

Licence

Licence number	L9413/2023/1
Licence holder ACN	FBROS Pty Ltd 634 416 078
Registered business address	Valencia Complex 55 Benara road, CAVERSHAM, WA 6055
DWER file number	DER2023/000675
Duration	15/04/2024 to 14/04/2044
Date of issue	15/04/2024
Premises details	Funk Cider 2.0 38 Swan Street, HENLEY BROOK, WA 6055
	Legal description
	Lot 123 on Plan 3820
	As defined by the premises map in Schedule 1

Prescribed premises category description (Schedule 1, <i>Environmental Protection Regulations 1987</i>)	Assessed production capacity
Category 24: Non-alcoholic beverage manufacturing	No more than 50 kL of non- alcoholic fruit juice produced per annual period
Category 25: Alcoholic beverage manufacturing	No more than 350 kL of beer and cider produced per annual period

This licence is granted to the licence holder, subject to the attached conditions, on 15 April 2024, by:

Manager, Process Industries

an officer delegated under section 20 of the Environmental Protection Act 1986 (WA)

Licence history

Date	Reference number	Summary of changes
01/12/2022	W6679/2022/1	Works approval granted.
24/07/2023	W6679/2022/1	Works approval amendment to extend timeframe for time limited operations and allow commissioning of the wastewater treatment plant.
15/04/2024	L9413/2023/1	Licence granted

Interpretation

In this licence:

- (a) the words 'including', 'includes' and 'include' in conditions mean "including but not limited to", and similar, as appropriate;
- (b) where any word or phrase is given a defined meaning, any other part of speech or other grammatical form of that word or phrase has a corresponding meaning;
- (c) where tables are used in a condition, each row in a table constitutes a separate condition;
- (d) any reference to an Australian or other standard, guideline, or code of practice in this licence:
 - (i) if dated, refers to that particular version; and
 - (ii) if not dated, refers to the latest version and therefore may be subject to change over time;
- (e) unless specified otherwise, any reference to a section of an Act refers to that section of the EP Act; and
- (f) unless specified otherwise, all definitions are in accordance with the EP Act.

NOTE: This licence requires specific conditions to be met but does not provide any implied authorisation for other emissions, discharges, or activities not specified in this licence.

Licence conditions

The licence holder must ensure that the following conditions are complied with:

Infrastructure and equipment

1. The licence holder must ensure that the site infrastructure and equipment listed in Table 1 and located at the corresponding infrastructure location is maintained and operated in accordance with the corresponding operational requirement set out in Table 1.

Table 1: Infrastructure and equipment requirements

	Site infrastructure and equipment	Оре	erational requirement	Infrastructure location- Figure 1 in Schedule 1		
Cide	Cidery, beer and juice production and storage					
1	Beverage production building consisting of the following:Eternally located refrigeration units with noise attenuation wall;Concrete floor with floor drains capable of draining all wastewater to the wastewater treatment plant (WWTP);Apple belt press, including bin tipper, washer / elevator / crusher and belt press;Citrus Line, including bin 	(a) (b) (c) (d) (e)	the process building. Western doors of the beverage production building must be kept closed when undertaking canning operations and beer manufacturing other than opening for forklift entry and exit. No more than one batch of beer to be brewed per week. All wastewater generated from beverage production activities must be directed to the WWTP.	Shown as: Outdoor Process Storage WWTP		

