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#### 1 INTRODUCTION

Weetwood has been instructed¹ by The Talbot at Chipping Ltd to undertake a Level 2 Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) for the proposed alterations and extension to the Talbot Hotel and barn in Chipping, in accordance with the requirements of Planning Policy Statement 25 (PPS25): Development and Flood Risk.

#### 1.1 SITE LOCATION

The site is located on Talbot Street in Chipping at Ordnance Survey National Grid Reference SD 6227 4335, as shown in **Figure 1**.

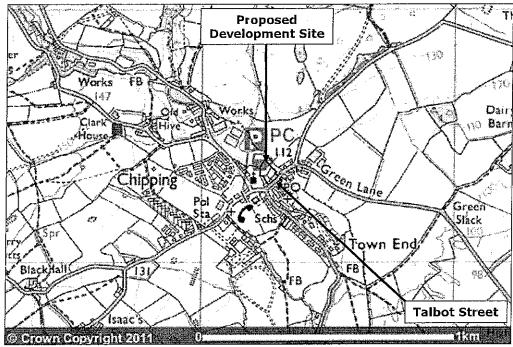


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Figure 1: Site Location

#### 1.2 EXISTING AND PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

The existing site comprises the Talbot Hotel and a barn, as shown in **Appendix A**.

The proposals are for alterations to the Talbot Hotel with an extension to the rear and redevelopment of the barn for residential use (see **Appendix B**). Hotels and residential buildings are classified as 'more vulnerable development' in Table D.2 of PPS25.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Acceptance form dated 20 July 2011, Ref: 1937/110718/CC/FP1



#### 1.3 SITE LEVELS

A topographic survey of the site was undertaken by Malcolm Hughes Land Surveyors in June 2011 and is provided in **Appendix A.** According to the topographic survey, site levels range from approximately 110.7 metres above Ordnance Datum (mAOD) in the east, to approximately 112.7 mAOD in the west. An embankment along the west boundary rises up to levels of around 115.7 to 118.6 mAOD.

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#### 2 PLANNING POLICY STATEMENT 25 (PPS25)

The aim of PPS25 is to ensure that flood risk is taken into account at all stages in the planning process and is appropriately addressed.

#### 2.1 FLOOD ZONES

Table D1 of PPS25 provides the definitions for the Flood Zones as follows:

- Flood Zone 1: Low probability. Land assessed as having a less than 1 in 1000 annual probability of river or sea flooding in any year (< 0.1%).
- Flood Zone 2: Medium Probability. Land assessed as having between a 1 in 100 and 1 in 1000 annual probability of river flooding or between a 1 in 200 and 1 in 1000 annual probability of flooding from the sea in any year.
- Flood Zone 3a: High Probability. Land assessed as having a 1 in 100 or greater annual probability of river flooding (>1%) or a 1 in 200 or greater annual probability of flooding from the sea (>0.5%) in any year.
- Flood Zone 3b: The Functional Floodplain. Land where water has to flow or be stored in times of flood. The identification of the functional floodplain should take account of local circumstance and not be defined solely on rigid probability parameters. However, land which would flood with an annual probability of 1 in 20 or greater in any year should provide a starting point for consideration and discussion.

#### 2.2 ENVIRONMENT AGENCY FLOOD MAP

According to the Environment Agency's (EA) flood map (**Figure 2**) the majority of the site is located in Flood Zone 1. Some land along the north east boundary of the site appears to be located in Flood Zones 2 and 3. The EA flood map does not differentiate between Flood Zone 3a and Flood Zone 3b. PPS25 states that a Strategic Flood Risk Assessment (SFRA) should identify this flood zone.

National generalised modelling (NGM) has been used to produce the flood outlines in the vicinity of the proposed development. NGM is used by the EA to generate flood outlines when more detailed flood modelling and mapping is not available. NGM has a number of limitations which can result in inaccuracies in the flood outlines. The EA has further advised that, although more detailed modelling of this reach of Chipping Brook is planned, no timescale has been set for commencement of the modelling. An e-mail from the EA dated 8 April 2011 states "The proposed modelling for the Chipping area will not take place this financial year". The EA Development and Flood Risk Officer was asked whether a FRA could be prepared based on existing information (including estimating the 1 in 100 year water levels by comparison of the NGM flood outlines with the topographic survey). The EA responded by stating that "I am prepared to accept an estimated 100 year flood flow in your FRA".

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> E-mail from C Welsby (EA) to C Cornmell (Weetwood) dated 18 July2011



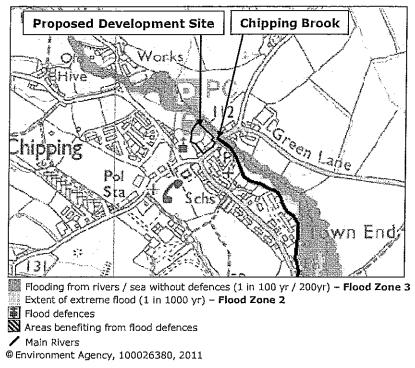


Figure 2: Environment Agency Flood Map

**Figure 3** shows the NGM flood outlines superimposed on an aerial photograph of the site. This is for illustrative purposes only and it does appear to confirm that the northeast boundary of the site is located in Flood Zones 2 and 3.

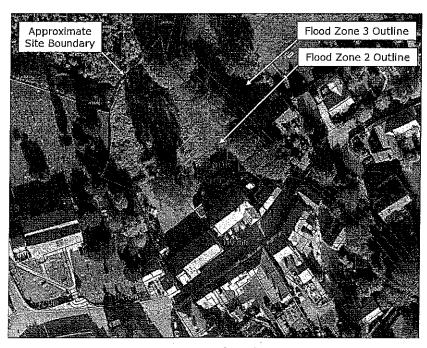


Figure 3: Zone 2 and 3 Flood Outlines

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#### 2.3 STRATEGIC FLOOD RISK ASSESSMENT

A Level 1 SFRA was published by Ribble Valley Borough Council (RVBC) in May 2010. The SFRA has been reviewed and the information therein has been used to inform this FRA.

