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1. Introduction

1.1 Background

Green Hill Solar Farm Ltd (the Applicant) are involved in the development of a Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project (NSIP) solar scheme on land to the north of Northampton. The development is made up of a disparate number of sites, incorporating ground mounted solar panels.

A Glint and Glare Assessment has been undertaken to evaluate the potential light-sensitive receptors which may be impacted by glint and glare from Green Hill Solar Farm (hereafter referred to as the 'Scheme').

This report presents the findings of the Glint and Glare Assessment for Green Hill G for ground-based receptors.

1.2 Glint & Glare

Reflectivity refers to light that is reflected off surfaces (e.g. glazed surfaces or areas of metal cladding). The potential effects of reflectivity are glint and glare. The Federal Aviation Administration's (FAA) '*Technical Guidance for Evaluating Selected Solar Technologies on Airports*' provides the following glint and glare definitions:

- *Glint* – “a momentary flash of bright light”
- *Glare* – “a continuous source of bright light”

These present an ocular hazard to light sensitive receptors such as road users, train drivers, occupants of nearby dwellings, pilots, and air-traffic control personnel, as they can cause a brief, temporary or permanent eye damage (ocular impact categories and significance further discussed in Section 4.3).

In general, solar photovoltaic (PV) systems are constructed of dark, light absorbing material designed to maximise light adsorption and minimise reflection. However, the glass surfaces of solar PV systems also reflect sunlight to varying degrees throughout the day and year, based on the incidence angle of the sun relative to ground-based receptors. Lower incidence angles amount to increased reflection.

As such, the amount of light reflected off a solar PV panel surface or an array of solar panels depends on a variety of factors to include:

- The amount of sunlight hitting the surface;
- Its surface reflectivity;
- Its geographic location;
- Time of the year;
- Cloud coverage; and
- Surface orientation.



1.3 Scope of Work

Based on definitions and factors described in Section 1.2 and in combination with available guidance and good practice recommendations, a desk-based evaluation was undertaken to evaluate the potential to experience the effects of glint and glare towards ground-based receptors.

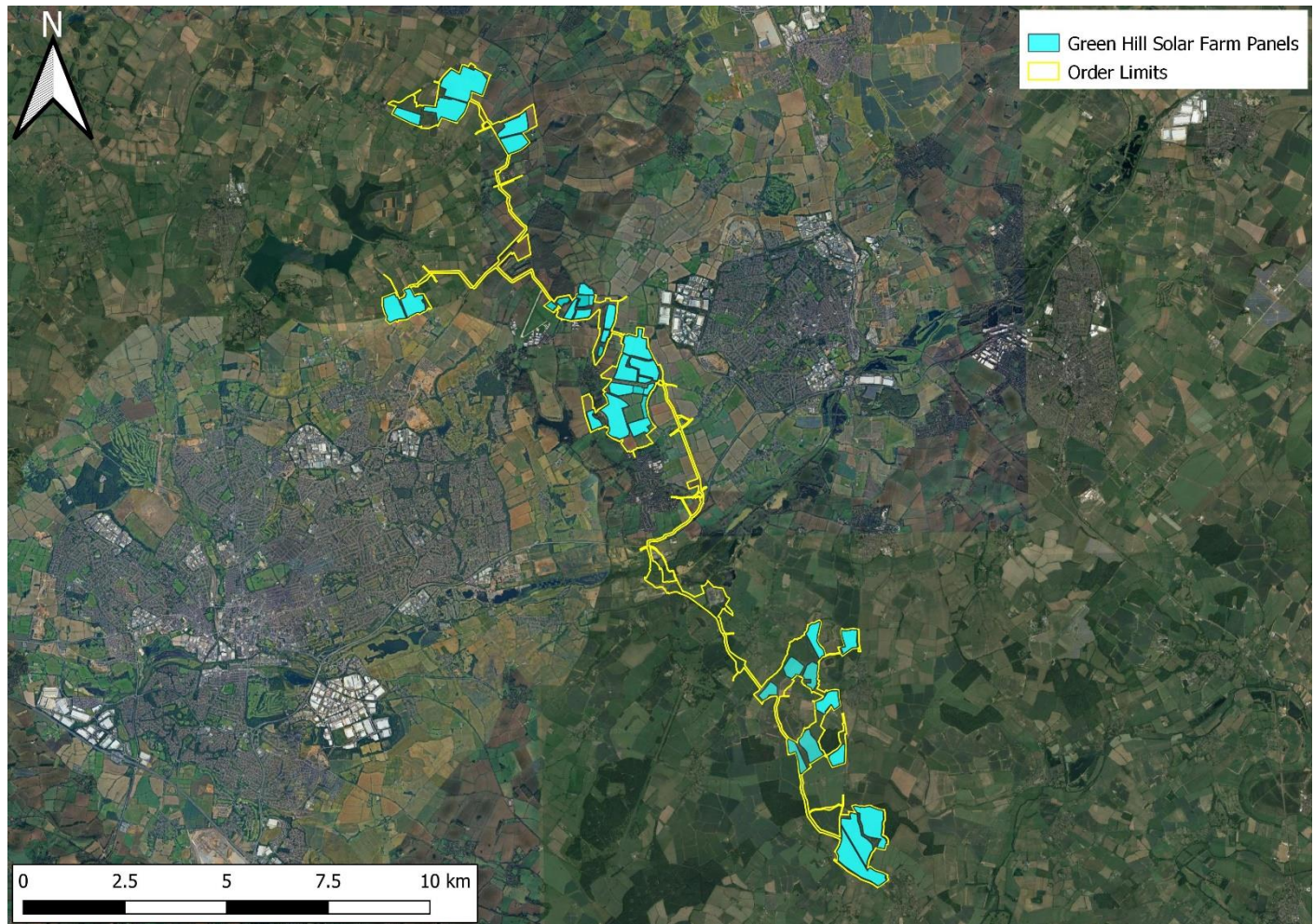


2. Development Characteristics

2.1 Site Description

The Scheme is situated on land north of Northampton and is made up of a disparate number of sites, as can be seen below in Figure 2.1 below.

Figure 2.1: Site Location

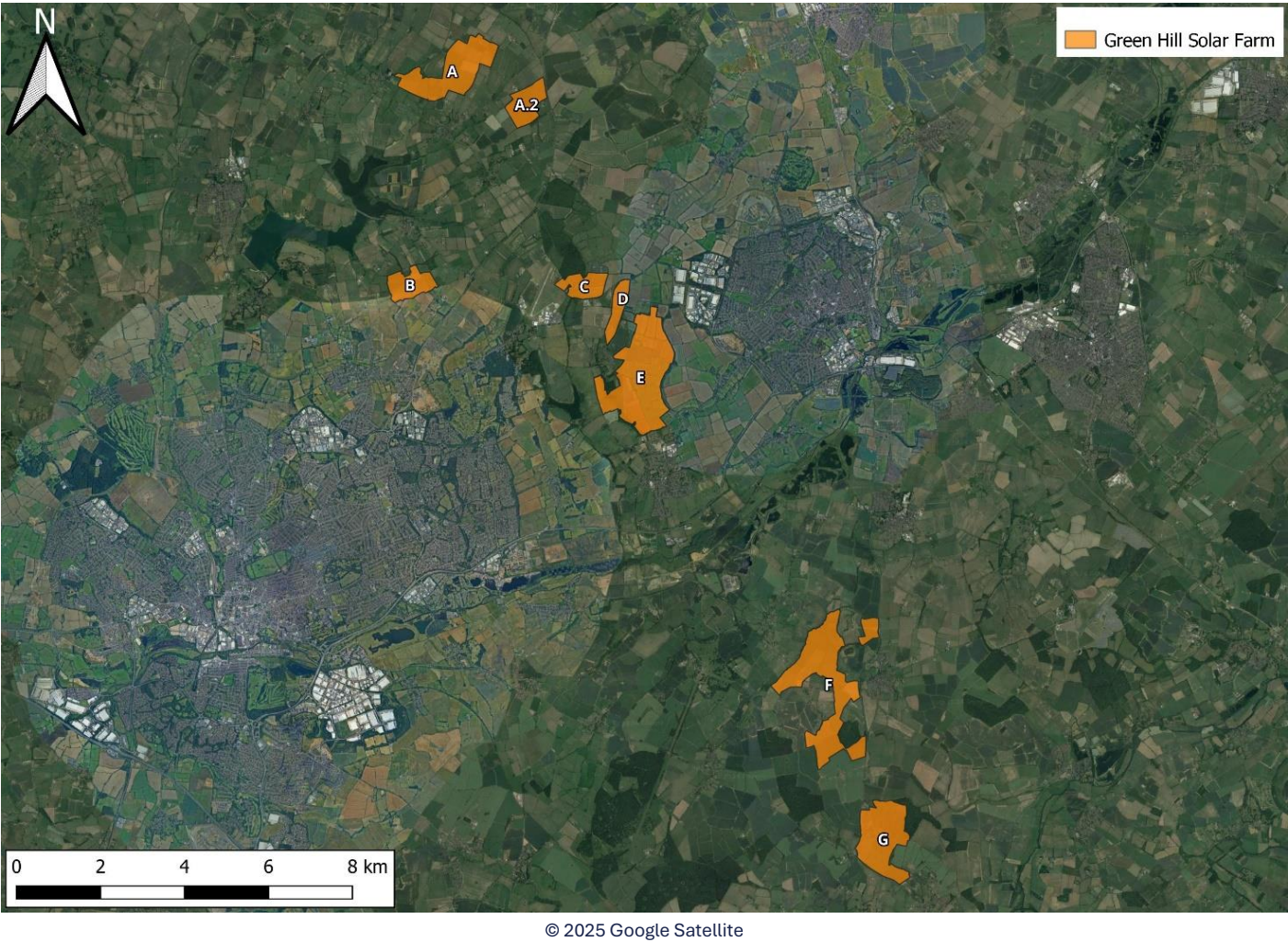


The Scheme will accommodate panels and Battery Energy Storage System (BESS). Green Hill BESS is allocated for a Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) and will not include the installation of any solar arrays. Therefore, this area will not be relevant for a glint and glare assessment. Flexibility has been sought to have BESS also on Green Hill C. An aerial view of the remaining areas (that will include solar panels) is shown below in Figure 2.2.

This report focuses on Green Hill G of Green Hill Solar Farm.



Figure 2.2: Green Hill Solar Farm



2.2 Proposed Development

The Proposed Development comprises of the installation of ground mounted solar PV arrays across eight areas of agricultural land. At this stage it is understood that two options are being considered for the Proposed Development: fixed tilt and single axis tracker.

The modelled PV module orientations and inclinations, as well as the modelled panel height, are summarised in the below tables.

For the fixed tilt option, a range of tilts are being considered from 10-35°. As such, a tilt of 22.5° has been modelled to represent the average tilt proposed. The average height¹ of the solar panels will be 1.95m above ground. It is noted that a small variation in average panel height will not change the conclusions of the report because the modelling results are unlikely to be meaningfully affected.

¹ The heights of the panels (minimum = 0.40m and maximum = 3.5m) have been provided. A centre height of 1.95m (0.4+((3.5-0.4)/2)) has been used for the assessment.



The proposed PV module orientation and inclination, as well as PV panel height above ground, is summarised in Table 2.1².

Table 2.1: Proposed Fixed Panel Details

PV Array	Orientation (Azimuth) ³	Panel Tilt	Height Above Ground (m) ⁴
Green Hill G			
Arrays 1-3	180°	22.5°	1.95

For the single axis track option, the tracking range will be between +/- 60°, where 0° refers to the solar panel laying horizontal. The average height⁵ of the solar panels will be 2.45m above ground. The proposed PV module orientation and inclination, as well as PV panel height above ground, is summarised in Table 2.2².

Table 2.2: Proposed Tracking Panel Details

PV Array	Backtracking Method	Tracking Axis Orientation (Azimuth)	Tracking Axis Tilt	Maximum Tracking Angle	Height Above Ground (m) ⁴
Green Hill G					
Arrays 1-3	None	180°	0°	60°	2.45

For the purpose of this assessment, 'Smooth glass with Anti-Reflective Coating (ARC)' modules have been used to model the surface material of the arrays.

For modelling purposes, the array layouts have been simplified, as shown below in Figure 2.3.

² Based on information provided by Green Hill Solar Farm Ltd

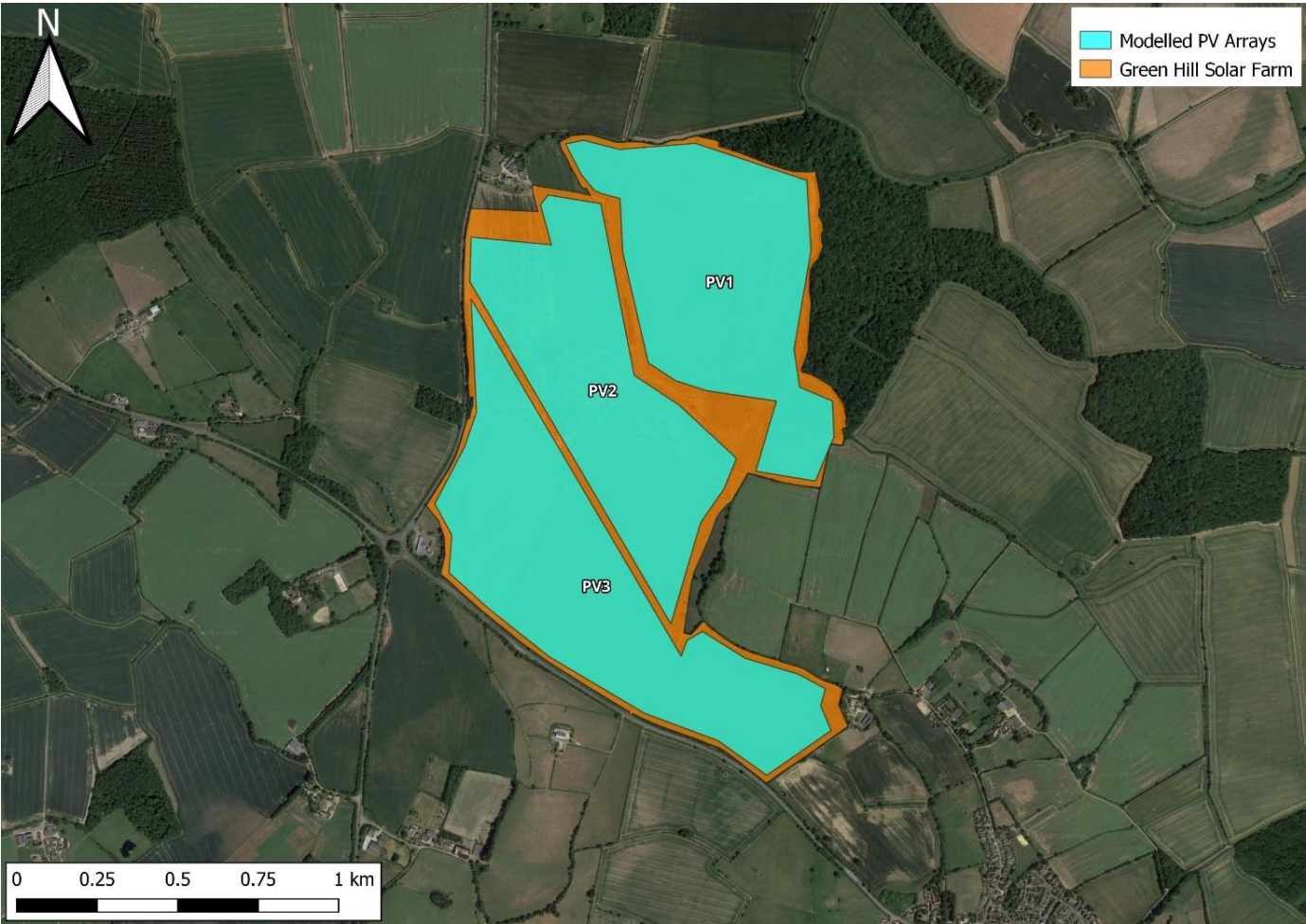
³ North referenced at 0°

⁴ The middle of the solar panel has been used as the assessed height in metres above ground level, which has been chosen as it represents the smallest possible variation in height from the bottom and top of the solar panels. The small variation in panel height will not change the conclusions of the report because the modelling results are unlikely to be meaningfully affected. When the visibility of the solar panels for ground-based receptors is discussed, the maximum height of the panel is considered since it will be the most visible part of the panel.

⁵ The heights of the panels (minimum = 0.40m and maximum = 4.5m) have been provided. A centre height of 2.45m $(0.4 + ((4.5 - 0.4) / 2))$ has been used for the assessment.



Figure 2.3: Modelled PV Panels



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3. Legislation & Guidance

3.1 National Planning Policy

3.1.1 National Policy Statement for Energy

The National Policy Statement for energy (EN-1)⁶ sets out the overarching policy for decisions by the Secretary of State for nationally significant energy infrastructure. It is noted that Glint and Glare is not specifically mentioned within EN-1.

Section 5.5 of EN-1 sets out the primary policy for the relationship between aviation and new energy:

“5.5.1 All aerodromes, covering civil and military activities, as well as aviation technical sites, meteorological radars and other types of defence interests (both onshore and offshore) can be affected by new energy development.

5.5.2 Collaboration and co-existence between aviation, defence and energy industry stakeholders should be strived for to ensure scenarios such that neither is unduly compromised.

...

5.5.5 UK airspace is important for both civilian and military aviation interests. It is essential that new energy infrastructure is developed collaboratively alongside aerodromes, aircraft, air systems and airspace so that safety, operations and capabilities are not adversely affected by new energy infrastructure. Likewise, it is essential that aerodromes, aircraft, air systems and airspace operators work collaboratively with energy infrastructure developers essential for net zero. Aerodromes can have important economic and social benefits, particularly at the regional and local level, but their needs must be balanced with the urgent need for new energy developments, which bring about a wide range of social, economic and environmental benefits.

...

5.5.7 The approaches and flight patterns to aerodromes can be irregular owing to a variety of factors including the performance characteristics of the aircraft concerned and the prevailing meteorological conditions. It may be possible to adapt flight patterns to work alongside new energy infrastructure without impacting on aviation safety.

...

5.5.55 Lighting must also be designed in such a way as to ensure that there is no glare or dazzle to pilots and/or ATC, aerodrome ground lighting is not obscured and that any lighting does not diminish the effectiveness of aeronautical ground lighting and cannot be confused with aeronautical lighting. Lighting may also need to be compatible with night vision devices for military low flying purposes.”

⁶ <https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/media/65bbfbdc709fe1000f637052/overarching-nps-for-energy-en1.pdf>



3.1.2 National Policy Statement for Renewable Energy Infrastructure

The National Policy Statement for Renewable Energy Infrastructure (EN-3)⁷ sets out the primary policy for decisions by the Secretary of State for nationally significant renewable energy infrastructure.

The above policy is applicable to significant renewable energy infrastructure (i.e. solar photovoltaic >50 MW in England, where MW is measured as alternating current). However, the principles should be extended to infrastructure <50MW.

Sections 2.10.27 and 2.10.102-2.10.106 outlines the potential impact of glint and glare that the applicants may consider:

“2.10.27 Utility-scale solar farms are large sites that may have a significant zone of visual influence. The two main impact issues that determine distances to sensitive receptors are therefore likely to be visual amenity and glint and glare. These are considered in Landscape, Visual and Residential Amenity (paragraphs 3.10.84-3.10.92) and Glint and Glare (paragraphs 3.10.93 – 3.10.97) impact sections below.”

...

2.10.102 Solar panels are specifically designed to absorb, not reflect, irradiation⁸. However, solar panels may reflect the sun’s rays at certain angles, causing glint and glare. Glint is defined as a momentary flash of light that may be produced as a direct reflection of the sun in the solar panel. Glare is a continuous source of excessive brightness experienced by a stationary observer located in the path of reflected sunlight from the face of the panel. The effect occurs when the solar panel is stationed between or at an angle of the sun and the receptor.

2.10.103 Applicants should map receptors to qualitatively identify potential glint and glare issues and determine if a glint and glare assessment is necessary as part of the application.

2.10.104 When a quantitative glint and glare assessment is necessary, applicants are expected to consider the geometric possibility of glint and glare affecting nearby receptors and provide an assessment of potential impact and impairment based on the angle and duration of incidence and the intensity of the reflection.

2.10.105 The extent of reflectivity analysis required to assess potential impacts will depend on the specific project site and design. This may need to account for ‘tracking’ panels if they are proposed as these may cause differential diurnal and/or seasonal impacts.

2.10.106 When a glint and glare assessment is undertaken, the potential for solar PV panels, frames and supports to have a combined reflective quality may need to be assessed, although the glint and glare of the frames and supports is likely to be significantly less than the panels.”

⁷ https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/1147382/NPS_EN-3.pdf

⁸ Most commercially available solar panels are designed with anti-reflective glass or are produced with anti-reflective coating and have a reflective capacity that is generally equal to or less hazardous than other objects typically found in the outdoor environment, such as bodies of water or glass buildings.



Sections 2.10.134-2.10.136 outlines the potential mitigations for glint and glare impacts that the applicants may consider:

“2.10.134 Applicants should consider using, and in some cases the Secretary of State may require, solar panels to comprise of (or be covered with) anti-glare/anti-reflective coating with a specified angle of maximum reflection attenuation for the lifetime of the permission.

2.10.135 Applicants may consider using screening between potentially affected receptors and the reflecting panels to mitigate the effects.

2.10.136 Applicants may consider adjusting the azimuth alignment of or changing the elevation tilt angle of a solar panel, within the economically viable range, to alter the angle of incidence. In practice this is unlikely to remove the potential impact altogether but in marginal cases may contribute to a mitigation strategy.”

Sections 2.10.158-2.10.159 outlines further detail on the potential glint and glare impacts that the Secretary of State may consider as part of their decision making:

“2.10.158 Solar PV panels are designed to absorb, not reflect, irradiation. However, the Secretary of State should assess the potential impact of glint and glare on nearby homes, motorists, public rights of way, and aviation infrastructure (including aircraft departure and arrival flight paths).

2.10.159 Whilst there is some evidence that glint and glare from solar farms can be experienced by pilots and air traffic controllers in certain conditions, there is no evidence that glint and glare from solar farms results in significant impairment on aircraft safety. Therefore, unless a significant impairment can be demonstrated, the Secretary of State is unlikely to give any more than limited weight to claims of aviation interference because of glint and glare from solar farms.”

3.2 Local Planning Policy

3.2.1 West Northampton Joint Core Strategy Local Plan

15.3.8 The West Northampton Joint Core Strategy Local Plan⁹ sets out the long-term vision and objectives for the whole area covered by the former Daventry District, Northampton Borough, and South Northamptonshire Councils for the plan period up to 2029, including strategic policies for steering and shaping development. The West Northamptonshire Joint Core Strategy Local Plan (Part 1) states in paragraph 4.44:

“Development that aims to secure sustainable communities is designed to minimise its impact on the environment and so combat climate change. A realistic and serious response to meeting climate change objectives must be made through the JCS direction on policies. Larger scale developments, including Sustainable Urban Extensions (SUEs), provide the opportunity to secure exemplary standards of design, renewable or low carbon energy generation and through the location of development reduce the need to travel. All development proposals will need to fully consider climate change adaption to meet the vision of sustainable development.”

⁹ <https://www.westnorthants.gov.uk/west-northamptonshire-joint-core-strategy/west-northamptonshire-joint-core-strategy-local-plan-part>



In relation to Glint and Glare, Policy S10 – Sustainable Development Principles describes how visual intrusion from renewable energy developments should be limited:

“When considering planning applications for low carbon and renewable energy, an assessment will need to take account of impacts on landscape, townscape, natural, historical and cultural features and areas and nature conservation interests. Proposals should also use high quality design to minimise impacts on the amenity of the area, in respect of visual intrusion, noise, dust, and odour and traffic generation.”

3.2.2 North Northamptonshire Joint Core Strategy

The North Northamptonshire Joint Core Strategy¹⁰ provides the strategic planning policies for the future development of the area from 2016 to 2031.

Policy 26: Renewable and Low Carbon Energy states that renewable and low carbon energy generation will be supported where the proposal meets the following criteria relevant to glint and glare:

“The siting of development does not significantly adversely affect the amenity of existing, or proposed, residential dwellings and/or businesses, either in isolation or cumulatively, by reason of noise, odour intrusion, dust, traffic generation, visual impact or shadow flicker;”

3.2.3 Wind and Solar Energy Supplementary Planning Document

The Wind and Solar Energy Supplementary Planning Document¹¹ provides guidance on the information to be submitted with a planning application and sets out the key issues that will be taken into consideration by the Council.

Section 16 of the Wind and Solar Energy Supplementary Planning Documents states the following on Glint and Glare:

“The effect of glint and glare on landscape, neighbouring uses and aircraft safety is identified in the NPPG as an important factor to consider when assessing proposals for large scale solar PV farms. The guidance further indicates that there may be additional impacts if solar arrays track the daily movement of the sun.

Solar panels are designed to absorb as much light as possible rather than reflect it. Nevertheless, there is the potential for glint and glare effects. ‘Glint’ refers to a momentary flash of light produced as direct reflection of the sun whilst ‘glare’ is a more continuous source of brightness relative to the ambient lighting. These effects can have a visual impact on the landscape and can act as a potential hazard or distraction for motorists, pilots, pedestrians and occupiers’ of nearby properties. Specifically in respect to aviation, the Civil Aviation Authority has issued interim guidance on solar photovoltaic systems. There is also potential for glint and glare to have an effect on nearby heritage assets.

