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# **Water Infiltration Test Report**

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# 1. Introduction

In accordance with your instruction Geoinvestigate Ltd. carried out water infiltration testing at the above location on 16th June 2020.

It is understood that development is planned in the form of two relatively small extensions to the existing buildings. The approximate footprints of the proposed extensions are shown on the site plan in Appendix 1. Geoinvestigate Ltd. were asked to investigate the permeability of soils to assist in decision making and design regarding the potential use of soakaways for water disposal and, if feasible, to assist in their design.

To this end, two means of investigation have been undertaken:

- 1. Water infiltration testing according to BS 5930 "falling head tests in boreholes" methodology in boreholes drilled to 2.00m below current ground levels. This was undertaken to determine the permeability of soils at appropriate depths for potential future soakaway installation. Two (2) boreholes were drilled to a depth of 2.00m for infiltration testing to be undertaken, and three repeat tests undertaken in each (6 tests total).
- 2. Two boreholes were attempted to be drilled to greater depth (target 4.00m below current ground levels) to inspect the makeup of deeper soils and check for shallow groundwater (perched or otherwise). One of these boreholes reached 3.00m before meeting refusal and confirmed the depth to groundwater, but the other met refusal at just 1.80m.

BGS mapping shows the site to be underlain by the Kempton Park Gravel Member (sand and gravel) with bedrock of the London Clay Formation (clay/mudstone). Alluvium is mapped to the east around and below the nearby River Thames.

A review of BGS borehole records was undertaken prior to the investigation: Records located approximately 200m-300m to the east and northeast along the route of Strawberry vale / Cross Deep (roads) show silty or sandy clay or occasionally clayey sand (which would not be expected to be permeable), with two records showing sandy gravel strata from circa 3.5m-4.0m to 8.0m which might normally offer good permeability but these were assumed to be already wet/saturated because water levels of 3.0m or 3.5m are recorded in those boreholes. A borehole record some 1000m to the west shows sand/sand and gravel to 2.05m and silty clay (London Clay) below. Again, a standing water level is shown corresponding with the potentially more permeable strata (at 1.26m), suggesting that these are probably already saturated with groundwater.

As such, prior to the investigation, it was expected that relatively impermeable clayey soils would be found, potentially underlain by saturated sands and gravels. It was therefore expected that soakaways would not be feasible for the site.



# 2. Scope of Investigation

Four (4) windowless sampling boreholes (ref. BH1-BH4) were sunk using a Dando Terrier mini drilling rig to depths of between 1.80m and 3.00m below the current ground levels to carry out infiltration testing or attempt to inspect deeper ground conditions at the locations also shown on the included site plan. Boreholes BH1 and BH2 were sunk to a depth of 2.00m for infiltration testing, and boreholes BH3 and BH4 were attempted to be sunk to a depth of 4.00m but both met refusal at 3.00m and 1.80m respectively.

Information on the ground conditions revealed by the excavations is presented on the borehole logs which are included in Appendix 1 of this report. Their locations are shown on the plan also included in Appendix 1.

Calculations of water infiltration rates are included in Appendix 2. Water infiltration tests 1, 2 and 3 were carried out in BH1 and Tests 4, 5 and 6 were carried out in BH2.

Two soakaway design calculations have been carried out for the site; one for each of the proposed building extensions. The footprints of the proposed extensions have been estimated and appropriate design dimensions for simple rectangular, gravel-filled soakaways have been determined. The calculation sheets are presented in Appendix 3.

# 3. Investigation Findings

#### 3.1 Ground Conditions Encountered

Shallower boreholes (BH1, BH3 and BH5)

Boreholes BH1 and BH2 were sunk to a depth of 2.00m to carry out water infiltration testing.

All four of the boreholes encountered turf and topsoil comprising clayey gravelly sand to between 0.10m and 0.20m below ground level (BGL). This was underlain by made ground to 0.30m and 0.50m at BH1 and BH2 respectively. The made ground comprised sandy gravel fill, sometimes clayey.

"Loose"\* and "loose to medium dense" gravelly sand natural subsoils were then encountered in both boreholes to completion at 2.00m, with some strata at BH1 described as clayey or slightly clayey.

\*Quotation marks indicate an interpretation of strength by the attending engineer in granular strata where no SPT was possible/undertaken.

Both of these boreholes remained open and dry on completion of drilling but some collapse of the gravelly sand soils occurred when the boreholes were filled with water for the infiltration testing.

# Deeper boreholes (BH3 and BH4)

Boreholes BH3 and BH4 were intended to be sunk to a depth of 4.00m but refusal on large cobbles or simply very dense soils prevented this from being achieved.

Unsurprisingly, similar ground conditions to those at BH1 and BH2 were encountered in these boreholes with gravelly and very gravelly sand encountered to their full depths, though noted to be clayey to 1.10m BGL at BH4. The natural soils were generally medium dense and dense (and occasionally loose at



shallower depth), confirmed by Standard Penetration Tests (SPTs) undertaken at 1.00m intervals during drilling.

BH4 was relatively close to BH1 where clayey shallow strata were also encountered. As such more clayey soils might be expected in the south of the proposed development area, while the north (BH2/BH3 area) might be expected to generally contain a lower/negligible clay content, probably favouring permeability.

SPT N<sub>300</sub> values of N=6, N=52 and N=34 were returned by the tests commencing from 1.00m, 2.00m and 3.00m BGL in BH3 respectively. An N<sub>300</sub> value of N=26 was returned by the test commencing from 1.00m at BH4.

Both boreholes remained open on completion and standing water was recorded at a depth of 2.80m BGL in BH3. BH4 remained dry to its full 1.80m depth.

No water infiltration testing was carried out in BH3 or BH4

### 3.2 Water Infiltration Testing

Infiltration testing was carried out in boreholes BH1 and BH2 according to the BS 5930 "falling head tests in boreholes" method to ascertain the permeability of subsoils and assess the site's suitability for soakaways.

Three repeat tests were carried out in each of boreholes with 1.00m of borehole casing left in situ from ground level to 1.00m below ground level. The response zones for all of the tests comprised natural gravelly sand soils as described on the borehole logs below 1.00m. Infiltration tests 1, 2 and 3 were carried out in borehole BH1, and Infiltration tests 4, 5 and 6 were carried out in borehole BH2.

The water infiltration testing was carried out with an initial water level (following filling) at ground level and the rate of drop was measured against time. Each test was observed for up to 60 minutes or until complete drainage to the collapsed depth.

Both boreholes collapsed when being filled with water for the testing. The collapsed depths were used in the calculations of infiltration rates to reflect the smaller test volume/surface area.

However, given the gravelly nature of the soils it is thought relatively unlikely that total closure occurred below the depths of collapse, and more likely that directly adjacent soils collapsed inwards leaving some void space around the boreholes into which water would be displaced/draining. As such, the returned infiltration rates are expected to be slightly higher than the true permeability of the soils where significant collapse occurred. This is probably evidenced by the higher infiltration rates observed during Tests 5 and 6 in BH2 following more significant collapse after Test 4 (repeat tests will normally turn slower rates due to surcharge of surrounding soils with water). Therefore, as a conservative assumption, rather than taking a mean infiltration rate from the test results, the lowest result for each location has been used for subsequent soakaway dimension design calculations.