#### 2.4 SEQUENTIAL TEST

The aim of the Sequential Test (as outlined in Annex D of PPS25 and Chapter 4 of the PPS25 Practice Guide) is to encourage preference to be given to locating new development in areas at the lowest probability of flooding (i.e. Flood Zone 1). The Sequential Test requirements at the site are discussed in further detail in **Section 3.1**.

#### 2.5 EXCEPTION TEST

The Exception Test should be applied for 'more vulnerable' development within Flood Zone 3. Although the hotel is classified as a 'more vulnerable' development, it should be noted that the parts of the hotel extension which appear to be located within Flood Zone 3 are a store room, function room and kitchen. Buildings used for storage, assembly, leisure, restaurants and cafés are classified as 'less vulnerable' development according to Table D.2 of PPS25. The Exception Test requirements are also discussed in further detail in **Section 3.1**.



#### 3 FLOOD RISK

#### 3.1 CHIPPING BROOK

Chipping Brook flows in a south-easterly direction along the north east boundary of the site.

#### 3.1.1 Estimated Water Level and Flood Zone Classification

As discussed, the EA flood outlines in the vicinity of the proposed development site as shown in **Figures 2** and **3** have been produced by NGM. The 1 in 100 year and 1 in 1,000 year flood levels have been estimated by superimposing the current EA flood map onto the topographic survey of the site in **Appendix B**. The results are shown in **Figure 4**.

The maximum ground level within the EA's flood outline in the vicinity of the proposed extension is 111.24mAOD. The level falls to 110.68mAOD in the south (i.e. downstream end) of the site. The 1 in 100 year water level is between 111.24mAOD and 110.68mAOD and has been estimated as 111.00mAOD. Likewise, the 1 in 1,000 year flood level at the site is estimated at 111.12mAOD.

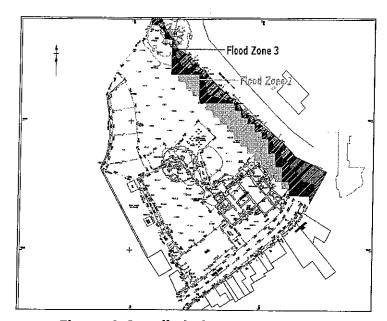


Figure 4: Detailed Site Flood Outlines

#### 3.1.2 Discussion of Results

The barn, existing hotel and the majority of the proposed hotel extension are shown to be located in Flood Zone 1. These aspects of the development therefore satisfy the Sequential Test.

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A small portion of the extension will be located within Flood Zones 2 and 3. Paragraph 4.14 of the SFRA states "Following discussion with the EA, it is proposed that all rural/undeveloped sites within Flood Zone 3 should, at this stage, be identified as "potential" Flood Zone 3b". The site is, however, already developed and therefore does not meet this definition for "potential" Flood Zone 3b areas. It is concluded that the areas of the site within Flood Zone 3 should be classified as Zone 3a.

The parts of the hotel extension which are located within Flood Zone 3 are a store room, function room and kitchen. This type of development is classified as 'less vulnerable' development according to Table D.2 of PPS25. The proposed extension cannot be located entirely outside of Flood Zone 3 due to other constraints at the site, particularly the root protection zones for the trees within the site. As the development cannot be located elsewhere, it is concluded that the requirements of the Sequential Test are satisfied. The Exception Test is not required for "less vulnerable" development within Flood Zone 3.

#### 3.1.3 Historical Flood Records

The EA confirmed<sup>3</sup> that they do not hold any records of historic flooding at the site. No historic flood records for Chipping are recorded in the SFRA (paragraph 4.4 and Table 1 of the SFRA).

The British Hydrological Society (BHS) Chronology has one record of flooding in Chipping in 1851, as follows:

"In the summer of 1851 Chipping was hit by a destructive and unique flood. The flood was quick, localised and all but put John Evans [the owner of Kirk Mill] out of business. Alfred Weld, a local landowner, later recalled that 'when the flood came down, it presented a perpendicular breast of two yards in height". The flood was responsible for the gash in the flank of Parlick [Fell] and wreaked havoc throughout the village. Pots and pans were carried down the valley; Kirk Mill was four feet six inches deep in water. A mark was left on the side of the Talbot [inn] at the flood's highest point. Wooden bridges over Chipping Brook were washed away and the stone bridges were severely damaged."

This event occurred 160 years ago and no details of the contributing factors which caused this flood event are available. The catchments and watercourses may have undergone significant changes since this event took place.

#### 3.2 CANAL / RESERVOIR

Paragraph C9 of PPS25 states that 'reservoir or canal flooding may occur as a result of the facility being overwhelmed and/or as a result of dam or bank failure'.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> E-mail from A Cottam (EA) to C Cornmell (Weetwood) dated 24 August 2011

<sup>4</sup> British Hydrological Society Chronology http://www.dundee.ac.uk/geography/cbhe/



The EA's 'risk of flooding from reservoirs' map indicates that the site is not at risk of flooding from reservoirs (**Figure 5**). However, a mill pond is located approximately 400m to the northwest of the site. In the event of a breach of the mill pond's retaining bank structure, flows would be intercepted by Chipping Brook. The volume of water in the pond is negligible in comparison with the flows that would be experienced in Chipping Brook. It is concluded that the site is not at risk of flooding from canal/reservoir flooding.

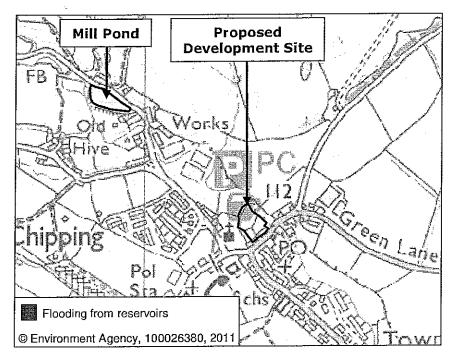


Figure 5: EA Flooding from Reservoirs Map and Mill Pond

#### 3.3 GROUNDWATER FLOODING

Groundwater flooding generally occurs during intense, long-duration rainfall events, when infiltration of rainwater into the ground raises the level of the water table until it exceeds ground levels. It is most common in low-lying areas overlain by permeable soils and permeable geology, or in areas with a naturally high water table.

