

# METHOD STATEMENT FOR CONSTRUCTION OF RETAINING WALL

PARSIFAL HOUSE 521 FINCHLEY ROAD LONDON

Ref:-19313

# 1.0 NOTES ON RETAINING WALLS

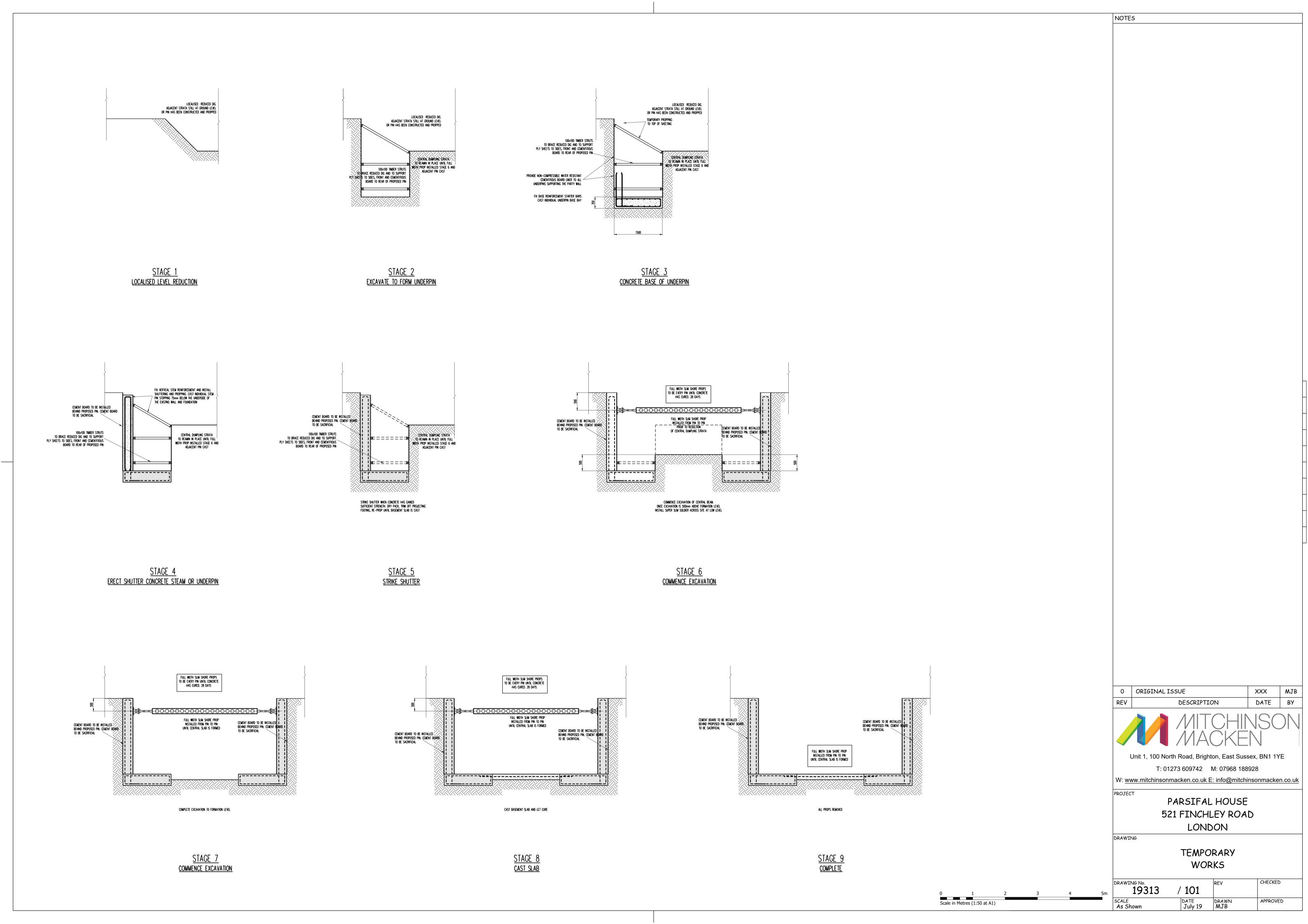
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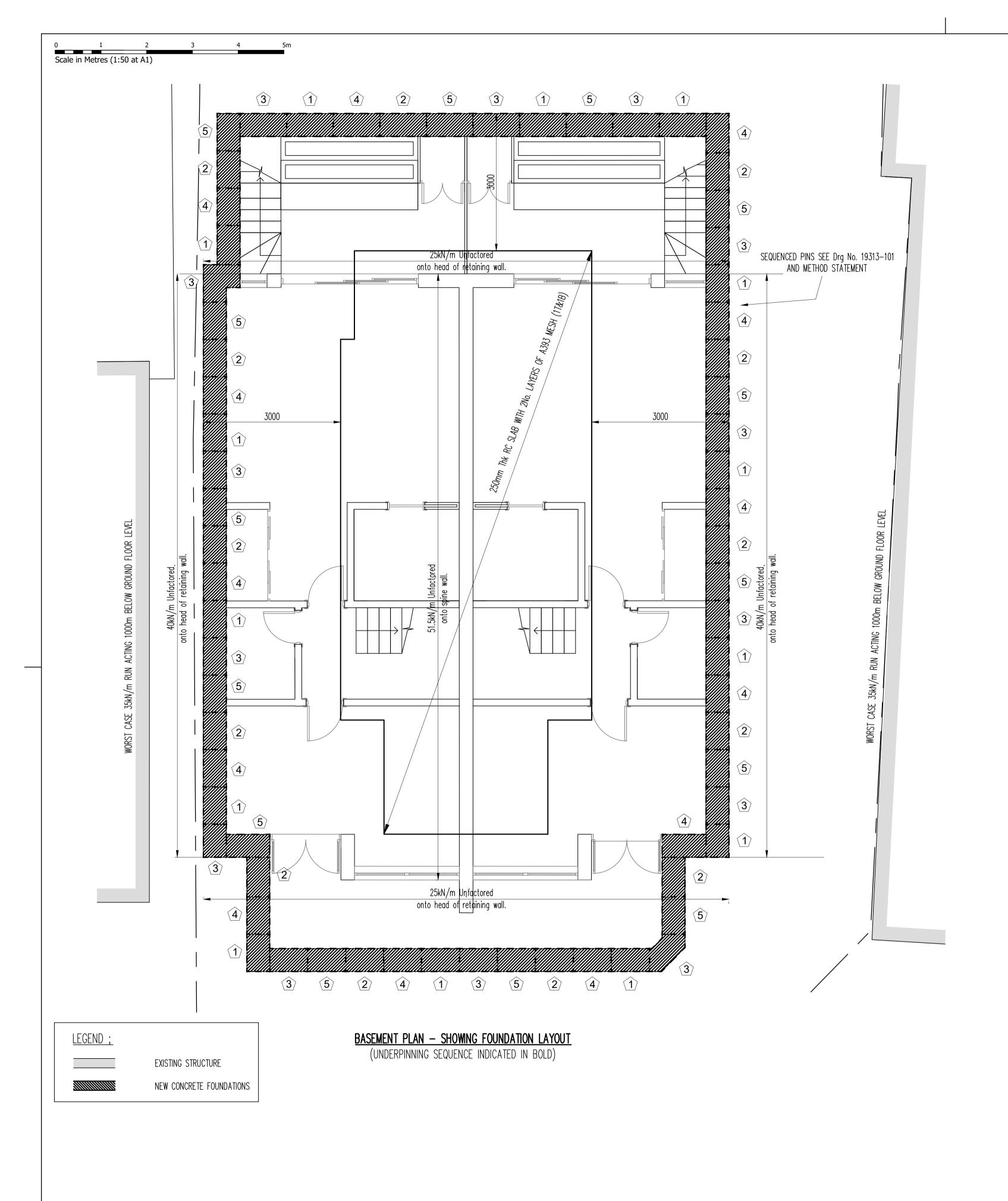
- 1. The sequence of retaining wall construction is to be agreed with engineer.
- 2. Not more than 25% of one wall shall be undercut at any one time. Underpinning shall be in short lengths not exceeding 1000mm.
- 3. Reinforced concrete for underpinning shall be Design Sulphate class DS-1 and ACEc class AC-1 grade C35, maximum aggregate size of 20mm, and a w/c of 0.45
- 4. Dowel bars shall be 20mm plain round bars 600mm long with 300mm embedment in each section.
- 5. Prior to concreting, the underside of existing foundations shall be carefully cleaned of all soil from the sides of the trench, and the formation shall not be left exposed over night. The formation shall be protected from heavy rain and frost.
- 6. Concrete shall be placed with care to avoid loose soil or rubbish falling into the excavation. The concrete shall be carefully compacted by means of a pocket vibrator.
- 7. No two adjoining sections shall be worked concurrently. A minimum period of 48 hours should be given between placing dry pack mortar and commencing excavation of any adjacent section.
- 8. Dry pack is to be a mixture of portland cement and sharp sand mixed as dry as possible passing through a No 16 seize with just enough water to hydrate the cement and is to be placed into position using a back shutter against which it should be rammed with a blunt timber rammer and mallet.
- 9. A continuous trench for working space shall not be permitted.

