

Appendix D

Laboratory Test Results





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28th November 2024

ATTERBERG LIMITS TESTING

Dear Sir,

Re: RUSSELL ROAD, UPPER OREW

Your Reference: 240065

Report Number: 63743#L/AL Russell Road

The following report presents the results of Atterberg Limits testing at BGL of bulk soil samples delivered to this laboratory on the 21st of November 2024. Test results are summarised below, with page 3 showing where the samples plot on the Unified Soil Classification System (Casagrande) Chart.

Test standards used were:

Water Content:	NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1
Liquid Limit:	NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.2
Plastic Limit:	NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.3
Plasticity Index:	NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.4

Borehole Number	Sample Number	Depth (m)	Water Content (%)	Liquid Limit	Plastic Limit	Plasticity Index
TP3	BULK	4.00 – 5.00	43.2	46	26	20
TP7	BULK	0.60 – 0.80	49.6	86	33	53
TP10	B	3.60 – 3.80	24.0	52 ♦	18 ♦	34 ♦
TP16	BULK	1.00 – 1.20	50.5	109	34	75

♦ = The soil fraction passing a 425 μ m sieve was used for the liquid limit and plastic limit tests.



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The whole soils were used for the water content tests (the soils were in an unknown state), and for the liquid limit and plastic limit tests without a diamond beside them. The soil fractions passing a 0.425mm sieve were used for the liquid limit and plastic limit tests with a diamond (◆) beside them. The soils were wet up and dried where required for the liquid limit and plastic limit tests.

As per the reporting requirements of NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1: water content is reported to two significant figures for values below 10%, and to three significant figures for values of 10% or greater. Test 2.2: liquid limit and test 2.3: plastic limit are reported to the nearest whole number.

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Yours faithfully,

**Key Technical Person
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DETERMINATION OF THE LIQUID LIMIT, PLASTIC LIMIT & THE PLASTICITY INDEX

Test Methods: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.2, Test 2.3 and Test 2.4

Tested By: WEC / SG November 2024

Compiled By: JE Date: 28/11/2024

Checked By: JF Date: 28/11/2024

Test Methods: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.2, Test 2.3 and Test 2.4

Checked By: JF Date: 28/11/2024

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July 2022

Authorised By:

SUMMARY OF TESTING

The chart below & soil classification terminology is taken from ASTM D2487-17^{e1} "Standard Practice for Classification of Soils for Engineering Purposes (Unified Soil Classification System)", April 2020, & is based on the classification scheme developed by A. Casagrande in the 1940's (Casagrande, A., 1948: Classification and identification of soil. *Transactions of the American Society of Civil Engineers*, v. 113, p. 901-930). The chart below & the soil classification given in the table above are included for your information only, and are not included in the IANZ endorsement for this report.

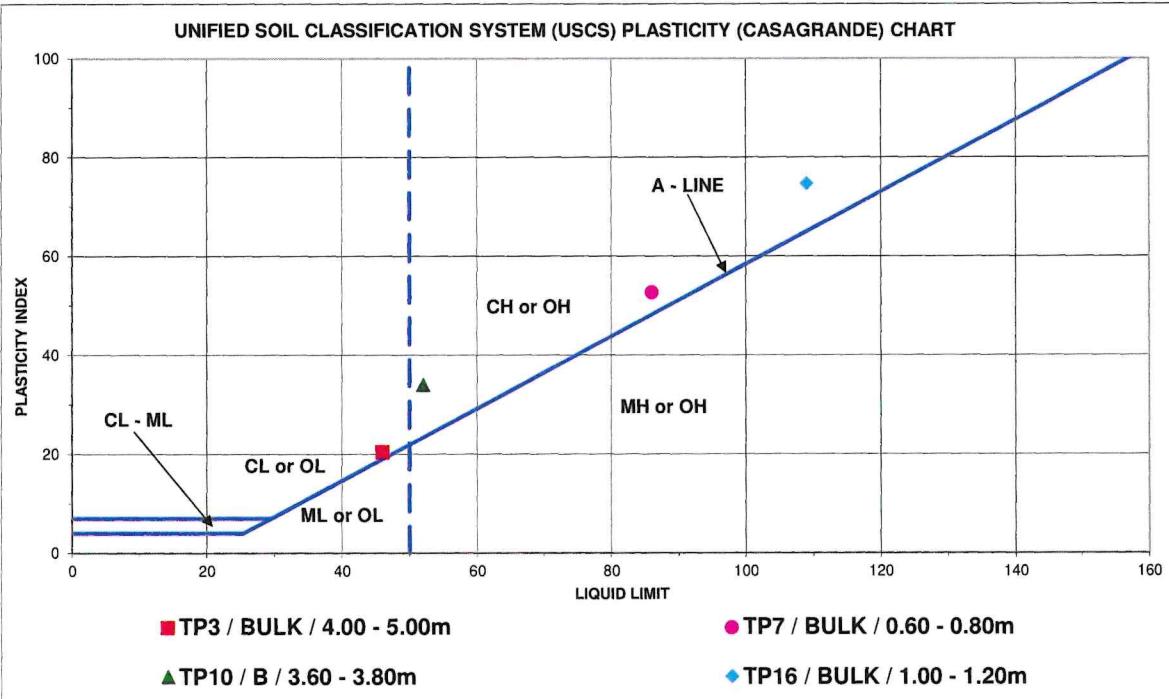


CHART LEGEND

CL = CLAY, low plasticity ('lean' clay)

CH = CLAY, high plasticity ('fat' clay)

OL = ORGANIC CLAY or ORGANIC SILT, low liquid limit

OH = ORGANIC CLAY or ORGANIC SILT, high liquid limit

ML = SILT, low liquid limit

MH = SILT, high liquid limit ('elastic silt')

ML = SILT, low liquid limit



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ATTERBERG LIMITS TESTING

Dear Sir,

Re: RUSSELL ROAD, UPPER OREWA – STAGE 2

Your Reference: 240065 – Stage 2

Report Number: 63743#L/AL2 Russell Road

The following report presents the results of Atterberg Limits testing at BGL of bulk soil samples delivered to this laboratory on the 13th of December 2024. Test results are summarised below, with page 3 showing where the samples plot on the Unified Soil Classification System (Casagrande) Chart.

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Plasticity Index:	NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.4

Borehole Number	Sample Number	Depth (m)	Water Content (%)	Liquid Limit	Plastic Limit	Plasticity Index
TP41	BULK	3.20 – 4.60	47.5	55	23	32
TP47	BULK	1.00 – 2.00	37.4	76	25	51

The whole soils were used for the water content tests (the soils were in an unknown state), and for the liquid limit and plastic limit tests. The soils were wet up and dried where required for the liquid limit and plastic limit tests.



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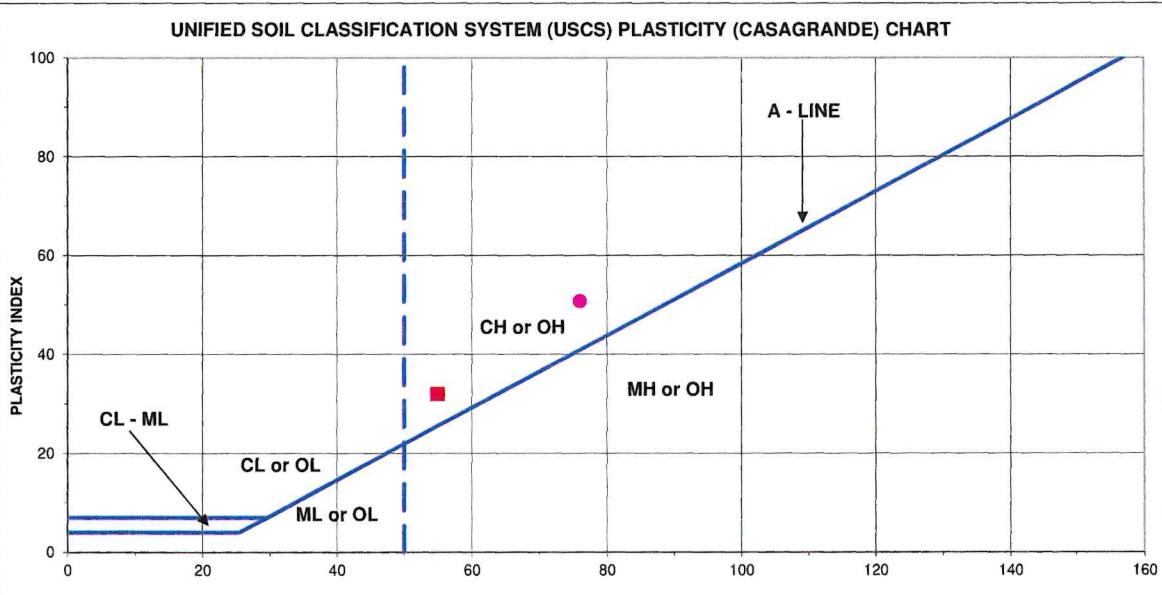
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■ TP41 / BULK / 3.20 - 4.60m • TP47 / BULK / 1.00 - 2.00m

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CH = CLAY, high plasticity ('fat' clay)

OH = ORGANIC CLAY or ORGANIC SILT, high liquid limit

MH = Silt, high liquid limit ('elastic silt')



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HYDROMETER PARTICLE-SIZE DISTRIBUTION TESTING

Dear Sir,

Re: RUSSELL ROAD, UPPER OREW

Your Reference: 240065

Report Number: 63743#L/HYD Russell Road

The following report presents the results of hydrometer particle-size distribution testing at BGL of bulk soil samples delivered to this laboratory on the 21st of November 2024. Test results are summarised below, with the following pages showing graphs and detailed results.

