

SITE CONDITION REPORT FOR GAP Group Limited - Tanker Emptying Facility - Kempson Way, Bury St Edmonds, Suffolk, IP32 7AR.



1.0 SITE DETAILS	
Name of the applicant	GAP GROUP Limited
Activity address	Kempson Way, Bury St Edmonds, Suffolk, IP32 7AR
National grid reference	TL 88202 63588

Document reference and dates for Site	V1
Condition Report at permit application	
and surrender.	

Document references for site plans	Proposed	Permitted	Area	within
(including location and boundaries)	application	documents		

Note:

In Part A of the application form you must give us details of the site's location and provide us with a site plan. We need a detailed site plan (or plans) showing:

- Site location, the area covered by the site condition report, and the location and nature of the activities and/or waste facilities on the site.
- Locations of receptors, sources of emissions/releases, and monitoring points.
- Site drainage.
- Site surfacing.

If this information is not shown on the site plan required by Part A of the application form then you should submit the additional plan or plans with this site condition report.



2.0 Condition of the land at permit issue				
Environmental setting including:	The site is located on the Kempson			
• geology	Way, Bury St Edmonds, Suffolk, IP32			
hydrogeology	7AR			
surface waters				
Pollution history including:				
	Pollution incidents that may have			
pollution incidents that may have	e affected land –			
affected land	No known from previous history			
historical land-uses and associate	historical land-uses and associated			
contaminants	contaminants – the site has been used			
any visual/olfactory evidence of	as a general industrial site with mixed			
existing contamination	uses.			
evidence of damage to pollution	n			
prevention measures	No visual evidence of pollution on the			
	floor.			
Evidence of historic contamination, for	No evidence has been provided to the			
example, historical site investigation	n, client from the landlords of the			
assessment, remediation an	d property			
verification reports (where available)				
· ·	er Not available			
reference data				
	tion identifying environmental setting and			
information pollution incide				
Historical Ordnance Survey plans				
Site reconnaiss	nce			
	Historical investigation / assessment / remediation			
verification repo				
Baseline soil and groundwater reference data				



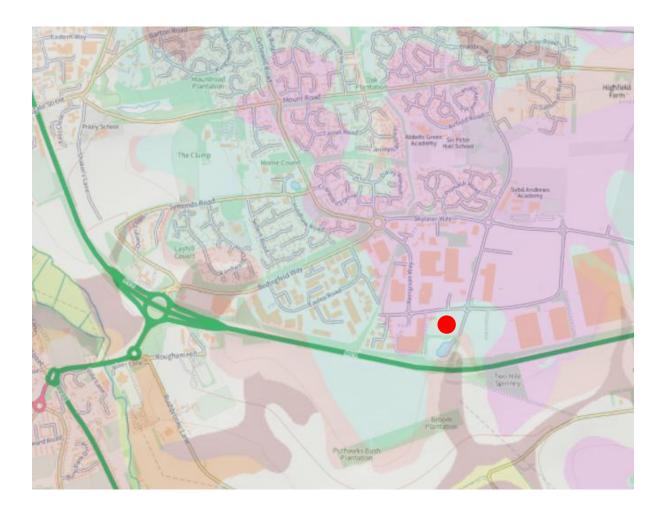
Environmental setting including:

- geology
- hydrogeology
- surface waters

Geology

The British Geological Survey website shows the site is located on the Lowestoft Formation - Diamicton. Sedimentary superficial deposit formed between 480 and 423 thousand years ago during the Quaternary period.

The map below shows different kinds of bedrock, with the green being Lowestoft Formation.

