your choice.
- In order to delete an entire time series, be sure that it is selected and click on  in the toolbar (or menu Model – Delete Time Series).

2.2.3. Model Settings

The model settings dialog box includes data on material properties and numerical parameters. It can be opened by choosing Model Settings... from the Model menu. This dialog box has three tabs, the first two tabs allow the user to add and modify data for pipe (Pipe Types, Figure 2.10) and soil types (Soil Types, Figure 2.11), the third one lets the user change the numerical parameters. The numerical parameters will be widely discussed in Section 2.3.4. A selection of parameter values of the most common pipe and soil types is given in Appendix B.

The forms to edit pipe and soil types have the same user interface but the two types have different parameters. Types can be added and removed by clicking on the respective button indicated in Figure 2.10. In order to edit one of the types, select it in the list on top of the dialog box and change the parameter values in the text fields below. The changes are applied if the user clicks on the OK button.

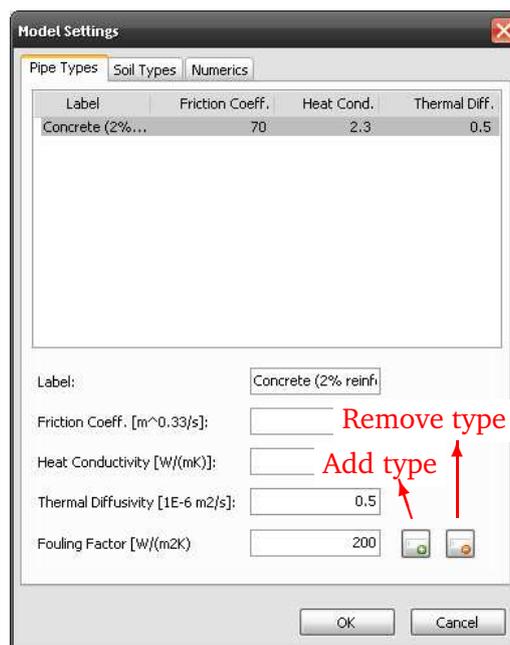


Figure 2.10.: Pipe Types tab of the Model Settings dialog box.

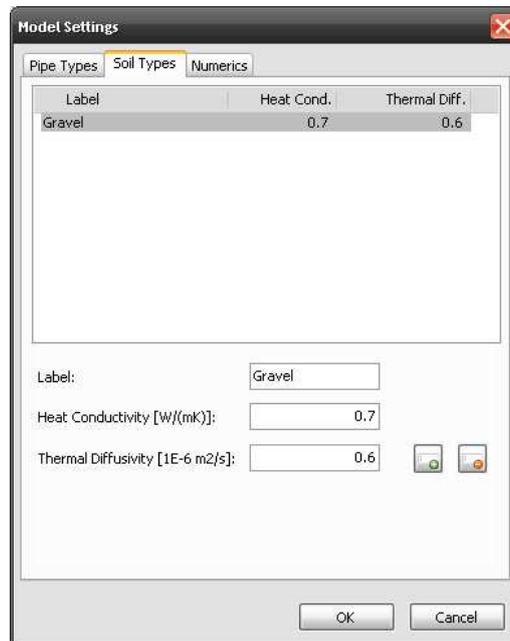


Figure 2.11.: Soil Types tab of the Model Settings dialog box.

2.3. Computation

If the model formulation is complete, calculations can be performed. To open the Compute Solution dialog box, either select **Steady State Solution...** or **Dynamic Solution...** in the Compute menu, or click on ⚡ in the toolbar.

Before the Compute Solution dialog box is displayed, TEMPEST verifies the model (the verification can also be manually started by clicking on  in the toolbar or by selecting **Validate Entries and Data** in the Model menu).

If errors are found, the Verification Errors dialog box (Figure 2.12) appears. Each error is listed, its category is illustrated with an icon and the sewer line parameter, the time series data point, or the setting where it occurred is given. Once all the errors are corrected, computations can be performed.

2.3.1. Steady State Solutions

The same dialog box is used to compute both steady state and dynamic solutions. A radio button allows changing the type of calculation within the dialog box. A configuration ready to perform a steady state simulation is shown in Figure 2.13.

If time series are used in the model, care has to be taken when filling in the Reference Time: The reference time defines the link between the simulation time in the program and the data for inflow, inflow temperature, or both. If all time series used have a relative time scale, the reference time has the unit seconds. If all time series used have an absolute time scale, the reference time must have a value as illustrated in Figure 2.13. If relative and absolute time scales are mixed, an absolute date and time must be specified and the time series with relative time scales are shifted to start with the reference time specified.

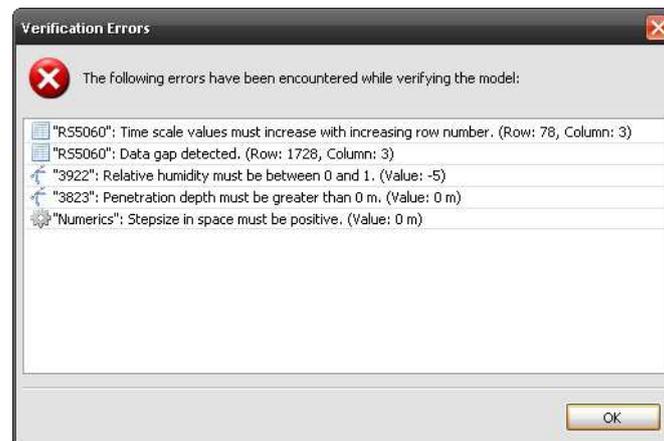


Figure 2.12.: Dialog box that displays errors.

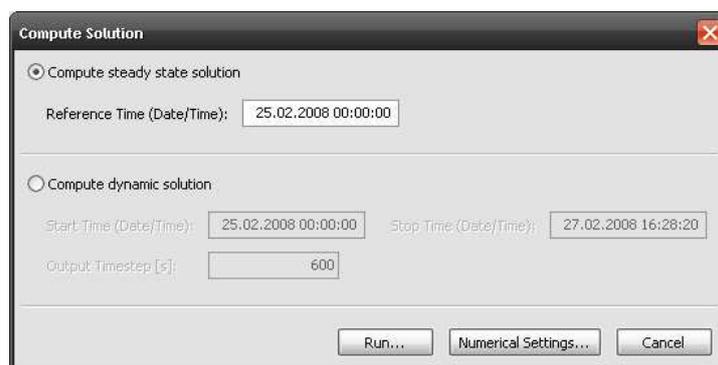


Figure 2.13.: Dialog box for defining computation type and reference time to compute a steady state solution.

TEMPEST uses linear interpolation algorithms to calculate values between known data. The first value of the time series is taken for calculation times earlier than the first data value and vice versa for computation times beyond the last data value of a time series.

2.3.2. Dynamic Solutions

In Figure 2.14, the dialog box of Figure 2.13 is set up for a dynamic calculation. Here, the same rules for time series apply as discussed in the previous paragraph. It has to be noted that TEMPEST automatically calculates a steady state solution first in order to generate initial conditions for the dynamic simulation. The reference time for the calculation of the steady state solution is set equal to the start time of the dynamic simulation.

In addition to a Start Time and an End Time, one can also choose the Output Timestep: It specifies the temporal interval by which calculated results will be stored for further use.

2.3.3. Computation Process

Once the calculations have started, a dialog box with a progress bar appears (Figure 2.15) and informs the user about the ongoing process. Usually, TEMPEST occupies a lot of processor time and the ability to work with other application while calculating can be limited (this is defused if a multi core processor or multiple processors are at your disposition). Therefore, the calculations can be paused and resumed by clicking on the Pause button and ended by clicking on the Abort button.

If the steady state can not be found or the convergence is beyond the tolerance, TEMPEST stops the calculation and gives advice for further optimization of the numerical parameters.

When finished, the dialog box with additional information, such as total computation time, stays on the screen until it is closed.

2.3.4. Numerical Parameters

TEMPEST tries to guess the best suiting numerical parameters, though numerical settings can still be modified by the user to improve accuracy and optimize calculation time. These

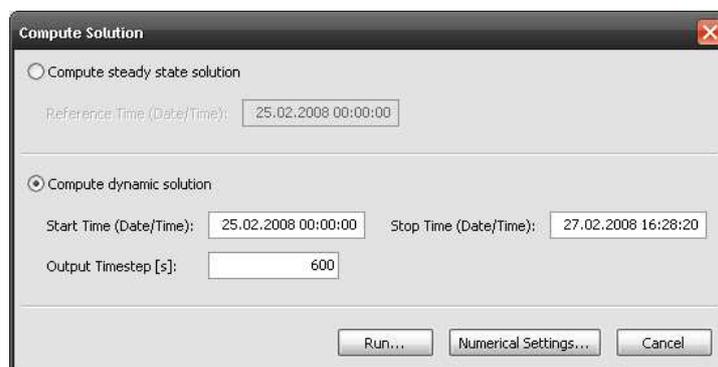


Figure 2.14.: Dialog box for defining computation type and reference time to compute a dynamic solution.

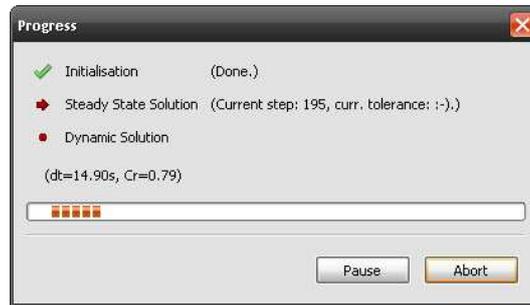


Figure 2.15.: Progress dialog showing typical information on the ongoing process of a dynamic solution.