Test standards used were:

Water Content:	NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1
Wet Sieve Test:	NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.8.1
Hydrometer Test:	NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.8.4

Borehole Number	Sample Number	Depth (m)	Hydrometer Grading (% of Dry Mass)			
			GRAVEL (2 – <9.50mm)	SAND (0.06 – 2mm)	SILT FRACTION (0.002 – 0.06mm)	CLAY FRACTION (< 0.002mm)
TP10	A	2.40 – 2.70	1	58	23	18
TP10	B	3.60 – 3.80	0	13	63	24

The whole soils were used for these hydrometer tests. NZS4402:1986:Test 2.8.4 uses a 2.00mm sieve as the separation point for obtaining the hydrometer sample, therefore the use of the whole soils represents a departure from the test standard.



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As the organic content of the soils tested was very low, peroxide pretreatment was not carried out. A solid density of 2.65t/m³ was assumed for these hydrometer tests, and is not part of the IANZ endorsement for this report.

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Project: RUSSELL ROAD, UPPER OREWА

PARTICLE-SIZE DISTRIBUTION BY HYDROMETER

Test Methods: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1, Test 2.8.1, Test 2.8.4

Tested By: WEC 26-Nov-24

Compiled By: WEC 27-Nov-24

Checked By: JF 27-Nov-24

Version Number: 7 Version Date: July 2022 Authorised By: [Redacted]

Borehole No: TP10

Sample No: A

Depth: 2.40 - 2.70m

Water Content (%): 35.7

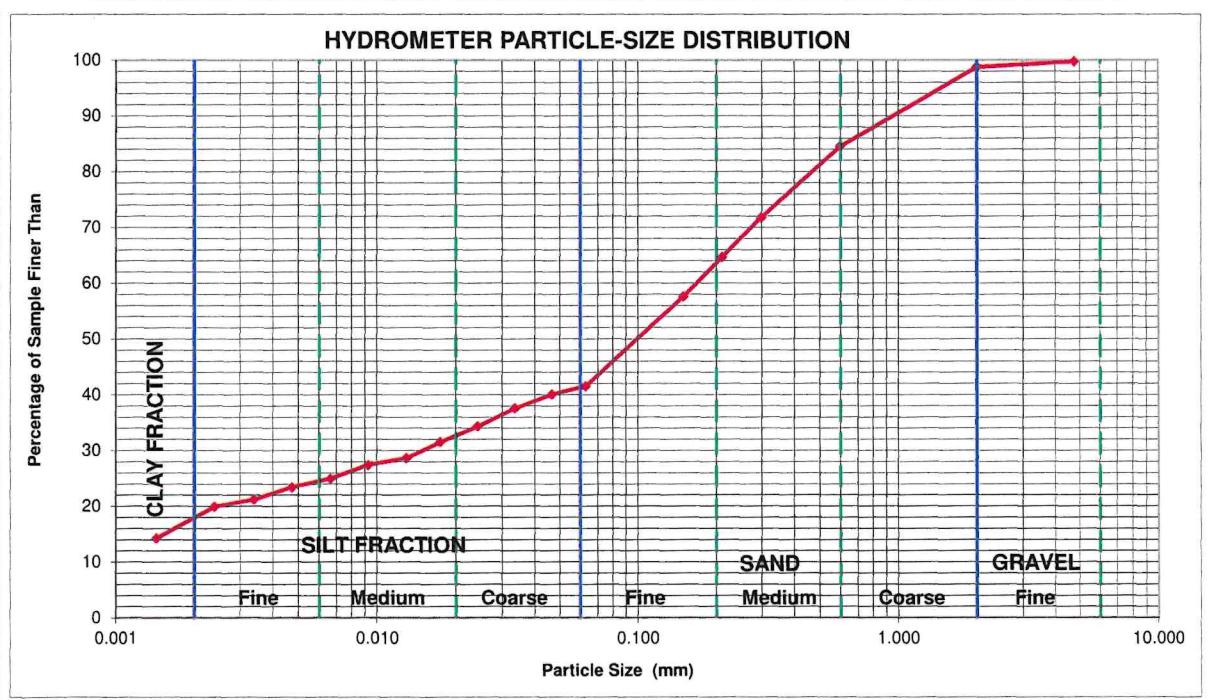
Sample History: Natural / Air-Dried / Oven-Dried / Unknown

Particle-size (mm)	% Finer Than
4.75	100
2.00	99
0.600	85
0.300	72
0.212	65
0.150	58
0.063	42
0.047	40
0.034	38
0.024	34
0.017	32
0.013	29
0.0093	27
0.0066	25
0.0047	23
0.0034	21
0.0024	20
0.0014	14

HYDROMETER ANALYSIS (% of dry mass) TOTAL

GRAVEL	Medium	< 9.5 - 6mm	0	1	%
	Fine	6 - 2mm	1		
SAND	Coarse	2.0 - 0.6mm	14	58	%
	Medium	0.6 - 0.2mm	21		
	Fine	0.2 - 0.06mm	23		
SILT FRACTION	Coarse	0.06 - 0.02mm	8	23	%
	Medium	0.02 - 0.006mm	9		
	Fine	0.006 - 0.002mm	6		
CLAY FRACTION		< 0.002mm	18	100%	

HYDROMETER TEST WAS CARRIED OUT ON THE WHOLE SOIL /SOIL FRACTION PASSING A 9.50mm SIEVE



**PARTICLE-SIZE DISTRIBUTION BY
HYDROMETER**

Test Methods: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1, Test 2.8.1, Test 2.8.4

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Borehole No: TP10

Sample No: B

Depth: 3.60 - 3.80m

Water Content (%): 24.1

Sample History: Natural / Air-Dried / Oven-Dried / Unknown

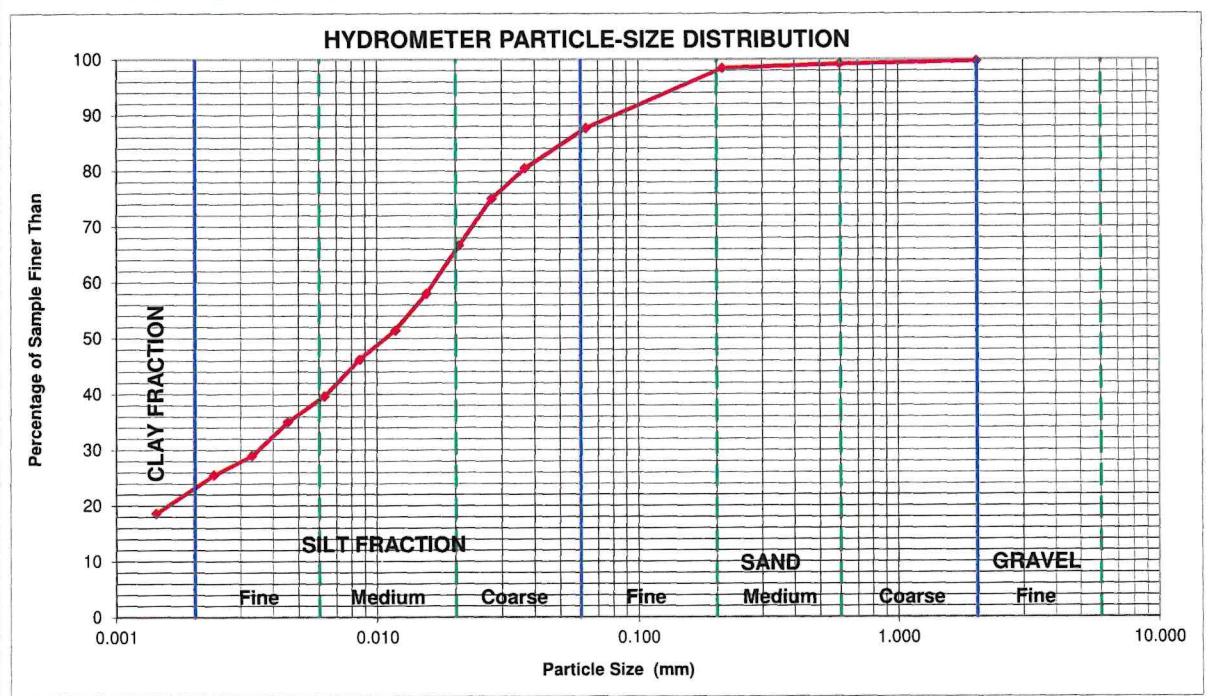
pH of sedimentation suspension: 8.5

Particle-size (mm)	% Finer Than
2.00	100
0.600	99
0.212	98
0.063	88
0.037	81
0.028	75
0.021	67
0.016	58
0.012	51
0.0086	46
0.0063	40
0.0046	35
0.0033	29
0.0024	26
0.0014	19

HYDROMETER ANALYSIS (% of dry mass) TOTAL

GRAVEL	Medium	< 9.5 - 6mm	0	0	%
	Fine	6 - 2mm	0		
SAND	Coarse	2.0 - 0.6mm	1	13	%
	Medium	0.6 - 0.2mm	1		
	Fine	0.2 - 0.06mm	11		
SILT FRACTION	Coarse	0.06 - 0.02mm	21	63	%
	Medium	0.02 - 0.006mm	27		
	Fine	0.006 - 0.002mm	15		
CLAY FRACTION		< 0.002mm		24	%
				100%	

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HYDROMETER PARTICLE-SIZE DISTRIBUTION TESTING

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Your Reference: 240065 – Stage 2
Report Number: 63743#L/HYD2 Russell Road

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Test standards used were:

Water Content: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1

Wet Sieve Test: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.8.1

Hydrometer Test: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.8.4

Borehole Number	Sample Number	Depth (m)	Hydrometer Grading (% of Dry Mass)			
			GRAVEL (2 – <9.50mm)	SAND (0.06 – 2mm)	SILT FRACTION (0.002 – 0.06mm)	CLAY FRACTION (< 0.002mm)
TP30	BULK	3.45 – 4.10	0	10	64	26
TP36	BULK	3.80 – 4.60	0	63	25	12
TP41	BULK	3.20 – 4.60	0	36	44	20

The whole soils were used for these hydrometer tests. As the organic content of the soils tested was very low, peroxide pretreatment was not carried out. A solid density of 2.65t/m³ was assumed for these hydrometer tests, and is not part of the IANZ endorsement for this report.