Signed.....

Date 16/07/19

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In addition to these notes, reference shall be made to the specification of works and the relevant Architect's and Specialist's drawings and specifications.

The Contractor is responsible for verifying all site dimensions before commencing work.

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# UNDERPINNING SEQUENCE OF WORK

- 1. Excavate bays 1 down to required level. The underside of existing foundation is to be well cleaned. Sides of excavation are to vertical and smooth faced. Provide 4 no. dowel bars into adjacent soil.
- 2. Shutter, as necessary to provide required foundation width. Concrete is to be placed up to 75mm below underside of existing foundation
- 3. One day after completion of concreting (24 hours), dry pack to bay 1 to be placed between underside of footings and new surface.
- 4. Repeat operations 1 to 3 for bays 2 allowing at least 48 hours between dry packing and excavation of adjacent bay.
- 5. When pouring against a section already underpinned, the face of the concrete shall be cleaned and roughened, if necessary, to provide a good key. Exposed dowel bars to be cleaned off.
- 6. Repeat operations 1 to 3 for additional bay 3 allowing at least 48 hours between dry packing and excavation of adjacent bay.
- 7. When all underpinning bays have been poured and dry packed placed between underside of footings and new surface. Projected brickwork corbels and concrete footings can be carefully removed by the contractor.

# NOTES ON RETAINING WALLS

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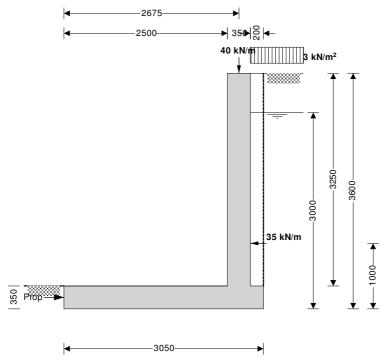
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### **RETAINING WALL ANALYSIS (BS 8002:1994)**

TEDDS calculation version 1.2.01.06



### Wall details

Retaining wall type Cantilever propped at base

 $\begin{array}{lll} \mbox{Height of retaining wall stem} & \mbox{$h_{stem} = 3250$ mm} \\ \mbox{Thickness of wall stem} & \mbox{$t_{wall} = 350$ mm} \\ \mbox{Length of toe} & \mbox{$l_{toe} = 2500$ mm} \end{array}$ 

Length of heel  $I_{heel} = 200 \text{ mm}$ 

Overall length of base  $I_{base} = I_{toe} + I_{heel} + t_{wall} = 3050 \text{ mm}$ Thickness of base  $t_{base} = 350 \text{ mm}$ 

Depth of downstand  $d_{ds} = 0 \text{ mm}$  Position of downstand  $l_{ds} = 1500 \text{ mm}$  Thickness of downstand  $t_{ds} = 350 \text{ mm}$ 

Height of retaining wall  $h_{wall} = h_{stem} + t_{base} + d_{ds} = 3600 \text{ mm}$ 