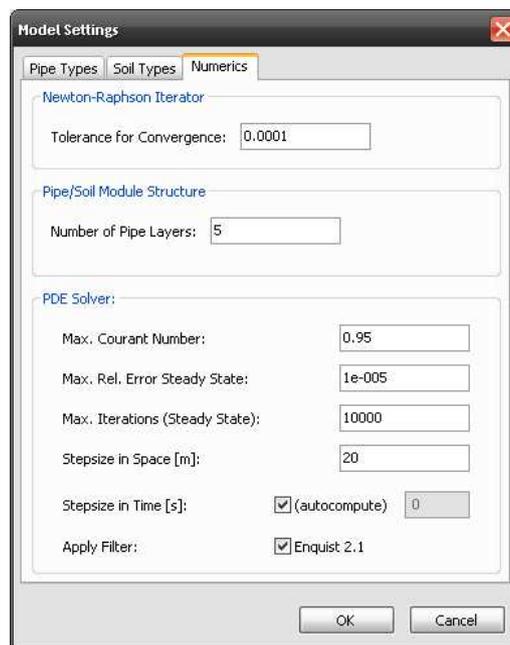


Figure 2.16.: Dialog box for editing numerical settings.

settings can be accessed in the Numerics tab of the Model Settings dialog box (Figure 2.16). To open the dialog box, click on Model Settings... in the Model menu and select the appropriate tab, or click on the Numerical Settings button in the Compute Solution dialog box (Figure 2.13 and Figure 2.14).

Three groups of parameters can be modified: Parameters for the Newton-Raphson iterator, the soil module structure and the PDE solver (cf. Appendix A.2). The parameters together with a short description and the implemented default values are given in Table 2.3.

The numerical settings are stored together with the model in the TEMPEST file “*Model-name.tmo*”.

2.4. Results: View and Export

The results of a computation are displayed in the Results tab (Figure 2.17). It consists of five sub panels:

Table 2.3.: List of the numerical parameters needed by simulations performed with TEMPEST.

Parameter	Description	Default value
Newton-Raphson Iterator		
Tolerance for Convergence	This is a relative value which specifies the accuracy that must be obtained in order to stop the iteration.	0.001
Pipe/Soil Module Structure		
Number of Pipe Layers	Defines the discretization of the pipe in radial direction: the number of radial layers the pipe will be divided in.	5
PDE Solver		
Max. Courant Number	If the step size in time is auto computed, the solver tries to keep the Courant number lower than the given value.	0.95
Rel. Tolerance Steady State	Defines the relative tolerance which must be reached for the solver to abort the relaxation for steady state.	5×10^{-5}
Max. Iterations (Steady State)	If steady state cannot be reached, the solver will stop after this number of steps.	10 000
Stepsize in Space	Defines the spatial discretization along the flow path in the sewer.	10 metres
Stepsize in Time	The discretization in time can either be automatically computed or specified by the user.	(autocompute)
Apply Filter	To improve stability and avoid numerical artifacts, a non linear filter can be applied to suppress high frequency oscillations of calculated variables.	Enquist 2.1

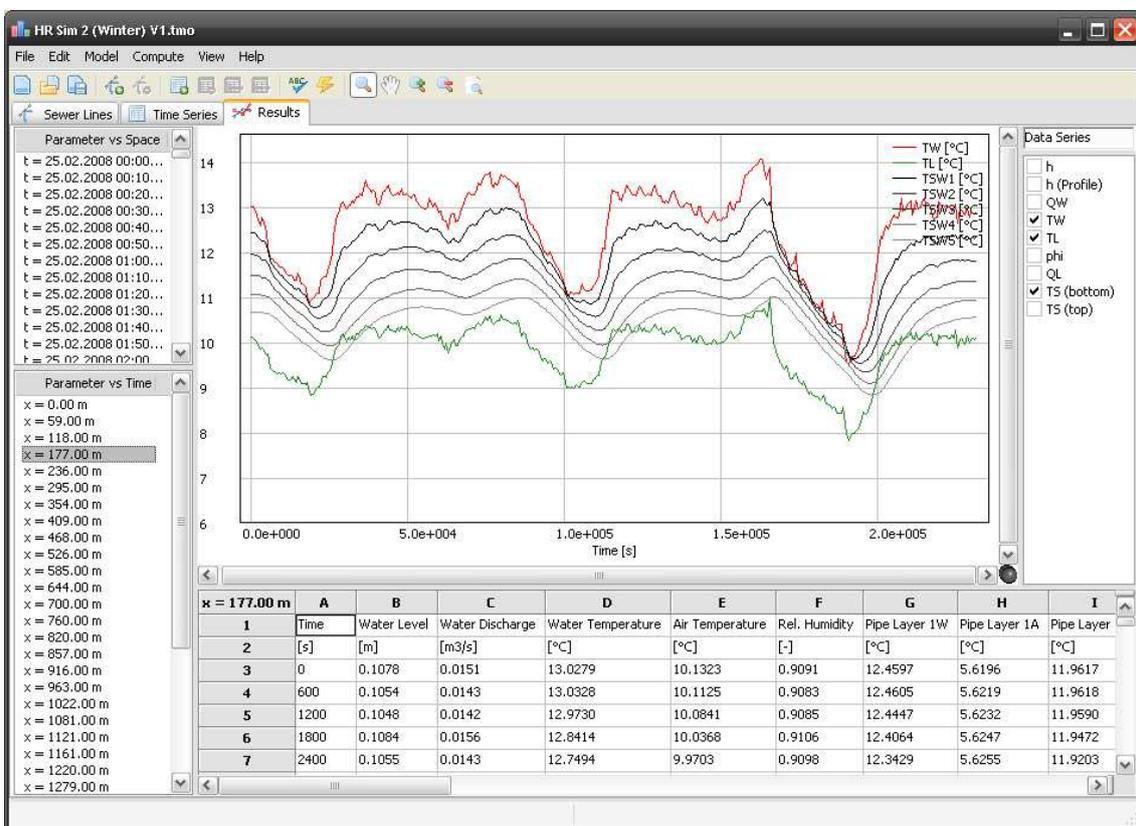


Figure 2.17.: Main window displaying the calculation Results tab. The wastewater and sewer air temperature as well as the temperature of the pipe layers are plotted.

- Data selection (top left and bottom left): Either the time or the location for which the results are to be plotted and listed can be selected.
- Data table (bottom right): Lists the numerical values of the data series for the time value or location selected.
- Plot panel (top center): Visualizes the listed data.
- Data series panel (top right): The user can select the data series to be plotted.

Several tools are at your disposition to navigate and zoom within the plot panel. The mouse cursor can either be in box zoom state or pan state. In order to switch between these states use the  and the  icon in the toolbar. If the box zoom state is activated, a rectangular box can be drawn into the plot area which will then be zoomed in. If the mouse cursor is in pan state, the clipping can be shifted (click and hold left mouse button while moving). The  and  commands can be used to zoom in and zoom out, respectively. To restore the original view, click on .

Cells, rows, columns or the entire data table can be selected and the selection may then be copied to the clipboard (menu Edit – Copy).

The calculated values can also be exported for external use. Figure 2.18 shows the Data Export dialog box (File menu - Export Data...) in which the variables, time and location as well as output format can be specified. One can export spatial data for a given time step, time series data at a fixed coordinate or all data together.

2.5. System Preferences

System preferences such as plot pen colors and the default date/time format can be changed in the Preferences dialog box (Figure 2.19). To open it, select Preferences... in the Edit menu.

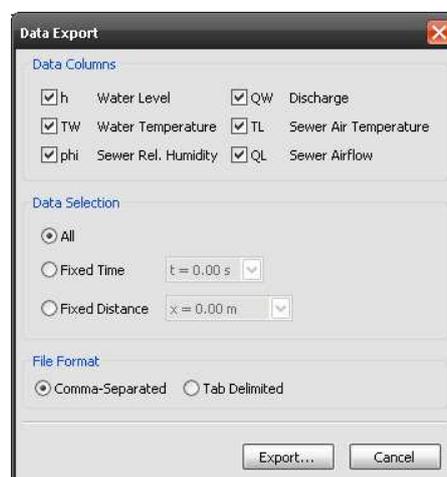


Figure 2.18.: Dialog box for selecting data to export.

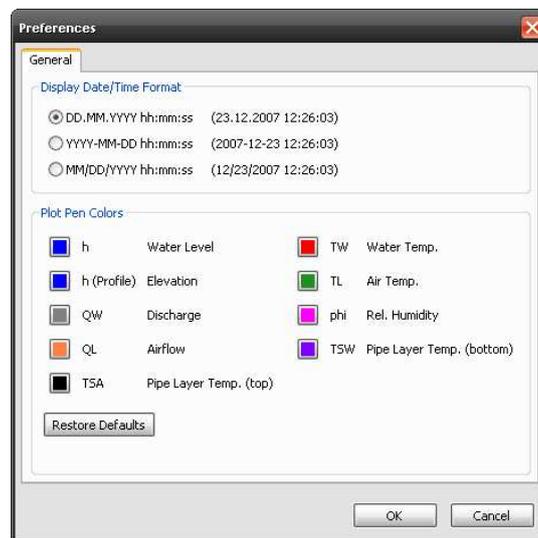


Figure 2.19.: Dialog box for editing the system preferences.