Full results of the tests and calculations of infiltration rates are presented in Appendix 2, and the results are summarised in Table 1 on the following page:



**Table 1: Infiltration Rates** 

Location	Test	Infiltration Rate	Lowest Infiltration Rate
	1	1.93 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> ms <sup>-1</sup>	
BH1	2	1.89 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> ms <sup>-1</sup>	1.75 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> ms <sup>-1</sup>
	3	1.75 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> ms <sup>-1</sup>	
	4	2.39 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> ms <sup>-1</sup>	
BH2	5	5.46 x 10 <sup>-5</sup> ms <sup>-1</sup>	2.39 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> ms <sup>-1</sup>
	6	9.49 x 10 <sup>-5</sup> ms <sup>-1</sup>	

For soakaways to be a feasible option, test results ought to be in the 10<sup>-6</sup> ms<sup>-1</sup> range as a minimum, with results in the order of 10<sup>-5</sup> ms<sup>-1</sup> generally being required where space might be limited and large/long trench-type soakaways will not be feasible. As such, these results are in the moderate range (10<sup>-6</sup> ms<sup>-1</sup>); soakaways are probably a feasible option, but they may need to be relatively large/long features.

## 3.3 Soakaway Design

Soakaway design calculations have been carried out for each of the two proposed extensions separately, and a combined design serving both locations has also been produced. These calculations have been done in accordance with the method set out in BRE 365\* for a simple rectangular, gravel-filled soakaway and have used the rainfall data provided in that document and the infiltration rates calculated in Appendix 2: \*2016 update, including allowance for M100 (1 in 100 year) rainfall events and the +30% volume estimate for climate change.

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Space may not be available to install a soakaway at the location of BH2 (depending on the required size) because soakaways ought to be minimum 5m from any building foundations. However, the soils at BH3 are inferred to be comparable and ample space is available here.

Based on the apparent size of the proposed structures on the site plan provided to Geoinvestigate, drained areas of  $105\text{m}^2$  (approx.  $15\text{m} \times 7\text{m}$  extension) and  $30\text{m}^2$  (approx.  $6\text{m} \times 5\text{m}$  extension) have been assumed for the soakaways in the south and north of the study area respectively (the areas of BH1/BH4 and BH2/BH3 respectively).

- Soakaway Design Calculation 1 uses the test results for BH1 and assumes that the soakaway will be placed in the BH1/BH4 area (southern half of investigation area). This is designed to serve the southern proposed extension of assumed drained area 105m<sup>2</sup>.
- Soakaway Design Calculation 2 uses the test results for BH2 and assumes that the soakaway will be placed in the BH2/BH3 area (northern half of investigation area). This is designed to serve the smaller northern proposed extension of assumed drained area 30m<sup>2</sup>.
- Soakaway Design Calculation 3 uses the test results for BH2 and assumes that the soakaway will be placed in the BH2/BH3 area (northern half of investigation area). This is designed to serve the both proposed extensions of assumed combined drained area 135m<sup>2</sup>.
- Soakaway Design Calculation 4 is as Calculation 3 but uses the lower test results for BH1 and assumes that the soakaway will be placed in the BH1/BH4 area (southern half of investigation area).

Full calculation outputs are presented in Appendix 3 and are summarised on Table 2 on the following page.



Suitable soakaway dimensions for simple rectangular, gravel-filled soakaways as described above are presented in Table 2. These designs assume the top of the soakaway will be buried at a depth of 0.50m and the soakaway will extend to 2.00m below ground level (i.e. an active depth of 1.50m). The maximum depth of 2.00m BGL has been chosen in the assumption that groundwater levels (observed at 2.80m in BH3) will probably be shallower in winter months\*.

\*No monitoring of groundwater levels is being undertaken and so it is feasible that groundwater may become even shallower than 2.00m at times. Therefore, no absolute guarantee can be offered that these soakaway designs will be fully functional year-round but these are considered to be relatively conservative estimates regardless. Monitoring may be possible by the client (see conclusions section later).

These dimensions have been concluded to be the most suitable through iteration but are not absolute and can be recalculated to suit spatial requirements on site if requested. The calculations and resultant dimensions have been manipulated to produce dimensions which will hopefully strike a useful compromise between:

- Minimising the volume of soil removal while maintaining functionality of the resultant soakaway(s).
- 2. Choosing simple dimensions ("round" numbers), making subsequent measuring and excavation simple to implement.

Table 2: Soakaway Design Parameters

Design	Extension &	Depth to top	Depth of	Total Depth	Chosen	Calculated	Comments				
Sheet	<b>Assumed Location</b>	of Soakaway (m)	Soakaway (m)	BGL (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)					
1	South Extension, at BH1/BH4				17.20	1.00	Long trench-type, 34.4m³ excavation				
2	North Extension, at BH2/BH3								2.20	2.20	Square, 9.68m³ excavation
3	BOTH Extensions Combined, at BH2/BH3	0.50	1.50	2.00	21.00	1.00	Long trench-type, 42m³ excavation. Would need to be at BH3 location.				
4	BOTH Extensions Combined, at BH1/BH4						22.00	1.00	Long trench-type, 44m³ excavation. Would need to be at BH3 location.		



# **4 Conclusions**

The water infiltration testing undertaken in boreholes BH1 and BH2 suggests that soakaways will provide a feasible option for surface water disposal at the site. The tests suggest that the soils are permeable but not necessarily highly permeable. Representative infiltration rates are in the region of 1.5x10<sup>-6</sup> to 2.5x10<sup>-6</sup> ms<sup>-1</sup>.

Example soakaway design dimensions have been calculated for both proposed extensions. The larger of the proposed extensions will require a relatively long (17m x 1m) trench-type soakaway while a smaller (2.2m) square soakaway will be suitable for the smaller extension.

These soakaway designs are of the simple rectangular gravel-filled type as described in BRE 365. Other design types are available such as concrete ring chamber-type soakaways, but a specialist drainage design consultant may be required if alternative configurations are to be explored.

Given the limited available space between the proposed extensions and the adjacent running track, it might be simpler to combine the two soakaways into one, situated in a more convenient location. Two designs for this eventuality have also been produced (see Table 2 earlier), and a trench-type soakaway of 21m or 22m x 1.0m would be suitable, depending on location. Where space for such features exists, more permeable soils are expected to be present in the greenspace to the north (at BH3) than perhaps below the playing fields to the south (close to BH4).

There also remains the potential to include other SUDS features in the development such as attenuation tanks/ponds to prevent high outflow during periods of high rainfall, and/or incorporating green roofs into the building designs but these are not necessarily required given soakaways are a feasible option.

## NOTE ALSO:

Two features were noted within the study area during the initial sub-surface scanning that comprise either existing soakaways or attenuation chambers. On lifting of inspection covers these were revealed to be approximately 3m diameter concrete ring chambers whose base is approximately 3m below ground level. One of these was noted to contain standing water, assumed to be the natural surrounding groundwater level, approximately consistent with the level observed in BH3.

It was unclear which buildings or hardstanding these soakaways are serving, and it is obviously currently unknown whether they were designed based on ground testing, an assumed/estimated permeability, or neither. Their presence does however show that there is precedent for the use of soakaways at the site, assuming flooding does not occur due to their becoming overwhelmed. They might also allow water level monitoring to be carried out through the winter buy the client if required (assuming this is the surrounding groundwater level) to check whether groundwater levels rise above 2.0m BGL at any point (the depth of the recommended soakaway designs). Care should be taken not to install new soakaways close to existing soakaways as the performance of both would be affected by their proximity.