	Site infrastructure and equipment	Оре	erational requirement	Infrastructure location- Figure 1 in Schedule 1
	1 x 1,200			
	2 x 2,000 L			
	2 x 4,000 L			
	1 x 500 L			
	Beer production consisting of:			
	3 x 1,200 L tanks			
	2 x 2,400 L Uni-tank (fermentation/carbonation)			
	1 x 2,000L Lauter Slash/Mash Tank			
	1 X 2,000L Kettle (Whirlpool) tank			
	1 x 4,000 hot liquor tank			
	Storage building consisting of a concrete hardstand.			
Was	tewater treatment	I		
2	<u>Wastewater drainage</u> <u>infrastructure</u> Wastewater drainage pipelines from process building to the WWTP (7kL below ground tank).	(a)	Drains conveying wastewater from the process building to the WWTP must be fitted with solids strainers that are maintained to allow free flowing wastewater.	Shown as: Process WWTP
3	Beverage production Wastewater treatment plant (WWTP) 7 kL raw wastewater polyethylene holding tank (below ground) pH closed-loop dosing system 23 kL Sequence Batch Reactor unit with submersible aerator 2 x 23 kL balance tanks with lift pumps Multicyclone with back flush drain to holding tank 5 kL irrigation tank Pumps, pipes and associated infrastructure. Sampling point (M2) Telemetered flow meter (M1)	 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h) 	No more than 4,631L per day of beverage production wastewater may be directed to the WWTP; All WWTP tanks must be enclosed. Sludge from the WWTP to be disposed off- site to a licensed liquid waste facility. Sampling point at the exit (M2) of the WWTP to be maintained to allow for periodic sampling of treated wastewater. High level sensors within each tank must be maintained in working condition. Submersible aerators within the Sequence Batch Reactor to be maintained to enable the aeration of wastewater within the unit. Alarms, connected to visible flashing lights on top of the tanks, must be operational and maintained to alert of any pump, aeration, or electrical failure. Must undertake daily inspections of the WWTP to detect for wastewater and foam leaks and overtopping.	Shown as: WWTP M1 M2 Storage Outdoor

	Site infrastructure and equipment	Оре	erational requirement	Infrastructure location- Figure 1 in Schedule 1
	Sludge storage IBCs	(i) (j) (k)	Flow meter (M1) must be maintained to enable accurate recording of the WWTP outflow meter readings to the irrigation area. Wastewater excess to WWTP capacity must be removed off-site for disposal at a licensed liquid waste facility. All IBCs containing sludge must be stored on a hardstand with all spills directed to the	
Waa	tewater disposal via irrigation		WWTP.	
4	Irrigation area (1 ha) L1 including irrigation system Irrigation pipe, pump, and drippers/sprinklers 4 telemetered moisture probes (once installed)	 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h) 	 Irrigation pump, pipelines, and other fittings must be maintained and inspected daily for ruptures or leaks when irrigating. No wastewater irrigation occurs between 1 June and 31 August (inclusive) until the licence holder submits installation details of at least 4 telemetered soil moisture probes in the irrigation area and includes the following: what the soil moisture trigger value(s) will be; details of how the soil moisture trigger(s) were determined; depth and location of each soil moisture sensor; sensor shut off mechanisms for irrigation, and maintenance and management of the telemetered soil moisture probes. Irrigation is not undertaken 12 hours before, during, or 24 hours immediately after a rainfall event over 2 mm. No irrigation generated run-off occurs beyond the boundary of the irrigation areas. A summer crop must be planted by May of each year and be harvested by October of the same year. The type of crop and estimated tonnage removed for each crop must be recorded. 	Shown as: Irrigation area L1
		(1)	irrigation areas.	
Solic	d waste storage			
5	Bitumen hardstand where waste pulp bins containing	(a)	All waste pulp bins must be lined with plastic to prevent leakage and kept closed	Shown as: Outdoor

Site infrastructure and equipment	Operational requirement	Infrastructure location- Figure 1 in Schedule 1
solids are stored.	when containing waste.(b) All waste pulp bins containing waste must be stored on a bitumen hardstand.	
	(c) All waste pulp bins must have lids or be emptied at a minimum every 48 hours from November to April (inclusive) and once a week May to October (inclusive).	

Emissions and discharges

2. The licence holder must ensure that emissions from the discharge point listed in Table 2 for the corresponding parameter do not exceed the corresponding limit when monitored in accordance with condition 3.