3 | Case Study

In this chapter, it is illustrated step by step how TEMPEST can be used for the optimal planning of heat recovery from the sewer. It is described, which data must necessarily be collected and it is shown, how a TEMPEST model is created, calibrated and validated, and then is used for the modeling of load scenarios.

3.1. Introduction

A fictitious heat recovery project was defined as follows: It is planned to erect a new building close to manhole RS 4943 in Rümlang (see Figure 3.1). Since a lot of attention is given to ecological aspects during all phases of the building project, the project team also wants to assess the potential of using heat that is reclaimed from the wastewater of a sewer system situated nearby for room heating and warm water production.

In this fictitious project, TEMPEST is used to model the sewer system and to calculate different heat recovery scenarios. For each scenario, one must check that the legal constraints are fulfilled. Those constraints assure that there will be no negative effects for the downstream wastewater treatment plant due to the heat recovery (here, we assume that the plant is located right after manhole RS 3096, 1.845 km downstream of RS 4943). In the Canton of Zurich, the inflow temperature to the plant must not fall below 8 °C and the maximum temperature decrease resulting from temperature reclamation must not be higher than 0.5 °C (AWEL, 2003).

The preparatory work before being able to model the sewer system with TEMPEST is discussed in Section 3.2. Then, it is illustrated how the considered section of the Rümlang

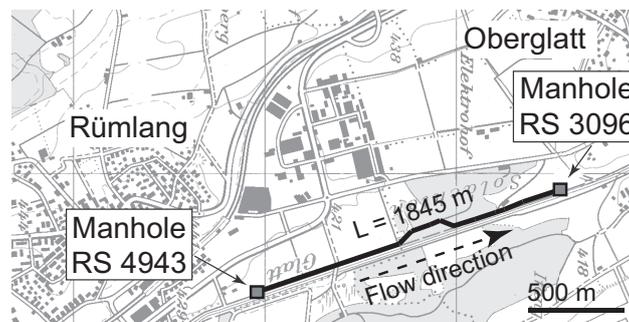


Figure 3.1.: Top view of a section of the sewer between the villages Rümlang and Oberglatt in the Canton of Zurich, Switzerland

sewer system can be modeled in TEMPEST (Section 3.3) and how calibration (Section 3.3.2) and validation (Section 3.3.2) are performed using the available data. Two exemplary heat recovery scenarios are simulated in Section 3.3.3. Finally, some conclusions drawn from the project are addressed in Section 3.4.

3.2. Field Measurements and Data Acquisition

In order to model the considered sewer section with TEMPEST, geometrical as well as material properties must be known. Further, discharge and temperature measurements and meteorological data must be measured, gathered or estimated for the period in time which will be used for model calibration and validation.

For the Rümlang sewer, data were measured by an ultrasonic flow meter and a temperature logger mounted at RS 4943 manhole and a temperature logger in manhole RS 3096 (TEMPEST automatically calculates the hydraulics). The measured discharge and temperature data are plotted in Figure 3.2. To get a good estimate for the ground temperature, a temperature logger was buried in 1.2 m depth and in 2 m distance from the sewer at manhole RS 4943.

Information on the geometrical and material properties were made available by the engineering company that has built the sewer section. Based on the type of concrete that has been used, the parameters of the thermal properties and the friction coefficient of the pipe were estimated. The thermal properties of the soil were estimated based on the soil discovered on-site. Meteorological data were taken from the closest meteorological station. The values of these parameters are listed in Table 3.1.

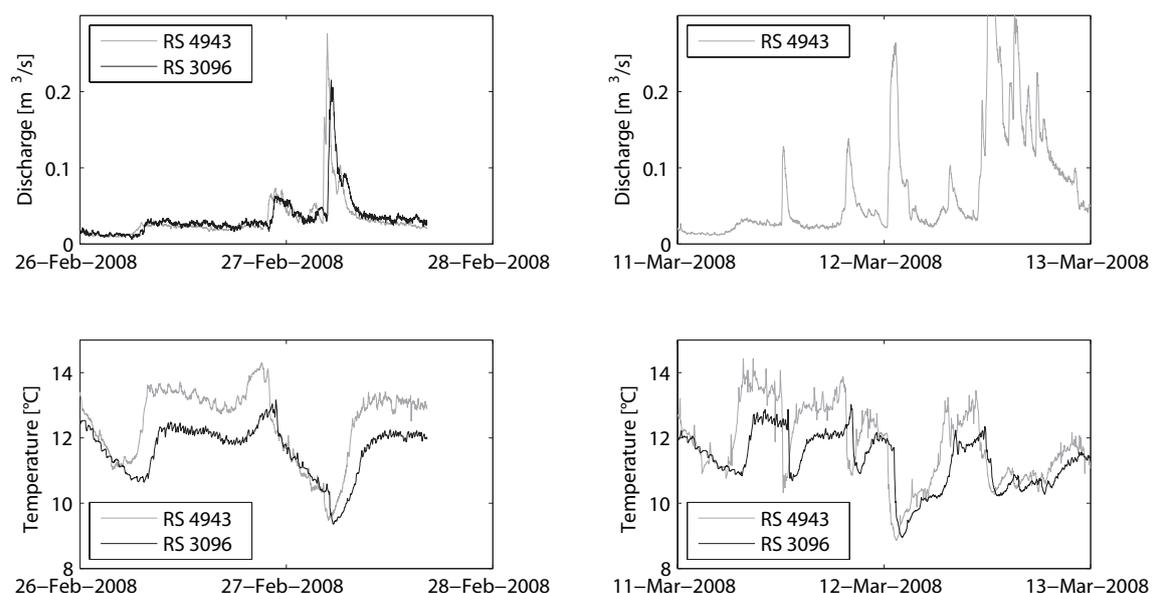


Figure 3.2.: Discharge and temperature data measured from February 26 to February 28 (left column) and from March 11 to March 13 (right column) at the manholes RS 4943 and RS 3096.

Table 3.1.: Geometrical and meteorological parameters, and material properties that describe the sewer section RS 4943-RS 3096 in Rümmlang. Estimates were made where no data was available. Key to “Origin” column: IP=implementation plan, E=estimate, AS=ANETZ meteorological station, L=literature (cf. Appendix B).

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Unit	Origin
Length	L	1845	m	IP
Nominal diameter	D	0.9	m	IP
Wall thickness	s	0.1	m	IP
Sewer slope	S_0	0.0091	-	IP
Friction coeff.	k_{st}	70	$\text{m}^{1/3} \text{s}^{-1}$	E
Fouling factor	f	200	$\text{W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{K})$	L
COD degradation rate	r	0.6-2.8	$\text{mgCOD}/(\text{m}^3 \text{s})$	L
Soil penetration depth	δ_S	0.1	m	E
Air exchange coeff.	b	0.1	-	E
Ambient temperature	T_A	8.3	$^{\circ}\text{C}$	AS
Ambient air pressure	p_A	966	mbar	AS
Relative humidity	φ	0.75	-	AS
Soil temperature	$T_{S,inf}$	5.5	$^{\circ}\text{C}$	M / E
Thermal conductivity pipe	λ_P	0.3-2.5 ^a	$\text{W}/(\text{m K})$	IP / L
Thermal conductivity soil	λ_S	0.25-2.5 ^b	$\text{W}/(\text{m K})$	IP / L
Thermal diffusivity pipe	a_P	0.4 - 0.6 ^a	m^2/s	IP / L
Thermal diffusivity soil	a_S	0.3 - 0.8 ^b	m^2/s	IP / L

^aReinforced concrete

^bGravel with a porosity of 50% and 50% saturated

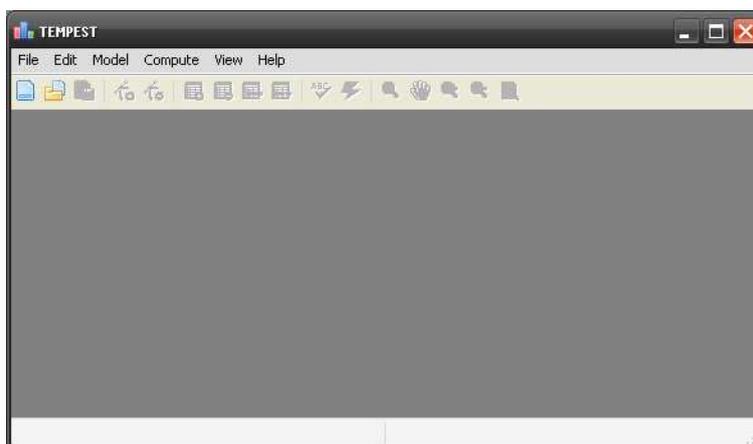


Figure 3.3.: Main window of TEMPEST as it shows up when the TEMPEST executable file is run.

3.3. Modeling with TEMPEST

In order to simulate the effect of heat recovery at the upstream site on the downstream wastewater temperature a new model has to be setup and the parameters of the sewer section and the time series data must be entered into the model. To do so, run the TEMPEST executable file in Windows. The main window as shown in Figure 3.3 appears. After selecting New from the File menu, a model is created but does not yet contain any sewer line or time series. Since the relevant data needed is already at the user's disposition, he or she can start to define sewer lines now.

Between manhole RS 4943 and RS 3096, there are actually around 30 additional manholes. Ideally the sewer should be modeled by 31 sewer lines separated by the manholes. However, since there are no relevant parameter changes along the flow path, and since the manhole covers only have small openings with very limited air exchange, it is sufficient to set up the TEMPEST model with just one sewer line of 1845 m in length.

