

GLEN CREEK CATCHMENT LOCAL MANAGEMENT RULES



1. Catchment Information

The Glen Creek flows into the Kiewa River approximately 3.5km downstream of Dederang, and encompasses an area of approximately 80 km². The mean annual flow out of the Glen Catchment is approximately 18,820 ML/year. The North East Regional River Health Strategy lists the Lower Kiewa River tributaries as high value assets as they contain Mountain Galaxias. Key issues identified are stock access to the creeks, exotic flora, degraded riparian vegetation, bed instability, bank erosion, water quality and loss of stream habitat.

The catchment is bound to the east by the Kiewa River and to the north by the Yackandandah Creek catchment. Coldwater creek is the main tributary of Glen Creek and the main township in the catchment is Dederang.

The catchment is predominantly forested but is cleared along the creek frontage with some irrigation in the upper catchment. Flows in the lower catchment of Glen Creek are seasonal, with flow ceasing during dry periods.

2. Management of Licences

Restriction Triggers for each stage of restriction.

Restriction Stages	Trigger Values for Introduction of Next Stage of Restriction	Percent Restrictable Demand
Stage 1 (Roster)	25 ML/day	0%
Stage 2	20 ML/day	25%
Stage 3	15 ML/day	50%
Stage 4	10 ML/day	75%
Stage 5 (Suspension)	<=5 ML/day	100%

Note: Restrictions are implemented during dry periods prior to flows reducing to the trigger value. For example, if a river flow is reducing rapidly, a higher stage or suspension will be put in place before the trigger level is reached to provide for adequate flow for domestic and stock use and the environment.

3. Compliance Point

The stream is visually assessed at Dederang, which is 3.5 km upstream of the confluence with the Kiewa River.

4. Licences

Licence Allocation in Glen Creek and Tributaries

Licence Type	Number of Licences	Volume (ML)
Irrigation	21	329.1
Registered Dams	6	227
Total	27	556.1

5. Additional Information

Stream codes and sustainable diversion limit zones are provided within this document for identification purposes when discussing the catchment diversion management with Goulburn-Murray Water Officers.

Stream Codes

Stream codes used in the management of the Glen Creek and Tributaries:

4020134 4020116

Sustainable Diversion Limit zones

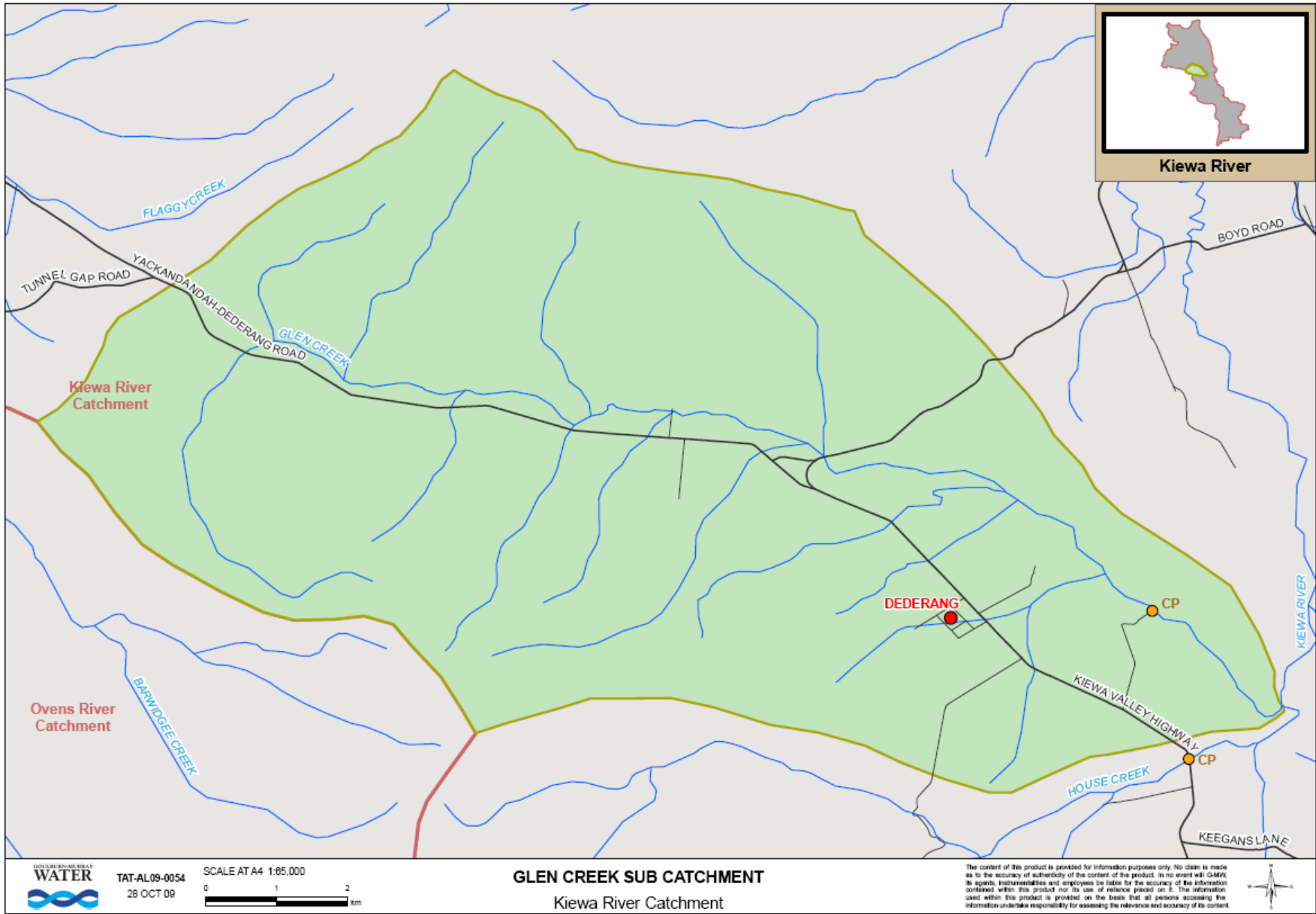
Sustainable Diversion Limit zones used in the management of surface water trade within the Glen catchment:

4020004

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GLEN CREEK SUB CATCHMENT
Kiewa River Catchment

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