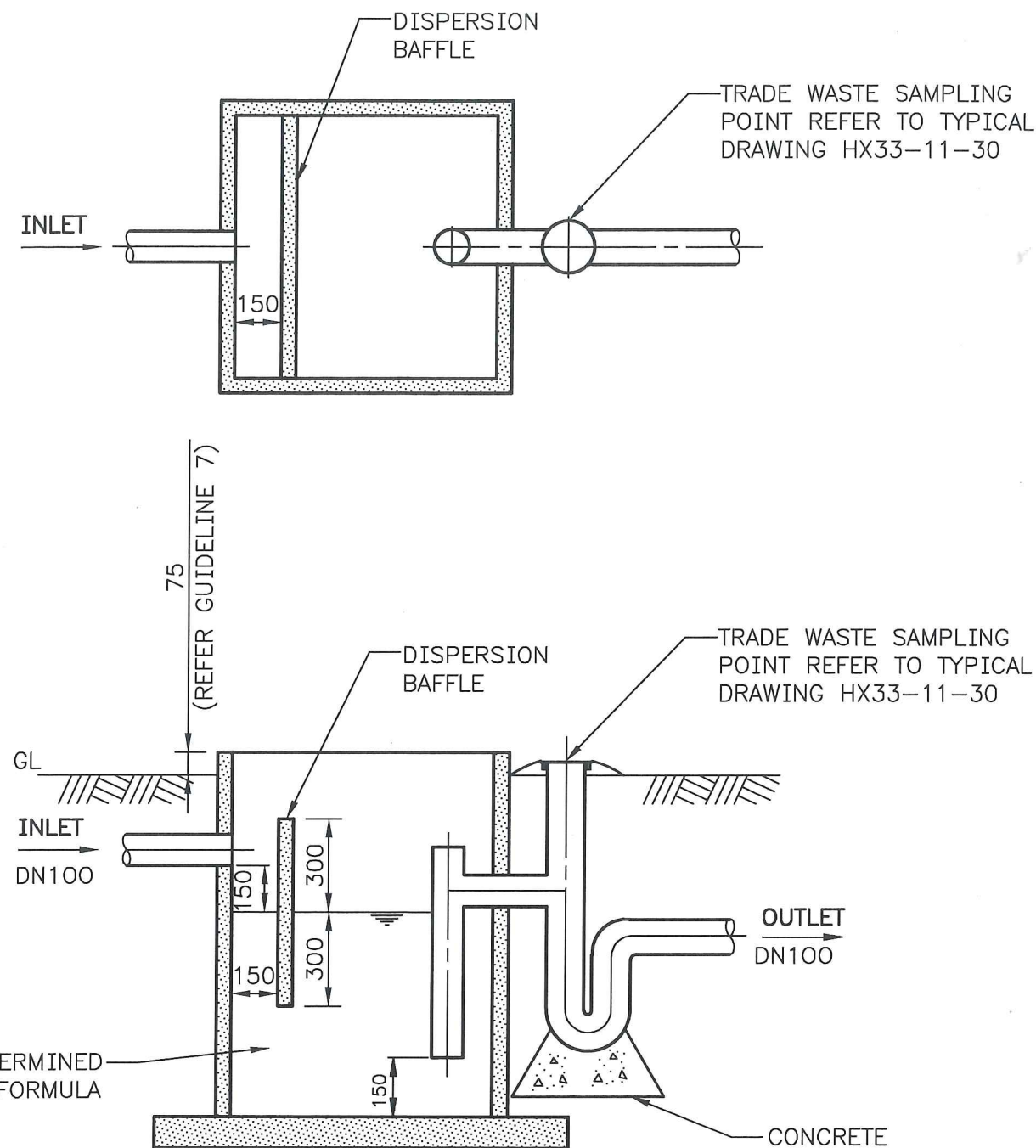


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## GUIDELINES

1. CONSTRUCTION OF THE PIT SHALL BE OF REINFORCED CONCRETE OR OTHER APPROVED MATERIAL. CAN BE EITHER RECTANGULAR OR CIRCULAR.
2. THE LID SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED OF GALVANISED OPEN GRATING WITH A RAISED SURROUND OF NOT LESS THAN 75MM ABOVE GROUND LEVEL. IF LOCATED IN SEALED AREA THE PIT MAY BE FINISHED FLUSH WITH THE FINISHED FLOOR LEVEL, BUT MUST GRADE AWAY MINIMUM OF 25MM IF LOCATED OUTSIDE. LID MUST COMPLY TO LATEST VERSION OF AS 3996.
3. ALL FIXINGS AND FIXING BRACKETS FOR BAFFLE MUST ME MADE OF 316 STAINLESS STEEL.
4. THE DISPERSION BAFFLE SHALL BE MADE OF MATERIAL SO THAT IT DOES NOT DISTORT FROM THE HEAT.
5. ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN ARE IN MILLIMETRES.
6. ALL ASSOCIATED PLUMBING WORK IS TO COMPLY WITH THE PLUMBERS LICENSING AND PLUMBING STANDARDS REGULATIONS 2000 (THE PLUMBING REGULATIONS) AND LATEST VERSIONS OF AS/NZS 3500.1 AND AS/NZS 3500.2.
7. APPLICABLE WHERE PIT IS LOCATED IN AREA THAT IS SUBJECT TO PONDING OR ON OPEN UNSEALED GROUND IN A NON-TRAFFICABLE AREA. IF AREA IS SEALED THEN GROUND MUST BE GRADED AWAY FROM FINISHED LID LEVEL OR SAMPLE POINT TO PREVENT INGRESS OF WATER.
8. IF SAMPLE POINT IS LOCATED IN A DRIVEWAY AREA OR SUBJECT TO STORMWATER INTRUSION, THEN IT MUST BE SEALED AND VENTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH TYPICAL DRAWING HX33-10-10.