The SFRA states that groundwater flooding "is not considered by the Environment Agency to be a significant flood risk factor in the RVBC area".

The British Geological Society Groundwater Flooding Susceptibility Map (**Figure 6**) indicates that the site is at low susceptibility to groundwater flooding.

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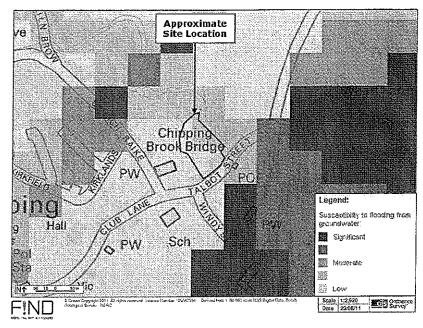


Figure 6: Susceptibility to flooding from groundwater

#### 3.4 SURFACE WATER FLOODING

Surface water flooding comprises *pluvial flooding*, *sewer flooding* and flooding from *highway drains and gullies*.

#### 3.4.1 Pluvial Flooding

Pluvial flooding results from rainfall-generated overland flow, before the runoff enters any watercourse or sewer, or where the sewerage/drainage systems and watercourses are overwhelmed and therefore unable to accept surface water. Pluvial flooding is usually associated with high intensity rainfall events but may also occur with lower intensity rainfall where the ground is saturated, developed or otherwise has low permeability resulting in overland flow and ponding within depressions in the topography.

The Soilscapes maps produced by the National Soils Research Institute at Cranfield University<sup>5</sup> indicates that the site is located on slowly permeable, seasonally wet loamy and clayey soil, with impeded drainage. However, Chipping Brook is located along the northeast boundary of the site, therefore any overland flow of floodwaters would be expected to be directed into Chipping Brook.

#### 3.4.2 Sewer Flooding

Sewer flooding occurs when the capacity of underground sewerage systems is exceeded, resulting in flooding inside and outside of buildings. Normal discharge of sewers and drains through outfalls may be impeded by high water levels in receiving waters.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Soilscapes http://www.landis.org.uk/soilscapes/



United Utilities (UU) stated in an e-mail dated 28 July 2011 "we have no record of public sewer flooding of properties in this vicinity as a result of overloaded sewers... i.e. no properties on the 'at risk' register as compiled for our Regulator.."

#### 3.4.3 Flooding from Highway Drains and Gullies

Lancashire County Council confirmed in an e-mail dated 28 July 2011 "There are no known problems with the highway drainage on Talbot Street in Chipping."

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#### 4 MITIGATION MEASURES

#### 4.1 FLOOD MITIGATION

Recognising that the proposals are to extend the existing hotel, the client has indicated that the finished floor level of the proposed buildings needs to be set at 111.60 mAOD in order to match the floor level of the existing building. This level is 600mm above the estimated 1 in 100 year flood level determined in **Section 3.1**.

#### 4.2 COMPENSATORY STORAGE

It must be shown that there will be no loss of flood storage capacity at the site as a result of development. This is to ensure that flood risk is not increased elsewhere.

Approximately  $28m^2$  of the proposed extension footprint is shown to encroach into the existing Flood Zone 3 outline. The total volume of water that may be displaced by the proposed extension in a 1 in 100 year event has been estimated in **Table 1**. Compensatory storage must be provided elsewhere on the site to offset the loss of floodplain storage

Table 1: Compensatory Storage Volume - 1 in 100 year Flood Level

Area in FZ3 (m²)	Existing Ground Level (mAOD)	100yr Water level (mAOD)	Water Depth (m)	Potential Volume Displace (m³)
27.8	110.99	111.00	0.01	0.14

Normally, compensatory storage would only be provided for up to the 1 in 100 year plus climate change event. However, in this case the 1 in 100 year plus climate change flood level is not known. Compensatory storage should therefore be provided for up to the 1 in 1,000 year flood level in order to ensure that the proposed development does not increase flood risk elsewhere. The additional storage volume required is calculated in **Table 2**.

Table 2: Compensatory Storage Volume - 1 in 1,000 year Flood Level

Area in FZ2 (m²)	level	ievei	water Depth	Potential Volume Displaced (m³)
115.0	111.12	111.00	0.12	8.60

Recognising the calculations in **Tables 1 and 2**, land at the site post development should be re-profiled such that an additional 0.14m³ of storage is provided at a level of 110.99-111.00mAOD and an additional 8.60m³ of storage is provided at a level of 111.00-111.12mAOD.



An area currently outside of (but with connectivity to) Flood Zone 3 is required for compensatory storage. An area to the north of the proposed extension (as shown in red in **Figure 7**) should be lowered in order to provide compensatory flood storage. Some re-profiling within the Flood Zone 3 area may be required to ensure that floodwaters would naturally return to the channel. An alternative location may need to be found if excavations at this point would have a detrimental impact on tree roots.

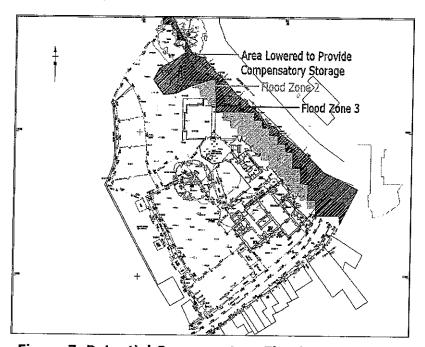


Figure 7: Potential Compensatory Flood Storage Area

#### 4.3 ACCESS AND EGRESS

Dry access and egress to the site can be provided via Talbot Street, which runs west into areas outside the floodplain.

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#### **5** SURFACE WATER

#### 5.1 REQUIREMENTS FOR SURFACE WATER DRAINAGE AT THE SITE

PPS25 recommends that surface water arising from the developed site should, as far as is practicable, be managed in a sustainable manner to mimic the surface water flows arising from the site prior to the proposed development.