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The findings and contents of this (intrusive) Site Investigation Report pertain solely to the study area(s) outlined herein and are based solely on the findings of the excavations undertaken as part of the current exercise unless otherwise stated. The findings and/or recommendations of this report do not take into account any ground conditions that may be present but have hitherto not been encountered and as such further investigation and/or a reconsideration of the findings of this report should be undertaken if such conditions are subsequently encountered or an alternative development plan or land use is subsequently proposed.

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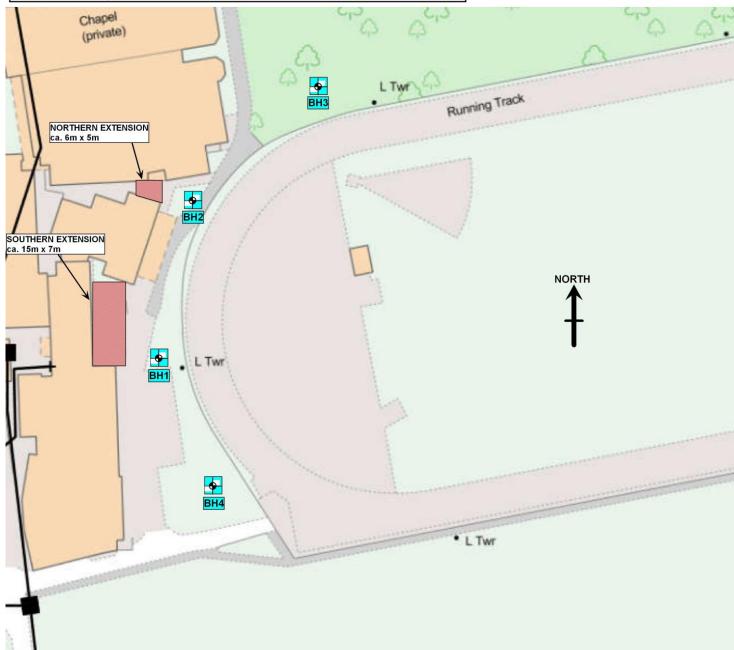
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**APPENDIX 1** Site plan and **Borehole Logs** 







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Your Ref. Our Ref. G20158 BH No.1 Sheet No. 1 of 1 Location: St. Mary's University, Waldegrave Road, Twickenham TW1 4SX **DATE**: 16/06/20

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Depth	Description of Strata	Thick	Legend	Gas	W	ell	Sample		SPT N Value	Depth to	_
(m)	TURF / TOPSOIL. "Loose" brown clayey	-ness	71. 71. 71.					Type Result  Cv kN/m <sup>2</sup>	(Depth)	Water	(m)
n 2n	gravelly sand. Gravel is fine to coarse of	200						CV KIN/III			
0.20	sandstone and brick.										0.25
	MADE GROUND. "Loose" brown and	500	$\mathbb{K}\!\!\times\!\!\!\times\!$								
0.50	dark brown slightly clayey gravelly sand.										0.50
	Gravel is fine to coarse of flint, sandstone		0.0000								
	and brick.	1	0000								0.75
	"Loose to medium dense" pale brown and	600	0.00								
	yellow slightly gravelly SAND. Gravel is fine to coarse of flint.		0,000								1.00
1.10	inte to coarse of link.		0000								1.00
	"Loose to medium dense" brown and		000000								4.05
	orange very gravelly SAND. Gravel is fine	300	0 0 0 0 0 0								1.25
1.40	to coarse of flint.		000000								
	"Loose" pale brown and yellow slightly		0.000								1.50
	gravelly SAND. Gravel is fine to coarse of	500	0 0 0								
	flint.	500	0,000								1.75
1.90			0, 0, 0, 0								
	"Loose" yellow slightly gravelly SAND.	100	0000								2.00
	Gravel is fine to coarse of flint. Moist.										
	Borehole terminated at 2.00m										
	Water infiltration test carried out in										
	borehole on competion of drilling. Test										
	carried out according to BS 5930 "Falling										
	head test in boreholes" method with										
	1.00m of borehole casing left in situ, testing soils below 1.00m.										
	See results of Infiltration Tests 4, 5 and 6										
	for details.										
	Borehole partially collapsed on filling										
	with water for all tests, collapsing										
	below 1.75m for Test 1, below 1.30m										
	for Test 2, and below 1.20m for Test 3.										
Rema	rks:		Key:		Slo	tted	Pipe	O Disturb	ed sample	Di	10 10
	Casing to 1.00m		•		Plai	in P	ipe	Cv Shear v	-	Bŀ	14
	Dynamic windowless sampling by Terrier R	-	2.00m		Ber	nton	ite	W Water s	-		
	•	-	2.00m	SEC. 2012 2012			ipe iite Filter	W Water s		est	

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Depth	Description of Strata	Thick	Legend	Ga	s W	ell	Sample	Test	SPT N Value	Depth to	Depth
(m)		-ness	7 1 7 1 V					Type Result	(Depth)	Water	(m)
0.00	TURF / TOPSOIL. Loose brown clayey	200						Cv kN/m <sup>2</sup>			
0.20	gravelly sand. Gravel is fine to coarse of sandstone and flint.		0.0.00								0.25
	Loose pale brown and yellow gravelly	-	0.000								
	SAND. Gravel is fine to coarse of		0 0 0								0.50
	flint.		0000								0.00
			0,000								0.75
			0000						1,2,1,2,1,2		0.75
			0.0000						N=6		
			0000						1.00m-1.45m		1.00
		1700									
	Becoming Medium dense below 1.20m.		0 0 0								1.25
			0000								
			0.0.0.0								1.50
			0000								1.50
	Becoming dense below 1.70m.		0, 0,00						2.00m-2.45m		
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1.90			0.00.00						14,12,14		
	Dense yellow and orange very gravelly		00000						N=52		2.00
	SAND. Gravel is fine to coarse of		0.00000								
	flint.		000000								2.25
	Becoming moist below 2.30m.		0 0 0 0 0 0								
		1100	0,00000								2.50
	Becoming medium dense below 2.60m.	1100	0 0 0 0 0 0							SWL	2.50
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			000000						3.00m-3.45m		2.75
			0 00000						1,4,7,9,9,9		
3.00									N=34		3.00
	Borehole terminated at 3.00m due to										
	refusal										
Rema			Key:				Pipe	O Disturb		RL	13
	Casing to 1.00m			00000		in P	_	Cv Shear vane  BH3			IJ
	Dynamic windowless sampling by Terrier F	Rig to 3	3.00m	<u></u>		nton		W Water	_		
	Borehole remained open on completion		ļ	P ~ c	Gra	ivel	Filter		d Penetration Te	est	
	Standing water level at 2.80m						using solid	cone			



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Depth	Description of Strata	Thick	Legend	Gas	s We	11	Sample	Test	SPT N Value	Depth to	_
(m)	TURF/ TOPSOIL. Loose brown clayey	-ness 200	7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7					Type Result Cv kN/m <sup>2</sup>	(Depth)	Water	(m)
0.20	gravelly sand. Gravel fine to coarse of sandstone and flint.										0.25
	Medium dense dark grey and orange clayey gravelly SAND. Gravel is fine to		<u> </u>								0.50
	coarse of flint.	900	<u> </u>								
			<u> </u>						1.00m-1.45m		0.75
			<u>. 6 </u>						2,3,4,6,8,8 N=26		1.00
1.10	Medium dense orange and brown		0,000								1.25
	gravelly SAND. Gravel is fine to coarse of flint.	400									1.20
1.50	Dense orange and brown very gravelly		0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0								1.50
1.80	SAND. Gravel is fine to coarse of	300	000000								1.80
1.00	Borehole termianted at 1.80m due to		0.50.0.40.0								1.00
	refusal, possibly on a large cobble										
Rema		<u> </u>	Key:				_	O Disturb		BH	14
	Casing to 1.00m  Dynamic windowless sampling by Terrier F	Rig to	1.80m		Plair Ben			Cv Shear v W Water s		ים	. 7
	Borehole remained open and dry on complete	-						S Standar	d Penetration Te	est	
								using solid	cone		