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Project:

RUSSELL ROAD, UPPER OREWA

**PARTICLE-SIZE DISTRIBUTION BY
HYDROMETER**

Test Methods: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1, Test 2.8.1, Test 2.8.4

Tested By: JL 17-Dec-24

Compiled By: JL 18-Dec-24

Checked By: JF 18-Dec-24

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Authorised By:

Borehole No: TP30

Sample No: BULK

Depth: 3.45 - 4.10m

Water Content (%): 50.8

Sample History: Natural / Air-Dried / Oven-Dried / Unknown

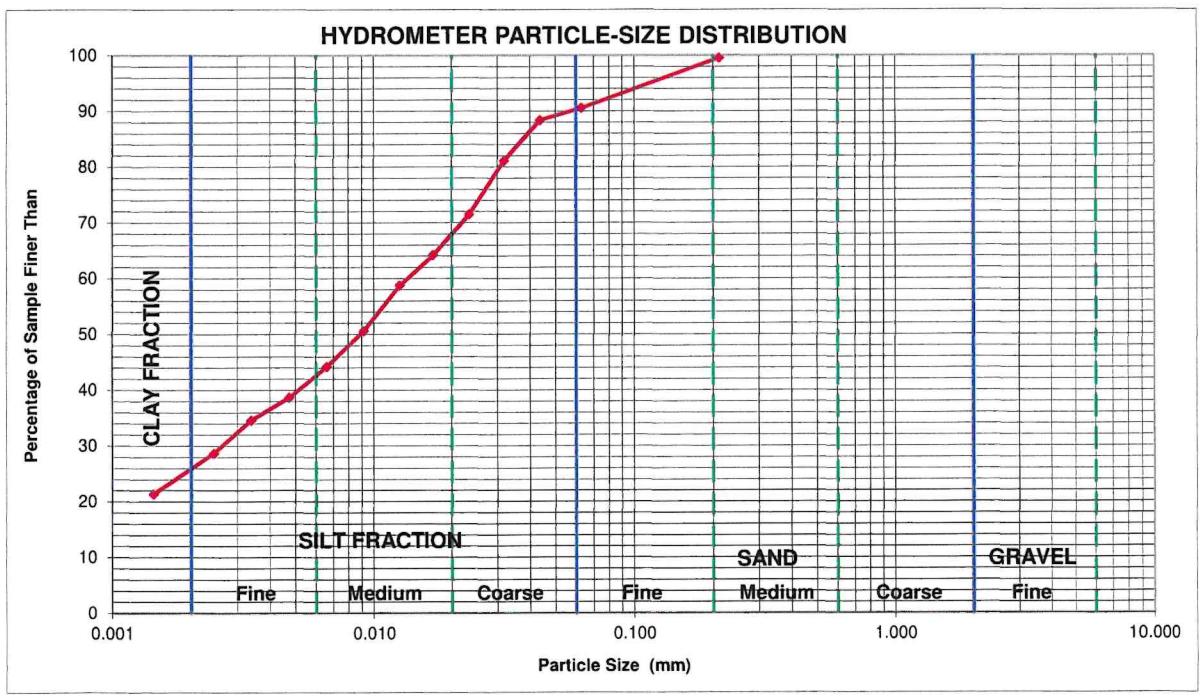
pH of sedimentation suspension: 8.5

HYDROMETER ANALYSIS (% of dry mass) TOTAL

Particle-size (mm)	% Finer Than
0.212	100
0.063	91
0.044	88
0.032	81
0.023	72
0.017	64
0.013	59
0.0092	51
0.0066	44
0.0048	39
0.0034	35
0.0024	29
0.0014	21

HYDROMETER ANALYSIS (% of dry mass) TOTAL			
GRAVEL	Medium	< 9.5 - 6mm	0
	Fine	6 - 2mm	0
SAND	Coarse	2.0 - 0.6mm	0
	Medium	0.6 - 0.2mm	1
	Fine	0.2 - 0.06mm	9
SILT FRACTION	Coarse	0.06 - 0.02mm	22
	Medium	0.02 - 0.006mm	25
	Fine	0.006 - 0.002mm	17
CLAY FRACTION		< 0.002mm	26
			100%

HYDROMETER TEST WAS CARRIED OUT ON THE WHOLE SOIL / SOIL FRACTION PASSING A 9.50mm SIEVE



**PARTICLE-SIZE DISTRIBUTION BY
 HYDROMETER**

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Version Number:

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Authorised By: 

Tested By: JL 17-Dec-24

Compiled By: JL 18-Dec-24

Checked By: JF 18-Dec-24

Borehole No: TP36

Sample No: BULK

Depth: 3.80 - 4.60m

Water Content (%): 39.0

Sample History: Natural / Air-Dried / Oven-Dried / Unknown

pH of sedimentation suspension: 8.0

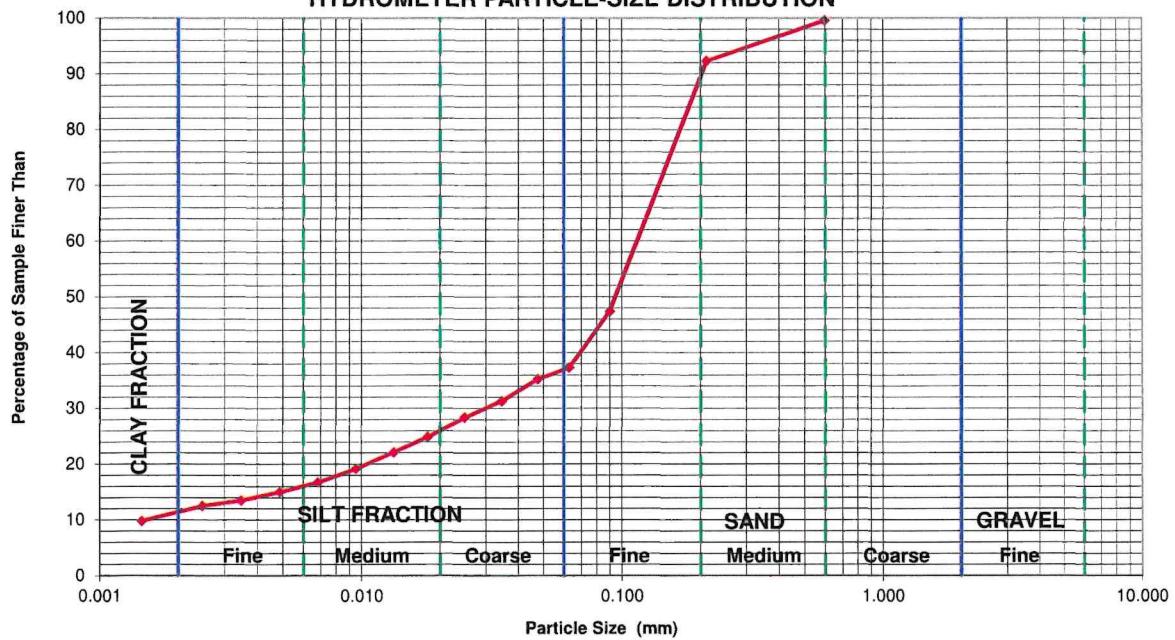
Particle-size (mm)	% Finer Than
0.600	100
0.212	92
0.090	47
0.063	37
0.048	35
0.035	31
0.025	28
0.018	25
0.013	22
0.0096	19
0.0069	17
0.0049	15
0.0035	14
0.0025	13
0.0015	10

HYDROMETER ANALYSIS (% of dry mass) TOTAL

GRAVEL	Medium	< 9.5 - 6mm	0	0	%
	Fine	6 - 2mm	0		
SAND	Coarse	2.0 - 0.6mm	0	63	%
	Medium	0.6 - 0.2mm	11		
	Fine	0.2 - 0.06mm	52		
SILT FRACTION	Coarse	0.06 - 0.02mm	11	25	%
	Medium	0.02 - 0.006mm	10		
	Fine	0.006 - 0.002mm	4		
CLAY FRACTION			< 0.002mm	12	%
				100%	

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HYDROMETER PARTICLE-SIZE DISTRIBUTION



Project: **RUSSELL ROAD, UPPER OREWA**

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Borehole No: TP41 Sample No: BULK Depth: 3.20 - 4.60m