Recognising this, and the requirements of the EA6, Building Regulations Approved Document H, the Code for Sustainable Homes Technical Guide (Category 4) and the requirement placed upon local planning authorities in PPS25 to promote the use of Sustainable Drainage Systems (SUDS), surface water runoff from the proposed site should demonstrate:

- no increase in existing flow rates discharged to watercourse/public sewer
- the use of SUDS as the preferred method of dealing with surface water
- how runoff up to the 1 in 100 year event plus an allowance for climate change will be dealt with without increasing flood risk elsewhere

#### 5.2 SITE AREAS

The existing and proposed impermeable and permeable areas at the site are shown in **Table 3**. This indicates that the extent of impermeable area at the site will increase by 0.134ha following redevelopment.

Table 3: Site Areas

	Existing Site	Redeveloped Site
Impermeable Area (ha)	0.222	0.356
Permeable Area (ha)	0.248	0.114
TOTAL	0.470	0.470

#### 5.3 SURFACE WATER RUNOFF FROM THE EXISTING SITE

The UU public sewer record indicates that a combined sewer is located along the north-east boundary of the site. However it is assumed that surface water is more likely to be discharge directly into Chipping Brook.

#### 5.3.1 Runoff from Existing Site

The Modified Rational Method' has been used to calculate the runoff from the impermeable surfaces at the existing site, as detailed in **Appendix C**. The greenfield site runoff rate has been calculated using the ICP SUDS method within Micro Drainage, as detailed in **Appendix D**. The total peak runoff rates from the existing site are shown in **Table 4**...

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Preliminary Rainfall Runoff Management for Developments, R&D Technical Report W5-074/A/TR/1 Revision C, 2005

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> The Wallingford Procedure, Volume 4, 1981



Table 4: Total Peak Runoff Rate from Existing Site

	Impermeable		Total Peak Runoff Rate from Existing Site (I/s)
1 in 2 year	46.9	0.5	47.4
1 in 30 year	84.7	0.9	85.6
1 in 100 year	106.3	1.1	107.4

#### 5.4 SURFACE WATER RUNOFF FROM THE REDEVELOPED SITE

The following sections describe how surface water runoff from the redeveloped site may be managed in line with the requirements of PPS25.

#### 5.4.1 Surface Water Discharge Rate

Paragraph F10 of PPS25 states that the surface water drainage arrangements for any site should be such that the peak flow rates of surface water leaving a developed site are no greater than the rates prior to the proposed development.

It is proposed to limit runoff rates from the proposed impermeable areas to **46.9 I/s.** This is the existing 1 in 2 year flow rate from the existing impermeable areas, as calculated in **Appendix C** and shown in **Table 4.** This will ensure that rates of runoff from the site do not increase following redevelopment. The drainage system for the proposed site will be designed to manage flows in up to the 1 in 100 year event including an allowance for climate change. The existing permeable areas will continue to drain at greenfield runoff rates.

The total proposed peak runoff rates from the site following redevelopment are shown in **Table 5**...

Table 5: Total Peak Runoff Rate from Proposed Site

			Total Peak Runoff Rate from Proposed
		area (l/s)	
1 in 2 year	46.9	0.2	47.1
1 in 30 year	46.9	0.4	47.3
1 in 100 year	46.9	0.5	47.4

Comparison of the total peak runoff rates from the existing site (**Table 4**) with those from the redeveloped site (**Table 5**) indicates that redevelopment will provide for significant betterment in terms of reduced surface water flows as encouraged by PPS25.

#### 5.4.2 Disposal of Surface Water

Building Regulations Approved Document Part H sets out a hierarchy of preferred methods for the disposal of surface water runoff. These are listed below in order of preference:

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- 1. Disposal by infiltration
- 2. Disposal to a watercourse
- 3. Disposal to a public sewer®

#### 5.4.2.1 Infiltration

According to the Soilscapes maps produced by the National Soils Research Institute at the Cranfield University, soil conditions at the site are described as "slowly permeable seasonally wet acid loamy and clayey soils, with impeded drainage". No additional soakaway tests or site investigation work has been undertaken at the site.

On the basis of the above, infiltration methods are not considered suitable for the disposal of surface water from the site.

#### 5.4.2.2 Discharge to Watercourse

It is assumed that runoff from the existing site currently discharges into Chipping Brook. As recommended by the building regulations hierarchy, in the absence of suitable conditions for infiltration, surface water from the developed site shall be discharged in to Chipping Brook.

Land drainage consent will be needed for any new outfalls.

#### 5.4.3 SUDS Options and Storage Calculations

In order to restrict runoff rates from the proposed impermeable areas as set out in **Section 5.4.1**, attenuation storage will be provided. SUDS elements may be used to provide the required storage.

SUDS aim to mimic natural drainage and can achieve multiple objectives such as removing pollutants from urban runoff at source, controlling surface water runoff from developments, ensuring that flood risk is not increased further downstream and combining water management with green space which can increase amenity and biodiversity value. Typical SUDS components include surface or subsurface storage with flow limiting devices, roadside swales, detention basins and infiltration areas or soakaways.

The surface water storage facilities described in the following sections have been modelled using the *Detailed Design* module of Micro Drainage Source Control.

#### 5.4.3.1 Storage Volume Calculation

The required storage volume has been sized to store the 1 in 100 year storm event including a 30% increase in rainfall intensity in order to allow for climate change in accordance with Table B.2 of PPS25. The parameters used in the storage calculation along with the Micro Drainage Source Control output results are shown in **Appendix E** which indicates that a storage volume of 61.7m³ would be required.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Building Regulations Approved Document H Section 3 page 45

<sup>9</sup> http://www.landis.org.uk/soilscapes/



The development will provide 42 no car parking spaces occupying an area of around 480m². A porous sub base with 30% porosity and 450mm deep would provide 64.8m³ of storage.

Alternatively, cellular storage could be provided beneath the proposed parking areas. The depth of storage units modelled is 520mm. The results are provided in **Appendix F** and indicate a storage volume requirement of 47.5m<sup>3</sup> with the storage units filling to a depth of 0.104m.