Discharge point	Parameter	Limit
Irrigation area L1 as	рН	≥5.5 and ≤9
shown Schedule 1, Figure 2.	Electrical conductivity	2.9 dS/m
0.1	² Sodium absorption ratio (SAR)	<6
	Total nitrogen	<30 mg/L
	Total phosphorus	<10 mg/L
	¹ Total nitrogen	Not more than 100 kg/ha/annual period
	¹ Total phosphorus	Not more than 17 kg/ha/annual period
	¹ Biochemical oxygen demand	Not more than 1500kg/ha/month

Table 2: Emission and discharge limits

Note 1: See Schedule 2 loading calculation spreadsheet.

Note 2: NSW Department of Primary Industries 2016, Primefact1344: Interpreting water quality test results, Sydney, New South Wales

Monitoring

Monitoring of emissions to land

3. The licence holder must monitor emissions in accordance with the requirements specified in Table 3 and record the results of all such monitoring.

Monitorina Parameter Units Method Discharge Frequency Averaging location point period Irrigation Wastewater Volumetric flow rate L/day Continuous N/A Daily area (L1.) sampling (cumulative) when point M2 as as shown in discharging Schedule 1 shown in pH¹ _ Monthly Spot AS/NZS Figure 2. Schedule 1 5667.1 when sample Figure 2 Electrical conductivity¹ dS/m

Table 3: Emissions and discharges monitoring

Discharge point	Monitoring location	Parameter	Units	Frequency	Averaging period	Method
		Total nitrogen	mg/L	irrigating	-	and AS/NZS
		Total phosphorus				5667.10
		Total dissolved solids				
		Total suspended solids				
		BOD				
		Sodium ion (Na+)				
		Calcium ion (Ca ²⁺)				
		Magnesium ion (Mg ²⁺)				
		Sodium adsorption ratio	-			

¹ In field non-NATA accredited analysis permitted for pH and electrical conductivity.

Monitoring of ambient soil

4. The licence holder must monitor soil during for concentrations of the identified parameters in accordance with Table 4: and record the result of all such monitoring.

Table 4: Monitoring of ambient soil concentrations during time limited operations

Monitoring location as shown in Schedule 1 Figure 2	Parameter	Unit	Frequency
Irrigation area L1 Surface	рН	-	
composite sample, comprising 10 samples collected from 0-10	Electrical Conductivity	dS/cm	
cm across irrigation area.	Total nitrogen	mg/kg	
Inimation area I.4. Door	Total Kjeldahl nitrogen		
Irrigation area L1: Deep composite sample comprising of	Total Phosphorus	mgP/kg	0
3 samples collected from 40 -50 cm across each irrigation area.	Phosphorus buffer index		Once every two years in
cin acioss each imgailth area.	Sodicity (exchangeable sodium percentage) (ECP)	-	October starting October 2024
	Sodium		October 2024
	Calcium	mg/kg	
	Magnesium		
	Sodium Adsorption Ratio (SAR)	-	
	Cation exchange capacity (CEC)	-	

Monitoring of ambient groundwater

5. The licence holder must monitor groundwater for concentrations of the identified parameters in accordance with Table 5 and record the results of all such monitoring.

Table 5: Groundwater monitoring

Monitoring well location	Parameter or measurement	Units	Frequency	Averaging period	Sampling method
MW1, MW2, as shown in Schedule 1 Figure 2	Standing water level	m AHD; and mbgl	Monthly until 12 months of consecutive data has been recorded, then quarterly thereafter in (March, June, September, and December)	Spot sample	In-field measurement
	pH ¹	-	Quarterly	Spot	AS5667.1
	Electrical conductivity ¹	dS/m (March, June,	(March, June,	sample	AS5667.11
	Total nitrogen		September,		
	Total phosphorus		and December)		

¹ In field non-NATA accredited analysis permitted for pH and electrical conductivity.