Water Content (%): 47.5

Sample History: Natural / Air-Dried / Oven-Dried / Unknown

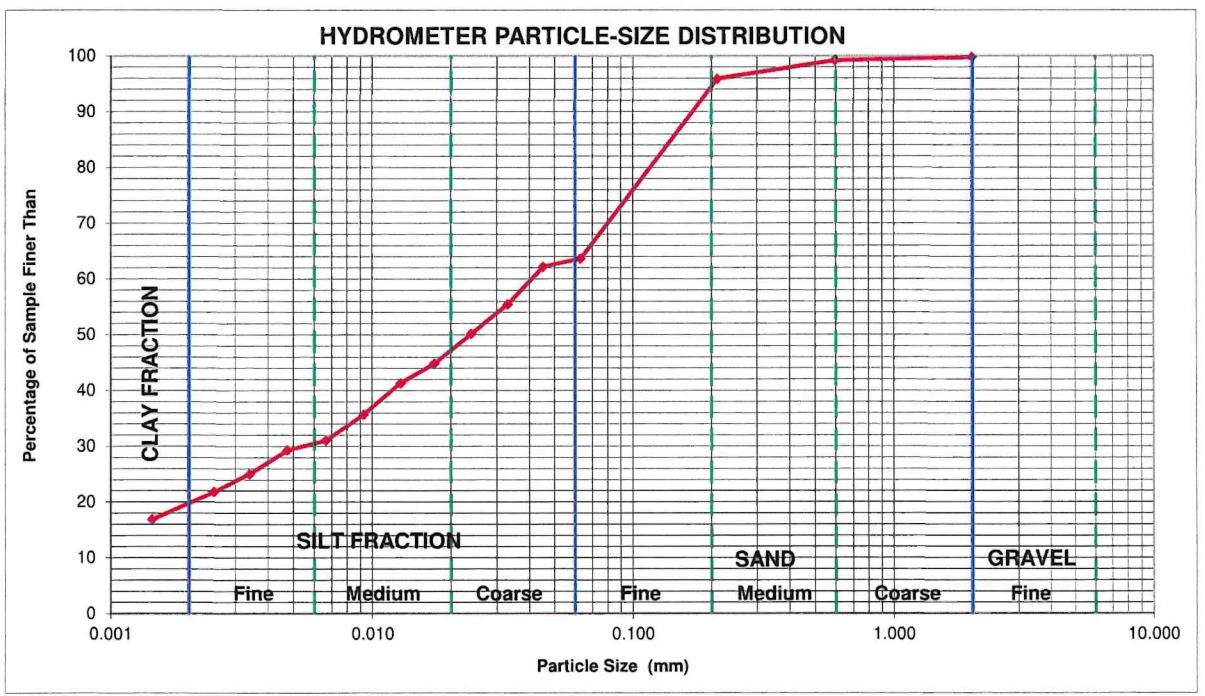
pH of sedimentation suspension: 8.0

Particle-size (mm)	% Finer Than
2.00	100
0.600	99
0.212	96
0.063	64
0.045	62
0.033	55
0.024	50
0.017	45
0.013	41
0.0093	36
0.0067	31
0.0048	29
0.0034	25
0.0025	22
0.0014	17

HYDROMETER ANALYSIS (% of dry mass) TOTAL

GRAVEL	Medium	< 9.5 - 6mm	0	0	%
	Fine	6 - 2mm	0		
SAND	Coarse	2.0 - 0.6mm	1	36	%
	Medium	0.6 - 0.2mm	5		
	Fine	0.2 - 0.06mm	30		
SILT FRACTION	Coarse	0.06 - 0.02mm	17	44	%
	Medium	0.02 - 0.006mm	16		
	Fine	0.006 - 0.002mm	11		
CLAY FRACTION			< 0.002mm	20	%
				100%	

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SOAKED CALIFORNIA BEARING RATIO (CBR) TESTING

Dear Sir,

Re: RUSSELL ROAD, UPPER OREWА – STAGE 2

Your Reference: 240065 – Stage 2

Report Number: 63743#L/CBR Russell Road

The following report presents the results of soaked California Bearing Ratio testing at BGL of bulk soil samples delivered to this laboratory on the 13th of December 2024. Test results are summarised below, with the following pages showing graphs and detailed results.

Test standards used were:

Water Content:

NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1

NZ Standard Compaction:

NZS4402: 1986: Test 4.1.1

California Bearing Ratio (CBR) – Remoulded:

NZS4402: 1986: Test 6.1.1 (soaked)

The bulk samples were sieved through a 19.0mm sieve to remove any oversized material if present, and then through a 9.5mm aperture sieve to break up the soil (*which is a departure from the NZS4402 Standard which requires a 4.75mm sieve to be used*). Sample TP36 was too wet to be compacted at the as-received water content, so it was dried-back from 40.5% to 31.3% water content. The sieved bulk samples were then compacted into CBR moulds using the NZ Standard Compaction method. The compacted samples were then soaked for four days. The CBR values were then measured using a plunger penetration rate of 1mm per minute.

Sample Details	Water Content (%)		Dry Density (t/m ³)	CBR (soaked)	Swell (%)
	Initial (trimmings)	After Testing (under plunger)			
TP30 / BULK / 3.45 – 4.10m	50.9	50.5	1.10	1	0.4
SILT, clayey, minor fine sand, moderately plastic, light brown, very moist.					

Note that sample descriptions are not part of BGL IANZ Accreditation.

Sample Details	Water Content (%)			Dry Density (t/m ³)	CBR (soaked)	Swell (%)
	As-received	Adjusted (before Compaction)	After Testing (under plunger)			
TP36 / BULK / 3.80 – 4.60m	40.5	31.3	31.5	1.40	2	0.0
	SAND, silty, non-plastic to slightly plastic, light brown & light grey, from completely weathered siltstone & sandstone that was easily broken up over a 9.50mm sieve.					

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Note that a solid density value of 2.65t/m³ was used in the calculation of the air voids for these compacted samples. This value is assumed, and is not part of the IANZ endorsement for this report.

As per the reporting requirements of NZS4402: 1986: Test 6.1.1, dry density is reported to the nearest 0.02t/m³, swell to the nearest 0.2%, CBR's > 20 to the nearest 5, CBR's between 5 and 20 to the nearest 1, and for CBR's < 5 to the nearest 0.5. As per the reporting requirements of NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1: water content is reported to two significant figures for values below 10%, and to three significant figures for values of 10% or greater.

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**CALIFORNIA BEARING RATIO TEST: REMOULDED
SAMPLE, SOAKED**

Test Methods: NZS4402: 1986: Test 6.1.1 - California Bearing Ratio / NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1 - Water Content

Version Number:	4	Version Date:	September 2022	Initials	Date
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Authorised By: 

Tested By: WEC / SG / JL 17/12/2024

Compiled By: SG 18/12/2024

Checked By: JF 18/12/2024

Authorised By: 

Proving Ring Number: 1155-3-1320

Ring Calibration Factor: 1452.10

(dial divisions / kN: from calibration worksheet)

Sample Identification: TP30 / BULK

Sample Depth (m): 3.45 - 4.10m

Sample History: dried / wetted / lime added / cement added / unknown / natural

Compaction Used: NZ Standard Compaction / NZ Heavy Compaction

SOAKED CBR

DETERMINATION OF BEARING VALUE

Soil Sieved Through:	19.0 & 9.5	mm sieves	Plunger Penetration (mm)	Proving Ring Dial (divisions)	Force (kN)
Surcharge Used:	4.00	kg	0.0	0.0	0.00
Mould Number:	B11		0.5	47.0	0.03
			1.0	77.0	0.05
			1.5	100.0	0.07
			2.0	129.0	0.09
			2.5	157.0	0.11
			3.0	188.0	0.13
			3.5	218.0	0.15
			4.0	247.0	0.17
			4.5	275.0	0.19
WATER CONTENT	Before (trimmings)	After (under plunger)	5.0	290.0	0.20
Mass Wet Soil + Tin (g)	459.298	343.097	5.5	300.0	0.21
Mass Dry Soil + Tin (g)	340.515	255.403	6.0	307.0	0.21
Mass Tin (g)	106.992	81.877	6.5	312.0	0.21
Water Content (%)	50.9	50.5	7.0	322.0	0.22
Dry Density (t/m ³)		1.10	7.5	333.0	0.23

DETERMINATION OF SWELL

Initial Reading (mm)	14.31
Final Reading (mm)	14.84
Change in Height (mm)	0.53
Initial Height (mm)	127.14
Swell (%)	0.4

2.5mm PENETRATION BEARING VALUE

uncorrected 0.8

with curve shape correction (if needed) 0.8

5.0mm PENETRATION BEARING VALUE

uncorrected 1.0

with curve shape correction (if needed) 1.0

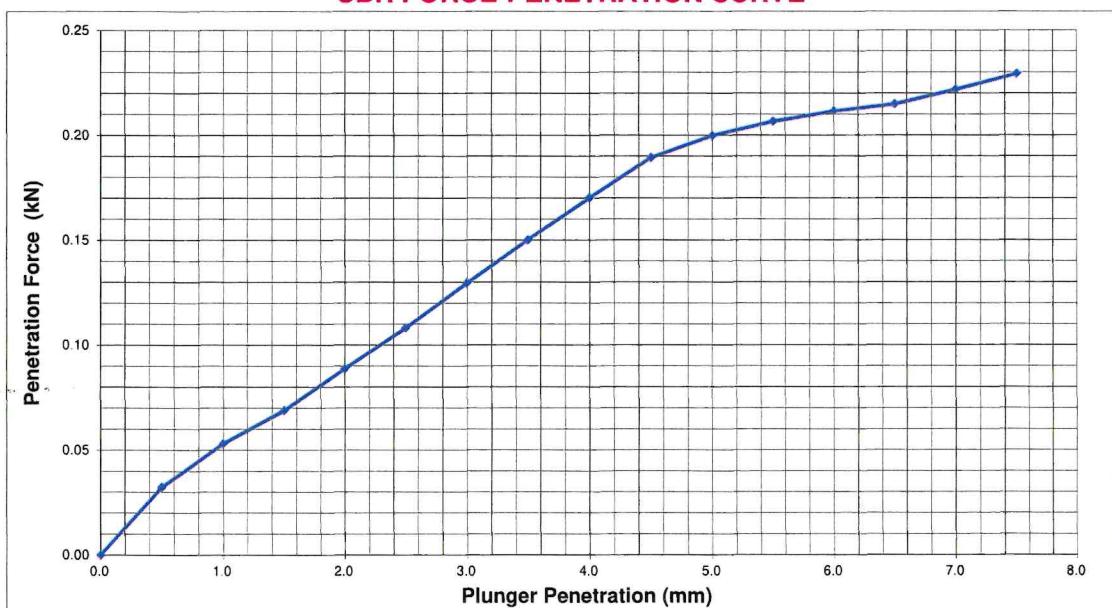
FINAL CBR VALUE:

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Air Voids:	2.0	%
Time of Soaking:	4	days
Plunger Penetration Rate:	1.0	mm / minute

Lime Added:	0.0	%
Cement Added:	0.0	%

CBR FORCE-PENETRATION CURVE



**CALIFORNIA BEARING RATIO TEST: REMOULDED
SAMPLE, SOAKED**

Test Methods: NZS4402: 1986: Test 6.1.1 - California Bearing Ratio / NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1 - Water Content

Version Number:	4	Version Date:	September 2022	Authorised By:	
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Sample Identification:	TP36 / BULK		Proving Ring Number:	1155-3-1320
Sample Depth (m):	3.80 - 4.60m		Ring Calibration Factor:	1452.10
Sample History:	dried / wetted / lime added / cement added / unknown / natural		(dial divisions / kN: from calibration worksheet)	
Compaction Used:	NZ Standard Compaction / NZ Heavy Compaction			

SOAKED CBR

Soil Sieved Through:	19.0 & 9.5	mm sieves
Surcharge Used:	4.00	kg
Mould Number:	B8	

BULK DENSITY

Mass Mould + Base + Soil	10,443.20	(g)
Mass Mould + Base	6,188.10	(g)
Volume Mould (from calibration)	2,310.00	(ml)
Bulk Density	1.84	(t/m ³)

WATER CONTENT

Mass Wet Soil + Tin (g)	480.675	Before (trimmings)	514.368	After (under plunger)
Mass Dry Soil + Tin (g)	390.160		410.492	
Mass Tin (g)	101.282		80.260	
Water Content (%)	31.3		31.5	
Dry Density (t/m ³)			1.40	

DETERMINATION OF BEARING VALUE

Plunger Penetration (mm)	Proving Ring Dial (divisions)	Force (kN)
0.0	0.0	0.00
0.5	34.0	0.02
1.0	76.0	0.05
1.5	118.0	0.08
2.0	160.0	0.11
2.5	203.0	0.14
3.0	252.0	0.17
3.5	303.0	0.21
4.0	355.0	0.24
4.5	410.0	0.28
5.0	454.0	0.31
5.5	483.0	0.33
6.0	504.0	0.35
6.5	529.0	0.36
7.0	561.0	0.39
7.5	597.0	0.41

DETERMINATION OF SWELL

Initial Reading (mm)	12.32
Final Reading (mm)	12.23
Change in Height (mm)	-0.09
Initial Height (mm)	127.36
Swell (%)	0.0

2.5mm PENETRATION BEARING VALUE

uncorrected

1.1

with curve shape correction (if needed)

1.1

5.0mm PENETRATION BEARING VALUE

uncorrected

1.6

with curve shape correction (if needed)

1.6

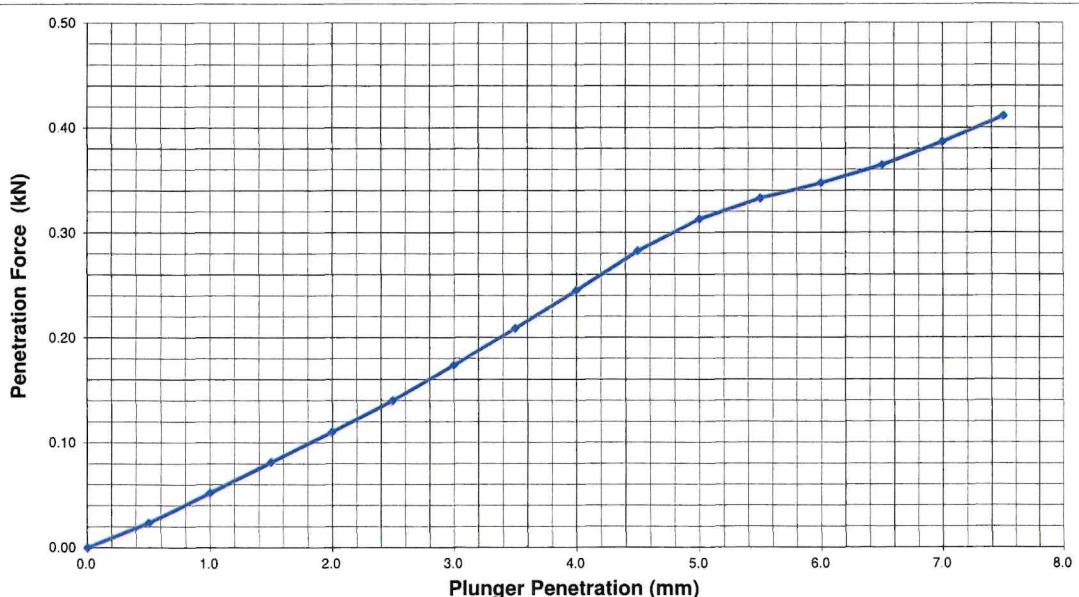
FINAL CBR VALUE:

2

Air Voids:	3.1	%
Time of Soaking:	4	days
Plunger Penetration Rate:	1.0	mm / minute

Lime Added:	0.0	%
Cement Added:	0.0	%

CBR FORCE-PENETRATION CURVE





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Attention:

2nd December 2024

DRY DENSITY / WATER CONTENT RELATIONSHIP (COMPACTION CURVE) TESTING

Dear Sir,

Re: RUSSELL ROAD, UPPER OREW

Your Reference: 240065

Report Number: 63743#L/CC Russell Road

The following report presents the results of compaction curve testing at BGL of bulk soil samples delivered to this laboratory on the 21st of November 2024. Test results are summarised below, with the following pages showing graphs and detailed results.

A single shear vane test was carried out on each compacted sample while it was still in the proctor mould, and these results are included on the results tables and water content / density graphs. The shear vane results are included for your information only, and are not included in the IANZ endorsement for this report.

Test standards used were:

Water Content: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1

NZ Standard Compaction: NZS4402: 1986: Test 4.1.1

Vane Shear Strength: NZ Geotechnical Society Guideline 2001

Sample Identification	Maximum Dry Density (t/m ³)	Optimum Water Content (%)	Natural Water Content (%)
TP3 / BULK / 4.00 – 5.00m	1.54	20	42.4
SILT, fine sandy, slightly to moderately plastic, pink with orange & light grey mottles, wet.			
TP7 / BULK / 0.60 – 0.80m	1.25	36	49.4
CLAY, silty, minor fine sand, moderately plastic, orange with light grey mottles, very moist.			

Note that sample descriptions are not part of BGL IANZ Accreditation.

Sample Identification	Maximum Dry Density (t/m ³)	Optimum Water Content (%)	Natural Water Content (%)
TP10 / A / 2.40 – 2.70m	1.53	21	36.1
CLAY, silty, some fine to coarse sand, moderately plastic, white & orange, moist.			
TP10 / B / 3.60 – 3.80m	1.60	20	23.4
SILT, fine sandy, non-plastic, grey, slightly moist, [WEATHERED SILTSTONE & SANDSTONE].			

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For calculating the air voids percentages a solid density of 2.65t/m³ was assumed for sample TP3, a solid density of 2.64t/m³ was assumed for sample TP7, a solid density of 2.65t/m³ was assumed for sample TP10 / A, and a solid density of 2.64t/m³ was assumed for sample TP10 / B. Note that these assumed values are not part of the IANZ endorsement for this report.

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Determination of the Dry Density / Water Content Relationship by Standard Compaction			Tested By:	JL	November 2024
Test Method: NZS4402: 1986: Test 4.1.1			Compiled By:	JL	29/11/2024
Version Number:	5	Version Date:	February 2023	Checked By:	JF 2/12/2024
				Authorised By:	

Sample ID: TP3 / BULK

Sample Depth: 4.00 - 5.00m

Sample History: Air-dried from natural water content

Compaction Used: New Zealand Standard Compaction

Test Performed On: Whole Soil / Fraction Passing the 19mm Sieve

Solid Density of Soil Particles: 2.65 t/m³ (measured / assumed)