 $\begin{array}{lll} \text{Depth of cover in front of wall} & & & & & \\ \text{Depth of unplanned excavation} & & & & \\ \text{Depth of unplanned excavation} & & & & \\ \text{Height of ground water behind wall} & & & \\ \text{hwater} & = & & & \\ \text{3000 mm} & & \\ \end{array}$ 

Height of saturated fill above base  $h_{sat} = max(h_{water} - t_{base} - d_{ds}, 0 \text{ mm}) = 2650 \text{ mm}$ 

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{Density of wall construction} & \gamma_{\text{wall}} = 23.6 \text{ kN/m}^3 \\ \text{Density of base construction} & \gamma_{\text{base}} = 23.6 \text{ kN/m}^3 \\ \text{Angle of rear face of wall} & \alpha = 90.0 \text{ deg} \\ \text{Angle of soil surface behind wall} & \beta = 0.0 \text{ deg} \end{array}$ 

Effective height at virtual back of wall  $h_{eff} = h_{wall} + l_{heel} \times tan(\beta) = 3600 \text{ mm}$ 

**Retained material details** 

Mobilisation factor M = 1.2

Moist density of retained material  $\gamma_m = 18.0 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

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Saturated density of retained material  $\gamma_s = 21.0 \text{ kN/m}^3$  Design shear strength  $\phi' = 24.2 \text{ deg}$  Angle of wall friction  $\delta = 0.0 \text{ deg}$ 

### Base material details

Stiff clay

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{Moist density} & \gamma_{\text{mb}} = \textbf{18.0 kN/m}^3 \\ \text{Design shear strength} & \phi'_{\text{b}} = \textbf{24.2 deg} \\ \text{Design base friction} & \delta_{\text{b}} = \textbf{18.6 deg} \\ \text{Allowable bearing pressure} & P_{\text{bearing}} = \textbf{175 kN/m}^2 \end{array}$ 

# **Using Coulomb theory**

Active pressure coefficient for retained material

$$K_a = sin(\alpha + \phi')^2 / \left(sin(\alpha)^2 \times sin(\alpha - \delta) \times [1 + \sqrt{(sin(\phi' + \delta) \times sin(\phi' - \beta) / (sin(\alpha - \delta) \times sin(\alpha + \beta)))}]^2\right) = \textbf{0.419}$$

Passive pressure coefficient for base material

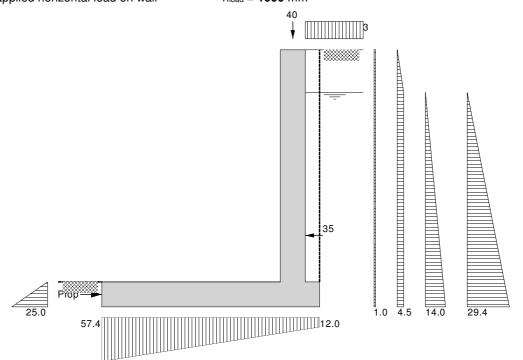
$$K_p = sin(90 - \phi'_b)^2 / \left( sin(90 - \delta_b) \times [1 - \sqrt{(sin(\phi'_b + \delta_b) \times sin(\phi'_b) / (sin(90 + \delta_b)))}]^2 \right) = \textbf{4.187}$$

### At-rest pressure

At-rest pressure for retained material  $K_0 = 1 - \sin(\phi') = 0.590$ 

### Loading details

Surcharge load on plan  $Surcharge = 2.5 \text{ kN/m}^2$  Applied vertical dead load on wall  $W_{dead} = 20.0 \text{ kN/m}$  Applied vertical live load on wall  $W_{live} = 20.0 \text{ kN/m}$  Position of applied vertical load on wall  $I_{load} = 2675 \text{ mm}$  Applied horizontal dead load on wall  $F_{dead} = 35.0 \text{ kN/m}$  Applied horizontal live load on wall  $F_{live} = 0.0 \text{ kN/m}$  Height of applied horizontal load on wall  $h_{load} = 1000 \text{ mm}$ 



Loads shown in kN/m, pressures shown in kN/m<sup>2</sup>

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Vertical	forces	on	wall

 $\begin{aligned} \text{Wall stem} & \text{W}_{\text{wall}} = \text{h}_{\text{stem}} \times \text{t}_{\text{wall}} \times \gamma_{\text{wall}} = \textbf{26.8 kN/m} \\ \text{Wall base} & \text{W}_{\text{base}} = \text{l}_{\text{base}} \times \gamma_{\text{base}} \times \gamma_{\text{base}} = \textbf{25.2 kN/m} \\ \text{Surcharge} & \text{W}_{\text{sur}} = \text{Surcharge} \times \text{l}_{\text{heel}} = \textbf{0.5 kN/m} \\ \text{Moist backfill to top of wall} & \text{W}_{\text{m\_w}} = \text{l}_{\text{heel}} \times (\text{h}_{\text{stem}} - \text{h}_{\text{sat}}) \times \gamma_{\text{m}} = \textbf{2.2 kN/m} \\ \end{aligned}$ 

Saturated backfill  $W_s = I_{heel} \times h_{sat} \times \gamma_s = 11.1 \text{ kN/m}$ Applied vertical load  $W_v = W_{dead} + W_{live} = 40 \text{ kN/m}$ 

Total vertical load  $W_{total} = W_{wall} + W_{base} + W_{sur} + W_{m_w} + W_s + W_v = 105.8 \text{ kN/m}$ 

### Horizontal forces on wall

Surcharge  $F_{sur} = K_a \times Surcharge \times h_{eff} = 3.8 \text{ kN/m}$ 

 $\begin{aligned} &\text{Moist backfill above water table} & F_{\text{m\_a}} = 0.5 \times \text{K}_{\text{a}} \times \gamma_{\text{m}} \times (\text{h}_{\text{eff}} - \text{h}_{\text{water}})^2 = \textbf{1.4 kN/m} \\ &\text{Moist backfill below water table} & F_{\text{m\_b}} = \text{K}_{\text{a}} \times \gamma_{\text{m}} \times (\text{h}_{\text{eff}} - \text{h}_{\text{water}}) \times \text{h}_{\text{water}} = \textbf{13.6 kN/m} \\ &\text{Saturated backfill} & F_{\text{s}} = 0.5 \times \text{K}_{\text{a}} \times (\gamma_{\text{s}^-} \gamma_{\text{water}}) \times \text{h}_{\text{water}}^2 = \textbf{21.1 kN/m} \end{aligned}$ 