- 6. The licence holder must ensure that all non-continuous analysis undertaken pursuant to conditions 3, 4 and 5 is undertaken by a holder of a current accreditation from the National Association of Testing Authorities (NATA) for the methods of analysis relevant to the corresponding relevant parameter.
- 7. The licence holder must ensure that:
 - (a) monitoring is undertaken in each monthly period such that there are at least 15 days in between the days on which samples are taken in successive months; and
 - (b) monitoring is undertaken in each quarterly period such that there are at least 45 days in between the days on which samples are taken in successive quarters.

Noise verification monitoring

- 8. Within 45 days of the commencement date of the licence, the licence holder must retain the services of a person qualified and experienced in environmental noise assessment and who by their qualifications and experience is eligible to hold membership of the Australian Acoustical Society or the Australian Association of Acoustical Consultants to:
 - (a) investigate the nature and extent of noise emissions on the north, south, east and western premises boundaries from the beverage processing and WWTP operations, including measurement of sound power levels for all process noise sources associated with the operation of the beverage production facility;
 - (b) assess in accordance with the methodology required in the Environmental Protection (Noise) Regulations 1997, the compliance of the noise emissions from the beverage production facility, against the relevant assigned levels specified in those Regulations, with a particular focus on the premises operating hours, and

- (c) compile and submit to the licence holder within 90 days of the commencement date of the licence a report in accordance with condition 9.
- **9.** A report prepared pursuant to condition 8 is to include:
 - (a) a description of the methods used for monitoring and modeling of noise emissions from the premises;
 - (b) details and the results of the investigation undertaken pursuant to condition 8(a);
 - (c) details and results of the assessment of the noise emissions from the process operations, against the relevant assigned levels in the *Environmental Protection (Noise) Regulations 1997* undertaken pursuant to condition 8(b),
 - (d) details of recommended works and or operational changes required to meet the assigned levels in the *Environmental Protection (Noise) Regulations 1997*, and
 - (e) the licence holder must submit to the CEO a copy of the report prepared pursuant to 8(c) within 120 days of the commencement date of the licence.

Records and reporting

- **10.** The licence holder must record the following information in relation to complaints received by the licence holder (whether received directly from a complainant or forwarded to them by the Department or another party) about any alleged emissions from the premises:
 - (a) the name and contact details of the complainant, (if provided);
 - (b) the time and date of the complaint;
 - (c) the complete details of the complaint and any other concerns or other issues raised; and
 - (d) the complete details and dates of any action taken by the licence holder to investigate or respond to any complaint.
- **11.** The licence holder must:
 - (a) undertake an audit of their compliance with the conditions of this licence during the preceding annual period; and
 - (b) prepare and submit to the CEO by no later than **28 February** after the end of that annual period an Annual Audit Compliance Report in the approved form.
- **12.** The licence holder must maintain accurate and auditable books including the following records, information, reports, and data required by this licence:
 - (a) the calculation of fees payable in respect of this licence;
 - (b) any maintenance of infrastructure that is performed in the course of complying with condition 1 of this licence;
 - (c) monitoring programmes undertaken in accordance with conditions 3, 4 and 5 of this licence; and
 - (d) complaints received under condition 10 of this licence.
- **13.** The licence holder must submit to the CEO by no later than **28 February** after the end of each annual period, an Annual Environmental Report for that annual period for the conditions listed in Table 6, and which provides information in accordance with the corresponding requirement set out in Table 6.

