

## Roof and wall cladding

$$Q = C_d A \sqrt{2gh}$$

where—

$A$  = Area ( $\text{m}^2$ )

$C_d$  = Discharge coefficient = 0.61

$g$  = Gravity =  $9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

$h$  = Effective head (m)

$Q$  = Flow rate ( $\text{m}^3/\text{s}$ )

- For front face weir, end stop weir, inverted nozzle, front bead or controlled gap:

$$Q = 0.67 C_d b \sqrt{2g} h^{1.5}$$

where—

$b$  = Width (m)

$C_d$  = Discharge coefficient = 0.63

$g$  = Gravity =  $9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

$h$  = Effective head (m)

$Q$  = Flow rate ( $\text{m}^3/\text{s}$ )

### 7.4.2 Materials

[2019: 3.5.3.2]

Gutters, downpipes and *flashings* must—

- be manufactured in accordance with AS/NZS 2179.1 for metal components; and
- be manufactured in accordance with AS 1273 for UPVC components; and
- be compatible with all upstream roofing materials in accordance with 7.2.2(2); and
- not contain any lead if used on a roof forming part of a *drinking water* catchment area.

### 7.4.3 Selection of guttering

[2019: 3.5.3.3]

The size of guttering must—

- for eaves gutters, be in accordance with Table 7.4.3a, Table 7.4.3b and Table 7.4.3c; and
- be suitable to remove rainwater falling at the appropriate 5 minute duration rainfall intensity listed in Table 7.4.3d as follows—
  - for eaves gutters — 5% *annual exceedance probability*; and
  - for eaves gutter overflow measures — 1% *annual exceedance probability*.

**Table 7.4.3a: Size of gutter required to drain roof catchment area into one (1) downpipe for various rainfall intensities and roof catchment areas (A, B, C, D, E and F defined in Table 7.4.3b)**

Design rainfall intensity (mm/h) (as per Table 7.4.3d)	Roof catchment area per downpipe — 30 $\text{m}^2$	Roof catchment area per downpipe — 40 $\text{m}^2$	Roof catchment area per downpipe — 50 $\text{m}^2$	Roof catchment area per downpipe — 60 $\text{m}^2$	Roof catchment area per downpipe — 70 $\text{m}^2$
90 mm/h	A or C	A or C	A or C	A or C	A or C