

**Local Management Areas**

# Reasons for status for the water bodies within the Bush LMA

December 2014

**Water body name:** Dunseverick River  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE040403034

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Moderate Status  
**2021 Objective:** Good Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low
Ammonia	High	High	High	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor
Dissolved oxygen	High	High	High	High	High	High
Macrophytes						High
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Soluble reactive phosphate	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
Biochemical oxygen demand*	Moderate	Good	Good	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	High	High	High	High	High	High

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**Water body name:** River Bush  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE040404001

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Good Status  
**2021 Objective:** Good Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Moderate	Good	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Low	Medium	Low	Low	Low	Medium
Ammonia	High	High	High	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Moderate	Good				Good
Dissolved oxygen	High	High	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Macrophytes		Good				Moderate
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Soluble reactive phosphate	Good	High	High	High	High	High
Biochemical oxygen demand*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	Good	Good	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

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**Water body name:** Black Water  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE040404002

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Good Status  
**2021 Objective:** Good Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1b - Likely to be at risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium
Ammonia	High	High	High	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Dissolved oxygen	Moderate	Good	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Macrophytes		High	High	High	High	High
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Phytobenthos	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Soluble reactive phosphate	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
Biochemical oxygen demand*	High	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	High	High	High	High	High	High
Morphological conditions	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

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<sup>1</sup> Morphology is classified as moderate or worse because a full survey has not yet been completed.

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**Water body name:** Doughery Water  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE040404003

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Good Status  
**2021 Objective:** Good Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1b - Likely to be at risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium
Ammonia	High	High	High	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Dissolved oxygen	High	High	Good	Good	Good	Good
Fish		High	High			
Macrophytes		High	High	High	High	High
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Phytobenthos			Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Soluble reactive phosphate	Good	Good	Good	High	High	High
Biochemical oxygen demand*	Good	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	High	High	High	High	High	High
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

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**Water body name:** Dervock River  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE040404004

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Good Status  
**2021 Objective:** Good Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1b - Likely to be at risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Moderate	Poor	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Medium	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium
Ammonia	High	High	High	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Moderate	Poor	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Dissolved oxygen	Moderate	Good	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Macrophytes		Good	High	High	High	High
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Phytobenthos	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Soluble reactive phosphate	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
Biochemical oxygen demand*	High	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	High	High	High	High	High	High
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

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**Water body name:** Moss-side Water  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE040404035

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Good Status  
**2021 Objective:** Good Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium
Ammonia	High	High	High	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Dissolved oxygen	Good	Good	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Fish	High					
Macrophytes		Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Phytobenthos	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Soluble reactive phosphate	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
Biochemical oxygen demand*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	High	High	High	High	High	High
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

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**Water body name:** Stracam River  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE040404036

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Moderate Status  
**2021 Objective:** Moderate Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium	Low	Low
Ammonia	Good	Good	Good	Good	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor
Dissolved oxygen	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Moderate	Good
Macrophytes		Good	Good	High	High	High
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Phytobenthos	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Soluble reactive phosphate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Good
Biochemical oxygen demand*	Moderate	Poor	Poor	Poor	Good	Moderate
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	High	High	High	High	High	High
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

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**Water body name:** Doughery Water  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE040404037

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Good Status  
**2021 Objective:** Good Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium
Ammonia	High	High	High	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Dissolved oxygen	High	High	Good	Good	Good	Good
Fish		High	High			
Macrophytes		High	High	High	High	High
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Phytobenthos			Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Soluble reactive phosphate	Good	Good	Good	High	High	High
Biochemical oxygen demand*	Good	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	High	High	High	High	High	High
Morphological conditions	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

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**Water body name:** Well Water  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE040404038

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Good Status  
**2021 Objective:** Good Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium
Ammonia	High	High	High	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Moderate	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
Dissolved oxygen	High	High	High	Good	Good	Good
Macrophytes		Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Phytobenthos	Moderate	Moderate	Good	Good	Good	Good
Soluble reactive phosphate	High	High	High	High	High	High
Biochemical oxygen demand*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	High	High	High	High	High	High
Morphological conditions	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

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**Water body name:** Inver Burn  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE04040404

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Good Status  
**2021 Objective:** Good Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1b - Likely to be at risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium
Ammonia	High	High	High	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Dissolved oxygen	High	High	Good	Good	Good	Good
Fish		High	High			
Macrophytes		High	High	High	High	High
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Phytobenthos			Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Soluble reactive phosphate	Good	Good	Good	High	High	High
Biochemical oxygen demand*	Good	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	High	High	High	High	High	High
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