#### 5.4.4 Maintenance of SUDS

PPS25 requires that the ownership and responsibility for maintenance of SuDS elements should be clear. In the past local planning authorities (LPAs) and water companies have been reluctant to adopt SuDS. With no arrangements in place that require LPAs or water companies to adopt, SuDS maintenance has been the responsibility of the developer.

The Flood and Water Management Act (2010) received Royal Assent on 8 April 2010 and is being implemented through a series of Commencement Orders (Statutory Instruments). Section 32 introduces Schedule 3: Sustainable Drainage. This introduces:

- New standards for the design, construction, operation and maintenance of new rainwater drainage systems
- A new 'approving body' (generally a unitary, county or county borough local authority)
- A requirement for the approving body to approve most types of rainwater drainage system before any construction work with drainage implications can start, subject to: (i) the system being constructed in line with an approved drainage plan to national standards; (ii) the approving body being satisfied the drainage system has been built and functions in accordance with the drainage plan, and (iii) the system being a sustainable drainage system, as defined by regulations.

However, this provision is awaiting commencement following further work by Defra on arrangements for adoption and maintenance of SuDs, including technical guidance...

In the meantime, other options for maintenance of SuDS include:

- SUDS elements within the site boundary (e.g. cellular storage) will be the responsibility of the owner of the site.
- The pipe network, designed to Sewers for Adoption (6<sup>th</sup> edition) standard, will be adopted by the sewerage undertaker.

#### 5.4.5 Final Drainage Layout

The purpose of this FRA is to demonstrate that a surface water drainage strategy is feasible for the site given the development proposals and the land available.

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This FRA has demonstrated that, not only can the required storage be accommodated within the site layout, but that various options are feasible and ample land is available, providing flexibility for the final drainage solution. A final decision on the types of storage to be provided will be made at the detailed drainage design stage.



#### 6 CONCLUSIONS

There are proposals for alterations to the Talbot Hotel with an extension to the rear, and redevelopment of the barn for residential use on an area of land located to the rear of the existing Talbot Hotel, in Chipping.

According to the EA's flood map the majority of the proposed development site is located within Flood Zone 1. However, both Flood Zones 2 and 3 encroach partially into the eastern boundary of the site, adjacent to the watercourse.

Chipping Brook flows in a south-easterly direction adjacent to the north-eastern boundary of the site. The Flood Zones have been derived from the EA's NGM and are subject to some uncertainty. A detailed hydraulic model of the Chipping Brook is due to be commissioned by the EA but no modelled data is available to support this study.

The site is considered to be at a low risk of reservoir/canal, groundwater and surface water flooding.

It is recommended that Finished Floor Levels are set to a minimum of 111.60 mAOD. This will provide a 0.6m of freeboard above the estimated 1 in 100 year flood levels.

The footprint of the proposed hotel extension will encroach in to the existing Flood Zone 3 outline. From the development plans, an estimation of the total volume of flood plain lost as a result of the development was found to be  $8.74 \, \mathrm{m}^3$  for the 1 in 1,000 year event.

The required compensatory storage could be provided by lowering an area to the north of the proposed extension.

Dry access and egress to the proposed site is expected to be maintained following redevelopment.

It is proposed to limit runoff rates from the proposed impermeable areas to the existing 1 in 2 year flow rate, with storage provided for the 1 in 100 year event including an allowance for climate change. A scheme for the provision and implementation of a surface water regulation system following the principles set out in this FRA should be submitted to and approved in writing by the LPA, prior to the commencement of development.



#### 7 RECOMMENDATIONS

This FRA has demonstrated that the proposed development may be completed without conflicting with the requirements of PPS25 subject to the following:

- Finished floor levels to be set at a minimum of 111.60 mAOD
- Compensatory storage should be provided in accordance with the principles set down in this FRA
- The detailed drainage design, developed in accordance with the principles set down in this FRA, should be submitted to and approved by the local planning authority prior to the commencement of development

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Development Proposals

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**APPENDIX B:** 

Topographic Survey



#### APPENDIX C: Modified Rational Method Calculation

The Modified Rational Method<sup>10</sup> has been used to calculate the runoff from the impermeable surfaces at the existing site.

The following parameters have been obtained from the maps in Volume 3 of the Wallingford Procedure:

M5-60 minute rainfall depth:

Ratio of M5-60 to M5-2 day rainfall:

Average Annual Rainfall:

Winter Rain Acceptance Potential/ Soil Type:

The Urban Catchment Wetness Index (UCWI) value:

19 mm

0.3

1300 mm

0.4

The Urban Catchment Wetness Index (UCWI) value:

A time of concentration of 3.5 minutes has been used comprising a time of entry of 3 minutes and a time of flow of 0.5 minutes.

A rainfall estimation calculation has been carried out to convert the M5-60 minute rainfall to the 5-minute duration rainfall for the 1 in 2 year, 1 in 30 year and 1 in 100 year return period events. The calculated rainfall intensities for these events are 68.6, 123.9 and 155.5 mm/hr respectively.

The flow rate as given by the Modified Rational Method is:

#### $Q=2.78 \times C_v \times C_r \times rainfall$ intensity x impermeable area

#### where:

 $C_{\nu}$  is the volumetric runoff coefficient =  $P_r/PIMP$  = 0.85 where  $P_r$  is Percentage Runoff and PIMP is Percentage Impermeable Area  $C_r$  is the routing coefficient = 1.3 Impermeable Area = 0.222 ha

The flow rates for the impermeable areas at the existing site are shown in the table below.