The potential for glint and glare to occur should therefore be assessed. This should address the additional impacts of ‘tracking’ panels, which follow the movement of the sun across the sky to maximise solar gain,

¹⁰ <https://www.northnorthants.gov.uk/planning-strategies-and-plans/north-northamptonshire-local-plan>

¹¹ <https://www.northnorthants.gov.uk/planning-strategies-and-plans/supplementary-planning-documents-spd>



where proposed. Modelling tools are available to evaluate solar farm projects. Undertaking an assessment at an early stage will enable variables such as the orientation and tilt angles of arrays to be changed, where necessary, to minimise any adverse impacts.”

3.2.4 MK:Plan (2016-2031)

The MK:Plan (2016-2031)¹² sets out the vision and framework for the future development of the area from 2015 to 2031.

Policy SC3: Low Carbon and Renewable Energy Generation states the following regarding glint and glare:

“A. The Council will encourage proposals for low carbon and renewable energy generation developments that are led by, or meet the needs of local communities.

B. Planning permission will be granted for proposals to develop low carbon and renewable energy sources (including community energy networks) unless there would be:

- 1. Significant harm to the amenity of residential area, due to noise, traffic, pollution or odour;*
- 2. Significant harm to wildlife species or habitat;*
- 3. Unacceptable landscape and visual impact on the landscape, including cumulative impacts;*
- 4. Unacceptable harm to the significance of heritage assets; and*
- 5. Unacceptable impact on air safety.*

C. In addition to the above criteria, wind turbines should avoid unacceptable shadow flicker and electro-magnetic interference and be sited an appropriate distance away from occupied properties, consistent with the size and type of the turbine. Proposals to develop solar PV farms should avoid unacceptable visual impact from the effect of glint and glare on the landscape, on neighbouring uses and aircraft safety. Proposals for large scale renewable energy in the open countryside should be informed by a satisfactory landscape and visual impact assessment.”

3.3 Emerging Local Planning Policy

3.3.1 MK City Plan 2050

The MK City Plan 2050¹³ sets out the strategy for growth through to 2050 related to the need for homes, creating jobs and supporting businesses, transport around the city, climate change, the natural and built environment, design of streets, and the places which support everyday living (i.e. schools and shops).

Policy CEA6: Low and Zero Carbon Energy Provision states the following regarding low carbon and renewable energy developments:

¹²<https://www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/sites/default/files/2022-05/PlanMK%20Adoption%20Version%20%28March%202019%29.pdf>

¹³ <https://www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/planning-and-building/planning-policy/mk-city-plan-2050>



“2. Proposals to development low carbon and renewable energy sources (including community energy networks) and infrastructure needed to facilitate the green energy transition (e.g. grid and sub-station upgrades) will be supported, unless there would be

a. Conflict with other policies within the development plan.

b. Unacceptable harm on air safety, in terms of the risk of incidents on approaches/departures from local airfields/airports, as well as radar interference.”

3.4 Guidance

3.4.1 National Planning Practice Guidance

In the absence of specific guidance on solar development, the National Planning Practice Guidance for ‘Renewable and Low Carbon Energy’¹⁴ dictates the following with respect to large-scale solar PV developments and glint and glare:

“The deployment of large-scale solar farms can have a negative impact on the rural environment, particularly in undulating landscapes. However, the visual impact of a well-planned and well-screened solar farm can be properly addressed within the landscape if planned sensitively.

Particular factors a local planning authority will need to consider include:

- ...the proposal’s visual impact, the effect on landscape of glint and glare (see guidance on landscape assessment) and on neighbouring uses and aircraft safety;*
- the extent to which there may be additional impacts if solar arrays follow the daily movement of the sun;...*
- the potential to mitigate landscape and visual impacts through, for example, screening with native hedges;...*

The approach to assessing cumulative landscape and visual impact of large scale solar farms is likely to be the same as assessing the impact of wind turbines. However, in the case of ground mounted solar panels it should be noted that with effective screening and appropriate land topography the area of a zone of visual influence could be zero.”

3.4.2 BRE Planning guidance for the development of large-scale ground mounted solar PV panels

¹⁴ <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/renewable-and-low-carbon-energy>



The BRE Planning guidance for the development of large-scale ground mounted solar PV panels¹⁵ sets out guidance relating to different planning application considerations. In relation to Glint and Glare, the guidance states:

“Glint may be produced as a direct reflection of the sun in the surface of the solar PV panel. It may be the source of the visual issues regarding viewer distraction. Glare is a continuous source of brightness, relative to diffused lighting. This is not a direct reflection of the sun, but rather a reflection of the bright sky around the sun. Glare is significantly less intense than glint.

Solar PV panels are designed to absorb, not reflect, irradiation. However the sensitivities associated with glint and glare, and the landscape/ visual impact and the potential impact on aircraft safety, should be a consideration. In some instances it may be necessary to seek a glint and glare assessment as part of a planning application. This may be particularly important if ‘tracking’ panels are proposed as these may cause differential diurnal and/or seasonal impacts.

The potential for solar PV panels, frames and supports to have a combined reflective quality should be assessed. This assessment needs to consider the likely reflective capacity of all of the materials used in the construction of the solar PV farm.”

3.5 UK Highway Code

The UK Highway Code states that a road user should be aware of particular hazards such as glare from the sun and should adjust their driving style appropriately. Solar PV panels reflect sunlight producing solar glare under specific conditions, which may pose hazard towards road users.

3.6 Network Rail Guidance

Rail Industry Standard (RIS) RIS-0737-CCS on ‘Signal Sighting Assessment Requirements’ highlights that:

“a planned change external to the railway could affect signal sighting, for example changes that affect the built environment (for example, a new structure causing obscuration, a solar farm causing reflection).”

It should be noted that Network Rail guidance does not provide a specific glare assessment methodology for rail receptors, beyond the above information.

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4. Methodology

4.1 Glare Assessment Model

The Glint and Glare evaluation will be undertaken using ForgeSolar software. ForgeSolar succeeds the Solar Glare Hazard Analysis Tool (SGHAT), whose use was required by the FAA to demonstrate compliance with the standards for measuring ocular impact for any proposed solar energy systems at airports. ForgeSolar is the software specialist for modelling glare impacts and the software is used extensively across the UK for assessing impacts toward airports, transportation and residential dwellings.

4.2 Receptor Identification

In general, light-sensitive receptors with view of a solar PV development have potential to experience solar reflection. While no technical distance limits/thresholds are reported within which solar reflections are possible for such receptors, the potential or significance of a reflection decreases with distance due to an observer’s decreasing field of vision capability with increasing distance, as well as possible obstructions such as shielding caused by terrain and vegetation. For the purpose of this assessment, the following good practice considerations will be applied, incorporating relevant guidance as laid out in Section 3.0.

Table 4.1: Receptor Identification Criterium

Dwellings	There is not a defined screening distance for consideration of the potential glare impact of rooftop solar panels on residential dwellings. For residential dwellings very close to a proposed rooftop solar development, there will be instances where the resident does not have geometric line of sight of the proposed roof. In addition, there may be obstructions to the line of sight such as other buildings or vegetation screening.
	Line of sight for this assessment is reviewed using Google Satellite Images and Google Street View. Where there is potential line of sight, glare modelling is undertaken. Professional judgement is used to determine a representative number of dwelling points to be modelled.
	Industry guidance recommends glare modelling for ground floor residential receptors because it is typically the most occupied part of the dwelling during daylight hours. A height of 1.8 m above ground level will be considered to account for observer’s eye level on ground floor (main habitable rooms are generally on the ground floor), unless otherwise stated.
Road Users	Major national, national and regional roads are predicted to have higher level of traffic compared to local roads and have higher sensitivity. Therefore, these roads that are within 1 km from the solar PV development boundary with a visual line of sight to the panels will be considered for the technical modelling.
	An additional height of 1.5 m above ground level will be considered to represent the typical road user viewing height.
	A driver field-of-view (FOV) of 100° will be applied (50° either side of direction of travel). Glare that appears beyond this FOV is mitigated.



Railways	<p>Railways in the immediate surrounding area to around 100 m from the solar PV development boundary with a visual line of sight to the panels will be considered. Length of railway line will be assessed via individual static receptor locations no more than 200 m apart up to 500 m from the Proposed Development boundaries.</p> <p>An additional height of 2.75 m above ground level will be considered to represent typical train driver viewing height.</p> <p>A train driver field-of-view (FOV) of 60° will be applied (30° either side of direction of travel). Glare that appears beyond this FOV is mitigated.</p> <p>Where signals are located immediately adjacent to or above a railway line, their lens is in line of sight of the Proposed Development, and are used to direct trains on the lines, these will also be assessed as individual static receptors.</p>
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4.3 Magnitude of Impact

4.3.1 Ocular Impact

Ocular impact significance depends on the line of sight between the reflector (solar PV panels) and the receptor, the location of the receptor relative to the reflector and thus the solar reflection, the time of the day, the path between the Sun and the reflective surface, and the reflection exposure period (e.g. momentary exposure is less significant than prolonged exposure).

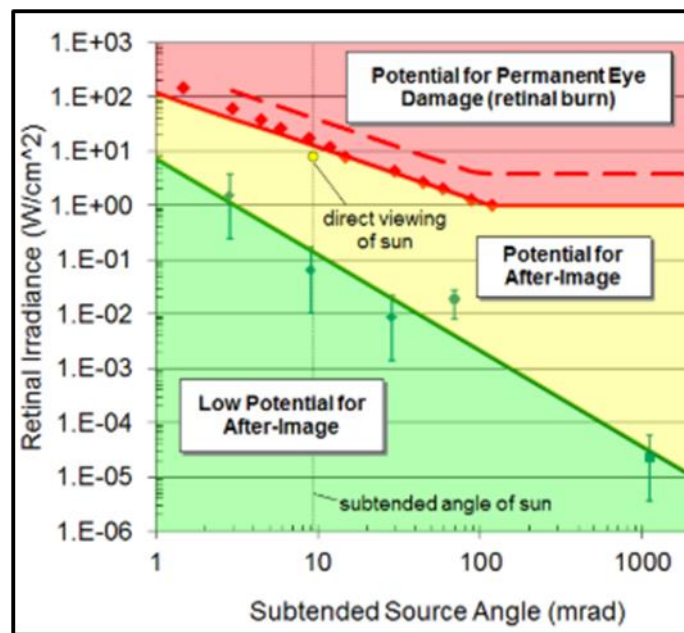
As such, ocular impact can be classified into three levels based on the retinal irradiance and subtended source angle: low potential for after-image (**green**), potential for after-image (**yellow**), and potential for permanent eye damage (**red**). These categories are illustrated in the Ocular Hazard plot¹⁶ shown in Figure 4.1 (NOTE: this is a universal Ocular Hazard plot and does not represent potential glare conditions that may be experienced at the Proposed Development.).

The subtended source angle represents the size of glare observed by receptor, while the retinal irradiance is the quantity of energy impacting the retina of the observer. As it can be seen from Figure 4.1, wide subtended source angles can cause retinal irritation/damage even at low retinal irradiance.

¹⁶ Sliney, D.H. and B.C. Freasier, 1973, Evaluation of Optical Radiation Hazards, Applied Optics, 12(1), p. 1-24.



Figure 4.1: Ocular Hazard Plot



4.3.2 Glint & Glare Impact Significance

4.3.2.1 Dwellings

Table 4.2: Dwellings Impact Significance Guidance

No Impact	Solar reflection is not geometrically possible or will not be visible from the assessed receptor.
Low	<p>Predicted glare of any intensity (green or yellow) occurs for less than 60 minutes per day and for less than three months per year.</p> <p>Predicted glare of any intensity (green or yellow) occurs for longer than 60 minutes and for more than 3 months per year. However, application of professional judgement renders the residual potential glare to be not significant.</p> <p>Mitigation is not required.</p>
Moderate	<p>Predicted glare of any intensity (green or yellow) occurs for longer than 60 minutes or for more than 3 months per year. Application of professional judgement does not sufficiently decrease the significance of the potential glare.</p> <p>Predicted glare of any intensity (green or yellow) occurs for longer than 60 minutes and for more than 3 months per year. Application of professional judgement does not sufficiently decrease the significance of the potential glare.</p> <p>Mitigation may be required at planner's discretion.</p>
High	<p>Predicted glare of any intensity (green or yellow) occurs for longer than 60 minutes per day and for more than 3 months of the year. Application of professional judgement does not sufficiently decrease the significance of the potential glare.</p> <p>Mitigation will be required if the proposed development is to proceed.</p>



4.3.2.2 Road Users

Table 4.3: Road User Impact Significance Guidance

Road Users	While there is no specific guidance on glint and glare impact significance evaluation or limits, the following approach will be adapted in line with best available practice guidance/recommendations:	
	No or Insignificant Impact	Solar reflection is not geometrically possible or will not be visible from the assessed receptor.
	Low	<p>Potential glare of any intensity (yellow or green) predicted towards a local road.</p> <p>Potential glare of any intensity (e.g. yellow or green) predicted towards a major national, national or regional road, and does not originate in front of driver (e.g. not in centre of FOV).</p> <p>Potential glare of any intensity (e.g. yellow or green) predicted towards a major national, national or regional road and originates in front of driver (e.g. in centre of FOV). However, application of professional judgement renders the residual potential glare to be not significant.</p> <p>Mitigation is not considered necessary.</p>
	Moderate	<p>Potential glare of any intensity (e.g. yellow or green) predicted towards a major national, national or regional road and originates in front of driver (e.g. not in centre of FOV). Application of professional judgement does not sufficiently decrease the significance of the potential glare.</p> <p>Mitigation may be required at regulator's discretion.</p>
	High	<p>Potential glare of any intensity (e.g. yellow or green) predicted towards a major national, national or regional road, and originates in front of driver (e.g. in centre of FOV). Application of professional judgement does not sufficiently decrease the significance of the potential glare.</p> <p>Mitigation recommended if the Proposed Development is to proceed.</p>
Based on industry guidance, it is recommended that any predicted solar reflection is assessed pragmatically. Therefore, professional judgement will be applied and the following factors will also be considered when determining whether a solar reflection is significant:		



1. The relative position and visibility of the reflecting panels relative to road vehicle drivers and whether the glare is within the field of view of drivers;
2. Additional screening and obstructions to the line of sight;
3. The separation distance between the reflecting panels and the vehicle driver;
4. The extent to which impacts coincide with effects of direct sunlight;
5. The length of road affected;
6. The intensity of the solar reflection.

4.3.2.3 Railways

Table 4.4: Railway Impact Significance Guidance

Train Drivers	While there is no specific guidance on glint and glare impact significance evaluation or limits, the following approach will be adapted in line with best available practice guidance/recommendations:	
	No or Insignificant Impact	Solar reflection is not geometrically possible or will not be visible from the assessed receptor.
	Low	Glare predicted which does <u>not</u> originate in front of the train driver (30° field of view either side of the direction of travel). Glare originates in front of the train driver (30° field of view either side of the direction of travel). However, application of professional judgement renders the residual potential glare to be not significant. Mitigation is not considered necessary.
	Moderate	Glare originates in front of the train driver (30° field of view either side of the direction of travel). Application of professional judgement does not sufficiently decrease the significance of the potential glare. Mitigation not required but could be considered necessary.
	High	Glare originates in front of the train driver (30° field of view either side of the direction of travel). Application of professional judgement does not sufficiently decrease the significance of the potential glare. Mitigation required if the Proposed Development is to proceed.
Based on industry guidance, it is recommended that any predicted solar reflection is assessed pragmatically. Therefore, professional judgement will be applied and the following factors will also be considered when determining whether a solar reflection is significant:		





1. The relative position and visibility of the reflecting panels relative to train drivers and whether the glare is within the field of view of drivers;
2. The separation distance between the reflecting panels and the train driver;
3. The extent to which impacts coincide with effects of direct sunlight;
4. Presence of other infrastructure (e.g. signals, crossings).
5. The length of railway line affected;
6. The intensity of the solar reflection.

4.4 Time Zone / Datum

The UK uses British Summer Time (BST, UTC +01:00) in the summer and Greenwich Mean Time (GMT, UTC +0) in the winter. For the purpose of this report all time references are in GMT. All locations are given in Eastings and Northings using the UK National Grid Reference system, unless otherwise specified.

4.5 Assumptions, Limitations & Fixed Model Variables

Provided in Appendix A is a list of assumptions, limitations and fixed variables of the model and assessment methodology.

4.6 Elevation Data

Elevation data for the modelled arrays and road and residential receptors were obtained using Defra Survey¹⁷ LiDAR data database. Digital Terrain Model data was downloaded from the most recent survey. ForgeSolar employs an interactive Google map such that latitude, longitude, and ground elevation of PV geometry and receptors are automatically queried from Google, providing necessary information for sun position and vector calculations.

¹⁷ <https://environment.data.gov.uk/survey>



5. Receptor Screening & Model Considerations

5.1 Residential Dwellings

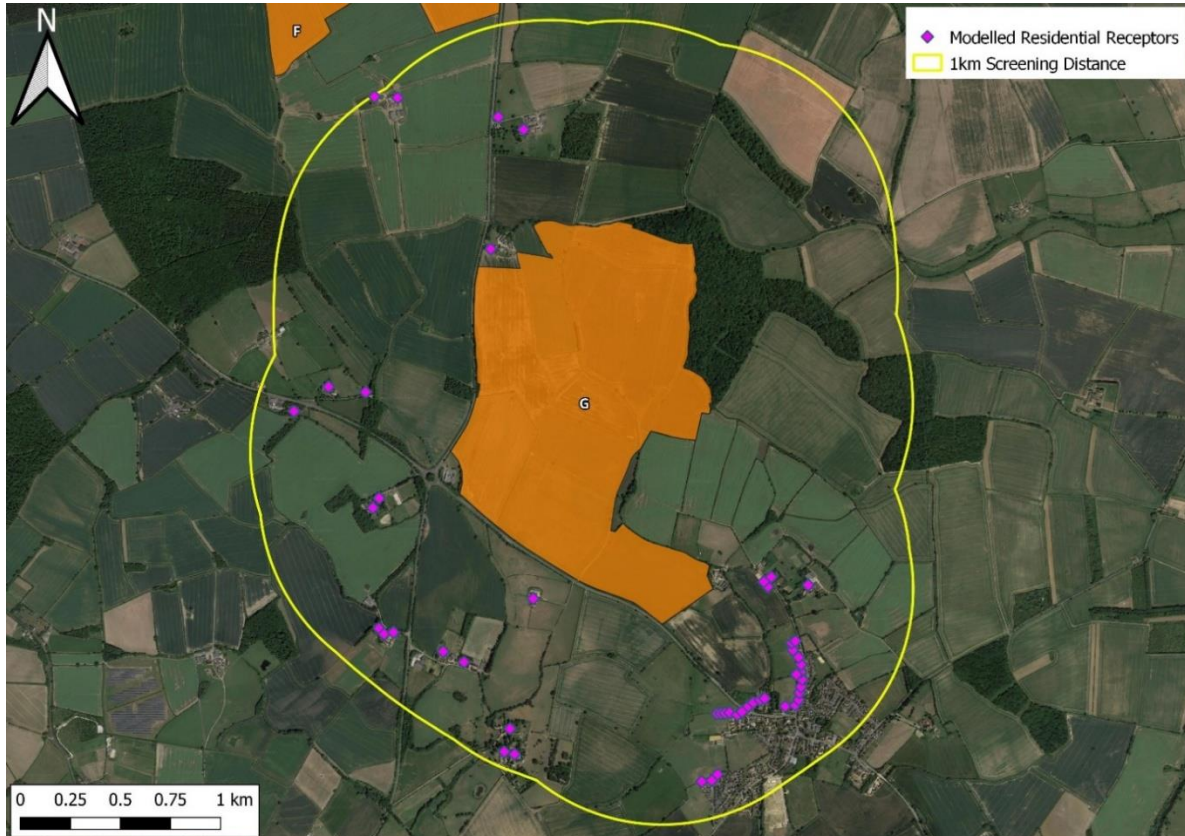
While no technical distance limits/thresholds are reported within which solar reflections are possible for such receptors, the potential for significance of a reflection decreases with distance due to an observer's decreasing field of vision capability with increasing distance, as well as possible obstructions such as shielding caused by terrain and vegetation. Industry guidance advises that dwelling receptors at up to 1 km from solar panels may be considered in terms of potential glare impact.

A number of residential dwellings exist within 1 km of the Scheme boundaries. Only the receptor points closest to the Scheme with a potential line of sight towards the PV panels were considered, as other dwellings are expected to be screened by these receptors, as well as vegetation and/or other infrastructure found in between them. The high-level review was undertaken using mapping and aerial photography.

The residential dwellings will be modelled at an additional height of 1.8m above ground level as this is considered to represent typical viewing height on ground floor, which is typically occupied during daylight hours.

In total, 49 residential dwellings have been identified within this area. These receptors have been modelled as observation points (R1, R2,...). Receptor points closest to the Scheme with a potential line of sight towards the PV panels can be seen below in Figure 5.1 to Figure 5.3. It is noted that receptors 1-4 will also take into consideration cumulative effects from Site F. The list of dwelling receptors is presented in Appendix B.

Figure 5.1: Nearby Residential Dwellings Green Hill G



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Figure 5.2: Modelled Residential Dwellings Green Hill G

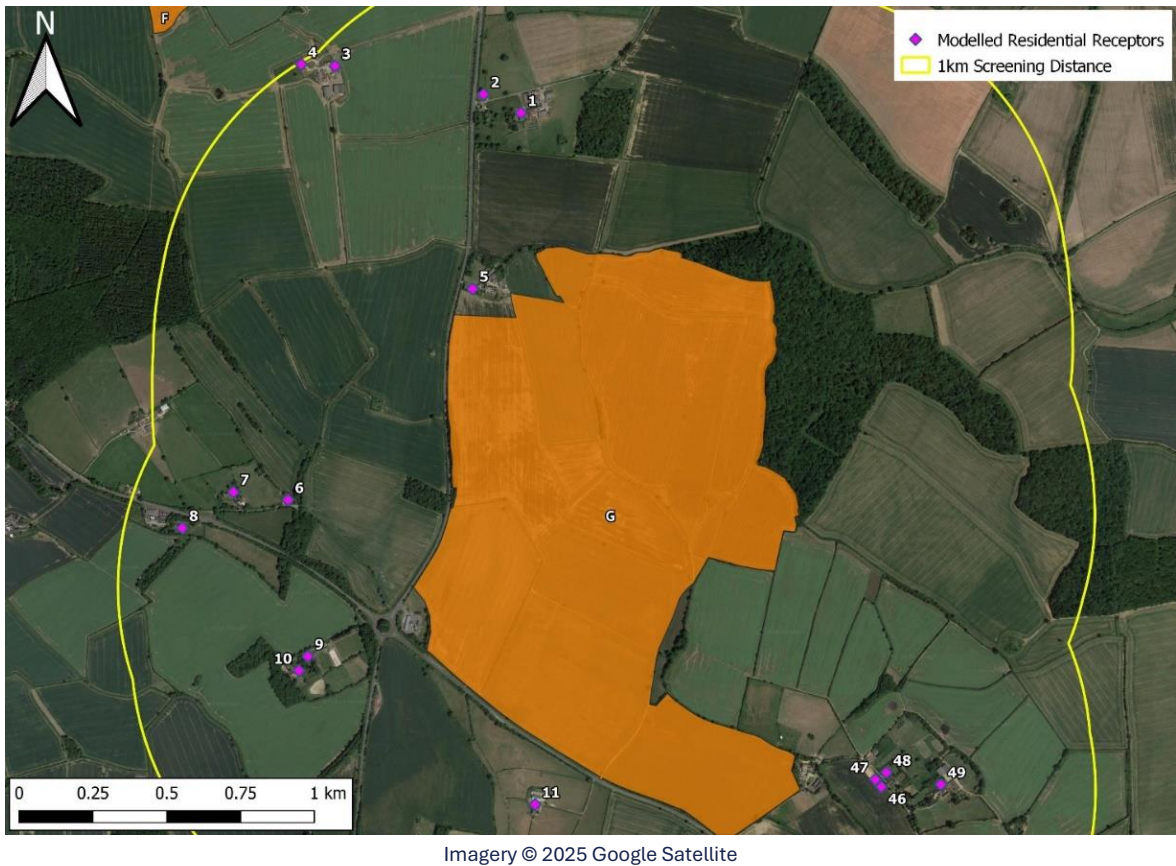
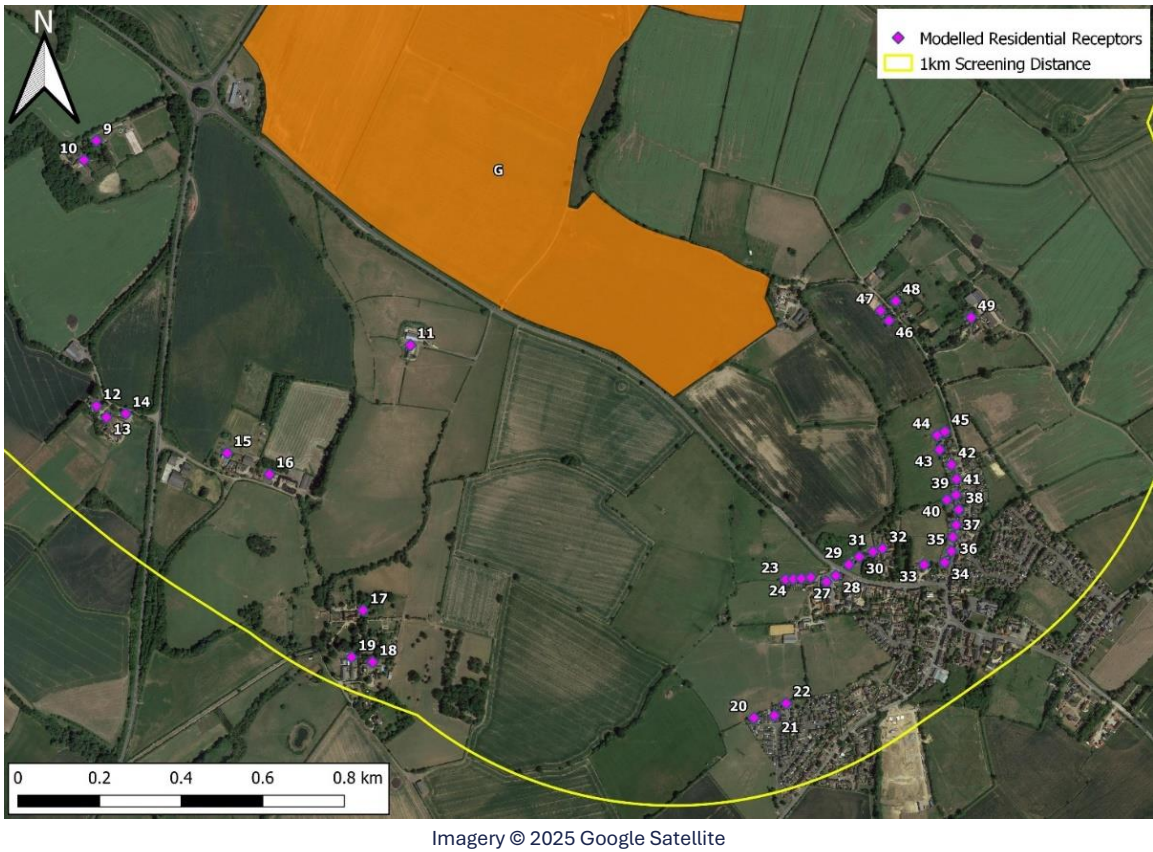


Figure 5.3: Modelled Residential Dwellings Green Hill G



5.2 Road Infrastructure

In accordance with industry guidance, road receptors within 1km of the site boundary of the Scheme may be considered.