Water  $F_{water} = 0.5 \times h_{water}^2 \times \gamma_{water} = 44.1 \text{ kN/m}$ 

Applied horizontal load  $F_h = F_{dead} + F_{live} = 35 \text{ kN/m}$ 

Total horizontal load  $F_{total} = F_{sur} + F_{m\_a} + F_{m\_b} + F_s + F_{water} + F_h = 118.9 \text{ kN/m}$ 

# Calculate propping force

Passive resistance of soil in front of wall  $F_p = 0.5 \times K_p \times \cos(\delta_b) \times (d_{cover} + t_{base} + d_{ds} - d_{exc})^2 \times \gamma_{mb} = \textbf{4.4 kN/m}$ 

Propping force  $F_{prop} = max(F_{total} - F_p - (W_{total} - W_{sur} - W_{live}) \times tan(\delta_b), 0 \text{ kN/m})$ 

 $F_{prop} = 85.8 \text{ kN/m}$ 

### **Overturning moments**

Surcharge  $M_{sur} = F_{sur} \times (h_{eff} - 2 \times d_{ds}) / 2 = \textbf{6.8} \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Moist backfill above water table  $M_{m \ a} = F_{m \ a} \times (h_{eff} + 2 \times h_{water} - 3 \times d_{ds}) / 3 = 4.3 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Moist backfill below water table  $M_{m\_b} = F_{m\_b} \times (h_{water} - 2 \times d_{ds}) / 2 = \textbf{20.3 kNm/m}$  Saturated backfill  $M_s = F_s \times (h_{water} - 3 \times d_{ds}) / 3 = \textbf{21.1 kNm/m}$ 

Water  $M_{water} = F_{water} \times (h_{water} - 3 \times d_{ds}) / 3 = 44.1 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Applied horizontal load  $M_{hor} = F_h \times h_{load} = 35 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Total overturning moment  $M_{ot} = M_{sur} + M_{m\_a} + M_{m\_b} + M_s + M_{water} + M_{hor} = 131.7 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

### **Restoring moments**

Wall stem  $M_{\text{wall}} = w_{\text{wall}} \times (I_{\text{toe}} + t_{\text{wall}} / 2) = 71.8 \text{ kNm/m}$  Wall base  $M_{\text{base}} = w_{\text{base}} \times I_{\text{base}} / 2 = 38.4 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Moist backfill  $M_{m_r} = (w_{m_w} \times (l_{base} - l_{heel} / 2) + w_{m_s} \times (l_{base} - l_{heel} / 3)) = 6.4 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Saturated backfill  $M_{s\_r} = w_s \times (I_{base} - I_{heel} / 2) = \textbf{32.8} \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Design vertical dead load  $M_{dead} = W_{dead} \times I_{load} = 53.5 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Total restoring moment  $M_{rest} = M_{wall} + M_{base} + M_{m_{\underline{r}}} + M_{s_{\underline{r}}} + M_{dead} = 202.9 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

### Check bearing pressure

Surcharge  $M_{sur\_r} = w_{sur} \times (I_{base} - I_{heel} / 2) = 1.5 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Design vertical live load  $M_{live} = W_{live} \times I_{load} = 53.5 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Total moment for bearing  $M_{total} = M_{rest} - M_{ot} + M_{sur\_r} + M_{live} = 126.2 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Total vertical reaction  $R = W_{total} = 105.8 \text{ kN/m}$  Distance to reaction  $x_{bar} = M_{total} / R = 1193 \text{ mm}$ 

Eccentricity of reaction  $e = abs((I_{base} / 2) - x_{bar}) = 332 \text{ mm}$ 

Reaction acts within middle third of base

Bearing pressure at toe  $p_{toe} = (R / l_{base}) + (6 \times R \times e / l_{base}^2) = 57.4 \text{ kN/m}^2$ 

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Bearing pressure at heel	heel $p_{heel} = (R / I_{base}) - (6 \times R \times e / I_{base}^2) = 12 \text{ kN/m}^2$ PASS - Maximum bearing pressure is less than allowable bearing pressure.						

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### **RETAINING WALL DESIGN (BS 8002:1994)**

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### Ultimate limit state load factors

Dead load factor  $\gamma_{fd} = 1.4$ Live load factor  $\gamma_{f_{-}|} = 1.6$ Earth and water pressure factor  $\gamma_{f e} = 1.4$ 

### Factored vertical forces on wall

Wall stem  $W_{\text{wall f}} = \gamma_{\text{f d}} \times h_{\text{stem}} \times t_{\text{wall}} \times \gamma_{\text{wall}} = 37.6 \text{ kN/m}$ Wall base Wbase  $f = \gamma f d \times I_{base} \times t_{base} \times \gamma_{base} = 35.3 \text{ kN/m}$ Surcharge  $W_{sur_f} = \gamma_{f,l} \times Surcharge \times I_{heel} = 0.8 \text{ kN/m}$ Moist backfill to top of wall  $W_{m\_w\_f} = \gamma_{f\_d} \times I_{heel} \times (h_{stem} - h_{sat}) \times \gamma_m = 3 \text{ kN/m}$ 

Saturated backfill  $W_{s,f} = \gamma_{f,d} \times I_{heel} \times h_{sat} \times \gamma_{s} = 15.6 \text{ kN/m}$ Applied vertical load  $W_{v_f} = \gamma_{f_d} \times W_{dead} + \gamma_{f_l} \times W_{live} = 60 \text{ kN/m}$ 

Total vertical load  $W_{total\ f} = W_{wall\ f} + W_{base\ f} + W_{sur\ f} + W_{m\ w\ f} + W_{s\ f} + W_{v\ f} = 152.3\ kN/m$ 

### Factored horizontal at-rest forces on wall

Surcharge  $F_{sur_f} = \gamma_{f,l} \times K_0 \times Surcharge \times h_{eff} = 8.5 \text{ kN/m}$ 

