

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

# CEMSEAL VERSIWEB SLOPE PROTECTION

# 1 GENERAL

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All work in this Section shall comply with the requirements of the Contract Documents. Supply and install slope protection and earth retention as shown on the drawings or specified herein.

# 2 MATERIALS

The slope protection and earth retention shall be CEMSEAL VERSIWEB expandable cellular soil confinement system supplied by Cemseal Industries Sdn Bhd (Tel: +607-558 3320, Fax: +607-556 9127, E-mail: info@cemseal.com.my) or approved equivalent.

# **GENERIC SPECIFICATION**

The slope protection and earth retention shall be expandable cellular soil confinement ('geocells') system. The geocells shall be regularly spaced and uniform in shape and size to ensure even distribution of loads. The joints shall be spotwelded with at least 3 welds per 25 mm uniformly spaced across the depth of each strip;

The geocells shall be manufactured from solid plastic strips with regular perforations or holes for drainage purposes.

Typical properties of the geocells:

PROPERTY		VALUE
Material		HDPE
Section size (unexpanded)		3350 (L) x 125 (W) mm
Section size (expanded)		6100 (L) x 2440 (W) mm
Nominal cell size (expanded)		244 x 203 mm
Thickness of sheet		1.2 mm <u>+</u> 5%
Weight per m <sup>2</sup>	50 mm	0.83 kg
	75 mm	1.24 kg
	100 mm	1.66 kg
	150 mm	2.48 kg
	200 mm	3.32 kg
Tensile strength	(long.)	18.4 MPa
	(trans.)	19.5 MPa
Long Term Seam Strength		>30 days
Environment stress crack		>3000 hrs
resistance (ASTM D1693)		
Cell joint tensile strength		approx. 150 kgf
		(100 mm depth)



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- 3.1 The proprietary materials specified herein shall be provided / installed in accordance to the project requirement as approved by the Superintending Officer.
- 3.2 Proprietary materials supplied shall be identified clearly with the product name and description. Packaged materials shall be stored in manufacturer's wrappings and containers with the manufacturer's labels and seals intact.
- 3.3 Prior to installation, the Contractor shall submit Method Statements and/or Shop Drawings for the installation of the geocells. The latter shall be on at least A3 size paper or larger and in a CAD-recognisable format.

### **3.4** Slope preparation

- (a) Remove debris and vegetation cover from the embankment area.
- (b) Complete other earthworks, excavation and / or fills, according to the plans.
- (c) Where necessary, remove unacceptable in-situ soils that are for the slope protection system and replace with suitable materials.
- (d) Excavate the specified toe-in trenches or berms where specified along the crest and at the bottom of the slope or secure in position accordingly.

# 3.3 Slope or embankment protections against ground water

When excessive ground water or loose soil is present, a suitable non-woven geotextile as recommended by the supplier of the geocells system shall be installed over the slope and secured in position accordingly.

#### **3.4** Installation of slope protection sections

- (a) Drive straight stakes or J-pegs part way into the ground along the toe-in trench or along the top of the area to be protected at maximum 1500 mm c/c to mark out the area to be covered.
- (b) Expand the geocell section and place each expanded end cell of the section over its corresponding pre-installed stake or J-pegs.
- (c) Drive the stakes or J-pegs flush with the top of the geocells. If J-pegs are used, ensure that the bent hooks are anchored over the cell walls.
- (d) Expand the geocell sections down the slopes to the full expanded length of the section.



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- (e) Hold the fully expanded sections open using one of the following methods:
  - (i) Straight stakes or steel J-pegs
  - (ii) In-fill several of the peripheral cells
  - (iii) Attached U-clips to adjoining sections

# 3.5 Placing and connecting sections

- (a) Check each geocell section to ensure that it is fully expanded. Full expansion of section will result in a more effective slope protection.
- (b) Correctly align and interleaf edges of adjoining sections and ensure that the upper surface of adjoining sections are flushed.
- (c) Fasten geocell sections together with industrial grade staples at a maximum spacing of 25 mm or as recommended by the manufacturer.
- (d) Drive additional straight stakes or J-pegs at the specified spacing within the cells of the expanded geocell sections.
- (e) If the slope is longer than one expanded section, drive another row of stakes at the bottom end of the preceding expanded section and continue with the new geocell sections and fasten the new and preceding section with staples as indicated above.

# 3.6 Placement of in-fill materials in geocell sections

- (a) After geocell sections have been secured to the slope, begin in-filling with the specified materials.
- (b) Place in-fill materials in expanded cells with suitable material handling equipment.
- (c) Limit drop height of in-fill material to 1000 mm maximum.
- (d) Avoid displacement of geocell sections and compact in-fill material as follows:
  - (i) Screen top soil and overfill geocells 25 mm to 50 mm. Lightly tamp to leave soil flush with the top edge of the cells. Apply any specified surface treatment.
  - (ii) Turfing may then be laid on top of the lightly compacted in-fill.