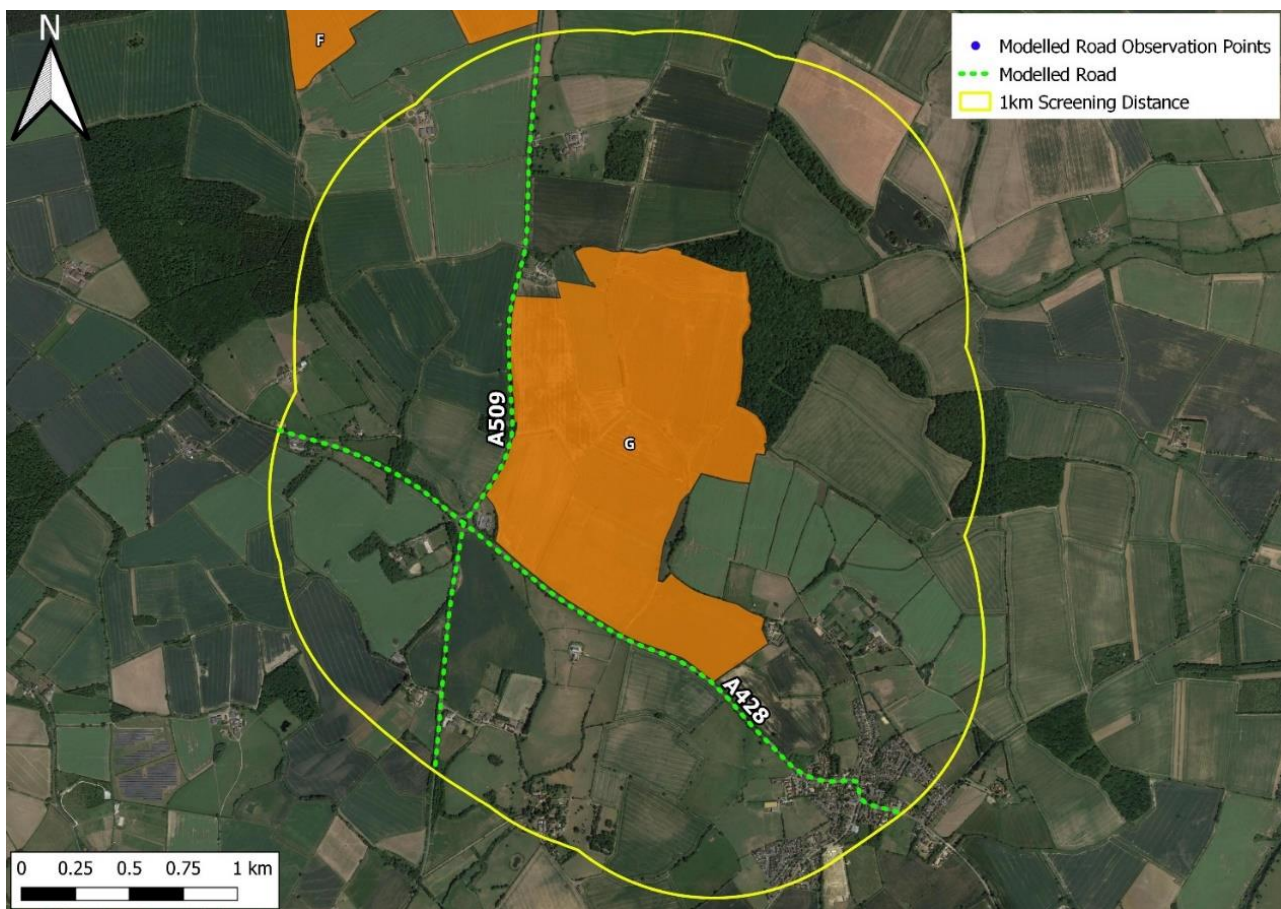
Major National, National and Regional roads are predicted to have higher level of traffic compared to local roads and have higher sensitivity. Therefore, these roads that are within 1 km from the solar PV development boundary with a visual line of sight to the panels will be considered for the technical modelling.

In accordance with industry guidance, technical modelling is not recommended for local roads, where traffic densities are likely to be relatively low. Any solar reflections from the Scheme that are experienced by a road user along a local road would be considered 'Low / Minor' impact magnitude.

Based on a high-level review, there is a potential line of sight to the panels from A509 and A428 users such that glare modelling should be undertaken, as shown below in Figure 5.4.

In line with guidance, a field-of-view (FOV) of 100° has been applied (50° view angle to left and right). According to research, glare outside this FOV is mitigated. Furthermore, as a worst-case approach, modelled observation points (which do not include the field of view of the drivers) have been included along the road length at 100m intervals. These receptors have been modelled as Observation Points (OPs). Each modelled observation point has been modelled at an additional 1.5m above ground level to represent the eye level of a standard height road user. The list of road receptors is presented in Appendix C.

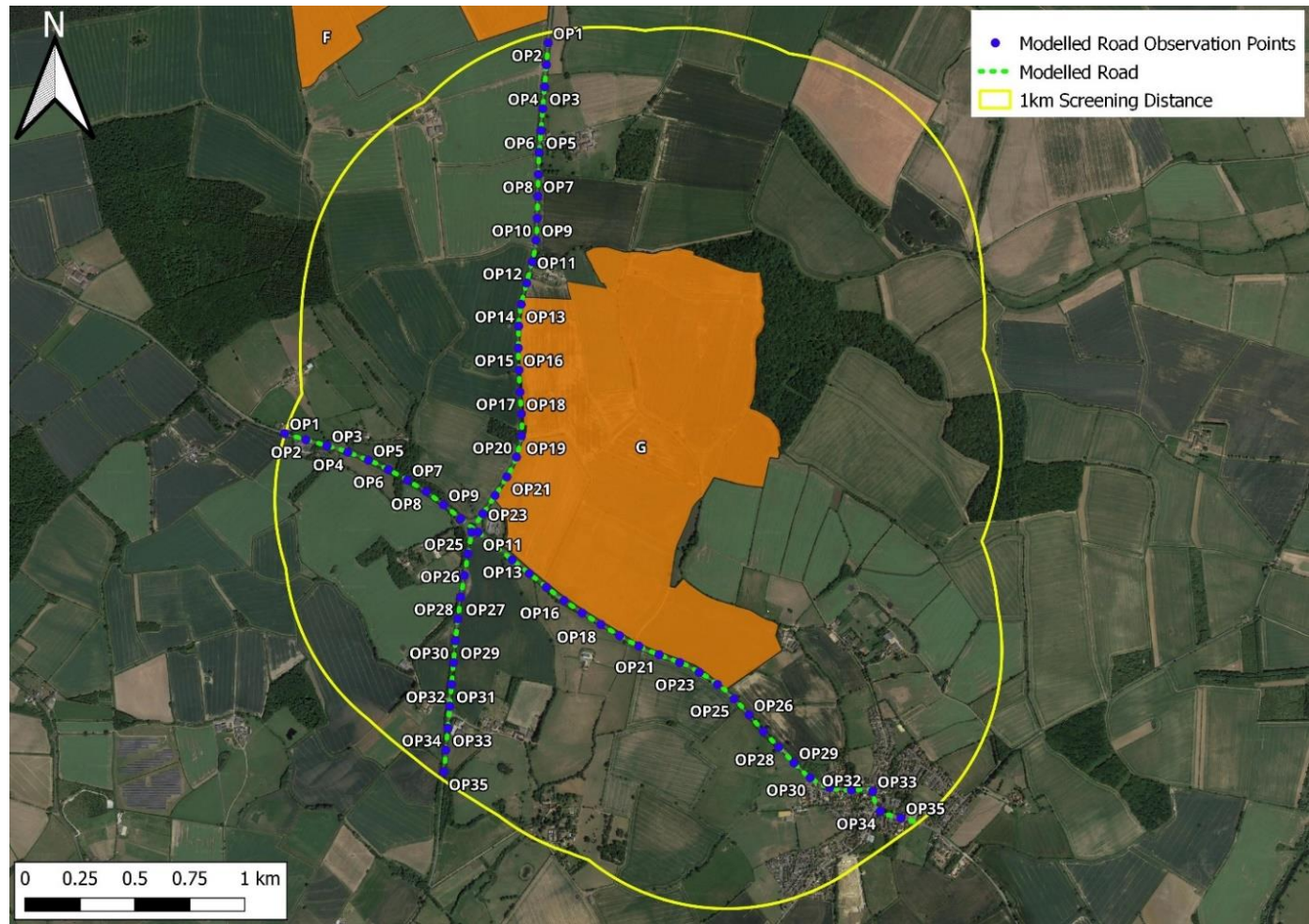
Figure 5.4: Modelled Road Infrastructure Green Hill G



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Figure 5.5: Modelled Road Observation Points



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5.3 Rail Infrastructure

Based on industry guidance, rail operators may raise an objection to solar developments that are within 500m of their infrastructure due to safety implications caused by glare on train drivers, level crossings and railway light signals. A high-level receptor review indicates no railway infrastructure within this screening distance. Therefore, no rail receptors will be considered within the modelling assessment.

6. Modelled Results and Interpretation

6.1 Residential Results

6.1.1 Fixed Panel Results

Receptor	Results
R1-R4	<i>No glare is predicted towards R1-R4</i>
R5	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV1 Green Hill G from mid-March to late September between 05:30-07:00 for a maximum of 20 minutes per day.</p> <p>As such, glare is predicted for less than 60 minutes per day but for more than three months of the year. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.1.3.</p>
R6-R10	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>R6-R10 are located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV2 and PV3 Green Hill G from late March to mid-September between 05:00-06:30 for a maximum of 20 minutes per day.</p> <p>As such, glare is predicted for less than 60 minutes per day but for more than three months of the year. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.1.3.</p>
R11-R14	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from late March to mid-September between 05:00-06:30 for a maximum of 35 minutes per day.</p> <p>As such, glare is predicted for less than 60 minutes per day but for more than three months of the year. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.1.3.</p>
R15-R16	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early April to early September between 05:00-06:30 for a maximum of 25 minutes per day.</p> <p>As such, glare is predicted for less than 60 minutes per day but for more than three months of the year. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.1.3.</p>
R17-R37	<i>No glare is predicted towards R17-R37</i>



Receptor	Results
R38	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from late May to mid-July between 18:00-19:00 for a maximum of 20 minutes per day.</p> <p>Based on industry guidance, glare predicted for less than 60 minutes per day and for less than 3 months of the year may be classified as 'low impact', and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
R39-R40	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from mid-May to late July between 18:00-19:00 for a maximum of 20 minutes per day.</p> <p>Based on industry guidance, glare predicted for less than 60 minutes per day and for less than 3 months of the year may be classified as 'low impact', and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
R41	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early May to early August between 18:00-19:00 for a maximum of 20 minutes per day.</p> <p>As such, glare is predicted for less than 60 minutes per day but for more than three months of the year. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.1.3.</p>
R42	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from late April to mid-August between 18:00-19:00 for a maximum of 20 minutes per day.</p> <p>As such, glare is predicted for less than 60 minutes per day but for more than three months of the year. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.1.3.</p>
R43	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from late April to late August between 18:00-19:00 for a maximum of 20 minutes per day.</p> <p>As such, glare is predicted for less than 60 minutes per day but for more than three months of the year. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.1.3.</p>
R44	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early April to late August between 18:00-19:00 for a maximum of 20 minutes per day.</p>



Receptor	Results
	As such, glare is predicted for less than 60 minutes per day but for more than three months of the year. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.1.3.
R45	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early April to early September between 18:00-19:00 for a maximum of 20 minutes per day.</p> <p>As such, glare is predicted for less than 60 minutes per day but for more than three months of the year. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.1.3.</p>
R46-R48	<p>Glare is predicted from PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV2 and PV3 Green Hill G from late March to mid-September between 17:30-19:00 for a maximum of 25 minutes per day.</p> <p>As such, glare is predicted for less than 60 minutes per day but for more than three months of the year. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.1.3.</p>
R49	<p>Glare is predicted from PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>R49 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV2 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV2 Green Hill G.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from late March to mid-September between 17:30-19:00 for a maximum of 25 minutes per day.</p> <p>As such, glare is predicted for less than 60 minutes per day but for more than three months of the year. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.1.3.</p>

Detailed results can be provided upon request.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a 'no impact' significance may be classified where glare will not be visible from the assessed receptor. As such, no impacts are predicted to occur at R1-R4, and R17-R37.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a 'low impact' may be classified where glare of any intensity occurs for less than 60 minutes per day and for less than 3 months per year. As such, low impacts are predicted to occur at R38-R40.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a 'moderate impact' may be classified where unmitigated glare of any intensity occurs for longer than 60 minutes per day, or for more than 3 months of the year. Residential dwellings R5-R16 and R41-R49 are predicted to receive glare for less than 60 minutes daily,



however the incidence of glare is predicted to exceed 3 months. Based on industry guidance, professional judgement is applied and further review of factors not included within the model are considered in Section 6.1.3.

6.1.2 Tracking Panel Results

Receptor	Results
R1-R3	<i>No glare is predicted towards R1-R3</i>
R4	Glare is predicted from PV2 from Green Hill G. R4 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV2 of Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV2 of Green Hill G.
R5	Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G. Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G from late February to early March and late July to early February between 04:30-09:00 for a maximum of 35 minutes per day. As such, glare is predicted for less than 60 minutes per day but for more than three months of the year. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.1.3.
R6-R7	Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G. R6-R7 are located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 of Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 of Green Hill G. Glare is predicted from PV2 Green Hill G in late January and from late October to early November between 07:00-08:30 for a maximum of 10 minutes per day. Based on industry guidance, glare predicted for less than 60 minutes per day and for less than 3 months of the year may be classified as 'low impact', and no further mitigation is recommended.
R8-R10	Glare is predicted from PV1 from Green Hill G. R8-R10 are located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 of Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 of Green Hill G.
R11	<i>No glare is predicted towards R11</i>
R12-R15	Glare is predicted from PV1 from Green Hill G. R12-R15 are located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 of Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 of Green Hill G.
R16-R38	<i>No glare is predicted towards R16-R38</i>



Receptor	Results
R39	Glare is predicted from PV2 from Green Hill G. R39 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV2 of Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV2 of Green Hill G.
R40	<i>No glare is predicted towards R40</i>
R41-R45	Glare is predicted from PV2 from Green Hill G. R41-R45 are located outside the 1km screening distance of PV2 of Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV2 of Green Hill G.
R46-R48	Glare is predicted from PV2 from Green Hill G. Glare is predicted from PV2 Green Hill G in mid-July between 19:30-20:30 for a maximum of 20 minutes per day. Based on industry guidance, glare predicted for less than 60 minutes per day and for less than 3 months of the year may be classified as 'low impact', and no further mitigation is recommended.
R49	Glare is predicted from PV2 from Green Hill G. R49 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV2 of Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV2 of Green Hill G.

Detailed results can be provided upon request.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a 'no impact' significance may be classified where glare will not be visible from the assessed receptor. As such, no impacts are predicted to occur at R1-R3, R11, R16-R38 and R40.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a 'low impact' may be classified where glare of any intensity occurs for less than 60 minutes per day and for less than 3 months per year. As such, low impacts are predicted to occur at R4, R6-R10, R12-R15, R39 and R41-R49.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a 'moderate impact' may be classified where unmitigated glare of any intensity occurs for longer than 60 minutes per day, or for more than 3 months of the year. Residential dwelling R5 is predicted to receive glare for less than 60 minutes daily, however the incidence of glare is predicted to exceed 3 months. Based on industry guidance, professional judgement is applied and further review of factors not included within the model are considered in Section 6.1.3.



6.1.3 Results Discussion

Additional factors have been considered to determine the residual impact significance at receptors R5-R16 and R41-R49. These include:

- Additional screening/obstructions; and
- The extent to which cloud cover and glare impacts coincide.

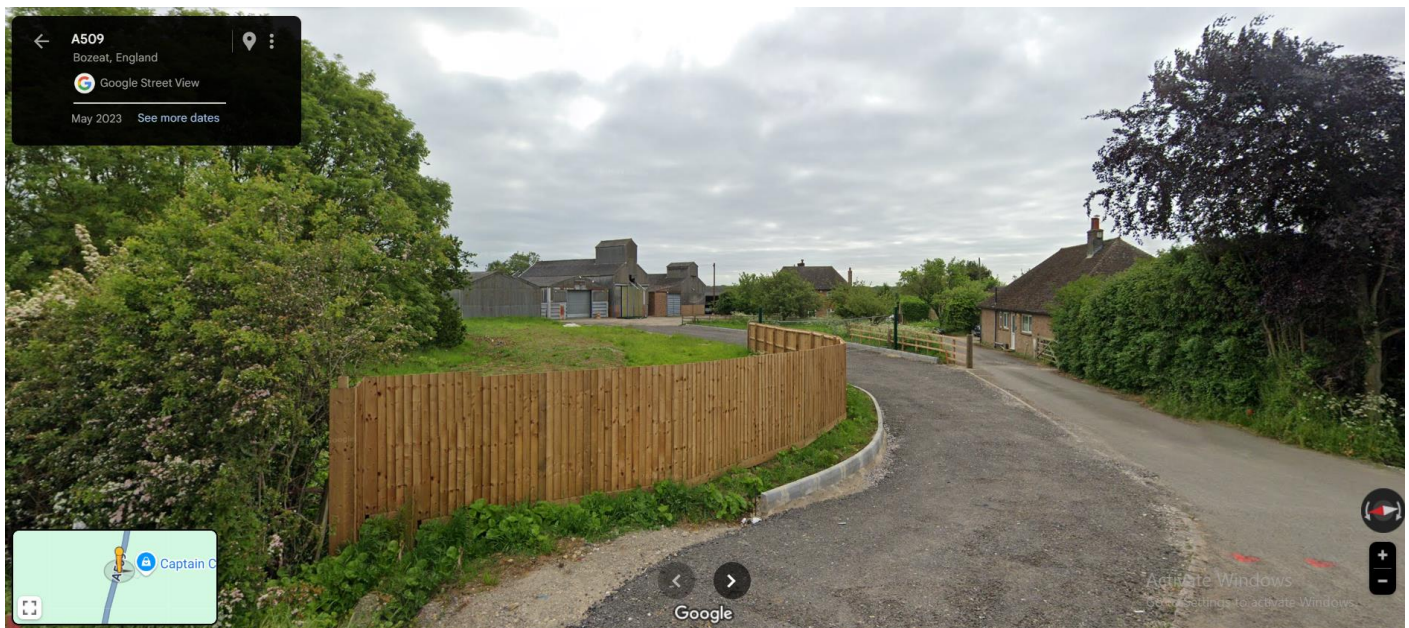
6.1.3.1 Additional Screening/Obstructions

R5

Line of sight is obstructed between R5 and Green Hill G PV1 by intervening vegetation and farm buildings to the east of R5.

Furthermore, due to model limitations intervening arrays are not considered as obstructions to glare. R5 is only considered to have a potential direct line of sight to PV2 Green Hill G and the northernmost section of PV1 Green Hill G. Any glare from the majority of PV1 is likely to be screened by PV2.

Figure 6.1: Line of Sight from R5 and Green Hill G PV1



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R6

Line of sight is obstructed between R6 and Green Hill G by intervening dense vegetation to the east of R6. As such, a maximum impact of 'low impact' may be classified towards R6 from Green Hill G.



Figure 6.2: Line of sight from R6 towards Green Hill G

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R7

Line of sight is obstructed between R7 and Green Hill G by intervening dense vegetation to the east of R7. As such, a maximum impact of 'low impact' may be classified towards R7 from Green Hill G.

Figure 6.3: Line of sight from R7 towards Green Hill G

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R8

Line of sight is obstructed between R8 and Green Hill G by intervening dense vegetation aligning the A428. As such, a maximum impact of 'low impact' may be classified towards R8 from Green Hill G.



Figure 6.4: Line of Sight from R8 towards Green Hill G

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R9-R10

Line of sight is obstructed between R9-R10 and Green Hill G by intervening vegetation to the south-west of Warrington Toll Bar Roundabout. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified towards R9-R10.

Figure 6.5: Line of Sight towards R9 and R10 from Green Hill G

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R11-R16

Line of sight is obstructed between R11-R16 and Green Hill G by intervening dense vegetation aligning the A428. As such, a maximum impact of 'low impact' may be classified towards R11-R16 from Green Hill G.



Figure 6.6: Line of Sight between R11-R16 and Green Hill G



R46-R47

Line of sight is obstructed between R46-R47 and Green Hill G by intervening vegetation and infrastructure. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of ‘low impact’ may be classified towards R46-R47.

Figure 6.7: Dense vegetation between R46-R47 and Green Hill G



Figure 6.8: Line of sight from Green Hill G towards R46-R47**R48-R49**

Line of sight is obstructed between R48-R49 and Green Hill G by intervening vegetation aligning Castle Road. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified towards R48-R49.

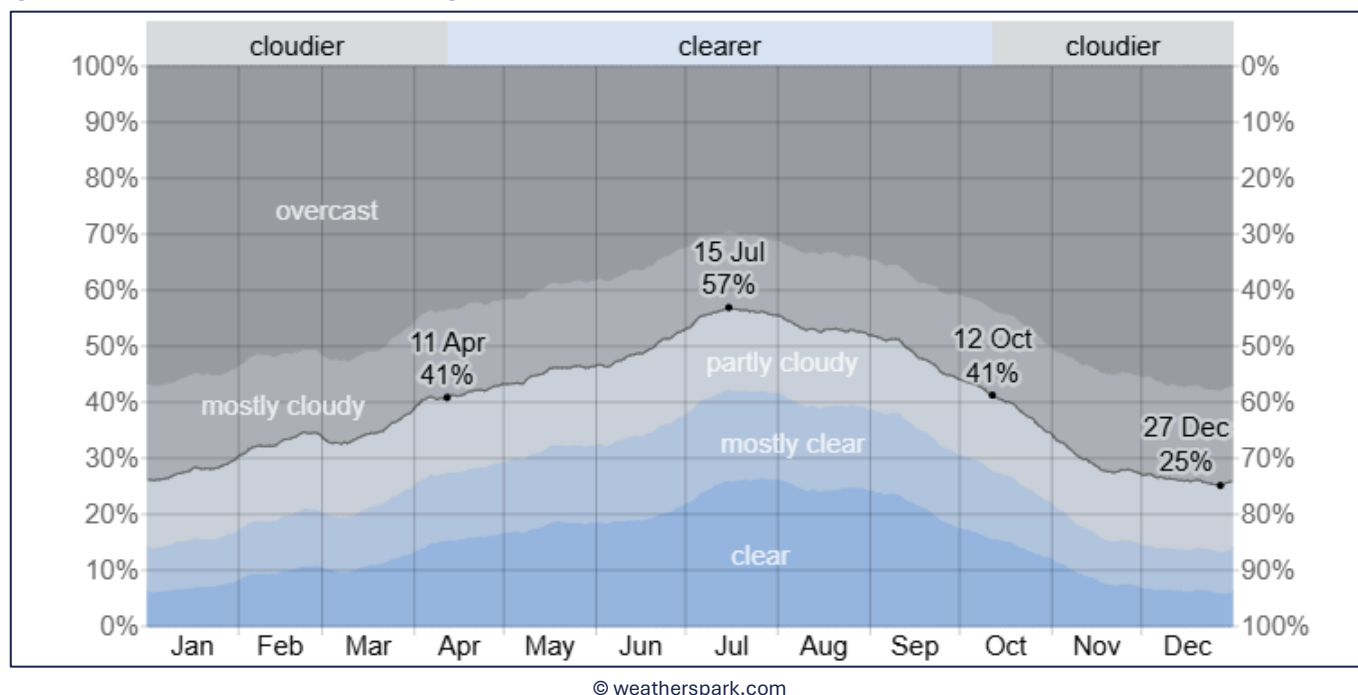
Figure 6.9: Dense vegetation between R48-R49 and Green Hill G

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6.1.3.2 Cloud Cover

As the worst-case approach, the model assumes clear sky conditions all year round. In the affected months (year-round) cloudier conditions (overcast and mostly cloudy) exist in Warrington (closest weather data available) for 43-75% of the time, as shown below in Figure 6.10.