#### Flow Rates for Impermeable Areas, Existing Site

Return Period	Flow Rate for 0.222 ha impermeable area (1/s)
1 in 2 year	46.9
1 in 30 year	84.7
1 in 100 year	106.3

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> The Wallingford Procedure, Volume 4, 1981

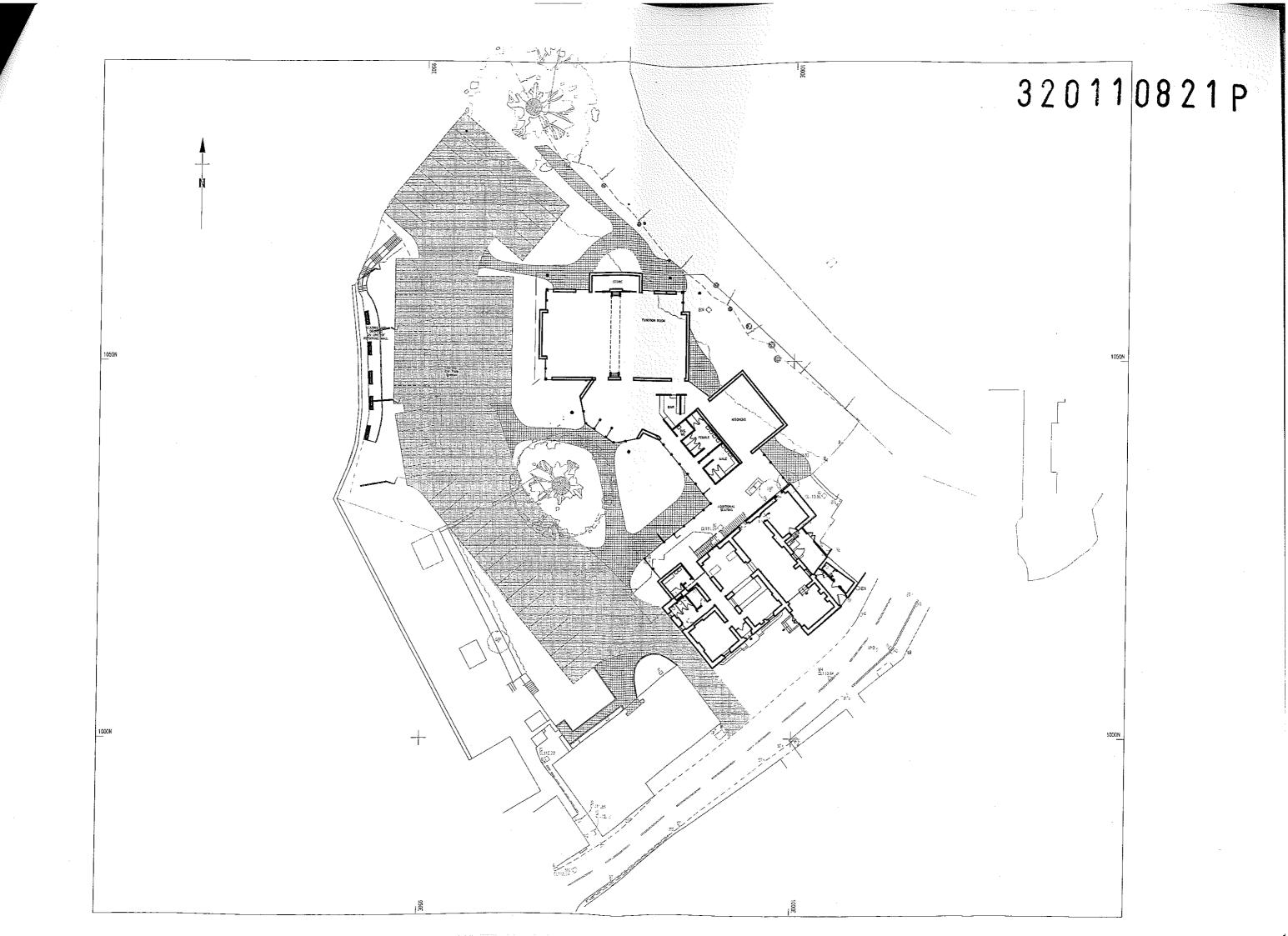
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APPENDIX D:

MicroDrainage Outputs for Greenfield Runoff





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#### Input

Return Period (years) Area (Ha)	100 0248			Urban Region Number	0.000
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		QBAR Rural QBAR Urban			
	Q	100 years	4 7		
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#### Summary of Results for 100 year Return Period (+30%)

	Storm	Max	Max	Max	Max	Status
	Event	Level	Depth	Control	Volume	
		(m)	(m)	(1/s)	(m³)	
15	min Summer	r 0 765	0.765	46.7	47.3	0 K
30	min Summer	r 0.893	0.893	46.7	55.2	ОК
60	min Summer	0.889	0.889	46.7	54.9	ок
120	min Summer	0.710	0.710	46.7	43.9	ок
180	min Summer	0 532	0 532	46.6	32.9	ок
240	min Summer	0.420	0.420	44.5	25.9	ок
360	min Summer	0.308	0308	38.1	190	ОК
480	min Summer	0.255	0.255	32.3	15.8	O K
600	min Summer	0.223	0.223	28.1	13.8	ОК
720	min Summer	0 201	0.201	24.8	12.4	ОК
960	min Summer	0.171	0.171	20.3	10.6	0 K
1440	min Summer	0.137	0.137	15 1	B 4	OK
2160	min Summer	0 110	0.110	111	6.B	ок
2880	min Summer	0.095	0095	9.0	5.9	ОК
4320	min Summer	0.077	0.077	6.6	4.8	O K
5760	min Summer	0.067	0.067	5.3	4.1	ОК
7200	min Summer	0 060	0 060	4.5	3.7	ОК
8640	min Summer	0.055	0.055	3.9	3.4	ОК
10080	min Summer	0.051	0.051	3.5	3.2	OK
15	min Winter	0 874	0.874	46.7	54.0	ок
30	min Winter	0 999	0 999	46.8	61 7	ОК
60	min Winter	0 939	0.939	46.6	58.0	OK
120	min Winter	0.626	0.626	46 7	38.7	ок

