

“Drought Risk Profile Card”. An example has been provided below.

You can adapt the form to your needs and actions.

For more information see Section 4 (page 22) or Appendix 1 (page 76) of the guidance document.

Farm & Catchment

- Holding/catchment: _____ SEPA area: _____
- Main sources: River/burn Borehole Spring Mains Storage
- Licence summary (rate/volume/conditions): _____

Scores & Bands

- Hazard: _____ (Low/Med/High)
- Exposure: _____ (Low/Med/High)
- Vulnerability: _____ (Low/Med/High)
- Overall (grid or ODRI): _____

Key Numbers

- Peak-day demand (m³/day): _____
- Storage **days of cover** at start of July: _____ days
- Priority crops/uses (by margin per m³): 1) _____ 2) _____ 3) _____

Top 3 Weak Points

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Triggers & Actions

- **Trigger A (seasonal): First SEPA Alert → Top up storage; irrigate at cooler times; leak check**
- **Trigger B (local): DRAT low-flow run ↑ two weeks → Stagger with neighbours; switch to storage for priority blocks**
- **Trigger C (on-farm): Storage < 10 days cover → Priority-only irrigation; secure backup source**

Contacts

- Neighbour abstraction rota (names/numbers): _____
- Pump/pipe repair contact: _____
- SEPA—local office contact: _____