Condition or table	Requirement
1	Volume of cider, beer and juice produced each annual period. Tonnages of fruit accepted for processing each annual period. Tonnages biomass (vegetation) harvested from the irrigation area each annual period.
2, 3	 Volume (m³ or kL) of wastewater applied to irrigation area (L1). Monthly photographic evidence illustrating the date, the flow meter serial number and flow meter reading (M1) (ensuring the numbers are readable). Wastewater monitoring data in tabulated and graphical form including the sampling date. Present monthly and annual loadings of nitrogen, phosphorus and BOD applied to the irrigation area (L1) using the Nutrient Loading Spreadsheet in Schedule 2 An assessment and interpretation of the data including comparison to historical trends, water quality limits and loading limits. Copies of laboratory sample analysis reports.
4	Soil monitoring data in tabulated and graphical formats including the sampling date. An assessment and interpretation of the data including comparison to historic trends. Copies of laboratory sample analysis reports
5	Groundwater monitoring data in tabulated and graphical formats including the sampling date. As assessment and interpretation of the data including comparison to historical trends. Copies of laboratory sample analysis reports.
10	A summary of complaints recorded for the annual period.

Table 6: Annual environmental report

Definitions

In this licence, the terms in Table 7 have the meanings defined.

Table 7: Definitions

Term	Definition					
ACN	Australian Company Number					
AHD	Australian height datum					
Annual Audit Compliance Report (AACR)	means a report submitted in a format approved by the CEO (relevant guidelines and templates may be available on the Department's website).					
annual period	a 12-month period commencing from 1 January until 31 December.					
AS 1726	means the current version of Australian Standards AS 1726: Geotechnical site investigations					
AS/NZS 4482.1	means the current version of Australia / New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 4482.1 <i>Guide to the investigation and sampling of sites with potentially contaminated soil</i>					
AS/NZS 5667.1	means the current version of Australian / New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 5667.1 <i>Water Quality – Sampling, Part 1: Guidance on the design of sampling programs, sampling techniques and the preservation and handling of samples</i>					

Term	Definition							
AS/NZS 5667.10	means the current version of Australian / New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 5667.10 Wate Quality – Sampling, Part 10: Guidance on sampling of waste waters							
AS/NZS 5667.11	means the current version of Australian / New Zealand Standards AS/NZS 5667.11 Wate Quality – Sampling, Part 11: Guidance on sampling of groundwaters							
ASTM D5092/D5092M- 16	means the ASTM international standard for <i>Standard practice for design and installation groundwater monitoring bores (Designation ASTM D5092/D5092M-16)</i>							
averaging period	means the time over which a limit is measured or a monitoring result is obtained							
beverage production facility	means all equipment listed in Table 1 including canning, bottling, fruit processing, beverage production, refrigeration units and the WWTP							
BOD	biochemical oxygen demand							
books	has the same meaning given to that term under the EP Act.							
CEO	means Chief Executive Officer of the Department.							
	"submit to / notify the CEO" (or similar), means either:							
	Director General Department administering the <i>Environmental Protection Act 1986</i> Locked Bag 10 Joondalup DC WA 6919							
	or:							
	info@dwer.wa.gov.au							
Department	means the department established under section 35 of the <i>Public Sector Management</i> . <i>1994</i> (WA) and designated as responsible for the administration of the EP Act, which includes Part V Division 3.							
dS/m	decisiemens per metre							
emission	has the same meaning given to that term under the EP Act.							
harvest	means the quantity of a natural product gathered in a single season.							
kg/ha	kilograms per hectare							
kL	kilolitres							
L/day	litres per day							
licence holder	means the occupier of the premises, being the person to whom this licence has been granted, as identified on the front of this licence							
licensed liquid waste facility	means a liquid waste facility that holds a licence under Part V, Division 3 of the EP Act							
m	metres							
mbgl	metres below ground level							
mg/L	milligrams per litre							
monthly	means a one-month period from the first day of a month until the last day of that same month							
NATA	means the (Australian) National Association of Testing Authorities							
NATA accredited	redited means in relation to the analysis of a sample that the laboratory is NATA accredited for the specified analysis at the time of the analysis							
premises	means the premises to which this licence applies, as specified at the front of this licence							