# **APPENDIX 2** Water Infiltration Test Results





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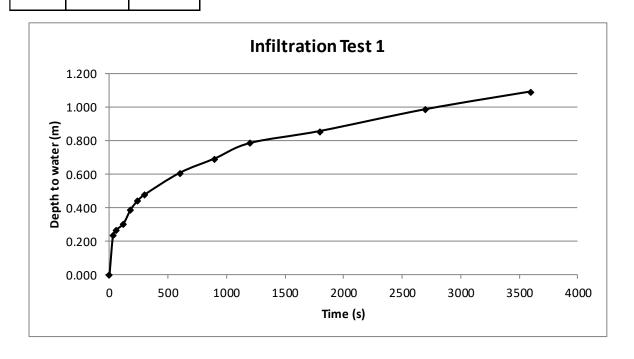
### Infiltration test 1

#### Borehole dimensions:

inflitration test 1									
(BH1)									
Time/s	Depth to water/m	Head/m (above base of borehole)							
0	0.000	1.700							
30	0.235	1.465							
60	0.265	1.435							
120	0.303	1.397							
180	0.385	1.315							
240	0.439	1.261 1.225							
300	0.475								
600	0.605	1.095							
900	0.691	1.009							
1200	0.783	0.917							
1800	0.855	0.845							
2700	0.985	0.715							
3600	1.091	0.609							

Depth of Casing, D = 1.00 m Diameter of Casing, D = 0.125 m 0.012277 m<sup>2</sup> Cross-sectional area, A = 0.70 m Depth below Casing, L= Ground Water Level = N/A m Intake factor, F, using: Intake factor, F = 1.815 m Choose start time  $t_1$  to be:  $t_1$  = 0 s Choose end time  $t_2$  to be:  $t_2$  = 3600 s Head at time  $t_1$ ,  $H_1$  = 1.700 m Head at time  $t_2$ ,  $H_2$  = 0.609 m  $k = \frac{A}{F(t_2 - t_1)} \log_e \frac{H_1}{H_2}$  (general approach) Permeability, k, using: Source: BS 5930

Permeability, k = 1.93E-06 ms<sup>-1</sup>







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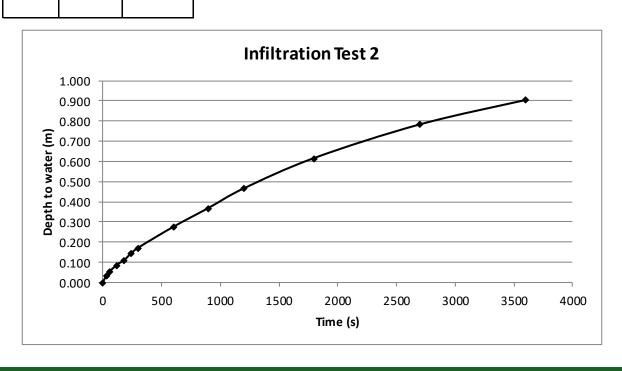
### Infiltration test 2

#### Borehole dimensions:

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(BH1)										
<b></b> /	Depth to	Head/m (above base								
Time/s	water/m	of borehole)	l							
0	0.000	1.550								
30	0.035	1.515								
60	0.055	1.495								
120	0.087	1.463								
180	0.109	1.441								
240	0.144	1.406								
300	0.171	1.379								
600	0.275	1.275								
900	0.369	1.181								
1200	0.466	1.084								
1800	0.617	0.933								
2700	0.784	0.766								
3600	0.905	0.645	l							

Depth of Casing, D = 1.00 m Diameter of Casing, D = 0.125 m 0.012277 m<sup>2</sup> Cross-sectional area, A = Depth below Casing, L = 0.55 m Ground Water Level = N/A m Intake factor, F, using: Source: BS 5930 Intake factor, F = 1.580 m Choose start time  $t_1$  to be:  $t_1$  = 0 s Choose end time  $t_2$  to be:  $t_2$  = 3600 s Head at time  $t_1$ ,  $H_1$  = 1.550 m Head at time  $t_2$ ,  $H_2$  = 0.645 m  $k = \frac{A}{F(t_2 - t_1)} \log_e \frac{H_1}{H_2}$  (general approach) Permeability, k, using: Source: BS 5930 1.89E-06 ms<sup>-1</sup>

Permeability, k =







# **Infiltration Test Result**

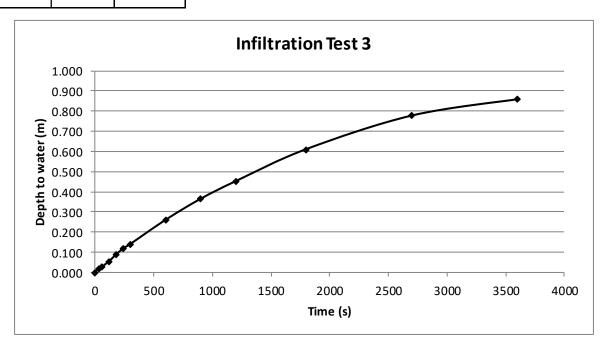
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# **Infiltration test 3**

#### Borehole dimensions:

		borchoic annensions.	
		Depth of Casing, D =	1.00 m
Depth to	-	Diameter of Casing, D =	0.125 m
water/m	of borehole)	Cross-sectional area, A =	0.012277 m <sup>2</sup>
0.000	1.550	Depth below Casing, L=	0.55 m
0.021	1.529	Ground Water Level =	N/A m
0.028	1.522	Intake factor, F, using:	
0.055	1.495	$log_{e} [(L/D) + \sqrt{1}]$	+ {L/D} <sup>2</sup> }]
0.089	1.461		Source: BS 5930
0.118	1.432	Intake factor, F =	1.580 m
0.140	1.410		
0.260	1.290	Choose start time $t_1$ to be: $t_1$ =	0 s
0.365	1.185	Choose end time $t_2$ to be: $t_2$ =	3600 s
0.453	1.097	Head at time $t_1$ , $H_1 =$	1.550 m
0.612	0.938	Head at time $t_2$ , $H_2$ =	0.690 m
0.779	0.771		
0.860	0.690	Permeability, k, using: $k = \frac{A}{F(t_2 - t_1)} \log_e \frac{H_1}{H_2}$ (g	general approach)
			Source: BS 5930
		Permeability, k =	1.75E-06 ms <sup>-1</sup>
	0.000 0.021 0.028 0.055 0.089 0.118 0.140 0.260 0.365 0.453 0.612 0.779	water/m         of borehole)           0.000         1.550           0.021         1.529           0.028         1.522           0.055         1.495           0.089         1.461           0.118         1.432           0.140         1.410           0.260         1.290           0.365         1.185           0.453         1.097           0.612         0.938           0.779         0.771	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$