After clicking on Add Sewer Line in the Model menu, a dialog box appears. In this box a name (e.g. "Rümlang") for the new sewer line can be typed in and it can be chosen whether or not the parameters are to be copied from an already existing line (since you are adding the first line now, the dropdown list is still empty). The new sewer line is added by clicking on OK and is now listed on the left side of the sewer lines tab (see Figure 3.4). You may rename the sewer line at any time later by clicking its name.

The data of the Rümlang sewer as given in Table 3.1 can now be entered into the Sewer Lines form. For Inflow and Inflow Temperature, the user can either enter a constant value or define a time series. Because the objective of this project is to choose an heat extraction mode that does not negatively affect the performance of the downstream wastewater treatment plant but that reclaims as much heat as possible, the amount of heat extracted is most certainly not constant over time. Thus, a dynamic simulation must be performed and therefore the latter be selected.

After clicking on the Time Series radio button for QWin in the Sewer Node panel of the Sewer Lines tab, you can access a drop down list. Initially, there are no values in the list because no time series has been added to the TEMPEST model yet. To add a new time series, click on Add Time Series from the Model menu. A dialog box appears that lets you

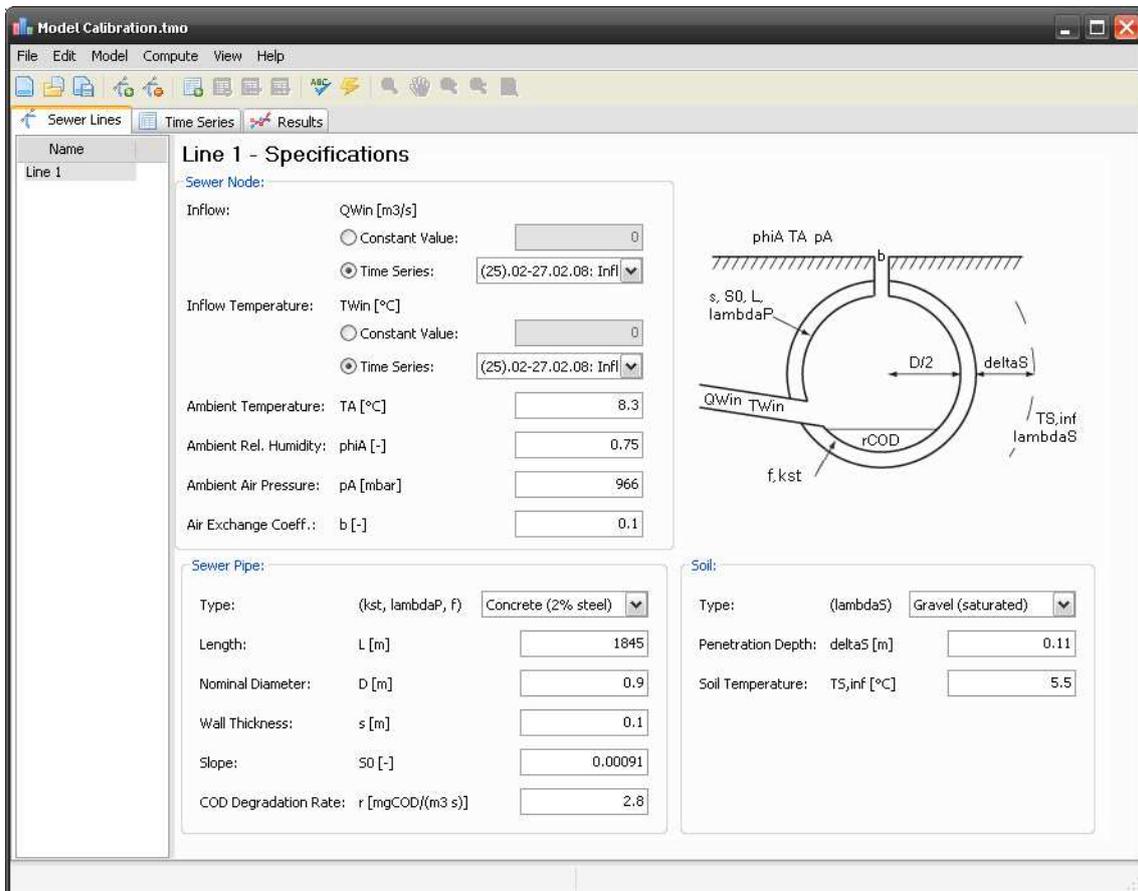


Figure 3.4.: The Sewer Lines tab. A new, empty sewer line has been added to the model and the parameter values of Table 3.1 have been entered.

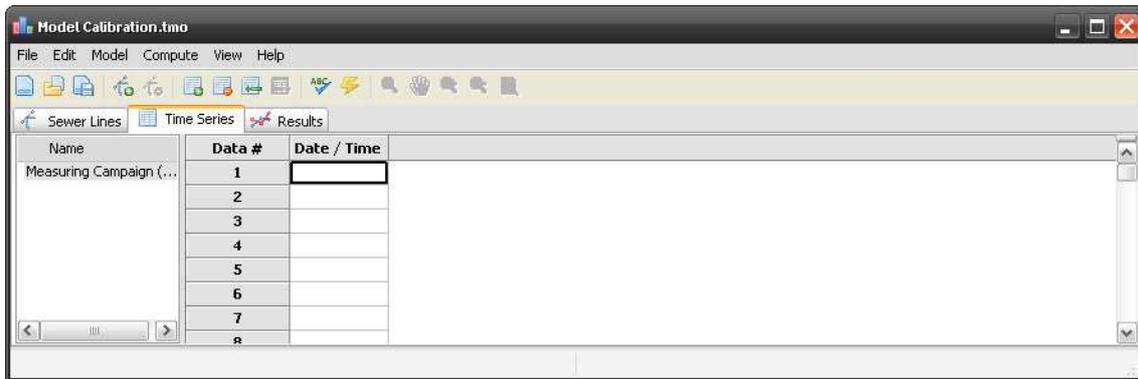


Figure 3.5.: The newly added time series which is named “Measuring Campaign 26.2-28.2.2008” is now available in the list to the left. The time series data table currently only has a Date / Time row.

name the series (e.g. “Measuring Campaign 26.2-28.2.2008”), define the number of rows the time series table should have (e.g. 1000) and choose between a relative time scale, where the time series starts from second zero, and an absolute time scale, depending on the time format of the measured time series data. Select Absolute (Date/Time). The time series tab is now visible showing the Date / Time column of the added time series (Figure 3.5).

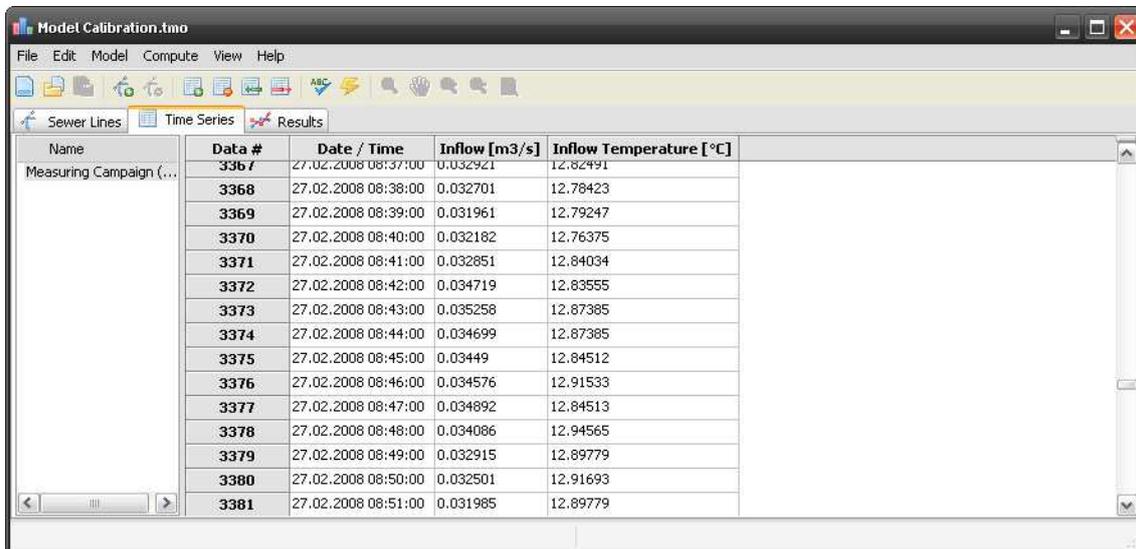
Before adding inflow and temperature data to the data table, a new column must be added for each of the two variables. This is done by selecting Insert Column from the Model menu, for both, the Lateral Inflow [m³/s] and the Lat. Inflow Temperature [°C] parameter. The Default Value field can be left blank. Note that Lateral Inflow also refers to the inflow at the upper end of the sewer to be modeled.

In order to fill the cells of the time series table for long time series, it is recommended to copy-paste the data from a text file or a spreadsheet application like MS Excel. Care has to be taken that the date/time format in the data source is similar to the format specified in the TEMPEST preferences (menu Edit – Preferences...). Once the data of the source file is copied to the clipboard, you can select the upper left cell of the time series table and select Paste from the Edit menu. The time series named “Measuring Campaign 26.2-28.2.2008” is now filled with data as shown in Figure 3.6.

If you switch back to the Sewer Lines tab, you can now select the new time series in the drop down lists for inflow and inflow temperature.