	Sto	-m	Rain	Iime-Peak
	Ever	it	(mm/hr)	(mins)
15	min	Summer	109 649	14
30	min	Summer	75.673	22
60	min	Summer	49.937	40
120	min	Summer	31.760	72
180	min	Summer	23941	102
240	min	Summer	19.434	130
360	min	Summer	14 501	188
480	min	Summer	11 758	248
600	min	Summer	9.982	308
720	min	Summer	8.726	368
960	min	Summer	7.050	490
1440	min	Summer	5 206	734
2160	min	Summer	3.834	1100
2880	min	Summer	3.080	1460
4320	min	Summer	2.259	2172
5760	min	Summer	1 816	2904
7200	min	Summer	1533	3656
B640	min	Summer	1.335	4288
08001	min	Summer	1.188	4992
15	min	Winter	109 649	15
30	min	Winter	75.673	24
60	min	Winter	49.937	42
120	min	Winter	37 760	74

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#### Summary of Results for 100 year Return Period (+30%)

	Stor		Max Level (m)	Max Depth (m)	Max Control (1/s)	Max Volume (m³)	Status
180	min	Winter	0.413	0.413	44.2	25 5	O K
240	min	Winter	0315	0.315	38.7	195	ОК
360	min	Winter	0.237	0.237	29.9	14.6	ок
480	min	Winter	0.198	0.198	24.5	12.2	O K
600	min	Winter	0 174	0.174	20.8	10.8	ОК
720	min	Winter	0.157	0.157	18 2	9.7	ОК
960	mi.11	Winter	0.135	0135	14.8	B3	0 K
1440	min	Winter	0.109	0.109	10.9	6.7	O K
2160	min	Winter	0089	0.089	8.1	5.5	ОК
2880	min	Winter	0.077	0.077	6.5	4.7	OK
4320	min	Winter	0.063	0063	4.8	3.9	0 K
5760	min	Winter	0054	0.054	38	3.4	ОК
7200	min	Winter	0.049	0.049	3.2	3 0	ОК
8640	min	Winter	0.045	0.045	2.8	2.8	0 K
10080	min '	Winter	0.042	0.042	2 5	2.6	O K

	Stor	TER.	Rain	Time-Peak
	Ever	t	(mm/hr)	(mins)
180	min	Winter	23.941	102
240	min	Winter	19.434	130
360	min	Winter	14.501	188
480	min	Winter	11.758	248
600	min	Winter	9.982	308
720	min	Winter	8 726	368
960	min	Winter	7050	488
1440	min	Winter	5206	734
2160	min	Winter	3.834	1088
2880	$\min$	Winter	3.080	1448
4320	min	Winter	2.259	2156
5760	min	Winter	1.816	2936
7200	min	Winter	1 533	3624
8640	min	Winter	1.335	4288
0800	min	Winter	1.188	4976

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#### Rainfall Details

Yes	Winter Storms	FSR	Rainfall Model
0.750	Cv (Summer)	100	Return Period (years)
0.840	Cv (Winter)	England and Wales	Region
15	Shortest Storm (mins)	19.000	M5-60 (mm)
10080	Iongest Storm (mins)	0.300	Ratio R
<b>+30</b>	Climate Change &	Ver	Cummer Storms

#### Time / Area Diagram

Iotal Area (ha) 0 356

Time Area (mins) (ha)

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#### Model Details

Storage is Online Cover Level (m) 1.500

#### Tank or Pond Structure

Invert Level (m) 0.000

							,
Depth (m)	Area (m²)						
0 000	61.8	0700	61.8	1.400	61.8	2.100	618
0100	61.8	0.800	61.8	1500	61.8	2.200	61.8
0.200	61.8	0.900	618	1.600	618	2.300	61.8
0.300	61.8	1 000	61.8	1.700	61.8	2 400	61.8
0.400	61.8	1100	61.B	1.800	61.8	2.500	61.8
0 500	61.8	1.200	61.8	1 900	61 8		
0.600	61 8	1.300	61.8	2.000	61.8		

#### Hydro-Brake® Outflow Control

Design Head (m) 1.000 Hydro-Brake® Type Md5 SW Only Invert Level (m) 0.000 Design Flow (1/s) 46.9 Diameter (mm) 268

Depth (m)	Flow (1/s)						
0.100	9.7	1 200	49.1	3 000	74.9	7000	114.4
0.200	24.7	1 400	51.9	3500	80.9	7.500	118.4
0 300	37.3	1 600	550	4.000	86 5	8.000	122.3
0.400	43.7	1.800	58.2	4.500	91.7	8.500	126 0
0.500	46 3	2 000	61.2	5 000	96.7	9 000	129 7
0.600	46.7	2 200	64 1	5.500	101.4	9.500	133.2
0.800	46.0	2.400	67.0	6.000	105.9		
1.000	46.8	2.600	69.7	6.500	110.2		

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#### Summary of Results for 100 year Return Period (+30%)

#### Half Drain Time : 11 minutes.

	Storm Event		Max Level (m)	Max Depth (m)	Max Infiltration (1/s)	Max Control (1/s)	Max Σ Outflow (1/s)	Max Volume (m³)	Status
15	min :	Summer	0.080	0 080	0 0	46.6	46.6	36.6	ок
30	min :	Summer	0090	0090	00	467	46.7	409	ок
60	min s	Summer	0.085	0.085	0 0	46.6	46 6	38.7	ок
120	min s	Summer	0.056	0 056	0.0	46.4	46.4	25 5	ок
180	min 9	Summer	0.029	0.029	0.0	46.3	46 3	13.1	ок
240	min S	Summer	0.010	0.010	0 0	46.2	46.2	4.5	ок
360	min 9	Summer	0.000	0000	0.0	42.2	42.2	0 0	ок
480	min S	Summer	0.000	0.000	0.0	34.2	34.2	0.0	ОК
600	min S	Summer	0.000	0.000	0.0	29.0	29 0	0.0	ок
720	min S	Summer	0 000	0000	0.0	25.4	25.4	0 0	ок
960	min S	Summer	0.000	0.000	0.0	20.5	20.5	0.0	ок
1440	min S	Summer	0.000	0000	0.0	15.1	15 1	0 0	ок
2160	min S	Summer	0.000	0.000	0.0	111	11.1	0.0	ок
2880	min S	ummer	0.000	0.000	0.0	9.0	9.0	0.0	ок
4320	min S	ummer	0.000	0000	0.0	6.6	6.6	0.0	ок
5760	min S	Summer	0 000	0.000	0.0	5.3	5.3	0.0	ОК
7200	min S	ummer	0.000	0.000	0 0	4.5	4.5	0.0	ОК
8640	min S	ummer	0.000	0.000	0 0	3.9	3 9	0 0	ок
10080	min S	ummer	0 000	0.000	0.0	3.5	3 5	0.0	ок
15	min W	inter	0.096	0.096	0 0	46.7	46 7	43 7	ок
30	min W	inter	0.104	0 104	0.0	46.8	46.8	475	ок
60	min W	inter	0 089	0.089	0.0	46.7	46.7	40.7	o K

