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(57) Abstract

A water storage and storm water collection apparatus for incorporation in or on a building structure such that the apparatus is integral with the building structure and generally forms part of the structure; the apparatus comprising: at least one storage reservoir (2); a catchment provided on the building (in the direction of arrow 3) in communication with the storage reservoir(s) (2) so that storm water run-off from the catchment enters the reservoir(s) via inlet pipe (4); at least one outlet (5) from the reservoir(s) (2) in communication with a supply line (6) which terminates at a tap or water consuming appliance, means (9) on the reservoir(s) (2) which communicates with a supply line (10) allowing ingress of a supplementary water supply from an alternative source such as a mains supply.

