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## APPENDIX 9

### UK SUDS GREENFIELD RUNOFF RATE ESTIMATION

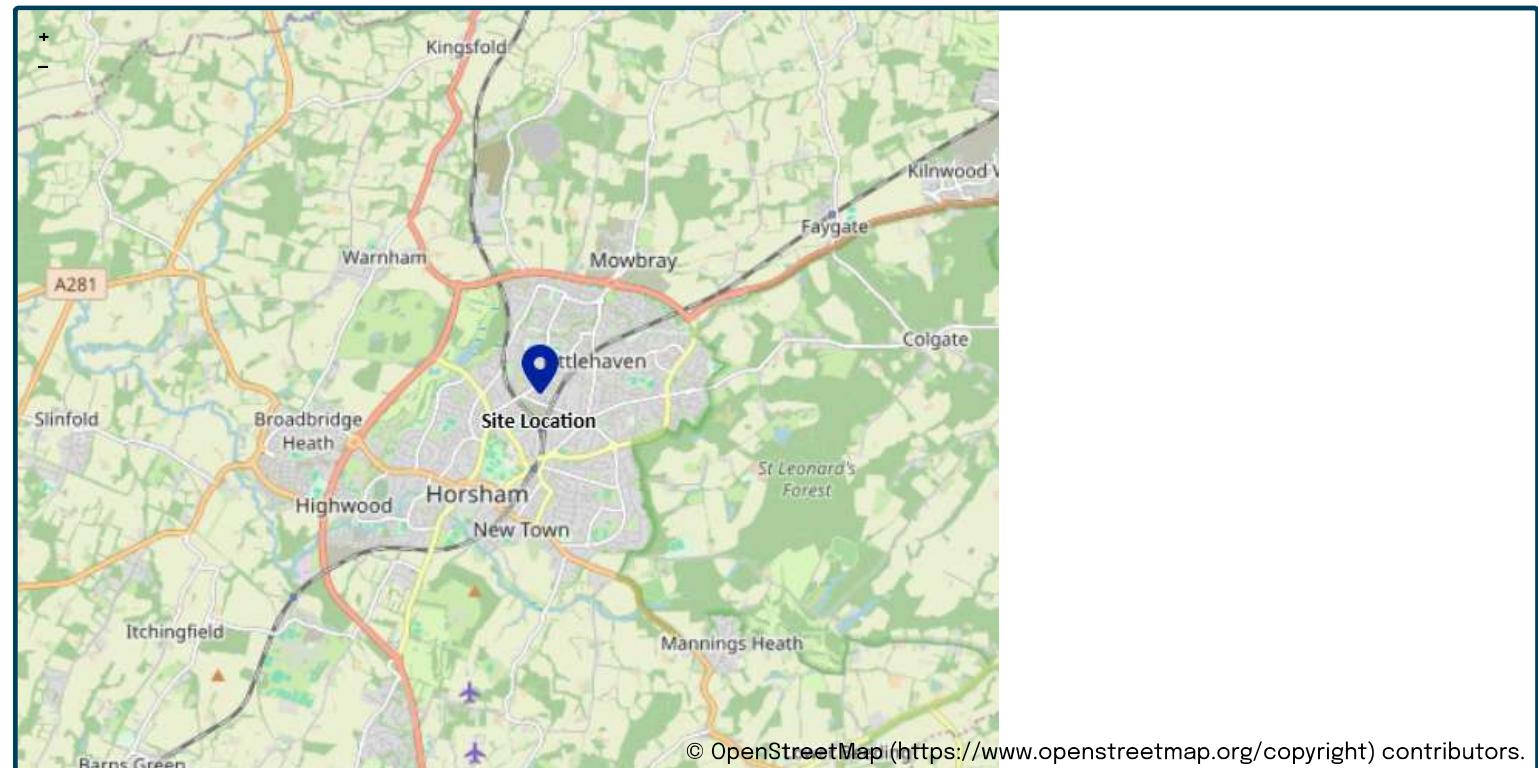
This is an estimation of the greenfield runoff rates that are used to meet normal best practice criteria in line with Environment Agency guidance “Rainfall runoff management for developments”, SC030219 (2013), the SuDS Manual C753 (CIRIA, 2015) and the non-statutory standards for SuDS (Defra, 2015). This information on greenfield runoff rates may be the basis for setting consents for the drainage of surface water runoff from sites.

## Project details

Date	28/08/2025
Calculated by	Tommy Ashby
Reference	Novartis
Model version	2.1.2

## Location

Site name	Novartis
Site location	Horsham



Site easting (British National Grid)

517960

Site northing (British National Grid)

131681

## Site details

Total site area (ha)

7.52

ha

# Greenfield runoff

## Method

Method	FEH statistical
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## FEH statistical

	My value	Map value
SAAR (mm)	789	mm
BFIHOST	0.536	
QMed-QBar conversion	1.136	
QMed (l/s)	26.61	l/s
QBar (FEH statistical) (l/s)	30.23	l/s

## Growth curve factors

	My value	Map value
Hydrological region	7	
1 year growth factor	0.85	
2 year growth factor	0.88	
10 year growth factor	1.62	
30 year growth factor	2.3	
100 year growth factor	3.19	
200 year growth factor	3.74	

## Results

Method	FEH statistical
Flow rate 1 year (l/s)	25.7
Flow rate 2 year (l/s)	26.6
Flow rate 10 years (l/s)	49.0
Flow rate 30 years (l/s)	69.5
Flow rate 100 years (l/s)	96.4
Flow rate 200 years (l/s)	113.1

Please note runoff estimation is subject to significant uncertainty. Results are therefore normally reported to only 1 decimal place. Where 2 decimal places are provided, this does not indicate accuracy to this level, it has been adopted to prevent 'zero' figures from being reported. Outputs less than 0.01 l/s are reported as 0.01 l/s.

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