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### **RE: STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING CERTIFICATE**

#### 1. Structure

Ezzy Fit FRP composite sleeper for retaining wall. Class 10b structure under the Building Code of Australia.

1.6m, 2.0m and 2.4m long, respectively; 60mm wide and 165mm deep hole section; 2.7mm wall thickness.

#### 2. Description of aspect/s certified

1.6m long sleeper: maximum working horizontal pressure resistance 1.5kPa; can be used for up to 5m high retaining wall with or without soil reinforcement.

2.0m long sleeper: maximum working horizontal pressure resistance 1.8kPa; can be used for up to 3m high retaining wall with or without soil reinforcement.

2.4m long sleeper: maximum working horizontal pressure resistance 2.3kPa; can be used for up to 1.0m high retaining wall with or without soil reinforcement.

The sleepers can be used under 5kPa vertical design live load (subject to the site condition as below).

The site condition below must be taken into account when to design retaining wall with the sleepers:

- Soil property;
- Wind load;
- Earthquake load;
- Top surcharge load;
- Retained earth pressure;
- Ground water pressure;
- The distance of building to the retaining wall;
- The distance of construction zone to the retaining wall.

#### 3. Basis of certification

A\$1170.0-2002 (R2016) Structural Design Actions-General Principles; A\$1170.1-2002 (R2016) Permanent Imposed & Other Actions; AS1170.2-2002 Wind loads; AS1170.4-2007 Earthquake Actions; AS4678-2002 Earth Retaining Structures.

#### 4. Reference documentation

Ezzy Fit Sleep Drawings;

This certificate must work with the relevant Building Regulation form (e.g. Form 15 in QLD) for a given site location.

The certificate supersedes the ones issued on 15/11/2023 and 1/12/2023.

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### **RE: STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING CERTIFICATE**

#### 1. Structure

Ezzy Fit FRP composite post for retaining wall. Class 10b structure under the Building Code of Australia.

Post dimension and shape:

- 100x100x6 H
- 100x100x6 U
- 100x100x10 H
- 100x100x10 U

#### 2. Description of aspect/s certified

- 100x100x6 H and 100x100x6 U shaped posts:
  - ✓ 1m high above the ground. The maximum spacing of the posts is 2.0m subject up to 5kPa surcharge live load.
  - ✓ Im high above the ground. The maximum spacing of the posts is 2.4m subject up to 3kPa surcharge live load.
- 100x100x10 H and 100x100x10 U shaped posts:
  - ✓ 2m high above the ground. The maximum spacing of the posts is 1.6m subject up to 5kPa surcharge live load.
  - ✓ 2m high above the ground. The maximum spacing of the posts is 2.0m subject up to 3kPa surcharge live load.
  - ✓ Im high above the ground. The maximum spacing of the posts is 2.4m subject up to 5kPa surcharge live load.

The posts are recommended to have an angle which is a 1 in 10 slop.

The site condition below must be taken into account when to design the post of retaining wall:

- Soil property;
- Wind load;
- Earthquake load;
- Top surcharge load;
- Retained earth pressure;

- Ground water pressure;
- The post footing design with the embedment requirement;
- The distance of building to the retaining wall;
- The distance of construction zone to the retaining wall.

#### 3. Basis of certification

AS1170.0-2002 (R2016) Structural Design Actions-General Principles; AS1170.1-2002 (R2016) Permanent Imposed & Other Actions; AS1170.2-2002 Wind loads; AS1170.4-2007 Earthquake Actions; AS4678-2002 Earth Retaining Structures; AS2870-2011 Residential slabs and footings.

#### 4. Reference documentation

Ezzy Fit Post Drawings;

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Ezzy Fit Slo	Max Retaining Wall Height (mm)		
Length	Width	Thickness	
1600	200x165 face	60mm	5000
2000	200x165 face	60mm	3000
2400	200x165 face	60mm	1000

Consult with the engineer in charge of the job address.