Figure 6.10: Cloud Cover at Warrington

Considering the cloud cover that is likely to occur in the area, the modelled glare from the Scheme is likely to occur 43% less of often than predicted as a minimum.

6.1.4 Residual Impact

Receptor	Residual Impact	
	Fixed Panels	Tracking Panels
R1	No Impact	No Impact
R2	No Impact	No Impact
R3	No Impact	No Impact
R4	No Impact	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
R5	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R6	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R7	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R8	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R9	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact



Receptor	Residual Impact	
	Fixed Panels	Tracking Panels
R10	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R11	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	No Impact
R12	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R13	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R14	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R15	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R16	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	No Impact
R17	No Impact	No Impact
R18	No Impact	No Impact
R19	No Impact	No Impact
R20	No Impact	No Impact
R21	No Impact	No Impact
R22	No Impact	No Impact
R23	No Impact	No Impact
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R25	No Impact	No Impact
R26	No Impact	No Impact
R27	No Impact	No Impact
R28	No Impact	No Impact
R29	No Impact	No Impact
R30	No Impact	No Impact
R31	No Impact	No Impact
R32	No Impact	No Impact
R33	No Impact	No Impact
R34	No Impact	No Impact
R35	No Impact	No Impact
R36	No Impact	No Impact



Receptor	Residual Impact	
	Fixed Panels	Tracking Panels
R37	No Impact	No Impact
R38	Low Impact	No Impact
R39	Low Impact	Low Impact
R40	Low Impact	No Impact
R41	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R42	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R43	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R44	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R45	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R46	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R47	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R48	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
R49	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact

6.2 Road Infrastructure (A428)

6.2.1 Fixed Panel Results

The below results show the area of the modelled PV arrays that is predicted glare compared to the 50° field of view of road users travelling at the corresponding observation points.

Receptor	Results
OP1	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP1 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>

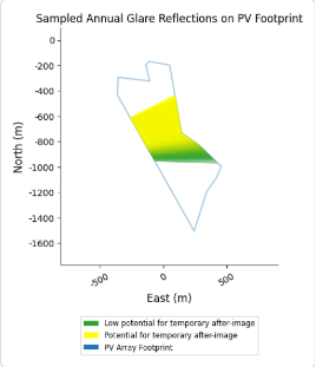
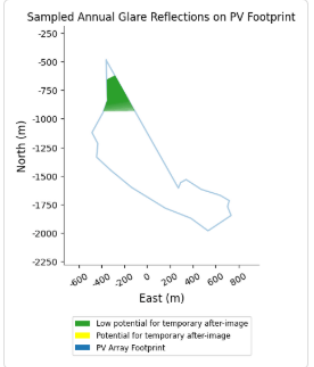
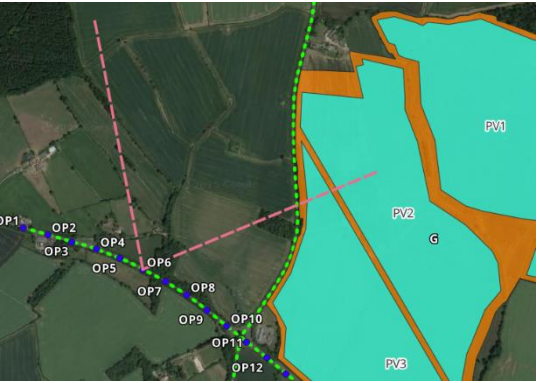


Receptor	Results
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OP2	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP2 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div data-bbox="474 1193 775 1597"> <p>PV3:</p> </div> <div data-bbox="916 1193 1477 1603"> <p>50° FOV:</p> </div> </div> <p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of 'low impact'. As such, a 'low impact' may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
OP3	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP3 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G.</p>

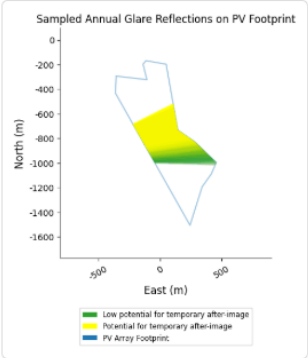
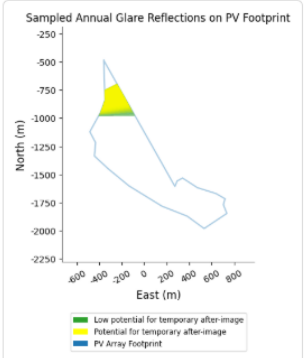
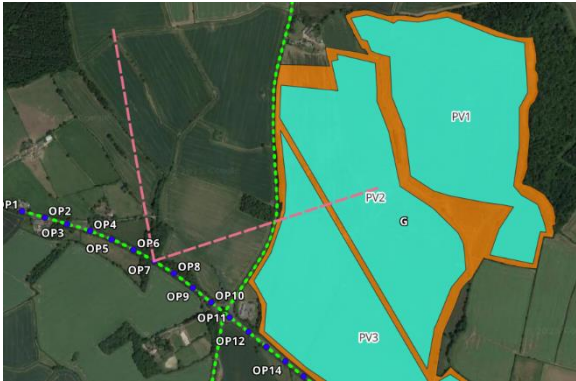
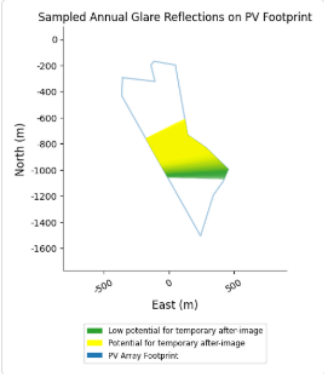
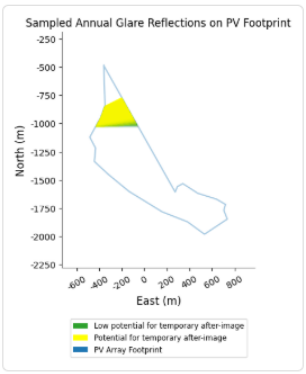


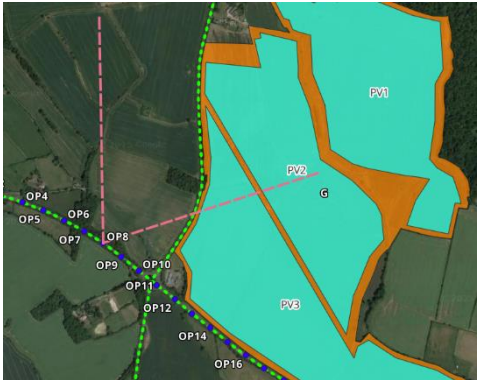
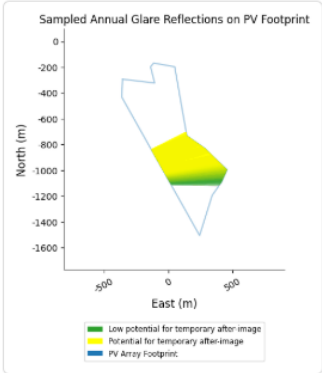
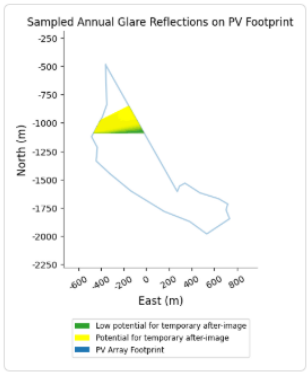
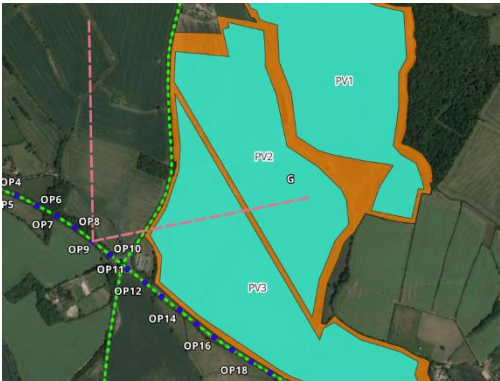
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OP4	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP4 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of ‘low impact’ is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div><div><p>PV2:</p></div><div><p>PV3:</p></div></div>

Receptor	Results
	<div>50° FOV:</div> <div></div> <p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>
OP5	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP5 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of ‘low impact’ is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div><div><div>PV2:</div><div></div></div><div><div>PV3:</div><div></div></div><div>50° FOV:</div><div></div></div>

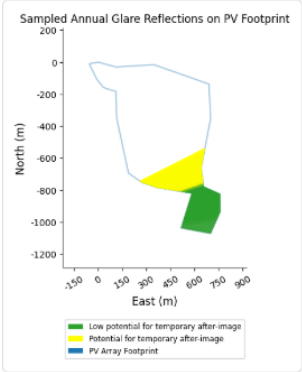
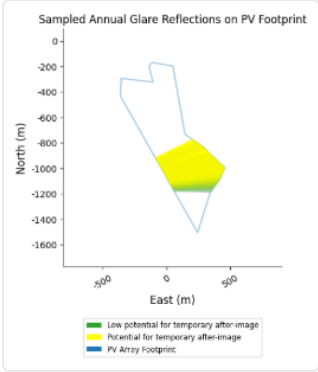
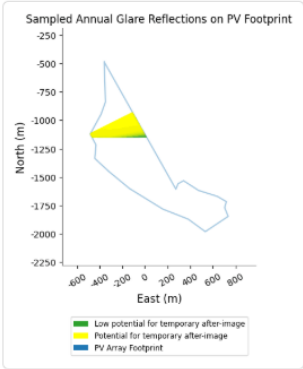
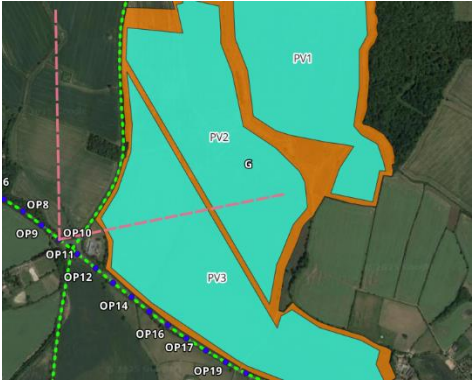
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<p>OP6</p>	<p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP6 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>PV2:</p>  </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>PV3:</p>  </div> </div> <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 20px;"> <p>50° FOV:</p>  </div> <p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>
<p>OP7</p>	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP7 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>



Receptor	Results
	<div><div><div><div><div>PV2:</div><div></div></div></div><div><div><div>PV3:</div><div></div></div></div><div><div>50° FOV:</div><div></div></div></div><div><p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p></div></div>
OP8	<div><p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p><p>OP8 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of ‘low impact’ is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p><p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p></div> <div><div><div><div><div>PV2:</div><div></div></div></div><div><div><div>PV3:</div><div></div></div></div></div></div>

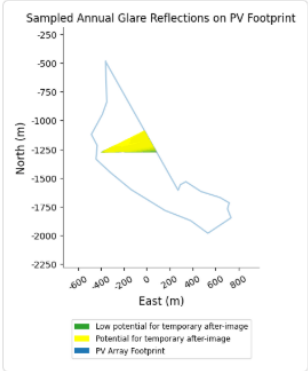
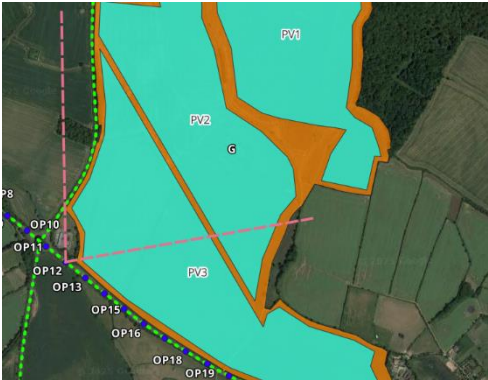
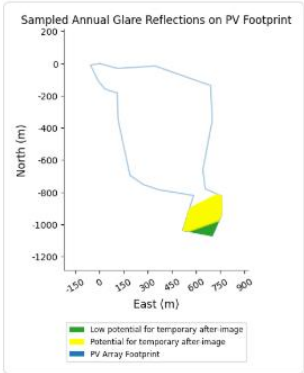
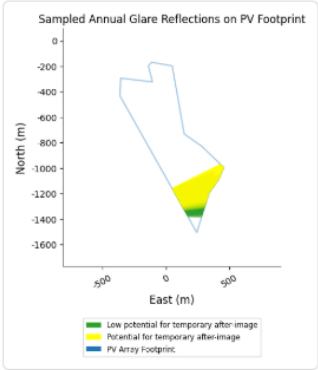
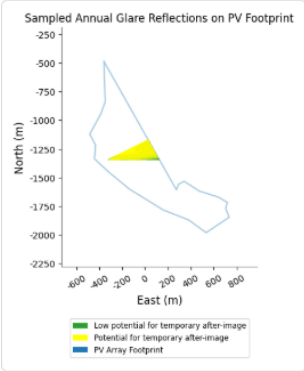
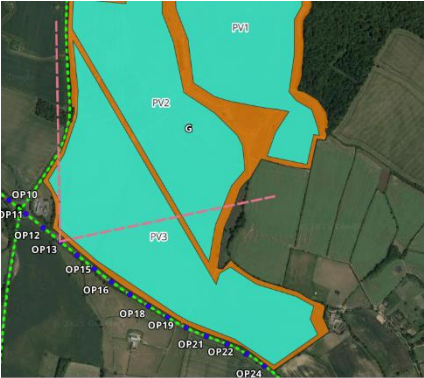
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OP9	<div>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</div> <div>OP9 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of ‘low impact’ is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</div> <div>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</div> <div><div><div>PV2:</div><div></div></div><div><div>PV3:</div><div></div></div><div>50° FOV:</div><div></div></div>



Receptor	Results
	<p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>
OP10	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div><div><p>PV1:</p></div><div><p>PV2:</p></div><div><p>PV3:</p></div><div><p>50° FOV:</p></div></div> <p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>
OP11	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>



Receptor	Results
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OP12	<div><div><div><div><div>PV1:</div><div></div></div></div><div><div>PV2:</div><div></div></div></div><div><p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p><p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p></div></div>

Receptor	Results
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OP13	<div><div><div><div>PV1:</div><div></div></div><div><div>PV2:</div><div></div></div><div><div>PV3:</div><div></div></div><div><div>50° FOV:</div><div></div></div><div><p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p></div></div></div>

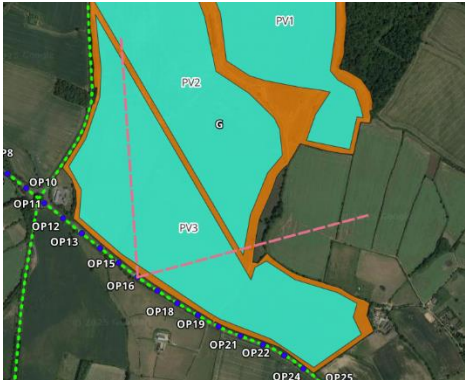
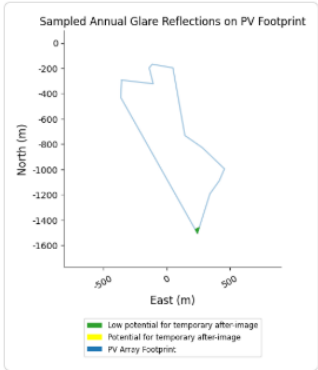
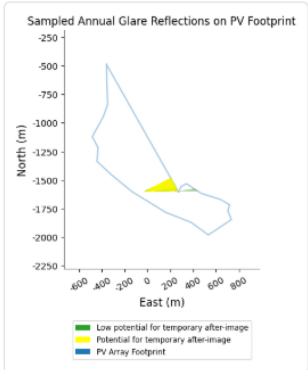
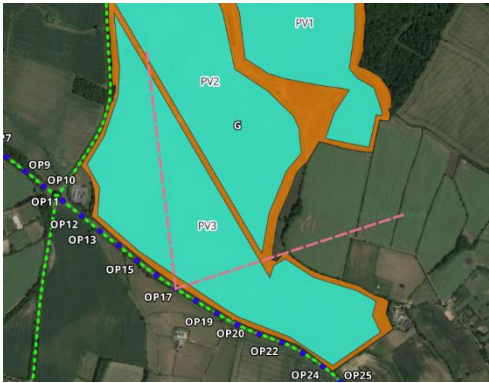


Receptor	Results
OP14	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div><div><p>PV1:</p></div><div><p>PV2:</p></div><div><p>PV3:</p></div><div><p>50° FOV:</p></div></div> <p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>
OP15	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>

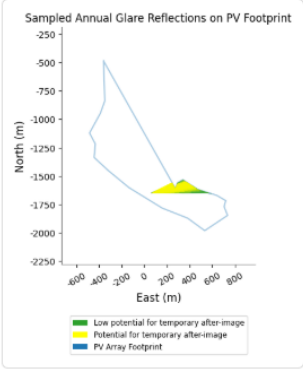
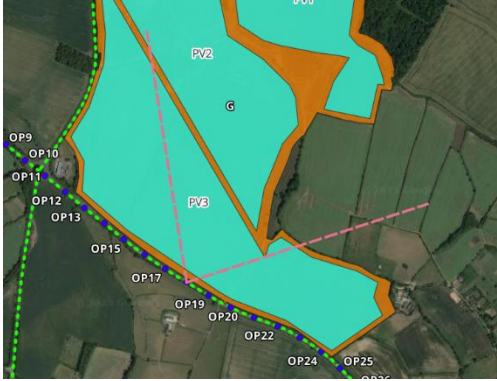
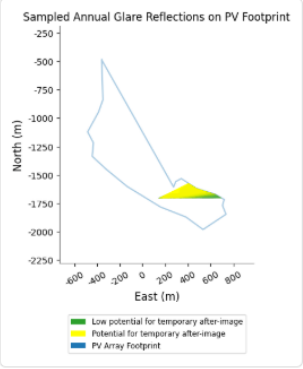
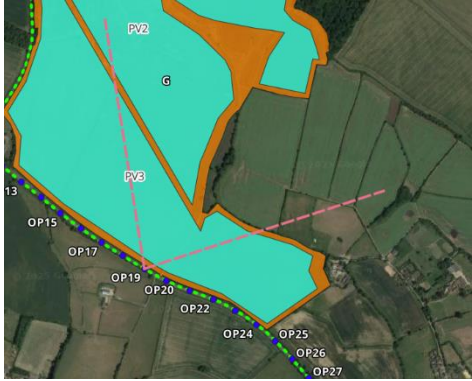


Receptor	Results
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OP16	<div><p>Glare is predicted from PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p><p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p></div> <div><div><div><div>PV2:</div><div></div></div><div><div>PV3:</div><div></div></div></div></div>

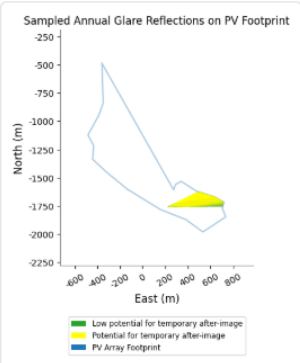
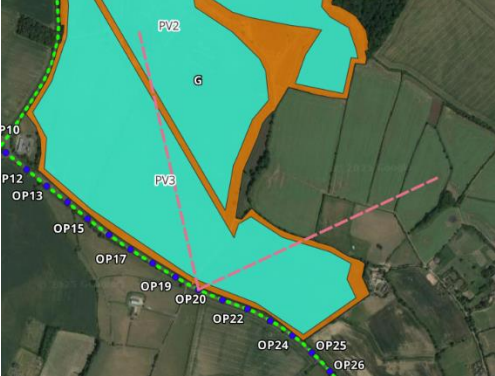
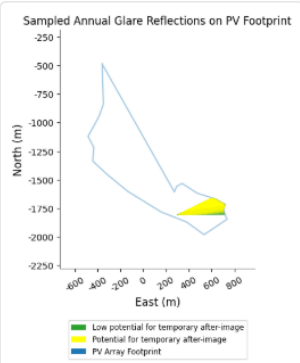
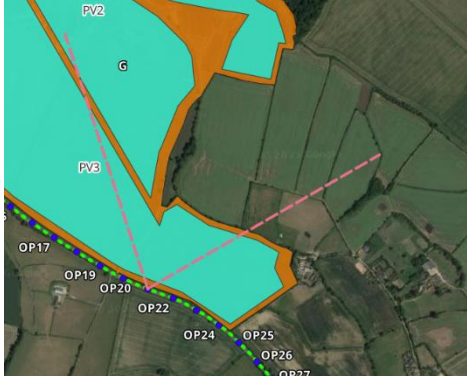


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OP17	<p>Glare is predicted from PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div><div><div>PV2:</div><div></div></div><div><div>PV3:</div><div></div></div><div><div>50° FOV:</div><div></div></div><p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p></div>



Receptor	Results
OP18	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>PV3:</p>  </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>50° FOV:</p>  </div> </div> <p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>
OP19	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>PV3:</p>  </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>50° FOV:</p>  </div> </div> <p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>
OP20	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>

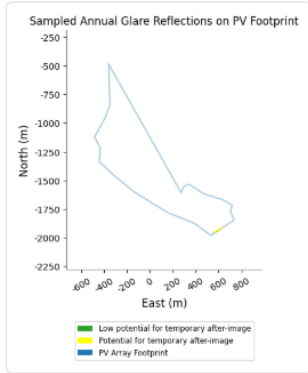
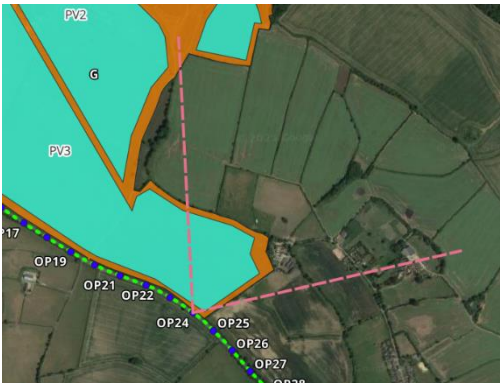


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OP21	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div data-bbox="477 1014 783 1415"> <p>PV3:</p>  </div> <div data-bbox="956 1014 1437 1424"> <p>50° FOV:</p>  </div> </div> <p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>
OP22	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>



Receptor	Results
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OP23	<p data-bbox="347 826 927 857">Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p data-bbox="347 898 1445 965">The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <p data-bbox="603 1014 662 1046">PV3:</p>  <p data-bbox="1145 1014 1262 1046">50° FOV:</p>  <p data-bbox="347 1473 1406 1541">As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>
OP24	<p data-bbox="347 1561 927 1592">Glare is predicted from PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p data-bbox="347 1632 1445 1700">The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>



Receptor	Results
	<p>PV3:</p>  <p>50° FOV:</p>  <p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. Professional judgement and a review of additional considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>
OP25	No glare predicted towards OP25 – OP35.

Detailed results can be provided upon request.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a 'no impact' significance may be classified where glare will not be visible from the assessed receptor. As such, no impacts are predicted to occur at OP25 – OP35.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a 'low impact' may be classified where glare is predicted outside the 50° FOV of road users or at a distance of >1km. As such, low impacts are predicted to occur at OP1 and OP2.

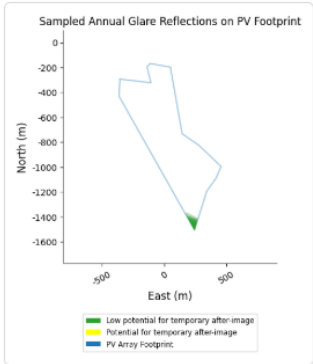
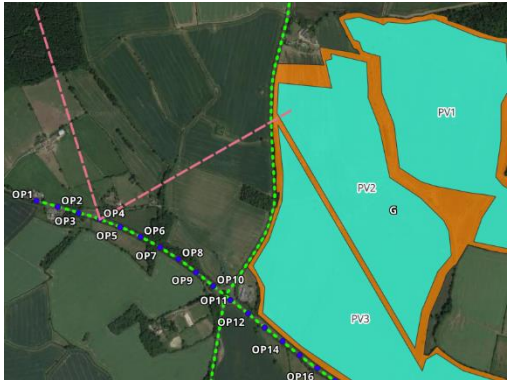
With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a 'moderate impact' may be classified where unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users. As such, moderate impacts are predicted to occur at OP3 – OP24. Based on industry guidance, professional judgement is applied and further review of factors not included within the model are considered in Section 6.2.3.

