

The purpose of this Standard Drawing is to provide typical standard details that shall be used within the limitations specified in the drawing and in accordance with the following:

- 1. The adaptability of the standard details shall be assessed by the project designer in respect of specific project geometric, appropriate foundation and scour conditions.
- 2. In reactive soils: this standard drawing is only applicable for reactive soils with linear shrinkage up to 8%. Specialist geotechnical design advice shall be sought otherwise.
- 3. If the insitu bearing capacity is inadequate, the following options may be explored subject to review and acceptance by E&T Structures and Geotechnical sections:
 - a. Insitu ground improvement, and/or
 - b. Redesign of the base slab.

Any redesign works shall be RPEQ certified by appropriate engineering disciplines for compliance.

When there is uncertainty regarding the application of the standard details on this drawing for a specific project, advice shall be sought from E&T

GENERAL NOTES:

1. SCOPE: This drawing is to detail cast insitu base slab, aprons, headwalls and wingwalls for precast RC Box Culverts and Slab Link Box Culverts where H (height of

This drawing supersedes Standard Drawings 1303, 1316, 1317, 1318 and 1320. This drawing does not provide details of fish passage requirements. Where project specific environmental assessment determines that waterway barrier works are required, additional details shall be developed and included in the project drawings.

- 2. BOX CULVERTS shall be constructed in accordance with MRTS03.
- 3. DESIGN TRAFFIC LOADING: HLP400, M1600, A160 and W80 are in accordance with AS 5100.2

Maximum height of fill over the culvert shall be 2000.

Maximum design pressure (E_d) under the culvert slab bases is provided in the Base slab Details table on drawing 2.

Maximum design pressure (E_d) under the culvert apron is 75 kPa.

- 4. DOWELLED CONTRACTION JOINTS shall be provided where (a) the length and/or (b) the width of the base slab exceed 20m. When contraction joints are required across the width, they shall be located at 1/4 span points of crown units and are to be continued across the aprons and cut off walls. 24 hours minimum shall be allowed between pours.
- 5. APRON AND BASE SLAB MINIMUM REINFORCEMENT for shrinkage and temperature effects are designed considering the full restraint condition to AS 5100. For the slab on ground condition, only the top half of the slab thickness is considered for calculation of this reinforcement
- 6. WINGWALLS for skewed culverts with angle greater than 45 require a special design
- 7. CONCRETE shall be in accordance with MRTS70.

Design life 100 years.

Exposure classification and cover to reinforcement shall be in accordance with AS 5100. Minimum concrete strength and cover to reinforcement shall be as shown

Exposure classification	minimum B2	C1	C2
Minimum concrete strength	S40/20	S50/20	S55/20
Minimum Cover UNO	60	70	80

Triple-blend concrete in accordance with MRTS70 is required for Exposure classifications C1 and C2.

Blinding concrete N20/20.

Surface roughening of the aprons, and traversable areas of slabs between nibs or recesses if required, shall be broom finish using a broom not less than 400 wide to achieve an average texture depth of 0.8. The direction of brushing shall be perpendicular to the direction of flow.

- All exposed edges shall have 19 x 19 chamfers, unless nominated otherwise.
- 8. PRECAST CONCRETE CULVERTS shall be designed and manufactured in accordance with
- 9. STEELWORK shall be fabricated to the requirements of MRTS78.

Flat bar and angle shall be Grade 300 to AS/NZS 3679.1. Bolts and screws Class 4.6 to AS 1111.1. Nuts Class 5 to AS 1112.1. Washers Class 5 to AS 1237.1. After fabrication all bolts and nuts shall be hot dip galvanised to AS 1214, and all other steelwork to AS/NZS 4680.





