

CBR DENSITY TEST

Five Elements Laboratories 13/42 Smith St, CAPALABA QLD 4157 - Tel: 07 3348 5533

Client:	Merredin Shire Council
Origin of Sample:	Merredin waste depot
Description of soil:	Yellow sand
Test No:	90009

Sample	
Dry density required pd =	Kg/m3
Moisture content required w2 =	%
Mass of soil M1 =	g
Mass of water to be added =	g

Testing	
Mass of mould + compacted soil =	9667
Mass of mould = g	4893
Mass of compacted soil =	4774
Mass after stove drying	4476

Compact	tion
No. of layers	5
No. of blows	25
Mass of rammer	4.5kg

Surcharge we	eights
Soaking	0

After soaking ma	ss data
Soak duration (d)	2
Mass mould & soil	9763
Mass water absorbed	394
% water absorbed	8.25%

Sample No.:	1
Date sampled:	6/03/2019
Date of test:	20/03/2019
Notes:	Treated with 20g/l of Polychlor

Moisture content				
	Initial soil W1	Mixed so W2	Mixed soil W2	
Can No.	8			
Mass can + wet soil (g)	296			
Mass can + dry soil (g)	293			
Mass of moisture (g)	3	298		
Mass of container (g)	14	1		
Mass of dry soil (g)	279			
Moisture content (%)	1.1%	6.7%		
Bulk density (unsoaked)		2189.9		
Dry density (kg/m3)		2053.2		

Dose rate (g/m3)

Swell data		
Time soaking (hrs)	Swell gauge reading (mm)	% Swell
0		
24		
48		
72		
96		
120		
144		

Dry densit	ty of soaked soil
pds = pd/	(1-(Ax/1000Vm))
Where:	
pd = initial dry densi	ty
A = area of the mo	ld
x = increase in sam	ple height
Vm = volume of mo	ould in cm3
pds =	

2,292

Operator	Date	Signed	
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Notes: Sample was stove dried prior to soaking



CBR PENETRATION TEST

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Job:	Merredin Shire Council
Origin of Sample:	Merredin waste depot
Description of soil:	Yellow sand
Load ring:	50kN
Surcharge weight during soaking:	0

Test No.:	130008
CBR density test No.	90008
Date of test:	25/03/2019
Notes:	48h soak

	Penetra	ation test	
Penetration of plunger (mm)	Load ring deflection (mm)	Force (kN)	CBR
0.0	0.000	0.0	0.0
0.5	0.160		
1.0	0.280		
1.5	0.400		
2.0	0.490		
2.5	0.580		
3.0	0.660		
4.0	0.740		
5.0	0.820		
6.0	0.870		
7.0	0.890		
8.0	0.890	25.5	97.0
9.0			
10.0			
11.0			
12.0			
13.0			

Moisture content		
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Mass can + dry soil (g)		
Mass of moisture (g)		
Mass of container (g)		
Mass of dry soil (g)		
Moisture content (%)		

Accepted CBR	
97	

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Notes: Control - Treated with 20g/litre of Polychlor



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Mass of mould = g	4878
Mass of compacted soil =	4953
Mass after stove drying	4664

Compaction		
No. of layers	5	
No. of blows	25	
Mass of rammer	4.5kg	

Surcharge weights		
Soaking	0	

After soaking mass data	
Soak duration (d)	2
Mass mould & soil	9867
Mass water absorbed	325
% water absorbed	6.56%

Sample No.:	1	
Date sampled:	6/03/2019	
Date of test:	20/03/2019	
Notes:	Control - No treatment	

Moisture content		
	Initial soil W1	Mixed so W2
Can No.	8	
Mass can + wet soil (g)	296	
Mass can + dry soil (g)	293	
Mass of moisture (g)	3	289
Mass of container (g)	14	
Mass of dry soil (g)	279	
Moisture content (%)	1.1%	6.2%
Bulk density (unsoaked)		2272.0
Dry density (kg/m3)		2139.4

Dose rate (g/m3)

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1.0	0.090		
1.5	0.135		
2.0	0.180		
2.5	0.210		
3.0	0.230		
4.0	0.255		
5.0	0.260		
6.0	0.270		7 - 0
7.0	0.290		
8.0	0.310	8.8	35.0
9.0			
10.0			
11.0			
12.0			
13.0			

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Mass can + dry soil (g)	
Mass of moisture (g)	
Mass of container (g)	
Mass of dry soil (g)	
Moisture content (%)	

Accepted CBR	
35	

Operator	Date	Signed
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Notes: Control - No treatment