Moist backfill above water table  $F_{\text{m a f}} = \gamma_{\text{f e}} \times 0.5 \times K_0 \times \gamma_{\text{m}} \times (h_{\text{eff}} - h_{\text{water}})^2 = 2.7 \text{ kN/m}$ Moist backfill below water table  $F_{\text{m_b} \text{ f}} = \gamma_{\text{f_e}} \times K_0 \times \gamma_{\text{m}} \times (h_{\text{eff}} - h_{\text{water}}) \times h_{\text{water}} = 26.8 \text{ kN/m}$ Saturated backfill  $F_{s f} = \gamma_{fe} \times 0.5 \times K_0 \times (\gamma_{s} - \gamma_{water}) \times h_{water}^2 = 41.6 \text{ kN/m}$ 

Water  $F_{\text{water f}} = \gamma_{\text{f e}} \times 0.5 \times h_{\text{water}}^2 \times \gamma_{\text{water}} = 61.8 \text{ kN/m}$ 

Applied horizontal load  $F_{h.f} = \gamma_{f.e} \times F_{dead} + \gamma_{f.l} \times F_{live} = 49 \text{ kN/m}$ 

 $F_{total\_f} = F_{sur\_f} + F_{m\_a\_f} + F_{m\_b\_f} + F_{s\_f} + F_{water\_f} + F_{h\_f} = \textbf{190.3} \ kN/m$ Total horizontal load

### Calculate propping force

 $F_p f = \gamma_f e \times 0.5 \times K_p \times cos(\delta_b) \times (d_{cover} + t_{base} + d_{ds} - d_{exc})^2 \times \gamma_{mb} = 6.1$ Passive resistance of soil in front of wall

kN/m

Propping force  $F_{prop\_f} = max(F_{total\_f} - F_{p\_f} - (W_{total\_f} - W_{sur\_f} - \gamma_{f\_l} \times W_{live}) \times tan(\delta_b), \ 0 \ kN/m)$ 

 $F_{prop_f} = 144.0 \text{ kN/m}$ 

### **Factored overturning moments**

 $M_{sur f} = F_{sur f} \times (h_{eff} - 2 \times d_{ds}) / 2 = 15.3 \text{ kNm/m}$ Surcharge

Moist backfill above water table  $M_{m\_a\_f} = F_{m\_a\_f} \times (h_{eff} + 2 \times h_{water} - 3 \times d_{ds}) / 3 = 8.6 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

 $M_{m\_b\_f} = F_{m\_b\_f} \times (h_{water} - 2 \times d_{ds}) / 2 = 40.1 \text{ kNm/m}$ Moist backfill below water table  $M_{s_{-}f} = F_{s_{-}f} \times (h_{water} - 3 \times d_{ds}) / 3 = 41.6 \text{ kNm/m}$ Saturated backfill Water  $M_{water_f} = F_{water_f} \times (h_{water} - 3 \times d_{ds}) / 3 = 61.8 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Applied horizontal load  $M_{hor\_f} = F_{h\_f} \times h_{load} = \textbf{49 kNm/m}$ 

Total overturning moment  $M_{ot\_f} = M_{sur\_f} + M_{m\_a\_f} + M_{m\_b\_f} + M_{s\_f} + M_{water\_f} + M_{hor\_f} = \textbf{216.4} \ kNm/m$ 

# **Restoring moments**

Wall stem  $M_{\text{wall}_f} = w_{\text{wall}_f} \times (I_{\text{toe}} + t_{\text{wall}} / 2) = 100.5 \text{ kNm/m}$ Wall base  $M_{base\ f} = w_{base\ f} \times I_{base} / 2 = 53.8\ kNm/m$  $M_{sur\_r\_f} = w_{sur\_f} \times (I_{base} - I_{heel} / 2) = 2.4 \text{ kNm/m}$ Surcharge

Moist backfill  $M_{m_rf} = (w_{m_wf} \times (l_{base} - l_{heel} / 2) + w_{m_sf} \times (l_{base} - l_{heel} / 3)) = 8.9 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Saturated backfill  $M_{s r f} = w_{s f} \times (I_{base} - I_{heel} / 2) = 46 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

 $M_{v f} = W_{v f} \times I_{load} = 160.5 \text{ kNm/m}$ Design vertical load

Total restoring moment  $M_{rest_f} = M_{wall_f} + M_{base_f} + M_{sur_r_f} + M_{m_r_f} + M_{s_r_f} + M_{v_f} = 372.1 \text{ kNm/m}$ 



Factored	bearing	pressure
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Total moment for bearing  $M_{total_f} = M_{rest_f} - M_{ot_f} = 155.7 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Total vertical reaction  $R_f = W_{total\_f} = 152.3 \text{ kN/m}$  Distance to reaction  $x_{bar\_f} = M_{total\_f} / R_f = 1022 \text{ mm}$  Eccentricity of reaction  $e_f = abs((I_{base} / 2) - x_{bar\_f}) = 503 \text{ mm}$ 

Reaction acts within middle third of base

Bearing pressure at toe  $p_{toe\_f} = (R_f / I_{base}) + (6 \times R_f \times e_f / I_{base}^2) = \textbf{99.3 kN/m}^2$  Bearing pressure at heel  $p_{heel\_f} = (R_f / I_{base}) - (6 \times R_f \times e_f / I_{base}^2) = \textbf{0.6 kN/m}^2$ 

Rate of change of base reaction  $rate = (p_{toe\_f} - p_{hee\_f}) / l_{base} = 32.37 \text{ kN/m}^2/m$ 

Bearing pressure at stem / toe  $p_{\text{stem\_toe\_f}} = max(p_{\text{toe\_f}} - (\text{rate} \times I_{\text{toe}}), 0 \text{ kN/m}^2) = \textbf{18.4 kN/m}^2$ 