The last parameters to be set before you can start the model calibration are the sewer pipe and soil type. Every TEMPEST model disposes of a pipe and soil type library which can be accessed via the menu Model – Model Settings. Add a new pipe type in the Pipe Types tab of the Model Settings dialog box and enter the estimates from Table 3.1 for the friction coefficient, the thermal conductivity, the thermal diffusivity and the fouling factor and assign a comprehensive label (Figure 3.7). The same steps can be performed to add a new soil type to the library after switching to the Soil Types tab. Save the changes and close the dialog by clicking on OK. In the Sewer Pipe panel and the Soil panel of the Sewer Lines tab now select the appropriate Type for pipe and soil, respectively, from the list.

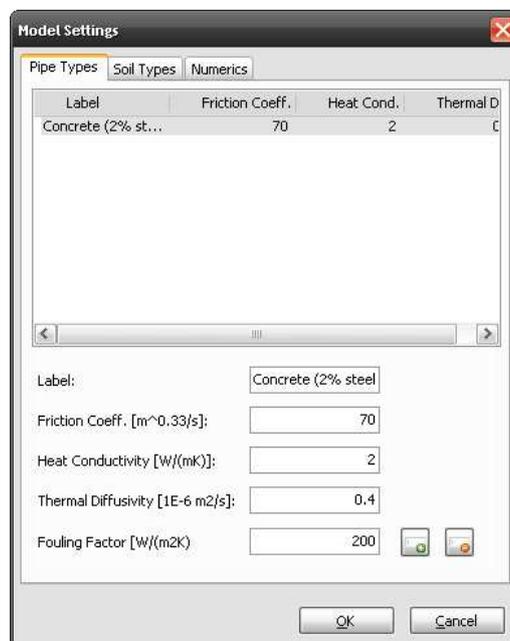
All the data needed to perform simulations has now been entered. If you want to verify whether the model is complete, select Validate Entries and Data from the Model menu. Before starting the model calibration, it is recommended to save the model file to disk (File - Save).



The screenshot shows the 'Model Calibration.tmo' application window. The 'Time Series' tab is active, displaying a table with the following data:

Name	Data #	Date / Time	Inflow [m3/s]	Inflow Temperature [°C]
Measuring Campaign (...)	3367	27.02.2008 08:37:00	0.032921	12.82491
	3368	27.02.2008 08:38:00	0.032701	12.78423
	3369	27.02.2008 08:39:00	0.031961	12.79247
	3370	27.02.2008 08:40:00	0.032182	12.76375
	3371	27.02.2008 08:41:00	0.032851	12.84034
	3372	27.02.2008 08:42:00	0.034719	12.83555
	3373	27.02.2008 08:43:00	0.035258	12.87385
	3374	27.02.2008 08:44:00	0.034699	12.87385
	3375	27.02.2008 08:45:00	0.03449	12.84512
	3376	27.02.2008 08:46:00	0.034576	12.91533
	3377	27.02.2008 08:47:00	0.034892	12.84513
	3378	27.02.2008 08:48:00	0.034086	12.94565
	3379	27.02.2008 08:49:00	0.032915	12.89779
	3380	27.02.2008 08:50:00	0.032501	12.91693
3381	27.02.2008 08:51:00	0.031985	12.89779	

Figure 3.6.: The data table of the series named “Measuring Campaign 26.2-28.2.2008” is filled with data copied from a spreadsheet application.



The 'Model Settings' dialog box is shown with the 'Pipe Types' tab selected. It contains a table of pipe types and a form for editing the selected entry.

Label	Friction Coeff.	Heat Cond.	Thermal D
Concrete (2% st...	70	2	

Below the table, the following fields are visible:

- Label: Concrete (2% steel)
- Friction Coeff. [$m^{-0.33}/s$]: 70
- Heat Conductivity [W/(mK)]: 2
- Thermal Diffusivity [$1E-6 m^2/s$]: 0.4
- Fouling Factor [W/(m²K)]: 200

Buttons for 'OK' and 'Cancel' are at the bottom.

Figure 3.7.: Pipe Types library with an entry for the Rümplang sewer pipe type. Since no exact values were available, rough estimates have been typed in.

3.3.1. Model Calibration

In the model calibration phase, one tries to change to model parameters (within certain limits) so that the output of the model, the simulated wastewater temperature at the lower end of the sewer section, matches the measured temperature as good as possible.

The time series of the measuring period from February 26 to February 28 2008 (Figure 3.2, page 21) will be used for the calibration. You can first try to calculate the downstream wastewater temperature using the parameters given in Table 3.1. Click on Compute – Dynamic Solution to open the Compute Solution dialog. The option Compute dynamic solution is preselected and start and stop times are set to the first and the last time series value defined in the time series used in the model (Figure 3.8). The Output Timestep [s] can be changed in order that more or less calculated data are saved as results.

Usually, there is no need to change the numerical settings (see Section 2.3.4). If your sewer system is rather long but not very dynamic and complex, you can try to increase the Step size in Space [m] in order to speed up the calculation time (click on Numerical Settings...). If you want to find the optimal step size, start with a rather long step size and perform the calculation. Now, decrease to step size gradually until the results of the actual and the last calculation do not differ significantly.

By clicking on Run..., the calculation process starts. A progress bar keeps you informed about the ongoing process. First, the steady state solution is calculated using the time series values at the specified start time. The steady state solution is then used as initial condition for the calculation of the dynamic solution. Since the heat transfer processes in the sewer pipe and the soil are rather slow, the relaxation time of the steady state calculation might be shorter than the time needed. A possible way to cope with this phenomenon is to duplicate the input time series and perform a simulation, e.g. for 6 days instead of the original 3 days of available input data, and use the results of the last 3 days of the simulation only.

When the calculation process has finished, you can close the progress dialog. TEMPEST will now show the Results tab. To compare the values of the calculated and measured variables at the downstream end of the sewer, the calculated variables must be transferred to a data analysis or spreadsheet application. You can either export the data by using the Data Export dialog (File – Export Data..., cf. Section 2.4) or first choose the row “x = 1845.00 m” in the Parameter vs Time list (lower left), then select the variable row by clicking on its header in the data table (lower right) and select Copy from the Edit menu.

If the parameters $T_{S,inf}$, λ_P , a_P , λ_S , a_S , and δ_S are systematically changed within the ranges indicated in Table 3.1 on page 22, a good correspondence between the temperatures simulated and measured in Rümmlang is achieved using the values listed in Table 3.2. The measured and calculated time series are plotted in Figure 3.9.

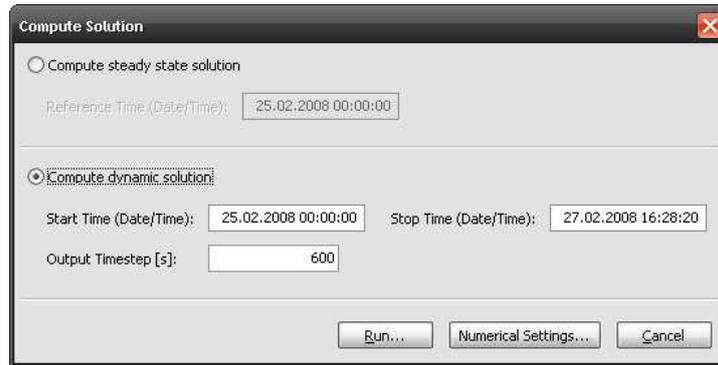


Figure 3.8.: The Compute Solution Dialog.

Table 3.2.: Parameters changed during the model calibration and values yielding good correspondence of measured and calculated data.

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Unit
Soil penetration depth	δ_S	0.11	m
Soil temperature	$T_{S,inf}$	5.5	°C
Thermal conductivity pipe	λ_P	2.3	W/(m K)
Thermal diffusivity pipe	a_P	0.5	m ² /s
Thermal conductivity soil	λ_S	0.7	W/(m K)
Thermal diffusivity soil	a_S	0.6	m ² /s

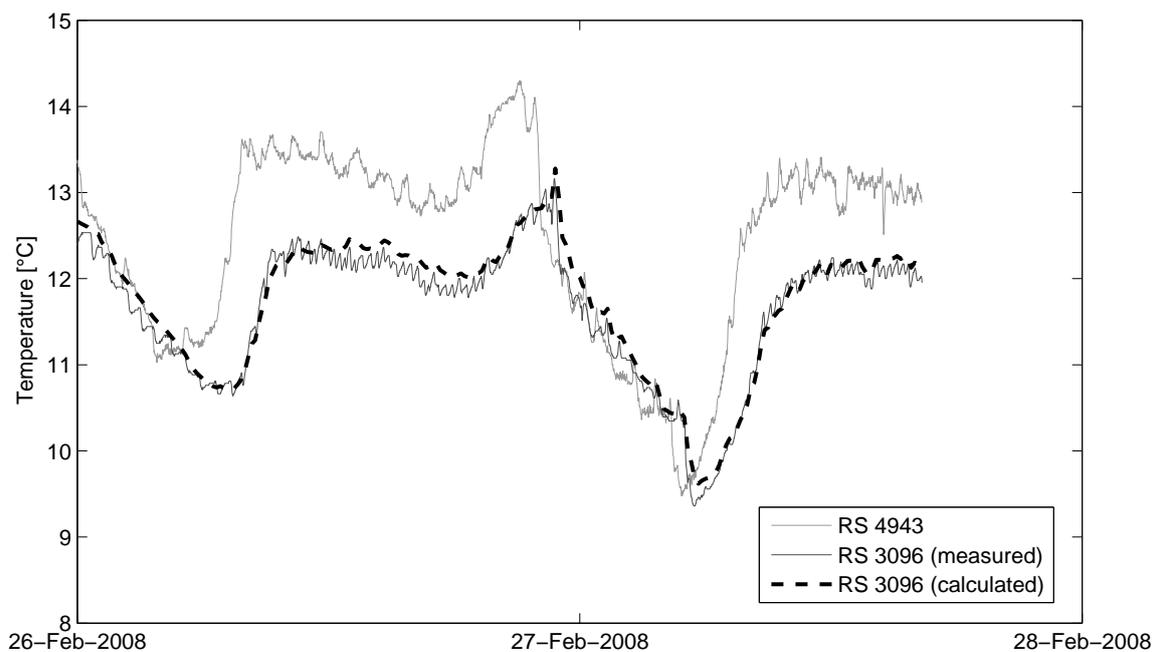


Figure 3.9.: Result of the model calibration.