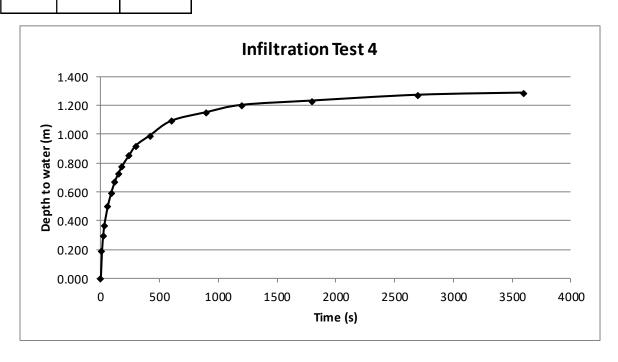
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# **Infiltration test 4**

# Borehole dimensions:

(BH2)			Depth of Casing, D =	1.00 m
	Depth to	Head/m (above base	Diameter of Casing, D =	0.125 m
Time/s	water/m	of borehole)	Cross-sectional area, A =	0.012277 m <sup>2</sup>
0	0.000	1.750	Depth below Casing, L =	0.75 m
10	0.190	1.560	Ground Water Level =	N/A m
20	0.295	1.455	Intake factor, F, using:	
30	0.369	1.381	$F = \frac{2 \pi L}{\log_e \left[ (L/D) + \sqrt{1} \right]}$	+ (L/D) <sup>2</sup> }]
60	0.500	1.250		Source: BS 5930
90	0.595	1.155	Intake factor, F =	1.892 m
120	0.670	1.080		
150	0.725	1.025	Choose start time $t_1$ to be: $t_1$ =	0 s
180	0.775	0.975	Choose end time $t_2$ to be: $t_2$ =	3600 s
240	0.850	0.900	Head at time $t_1$ , $H_1$ =	1.750 m
300	0.920	0.830	Head at time $t_2$ , $H_2$ =	0.465 m
420	0.990	0.760		
600	1.090	0.660	Permeability, k, using: $k = \frac{A}{F(t_0 - t_1)} \log_e \frac{H_1}{H_2}$ (g	general approach)
900	1.150	0.600	$T(i_2 - i_1) = H_2$	
1200	1.200	0.550		Source: BS 5930
1800	1.230	0.520		
2700	1.270	0.480	Permeability, k =	2.39E-06 ms <sup>-1</sup>
3600	1.285	0.465		







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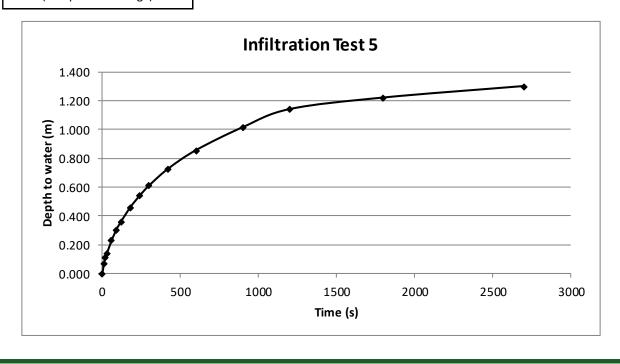
Borehole dimensions:

	ition tes	
(BH2)		
Time/s	Depth to water/m	Head/m (above base of borehole)
0	0.000	1.300
10	0.070	1.230
20	0.114	1.186
30	0.142	1.158
60	0.230	1.070
90	0.304	0.996
120	0.360	0.940
180	0.460	0.840
240	0.540	0.760
300	0.610	0.690
420	0.725	0.575
600	0.855	0.445
900	1.015	0.285
1200	1.140	0.160
1800	1.220	0.080
2700	1.300	0.000

Test complete after 45 minutes (complete drainage)

	Depth of Casing, D =	1.00 m
Dia	meter of Casing, D =	0.125 m
Cross	s-sectional area, A =	0.012277 m <sup>2</sup>
Dep	th below Casing, L =	0.30 m
Gr	ound Water Level =	N/A m
ntake factor, F, using	$F = \frac{2 \pi L}{\log_e \left[ (L/D) + \sqrt{1} \right]}$	+ {L/D}^2}]
		Source: BS 5930
	Intake factor, F =	1.172 m
Choose st	art time $t_1$ to be: $t_1$ =	0 s
Choose e	nd time $t_2$ to be: $t_2$ =	2700 s
	Head at time $t_1$ , $H_1 =$	1.300 m
	Head at time $t_2$ , $H_2 =$	0.000 m
ermeability, k, using:	$k = \frac{A}{F(t_2 - t_1)} \log_e \frac{H_1}{H_2} (g$	eneral approach)
		Source: BS 5930

Permeability,  $k = 5.46E-05 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ 







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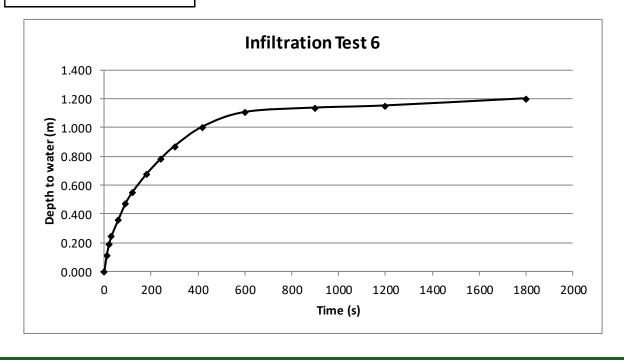
Borehole dimensions:

Depth to water/m	Head/m (above base of borehole)
0.000	1.200
0.113	1.087
0.186	1.014
0.243	0.957
0.360	0.840
0.470	0.730
0.550	0.650
0.675	0.525
0.780	0.420
0.870	0.330
1.005	0.195
1.105	0.095
1.135	0.065
1.150	0.050
1.200	0.000
	water/m  0.000  0.113  0.186  0.243  0.360  0.470  0.550  0.675  0.780  0.870  1.005  1.105  1.135  1.150

Test complete after 30 minutes (complete drainage)

Depth of Casing, D =	1.00 m
Diameter of Casing, D =	0.125 m
Cross-sectional area, A =	0.012277 m <sup>2</sup>
Depth below Casing, L =	0.20 m
Ground Water Level =	N/A m
Intake factor, F, using: $F = \frac{2 \pi L}{\log_e \left[ (L/D) + \sqrt{1 - \epsilon_0} \right]}$	+ (L/D) <sup>2</sup> }]
	Source: BS 5930
Intake factor, F =	1.007 m
Choose start time $t_1$ to be: $t_1$ =	0 s
Choose end time $t_2$ to be: $t_2$ =	1800 s
Head at time $t_1$ , $H_1$ =	1.200 m
Head at time $t_2$ , $H_2$ =	0.000 m
Permeability, k, using: $k = \frac{A}{F(t_2 - t_1)} \log_e \frac{H_1}{H_2}$ (ge	eneral approach)
	Source: BS 5930

Permeability,  $k = 9.49E-05 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ 





# **APPENDIX 3** Soakaway Design Calculations





# Soakaway Design Calculation 1 G20158

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#### SOAKAWAY DESIGN FOR SIMPLE RECTANGULAR GRAVEL FILLED PIT

Using method described in BRE Digest 365 (2016 revision)

I - O = S  $I = A \times R$  $O = a_{s50} \times f \times D$ 

Inflow - outflow = required storage volume (all in m<sup>3</sup>)