Term	Definition						
	and as shown on the premises map (Figure 1) in Schedule 1 to this licence						
quarterly	means the 4 inclusive periods from 1 January to 31 March, 1 April to 30 June, 1 July to 30 September and 1 October to 31 December in the same year						
rainfall event	means greater than or equal to 2 mm of precipitation within a 24-hour period						
spot sample	means a discrete sample representative at the time and place at which the sample is taken						
waste	has the same meaning given to that term under the EP Act						
Treated wastewater	means water that has passed through the wastewater treatment system						

END OF CONDITIONS

Schedule 1: Maps

Premises map

The boundary of the prescribed premises is shown in pink in the map below



Figure 1: Site layout of the premises.

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Schedule 2: Nutrient loading calculator

Irrigation areas ¹ : size, volume irrigated, irrigation days			Annual period (as defined by your licence) ²											Volume irrigated		
	Size (ha)		January	Februar y	March	April	Мау	June	July	August	Septemb er	October	Novemb er	Decemb er	during annual period (kL) ³	
EXAMPLE irrigation area:	25	volume irrigated	kL	20,000	20,000	18,000	15,000	0	0	0	0	15,000	18,000	20,000	25,000	151,000
	20	days of irrigation	days/mont h	29	28	30	25	0	0	0	0	20	25	30	27	
		volume														
Irrigation Area 1:		irrigated days of irrigation	kL days/mont h													
Irrigation Area 2:		volume irrigated	kL													
		days of irrigation	days/mont h													
Irrigation		volume irrigated	kL													
Area 3:		days of irrigation	days/mont h													
	FXAMPI	.E sampling dat	<i>۵</i> .	20/01/20	15/02/20	17/03/20	19/04/20	12/05/20	12/06/20	9/07/20	15/08/20	12/09/20	15/10/20	13/11/20	7/12/202	
		E total nitrogen		22 13.2	22 21.3	22 17.6	22 19.2	22 42.4	22 25.1	22 30.4	22 40.3	22 34.8	22 38.7	22 44.6	2 47.3	
	EXAMPL		mg/L	4.8	12.1	6.1	4.9	4.8	4.1	3.3	5.2	4.4	5.2	5.1	7.5	
			ampling date:	-												
Wastewater quality⁴	For w	For wineries to indicate sampling period: ⁵														
	Total nitr	ogen	mg/L													
	Total pho		mg/L													
	Biochem demand	Biochemical oxygen demand														
Nutrient and	BOD loadin	ıgs ⁶		January	Februar v	March	April	Мау	June	July	August	Septemb er	October	Novemb er	Decemb er	kg/ha/annual period ⁷
EXAMPLE tota	al nitrogen le	oadings		10.6	17.0	12.7	11.5					20.9	27.9	35.7	47.3	183.5
FXAMPLE B(OD loadings		kg/ha/mo nth	3.8	9.7	4.4	2.9					2.6	3.7	4.1	7.5	38.8
EXAMPLE BOD loadings kg/ha/day			0.13	0.35	0.15	0.12					0.13	0.15	0.14	0.28		
Irrigation Area 1	Total nitr	ogen	kg/ha/mo nth													
	Total pho	-	kg/ha/mo nth													
	demand nth kg/ha															
and an a the se			kg/ha/day													
Irrigation Area 2	Total nitr	ogen	kg/ha/mo nth													
		osphorus	kg/ha/mo nth													
	demand		kg/ha/mo nth													
1 1 1			kg/ha/day													
Irrigation Area 3	Total nitr		kg/ha/mo nth													
	Total phosphorus		kg/ha/mo nth kg/ha/mo													
	demand	Biochemical oxygen demand														
			kg/ha/day													

Licence limits ⁸								
		kg/ha/annual period	kg/ha/mo nth	kg/ha/d ay				
Irrigati on area 1	ΤN							
	TP							
	BO D							
Irrigati on area 2	TN							
	TP							
	BO D							
Irrigati on area 3	ΤN							
	TP							
	BO D							

White cells should be filled in where applicable. Pale yellow cells will calculate automatically.

