

## GOYDER INSTITUTE FOR WATER RESEARCH MODEL METADATA TEMPLATE

METADATA	DETAILS
REQUIRED	
Model Name and	Black Water Risk Assessment Tool – Chowilla modification
version	
Date of lodgement	August 2015
of Metadata	
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Project Number	<b>Project No.</b> E.1.12 Science to inform operational decisions of major environmental
and Name	infrastructure on the Chowilla Floodplain and other regulated floodplains in the SA
	River Murray: Stage 1.
Project Team	Project Leader: Todd Wallace, todd.wallace@adelaide.edu.au
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Model Location	Where is the model archived? Available from contact person
	The model is stored at SA Water.
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	http://river.sawater.sa.gov.au/teamsites/wer/Research%20Projects/GoyderArchive/
	E.1.12%20Blackwater%20Model/Black%20Water%20Risk%20Assessment%20Tool.zip
	Is there a version of the model in active further development? Where is this active
	version located?
	No.
IP or other	***** REFER TO GOYDER INSTITUTE FOR WATER RESEARCH AGREEMENT *****
permission	Original Black Water Risk Assessment Tool
requirements	Darren Baldwin
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METADATA REQUIRED	DETAILS
Licences associated with model and/or dependencies	** <b>REFER TO GOYDER INSTITUTE FOR WATER RESEARCH AGREEMENT</b> *** There are no licenses associated with this model.
	above). The modified model is freely available from Darren Baldwin (details above). The modified model is freely available from SA Water. Contact: Robert Dalv (details under 'Owner')
Confidentiality agreements associated with model and/or dependencies	None
Brief outline of model	The original Black Water Risk Assessment Tool spreadsheet was modified to be applicable to anabranch wetlands such as Chowilla or Katarpko Creek. These systems are characterised by filling during flood phase of hydrograph and draining during recession phase. Qriv
	Q <sub>in</sub> Anabranch
	Flood Plain Regulator
	The model estimates quantities of DOC released into flood water via leeching from plant litter and the corresponding reduction in dissolved oxygen. The model also simulates the dilution that occurs at the point where the wetland water flows back into the anabranch as well as main river channel. Estimates for the downstream dissolved oxygen and organic carbon concentrations are calculated.
	Details are available in: Goyder Institute for Water Research Technical Report Series No. 15/18 Available at: <u>http://goyderinstitute.org/</u>
Area/region covered Platform and language and version	River Murray, Chowilla Excel spreadsheet (Microsoft Office 2010)





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Dependencies upon:	Flood inundation and recession hydrograph time series.
<ul><li>i) other models and/or</li></ul>	Estimate of floodplain litter load.
platforms (including	
version) and location	
ii) essential data and	
data sources and	
location	
How was model used	Parameterisation/Validation (if applicable; include time period of
	calibration/simulation)
	o 12/09/2014-11/01/2015
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	Scenarios and outputs from various runs (indicate where these are stored)
	<ul> <li>Chowing regulator commissioning test was simulated and compared against observed data</li> </ul>
	against observed data
	o A generic spreadsheet for future inditidations was created
	Assumptions behind model
	• The model has many internal parameters for DOC and DO dynamics
	such as relative composition of litter (leaves, bark, twigs & grass)
	with corresponding leaching rates and yields; these were unchanged
	from the original version (Whitworth 2013).
	<ul> <li>Floodplain considered a fully mixed system</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Complete mixing upon dilution is assumed</li> </ul>
	Limitations of model
	<ul> <li>Annabranch-fioodplain exchange is important during periods of constant water levels. An estimate for one particular event was</li> </ul>
	included but may change with different systems or bydrographs
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	Extensibility of model (can it he run for different time periods)
	• Provided hydrograph and litter load data are available the model is
	suitable for any time period.
	Goyder Institute Technical Report 15/18 is available at
	http://goyderinstitute.org/
Specificity of data	For this test
	<ul> <li>Inundation modelling was undertaken by Andrew Keough (MBDA)</li> </ul>
	using both the 1D MIKE11 model and the 1D-2D MIKE FLOOD
	model.
	• Survey of floodplain litter load by Todd Wallace (Wallace 2015).
Datasets/data products	I rial dataset, observed data & model validation included in zip archive with
produced	model spreadsheet. Details provided in 'Model Location'.
Other Information	













METADATA REQUIRED	DETAILS
Publications (papers and technical reports)	Whitworth KL, Baldwin DS and Keogh A (2013) Improving the capacity to manage blackwater in the southern Murray-Darling Basin. Final Report prepared for the Murray-Darling Basin Authority by The Murray-Darling Freshwater Research Centre, June 2013.
	Wallace, T.A., Furst, D., Upadhyay, S and Daly, R. 2015, Science to inform operational decisions of major environmental infrastructure on the Chowilla Floodplain and other regulated floodplains in the SA River Murray, Goyder Institute for Water Research Technical Report Series. No. 15/18, Adelaide, South Australia.
	Goyder Institute Technical Report 15/18 is available at <a href="http://goyderinstitute.org/">http://goyderinstitute.org/</a>
Collaborations and	
acknowledgements	
Keywords	River Murray, Chowilla, black water, dissolved oxygen, water quality model