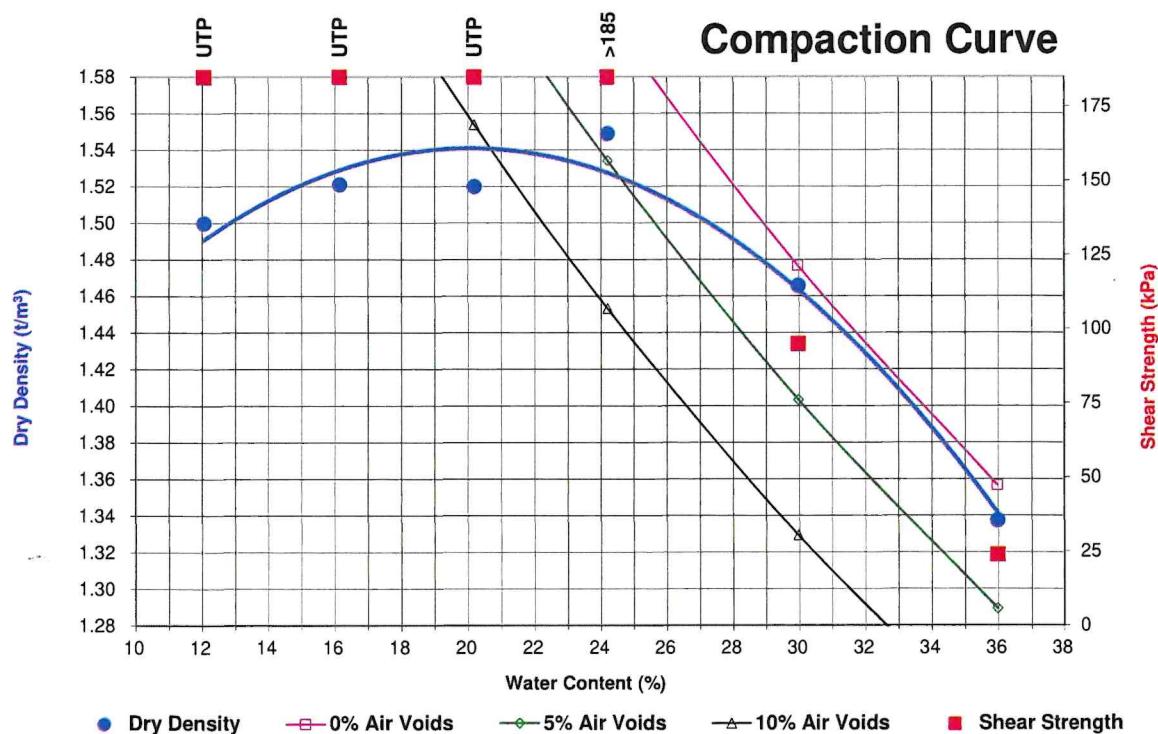
Natural Water Content (%): 42.4

TEST RESULTS

Water Content (%)	12.1	16.1	20.2	24.2	30.0	36.0
Bulk Density (t/m ³)	1.68	1.77	1.83	1.92	1.91	1.82
Dry Density (t/m ³)	1.50	1.52	1.52	1.55	1.47	1.34
Air Voids (%)	25.3	18.0	12.0	4.1	0.8	1.4
Shear Strength (kPa)	UTP*	UTP*	UTP*	>185	95	24

*UTP = unable to penetrate sample with the shear vane.

Maximum Dry Density: 1.54 t/m³ **Optimum Water Content: 20 %**



PROJECT: **RUSSELL ROAD, UPPER OREWA**

Determination of the Dry Density / Water Content Relationship by Standard Compaction			Tested By:	JL	November 2024
Test Method: NZS4402: 1986: Test 4.1.1			Compiled By:	JL	29/11/2024
Version Number:	5	Version Date:	February 2023	Checked By:	JF 2/12/2024
				Authorised By:	

Sample ID: TP7 / BULK

Sample Depth: 0.60 - 0.80m

Sample History: Air-dried from natural water content
 Compaction Used: New Zealand Standard Compaction
 Test Performed On: Whole Soil / Fraction Passing the 19mm Sieve
 Solid Density of Soil Particles: 2.64 t/m³ (measured / assumed)

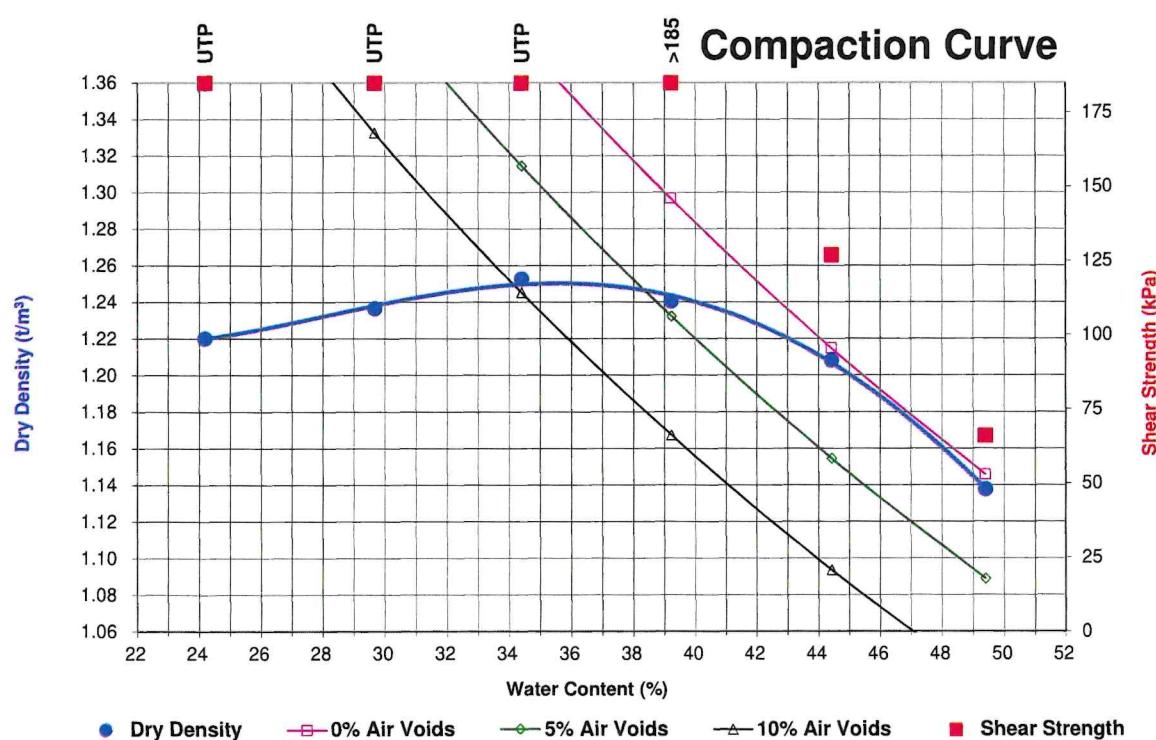
Natural Water Content (%): 49.4

TEST RESULTS

Water Content (%)	24.2	29.7	34.4	39.2	44.4	49.4
Bulk Density (t/m ³)	1.52	1.60	1.68	1.73	1.74	1.70
Dry Density (t/m ³)	1.22	1.24	1.25	1.24	1.21	1.14
Air Voids (%)	24.3	16.5	9.4	4.3	0.6	0.7
Shear Strength (kPa)	UTP*	UTP*	UTP*	>185	127	66

*UTP = unable to penetrate sample with the shear vane.

Maximum Dry Density: 1.25 t/m³ **Optimum Water Content: 36 %**



Determination of the Dry Density / Water Content

Relationship by Standard Compaction

Test Method: NZS4402: 1986: Test 4.1.1

Tested By: SG

November 2024

Compiled By: SG

29/11/2024

Checked By: JF

2/12/2024

Version Number:

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Version Date:

February 2023

Authorised By: [Redacted]

Sample ID: TP10 / A

Sample Depth: 2.40 - 2.70m

Sample History: Air-dried and wetted from natural water content

Compaction Used: New Zealand Standard Compaction

Test Performed On: Whole Soil / Fraction Passing the 19mm-Sieve

Solid Density of Soil Particles: 2.65 t/m³ (measured / assumed)

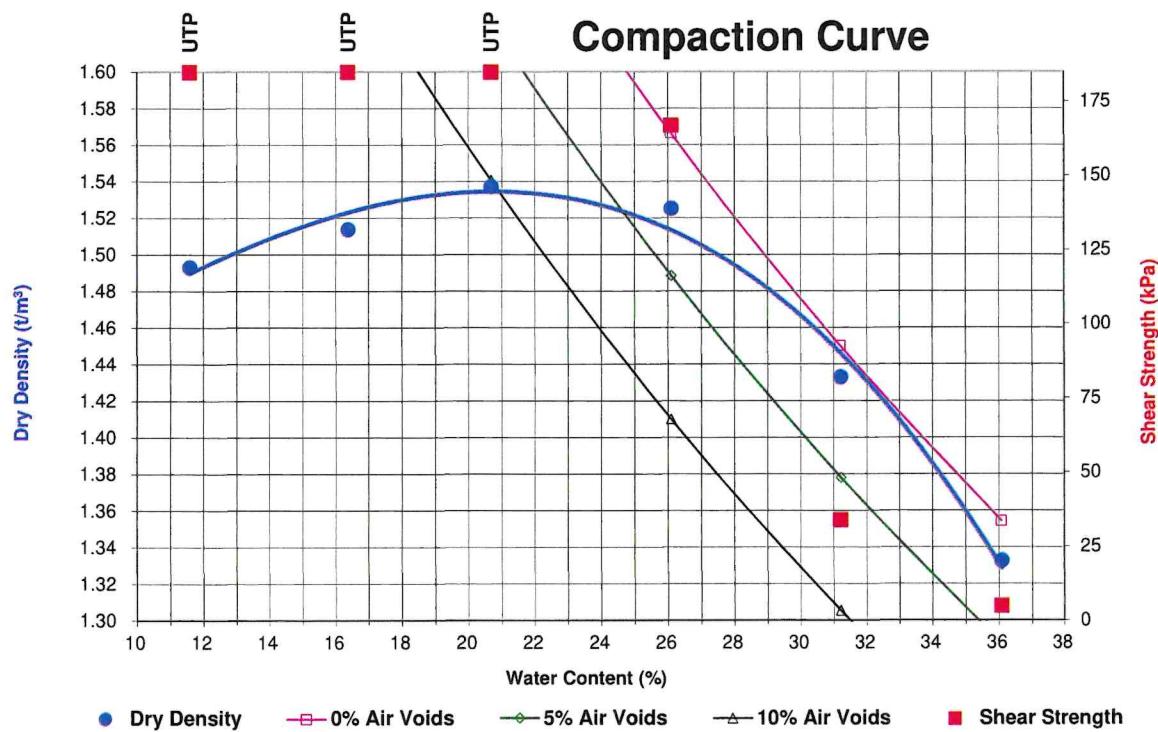
Natural Water Content (%): 36.1

TEST RESULTS

Water Content (%)	11.6	16.4	20.7	26.1	31.2	36.1
Bulk Density (t/m ³)	1.67	1.76	1.86	1.92	1.88	1.81
Dry Density (t/m ³)	1.49	1.51	1.54	1.53	1.43	1.33
Air Voids (%)	26.4	18.1	10.2	2.6	1.2	1.6
Shear Strength (kPa)	UTP*	UTP*	UTP*	167	34	5

*UTP = unable to penetrate sample with the shear vane.