NOTE 1 - Where there is irrigation to more than 3 areas, additional copies of this sheet should be completed.

NOTE 2 - This sheet should be completed for your annual period as defined by your licence.

E.g. If your annual period is from 1 October to the 30 September in the following year, for the 2022-2023 annual period, you should include data from January - September 2023, and October - December 2022.

NOTE 3 - Volume irrigated during the annual period (kL), for each irrigation area is the sum of the monthly volumes irrigated to that area. E.g. For the example shown: Volume irrigated during annual period = 20,000 (Jan) + 20,000 (Feb) + 18,000 (Mar) + 15,000 (Apr) + 15,000 (Sep) + 18,000 (Oct) + 20,000 (Nov) + 25,000 (Dec) = 151,000 kL. Noting that for the

example there was no irrigation during the months of May, June, July or August.

NOTE 4 - The sampling and analysis of your wastewater quality should be undertaken in accordance with your licence conditions.

For sampling less often than monthly, i.e. quarterly, 6-monthly, or annually: for months where no sampling is required, wastewater quality should be taken to be equivalent to the most recent sample taken. E.g. Quarterly sampling during Feb, May, Aug and Nov - total nitrogen concentrations were analysed to be 7, 11, 8 and 13 mg/L respectively in the wastewater. For March and April, as February was the most recent sample taken, total nitrogen concentration is estimated to be 7 mg/L. Similarly, for June and July, as May was the most recent sample, total nitrogen concentration is estimated to be 11 mg/L. There will be no sampling date associated with non-sampling months.

If your licence requires you to monitor loading rates for additional parameters (e.g. inorganic nitrogen, reactive phosphorus etc.) additional copies of this sheet should be completed for the additional parameters.

NOTE 5 - For wineries to indicate sampling period - this row is only required to be completed if your licence condition specifies a sampling period e.g. pre-vinatge, peak vintage, late vintage, post vintage, non-vintage. Indicate which sampling date corresponds with which period.

NOTE 6 - Parameter loading (TN, TP or BOD) each month per hectare for each irrigation area (kg/ha/month): monthly concentration of parameter (TN, TP or BOD) in mg/L * monthly volume of wastewater irrigated to irrigation area (kL) ÷ 1000

size of irrigation area

E.g. Using the example shown, for total nitrogen for January: 13.2 mg/L * 20,000 kL / 1,000 = 264 kg/month. 264 / 25 ha = 10.6 kg/ha/month (for January).

Loading of parameter (BOD) each day per hectare for each irrigation area (kg/ha/day): BOD loading (kg/ha/month) ÷ number of days of irrigation during that month. E.g. Using the example shown, for BOD for October: 3.7 kg/ha/month / 25 days of irrigation during October = 0.15 kg/ha/day (for October)

NOTE 7 - To calculate annual loading of parameter (TN, TP or BOD) per hectare (kg/ha/annual period): sum of monthly loadings (kg/ha/month). You should calculate an annual loading (kg/ha/annual period) for each relevant parameter for each irrigation area.

E.g. Using the example shown, for total nitrogen: 10.6 (Jan) + 17 (Feb) + 12.7 (Mar) + 11.5 (Apr) + 20.9 (Sep) + 27.9 (Oct) + 35.7 (Nov) + 47.3 (Dec) kg/ha/month = 183.5 kg/ha/annual period

NOTE 8 - Relevant licence limits to be entered. Where TN = total nitrogen, TP = total phosphorus, and BOD = biochemical oxygen demand. Once applicable licence limits have been entered, the calculated loadings will become red text if they exceed the relevant limit.

Note: Licence holders can request a digital Excel spreadsheet (with in-built formulas) on request.

Send all requests to info@dwer.wa.gov.au

Attention: Process Industries and quote the licence number.