Bearing pressure at mid stem  $p_{\text{stem\_mid\_f}} = \max(p_{\text{toe\_f}} - (\text{rate} \times (l_{\text{toe}} + t_{\text{wall}} / 2)), \ 0 \ \text{kN/m}^2) = \textbf{12.7} \ \text{kN/m}^2$  Bearing pressure at stem / heel  $p_{\text{stem\_heel f}} = \max(p_{\text{toe\_f}} - (\text{rate} \times (l_{\text{toe}} + t_{\text{wall}})), \ 0 \ \text{kN/m}^2) = \textbf{7} \ \text{kN/m}^2$ 

### Design of reinforced concrete retaining wall toe (BS 8002:1994)

# **Material properties**

Characteristic strength of concrete  $f_{cu} = 35 \text{ N/mm}^2$ Characteristic strength of reinforcement  $f_y = 500 \text{ N/mm}^2$ 

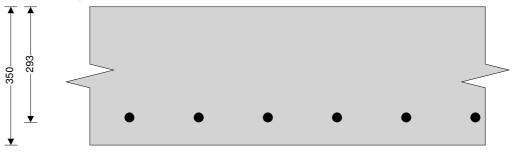
**Base details** 

### Calculate shear for toe design

Shear from bearing pressure  $V_{toe\_bear} = (p_{toe\_f} + p_{stem\_toe\_f}) \times l_{toe} / 2 = \textbf{147.1 kN/m}$  Shear from weight of base  $V_{toe\_wt\_base} = \gamma_{f\_d} \times \gamma_{base} \times l_{toe} \times t_{base} = \textbf{28.9 kN/m}$  Total shear for toe design  $V_{toe\_bear} - V_{toe\_bear} - V_{toe\_bear} = \textbf{118.1 kN/m}$ 

### Calculate moment for toe design

Total moment for toe design  $M_{toe} = M_{toe\_bear} - M_{toe\_wt\_base} = 210.6 \text{ kNm/m}$ 



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### Check toe in bending

Width of toe b = 1000 mm/m

Depth of reinforcement  $d_{toe} = t_{base} - c_{toe} - (\phi_{toe}/2) = \textbf{292.5} \text{ mm}$  Constant  $K_{toe} = M_{toe} / (b \times d_{toe}^2 \times f_{cu}) = \textbf{0.070}$ 

Compression reinforcement is not required

Lever arm  $z_{\text{toe}} = \min(0.5 + \sqrt{(0.25 - (\min(K_{\text{toe}}, 0.225) / 0.9)), 0.95)} \times d_{\text{toe}}$ 

 $z_{toe} = 268 \text{ mm}$ 

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Area of tension reinforcement required  $A_{s\_toe\_des} = M_{toe} / (0.87 \times f_y \times z_{toe}) = 1810 \text{ mm}^2/\text{m}$ 

Minimum area of tension reinforcement  $A_{s toe min} = k \times b \times t_{base} = 455 \text{ mm}^2/\text{m}$ 

Area of tension reinforcement required  $A_{s\_toe\_req} = Max(A_{s\_toe\_des}, A_{s\_toe\_min}) = 1810 \text{ mm}^2/\text{m}$ 

Reinforcement provided 25 mm dia.bars @ 175 mm centres

Area of reinforcement provided  $A_{s\_toe\_prov} = 2805 \text{ mm}^2/\text{m}$ 

PASS - Reinforcement provided at the retaining wall toe is adequate

Check shear resistance at toe

Design shear stress  $v_{toe} = V_{toe} / (b \times d_{toe}) = 0.404 \text{ N/mm}^2$ 

Allowable shear stress  $v_{adm} = min(0.8 \times \sqrt{(f_{cu} / 1 \text{ N/mm}^2)}, 5) \times 1 \text{ N/mm}^2 = 4.733 \text{ N/mm}^2$ 

PASS - Design shear stress is less than maximum shear stress

From BS8110:Part 1:1997 - Table 3.8

Design concrete shear stress  $v_{c toe} = 0.754 \text{ N/mm}^2$ 

v<sub>toe</sub> < v<sub>c\_toe</sub> - No shear reinforcement required

### Design of reinforced concrete retaining wall heel (BS 8002:1994)

**Material properties** 

 $\begin{array}{ll} \mbox{Characteristic strength of concrete} & f_{cu} = \mbox{35 N/mm}^2 \\ \mbox{Characteristic strength of reinforcement} & f_y = \mbox{500 N/mm}^2 \\ \end{array}$ 

**Base details** 

 $\begin{aligned} & \text{Minimum area of reinforcement} & & k = \textbf{0.13} \ \% \\ & \text{Cover to reinforcement in heel} & & c_{\text{heel}} = \textbf{40} \ \text{mm} \end{aligned}$ 

Calculate shear for heel design

Shear from bearing pressure  $V_{heel\_bear} = (p_{heel\_f} + p_{stem\_heel\_f}) \times I_{heel} / 2 = 0.8 \text{ kN/m}$ Shear from weight of base  $V_{heel\_wt\_base} = \gamma_{f\_d} \times \gamma_{base} \times I_{heel} \times t_{base} = 2.3 \text{ kN/m}$ 

Shear from weight of moist backfill  $V_{heel\_wt\_m} = w_{m\_w\_f} = 3 \text{ kN/m}$ Shear from weight of saturated backfill  $V_{heel\_wt\_s} = w_{s\_f} = 15.6 \text{ kN/m}$ Shear from surcharge  $V_{heel\_sur} = w_{sur\_f} = 0.8 \text{ kN/m}$ 

Total shear for heel design  $V_{heel} = -V_{heel\_bear} + V_{heel\_wt\_base} + V_{heel\_wt\_m} + V_{heel\_wt\_s} + V_{heel\_sur} = 21$ 

kN/m

Calculate moment for heel design

Moment from bearing pressure  $M_{\text{heel\_bear}} = (2 \times p_{\text{heel\_f}} + p_{\text{stem\_mid\_f}}) \times (I_{\text{heel}} + t_{\text{wall}} / 2)^2 / 6 = \textbf{0.3} \text{ kNm/m}$  Moment from weight of base  $M_{\text{heel\_wt\_base}} = (\gamma_{\text{f\_d}} \times \gamma_{\text{base}} \times t_{\text{base}} \times (I_{\text{heel}} + t_{\text{wall}} / 2)^2 / 2) = \textbf{0.8} \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Moment from weight of moist backfill  $\begin{aligned} & M_{\text{heel\_wt\_m}} = w_{\text{m\_w\_f}} \times (l_{\text{heel}} + t_{\text{wall}}) \ / \ 2 = \textbf{0.8} \text{ kNm/m} \\ & M_{\text{heel\_wt\_s}} = w_{\text{s\_f}} \times (l_{\text{heel}} + t_{\text{wall}}) \ / \ 2 = \textbf{4.3} \text{ kNm/m} \\ & M_{\text{heel\_sur}} = w_{\text{sur\_f}} \times (l_{\text{heel}} + t_{\text{wall}}) \ / \ 2 = \textbf{0.2} \text{ kNm/m} \end{aligned}$ 