## DIFFERENT POST POSITIONS EXAMPLES





# EZZY FIT SLEEPER WALL



'H' WALL HEIGHT



## **Technical Data Sheet**

## **Ecoleader EL-4040N**

#### **Chemical/Physical Nature**

EL-4040N is an unsaturated polyester resin derived from maleic acid, phthalic acid and standard glycols, dissolved in styrene. EL-4040N is of low viscosity and medium reactivity.

#### Major Applications/Principal Properties

EL-4040N is intended for Pultrusion ,Hand lay-up ,RTM process,etc.High light transmission of FRP,good infiltration of glass fibre.

#### **Product Specifications**

Property	Range	Unit	Test Method
Appearance	Clear	-	TM-017
Viscosity23℃	350-550	mPa.s	TM-006
Solid Content	60-66	%	TM-011
Gel time 82℃	3-6	min	TM-016
Gel time 25℃	15-22	min	TM-018

TM-016: 100g resins with 2g CH50 (Akzo-nobel).

TM-018: 100g resins with 1.5g M50 (Akzo-nobel),1g COB1 (Akzo-nobel).

#### Properties of liquid resin (typical values)

Property	Value	Unit	Test Method
Stability, no init., dark, $25^{\circ}$ C	6	Month	-
Flash point	33	°C	-

#### Properties of cast resin (typical values)

Property	Value	Unit	ТМ
Tensile strength	65	Мра	GB/T2567
Tensile E-modulus	3000	Мра	GB/T2567
Elongation at break	5	%	GB/T2567
Flexural strength	105	Мра	GB/T2567
Flexural E-modulus	2800	MPa	GB/T2567
Impact resunnotched	18	KJ/m2	GB/T1043.1
HDT	65	°C	GB/T1634.1

Curing conditions: cure for 24hours at R.T., Post cure for 24 hours at 80°C;

Testing conditions: temperature:23 $\pm$ 2 °C,

relative moisture:50 $\pm$ 6 %

#### Processing

1. No accelerator in resin, when using resin, the curing system should be chosen according to the specific equipment, product, temperature and Pultrusion speed

2. Before using the resin, please mind the water content of glass fibre, Calcium carbonate, etc



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#### **Storage guidelines**

The resin should be stored indoors in the original, unopened and undamaged packaging, in a dry place at temperatures between 5° C and 30° C. Shelf life is reduced at higher temperatures. Exposure to sunshine should be avoided. Store in dark and in 100% light tight containers only.

#### **Material Safety /Test methods**

A material safety data sheet and test methods referred for the product are available on request.



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Description of Zhongsheng FRP Reinforced Retaining Wall

**Fiberglass reinforced plastics(FRP)** are a composite material consisting of a matrix, usually a thermoset resin, and a reinforcement of fibers.

The reinforcing fiber adds strength and elasticity to the tough but weak matrix, creating a tough, long lasting material with the ability to produce sturdy, complex shapes in a variety of sizes.

**Pultrusion** is a cost-effective processing technique of forming and manufacturing a continuous length of fiber-reinforced polymer (FRP) by pulling a mix of reinforced fibers and liquid resin through a heated die.

#### **Cross Section Size of FRP Reinforced Retaining Wall**

Width: 200 mm Thickness: 60 mm Wall thickness: 2.7 mm The Drawing of Cross Section:



#### Material Composite of FRP Reinforced Retaining Wall:

- \* E glass fiber-176 Assembled Roving (Brand: JUSHI)
- \* Unsaturated polyester resin- EL-4040N (Brand: Leader)

\* UV inhibitor(UV-329(5411)) {Chemical Name: 2- (2'-Hydroxy-5'-tert-octylphenyl) benzotriazole} & antioxidant B900 (0.5% in the resin totally)

- \* Surface Veil: Composite Polyester Mat
- \* Filler

#### Features:

Lightweight&high strength Rust resistant & corrosion resistant Advanced UV resistance Low maintenance Cost efficient Easy to transport Environmentally friendly Relatively easy on-site assembly Long service life Electrically Non-Conductive Resists Insect Damage Low Water Absorption Strong weather resistance

#### **Applications:**

- \*Marine and construction industries
- \*Chemical industry, petroleum industry
- \*Utility and Telecommunications
- \*Tool Manufacturing
- \*Sporting, Recreational and Outdoor Equipment

