

# The Biodiversity Metric 2.0 - Calculation Tool

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### Project details

Planning authority:	
Project name:	Desal_Meon_DSS_Habitat
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Application type:	
Planning application reference:	
Assessor:	TP
Reviewer:	LP
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Street tree helper		
Tree size	Tree number	Area
Small		0.0000
Medium		0.0000
Large		0.0000
Total	0.00	0.0000

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**On-site baseline**A-1  
On-site habitatB-1  
On-site hedge baselineC-1  
On-Site river baseline**On-site post development**

A-2 Habitat creation

A-3 Habitat enhancement

A-4 Habitat accelerated succession

B-2 Hedgerow creation

B-3 Hedgerow enhancement

C-2 River creation

C-3 River enhancement

**Off-site baseline**

D-1 Off-site habitat

E-1 Off-site hedge baseline

F-1 Off-site river baseline

**Off-Site post development**

D-2 Habitat creation

D-3 Habitat enhancement

D-4 Habitat accelerated succession

E-2 Hedgerow creation

E-3 Hedgerow enhancement

F-2 River creation

F-3 River enhancement

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Detailed results

Habitat trading  
summary

<b>On-site baseline</b>	Habitat units Hedgerow units River units	
<b>On-site post-intervention</b> (Including habitat retention, creation, enhancement & succession)	Habitat units Hedgerow units River units	
<b>Off-site baseline</b>	Habitat units Hedgerow units River units	
<b>Off-site post-intervention</b> (Including habitat retention, creation, enhancement & succession)	Habitat units Hedgerow units River units	
<b>Total net unit change</b> (including all on-site & off-site habitat retention/creation)	Habitat units Hedgerow units River units	
<b>Total net % change</b> (including all on-site & off-site habitat creation + retained habitats)	Habitat units Hedgerow units River units	

**Summary Figures**

Net project biodiversity units (including all on-site & off-site habitat retention/creation)		Habitat units	
		Hedgerow units	
		River units	

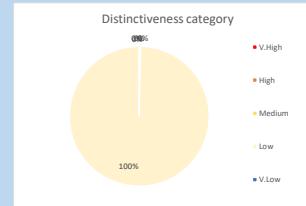
Total project biodiversity % change (including all On-site & Off-site Habitat Creation + Retained Habitats)		Habitat units	
		Hedgerow units	
		River units	

**On-site habitat retention and enhancement**

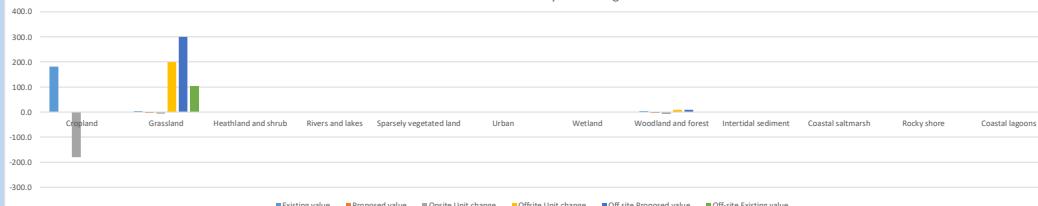
	Habitats	Hedgerows	Rivers
Total site area / length			
Total site units			
Area / length retained			
Units Retained			
Area / length enhanced			
Baseline units enhanced			
Area / length succession			
Units succession			
Area / length lost			
Units lost			

**a lost by distinctiveness b**

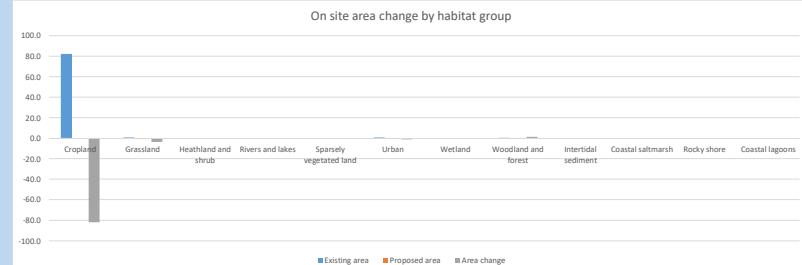
Category	Area lost (hectares)	Area lost (%)
V.High		
High		
Medium		
Low		
V.Low		