Maximum Dry Density: 1.53 t/m³ **Optimum Water Content: 21 %**



PROJECT: RUSSELL ROAD, UPPER OREWA

Determination of the Dry Density / Water Content

Relationship by Standard Compaction

Test Method: NZS4402: 1986: Test 4.1.1

Tested By: JL November 2024

Compiled By: JL 29/11/2024

Checked By: JF 2/12/2024

Version Number: 5 Version Date: February 2023 Authorised By: [Redacted]

Sample ID: TP10 / B

Sample Depth: 3.60 - 3.80m

Sample History: Air-dried and wetted from natural water content

Compaction Used: New Zealand Standard Compaction

Test Performed On: Whole Soil / Fraction Passing the 19mm Sieve

Solid Density of Soil Particles: 2.64 t/m³ (measured / assumed)

Natural Water Content (%): 23.4

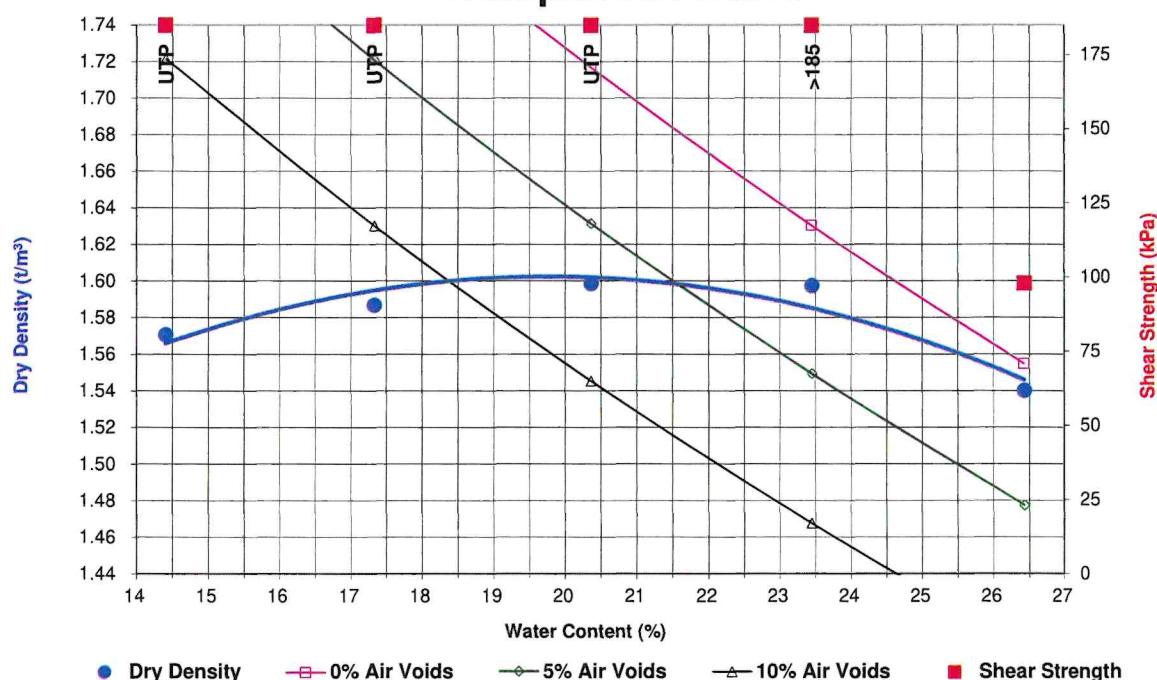
TEST RESULTS

Water Content (%)	14.4	17.3	20.4	23.4	26.4
Bulk Density (t/m ³)	1.80	1.86	1.92	1.97	1.95
Dry Density (t/m ³)	1.57	1.59	1.60	1.60	1.54
Air Voids (%)	17.9	12.4	6.9	2.0	0.9
Shear Strength (kPa)	UTP*	UTP*	UTP*	>185	98

*UTP = unable to penetrate sample with the shear vane.

Maximum Dry Density: 1.60 t/m³ **Optimum Water Content: 20 %**

Compaction Curve





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20th December 2024

DRY DENSITY / WATER CONTENT RELATIONSHIP (COMPACTION CURVE) TESTING

Dear Sir,

Re: RUSSELL ROAD, UPPER OREWA – STAGE 2

Your Reference: 240065 – Stage 2
Report Number: 63743#L/CC2 Russell Road

The following report presents the results of compaction curve testing at BGL of bulk soil samples delivered to this laboratory on the 13th of December 2024. Test results are summarised below, with the following pages showing graphs and detailed results.

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Test standards used were:

Water Content:	NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1
NZ Standard Compaction:	NZS4402: 1986: Test 4.1.1
Vane Shear Strength:	NZ Geotechnical Society Guideline 2001

Sample Identification	Maximum Dry Density (t/m ³)	Optimum Water Content (%)	Natural Water Content (%)
TP25 / BULK / 4.00 – 5.50m	1.52	21	33.5
SILT, fine sandy, moderately plastic, grey, moist (completely weathered siltstone & sandstone crushed under finger pressure).			
TP27 / BULK / 4.60 – 5.20m	1.33	31	52.3
SILTSTONE, grey, saturated.			

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Sample Identification	Maximum Dry Density (t/m ³)	Optimum Water Content (%)	Natural Water Content (%)
TP41 / BULK / 3.20 – 4.60m	1.43	25	48.1
SILT, clayey, fine sandy, slightly plastic, light grey & brown, very moist.			
TP47 / BULK / 1.00 – 2.00m	1.42	29	37.2
CLAY, highly plastic, brownish orange with light grey mottles, moist.			

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For calculating the air voids percentages a solid density of 2.63t/m³ was assumed for sample TP25, a solid density of 2.68t/m³ was assumed for sample TP27, a solid density of 2.60t/m³ was assumed for sample TP41, and a solid density of 2.64t/m³ was assumed for sample TP47. Note that these assumed values are not part of the IANZ endorsement for this report.

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Determination of the Dry Density / Water Content Relationship by Standard Compaction

Test Method: NZS4402: 1986: Test 4.1.1

Tested By: JL Dec 2024

Compiled By: JL 18-Dec-24

Checked By: WEC 18-Dec-24

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Version Date:

February 2023

Authorised By:

Sample ID: TP25 / BULK

Sample Depth: 4.00 - 5.50m

Sample History: Air-dried from natural water content

Compaction Used: New Zealand Standard Compaction

Test Performed On: Whole Soil / Fraction Passing the 19mm Sieve

Solid Density of Soil Particles: 2.63 t/m³ (measured / assumed)

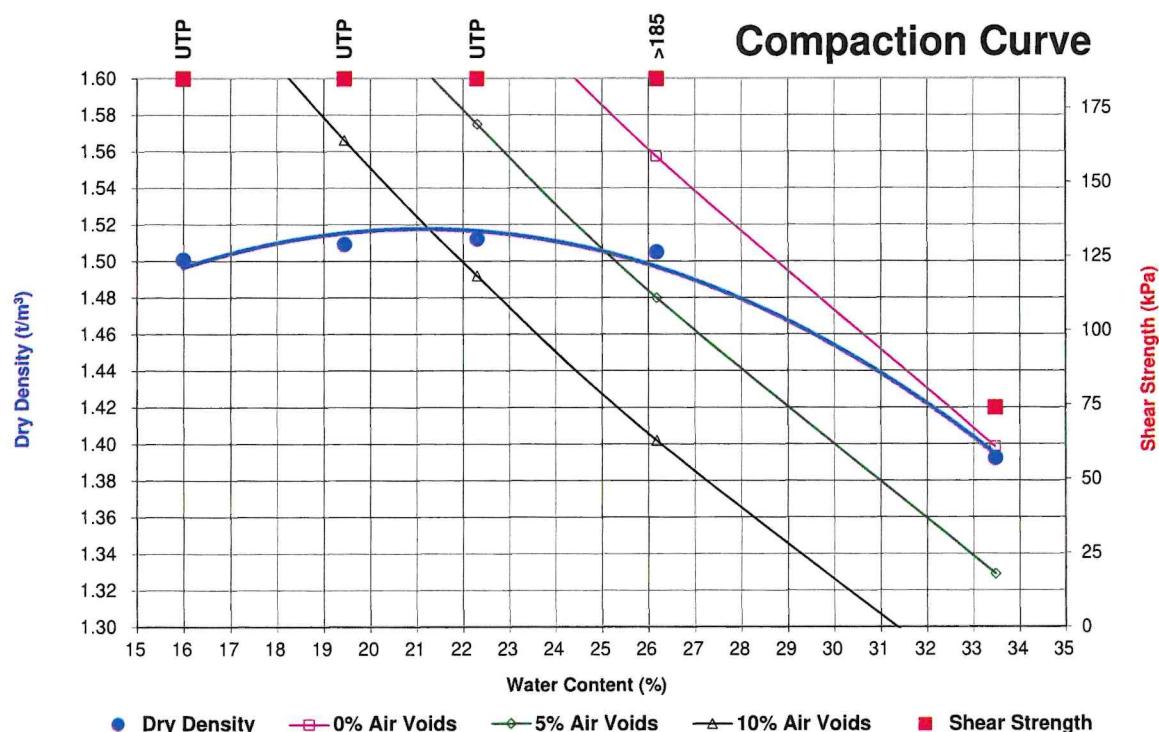
Natural Water Content (%): 33.5

TEST RESULTS

Water Content (%)	16.0	19.4	22.3	26.2	33.5
Bulk Density (t/m ³)	1.74	1.80	1.85	1.90	1.86
Dry Density (t/m ³)	1.50	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.39
Air Voids (%)	18.9	13.3	8.8	3.4	0.5
Shear Strength (kPa)	UTP*	UTP*	UTP*	>185	74

*UTP = unable to penetrate sample with the shear vane.

