

Large Raised Reservoirs (AfA134)

Description

This dataset contains details of Large Raised Reservoirs. The Environment Agency collects and maintains data on all reservoirs designed or capable of holding more than 25,000 cubic metres of water above the natural level of any part of the land adjoining them defined as “large raised reservoirs” under the Reservoirs Act 1975. The register contains detail on the type, physical characteristics, inspection details and information on the reservoir undertaker and Panel Engineer overseeing their operation and maintenance. Under the Water Act 2003 the role of the Reservoirs Act 1975 enforcement authority was transferred to the Environment from Local Authorities in 2004. Large Raised Reservoirs is referred to externally as Risk of Flooding from Reservoirs.

Two types of reservoir are maintained within the register:

- Impounding (Dammed); or
- Non-Impounding (Pumped/unimpeded);

Summaries of certificates and reports are also collated and held for each reservoir but are not part of the electronic database.

Issues to Note

None

Data Contact / Supply

AfA Category

AfA (Publication Scheme & IfRR)

Guidance

N/A

Attribute Name		Attribute Description	Responding to Requests	FoI Publication Scheme	Information Re-use Register
Reservoir Name		Name of reservoir	Y	Y	Y
Physical Status		Status of reservoir e.g. In operation	Y	Y	Y
Situation		Nearest locality e.g. Bristol	Y	Y	Y
NGR		National grid reference	Y	Y	Y
Undertaker Name		Individual or organisation that is tasked with the responsibility of managing the reservoir	Y	Y	Y
Undertaker Contact Name and Address	Name	Undertaker's contact name and address	Y	Y	Y
	Position				
	Primary Name				
	Secondary Name				
	Street Name				
	Locality				
	Town				
	Post Town				
	County				

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	Postcode				