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Hexachlorobutadiene	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Hexachlorocyclohexanes (total)			Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Isoproturon					Pass	Pass
Linuron		Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Mecoprop		Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Mercury (dissolved)			Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Naphthalene	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Nonylphenol			Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Pentachlorophenol	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Phenol	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Polyaromatichydrocarbons (PAH)					Pass	Pass
Simazine			Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Tetrachloroethylene	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Tributyltin			Fail	Fail	Fail	Fail
Toluene		Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Trichloroethylene	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Trichlorobenzenes (total)			Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Trichloromethane (chloroform)	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Trifluralin	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass

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**Water body name:** River Bush Upper  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE040404049  
*This is a heavily modified water body.*  
**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Good ecological potential  
**2021 Objective:** Good ecological potential  
**2027 Objective:** Good ecological potential  
  
**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	<b>MEP</b>	<b>MEP</b>	<b>MEP</b>	<b>MEP</b>	<b>MEP</b>	<b>MEP</b>
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Low	High	High	Medium	Medium	Medium
Ammonia	High	High	High	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Good	High	High	High	High	High
Dissolved oxygen	High	High	High	Good	Good	Good
Macrophytes		High	High	Good	Good	Good
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Phytobenthos			High	High	High	High
Soluble reactive phosphate	High	High	High	High	High	High
Biochemical oxygen demand*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Morphological conditions				Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

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**Water body name:** Flesk Water  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBN1NE040404050

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Good Status  
**2021 Objective:** Good Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium
Ammonia	High	High	High	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Moderate	Moderate	Good	Good	Good	Good
Dissolved oxygen	High	High	High	High	High	High
Fish	High	High	High	High	High	High
Macrophytes		High	High	High	High	High
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Phytobenthos			Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Soluble reactive phosphate	High	High	High	High	High	High
Biochemical oxygen demand*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	High	High	High	High	High	High
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

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**Water body name:** River Bush Stranocum  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE040404051

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Good Status  
**2021 Objective:** Good Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Moderate	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Low	Medium	Low	Low	Low	Medium
Ammonia	High	High	High	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Moderate	Good				Good
Dissolved oxygen	High	High	Good	Good	Good	Good
Fish		Good	Good		Good	Good
Macrophytes		Good				High
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Soluble reactive phosphate	Good	High	High	High	High	High
Biochemical oxygen demand*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	High	High	Good	Good	Good	Good
Morphological conditions				Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

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**Water body name:** Burn Gushet River  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBN1NE040404053  
*This is a heavily modified water body.*  
**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Moderate ecological potential  
**2021 Objective:** Good ecological potential  
**2027 Objective:** Good ecological potential

**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	<b>PEP</b>	<b>BEP</b>	<b>BEP</b>	<b>PEP</b>	<b>PEP</b>	<b>PEP</b>
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low
Ammonia	Good	High	High	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor
Dissolved oxygen	Moderate	Good	Good	Good	Good	High
Fish		Bad	Bad			
Macrophytes		Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Phytobenthos			Good	Good	Good	Good
Soluble reactive phosphate	Moderate	Good	Good	Good	Moderate	Good
Biochemical oxygen demand*	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	High	High	High	High	High	High
Morphological conditions				Poor	Poor	Poor
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

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**Water body name:** Burn Gushet River  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE0404054  
*This is a heavily modified water body.*  
**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Moderate ecological potential  
**2021 Objective:** Good ecological potential  
**2027 Objective:** Good ecological potential  
  
**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	<b>PEP</b>	<b>PEP</b>	<b>PEP</b>	<b>PEP</b>	<b>PEP</b>	<b>PEP</b>
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Low	Medium	Medium	Low	Low	Low
Ammonia	Good	Good	Good	High	High	High
Benthic Invertebrates	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor
Dissolved oxygen	Bad	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Moderate
Macrophytes		Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
pH	High	High	High	High	High	High
Phytobenthos			Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Soluble reactive phosphate	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
Biochemical oxygen demand*	High	Good	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	High
Temperature*	High	High	High	High	High	High
Hydrological regime	High	High	High	High	High	High
Morphological conditions				Poor	Poor	Poor
Copper (dissolved)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass
Zinc (total)	Pass	Pass			Pass	Pass

\* This element does not contribute to overall classification.