Total moment for heel design  $M_{heel} = -M_{heel\_bear} + M_{heel\_wt\_base} + M_{heel\_wt\_m} + M_{heel\_wt\_s} + M_{heel\_sur} = 5.8$ 

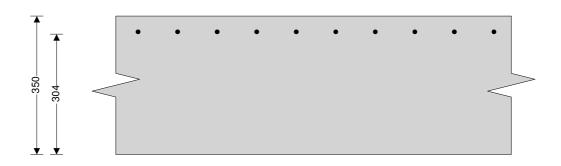
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### Check heel in bending

Width of heel b = 1000 mm/m

Depth of reinforcement  $d_{heel} = t_{base} - c_{heel} - (\phi_{heel} / 2) = 304.0 \text{ mm}$ Constant  $K_{heel} = M_{heel} / (b \times d_{heel}^2 \times f_{cu}) = 0.002$ 

Compression reinforcement is not required

Lever arm  $z_{\text{heel}} = \min(0.5 + \sqrt{(0.25 - (\min(K_{\text{heel}}, 0.225) / 0.9)), 0.95)} \times d_{\text{heel}}$ 

z<sub>heel</sub> = **289** mm

Area of tension reinforcement required  $A_{s\_heel\_des} = M_{heel} / (0.87 \times f_y \times z_{heel}) = 46 \text{ mm}^2/\text{m}$ 

Area of tension reinforcement required  $A_{s\_heel\_req} = Max(A_{s\_heel\_des}, A_{s\_heel\_min}) = 455 \text{ mm}^2/\text{m}$ 

Reinforcement provided 12 mm dia.bars @ 100 mm centres

Area of reinforcement provided  $A_{s\_heel\_prov} = 1131 \text{ mm}^2/\text{m}$ 

PASS - Reinforcement provided at the retaining wall heel is adequate

### Check shear resistance at heel

Design shear stress  $v_{heel} = V_{heel} / (b \times d_{heel}) = 0.069 \text{ N/mm}^2$ 

Allowable shear stress  $v_{adm} = min(0.8 \times \sqrt{(f_{cu} / 1 \text{ N/mm}^2)}, 5) \times 1 \text{ N/mm}^2 = 4.733 \text{ N/mm}^2$ 

PASS - Design shear stress is less than maximum shear stress

From BS8110:Part 1:1997 - Table 3.8

Design concrete shear stress  $v_{c\_heel} = 0.545 \text{ N/mm}^2$ 

Vheel < Vc\_heel - No shear reinforcement required

### Design of reinforced concrete retaining wall stem (BS 8002:1994)

### **Material properties**

Characteristic strength of concrete  $f_{cu} = 35 \text{ N/mm}^2$ Characteristic strength of reinforcement  $f_y = 500 \text{ N/mm}^2$ 

Wall details

 $\label{eq:minimum} \begin{tabular}{lll} Minimum area of reinforcement & $k=0.13~\%$ \\ Cover to reinforcement in stem & $c_{stem}=45~mm$ \\ Cover to reinforcement in wall & $c_{wall}=45~mm$ \\ \end{tabular}$ 

Factored horizontal at-rest forces on stem

 $Surcharge \qquad \qquad F_{s\_sur\_f} = \gamma_{f\_l} \times K_0 \times Surcharge \times (h_{eff} - t_{base} - d_{ds}) = \textbf{7.7 kN/m}$ 

Moist backfill above water table  $F_{s\_m\_a\_f} = 0.5 \times \gamma_{f\_e} \times K_0 \times \gamma_m \times (h_{eff} - t_{base} - d_{ds} - h_{sat})^2 = \textbf{2.7 kN/m}$  Moist backfill below water table  $F_{s\_m\_b\_f} = \gamma_{f\_e} \times K_0 \times \gamma_m \times (h_{eff} - t_{base} - d_{ds} - h_{sat})^2 = \textbf{2.7 kN/m}$ 

Saturated backfill  $F_{s\_s\_f} = 0.5 \times \gamma_{f\_e} \times K_0 \times (\gamma_{s^-} \gamma_{water}) \times h_{sat}^2 = \textbf{32.5 kN/m}$ 

Water  $F_{s\_water\_f} = 0.5 \times \gamma_{f\_e} \times \gamma_{water} \times h_{sat}^2 = 48.2 \text{ kN/m}$ 



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Calculate shear for stem design

Shear at base of stem

19.7 kN/m

Calculate moment for stem design

Surcharge

Moist backfill above water table

Moist backfill below water table

Saturated backfill

Water

Applied horizontal load

Total moment for stem design

 $F_{s\_h\_f} = \gamma_{f\_d} \times F_{dead} + \gamma_{f\_l} \times F_{live} = 49 \text{ kN/m}$ 

 $V_{stem} = F_{s\_sur\_f} + F_{s\_m\_a\_f} + F_{s\_m\_b\_f} + F_{s\_s\_f} + F_{s\_water\_f} + F_{s\_h\_f} - F_{prop\_f} =$ 

 $M_{s \ sur} = F_{s \ sur_f} \times (h_{stem} + t_{base}) / 2 = 13.8 \ kNm/m$ 

 $M_{s m a} = F_{s m a f} \times (2 \times h_{sat} + h_{eff} - d_{ds} + t_{base} / 2) / 3 = 8.1 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