Inflow = Drained area of site (m<sup>2</sup>) x Rainfall in a ten year rainfall event of specified length (m)

Outflow = half surface area (excluding base) (m<sup>2</sup>) x Infiltration rate (ms<sup>-1</sup>) x Specified storm duration (s)

#### M100 RAINFALL EVENT

Plus 30% allowance for Climate Change

Input data:

r x 100 (from BRE 365map)
r 0.42 (Ratio of 60 minute to 2 day rainfalls of 5 year return period multiplied by 100)
r 0.42 (Ratio of 60 minute to 2 day rainfalls of 5 year return period)

Drained area of site, A (m²)
Infiltration rate f (ms¹)
Choose soakaway lenth (m)
17.2 Arbitrarily chosen to suit site needs
Choose soakaway depth (m)
1.5 (Ratio of 60 minute to 2 day rainfalls of 5 year return period multiplied by 100)
(Ratio of 60 minute to 2 day rainfalls of 5 year return period multiplied by 100)
(Ratio of 60 minute to 2 day rainfalls of 5 year return period multiplied by 100)
(Ratio of 60 minute to 2 day rainfalls of 5 year return period multiplied by 100)
(Ratio of 60 minute to 2 day rainfalls of 5 year return period multiplied by 100)

Site area soakaway must service

1.75E-06
Calculated from water infiltration testing, see report

Arbitrarily chosen to suit site needs

Estimated appropriate depth

Choose soakaway depth (m) 1.5 Estimated appropriate depth half depth (m) 0.75 Depth to 50% full S = 30% of storage volume

(pore space in granular fill) 7.74 x width (Width calculated below)  $a_{sso}$  (m<sup>2</sup>) 25.8 + 2(width x half depth) (Width calculated below)

a<sub>550</sub> is 50% of the internal surface area of the soakaway excluding the base ( = 2(length x ½ depth) + 2(width x ½ depth) )

Therefore: I = S + O (both expressible in terms of width)

I can be calculated from Z1 and Z2 for each rainfall duration

S = length (chosen) x depth (chosen) x width x 0.30 (30% pore space in gravel)

i.e. **S** = a known number x w

 $\mathbf{O} = a_{s50} \, (\text{m}^2) \, \text{x} \, \mathbf{f} \, (\text{ms}^{-1}) \, \text{x} \, \text{each rainfall duration (seconds)}$ 

 $O = (half depth \times [2(length) + 2(width)]) \times f (known) \times D (|(=f.D.2Length.\%depth + f.D.2W.\%depth)$ 

#### Rearrange to calculate width:

I = S + O (both expressible in terms of width)

 $\mathbf{w} = [\mathbf{I} - (\text{length } x \text{ depth } x \mathbf{f} x \mathbf{D})]$  $[(0.30 \times \text{length } x \text{ depth}) + (\text{depth } x \mathbf{f} \times \mathbf{D})]$ 

Rainfall Duration	Z1 (from	Z1 x 20mm	Z2 (from	R (mm)	R (m)	R <sub>cc</sub>	Inflow (I, m <sup>3</sup> )	Duration D	Inf. Rate	O (m <sup>3</sup> )	Required	W (m)	
(D, min)	Table 1)	22 X 2011111	Table 2)	,	,	(+30%)	iiiiow (i, iii )	in seconds	x D (s)	O (III )	Width (m)	1)	
10	0.53	10.6	1.910	20.246	0.020246	0.026320	2.763579	600	1.05E-03	2.71E-02 + ( 1.58E-03 W)	3.53E-01	0.35	
15	0.64	12.8	1.930	24.704	0.024704	0.032115	3.372096	900	1.58E-03	0.040635 + ( 2.36E-03 W)	4.30E-01	0.43	
30	0.81	16.2	1.960	31.752	0.031752	0.041278	4.334148	1800	3.15E-03	0.08127 + ( 4.73E-03 W)	5.49E-01	0.55	
60	1.00	20.0	2.000	40.000	0.040000	0.052000	5.460000	3600	6.30E-03	0.16254 + ( 9.45E-03 W)	6.84E-01	0.68	
120	1.20	24.0	2.025	48.600	0.048600	0.063180	6.633900	7200	1.26E-02	0.32508 + ( 1.89E-02 W)	8.13E-01	0.81	
240	1.42	28.4	2.015	57.226	0.057226	0.074394	7.811349	14400	2.52E-02	0.65016 + ( 3.78E-02 W)	9.21E-01	0.92	
360	1.57	31.4	2.000	62.800	0.062800	0.081640	8.572200	21600	3.78E-02	0.97524 + ( 5.67E-02 W)	9.74E-01	0.97	
600	1.74	34.8	1.990	69.252	0.069252	0.090028	9.452898	36000	6.30E-02	1.6254 + ( 9.45E-02 W)	9.99E-01	1.00	
1440	2.16	43.2	1.960	84.672	0.084672	0.110074	11.557728	86400	1.51E-01	3.90096 + ( 2.27E-01 W)	9.61E-01	0.96	

Chosen based on **r** from BRE 365, Table 1 Chosen based on Z1 X 20mm from BRE 365, Table 2 R plus 30% to account for climate change

Correct Soakaway Dimensions:

Critical Storm duration (100 year event):

Associated soakaway width:

1.00 m

Previously chosen length:

17.20 m

Previously chosen Depth:

Storage Volume, S, when filled with gravel:

7.7 m³

#### Suitability check:

Soakaway must be able to discharge 50% of its storage volume in 24 hours to function adequately.

 $a_{s50}$  (m<sup>2</sup>):

Time to discharge half volume ( $t_{s50}$ , seconds): Time to discharge half volume ( $t_{s50}$ , hours):

Will soakaway discharge 50% volume in 24hrs?

Conclusion:

27.30 m<sup>2</sup>

80936 seconds  $t_{s50} =$  22.48 hours

Yes

Soakaway design OK

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# **Soakaway Design Calculation 2** G20158

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# SOAKAWAY DESIGN FOR SIMPLE RECTANGULAR GRAVEL FILLED PIT

Using method described in BRE Digest 365 (2016 revision)

I - O = S $I = A \times R$  $O = a_{c50} \times f \times D$ 

Inflow - outflow = required storage volume (all in m<sup>3</sup>)

Inflow = Drained area of site (m<sup>2</sup>) x Rainfall in a ten year rainfall event of specified length (m)

Outflow = half surface area (excluding base) (m<sup>2</sup>) x Infiltration rate (ms<sup>-1</sup>) x Specified storm duration (s)

#### M100 RAINFALL EVENT

Plus 30% allowance for Climate Change

#### Input data:

r x 100 (from BRE 365map) 42 (Ratio of 60 minute to 2 day rainfalls of 5 year return period multiplied by 100) 0.42 (Ratio of 60 minute to 2 day rainfalls of 5 year return period) Drained area of site, A (m<sup>2</sup>) 30 Site area soakaway must service Infiltration rate f (ms<sup>-1</sup>) 2.39E-06 Calculated from water infiltration testing, see report Choose soakaway lenth (m) Arbitrarily chosen to suit site needs 2.2 1.5 Choose soakaway depth (m) Estimated appropriate depth half depth (m) 0.75 Depth to 50% full S = 30% of storage volume (pore space in granular fill) (Width calculated below) 0.99 x width  $a_{s50} (m^2)$ 3.3 + 2(width x half depth) (Width calculated below)

Therefore: I = S + O (both expressible in terms of width)

