This map has been produced in accordance with PPS25: Development and Flood Risk and its Practice Guide. The Main River information shown in the SFRA is provided by the Environment Agency; the centreline data may deviate from that shown on basemapping due to inherent differences in data resolution. Further information on Main Rivers is provided on the Environment Agency’s website. The mapping of culverted sections of watercourse is a strategic screening only based upon Ordnance Survey data, and additional culverts may exist. The canals layer does not necessarily cover all the canal arms, but the modelled overtopping/breaching and hydraulic interactions with rivers and other waterbodies is complete and accurate as appropriate for a Strategic Flood Risk Assessment.

The River Irwell between Victoria Station and Pomona Island is not shown as a Main River on the Environment Agency’s Flood Map although Flood Zones related to the river are. The same approach has been taken in this SFRA.

The map should be used to apply the Sequential Test and Exception Test.

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