6.2.2 Tracking Panel Results

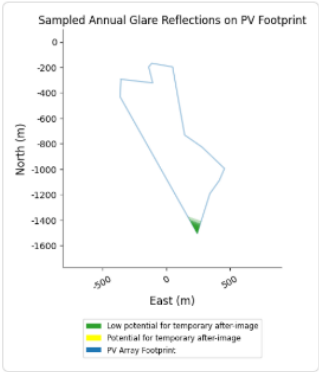
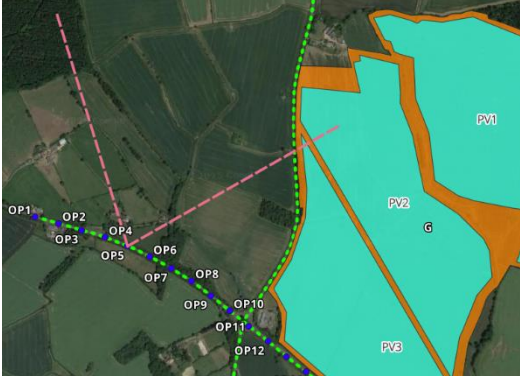
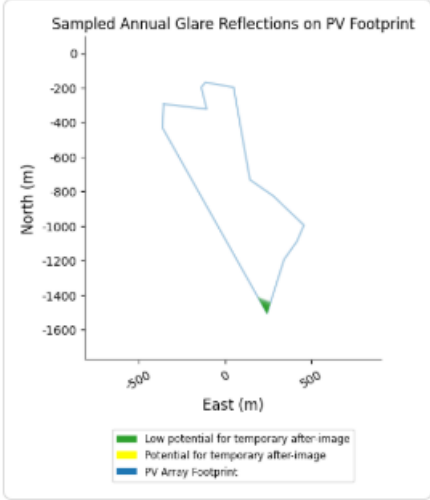
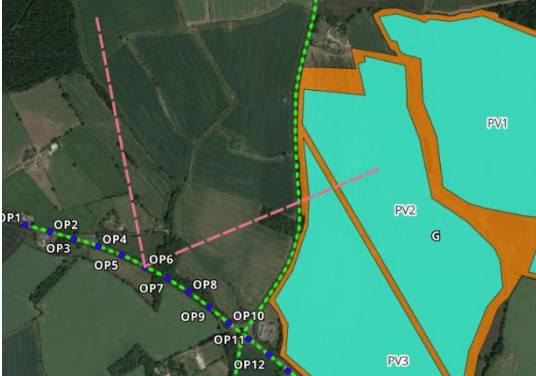
The below results show the area of the modelled PV arrays that is predicted glare compared to the 50° field of view of road users travelling at the corresponding observation points.

Receptor	Results
OP1	Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G. OP1 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G.
OP2	Glare is predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.

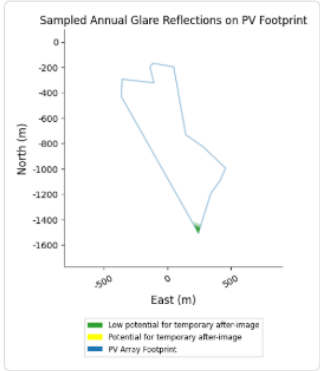
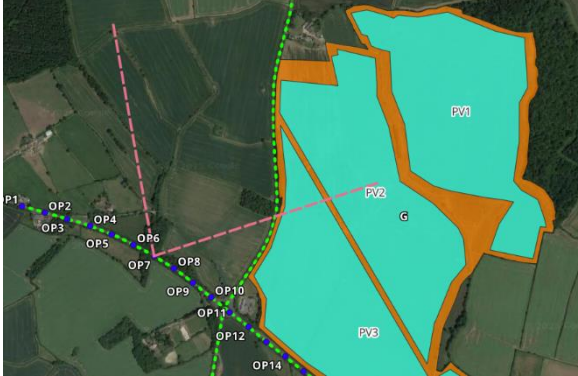
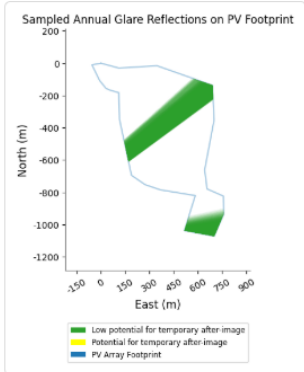
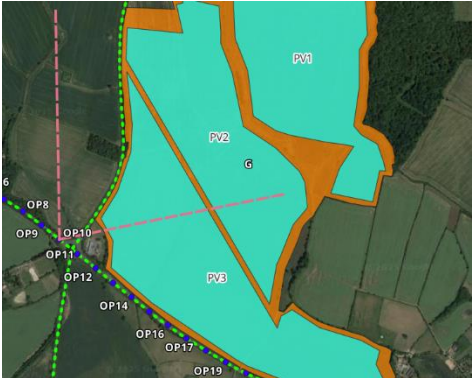


Receptor	Results
	OP2 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.
OP3	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP3 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G.</p>
OP4	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP4 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>PV2:</p>  </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>50° FOV:</p>  </div> </div> <p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of 'low impact'. As such, a 'low impact' may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
OP5	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP5 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>

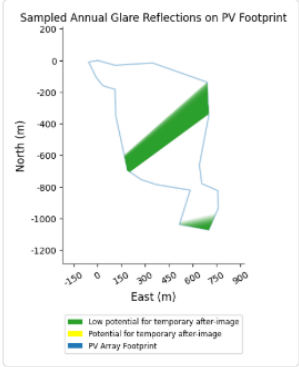

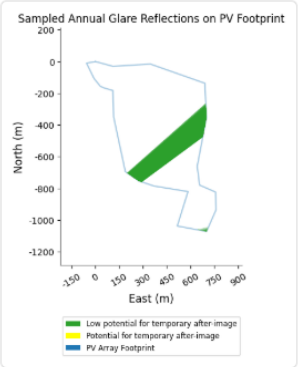
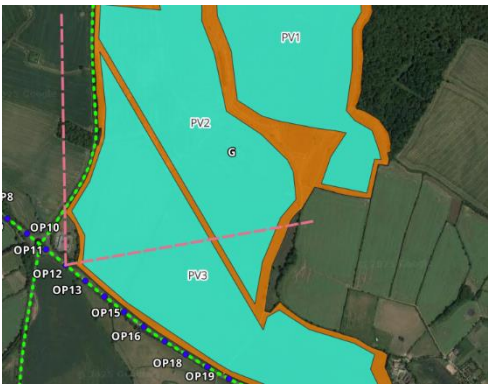


Receptor	Results
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OP6	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP6 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div data-bbox="416 1149 847 1682"> <p>PV2:</p>  </div> <div data-bbox="935 1211 1473 1621"> <p>50° FOV:</p>  </div> </div> <p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of 'low impact'. As such, a 'low impact' may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
OP7	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP7 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p>

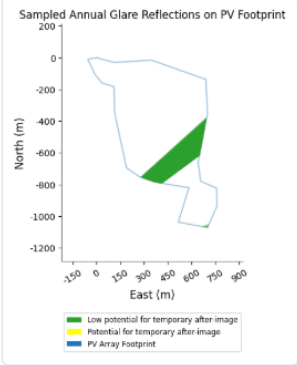
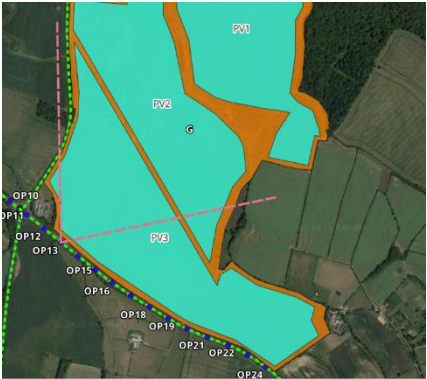
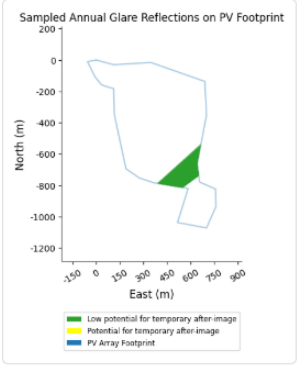
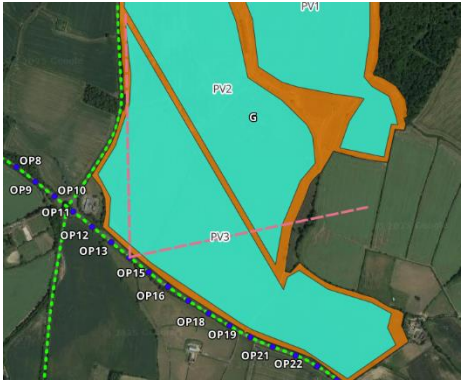


Receptor	Results
	<p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>PV2:</p>  </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>50° FOV:</p>  </div> </div> <p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of 'low impact'. As such, a 'low impact' may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
OP8	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP8 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p>
OP9	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>OP9 is located outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' is assigned to glare predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p>
OP10	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>PV1:</p>  </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>50° FOV:</p>  </div> </div>

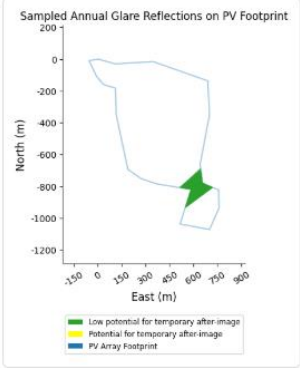
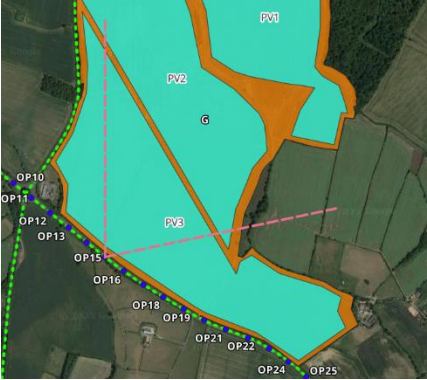
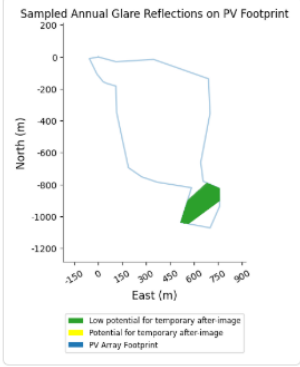
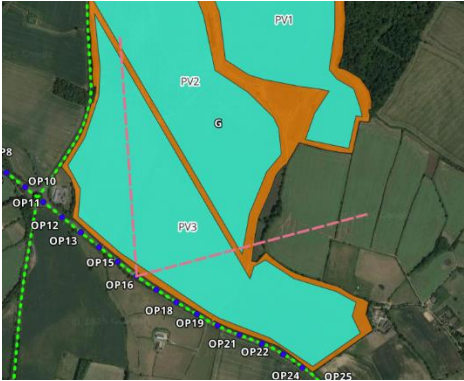


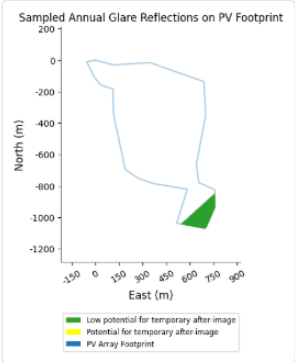
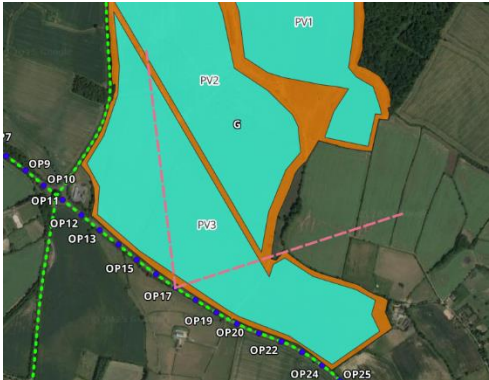
Receptor	Results
OP11	<p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of 'low impact'. As such, a 'low impact' may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p> <p>Glare is predicted from PV1 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>PV1:</p>  </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>50° FOV:</p>  </div> </div> <p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of 'low impact'. As such, a 'low impact' may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
OP12	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>PV1:</p>  </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>50° FOV:</p>  </div> </div> <p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of 'low impact'. As such, a 'low impact' may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
OP13	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 from Green Hill G.</p>



Receptor	Results
	<p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>PV1:</p>  </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>50° FOV:</p>  </div> </div> <p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of 'low impact'. As such, a 'low impact' may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
OP14	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>PV1:</p>  </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>50° FOV:</p>  </div> </div> <p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of 'low impact'. As such, a 'low impact' may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
OP15	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>



Receptor	Results
	<div><div><div><div>PV1:</div><div></div></div><div><div>50° FOV:</div><div></div></div></div><p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of ‘low impact’. As such, a ‘low impact’ may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p></div>
OP16	<div><p>Glare is predicted from PV1 from Green Hill G.</p><p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p></div> <div><div><div><div>PV1:</div><div></div></div><div><div>50° FOV:</div><div></div></div></div><p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of ‘low impact’. As such, a ‘low impact’ may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p></div>
OP17	<div><p>Glare is predicted from PV1 from Green Hill G.</p><p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p></div>

Receptor	Results
	<div><div><div><div>PV1:</div><div></div></div></div><div><div><div>50° FOV:</div><div></div></div></div><div><p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of ‘low impact’. As such, a ‘low impact’ may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p></div></div>
OP18	No glare predicted towards OP18 – OP35.

Detailed results can be provided upon request.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a ‘no impact’ significance may be classified where glare will not be visible from the assessed receptor. As such, no impacts are predicted to occur at OP18 - OP35.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a ‘low impact’ may be classified where glare is predicted outside the 50° FOV of road users or at a distance of >1km. As such, low impacts are predicted to occur at OP1 – OP17.

6.2.3 Results Discussion

Mitigating factors have been considered to determine the residual impact significance at receptors OP3 – OP24. These include:

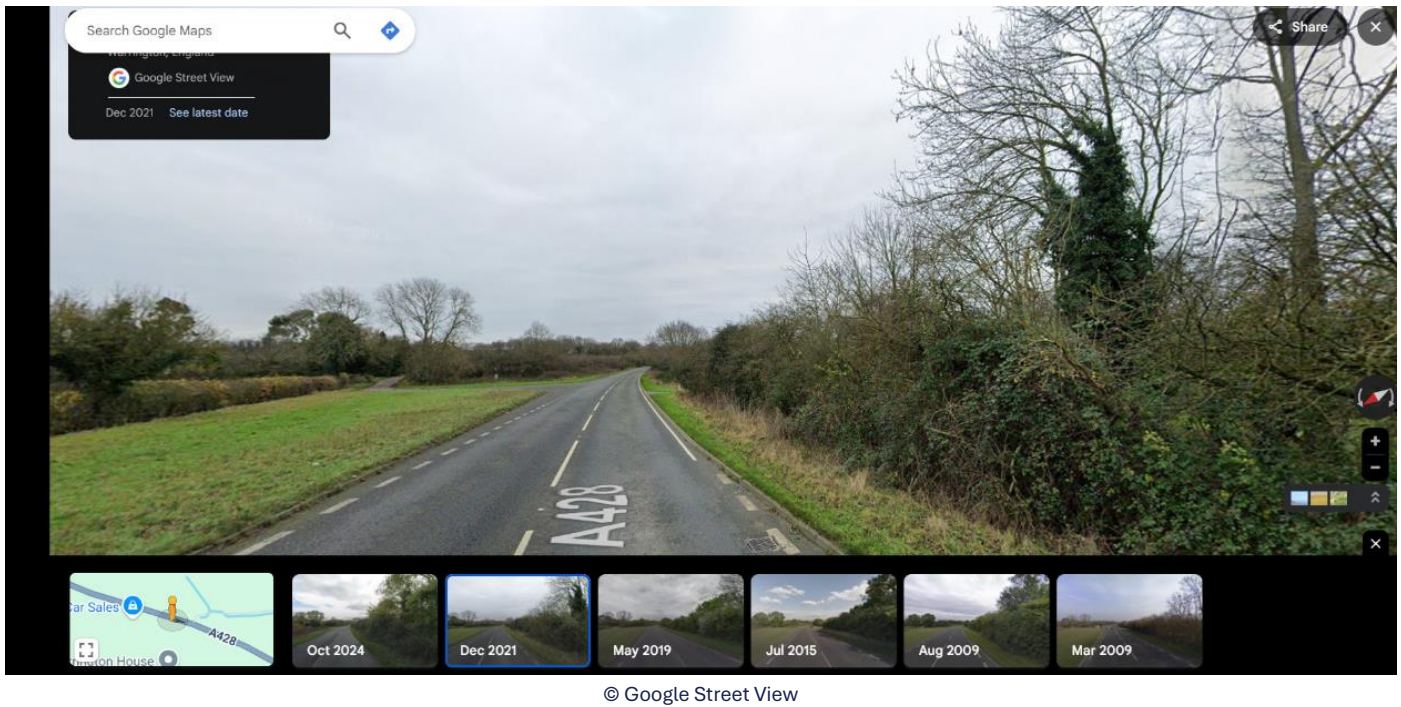
- Additional screening/obstructions;
- The extent to which impacts coincide with effects of direct sunlight; and
- The extent to which cloud cover and glare impacts coincide.

6.2.3.1 Additional Screening/Obstructions

OP3

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A428 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of ‘low impact’ may be classified.

Figure 6.11: Line of Sight from OP3 towards PV3



OP4

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV2 and PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A428 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV2 and PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of ‘low impact’ may be classified.

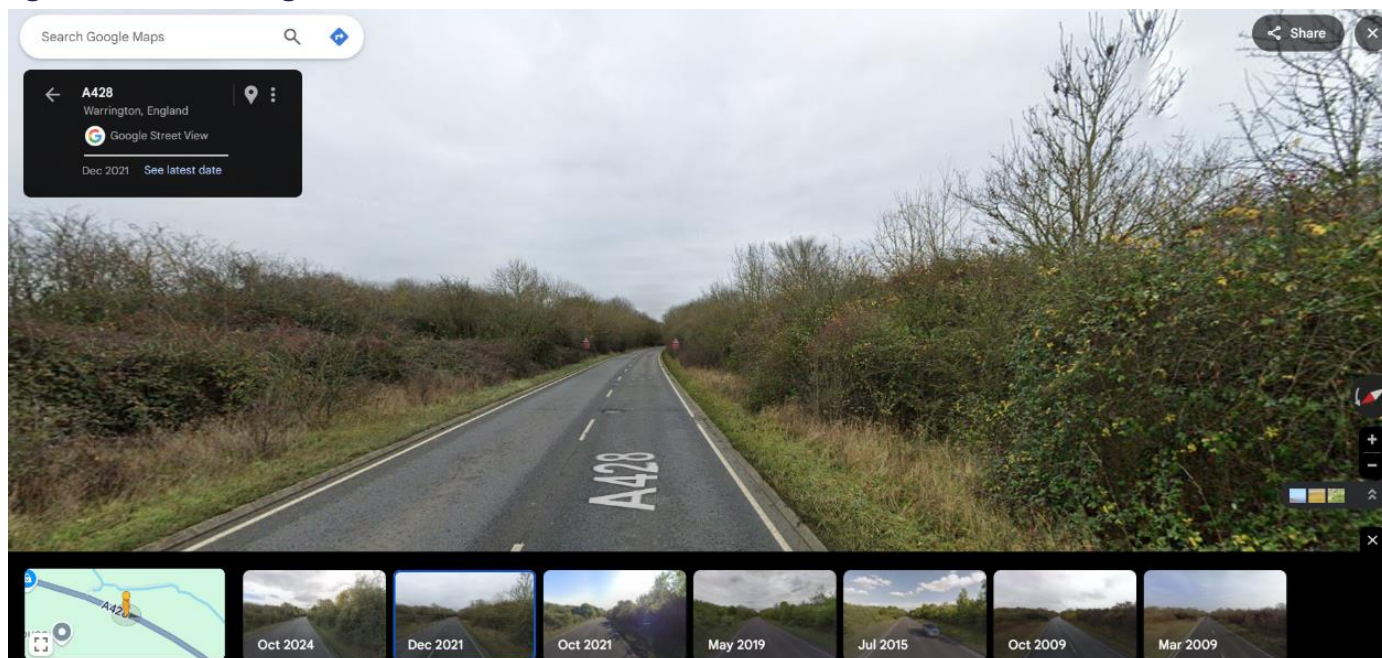
Figure 6.12: Line of Sight from OP4 towards PV2 and PV3



OP5

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV2 and PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A428 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV2 and PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

Figure 6.13: Line of Sight from OP5 towards PV2 and PV3



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OP6

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV2 and PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A428 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV2 and PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.



Figure 6.14: Line of Sight from OP6 towards PV2 and PV3

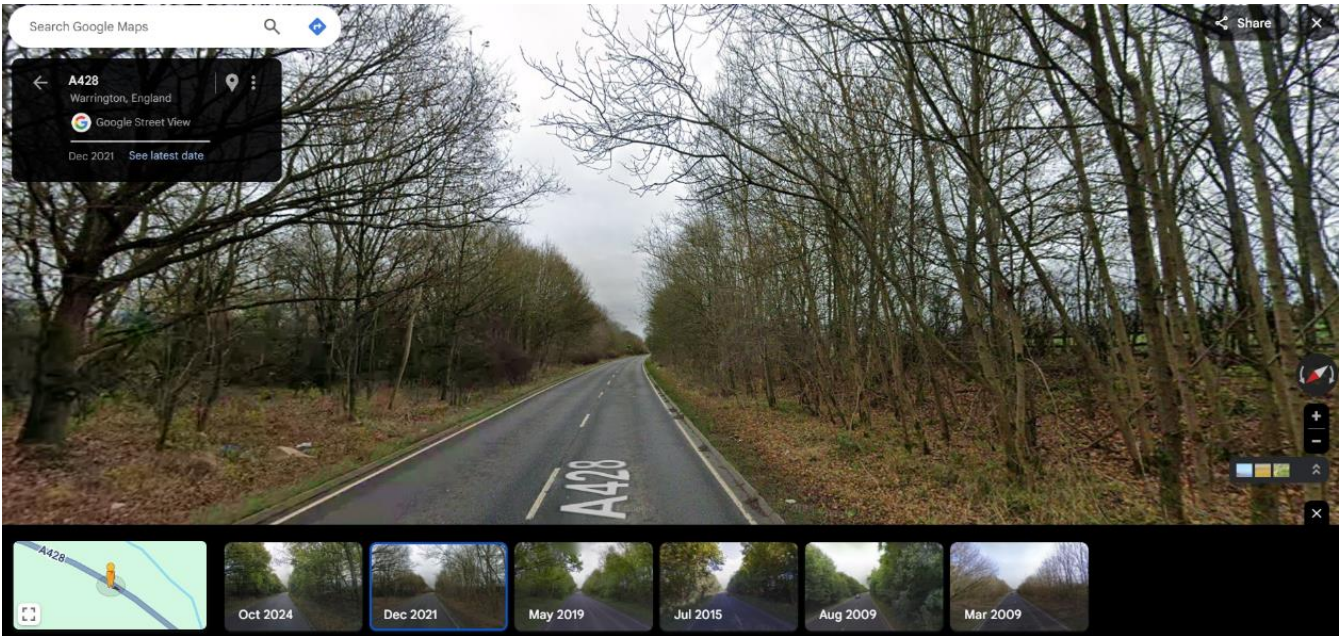


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OP7

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV2 and PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A428 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV2 and PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of ‘low impact’ may be classified.

Figure 6.15: Line of Sight from OP7 towards PV2 and PV3



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OP8

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV2 and PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A428 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV2 and PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of ‘low impact’ may be classified.



Figure 6.16: Line of Sight from OP8 towards PV2 and PV3



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OP9

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV2 and PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A428 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV2 and PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of ‘low impact’ may be classified.

Figure 6.17: Line of Sight from OP9 towards PV2 and PV3



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OP10

It is expected that PV3 will obstruct line of sight between OP10 and PV2.



OP11

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV2 and PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A428 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV2 and PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

Figure 6.18: Line of Sight from OP11 towards PV2 and PV3

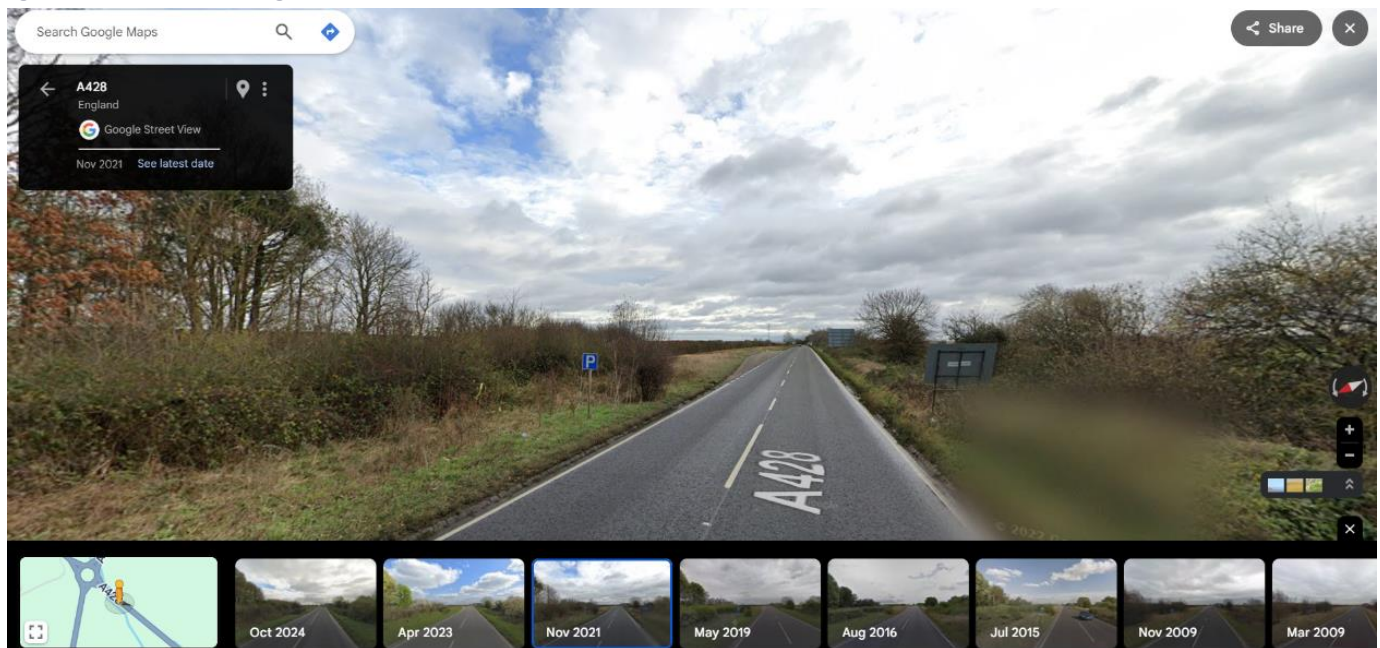


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OP12

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV2 and PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A428 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV2 and PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.



