

Study **Figure 4**, a photograph of a river at Cuckmere Haven, East Sussex.



Figure 4

- ⑥ Using **Figure 4** and your own knowledge, explain how a floodplain is formed. (4 marks, ★★★)

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Make sure you learn the formation of all river landforms in four simple steps – this could be done as a flow diagram or a sequence of annotated diagrams in your revision. Include key terms and what they mean.

WORKIT!

Using a named example, assess whether hard engineering has been a success in managing floods in an area of the UK. (6 marks, ★★★★★)

An 'assess' question requires you to make an **informed judgement**. You need to offer both **advantages** and **disadvantages** in your answer.

How to tackle an 'assess' question:

Step 1 Give a definition of hard engineering.

Step 2 Give two ways in which hard engineering has been a success (think economic, social and environmental).

Step 3 Expand each point by explaining how it has helped in managing floods.

Step 4 Try to include an example to support your point, for example, the Jubilee River flood relief channel.

Step 5 Add a conclusion to say whether or not you think it has been a success.