Storm	Rain	Time-Peak
Event	(mm/hr)	(mins)
	, ,,	,
15 min Summ	er 109 649	14
30 min Summ	er 75 673	22
60 min Summ	er 49 937	40
120 min Summ	er 31.760	72
180 min Summ	er 23 941	102
240 min Summ	er 19 434	128
360 min Summe	er 14.501	0
480 min Summe	er 11 758	0
600 min Summe	er 9 982	0
720 min Summe	er 8.726	0
960 min Summe	er 7 050	0
1440 min Summe	er 5.206	0
2160 min Summe	r 3.834	0
2880 min Summe	er 3 080	0
4320 min Summe	er 2 259	0
5760 min Summe	r 1.816	0
7200 min Summe	r 1.533	0
3640 min Summe	r 1335	0
0080 min Summe	r 1.188	0
15 min Winte	r 109.649	14
30 min Winte	r 75 673	24
60 min Winte	r 49 937	42

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#### Summary of Results for 100 year Return Period (+30%)

	Storm		Max Level (m)	Max Depth (m)	Max Infiltration (1/s)	Max Control (1/s)	Max E Outflow (1/s)	Max Volume (m³)	Status
120	min	Winter	0041	0.041	0.0	464	46.4	18 6	OK
180	min '	Winter	0.005	0.005	0.0	46.2	46.2	2.4	ок
240	min '	Winter	0.000	0.000	0 0	40.8	40.8	0.0	ок
360	min '	Winter	0.000	0000	0.0	305	30 5	0.0	ок
480	min '	Winter	0.000	0.000	0.0	24.7	24.7	0.0	ОК
600	min 1	Winter	0.000	0.000	0.0	21.0	21.0	0.0	ок
720	min 1	Winter	0.000	0 000	0.0	18.3	18.3	0.0	O K
960	mi,n 1	Winter	0 000	0 000	0.0	14.8	14.8	0.0	ок
1440	min 1	Winter	0 000	0.000	0.0	10.9	10 9	0 0	ОК
2160	min )	Winter	0.000	0.000	0.0	8.1	8.1	0.0	O K
2880	min I	Winter	0.000	0.000	0.0	6.5	6.5	0.0	0 K
4320	min 1	Winter	0.000	0.000	0 0	4.7	47	0.0	O K
5760	min 1	Winter	0 000	0.000	0 0	3.8	3.8	0.0	O K
7200	min W	Winter	0.000	0.000	0.0	3 2	3.2	0.0	OK
8640	min V	Winter	0.000	0.000	0.0	2.8	2.8	0.0	о к
10080	min W	Winter	0.000	0 000	0 0	2 5	25	0 0	O K

	Stor Even		Rain (zm/hr)	Time-Peak (mins)
120	min	Winter	31.760	74
180	min	Winter	23.941	100
240	min	Winter	19.434	0
360	min	Winter	14.501	0
480	min	Winter	11.758	٥
600	min	Winter	9.982	0
720	min	Winter	8 726	0
960	min	Winter	7.050	0
1440	$\min$	Winter	5 206	0
2160	min	Winter	3.834	0
2880	min	Winter	3 080	0
4320	min	Winter	2.259	0
5760	$\min$	Winter	1.816	٥
7200	min	Winter	1.533	0
8640	min	Winter	1 335	0
0080	min	Winter	1.188	0

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#### Rainfall Details

Rainfall Model	FSR	Winter Storms	Yes
Return Period (years)	100	Cv (Summer)	0750
Region	England and Wales	Cv (Winter)	0.840
M5-60 (mm)	19.000	Shortest Storm (mins)	15
Ratio R	0.300	Longest Storm (mins)	10080
Summer Storms	Yes	Climate Change %	+30

#### Time / Area Diagram

Total Area (ha) 0 356

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#### Model Details

Storage is Online Cover Level (m) 0.720

#### Cellular Storage Structure

Invert Level (m) 0.000 Safety Factor 2.0
Infiltration Coefficient Base (m/hr) 0.0000 Porosity 0.95
Infiltration Coefficient Side (m/hr) 0.0000

Depth (m)	Area (m²)	Inf. Area (m²)	Depth (m)	Area (m²)	Inf. Area (m²)
0.000	480.0	0 0	0.500	480 0	0.6
0 100	480.0	0.0	0.600	0 0	0.0
0.200	480.0	0.0	0 700	0.0	0.0
0.300	480.0	0.0	0.800	0 0	0.0
0.400	480.0	0.0			

#### Hydro-Brake® Outflow Control

Design Head (m) 1.000 Hydro-Brake® Type MdS SW Only Invert Level (m) -0.890 Design Flow (1/s) 46.9 Diameter (mm) 268

Depth (m)	Flow (1/s)						
0.100	9.7	1.200	49.1	3.000	74 9	7 000	114.4
0.200	24.7	1.400	51.9	3.500	80.9	7.500	118 4
0.300	37.3	1 600	55 0	4 000	86 5	8 000	122.3
0.400	43.7	1 800	58.2	4.500	91.7	8.500	126.0
0 500	46.3	2 000	612	5.000	96 7	9 000	129.7
0 600	46.7	2 200	64.1	5 500	101 4	9 500	133.2
0.800	46 0	2.400	67.0	6 000	105 9		203.2
1.000	46.8	2.600	69.7	6.500	110 2		

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