

Network Outcomes Contract	
Governance & Management Group Clarification	

Reference Number:	NOCC No. 17
Subject Title:	OPM 50 Lined Surface Water Channels
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Clarification Purpose	Clarification is provided to ensure the NOC is being interpreted consistently. The clarification does not remove or supersede the Network Outcomes Contract documentation.

SUBJECT

This clarification is issued to explain the intent of the Contract Standard description for OPM 50. Contract extract:

OPM GROUP 6.2.3: LINED SURFACE WATER CHANNELS (10% SAMPLE SIZE, MEASURED MONTHLY)					
ОРМ	ROAD CLASS	CONTRACT STANDARD	DEFECT	PIP	
50	All Roads	≤ 3 defects per 100m of asset length, per audit section.	Isolated blockage that could allow water to pond or flow onto the carriageway or undermine the asset integrity.	2 weeks	
51	All Roads	No more than 5% of the asset length, in any	> 50% of the channel hydraulic cross-section inoperative.	2 weeks	

RESPONSE

The intent of ' \leq 3 defects per 100m of asset length, per audit section' is that there are no more than 3 defects within any 100m length of lined surface water channel, not an average over the full audit section.