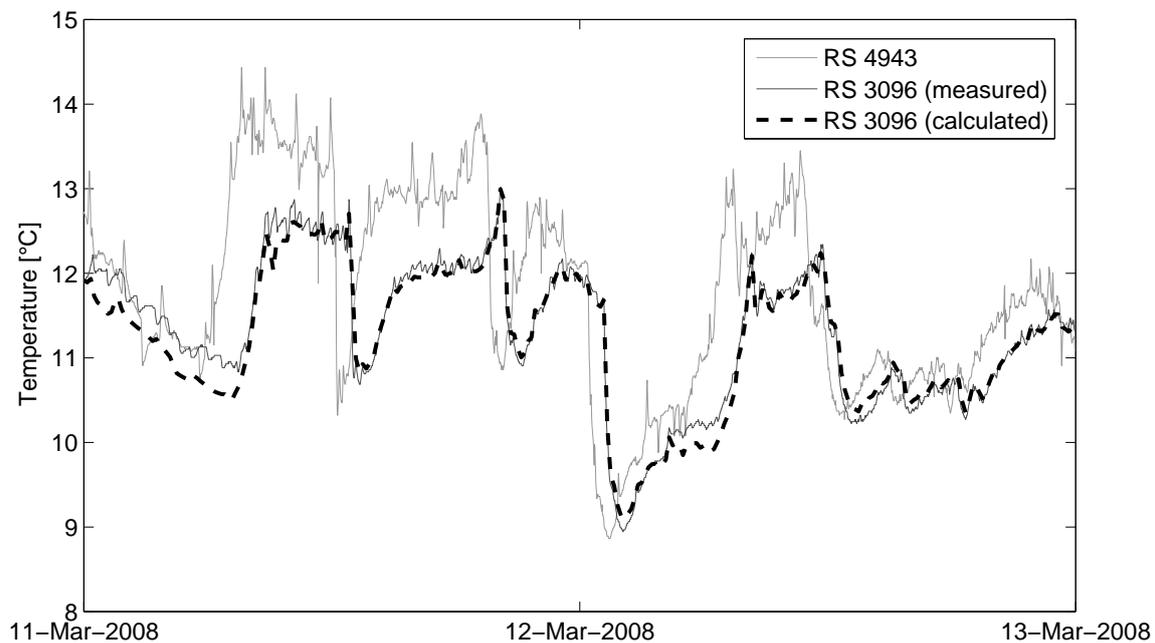


Figure 3.10.: Result of the model validation.

3.3.2. Model Validation

The model parameter values identified during the model calibration phase now have to be validated by performing a simulation using time series data that have not already been used for the model calibration. If the accuracy of the model validation, more precisely the correspondence of the simulated and the measured downstream temperatures, is satisfying, the model can be accepted. Otherwise, the calibration must be revised.

In Figure 3.10, the results of a simulation based on the model parameters found by the calibration and based on inflow and inflow temperature values from March 8 to March 9 2008, are compared to the corresponding measurements. The accordance of the two series is satisfying.

3.3.3. Heat Recovery Scenarios

By comparing two very simple heat recovery scenarios, the potential of TEMPEST as a tool to investigate the effects of heat recovery on the downstream wastewater treatment plant is demonstrated.

In the first scenario, a constant amount of heat of $\dot{Q}_{rec} = 350\text{kW}$ shall be reclaimed at the upper end of the sewer (at manhole RS 4943) and used for the fictitious building planned next to the manhole. In the second scenario the amount of heat extracted is varied during the day: $\dot{Q}_{rec} = 500\text{kW}$ from 7 am to 10 pm, and $\dot{Q}_{rec} = 100\text{kW}$ from 10 pm to 7 am. The total amount of heat recovered is the same for both scenarios.

When heat is recovered from wastewater, the wastewater temperature decreases. Given the amount of heat extracted, \dot{Q}_{rec} , the wastewater temperature and discharge upstream

of the heat exchanger, $T_{W,in}$ and Q_W , respectively, the temperature after the heat exchanger $T_{W,out}$ can be calculated using the equation

$$T_{W,out} = T_{W,in} - \frac{\dot{Q}_{rec}}{c_{p,W} \rho_W Q_W} \quad (3.1)$$

where $c_{p,W}$ stands for the specific heat capacity of water and ρ_W for the density of water.

In order to investigate the effect of the decrease of $T_{W,out}$ on the wastewater temperature at the downstream end of the sewer, the new time series $T_{W,out}$, stored, e.g. in an Excel spreadsheet, can be used as input time series for the model developed above. To do so, add a new time series in the Time Series tab, add the column for the wastewater temperature and copy-paste the values of $T_{W,out}$ with the corresponding date/time values into the data table (proceed as described in the model calibration section). Now, switch to the Sewer Lines tab and select the new time series as input for the inflow temperature.

In Figure 3.11 the wastewater temperatures at the downstream end of the sewer (manhole RS 3096) calculated for the two scenarios are compared. One can see that the first scenario which reclaims a constant amount of heat causes cold downstream temperature peaks at times where the discharge in the sewer is low (though there is even some warming up during the flow time in the sewer). In contrast, the diurnal variation of the downstream temperature calculated for the second scenario is much smaller.

Additional heat recovery scenarios could start from the second scenario and try to further increase the amount of heat extracted, or to optimize the pattern of the diurnal extraction profile.

3.4. Conclusions

By means of a simple and fictitious example, a procedure to use TEMPEST for planning of heat recovery projects is proposed.

To achieve this, the data needed in order to model the sewer section has to be acquired. Model parameters can be measured on-site or found in the literature. When data is missing, even *a priori* estimates may be used. Because TEMPEST yields model predictions whose accuracy depend on the accuracy of the input data available, sensitivity analyses can be performed in order to assess the accuracy of the predicted results.

Model calibration is used to adjust the model parameters to the specific conditions of the sewer considered and model validation serves to test the reliability of the model predictions.

Once the model is set up and tested, it can be used, e.g., to estimate the effect of heat recovery on the downstream wastewater temperature, to analyze alternative patterns of heat recovery with diurnal variation or to identify potentially critical conditions for downstream wastewater treatment plants.