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For more information on the classification process see:  
[www.doeni.gov.uk/niea/ne-heavily-modified](http://www.doeni.gov.uk/niea/ne-heavily-modified)

**Water body name:** Burn Gushet River  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI1NE040404055

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush & Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Good Status  
**2021 Objective:** Good Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1b - Likely to be at risk

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	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>	Unmeasured	Unmeasured	Unmeasured	Unmeasured	Unmeasured	Unmeasured

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Hydrological regime	High	High	High	High	High	High
Morphological conditions	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate	<sup>1</sup> Moderate

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\* This element does not contribute to overall classification.

<sup>1</sup> Morphology is classified as moderate or worse because a full survey has not yet been completed.

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For more information on the classification process see:

[www.doeni.gov.uk/niea/ne-riverslakes](http://www.doeni.gov.uk/niea/ne-riverslakes)

**Water body name:** North Coast  
**Water body identification code:** UKGBNI6NE010

**Catchment stakeholder group:** Bush and Glens  
**Local management area:** Bush  
**2015 Objective:** Good Status  
**2021 Objective:** Good Status  
**2027 Objective:** Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk

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	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Overall status:</b>	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good
<b>Confidence in overall status:</b>						

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Alien Species						Absent
Specific pollutants				Pass	Pass	
Benthic Invertebrates	High	High	Good	Good	Good	Good
Dissolved inorganic nitrogen	Good	Good	Good	High	High	High
Dissolved oxygen	High	High	High	High	High	High
General conditions	Good	Good	Good	High	High	High
Macroalgae	High	High	High	High	High	High
Phytoplankton			High	High	High	High

The yearly classifications are based on monitoring data up to the end of the previous year where possible. Data more than 6 years old is not used for classifications.

For more information on the classification process see:  
<http://www.doeni.gov.uk/niea/ne-coastal>

<b>Water body name:</b>	Dunseverick River
<b>Water body identification code:</b>	UKGBNI1NE040403034
<b>Catchment stakeholder group:</b>	Bush & Glens
<b>Local management area:</b>	Bush
<b>2015 Objective:</b>	Moderate Status
<b>2021 Objective:</b>	Good Status
<b>2027 Objective:</b>	Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk

**2009 overall status:** Poor   
( Confidence in overall status: Low )

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### Reasons for setting alternative objectives

#### Natural conditions - Ecological recovery time

The time taken for the plants and animals to re-colonise and become established after the chemical and physicochemical or hydromorphological conditions have been restored to 'good'; or the time taken for the habitat conditions to 'stabilise' after improvement works have been implemented, will cause a delay in reaching good status until after 2015.

<b>Water body name:</b>	Stracam River
<b>Water body identification code:</b>	UKGBNI1NE040404036
<b>Catchment stakeholder group:</b>	Bush & Glens
<b>Local management area:</b>	Bush
<b>2015 Objective:</b>	Moderate Status
<b>2021 Objective:</b>	Moderate Status
<b>2027 Objective:</b>	Good Status

**2005 risk assessment:** 1a - At risk


**2009 overall status:** Poor   
( Confidence in overall status: Low )

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<b>Water body name:</b>	Burn Gushet River
<b>Water body identification code:</b>	UKGBNI1NE040404053 <i>This is a heavily modified water body.</i>
<b>Catchment stakeholder group:</b>	Bush & Glens
<b>Local management area:</b>	Bush
<b>2015 Objective:</b>	Moderate ecological potential
<b>2021 Objective:</b>	Good ecological potential
<b>2027 Objective:</b>	Good ecological potential
<b>2005 risk assessment:</b>	1a - At risk
<b>2009 ecological potential:</b>	Poor 
( Confidence in ecological potential:	Low )

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### Reasons for setting alternative objectives

#### **Technically infeasible - Practical constraints of a technical nature**

Practical constraints of a technical nature prevent implementation of the measure by an earlier deadline.

<b>Water body name:</b>	Burn Gushet River
<b>Water body identification code:</b>	UKGBNI1NE040404054 <i>This is a heavily modified water body.</i>
<b>Catchment stakeholder group:</b>	Bush & Glens
<b>Local management area:</b>	Bush
<b>2015 Objective:</b>	Moderate ecological potential
<b>2021 Objective:</b>	Good ecological potential
<b>2027 Objective:</b>	Good ecological potential
<b>2005 risk assessment:</b>	1a - At risk
<b>2009 ecological potential:</b>	Poor 
( Confidence in ecological potential:	Low )

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