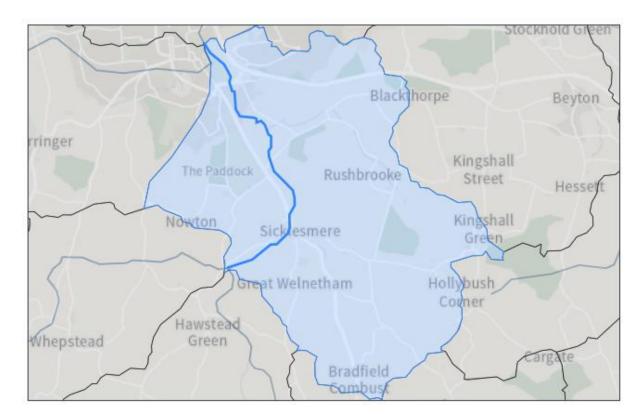




Surface Waters

River catchment taken from Environment Agency catchment Data Explorer Site –

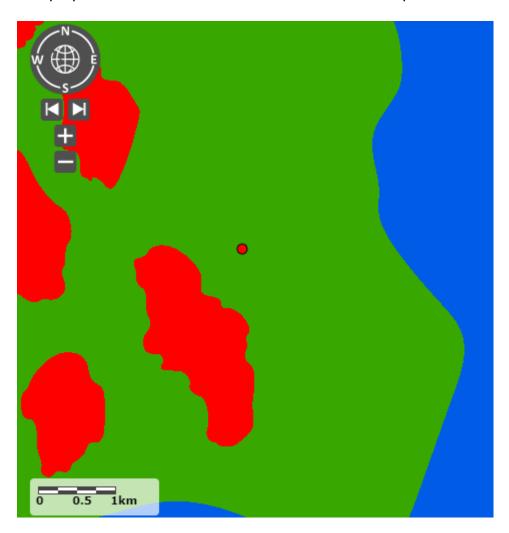
The site sits within the Lark (Hawstead to Abbey Gardens) Water Body part of the wider Cam catchment as shown by the Environment Agency Catchment tool.





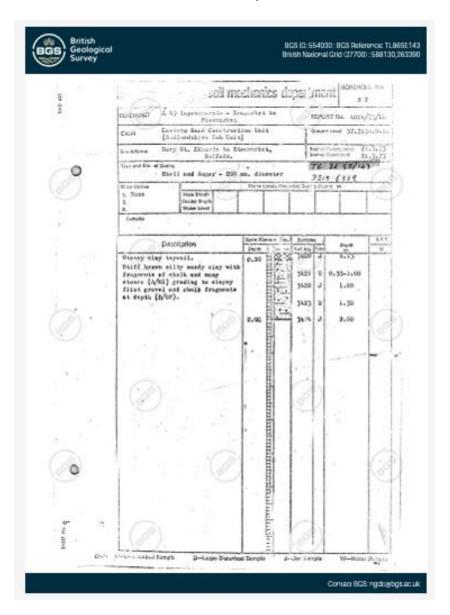
Hydrology

The proposed site is not located within a Zone II outer protection zone.





Records from the British Geological Society's (BGS) provided the following information taken from local vicinity –

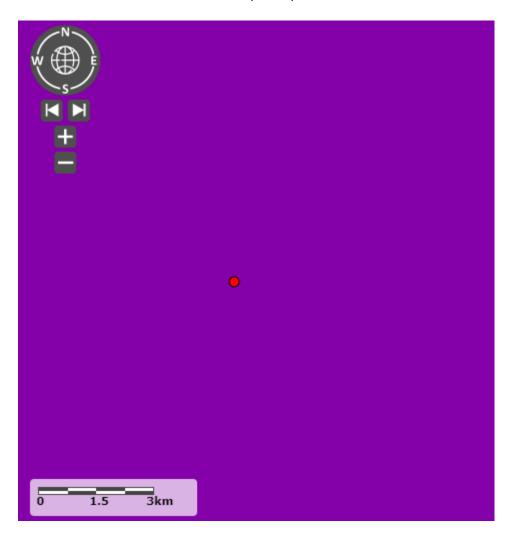


Boreholes show that the area has layers of clay.



Secondary (B) aquifer - Source Magic Map

The site is located within a Principal aquifer.





Pollution history including:

Pollution incidents that may have affected land Historical land-uses and associated contaminants

Local Permitted Activities

There are no permitted activities within a mile of the site.

Any visual/olfactory evidence of existing contamination

The permitted area is concrete. Existing drains have all been mapped and assessed and those that will serve the proposed waste operation flow to the foul sewer.

Evidence of damage to pollution prevention measures

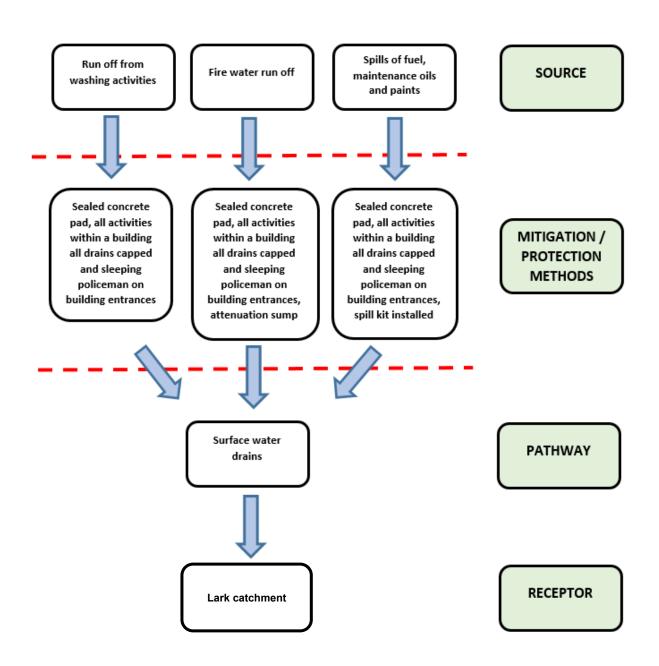
The concrete pad is intact and in excellent condition as it was installed by GAP.

