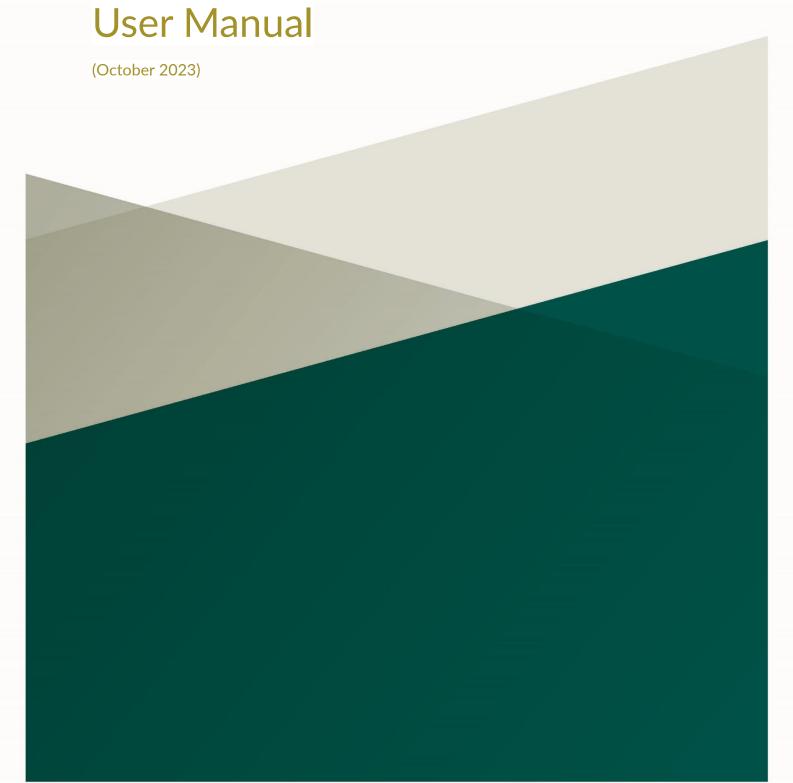


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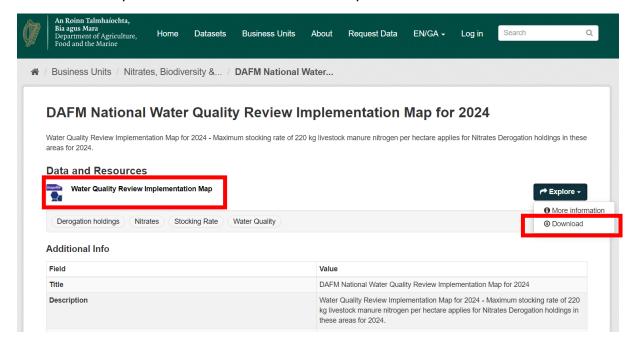


1. Water Quality Review Implementation Map (2024)

The new Water Quality Review Implementation Map for 2024 has been published and is available to download under this link:

https://opendata.agriculture.gov.ie/dataset/national-water-quality

Click on the Explore button to download the shapefile:



Save the file on your computer. The data is compressed in a zip folder and can be only viewed in the map viewer.

2. GeoHive Viewer

To view the map, it is recommended to use GeoHive viewer available under this link:

https://webapps.geohive.ie/mapviewer/index.html

GeoHive is the State's Geospatial Data Hub, designed to provide discovery, evaluation and access to Government geospatial data, in line with the Public Service Data Strategy 2019 -2023. When presented with the Welcome Screen: tick the box to agree with the terms and conditions and click OK.



Short introduction to this Map Viewer is displayed in the window to the right. More detailed manuals and FAQ can be accessed through the links (scroll down to access the links in the viewer):



Manual:

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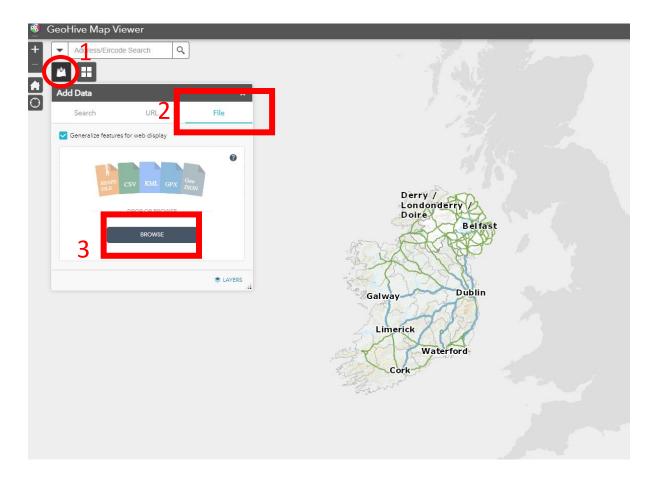
FAQ:

https://www.geohive.ie/pages/helpfaq

3. Viewing the Map

To upload the zip folder with the Water Quality Review Implementation Map:

- 1. Press the Add Data button.
- 2. Press the File tab within the Add Data window. The active tab turns blue, and you are presented with a new window to add data to the Map Viewer.
- 3. Press Browse to search your computer for the data you would like to upload to the Map Viewer:



Select the zip folder saved on your computer and click ok to display the data in the viewer.

Legend:

- The blue shaded area is "Maximum stocking rate of 220 kg livestock manure nitrogen per hectare applies for Nitrates Derogation holdings in these areas for 2024."
- Non-shaded area is the rest of the country and is "Maximum stocking rate of 250 kg livestock manure nitrogen per hectare applies for Nitrates Derogation holdings in these areas for 2024."

Note: For Commonage land a maximum stocking rate of 50 kg livestock manure nitrogen per hectare continues to apply for all farmers regardless of derogation status.