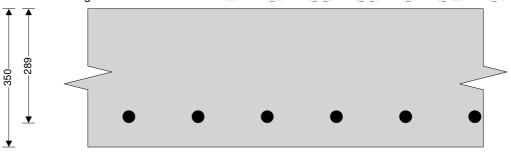
 $M_{s\_m\_b} = F_{s\_m\_b\_f} \times h_{sat} \, / \, 2 = \textbf{31.3} \; kNm/m$ 

 $M_{s\_s} = F_{s\_s\_f} \times h_{sat} / 3 = 28.7 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

 $M_{s\_water} = F_{s\_water\_f} \times h_{sat} / 3 = 42.6 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

 $M_{s_hor} = F_{s_h_f} \times (h_{load} - t_{base} / 2) = 40.4 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

 $M_{stem} = M_s sur + M_s m a + M_s m b + M_s s + M_s water + M_s hor = 164.9 kNm/m$ 



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## Check wall stem in bending

Width of wall stem

Depth of reinforcement

Constant

Lever arm

b = 1000 mm/m

 $d_{stem} = t_{wall} - c_{stem} - (\phi_{stem} / 2) = 289.0 \text{ mm}$ 

 $K_{stem} = M_{stem} / (b \times d_{stem}^2 \times f_{cu}) = 0.056$ 

Compression reinforcement is not required

 $z_{\text{stem}} = \min(0.5 + \sqrt{(0.25 - (\min(K_{\text{stem}}, 0.225) / 0.9)), 0.95)} \times d_{\text{stem}}$ 

z<sub>stem</sub> = **270** mm

 $A_{s\_stem\_des} = M_{stem} / (0.87 \times f_y \times z_{stem}) = 1406 \text{ mm}^2/\text{m}$ 

 $A_{s \text{ stem min}} = k \times b \times t_{wall} = 455 \text{ mm}^2/\text{m}$ 

 $A_{s\_stem\_req} = Max(A_{s\_stem\_des}, A_{s\_stem\_min}) = 1406 \text{ mm}^2/\text{m}$ 

32 mm dia.bars @ 175 mm centres

 $A_s$  stem prov = 4596 mm<sup>2</sup>/m

PASS - Reinforcement provided at the retaining wall stem is adequate

### Check shear resistance at wall stem

Area of tension reinforcement required

Minimum area of tension reinforcement

Area of tension reinforcement required

Design shear stress

Allowable shear stress

Reinforcement provided

Area of reinforcement provided

 $v_{stem} = V_{stem} / (b \times d_{stem}) = 0.068 \text{ N/mm}^2$ 

 $v_{adm} = min(0.8 \times \sqrt{(f_{cu} / 1 \text{ N/mm}^2)}, 5) \times 1 \text{ N/mm}^2 = 4.733 \text{ N/mm}^2$ 

PASS - Design shear stress is less than maximum shear stress

### From BS8110:Part 1:1997 - Table 3.8

Design concrete shear stress

 $V_{c\_stem} = 0.895 \text{ N/mm}^2$ 

v<sub>stem</sub> < v<sub>c\_stem</sub> - No shear reinforcement required

### Check retaining wall deflection

Basic span/effective depth ratio

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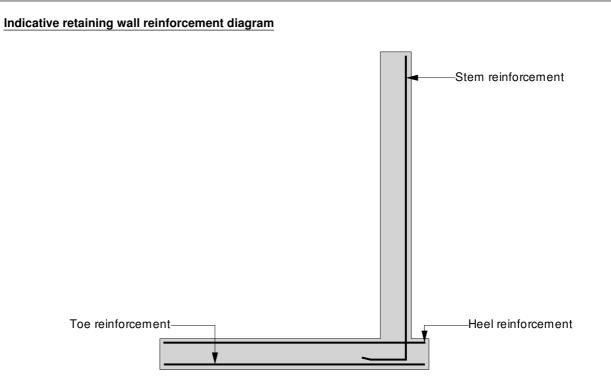
Design service stress	$f_s = 2 \times f_y \times A_{s\_stem\_req} / (3 \times A_{s\_stem\_prov}) = 102.0 \text{ N}_s$	mm

Maximum span/effective depth ratio  $ratio_{max} = ratio_{bas} \times factor_{tens} = 11.46$ 

Actual span/effective depth ratio  $ratio_{act} = h_{stem} / d_{stem} = 11.25$ 

PASS - Span to depth ratio is acceptable

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Toe bars - 25 mm dia.@ 175 mm centres - (2805 mm $^2$ /m)

Heel bars - 12 mm dia.@ 100 mm centres - (1131 mm²/m)

Stem bars - 32 mm dia.@ 175 mm centres - (4596 mm²/m)

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Dear Mr Gaigalas

Regarding the proposed basement construction at the above property; please note this has been designed to comply with Subterranean Development SPD – Clause 6.1.2

We are happy that the strata can support the given loads and sequence of works.

Re:- Parsifal House, 521 Finchley Road, London - Job - 19313

The proposed works will have no effect on existing surrounding utilities and infrastructure. Slope instability will not apply.

We do not expect ground water to be encountered within the build. A pump shall be present on site to deal with any ground water as a failsafe.

Our design has considered all geological, hydrological and structural concerns. Our sequence, method statement and retaining wall design have considered all these factors. Please see plans 18515 for these sequenced works.

Please note that if all works are carried out to this Method Statement, Calculations and sequence, we are happy to state that no detrimental effect will occur to the adjoining properties.

Regarding levels of anticipated movement; these are set out and fall under Movement and Expected levels of Damage to BRE Digest 251

Regarding an assessment of the predicted ground movements which may be caused by the works and their effect on the adjoining structures/ground. Ref: Table 1. BRE Digest 251; we would expect:-CATEGORY 1

1 - Fine cracks that can be treated easily using normal decoration. Damage generally restricted to internal wall finishes; cracks rarely visible in external brickwork. Typical crack widths up to 1 mm

Please note we have not allowed for movement monitoring. As the quality of finishes within the adjacent properties will make any movement obvious.

Please note that heave protection will not be required within our design.

Regards

Andrew Mitchinson BEng(Hons), CEng, MIStructE



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