

Applicability of this calculator tool to the BREEAM Family of Schemes (BREEAM, CEEQUAL and HQM)

This calculator tool is applicable for BREEAM, CEEQUAL and HQM schemes used in the UK version 2012 onwards.

The relevance of this tool to a project being assessed with any of these schemes is dependent on the scheme version. Reference should be made to the scheme Technical Manual and specifically the assessment criteria. If the assessment criteria do not require completion of this tool, the information set out here is not applicable. This tool is demonstrating compliance with the assessment criteria in those scheme versions.

Instructions for Use:

To obtain habitat type references and associated input values, please refer to GN36 Appendix 1 of the BREEAM website, the Assessor Extranet or BREEAM Projects website. Habitat types are either the Phase 1 types or Defra 2012b types provided in the appendix.

All details need to be completed before a score is given. If any information is entered into a cell, the cell must be completed; if a particular habitat type is not applicable, it should be left entirely blank.

When entering area-based information, either Hectares or Square Metres can be used. This applies to all area-based assessment.

All length-based measurements should be given in Metres.

If the project meets the necessary requirements to undergo a simplified calculation method (Ecology Calculation Methodology - Route 2 Section 4 for further information), all conditions must be in "Good" condition unless evidence can be provided that the habitat is in "Good" condition.

On the "Summary" tab, only cells highlighted need to be completed by the Ecologist, the rest of the cells contain information provided in the tool.

To aid navigation, the tool currently provides 25 habitat parcels for each habitat type and allows the user to add new rows. If this number is insufficient for the project being assessed, please contact BRE for more rows. Please specify an estimate of the number of rows required to complete the assessment.

To understand further about how the final score is determined, please refer to GN36 BREEAM Technical Manual - Ecology Methodology - Route 2 for full details on the calculation methodology.

To determine the number of credits or points that could be awarded based on the result of the assessment, please refer to the BREEAM, CEEQUAL and HQM Technical Manual.

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BREEAM@bre.co.uk and request additional
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