#### **PROJECT REFERENCES**

# **Completed Projects**

CHANGI AIR BASE SD Architects

CHESTNUT CRESCENT NO. 17 Holin Construction

HDB MARINE CRESCENT MUP 16 Housing Development Board

HDB PUNGGOL EAST C11 & C12 Housing Development Board

LEEDON ROAD NO. 47 Kevin Construction

MacRITCHIE NATURE RESERVE National Parks

NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY CPG Consultants

SHAN ROAD Land Transport Authorities

THOMSON 800 CONDOMINIUM ADDP Architects

KHEAM HOCK ROAD NO. 20 Aamer Tahar Design Studio

TREVOSE CRESENT William Lim Associates

CHANGI BEACH CLUB AJ Engineers

SENGKANG N4 C6 Housing Development Board

CLUNY ROAD Green-Werkz Landscape Services Pte Ltd

LIAN HUA PRIMARY SCHOOL CPG Consultants

GURKHAR CAMP PHASE 3 CPG Consultants

GURKHAR CAMP PHASE 3A CPG Consultants

JALAN PEMIMPIN CONDOMINIUM T.Y.Lin South East Asia Pte Ltd

18 LEEDON HEIGHTS WTS Consulting Engineers

SENGKANG METHODIST CHURCH Albert LohConsultants

LABRADOR PARK CAR PARK A National Parks

NPCC CAMPSITE AT PULAU UBIN CPG Consultants

ORCHID APARTMENT Mega Consult

NTU RESEARCH TECHNO PLAZA CPG Consultants

CAPRICORN DRIVE NO. 24 Uni-Associates Consultants

MOULMEIN RISE NO.1 Woha Architects

ORIX CAR RENTAL Design Connections International

NANYANG PRIMARY SCHOOL Ong & Ong Architects

**UMCI** Jurong Consultants

ANN SIANG HILL PARK National Parks

RIDOUT ROAD NO.47 AT-II Architects



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ALEXANDRA DISTRIPARK Design International

CHANGI FERRY TERMINAL Urban Redevelopment Authority

SERENITY PARK CONDOMINIUM Colliers International Asset Management Pte Ltd

LABRADOR PARK JETTY Phase 1 National Parks

LEVELZ CONDOMINUM LandArt

NTU SCHOOL OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE CPG Consultants

MANDAI CREMATORIUM AND COLUMBARIUM CPG Consultants

NUS YUSOFF ISHAK BUILDING CPG Consultants

RED CROSS CAMPSITE CPG Consultants

SIMEI ITE CAMPUS RSP Architects Planners & Engineers Pte Ltd

RIDGEWOOD CONDOMINIUM Ridgewood Condominium MSCT No.533

JURONG COUNTRY CLUB Jurong Country Club

CHANCERY HILL WALK CLUSTER HOUSING TAA Architects

LABRADOR PARK JETTY Phase 2 National Parks

KENT RIDGE PARK National Parks

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CHESTNUT DRIVE SECONDARY SCHOOL CPG Consultants

GIRLS' COMPLEX CPG Consultants

HDB TOA PAYOH RC30 Surbana

BEDOK TOWN PRIMARY SCHOOL CPG Consultants

7E BALMORAL ROAD RESIDENTIAL Tham & Wong

32 BIN TONG PARK RESIDENTIAL TAA Architects Pte Ltd

ST. JOHN'S ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH Architects 61

SAFRA - MT. FABER Martin Lee Designs

NUS KING GEORGE'S HALL CPG Consultants

VIVO CITY DP Architects

**BAYSHORE PARK CONDOMINIUM** 

NUS KING EDWARD HALL AGS Consult

THE PEARL CONDOMINIUM Design Link Architects

JURONG HILL Jurong Consultants

LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMY TRAINING VILLAGE CPG Consultants



#### **PROJECT REFERENCES**

# **Completed Projects**

HOTEL @ IMBIAH WALK, SENTOSA Tan + Tsakonas Architects

NTU TEACHING FACILITIES - SCHOOL OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE CPG Consultants

MOUNT FABER II SERVICE RESERVOIR Public Utilities Board

CELEBRITIES RESORT CLUB Owner

TAMPINES DORMITORY Jurong Consultants

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FORT SILOSO Sentosa Developments Corporation

SENTOSA GOLF CLUB Sentosa Developments Corporation

JURONG TOWN HALL Jurong Consultants

ALEXANDRA LINK BRIDGE Look Architects

SEMBAWANG AVENUE Singapore Land Authority

SEMBAWANG HILL Singapore Land Authority

CAPELLA Belt Collins International

HDB TELOK BLANGAH ST 32 Surbana Consultants

PRINCE GEORGE'S PARK CPG Consultants

HDB BISHAN ST 21 Surbana Consultants

SWETTENHAM GREEN RESIDENCE Eco-id

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