Figure 6.19: Line of Sight from OP12 towards PV2 and PV3

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OP13

It is expected that PV3 will obstruct line of sight between OP13 and PV2.

OP14

It is expected that PV3 will obstruct line of sight between OP14 and PV2.

OP15

It is expected that PV3 will obstruct line of sight between OP15 and PV2.

OP16

It is expected that PV3 will obstruct line of sight between OP16 and PV2.

OP20

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A428 is expected to partially obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.



Figure 6.20: Line of sight from OP19 towards PV3



OP22

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A428 is expected to partially obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of ‘low impact’ may be classified.

Figure 6.21: Line of sight from OP22 towards PV3



OP23

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A428 is expected to partially obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

Figure 6.22: Line of sight from OP23 towards PV3



6.2.3.2 The extent to which impacts coincide with effects of direct sunlight

OP10

Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early March to mid-September between 05:00-06:00 for a maximum of 45 minutes per day.

Effects that coincide with direct sunlight appear less prominent than those that do not as the sun is a far more significant source of light than reflecting panels. A review of the predicted glare indicates that it will coincide with sunrise, where the sun is lower in the sky. It is therefore considered that glare impact may be diminished as the glare from the sun and reflective area are predicted to originate from the same point in space.

OP13

Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early March to mid-September between 05:00-06:00 for a maximum of 45 minutes per day.

Effects that coincide with direct sunlight appear less prominent than those that do not as the sun is a far more significant source of light than reflecting panels. A review of the predicted glare indicates that it will coincide with sunrise, where the sun is lower in the sky. It is therefore considered that glare impact may be diminished as the glare from the sun and reflective area are predicted to originate from the same point in space.



OP14

Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early March to mid-September between 05:00-06:00 for a maximum of 45 minutes per day.

Effects that coincide with direct sunlight appear less prominent than those that do not as the sun is a far more significant source of light than reflecting panels. A review of the predicted glare indicates that it will coincide with sunrise, where the sun is lower in the sky. It is therefore considered that glare impact may be diminished as the glare from the sun and reflective area are predicted to originate from the same point in space.

OP15

Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early March to mid-September between 05:00-06:00 for a maximum of 45 minutes per day.

Effects that coincide with direct sunlight appear less prominent than those that do not as the sun is a far more significant source of light than reflecting panels. A review of the predicted glare indicates that it will coincide with sunrise, where the sun is lower in the sky. It is therefore considered that glare impact may be diminished as the glare from the sun and reflective area are predicted to originate from the same point in space.

OP16

Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early March to mid-September between 05:00-06:00 for a maximum of 45 minutes per day.

Effects that coincide with direct sunlight appear less prominent than those that do not as the sun is a far more significant source of light than reflecting panels. A review of the predicted glare indicates that it will coincide with sunrise, where the sun is lower in the sky. It is therefore considered that glare impact may be diminished as the glare from the sun and reflective area are predicted to originate from the same point in space.

OP17

Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early March to mid-September between 05:00-06:00 for a maximum of 45 minutes per day.

Effects that coincide with direct sunlight appear less prominent than those that do not as the sun is a far more significant source of light than reflecting panels. A review of the predicted glare indicates that it will coincide with sunrise, where the sun is lower in the sky. It is therefore considered that glare impact may be diminished as the glare from the sun and reflective area are predicted to originate from the same point in space.

OP18

Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early March to mid-September between 05:00-06:00 for a maximum of 45 minutes per day.

Effects that coincide with direct sunlight appear less prominent than those that do not as the sun is a far more significant source of light than reflecting panels. A review of the predicted glare indicates that it will coincide with sunrise, where the sun is lower in the sky. It is therefore considered that glare impact may be diminished as the glare from the sun and reflective area are predicted to originate from the same point in space.



OP19

Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early March to mid-September between 05:00-06:00 for a maximum of 45 minutes per day.

Effects that coincide with direct sunlight appear less prominent than those that do not as the sun is a far more significant source of light than reflecting panels. A review of the predicted glare indicates that it will coincide with sunrise, where the sun is lower in the sky. It is therefore considered that glare impact may be diminished as the glare from the sun and reflective area are predicted to originate from the same point in space.

OP21

Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early March to mid-September between 05:00-06:00 for a maximum of 45 minutes per day.

Effects that coincide with direct sunlight appear less prominent than those that do not as the sun is a far more significant source of light than reflecting panels. A review of the predicted glare indicates that it will coincide with sunrise, where the sun is lower in the sky. It is therefore considered that glare impact may be diminished as the glare from the sun and reflective area are predicted to originate from the same point in space.

OP24

Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G from early May to early September between 05:00-06:00 for a maximum of 35 minutes per day.

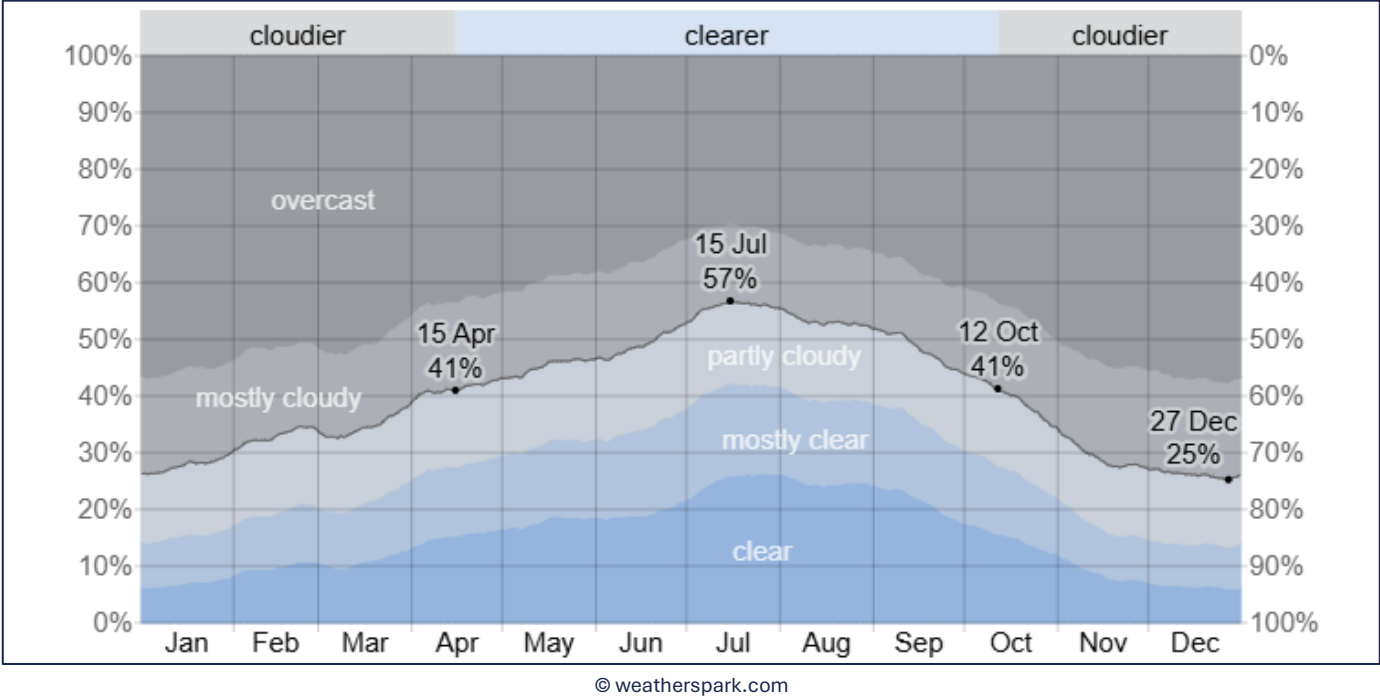
Effects that coincide with direct sunlight appear less prominent than those that do not as the sun is a far more significant source of light than reflecting panels. A review of the predicted glare indicates that it will coincide with sunrise, where the sun is lower in the sky. It is therefore considered that glare impact may be diminished as the glare from the sun and reflective area are predicted to originate from the same point in space.

6.2.3.3 Cloud Cover

As the worst-case approach, the model assumes clear sky conditions all year round. In the affected months (March to September) cloudier conditions (overcast and mostly cloudy) exist in Bozeat (closest weather data available) for 43-65% of the time, as shown below in Figure 6.23.



Figure 6.23: Cloud Cover in Bozeat



Considering the cloud cover that is likely to occur in the area, the modelled glare from the Scheme is likely to occur 43% less of often than predicted as a minimum.

6.2.4 Residual Impact

Receptor	Residual Impact	
	Fixed Panels	Tracking Panels
OP1	Low Impact	Low Impact
OP2	Low Impact	Low Impact
OP3	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP4	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP5	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP6	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP7	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP8	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP9	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact

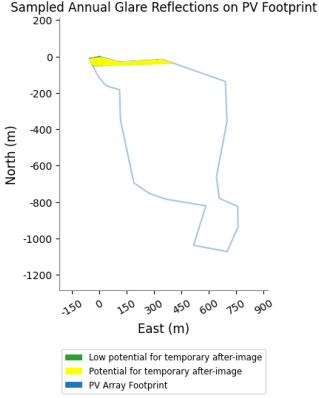

Receptor	Residual Impact	
	Fixed Panels	Tracking Panels
OP10	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP11	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP12	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP13	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP14	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP15	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP16	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP17	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP18	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP19	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	No Impact
OP20	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	No Impact
OP21	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	No Impact
OP22	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	No Impact
OP23	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	No Impact
OP24	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	No Impact
OP25	No Impact	No Impact
OP26	No Impact	No Impact
OP27	No Impact	No Impact
OP28	No Impact	No Impact
OP29	No Impact	No Impact
OP30	No Impact	No Impact



6.3 Road Infrastructure (A509)

6.3.1 Fixed Panel Results

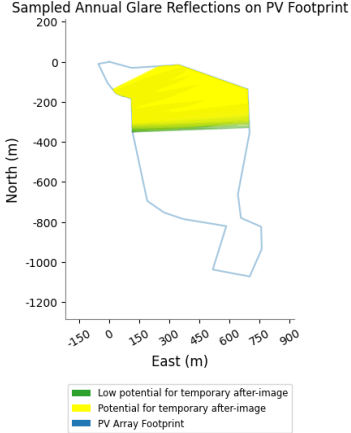
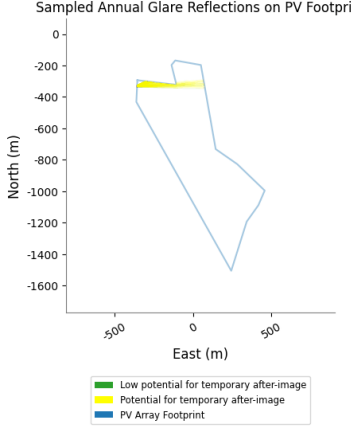

The below results show the area of the modelled PV arrays that is predicted glare compared to the 50° field of view of road users at the corresponding observation points.

Receptor	Results
OP1 – OP10	No glare predicted towards OP1 – OP10
OP11	<div><div><div><div>Glare is predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</div><div>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</div></div><div><div><div>Green Hill G PV1:</div><div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div></div><div><div>50° FOV (northbound):</div></div></div><div><div>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of ‘low impact’. As such, a ‘low impact’ may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</div></div></div></div></div>
OP12	<div><div><div>Glare is predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</div><div>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</div></div></div>

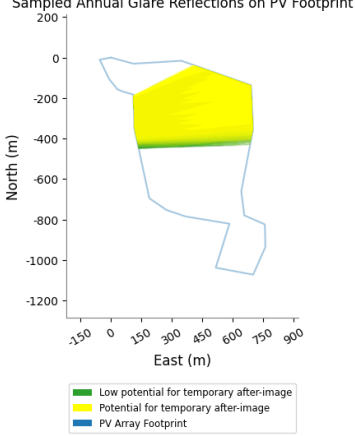
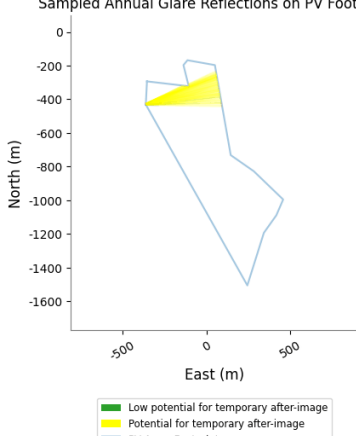

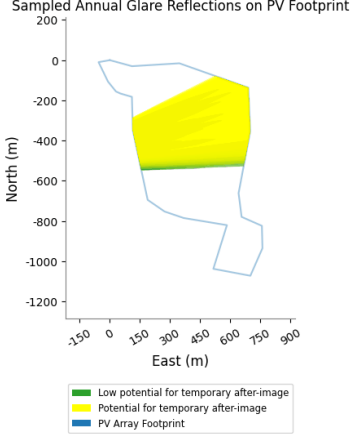
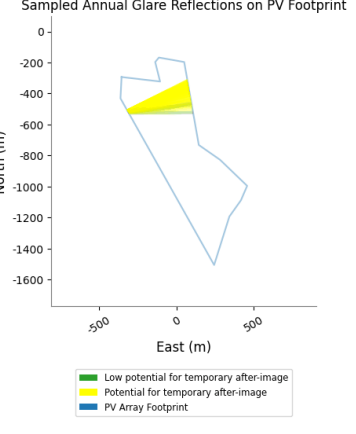


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OP13	<div><div><div><div><div>Green Hill G PV1:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div><div></div></div></div><div><div>Green Hill G PV2:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div><div></div></div></div><div><div>50° FOV:</div><div></div></div></div>

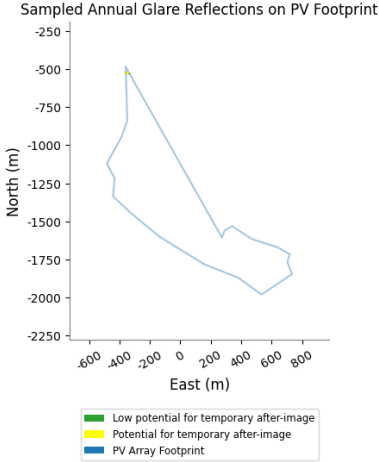

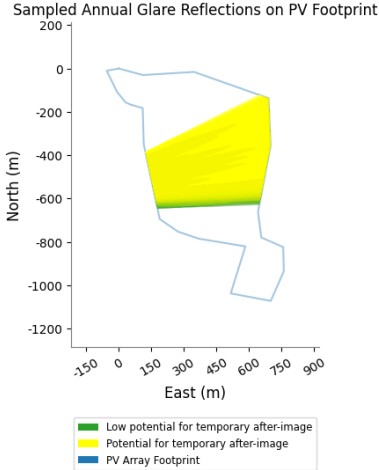
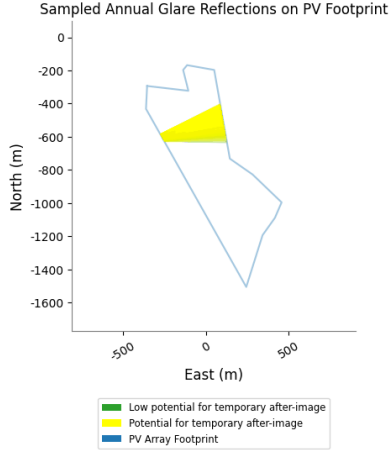


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OP14	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <div><div><p>Green Hill G PV1:</p><p>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</p><p>North (m)</p><p>East (m)</p><p>Low potential for temporary after-image Potential for temporary after-image PV Array Footprint</p></div><div><p>Green Hill G PV2:</p><p>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</p><p>North (m)</p><p>East (m)</p><p>Low potential for temporary after-image Potential for temporary after-image PV Array Footprint</p></div><div><p>50° FOV:</p></div></div> <p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. A review of mitigation considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>
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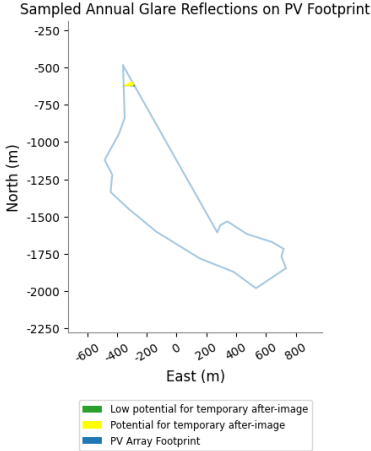

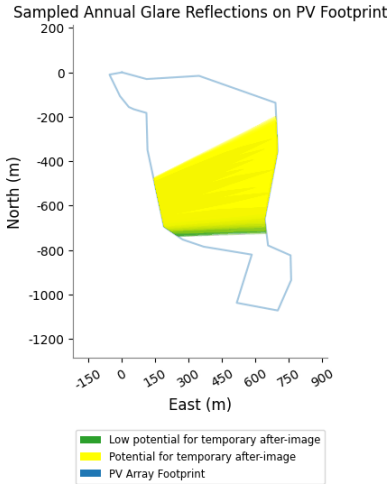
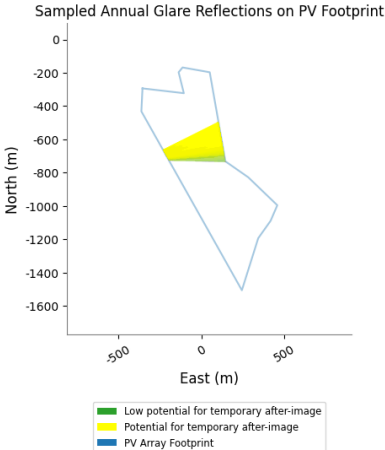


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OP16	<div><div><div><div><div>Green Hill G PV1:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div></div><div><div>Green Hill G PV2:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div></div></div></div><div><p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 Green Hill G.</p><p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p></div></div>



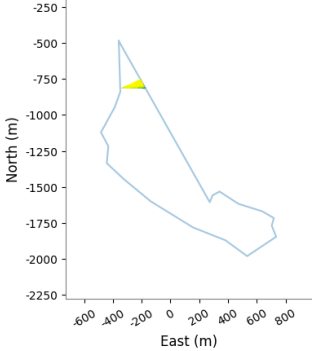

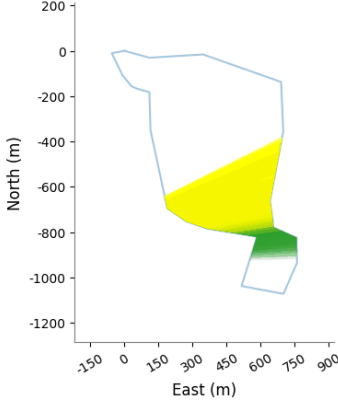
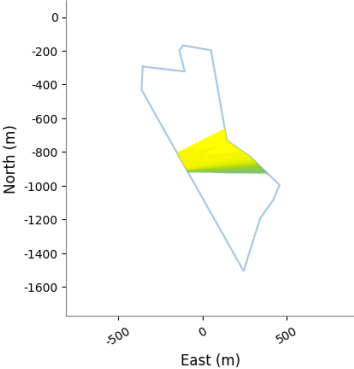
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OP17	<div><div><div><div><div>Green Hill G PV1:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div><div><div>Low potential for temporary after-image</div><div>Potential for temporary after-image</div><div>PV Array Footprint</div></div></div><div><div>Green Hill G PV2:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div><div><div>Low potential for temporary after-image</div><div>Potential for temporary after-image</div><div>PV Array Footprint</div></div></div></div><div><p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 Green Hill G.</p><p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p></div></div></div>

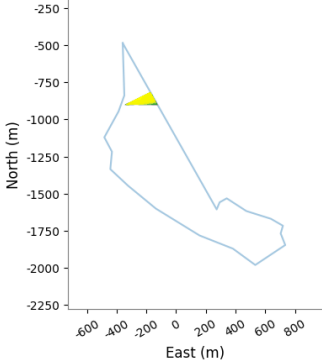

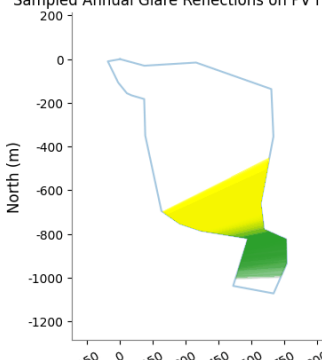
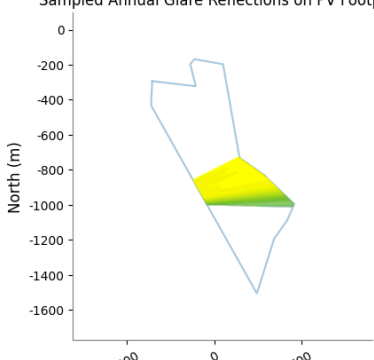
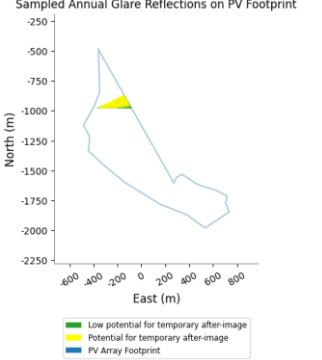
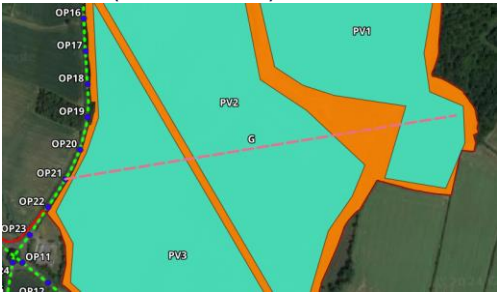


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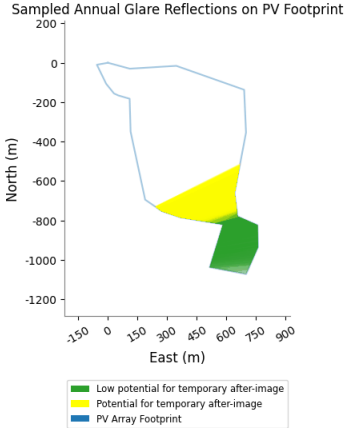
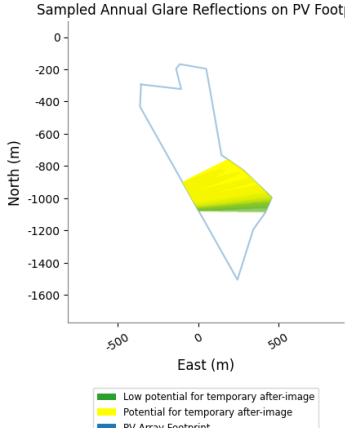
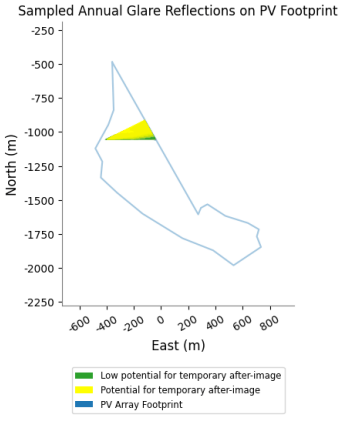

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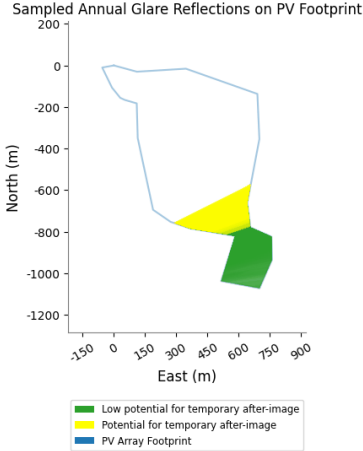
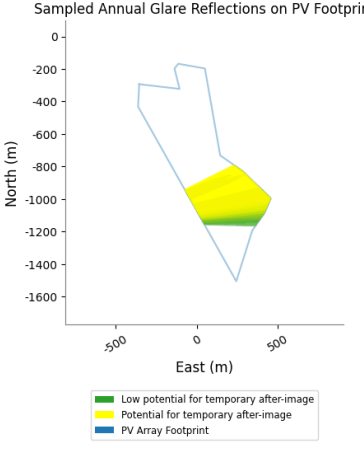
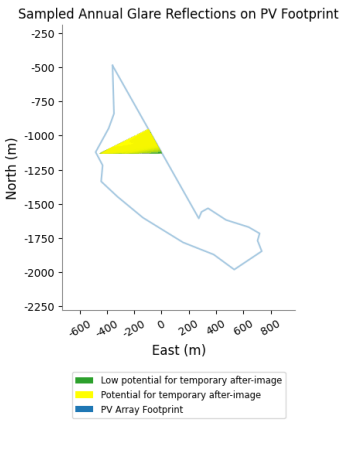