Maximum Dry Density: **1.52 t/m³** Optimum Water Content: **21 %**



Determination of the Dry Density / Water Content Relationship by Standard Compaction

Test Method: NZS4402: 1986: Test 4.1.1

Tested By: WEC / JL Dec 2024

Compiled By: JL 18/12/2024

Checked By: JF 20/12/2024

Version Number: 5 Version Date: February 2023 Authorised By: [REDACTED]

Sample ID: TP27 / BULK

Sample Depth: 4.60 - 5.20m

Sample History: Air-dried from natural water content

Compaction Used: New Zealand Standard Compaction

Test Performed On: Whole Soil / Fraction Passing the 19mm Sieve

Solid Density of Soil Particles: 2.68 t/m³ (measured / assumed)

Natural Water Content (%): 52.3

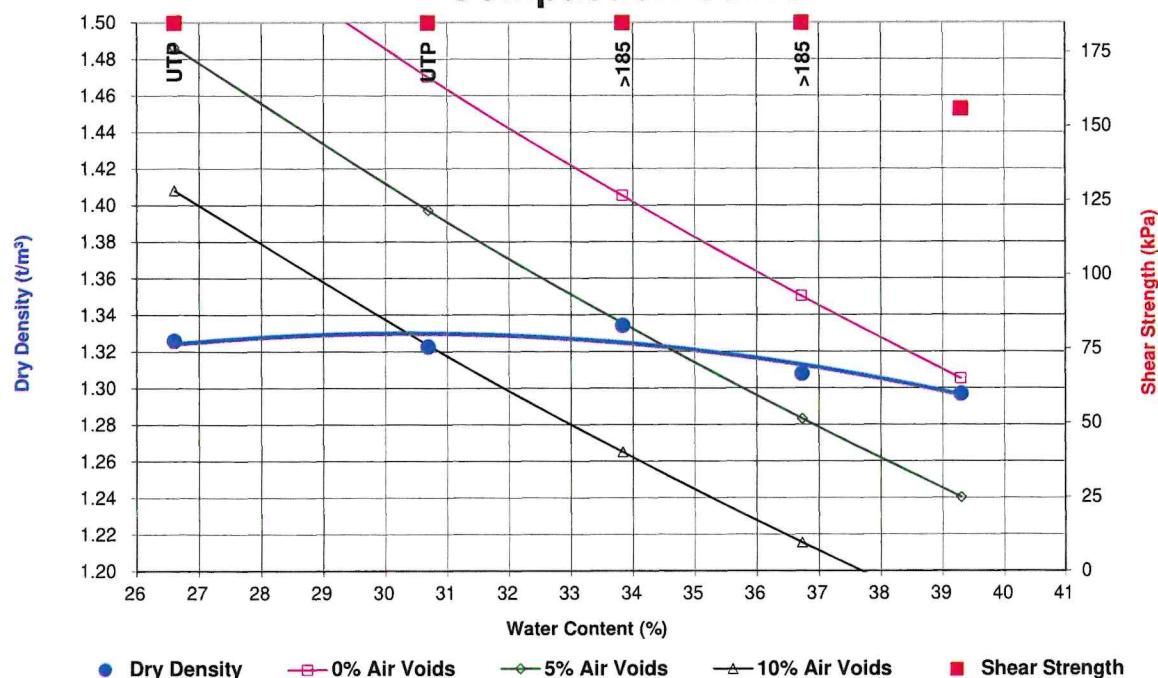
TEST RESULTS

Water Content (%)	26.6	30.7	33.8	36.7	39.3
Bulk Density (t/m ³)	1.68	1.73	1.79	1.79	1.81
Dry Density (t/m ³)	1.33	1.32	1.33	1.31	1.30
Air Voids (%)	15.3	10.1	5.1	3.2	0.7
Shear Strength (kPa)	UTP*	UTP*	>185	>185	156

*UTP = unable to penetrate sample with the shear vane.

Maximum Dry Density: 1.33 t/m³ Optimum Water Content: 31 %

Compaction Curve



**Determination of the Dry Density / Water Content
 Relationship by Standard Compaction**

Test Method: NZS4402: 1986: Test 4.1.1

Tested By: SG / WEC Dec 2024

Compiled By: SG Dec 2024

Checked By: JF 19/12/2024

Version Number: 5 Version Date: February 2023 Authorised By: 

Sample ID: TP41 / BULK

Sample Depth: 3.20 - 4.60m

Sample History: Air-dried from natural water content

Compaction Used: New Zealand Standard Compaction

Test Performed On: Whole Soil / Fraction Passing the 19mm Sieve

Solid Density of Soil Particles: 2.60 t/m³ (measured / assumed)

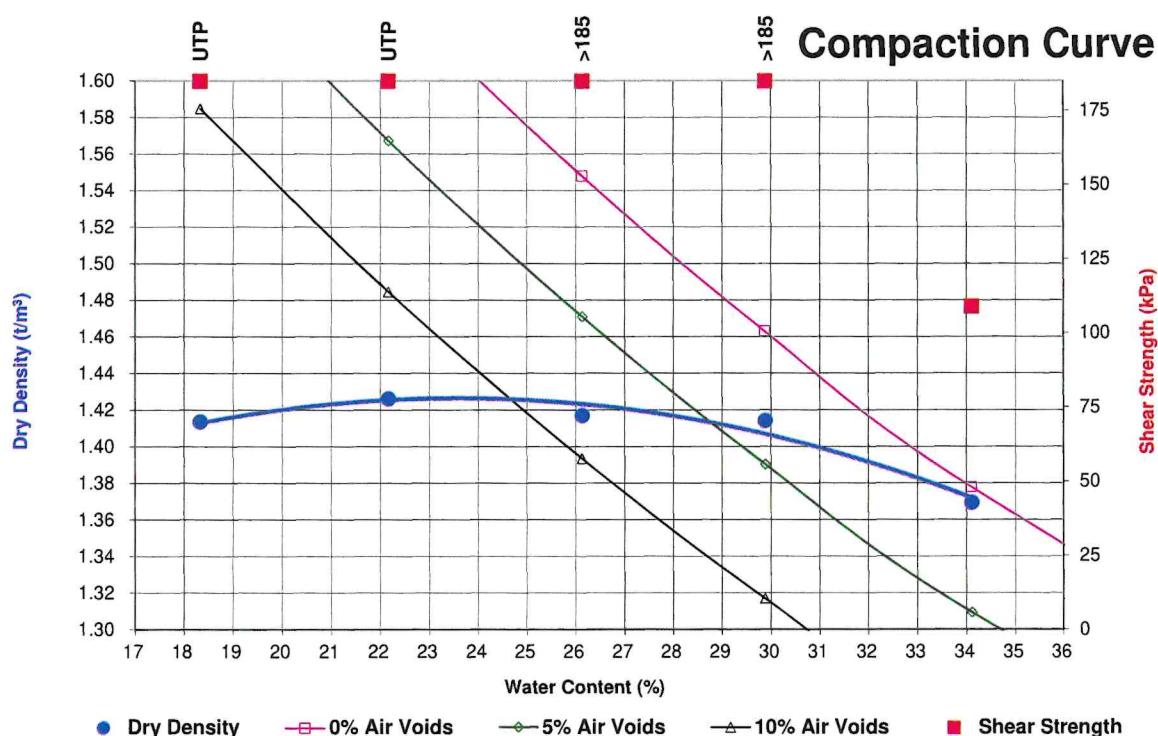
Natural Water Content (%): 48.1

TEST RESULTS

Water Content (%)	18.3	22.2	26.1	29.9	34.1	48.1
Bulk Density (t/m ³)	1.67	1.74	1.79	1.84	1.84	1.70
Dry Density (t/m ³)	1.41	1.43	1.42	1.41	1.37	1.15
Air Voids (%)	19.7	13.5	8.5	3.4	0.6	0.5
Shear Strength (kPa)	UTP*	UTP*	>185	>185	109	5

*UTP = unable to penetrate sample with the shear vane.

Maximum Dry Density: 1.43 t/m³ Optimum Water Content: 25 %



PROJECT: **RUSSELL ROAD, UPPER OREWA**

Determination of the Dry Density / Water Content

Relationship by Standard Compaction

Test Method: NZS4402: 1986: Test 4.1.1

Tested By: JL Dec 2024

Compiled By: JL 18-Dec-24

Checked By: WEC 18-Dec-24

Version Number: 5 Version Date: February 2023 Authorised By: [REDACTED]

Sample ID: TP47 / BULK

Sample Depth: 1.00 - 2.00m

Sample History: Air-dried from natural water content

Compaction Used: New Zealand Standard Compaction

Test Performed On: Whole Soil / Fraction Passing the 19mm Sieve

Solid Density of Soil Particles: 2.64 t/m³ (measured / assumed)

Natural Water Content (%): 37.2

TEST RESULTS

Water Content (%)	23.0	26.4	29.9	33.3	37.2
Bulk Density (t/m ³)	1.69	1.76	1.86	1.86	1.81
Dry Density (t/m ³)	1.38	1.39	1.43	1.40	1.32
Air Voids (%)	16.3	10.7	3.2	0.6	0.7
Shear Strength (kPa)	UTP*	UTP*	>185	132	64

*UTP = unable to penetrate sample with the shear vane.

Maximum Dry Density: **1.42 t/m³** Optimum Water Content: **29 %**