15. IF INSTALLED IN GARDEN BED, GRASSED AREA OR THE LIKE THEN FINAL FINISH OF THE ENTIRE LENGTH AND WIDTH OF THE COVER BASE MUST BE OF SOLID MATERIAL (PREFERABLY CONCRETE) AND FINISHED TO THE TOP OF THE LID TO ALLOW SAFE OPENING OF LID COVERS.

## SIZING FORMULA

$$V = V_H + V_H \times F \quad F = \frac{T_H - T_A}{T_A - T_C}$$

V = THE MINIMUM VOLUME OF THE PIT BELOW THE WATER LEVEL.  
V<sub>H</sub> = ESTIMATED VOLUME OF HOT WATER DISCHARGED AT ONE TIME.  
F = THE ESTIMATED FACTOR.  
T<sub>H</sub> = MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE OF HOT WATER DISCHARGED INTO THE PIT.  
T<sub>C</sub> = ASSUMED TEMPERATURE OF COLD WATER IN THE PIT, SAY 20°C  
T<sub>A</sub> = MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE OF WASTE ALLOWED INTO THE SEWER MEASURED AT THE TRADE WASTE SAMPLING POINT 38°C.

EXAMPLE: TO SIZE A COOLING PIT OR BOILER BLOWDOWN PIT TO RECEIVE A DISCHARGE OF 50 LITRES OF HOT WATER @ 65°C, WHERE THE MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE DISCHARGE TEMPERATURE TO SEWER IS 38. °C THE TEMPERATURE OF THE COLD WATER IN THE COOLING PIT IS 20°C..

$$F = \frac{65^\circ\text{C} - 38^\circ\text{C}}{38^\circ\text{C} - 20^\circ\text{C}} = 1.5$$

$$V = 50 \text{ LITRES} + 50 \text{ LITRES} \times 1.5 = 125 \text{ LITRES}$$

THEREFORE THE MINIMUM CAPACITY OF THE COOLING PIT OR BOILER BLOW DOWN PIT SHOULD BE 125 LITRES.

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