

# Site Allocations DPDs - Sustainability Threshold Assessment (STA) Matrix

The STA follows a “traffic light” system to indicate the relative sustainability of sites against a set of indicators.

<b>Red</b>	Absolute sustainability constraints
<b>Orange</b>	Sustainability issues; mitigation considered problematic
<b>Yellow</b>	Possible sustainability issues
<b>Light Green</b>	No sustainability constraints
<b>Dark Green</b>	Development will support sustainable objectives

A report titled STA of Development Site Options report is available on the Council’s website at [www.southhams.gov.uk](http://www.southhams.gov.uk) explaining the assessment process and the criteria used, along with a colour key.