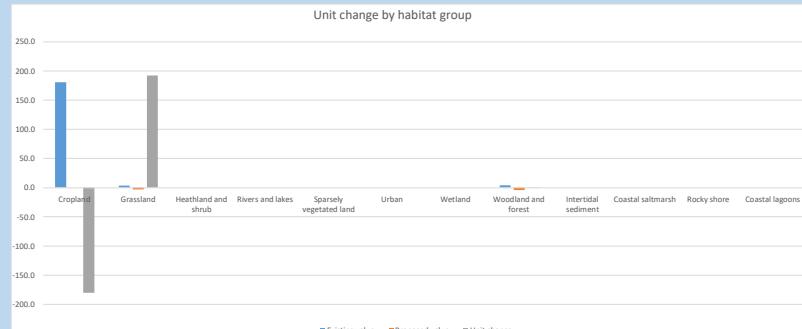
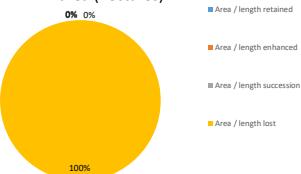
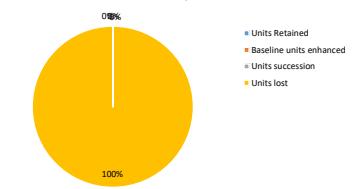
Combined Biodiversity Unit change



On site area change by habitat group



Unit change by habitat group

**On-site habitat retention by category area (hectares)****On-site habitat retention category biodiversity units**

On-site	Baseline		Post development on site		Onsite Change	
	Existing area	Existing value	Proposed area	Proposed value	Area change	Onsite Unit change
Habitat group						
Cropland						
Grassland						
Heathland and shrub						
Rivers and lakes						
Sparingly vegetated land						
Urban						
Wetland						
Woodland and forest						
Intertidal sediment						
Coastal saltmarsh						
Rocky shore						
Coastal lagoons						

**Overall Change****Area change****Unit change**

Off-site	Baseline		Post development Off-site		Off-site Change	
	Existing area	Off-site Existing value	Proposed area	Off site Proposed value	Area change	Offsite Unit change
Habitat group						
Cropland						

Grassland	
Heathland and shrub	
Rivers and lakes	
Sparingly vegetated land	
Urban	
Wetland	
Woodland and forest	
Intertidal sediment	
Coastal saltmarsh	
Rocky shore	
Coastal lagoons	

Combined	Baseline		Combined Post development		Combined change	
	Habitat group	Existing area	Existing value	Proposed area	Proposed value	Proposed area
Cropland						
Grassland						
Heathland and shrub						
Rivers and lakes						
Sparingly vegetated land						
Urban						
Wetland						
Woodland and forest						
Intertidal sediment						
Coastal saltmarsh						
Rocky shore						
Coastal lagoons						





Category	Approximate Percentage
Total site area ha	100%
241	Black: ~10%
242	Light Blue: ~40%
243	Light Blue: ~10%
244	Light Blue: ~20%
245	Light Blue: ~10%
246	Light Blue: ~10%
247	Light Blue: ~10%
248	Light Blue: ~10%
Total Site baseline	Black: ~5%, Orange: ~95%
	Orange: ~5%, Black: ~5%



The image shows a large grid of cells arranged in approximately 30 rows and 20 columns. The majority of the cells are light blue. A single vertical column of cells is highlighted in orange. This orange column is located roughly in the middle-right portion of the grid. The grid is set against a solid light blue background.



