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(WAT2) External Water Use



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Technical Guide November 2010 Criteria

- 1 available credits
- Credits worth 1.50% points each
- Mandatory Element: No

Aim: To promote the recycling of rainwater and reduce the amount of mains potable water used for external water uses.

Assessment Criteria:

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Default Cases

If no individual or communal *garden* spaces are specified or if only balconies are provided, credit can be awarded by default



Technical Guide May 2009 Criteria

- 1 available credits
- Credits worth 1.50% points each
- Mandatory Element: No

Aim: To encourage the recycling of rainwater and reduce the amount of mains portable water used for external water uses.

Assessment Criteria: One credit is awarded for providing a system to collect rainwater for use in irrigation as follows:

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Where a correctly specified and sufficient sized system to collect rainwater for external/internal irrigation use has been provided to a dwelling with a garden, patio or communal garden space (examples of such systems include rainwater butts and central rainwater collection systems)
Default Cases If no individual or communal garden spaces are specified or if only balconies are provided, credit can be awarded by default



References for WAT2 (click here)

[UK Rainwater Harvesting Association \(UKRHA\)](#)

[Water UK](#)

[Water Butts](#)



[Central Rainwater Collection System](#)



[Downpipe Filters and Diverters](#)



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