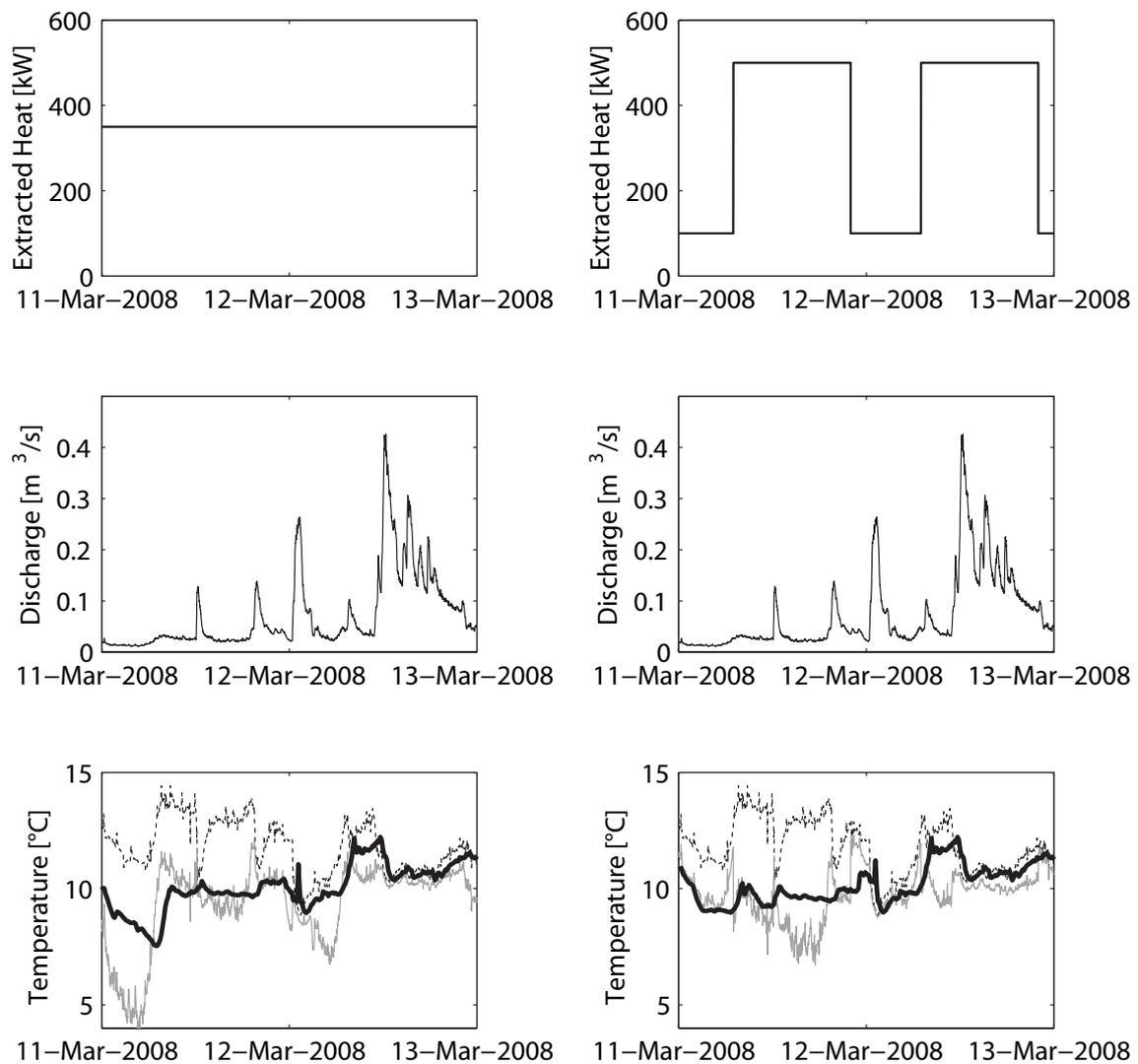


Figure 3.11.: Simulation results of two alternative heat recovery scenarios. In the first scenario (left column), 350 kW heat were constantly reclaimed from the wastewater. In the second scenario (right column), 350 kW of were reclaimed from 7am to 10pm and 100 kW in the remaining time. The discharge measured at the heat exchanger is plotted in the middle row. In the third row, the temperature before the heat exchanger (dashed, black line), the temperature after the heat exchanger (gray line) and the downstream temperature (bold, black line) are indicated.

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A | **Appendix: Additional Material**

This appendix contains additional material, mainly on the analytical model (model equations and transfer processes) implemented in TEMPEST. Additionally, the algorithm used to numerically solve the partial differential equations is introduced.

A.1. Analytical Model

The sewer system is modeled based on two basic elements “conduits” and “nodes”. Conduits, in which the wastewater discharge, airflow, water vapor and temperature are continuous functions in time and space, and are modeled by one-dimensional balance equations. The element “conduit” is assumed to represent a prismatic pipe with circular cross-section and without any discontinuity.

Nodes describe discontinuities caused by lateral inflows, head space openings, sudden changes of the sewer geometry or of material properties, and are modeled by continuity conditions. Complex sewer systems can be modeled by series of basic elements “node plus conduit” which is called “sewer line”.

The compartments considered in the model are wastewater, sewer head space, sewer pipe and surrounding soil. The compartments and the transport, heat and mass transfer processes considered in the model are indicated in Figure A.1.

Below, a short overview of the analytical model including the balance equations, the equations for the process rates and details on the modeling of the nodes is given. For more detailed explanations, the reader is referred to Dürrenmatt (2006) and Wanner and Dürrenmatt (in preparation).

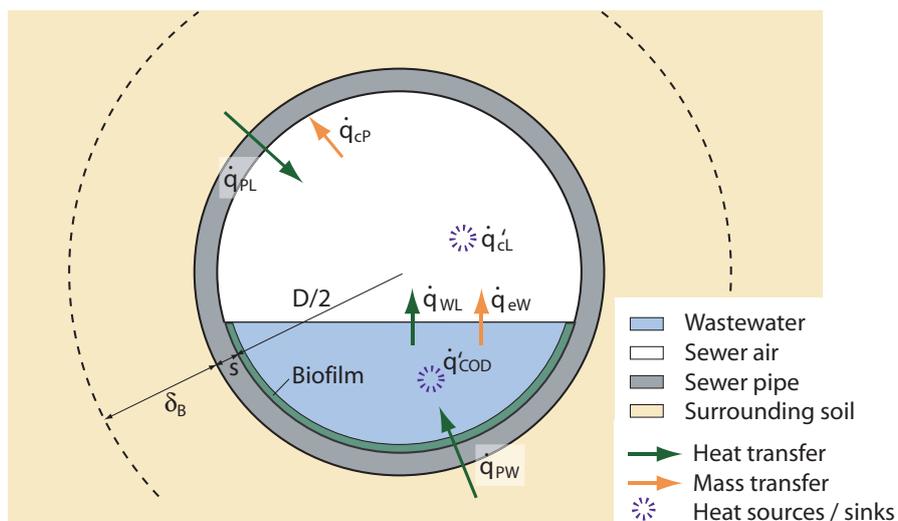


Figure A.1.: Cross-section of a sewer line with transfer processes by which the humidity in the sewer headspace and the temperatures in the wastewater, sewer headspace, sewer pipe and soil are affected.

Table A.1.: Balance equations which are solved by TEMPEST. The mathematical formulation of the heat and mass transfer processes (j and \dot{q}) can be found in Table A.2. The underlying assumptions are discussed in depth in Dürrenmatt (2006) and Wanner and Dürrenmatt (in preparation). The mass and the momentum balance equations of water are known as the St. Venant equations.

Mass Balances

$$\text{Water discharge } (Q_W) \quad \frac{\partial A_W}{\partial t} = -\frac{\partial Q_W}{\partial x} - \frac{1}{\rho_W} j_{vP} P$$

$$\text{Sewer airflow } (Q_L) \quad \frac{\partial A_L}{\partial t} = -\frac{\partial Q_L}{\partial x}$$

$$\text{Water vapor loading } (X) \quad \frac{\partial(A_L X)}{\partial t} = -\frac{\partial(Q_L X)}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{\rho_W} (j_{vP} P - j_{kP} U_L - j_{kL}' A_L)$$

Heat Balances

$$\text{Water temp. } (T_W) \quad \frac{\partial(A_W T_W)}{\partial t} = -\frac{\partial(Q_W T_W)}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{c_{p,W} \rho_W} (\dot{q}_{PW} U_W - \dot{q}_{WL} P - \dot{q}_{vP} P + \dot{q}_{\omega}' A_W)$$

$$\text{Sewer air temp. } (T_L) \quad \frac{\partial(A_L T_L)}{\partial t} = -\frac{\partial(Q_L T_L)}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{c_{p,L} \rho_L} (\dot{q}_{PL} U_L + \dot{q}_{WL} P + \xi \dot{q}_{kL}' A_L)$$

$$\text{Pipe layer temp. } (T_P^{(j)}) \quad \frac{\partial(A_P^{(j)} T_P^{(j)})}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{c_{p,P} \rho_P} (\dot{q}_P^{(j+1/2)} U_P^{(j+1/2)} - \dot{q}_P^{(j-1/2)} U_P^{(j-1/2)})$$

Momentum Balance

$$\text{Water} \quad \frac{\partial Q_W}{\partial t} = -\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{Q_W^2}{A_W} \right) - g A_W \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} + g A_W (S_0 - S_f)$$

A.1.1. Balance Equations and Transfer Processes

The balance equations for mass, heat and momentum are given in Table A.1. The transfer processes used in the balance equations are described in detail in Table A.2 (p. 38). Please notice that the nomenclature used in this section is explained in Table A.3 (p. 39).

A.1.2. Nodes

If the sewer is modeled as a series of conduits, additional continuity conditions must be fulfilled at the nodes between them. Continuity of T_W , T_L and X requires that at the nodes $i = 2$ to N

$$Q_{W,i} T_{W,i} = Q_{W,i-1} T_{W,i-1} + Q_{Win,i} T_{Win,i} \quad (\text{A.1})$$

and

$$Q_{L,i} T_{L,i} = Q_{L,i-1} T_{L,i-1} + Q_{L,i}^* T_{A,i} \quad (\text{A.2})$$

$$Q_{L,i} X_{L,i} = Q_{L,i-1} X_{L,i-1} + Q_{L,i}^* X_{A,i} \quad (\text{A.3})$$

if air is inhaled at the node ($Q_{L,i}^* > 0$) or

$$T_{L,i} = T_{L,i-1} \quad (\text{A.4})$$

$$X_{L,i} = X_{L,i-1} \quad (\text{A.5})$$

if air is exhaled at the node ($Q_{L,i}^* < 0$). In these equations $Q_{Win,i}$ and $T_{Win,i}$ are the discharge and water temperature of a lateral inflow, respectively, and $T_{A,i}$ and $X_{A,i}$ are the temperature and water vapor loading of the ambient air, respectively.

Table A.2.: Mathematical description of the transfer processes used in the balance equations (Table A.1).