Evidence of historic contamination, for example, historical site investigation, assessment, remediation and verification reports (where available)

The following is known about sites history. Prior to the area being developed as a business park the site and surrounding land was established agricultural land.

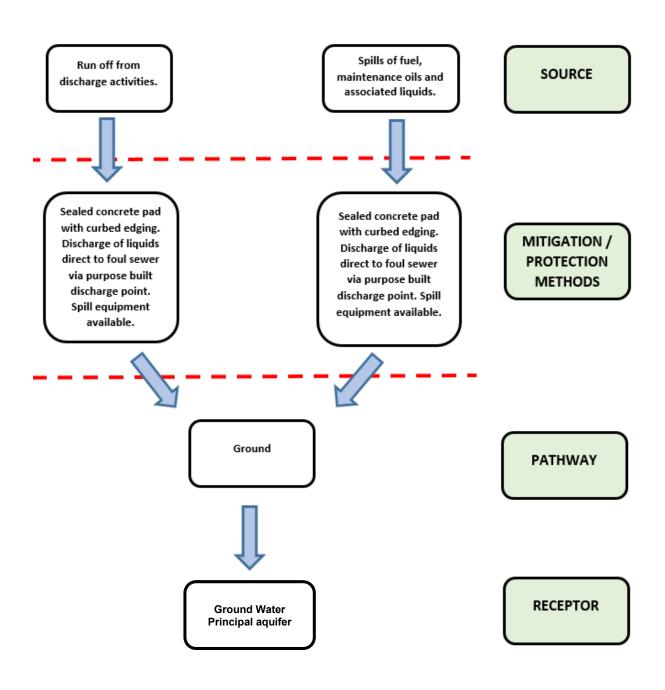


Basic Conceptual Site Model (CSM) showing the source-pathway-receptor linkage and how they are to be broken - Surface Water – River Cam





Basic Conceptual Site Model (CSM) showing the source-pathway-receptor linkage and how they are to be broken - Ground Water – Secondary Aquifer





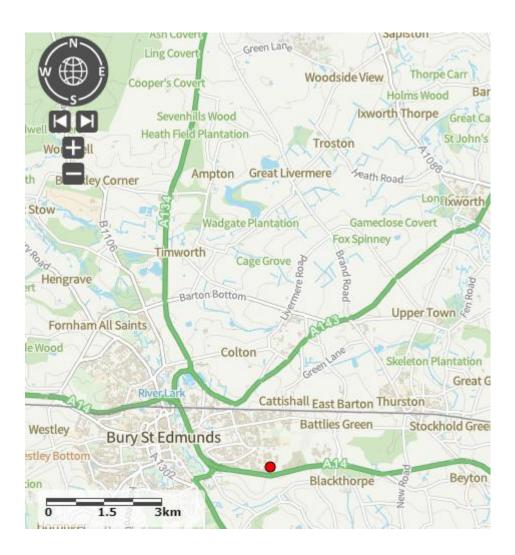
Description of nearby surface water features/watercourses and the potential risks

The site is located within the River Cam.

Drains – The whole operation is carried out on an impermeable concreate pad that forms part of a sealed drainage system. This drains to the foul sewer with permission from Anglian Water via a Trade Discharge Consent. The pad is edged with a concrete curb. This also protects form spills of plant fuel, grease or any other liquids entering surface water drains,



Site location in proximity to the River Lark





3.0 Permitted activities	
Permitted activities	Transfer, screening, storage and
	discharge of portaloo and septic tank
	wastes.
Non-permitted activities undertaken	Related activities to serve the waste
	management activity including –
	- Office
	- Maintenance of plant and
	equipment
Document references for:	
	Site plan Site layout / drainage plan
 plan showing activity layout; and 	
environmental risk assessment.	

Permitted activities

The permitted activity is transfer, screening, storage and discharge of portaloo and septic tank liquid wastes.

Non-permitted activities undertaken

The site has a small office area and plant workshop. The office is used solely for office activities and is not located within the permitted area. The workshop area is used for maintaining the company's fleet of road sweepers.

There is storage of hand tools, power tools, welding equipment and COSHH items within a COSHH cabinet.