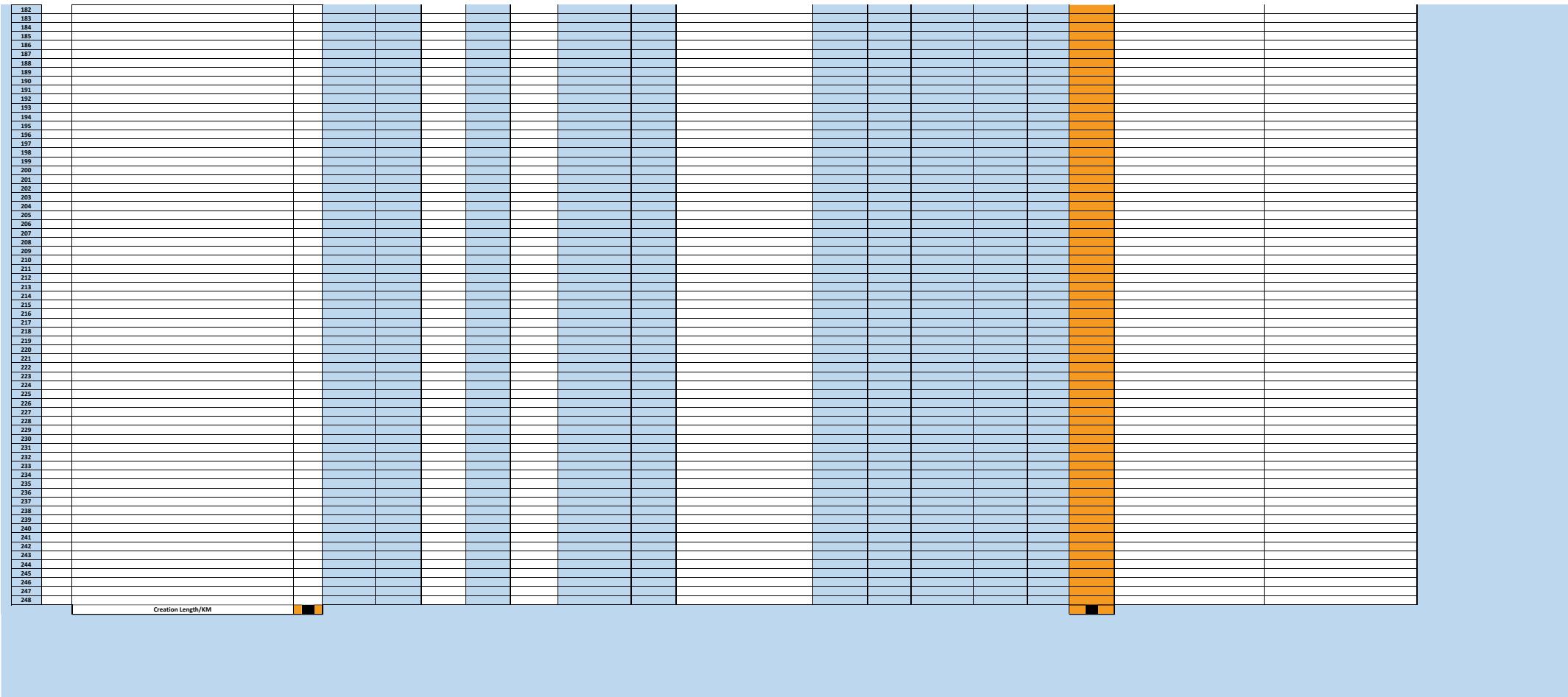






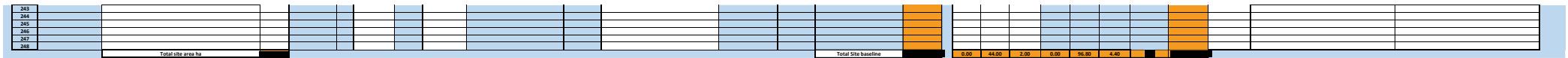














The image consists of a grid of 100 columns and 100 rows. The majority of the grid, representing 99 columns and all rows, is filled with a uniform light blue color. A single vertical column, located at the far right edge of the grid, is colored orange. This orange column is positioned such that it spans from the top row to the bottom row of the grid. The rest of the grid remains empty and light blue.