Process ^a	Description
$\dot{q}_{WL} = \alpha_{WL} (T_W - T_L)$	Convective heat transfer from the compartment “wastewater” to the compartment “sewer head space”.
$\dot{q}_{SNb} = k_{SNb} (T_{S,inf} - T_{Pb}^{(j=N)})$	Heat flux from the surrounding soil with temperature $T_{S,inf}$ to the outermost lower pipe layer segment N . ^b
$\dot{q}_{Pb}^{(j+1/2)} = k_{Pb} (T_{Pb}^{(j+1)} - T_{Pb}^{(j)})$	Heat flux from the lower pipe layer segment $j + 1$ to the lower pipe layer segment j .
$\dot{q}_{PW} = k_{PW} (T_{Pb}^{(1)} - T_W)$	Heat flux from the lower pipe layer segment 1 to the compartment “wastewater”.
$\dot{q}_{SNt} = k_{SNt} (T_{S,inf} - T_{Pt}^{(j=N)})$	Heat flux from the surrounding soil with temperature $T_{S,inf}$ to the outermost upper pipe layer segment N .
$\dot{q}_{Pt}^{(j+1/2)} = k_{Pt} (T_{Pt}^{(j+1)} - T_{Pt}^{(j)})$	Heat flux from the upper pipe layer segment $j + 1$ to the upper pipe layer segment j .
$\dot{q}_{PL} = k_{PL} (T_{Pt}^{(1)} - T_L)$	Convective heat transfer from the innermost lower pipe layer segment to the compartment “sewer head space”.
$\dot{q}_{\omega}' = e_{CSB} r_{CSB}$	Heat produced by biochemical activity in the compartment “wastewater”.
$\dot{q}_{vP} = \alpha_{vP} (p_{sat}(T_W) - p_L)$	Heat transfer due to evaporation / condensation at the water-air interface.
$j_{vP} = h_{fg}^{-1} \dot{q}_{vP}$	Mass flux between the compartments “wastewater” and “sewer head space” caused by evaporation / condensation.
$\dot{q}_{kP} = \alpha_{kPt} (p_L - p_{sat}(T_{Pt}^{(1)}))$	Mass flux due to condensation at the innermost upper pipe layer.
$j_{kP} = h_{fg}^{-1} \dot{q}_{kP}$	Loss of water vapor caused by condensation at the innermost upper pipe layer.
$\dot{q}_{kL}' = h_{fg} \rho_L (X - X_{sat})$	Condensation in the compartment “sewer head space” because of oversaturation (reduction of the latent heat).
$j_{kL}' = \rho_L (X - X_{sat})$	Condensation in the compartment “sewer head space” because of oversaturation (reduction of the content of water vapor).

^aFor a mathematical formulation of the parameters α_{WL} , k_{SNb} , k_{SNt} , k_{Pb} , k_{PW} , k_{RPt} , k_{PL} , α_{vP} and α_{kPt} , please consult Dürrenmatt (2006).

^bFor a more accurate calculation of the pipe temperature, the pipe is discretized in N radial layers where the innermost layer is layer $j = 1$, the outermost $j = N$. Each layer is then further divided in two segments: the lower segment Pb interfaces the compartment “wastewater”, the upper segment Pt the compartment “sewer head space”.

Table A.3.: Nomenclature used in Table A.1 and A.2.

Symbol	Description
Geometrical Variables	
A_n	cross section area ($n = W$ for water, L for air and P for a pipe layer)
P	Water level width
U_n	Wetted perimeter ($n = W$ for water, L for air and P for a pipe layer)
Material Properties	
$c_{p,n}$	Specific heat capacity ($n = W$ for water, L for air, P for the pipe and S for soil)
$T_{S,inf}$	Temperature of the undisturbed soil
λ_n	Thermal conductivity ($n = W$ for water, L for air, P for the pipe and S for soil)
ρ_n	Density ($n = W$ for water, L for air, P for the pipe and S for soil)
Transfer Processes	
j	Mass transfer
\dot{q}	Heat transfer
Heat and Mass Transfer Coefficients	
k	Thermal transmission coefficient
r_{COD}	Biological degradation rate
α	heat transfer coefficient
Miscellaneous Variables	
e_{COD}	Reaction enthalpy of COD degradation
g	Gravitational force
h_{fg}	Evaporation enthalpy
p_L	Partial pressure of water
p_{sat}	Partial pressure of water of saturated air
S_0	Sewer slope
S_f	Friction slope
T_A	Ambient temperature
X_{sat}	Water vapor loading of saturated air

A.2. PDE Solver

To solve the system of one-dimensional partial differential equations, the two step Lax-Wendroff scheme, an explicit finite volume scheme which is second order in both space and time ($O(\Delta x^2, \Delta t^2)$), is used. It omits excessive numerical dispersion, has no amplitude dissipation and no instabilities due to mesh drifting.

A one-dimensional initial value problem can be written in a flux conservative form as

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} = -\frac{\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{u})}{\partial x} + \mathbf{S}(\mathbf{u}) \quad (\text{A.6})$$

where \mathbf{u} (state variables), \mathbf{F} (flux terms) and \mathbf{S} (source terms) are vectors. The two-step Lax-Wendroff method calculates interim values $u_{i+1/2}$ at half time steps $t^{j+1/2}$:

$$u_{i+1/2}^{j+1/2} = \frac{1}{2} (u_{i+1}^j + u_i^j) - \frac{\Delta t}{2\Delta x} (F_{i+1}^j - F_i^j) \quad (\text{A.7})$$

The fluxes $F_{i+1/2}^{j+1/2}$ can be calculated using $u_{i+1/2}^{j+1/2}$ (similar for $u_{i-1/2}^{j+1/2}$ and $F_{i-1/2}^{j+1/2}$) and finally, the values u_i^{j+1} at the full time step can be calculated by

$$u_i^{j+1} = u_i^j - \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} (F_{i+1/2}^{j+1/2} - F_{i-1/2}^{j+1/2}) + \Delta t S_i^j \quad (\text{A.8})$$

After evaluating u_i^{j+1} , the interim values $u_{i+1/2}^{j+1/2}$ and $u_{i-1/2}^{j+1/2}$ can be discarded.

To assure stability, the Courant-Friedrichs-Lewy (CFL) criterion must be met (Press, 2005). Since the St. Venant equations contain a non-linear term, it is advisable to apply a filter that suppresses oscillations caused by waves of short wavelength in order to improve stability and avoid numerical artifacts after each time step. In TEMPEST, the Enquist 2.1 filter is implemented for this purpose.

B | **Appendix: Material Properties**

In this appendix, a collection of different parameter values to describe the thermal properties of the most common soils and building materials and friction coefficient for different pipe materials is provided. The values are collected from the literature.

B.1. Friction Coefficients k_{st}

In order to describe the wastewater discharge, a friction coefficient is needed. A selection for several pipe materials is given in Table B.1.

Table B.1.: Friction coefficients k_{st} (Manning-Strickler) for different pipe materials, by Hager (1994).

	Condition	k_{st} [$\text{m}^{1/3}\text{s}^{-1}$]
Pipes		
Asbestos-cement pipe		67 - 91
Brick		58 - 77
Cast iron pipe	new, cemented	67 - 91
Concrete, monolithic	smooth	70 - 83
	rough	58 - 67
Concrete pipe		67 - 91
Plastic pipe	smooth	70 - 90
Fire-clay pipe		70 - 90
Canals		
Coated with		
Asphalt		60 - 77
Brick		55 - 83
Concrete		50 - 90

B.2. Thermal Conductivity and Temperature Diffusivity of Different Pipe Types

A selection of the thermal conductivity and temperature diffusivity values for different pipe types is listed in Table B.2.

Table B.2.: Values of the thermal conductivity (λ) and the temperature diffusivity (a) for different pipe materials.

	Thermal conductivity [$\frac{W}{mK}$]	Temperature diffusivity [$10^{-6} \frac{m^2}{s}$]
Concrete ^a :		
Medium density (1800 kg/m ³)	1.15	0.64
Medium density (2000 kg/m ³)	1.35	0.68
Medium density (2200 kg/m ³)	1.65	0.75
High density (2400 kg/m ³)	1.65	0.75
Reinforced (1% steel)	2.30	1.00
Reinforced (2% steel)	2.50	1.04
Brick ^a :		
Clay	1.00	0.63
Concrete	1.50	0.71
Brick ^b :		
Masonry, outside wall	0.64	-
Masonry, inside wall	0.52	-
Brick ^c	0.38 - 0.52	-
Masonry, saturated with water ^d	0.60	-
Cement, hardened ^b	0.69	-
Concrete ^b :		
Reinforced concrete	1.12	-
Gravel concrete	0.95	-
Slag concrete, masonry	0.52	-
Concrete, saturated with water ^d	1	-

^aHohmann *et al.* (2004)

^bVDI (1963)

^cBaehr and Stephan (2006)

^dBischofsberger and Seyfried (1984)

B.3. Thermal Conductivity and Temperature Diffusivity of Different Soil Types

In Table B.3, the thermal conductivity (λ) and temperature diffusivity (a) of different soils are listed.

Table B.3.: Values of the thermal conductivity (λ) and the temperature diffusivity (a) for different soil types.

	Water content [-]	Heat conductivity [$\frac{W}{mK}$]	Temperature diffusivity [$10^{-6} \frac{m^2}{s}$]
Gravel, coarse ^a	-	0.52	
Gravel, crushed rock ^b	-	0.37	
Sandy soil ^c	0.0	0.30	0.24
(40% pore space)	0.2	1.80	0.85
	0.4	2.20	0.74
Sandy soil, dry ^a	-	0.27	
Sandy soil, moist ^a	-	0.58	
Clay soil ^c	0.0	0.25	0.18
(40% pore space)	0.2	1.18	0.53
	0.4	1.58	0.51
Clay soil ^a	-	1.28	-
Peat soil ^c	0.0	0.06	0.10
(80% pore space)	0.4	0.29	0.13
	0.8	0.50	0.12
Humus ^d	-	0.25	-
Soil ^e	-	2.00	-

^aBaehr and Stephan (2006)

^bVDI (1963)

^cUnsworth and Monteith (1990)

^dScheffer *et al.* (2002)

^eBischofsberger and Seyfried (1984)

C | **Appendix:**
TEMPEST Development

C.1. Program Versions and Changelog

The TEMPEST version history together with a documentation of the major changes is given in Table C.1.

Table C.1.: TEMPEST changelog

Version	Release Date	Major Changes
1.01	29th October 2008	Initial public release
1.02	8th December 2012	Fix: Condensation process in air compartment wrong under certain hydraulic conditions (low discharge together with small pipe diameter).