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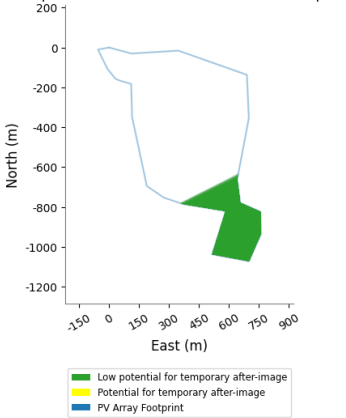
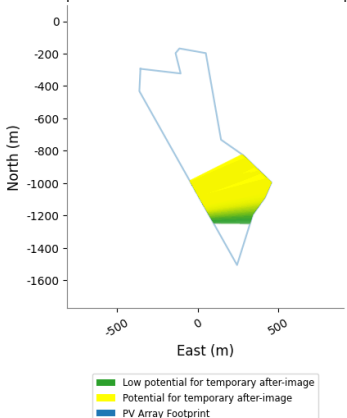
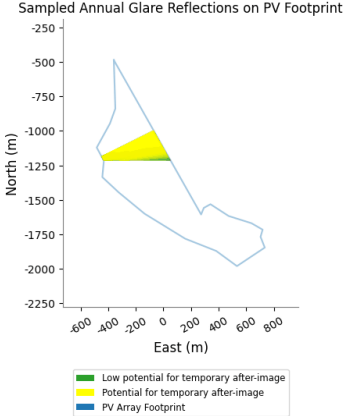



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OP23	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>

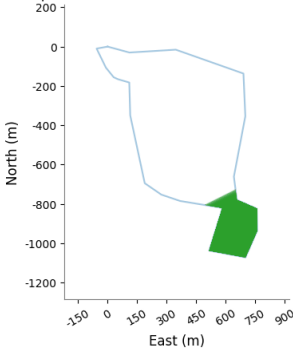
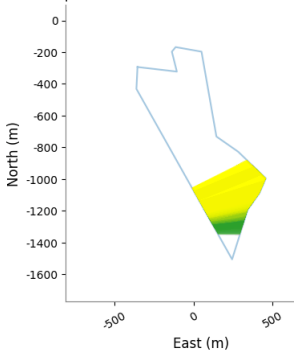
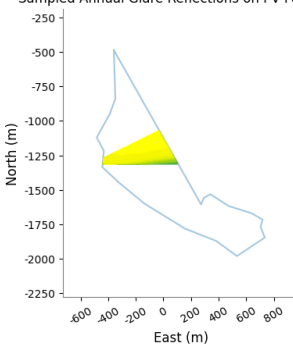



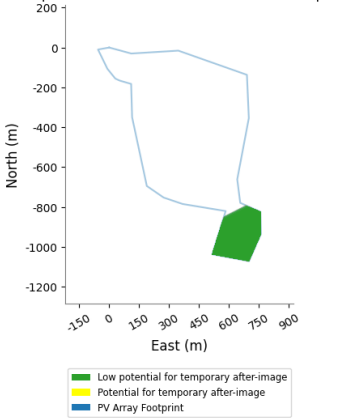
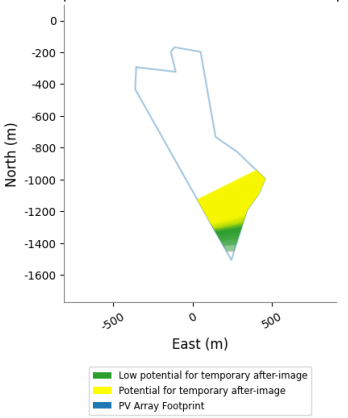
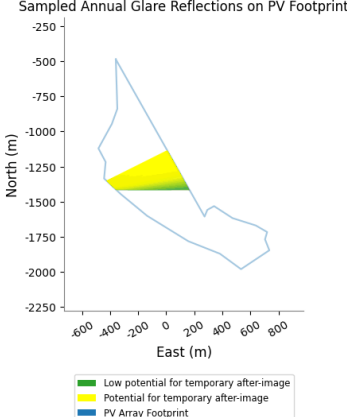
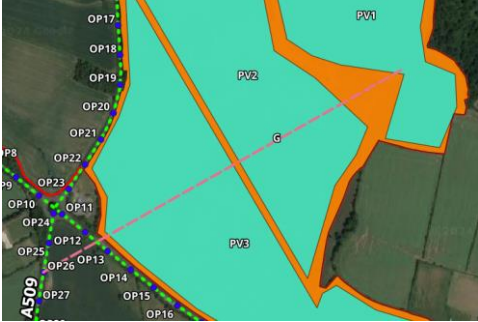
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OP24	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>



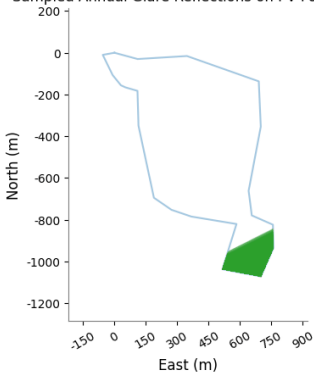
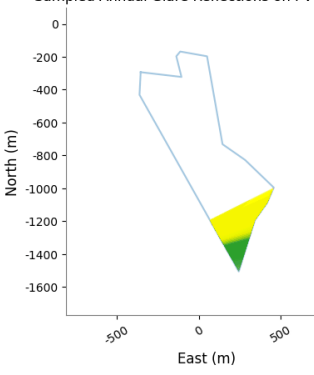
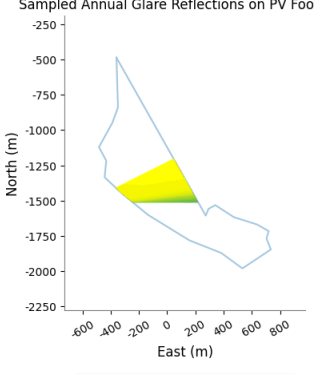

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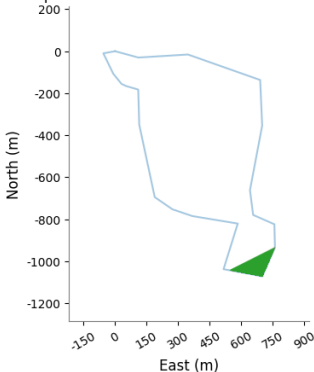
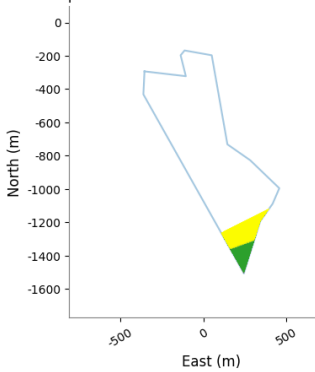
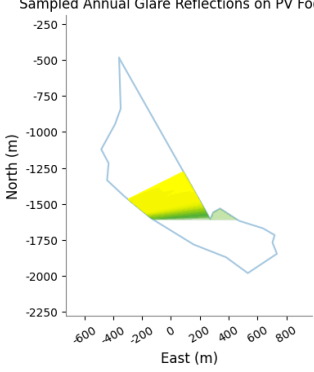

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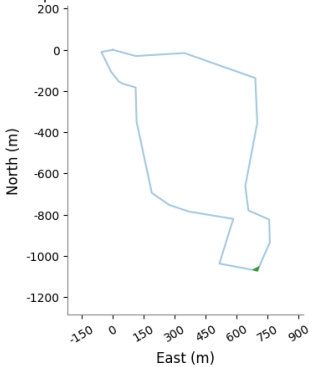
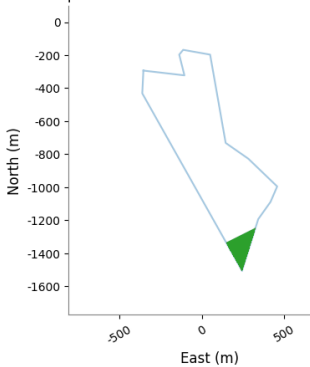
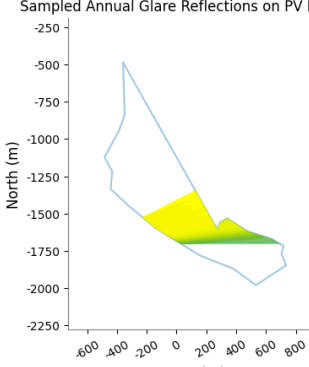
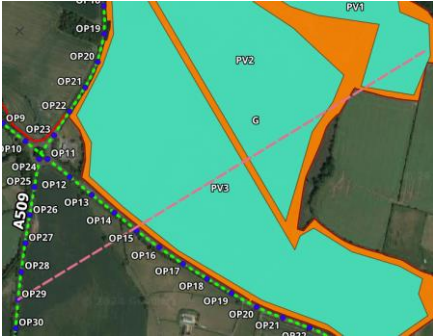
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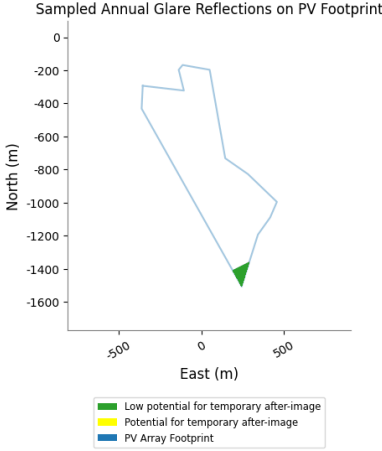
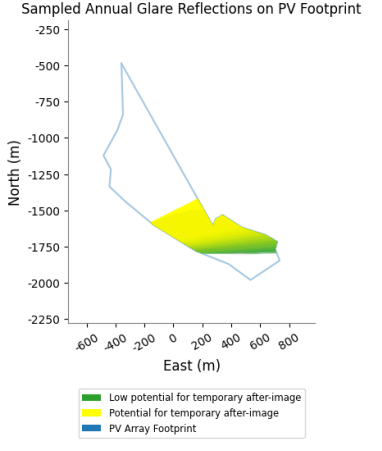
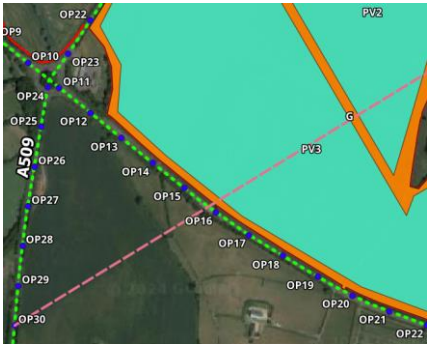
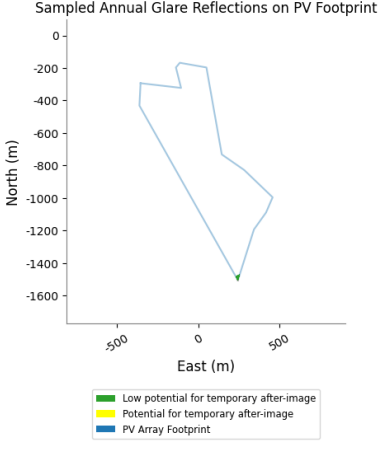
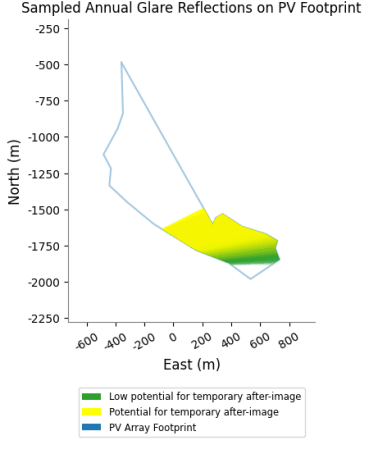


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OP28	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1, PV2 and PV3 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>

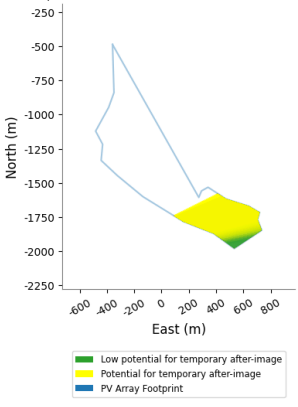
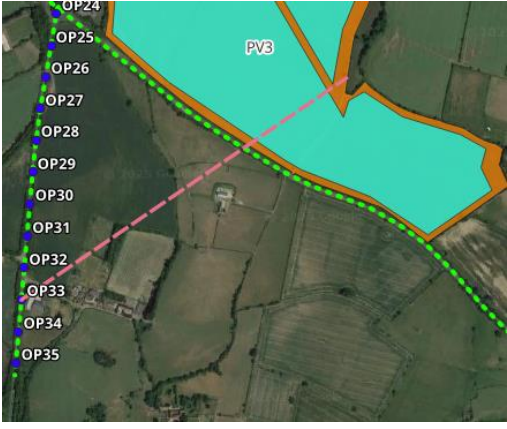
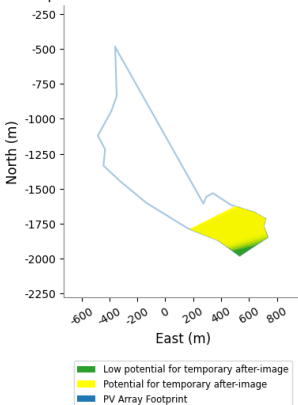
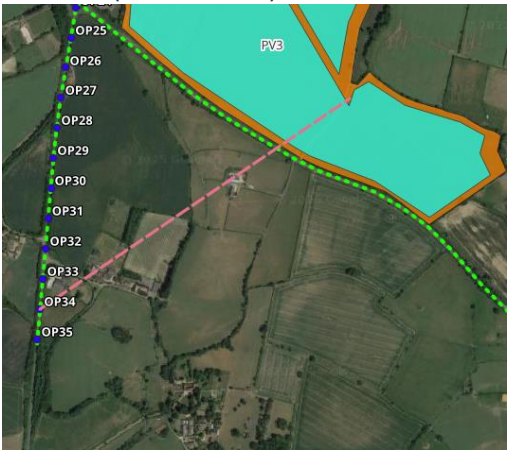


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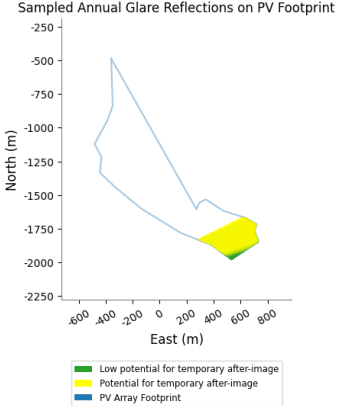

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OP31	<div><p>Glare is predicted from PV2 and PV3 Green Hill G.</p><p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p></div> <div><div><div><div><div>Green Hill G PV2:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div><div><div>Low potential for temporary after-image</div><div>Potential for temporary after-image</div><div>PV Array Footprint</div></div></div><div><div>Green Hill G PV3:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div><div><div>Low potential for temporary after-image</div><div>Potential for temporary after-image</div><div>PV Array Footprint</div></div></div></div></div></div>

Receptor	Results
	<div><div>50° FOV:</div><div></div></div> <p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of ‘low impact’. As such, a ‘low impact’ may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
OP32	<div><p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G.</p><p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p><div><div><div>Green Hill G PV3:</div><div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div><div></div></div></div><div><div>50° FOV (northbound):</div><div></div></div></div><p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of ‘low impact’. As such, a ‘low impact’ may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p></div>
OP33	<div><p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G.</p><p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p></div>

Receptor	Results
	<p>Green Hill G PV3:</p> <p>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</p>  <p>50° FOV (northbound):</p>  <p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of 'low impact'. As such, a 'low impact' may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
OP34	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <p>Green Hill G PV3:</p> <p>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</p>  <p>50° FOV (northbound):</p>  <p>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of 'low impact'. As such, a 'low impact' may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
OP35	<p>Glare is predicted from PV3 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>



Receptor	Results
	<div><div><div><div>Green Hill G PV3:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div></div><div><div>50° FOV (northbound):</div></div></div><div>Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from glare that originates outside the 50° field of view is of ‘low impact’. As such, a ‘low impact’ may be classified, and no further mitigation is recommended.</div></div>

Detailed results can be provided upon request.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a ‘no impact’ significance may be classified where glare will not be visible from the assessed receptor. As such, no impacts are predicted to occur at OP1 – OP10.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a ‘low impact’ may be classified where glare is predicted outside the 50° FOV of road users. As such, low impacts are predicted to occur at OP11, OP15, OP17- OP19 and OP24-OP35.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a ‘moderate impact’ may be classified where unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users. As such, moderate impacts are predicted to occur at OP12-OP14, OP16 and OP20-OP23. Based on industry guidance, professional judgement is applied and further review of factors not included within the model are considered in Section 6.3.3.

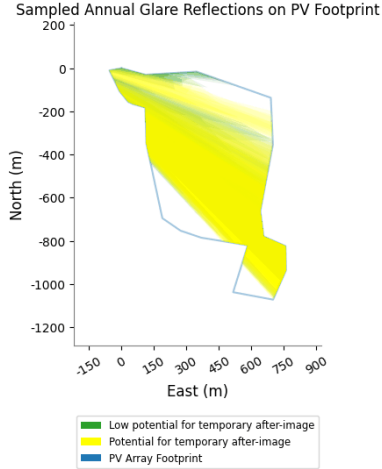
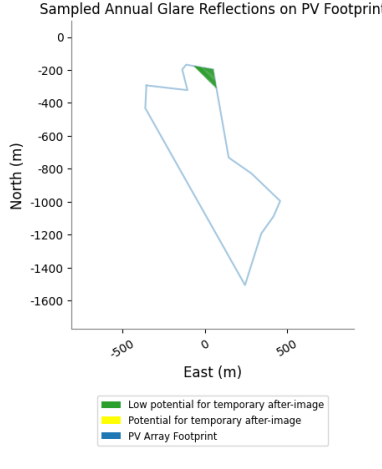

6.3.2 Tracking Panel Results

The below results show the area of the modelled PV arrays that is predicted glare compared to the 50° field of view of road users at the corresponding observation points.

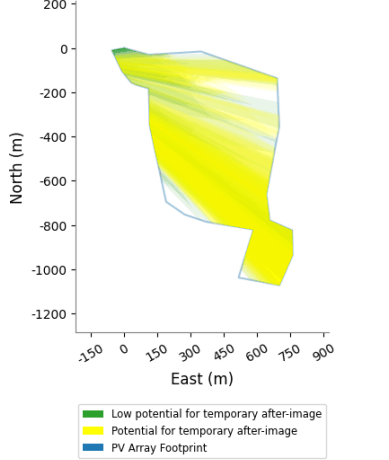
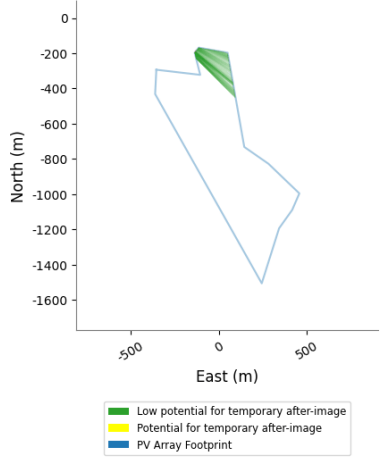

Receptor	Results
OP1-OP7	No glare predicted towards OP1-OP7
OP8	Glare is predicted from PV1 Green Hill G. The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.

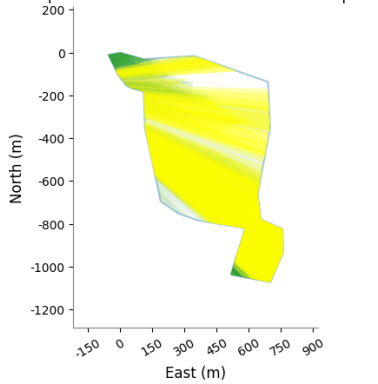
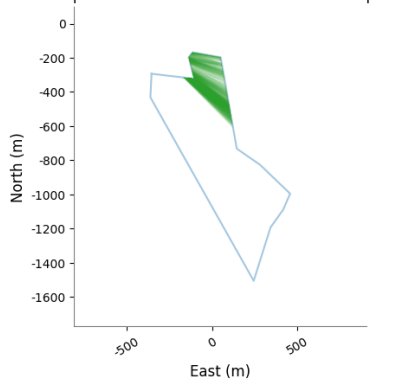

Receptor		Results	
		<p>Green Hill G PV1:</p> <p>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</p> <p>Legend: Low potential for temporary after-image Potential for temporary after-image PV Array Footprint</p>	<p>50° FOV (northbound and southbound):</p>
		<p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. A review of mitigation considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>	
OP9		<p>Green Hill G PV1:</p> <p>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</p>	<p>50° FOV (northbound and southbound):</p>
		<p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. A review of mitigation considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>	
OP10		<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p>	



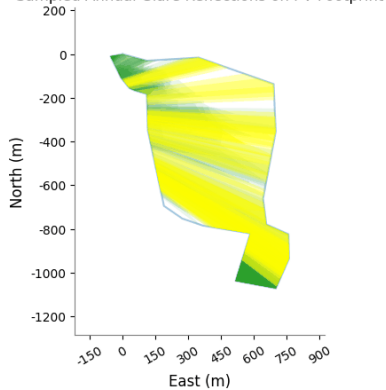
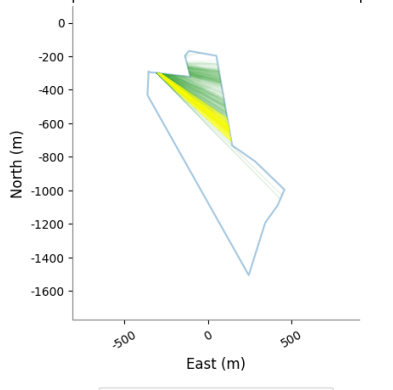

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OP11	<div><div>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 Green Hill G.</div><div>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</div></div>

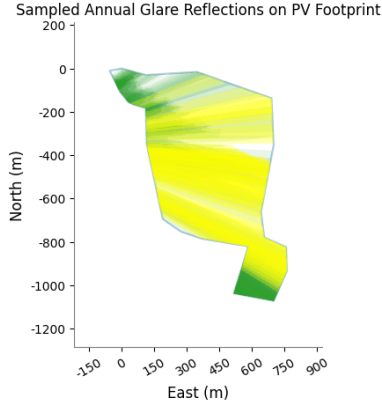
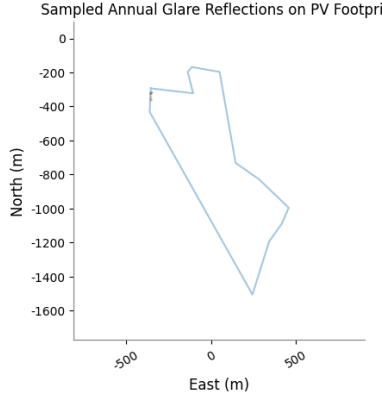
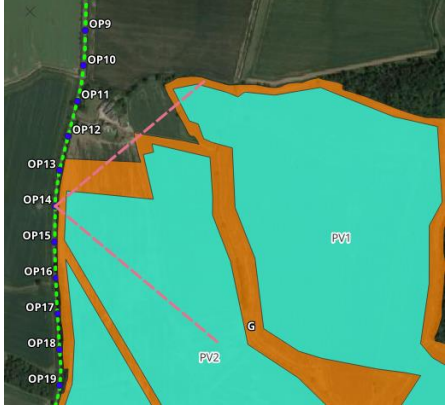


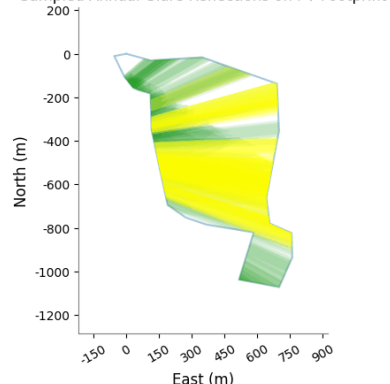
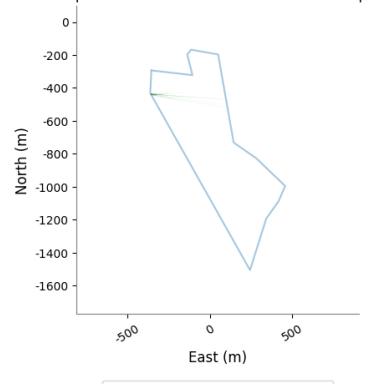
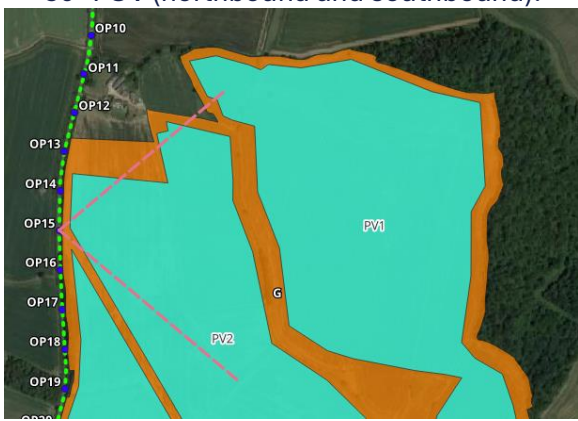
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OP12	<div><div>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 Green Hill G.</div><div>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</div></div>

