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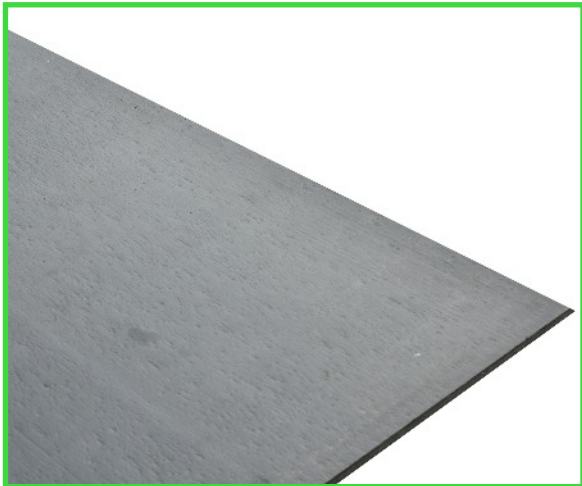
Wildlife



Living Walls & Roofs



Accessories



Ecofender™ Water Vole Panels (3mm)

Our Ecofender™ Water Vole Fence Panels are designed to prevent water voles from entering construction sites.

The 3mm thick Ecofender™ Water Vole Fence Panels come in a height of 1,700mm and two lengths of 1,500mm and 2,400mm. These should be buried 500mm in the ground, overlapped by a minimum of 60mm, and supported by minimum 1.80m x 100mm diameter ½ round, or 75mm diameter round, treated posts at maximum 1.44m (1500mm panel)/1.20m (2400mm panel) centres, subject to ground conditions and local environment.

Our Ecofender™ Water Vole Fence Panels have a life expectancy of up to 15 years.

The water vole, or 'water rat' as it's often mistakenly known, was once one of our most familiar riverside creatures. Sadly, it's now one of our most threatened native mammals. Water vole numbers have declining rapidly but they were given full protection in 2008.

Therefore Water Vole presence on or near to a development site legally requires appropriate action to mitigate loss and often key to this is the use of appropriate exclusion barrier fences to protect them from harm.

Ecofender™ Water Vole panels are tough recycled HDPE, UV stabilised black plastic panels - they are designed to be used as an entrenched barrier specifically to control climbing and burrowing of water voles.

Features/Benefits:

- UV Stabilised
- Up to 15 Year Life Expectancy
- Flat Sheet
- Protects Amphibians and Reptiles from Entering Hazardous Areas
- Made in the UK
- Made from Recycled Plastic
- Non Toxic and Chew Resistant
- Low Thermal Expansion
- Less Vulnerable to Distortion during Hot Weather

Feature	Ecofender™ Water Vole Panels
Life Expectancy	Up to 15 years
Thickness	3mm
Material	Black regran UV HDPE
Cross Section	Flat sheet
Panel Size	1,700 x 1,500mm x 3mm 1,700 x 2,400mm x 3mm
Weight	1,500mm = 7.4kg/sheet 2,400mm = 11.8kg/sheet

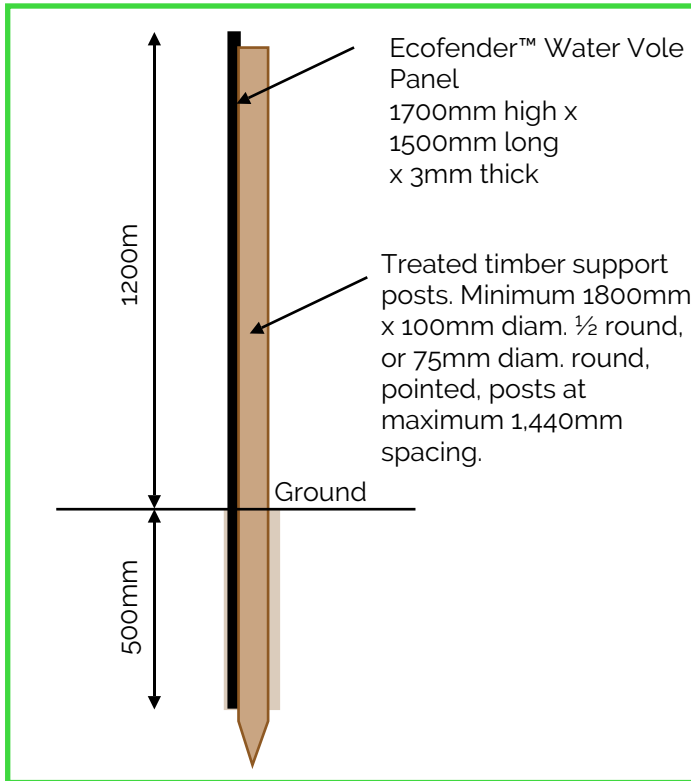
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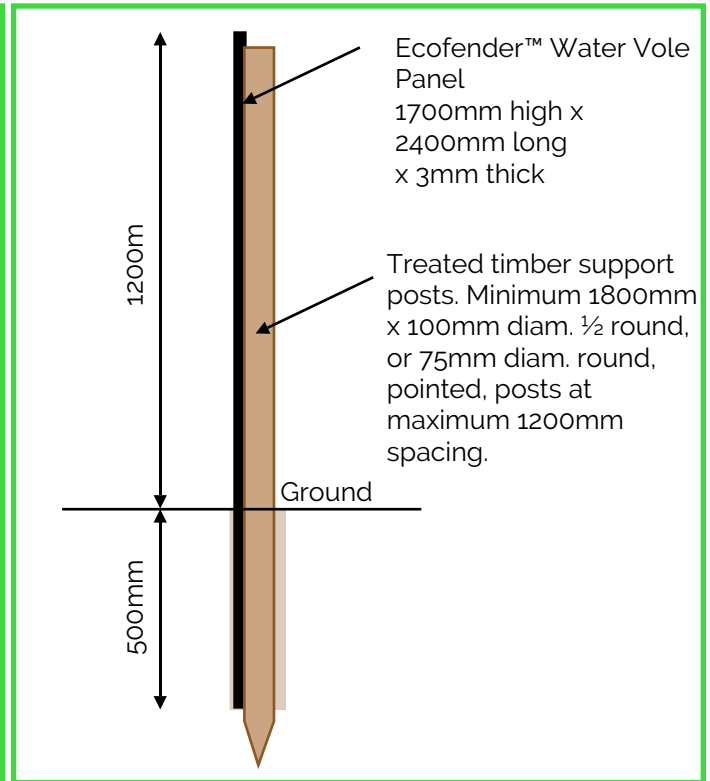
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1560mm long panels



2400mm long panels



Water voles are protected by the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 (as amended). This protection is currently restricted to a water vole's place of shelter. It is an offence to intentionally or recklessly:

- damage, destroy or obstruct access to a water vole burrow;
- disturb a water vole while it is using its burrow.

This means that if water voles could be affected in these ways by your development, and you take no action to prevent it, you run the risk of committing an offence.

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