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## **Position Fence**

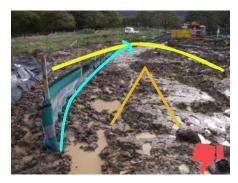






Fence is centred and at right angles to flow
Orange lines highlight the slope direction







• Runoff follows the fence line making erosion worse

Yellow lines depicts the correct positioning

Blue lines is the water runoff direction

## **Join Fences**



Fold edges on one another several times & then fixed.





Bottom buried up to red line & backfill firmly compacted.



Gaps allow sediment to pass through.



Not buried deep enough & ground poorly compacted.

Application Categories: Sediment Pollution Control

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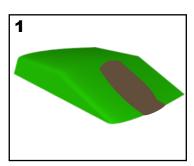


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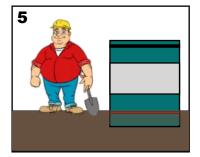
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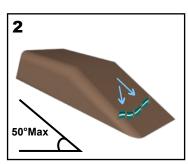
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- Find where erosion may occur.
- Look for areas where soil has been disturbed or vegetation removed.

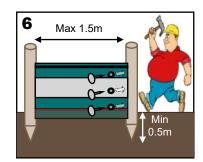


- Dig 100mm trench or use a trenching machine.
- . Bury fence up to the red line.
- · Make sure backfill is on upslope side of fence.
- Firmly compact.

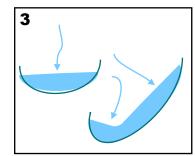


- Maximum 50° slope angle
- Not suitable for channels or ditches

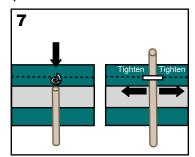
**Use Ultra Erosion Guards** for steeper slopes and channels.



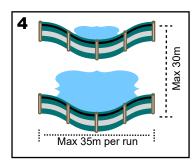
- Position posts on downslope side of fence
- Max 1.50m post spacing
- Min 0.50m in ground.
- Secure with 3 nails and washers per post or use cable ties
- Post size minimum 1.20m long and 50mm diameter



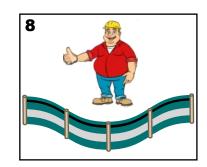
- Check where water is running
- · Position fence central and at right angles to flow
- · Curve fence ends up slope to form 'smiles' or 'J' shapes so water ponds behind fence



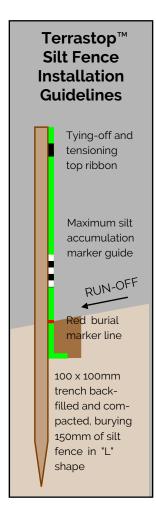
- Tension top edge by looping ribbon band over post.
- Add additional bracing posts for poor ground conditions



- Maximum 35m fence runs
- Maximum 30m between fence rows
- · Add extra fences above and to the side for larger areas



- Regularly check site
- Reassess for new areas of erosion and add extra fences as needed
- Repair any damage.
- Remove trapped silt when reaches top of white band or install additional fences.



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