I can be calculated from Z1 and Z2 for each rainfall duration

S = length (chosen) x depth (chosen) x width x 0.30 (30% pore space in gravel)

i.e. **S** = a known number x w

 $\mathbf{O} = a_{s50} \text{ (m}^2) \times \mathbf{f} \text{ (ms}^{-1}) \times \mathbf{each} \text{ rainfall duration (seconds)}$ 

O = (half depth x [2(length) + 2(width)]) x f (known) x D (l(=f.D.2Length.½depth + f.D.2W.½dep

#### Rearrange to calculate width:

I = S + O (both expressible in terms of width)

 $\mathbf{w} = [\mathbf{I} - (\text{length } x \text{ depth } x \mathbf{f} x \mathbf{D})]$ 

 $[(0.30 \times length \times depth) + (depth \times f \times D)]$ 

Rainfall Duration	Z1 (from	Z1 x 20mm	Z2 (from	R (mm)	R (m)	R <sub>cc</sub>	Inflow (I, m <sup>3</sup> )	Duration D	Inf. Rate	O (m³)		Required	W (m)
(D, min)	Table 1)	21 X 2011111	Table 2)	! ()	",","	(+30%)		in seconds	x D (s)			Width (m)	,
10	0.53	10.6	1.910	20.246	0.020246	0.026320	0.789594	600	1.43E-03	4.73E-03 + (	2.15E-03 W)	7.91E-01	0.79
15	0.64	12.8	1.930	24.704	0.024704	0.032115	0.963456	900	2.15E-03	0.0070983 + (	3.23E-03 W)	9.63E-01	0.96
30	0.81	16.2	1.960	31.752	0.031752	0.041278	1.238328	1800	4.30E-03	0.0141966 +(	6.45E-03 W)	1.23E+00	1.23
60	1.00	20.0	2.000	40.000	0.040000	0.052000	1.560000	3600	8.60E-03	0.0283932 + (	1.29E-02 W)	1.53E+00	1.53
120	1.20	24.0	2.025	48.600	0.048600	0.063180	1.895400	7200	1.72E-02	0.0567864 + (	2.58E-02 W)	1.81E+00	1.81
240	1.42	28.4	2.015	57.226	0.057226	0.074394	2.231814	14400	3.44E-02	0.1135728 + (	5.16E-02 W)	2.03E+00	2.03
360	1.57	31.4	2.000	62.800	0.062800	0.081640	2.449200	21600	5.16E-02	0.1703592 + (	7.74E-02 W)	2.13E+00	2.13
600	1.74	34.8	1.990	69.252	0.069252	0.090028	2.700828	36000	8.60E-02	0.283932 + (	1.29E-01 W)	2.16E+00	2.16
1440	2.16	43.2	1.960	84.672	0.084672	0.110074	3.302208	86400	2.06E-01	0.6814368 + (	3.10E-01 W)	2.02E+00	2.02

Chosen based on **r** from BRE 365, Table 1

Chosen based on Z1 X 20mm from BRE 365, Table 2

a<sub>s50</sub> is 50% of the internal surface area of the soakaway excluding the base ( = 2(length x ½ depth) + 2(width x ½ depth) )

R plus 30% to account for climate change

#### **Correct Soakaway Dimensions:**

Critical Storm duration (100 year event): 600 mins **2.16** m Associated soakaway width: Previously chosen length: **2.20** m Previously chosen Depth: **1.50** m  $2.1 \text{ m}^{3}$ Storage Volume, S, when filled with gravel:

# Suitability check:

Soakaway must be able to discharge 50% of its storage volume in 24 hours to function adequately.

 $a_{s50}$  (m<sup>2</sup>):

Time to discharge half volume (t<sub>s50</sub>, seconds):

Time to discharge half volume (t<sub>s50</sub>, hours):

Will soakaway discharge 50% volume in 24hrs?

Conclusion:

6.54 m<sup>2</sup>

68400 seconds 19.00 hours

Soakaway design OK

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Using method described in BRE Digest 365 (2016 revision)

I-O=S  $I=A\times R$  $O=a_{s50}\times f\times D$ 

Inflow - outflow = required storage volume (all in m<sup>3</sup>)

Inflow = Drained area of site (m<sup>2</sup>) x Rainfall in a ten year rainfall event of specified length (m)

Outflow = half surface area (excluding base) (m<sup>2</sup>) x Infiltration rate (ms<sup>-1</sup>) x Specified storm duration (s)

#### M100 RAINFALL EVENT

Plus 30% allowance for Climate Change

Input data:

r x 100 (from BRE 365map) 42 (Ratio of 60 minute to 2 day rainfalls of 5 year return period multiplied by 100) 0.42 (Ratio of 60 minute to 2 day rainfalls of 5 year return period) Drained area of site, A (m<sup>2</sup>) 135 Site area soakaway must service Infiltration rate f (ms<sup>-1</sup>) 2.39E-06 Calculated from water infiltration testing, see report Choose soakaway lenth (m) Arbitrarily chosen to suit site needs 21 Choose soakaway depth (m) 1.5 Estimated appropriate depth half depth (m) 0.75 Depth to 50% full S = 30% of storage volume

(pore space in granular fill) 9.45 x width (Width calculated below)  $a_{s50}$  (m<sup>2</sup>) 31.5 + 2(width x half depth) (Width calculated below)

a<sub>s50</sub> is 50% of the internal surface area of the soakaway excluding the base ( = 2(length x½ depth) + 2(width x½ depth) )

Therefore: I = S + O (both expressible in terms of width)

I can be calculated from Z1 and Z2 for each rainfall duration

S = length (chosen) x depth (chosen) x width x 0.30 (30% pore space in gravel)

i.e. **S** = a known number x w

 $\mathbf{O} = a_{s50} \text{ (m}^2) \times \mathbf{f} \text{ (ms}^{-1}) \times \mathbf{each rainfall duration (seconds)}$ 

 $\mathbf{O} = (\text{half depth x [2(length) + 2(width)]}) \times \mathbf{f} (\text{known}) \times \mathbf{D} (|(=\text{f.D.2Length.}\%\text{depth + f.D.2W.}\%\text{depth + f.D$ 

Rearrange to calculate width:

I = S + O (both expressible in terms of width)

 $\mathbf{w} = [\mathbf{I} - (\text{length } x \text{ depth } x \mathbf{f} \times \mathbf{D})]$  $[(0.30 \times \text{length } x \text{ depth}) + (\text{depth } x \mathbf{f} \times \mathbf{D})]$ 

