Civil Design Calculations



Copas Formula 1 in 100yr Return

22 July 2022

1. Copas Formula 1 in 100yr

1.1 Calculate the Required Storage Capacity

Return Rainfall Event (I) = $\frac{100}{2.73}$ years Restricted Discharge Rate (Q) = $\frac{2.73}{100}$ litres/ sec Impermeable Area (A_D) = $\frac{0.003}{1700}$ m³/ sec

mpermeable Area (A_p) = 1700 = 0.170 ha

Storage Capacity Required (C_{red}) = 107.59 m³ plus 30% 139.87 m³

1.2 Calculate the Provided Storage Capacity - Option 1: Pipe Network

Pipe Length (L) = m Pipe Diameter (\varnothing) = mm Pipe Capacity (C_{prov}) = 0.00 m³ (Approx. Pipe)

1.2 Calculate the Provided Storage Capacity - Option 2: Balancing Pond

Storage Depth (d) = 1500 mm Storage Length (L) = 10 m Storage Length (W) = 10 m Capacity (C_{prov}) = 150.00 m³ (Approx. Pond)

1.3 Design Check

Total Capacity = Option 1 + Option 2

150.00 > 139.87 Design OK

Pipe and/or Pond has Sufficient Capacity