Receptor	Results
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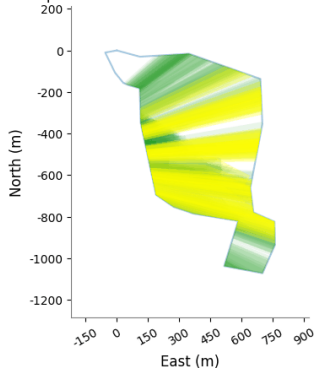
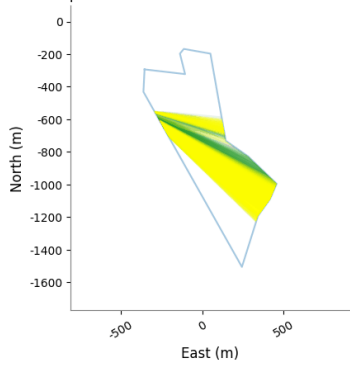
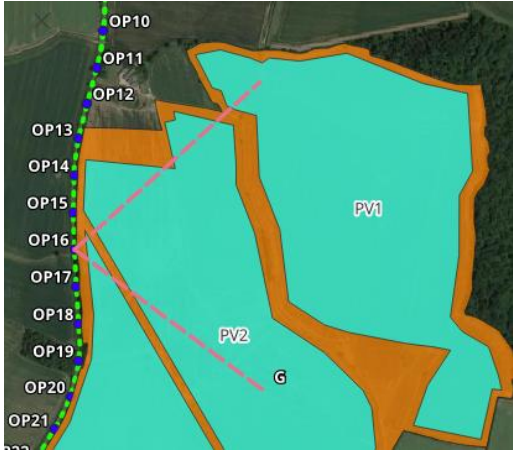


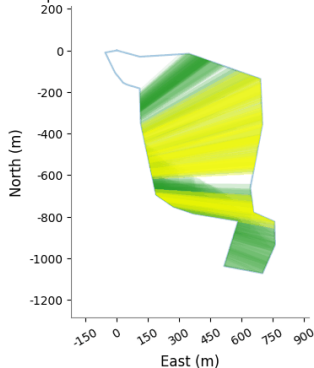
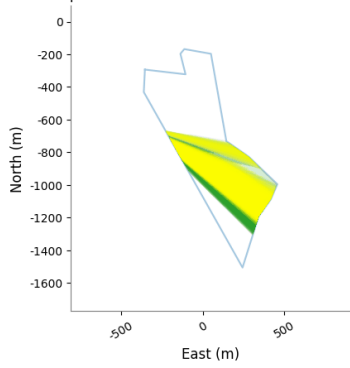

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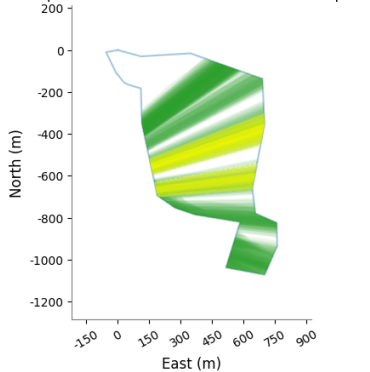
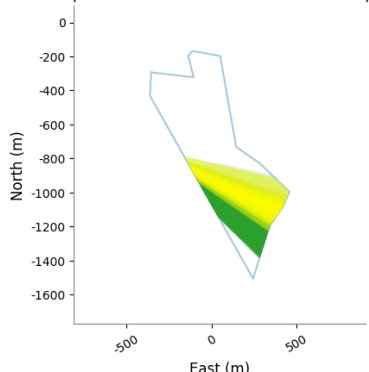

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OP15	<div><div>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 Green Hill G.</div><div>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</div></div>

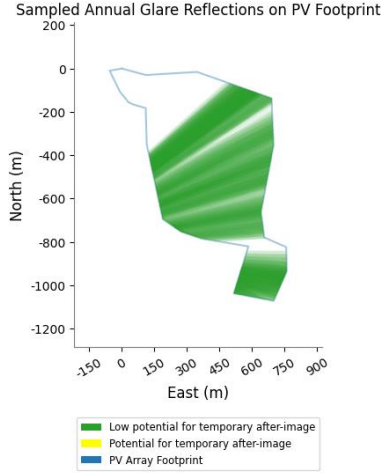
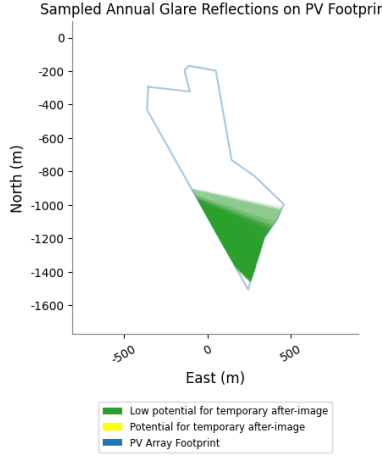

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OP16	<div><div>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 Green Hill G.</div><div>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</div></div>



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OP17	<div><div>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 Green Hill G.</div><div>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</div></div>

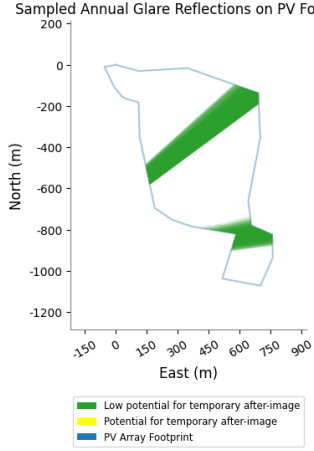
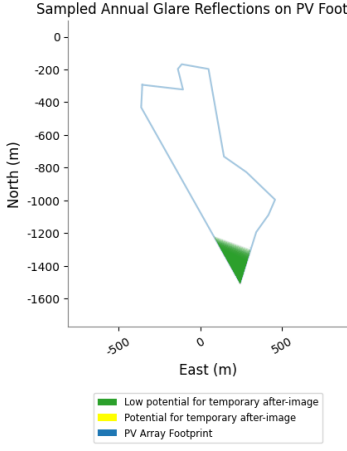
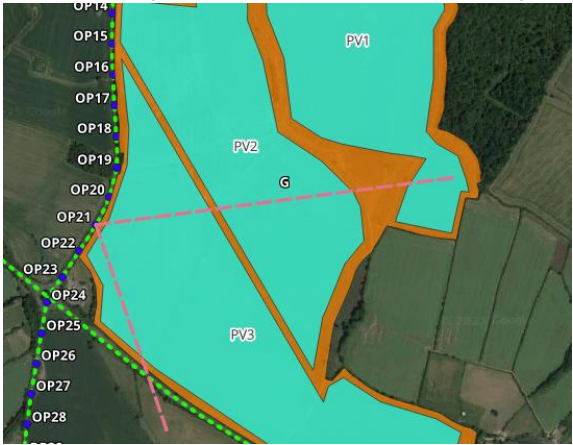
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	<div><div><div><div><div>Green Hill G PV1:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div><div><div>Low potential for temporary after-image</div><div>Potential for temporary after-image</div><div>PV Array Footprint</div></div></div><div><div>Green Hill G PV2:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div><div><div>Low potential for temporary after-image</div><div>Potential for temporary after-image</div><div>PV Array Footprint</div></div></div><div><div>50° FOV (northbound and southbound):</div></div><div><div>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. A review of mitigation considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</div></div></div></div></div>
OP18	<div><div>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 Green Hill G.</div><div>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</div></div>

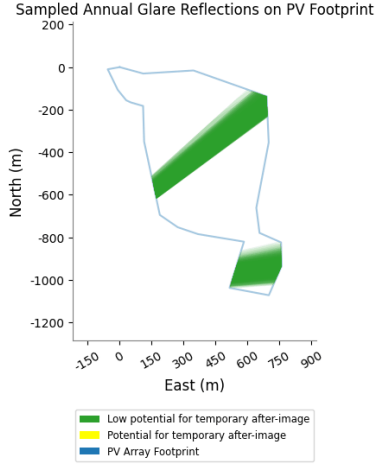
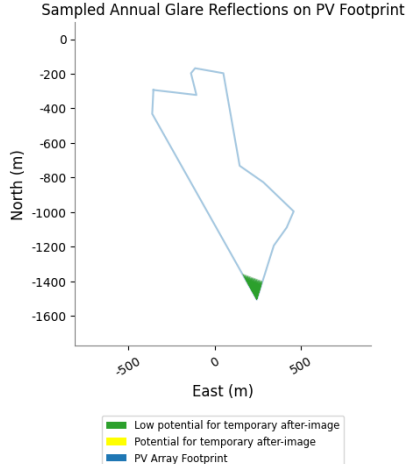

Receptor	Results
	<div><div><div><div>Green Hill G PV1:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div><div><div>Low potential for temporary after-image</div><div>Potential for temporary after-image</div><div>PV Array Footprint</div></div></div><div><div>Green Hill G PV2:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div><div><div>Low potential for temporary after-image</div><div>Potential for temporary after-image</div><div>PV Array Footprint</div></div></div><div><div>50° FOV (northbound and southbound):</div></div></div><div>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. A review of mitigation considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</div></div>
OP19	<div>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 Green Hill G.</div> <div>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</div>

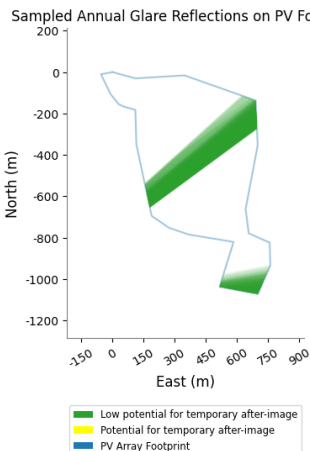
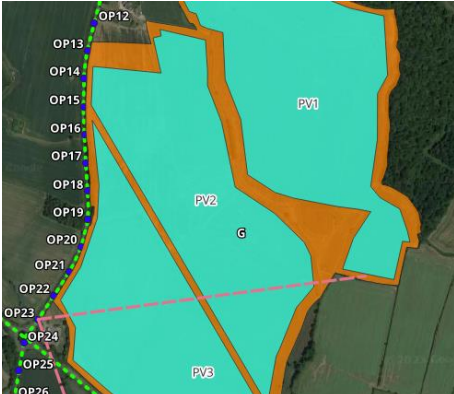
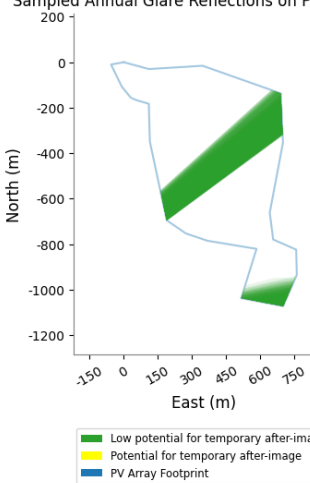

Receptor	Results
	<div><div><div><div><div>Green Hill G PV1:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div><div><div>Low potential for temporary after-image</div><div>Potential for temporary after-image</div><div>PV Array Footprint</div></div></div><div><div>Green Hill G PV2:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div><div><div>Low potential for temporary after-image</div><div>Potential for temporary after-image</div><div>PV Array Footprint</div></div></div></div><div><div>50° FOV (northbound and southbound):</div></div><div><div>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. A review of mitigation considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</div></div></div></div>
OP20	<div><div>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 Green Hill G.</div><div>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</div></div>



Receptor	Results
	<div><div><div><div><div>Green Hill G PV1:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div></div><div><div>Green Hill G PV2:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div></div></div><div><div>50° FOV (northbound and southbound):</div></div><div><p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. A review of mitigation considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p></div></div></div>
OP21	<div><p>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 Green Hill G.</p><p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p></div>

Receptor	Results
	<div><div><div><div>Green Hill G PV1:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div></div><div><div>Green Hill G PV2:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div></div></div><div><div>50° FOV (northbound and southbound):</div></div><div><p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. A review of mitigation considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p></div></div>
OP22	<div><p>Glare is predicted from PV1 and PV2 Green Hill G.</p><p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p></div>

Receptor	Results
	<div><div><div><div><div>Green Hill G PV1:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div></div><div><div>Green Hill G PV2:</div><div>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</div></div></div><div><div>50° FOV (northbound and southbound):</div></div><div><p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. A review of mitigation considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p></div></div></div>
OP23	<div><p>Glare is predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p><p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p></div>

Receptor	Results
	<p>Green Hill G PV1:</p> <p>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</p>  <p>50° FOV (northbound and southbound):</p>  <p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. A review of mitigation considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>
OP24	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 Green Hill G.</p> <p>The area of the modelled PV array that is predicted glare, and the 50° field of view at the corresponding observation points is shown below.</p> <p>Green Hill G PV1:</p> <p>Sampled Annual Glare Reflections on PV Footprint</p>  <p>50° FOV (northbound and southbound):</p>  <p>As such, glare is predicted within the 50° field of view. A review of mitigation considerations has been undertaken in Section 6.2.3.</p>
OP25-OP34	<p>Glare is predicted from PV1 from Green Hill G.</p> <p>It is noted that OP25-OP34 is outside the 1km screening distance of PV1 Green Hill G. Based on industry guidance, the highest magnitude of impact possible from PV1 Green Hill G towards OP25-OP34 will be a 'low impact', and no further mitigation is recommended.</p>
OP35	<p>No glare predicted towards OP35</p>



Detailed results can be provided upon request.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a 'no impact' significance may be classified where glare will not be visible from the assessed receptor. As such, no impacts are predicted to occur at OP1-OP7 and OP35.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a 'low impact' may be classified where glare is predicted outside the 50° FOV of road users or at a distance of >1km. As such, low impacts are predicted to occur at OP11-OP12 and OP25-OP34.

With reference to impact significance guidance (Section 4.3.2.1), a 'moderate impact' may be classified where unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users. As such, moderate impacts are predicted to occur at OP8-OP10 and OP13-OP24. Based on industry guidance, professional judgement is applied and further review of factors not included within the model are considered in Section 6.3.3.

6.3.3 Results Discussion

Additional factors have been considered to determine the residual impact significance at receptors OP8-OP10 and OP12-OP24. These include:

- Additional screening/obstructions; and
- The extent to which cloud cover and glare impacts coincide.

6.3.3.1 Additional Screening/Obstructions

OP8

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV1. Dense vegetation aligning the A509 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV1. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

Figure 6.24: Line of Sight from OP8 towards PV1



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OP9

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV1. Dense vegetation aligning the A509 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV1. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

Figure 6.25: Line of sight from OP9 towards PV1



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OP10

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV1 and PV2. Dense vegetation aligning the A509 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV1 and PV2. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

Figure 6.26: Line of sight from OP10 towards PV1 and PV2



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OP12

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV1 and PV2. Dense vegetation aligning the A509 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV1 and PV2. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

Figure 6.27: Line of sight from OP12 towards PV1 and PV2



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OP13

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV1 and PV2. Dense vegetation aligning the A509 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV1 and PV2. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

Figure 6.28: Line of sight from OP13 towards PV 1 and PV2



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OP14

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV1 and PV2. Dense vegetation aligning the A509 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV1 and PV2. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

Figure 6.29: Line of sight from OP14 towards PV1 and PV2



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OP15

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV1 and PV2. Dense vegetation aligning the A509 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV1 and PV2. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

Figure 6.30: Line of sight from OP15 towards PV1 and PV2



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OP16

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV1, PV2 and PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A509 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV1, PV2 and PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

Figure 6.31: Line of Sight from OP16 towards PV1, PV2 and PV3



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OP17

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV1, PV2 and PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A509 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV1, PV2 and PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

Figure 6.32: Line of Sight from OP17 towards PV1, PV2 and PV3



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OP18

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV1, PV2 and PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A509 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV1, PV2 and PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of ‘low impact’ may be classified.

Figure 6.33: Line of Sight from OP18 towards PV1, PV2 and PV3



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OP19

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV1, PV2 and PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A509 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV1, PV2 and PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of ‘low impact’ may be classified.

Figure 6.34: Line of Sight from OP19 towards PV1, PV2 an PV3



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OP20-OP22

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV1, PV2 and PV3. Dense vegetation aligning the A509 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV1, PV2 and PV3. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

Figure 6.35: Line of Sight from OP20-OP22 towards PV1, PV2 and PV3



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OP23

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV3. Line of sight is obstructed between OP23 and the reflecting area of Green Hill G PV3 by vegetation that is to form instant screening as part of embedded mitigation for the Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.

OP24

Unmitigated glare is predicted inside the 50° FOV of road users from PV1. Dense vegetation aligning the A509 is expected to obstruct line of sight between road users and the reflecting area of PV1. As such, a maximum impact magnitude of 'low impact' may be classified.



Figure 6.36 Line of Sight from OP24 towards PV1



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6.3.3.2 Cloud Cover

As the worst-case approach, the model assumes clear sky conditions all year round. In the affected months (year-round) cloudier conditions (overcast and mostly cloudy) exist in Bozeat (closest weather data available) for 43-75% of the time, as shown in Figure 6.23.

Considering the cloud cover that is likely to occur in the area, the modelled glare from the Scheme is likely to occur 43% less of often than predicted as a minimum.

6.3.4 Residual Impact

Receptor	Residual Impact	
	Fixed Panels	Tracking Panels
OP1	No Impact	No Impact
OP2	No Impact	No Impact
OP3	No Impact	No Impact
OP4	No Impact	No Impact
OP5	No Impact	No Impact
OP6	No Impact	No Impact
OP7	No Impact	No Impact
OP8	No Impact	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP9	No Impact	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)



Receptor	Residual Impact	
	Fixed Panels	Tracking Panels
OP10	No Impact	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP11	Low Impact	Low Impact
OP12	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact
OP13	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP14	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP15	Low Impact	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP16	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP17	Low Impact	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP18	Low Impact	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP19	Low Impact	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP20	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP21	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP22	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP23	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP24	Low Impact	Low Impact (upon applying professional judgement)
OP25	Low Impact	Low Impact
OP26	Low Impact	Low Impact
OP27	Low Impact	Low Impact
OP28	Low Impact	Low Impact
OP29	Low Impact	Low Impact
OP30	Low Impact	Low Impact
OP31	Low Impact	Low Impact



Receptor	Residual Impact	
	Fixed Panels	Tracking Panels
OP32	Low Impact	Low Impact
OP33	Low Impact	Low Impact
OP34	Low Impact	Low Impact
OP35	Low Impact	No Impact



7. Conclusions

Modelling was undertaken as part of the ES Chapter Technical Appendix for Green Hill Solar Farm for ground-based receptors nearby to Green Hill G.

Glare was predicted from fixed panels towards 24 of the 49 modelled residential dwellings. Upon applying professional judgement and additional consideration of factors, a 'low impact' was classified at all modelled residential dwellings.

Glare was predicted from tracking panels towards 14 of the 49 modelled residential dwellings. A 'low impact' was classified at all 14 of these residential dwellings, and no further mitigation is recommended.

Glare from fixed panels was predicted towards 24 of the 30 modelled observation points along the A428. Glare from tracking panels was predicted towards 18 of the 30 modelled observation points along the A428. A 'low impact' was classified at all the affected observation points, and no further mitigation is recommended.

Glare from fixed panels was predicted towards 25 of the 35 modelled observation points along the A509. A 'low impact' was classified at all the affected observation points, and no further mitigation is recommended.

Glare from tracking panels was predicted towards 27 of the 35 modelled observation points along the A509. A 'low impact' was classified at all the affected observation points, and no further mitigation is recommended.

It is recommended that the current screening outlined within this report is maintained to an appropriate height and density such that it obstructs line of sight between the assessed receptors and proposed arrays.



Appendices



Appendix A: Assumptions, Limitations & Fixed Model Variables



1. The sun position and glare analysis will be determined throughout the year on a 1-minute basis.
2. The maximum amount of solar power striking surface normal to the sun per unit area (Peak direct normal irradiance, DNI) is set at $1,000 \text{ W/m}^2$. This will be scaled for each time step to account for changing sun position.
3. The average subtended angle of the sun as viewed from earth is 9.3 mrad .
4. The ocular transmission coefficient for the radiation that is absorbed in the eye before reaching the retina, is set to 0.5.^{18,19}
5. Observer pupil diameter is set at the typical value of 0.002 m for daylight.^{18,19}
6. Eye focal length for the distance between the nodal point (where rays intersect in the eye) and the retina is set at the typical value of 0.017 m .^{18,19}
7. The algorithm does not rigorously represent the detailed geometry of a system; detailed features such as gaps between modules, variable height of the PV array, and support structures may impact actual glare results. However, models have been validated against several systems, including a PV array causing glare to the air-traffic control tower at Manchester-Boston Regional Airport and several sites in Albuquerque, and the tool accurately predicted the occurrence and intensity of glare at different times and days of the year.²⁰
8. The algorithm assumes that the PV array is aligned with a plane defined by the total heights (ground elevation plus PV array height) of the coordinates outlined in the Google map.
9. The actual DNI on any given day can be affected by cloud cover, atmospheric attenuation, and other environmental factors. As such, calculated DNI may vary from actual DNI experienced by observer.
10. The system output calculation is a DNI-based approximation that assumes clear, sunny skies all year-round.
11. Hazard zone boundaries shown in the Glare Hazard plot are an approximation and visual aid. Actual ocular impact outcomes encompass a continuous, not discrete, spectrum.
12. Glare locations displayed on receptor plots are approximate. Actual glare-spot locations may differ.
13. Glare vector plots are simplified representations of analysis data. Actual glare emanations and results may differ.
14. PV array tracking assumes the modules move instantly when tracking the sun, and when reverting to the rest position.

¹⁸ Ho, C. K., Ghanbari, C. M., and Diver, R. B., 2011, Methodology to Assess Potential Glint and Glare Hazards From Concentrating Solar Power Plants: Analytical Models and Experimental Validation, ASME J. Sol. Energy Eng., 133.

¹⁹ Stiney, D.H. and B.C. Freasier, 1973, Evaluation of Optical Radiation Hazards, Applied Optics, 12(1), p. 1-24.

²⁰ [REDACTED]



Appendix B: Dwelling Receptor Details



Receptor	Latitude (°)	Longitude (°)	Receptor	Latitude (°)	Longitude (°)
1	52.20027	-0.68032	26	52.17395	-0.66605
2	52.20085	-0.68216	27	52.17385	-0.6655
3	52.2018	-0.68949	28	52.17398	-0.66515
4	52.20187	-0.69117	29	52.17422	-0.66468
5	52.19494	-0.68288	30	52.17439	-0.6643
6	52.18863	-0.69221	31	52.17449	-0.66381
7	52.1889	-0.69491	32	52.17456	-0.66347
8	52.18783	-0.69747	33	52.17419	-0.66199
9	52.18386	-0.69137	34	52.17423	-0.66125
10	52.18343	-0.69183	35	52.17447	-0.661
11	52.17923	-0.68025	36	52.17479	-0.66093
12	52.17801	-0.69154	37	52.17505	-0.66081
13	52.17776	-0.69118	38	52.17539	-0.66071
14	52.17783	-0.69049	39	52.17571	-0.6608
15	52.17693	-0.68688	40	52.17561	-0.66113
16	52.17644	-0.68538	41	52.17606	-0.66077
17	52.17341	-0.68211	42	52.17638	-0.66094
18	52.17227	-0.68181	43	52.17671	-0.66136
19	52.17239	-0.68256	44	52.17703	-0.66143
20	52.17089	-0.66818	45	52.17711	-0.66115
21	52.17093	-0.66745	46	52.17957	-0.66308
22	52.17119	-0.66702	47	52.1798	-0.66338
23	52.17392	-0.66696	48	52.18	-0.66283
24	52.17393	-0.66668	49	52.17961	-0.66013
25	52.17394	-0.66639	-	-	-



Appendix C: Road Receptor Details



A509

Receptor	Latitude (°)	Longitude (°)	Receptor	Latitude (°)	Longitude (°)
1	52.20455	-0.68195	29	52.18849	-0.68421
2	52.20365	-0.6821	30	52.18762	-0.68457
3	52.20276	-0.68225	31	52.18682	-0.68523
4	52.20186	-0.6824	32	52.18607	-0.68604
5	52.20097	-0.68255	33	52.18533	-0.68687
6	52.20008	-0.68269	34	52.18459	-0.68764
7	52.19918	-0.68277	35	52.1837	-0.68791
8	52.19828	-0.68284	36	52.18282	-0.68818
9	52.19738	-0.68291	37	52.18194	-0.68845
10	52.19649	-0.68301	38	52.18105	-0.68867
11	52.19561	-0.68329	39	52.18016	-0.68885
12	52.19474	-0.68368	40	52.17926	-0.68901
13	52.19387	-0.68407	41	52.17837	-0.68916
14	52.19298	-0.68426	42	52.17747	-0.68932
15	52.19209	-0.68432	43	52.17658	-0.68947
16	52.19119	-0.6843	44	52.17569	-0.68962
17	52.19029	-0.68425	45	52.17479	-0.68978
18	52.18939	-0.68419	46	-	-

A428

Receptor	Latitude (°)	Longitude (°)	Receptor	Latitude (°)	Longitude (°)
1	52.18876	-0.69997	29	52.18024	-0.67792
2	52.1885	-0.69858	30	52.1798	-0.67664
3	52.18823	-0.69718	31	52.17943	-0.67531
4	52.18795	-0.69579	32	52.1791	-0.67395
5	52.18761	-0.69444	33	52.17868	-0.67266
6	52.18721	-0.69313	34	52.17817	-0.67146
7	52.18677	-0.69186	35	52.17757	-0.67038
8	52.18628	-0.69063	36	52.17691	-0.6694
9	52.18572	-0.68948	37	52.17621	-0.66846
10	52.18515	-0.68835	38	52.17556	-0.66746
11	52.18458	-0.68722	39	52.1749	-0.66646
12	52.18401	-0.6861	40	52.17429	-0.6654
13	52.18342	-0.68498	41	52.17386	-0.66412
14	52.18285	-0.68385	42	52.17375	-0.66267
15	52.18228	-0.68273	43	52.17368	-0.66126
16	52.18172	-0.68158	44	52.17286	-0.66078
17	52.1812	-0.68039	45	52.17257	-0.65941
18	52.18072	-0.67916	46	-	-