Rainfall Duration	Z1 (from	Z1 x 20mm	Z2 (from	R (mm)	R (m)	R <sub>cc</sub>	Inflow (I, m <sup>3</sup> )	Duration D	Inf. Rate	O (m <sup>3</sup> )	Required	W (m)
(D, min)	Table 1)		Table 2)	,	,	(+30%)	11110W (1, 111 )	in seconds	x D (s)	) (iii )	Width (m)	,
10	0.53	10.6	1.910	20.246	0.020246	0.026320	3.553173	600	1.43E-03	4.52E-02 + ( 2.15E-03 W)	3.71E-01	0.37
15	0.64	12.8	1.930	24.704	0.024704	0.032115	4.335552	900	2.15E-03	0.0677565 + ( 3.23E-03 W)	4.51E-01	0.45
30	0.81	16.2	1.960	31.752	0.031752	0.041278	5.572476	1800	4.30E-03	0.135513 + ( 6.45E-03 W)	5.75E-01	0.57
60	1.00	20.0	2.000	40.000	0.040000	0.052000	7.020000	3600	8.60E-03	0.271026 + ( 1.29E-02 W)	7.13E-01	0.71
120	1.20	24.0	2.025	48.600	0.048600	0.063180	8.529300	7200	1.72E-02	0.542052 + ( 2.58E-02 W)	8.43E-01	0.84
240	1.42	28.4	2.015	57.226	0.057226	0.074394	10.043163	14400	3.44E-02	1.084104 + ( 5.16E-02 W)	9.43E-01	0.94
360	1.57	31.4	2.000	62.800	0.062800	0.081640	11.021400	21600	5.16E-02	1.626156 + ( 7.74E-02 W)	9.86E-01	0.99
600	1.74	34.8	1.990	69.252	0.069252	0.090028	12.153726	36000	8.60E-02	2.71026 + ( 1.29E-01 W)	9.86E-01	0.99
1440	2.16	43.2	1.960	84.672	0.084672	0.110074	14.859936	86400	2.06E-01	6.504624 + ( 3.10E-01 W)	8.56E-01	0.86

Chosen based on **r** from BRE 365, Table 1 Chosen based on Z1 X 20mm from BRE 365, Table 2 R plus 30% to account for climate change

Correct Soakaway Dimensions:

Critical Storm duration (100 year event):

Associated soakaway width:

Previously chosen length:

Previously chosen Depth:

Storage Volume, **S**, when filled with gravel:

360 mins **0.99** m **21.00** m **1.50** m

#### Suitability check:

Soakaway must be able to discharge 50% of its storage volume in 24 hours to function adequately.

 $a_{s50}$  (m<sup>2</sup>):

Time to discharge half volume ( $t_{s50}$ , seconds): Time to discharge half volume ( $t_{s50}$ , hours):

Will soakaway discharge 50% volume in 24hrs?

Conclusion:

32.98 m<sup>2</sup>

59115 seconds 16.42 hours  $a_{s50} = \frac{S \times 0.5}{a_{s50} \times f}$ 

Yes

Soakaway design OK

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# **Soakaway Design Calculation 4** G20158

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# SOAKAWAY DESIGN FOR SIMPLE RECTANGULAR GRAVEL FILLED PIT

Using method described in BRE Digest 365 (2016 revision)

I - O = S $I = A \times R$  $O = a_{c50} \times f \times D$ 

Inflow - outflow = required storage volume (all in m<sup>3</sup>)

Inflow = Drained area of site (m<sup>2</sup>) x Rainfall in a ten year rainfall event of specified length (m)

Outflow = half surface area (excluding base) (m<sup>2</sup>) x Infiltration rate (ms<sup>-1</sup>) x Specified storm duration (s)

#### M100 RAINFALL EVENT

Plus 30% allowance for Climate Change

Input data:

r x 100 (from BRE 365map) 42 (Ratio of 60 minute to 2 day rainfalls of 5 year return period multiplied by 100) 0.42 (Ratio of 60 minute to 2 day rainfalls of 5 year return period)

Drained area of site, A (m<sup>2</sup>) 135 Site area soakaway must service

Infiltration rate f (ms<sup>-1</sup>) 1.75E-06 Calculated from water infiltration testing, see report

Choose soakaway lenth (m) Arbitrarily chosen to suit site needs 22 1.5 Choose soakaway depth (m) Estimated appropriate depth

half depth (m) Depth to 50% full

S = 30% of storage volume

(pore space in granular fill) (Width calculated below) 9.9 x width  $a_{s50} (m^2)$ 33 + 2(width x half depth) (Width calculated below)

a<sub>s50</sub> is 50% of the internal surface area of the soakaway excluding the base ( = 2(length x ½ depth) + 2(width x ½ depth) )

Therefore: I = S + O (both expressible in terms of width)

I can be calculated from Z1 and Z2 for each rainfall duration

S = length (chosen) x depth (chosen) x width x 0.30 (30% pore space in gravel)

i.e. **S** = a known number x w

 $\mathbf{O} = a_{s50} \text{ (m}^2) \times \mathbf{f} \text{ (ms}^{-1}) \times \mathbf{each} \text{ rainfall duration (seconds)}$ 

O = (half depth x [2(length) + 2(width)]) x f (known) x D (l(=f.D.2Length.½depth + f.D.2W.½dep

Rearrange to calculate width:

I = S + O (both expressible in terms of width)

 $\mathbf{w} = [\mathbf{I} - (\text{length } x \text{ depth } x \mathbf{f} x \mathbf{D})]$  $[(0.30 \times length \times depth) + (depth \times f \times D)]$ 

Rainfall Duration (D, min)	Z1 (from Table 1)	Z1 x 20mm	Z2 (from Table 2)	R (mm)	R (m)	R <sub>cc</sub> (+30%)	Inflow (I, m <sup>3</sup> )	Duration D in seconds	Inf. Rate x D (s)	O (m³)		Required Width (m)	W (m)
10	0.53	10.6	1.910	20.246	0.020246	0.026320	3.553173	600	1.05E-03	3.47E-02 + (	1.58E-03 W)	3.55E-01	0.36
15	0.64	12.8	1.930	24.704	0.024704	0.032115	4.335552	900	1.58E-03	0.051975 + (	2.36E-03 W)	4.33E-01	0.43
30	0.81	16.2	1.960	31.752	0.031752	0.041278	5.572476	1800	3.15E-03	0.10395 + (	4.73E-03 W)	5.52E-01	0.55
60	1.00	20.0	2.000	40.000	0.040000	0.052000	7.020000	3600	6.30E-03	0.2079 + (	9.45E-03 W)	6.87E-01	0.69
120	1.20	24.0	2.025	48.600	0.048600	0.063180	8.529300	7200	1.26E-02	0.4158 + (	1.89E-02 W)	8.18E-01	0.82
240	1.42	28.4	2.015	57.226	0.057226	0.074394	10.043163	14400	2.52E-02	0.8316 + (	3.78E-02 W)	9.27E-01	0.93
360	1.57	31.4	2.000	62.800	0.062800	0.081640	11.021400	21600	3.78E-02	1.2474 + (	5.67E-02 W)	9.82E-01	0.98
600	1.74	34.8	1.990	69.252	0.069252	0.090028	12.153726	36000	6.30E-02	2.079 + (	9.45E-02 W)	1.01E+00	1.01
1440	2.16	43.2	1.960	84.672	0.084672	0.110074	14.859936	86400	1.51E-01	4.9896 + (	2.27E-01 W)	9.75E-01	0.97

Chosen based on **r** from BRE 365, Table 1

Chosen based on Z1 X 20mm from BRE 365, Table 2

R plus 30% to account for climate change

**Correct Soakaway Dimensions:** 

Critical Storm duration (100 year event): 600 mins **1.01** m Associated soakaway width: **22.00** m Previously chosen length: Previously chosen Depth: **1.50** m 10.0 m<sup>3</sup> Storage Volume, S, when filled with gravel:

# Suitability check:

Soakaway must be able to discharge 50% of its storage volume in 24 hours to function adequately.

 $a_{s50}$  (m<sup>2</sup>):

Time to discharge half volume (t<sub>s50</sub>, seconds):

Time to discharge half volume (t<sub>s50</sub>, hours):

Will soakaway discharge 50% volume in 24hrs? Conclusion:

Soakaway design OK

82617 seconds

22.95 hours

34.51 m<sup>2</sup>

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