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GEOWEB®

Soil Stabilization System



The Most Complete Geocell System

HDPE GEOWEB®

STRENGTH AND FLEXIBILITY PERFECTED.

For the most advanced soil stabilization technology today, rely on the world's most proven and strong HDPE geocell system—GEOWEB—for solving challenging soil stability problems.



GENUINE GEOWEB

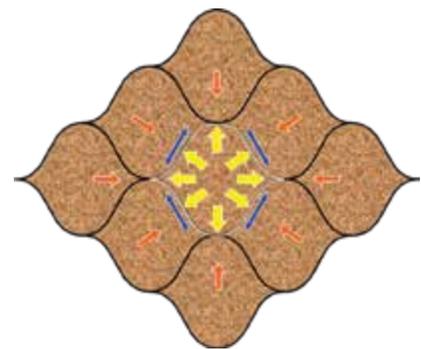
ADVANCING GEOCELL TECHNOLOGY

Presto Geosystems introduced the geocell soil confinement technology to the civil market in the late 1980s and continues to develop more applications and features to solve soil stabilization challenges in load support, slope & channel protection, and retaining wall solutions.

GEOWEB GEOCELLS WORK

HIGH DENSITY GIVES HIGH PERFORMANCE

The technology of cellular confinement is powerful, yet simple. Through a network of honeycomb-like interconnected cells, infill is confined and resistant to movement. The GEOWEB system transforms infill through confinement—providing strength and stabilization to cohesionless soils for a host of applications—from roadways to steep embankments.





PRESTO GEOWEB® GEOCELLS WHAT SETS US APART

FOCUSED ON INNOVATION

We respond to the industry's need for stronger designs and faster installations through ongoing testing and research. The result is product advancements and innovative, integral system accessories that offer completely engineered solutions. **The GEOWEB system is the only geocell to offer a complete design and construction solution.**

WE KNOW GEOCELLS

Product performance and reliability have been the foundation of the GEOWEB system success since inception in the early 1980s. Engineers across the globe have collaborated with us on thousands of design solutions. The experience gained from so many installations in challenging applications and soil environments translates to value on each and every project. **We simply offer experience that no other manufacturer can provide.**

VIRGIN HDPE IS BEST

Presto's GEOWEB system is only made with the best quality virgin High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) material. Why HDPE? HDPE delivers a **perfect balance of strength and flexibility**—as well as consistent performance characteristics allowing it to withstand the most demanding project applications.

GEOWEB HDPE geocells offer assurance that can only come with a 40-year proven track record simply not offered by other fabric-based or blended and recycled polymer materials. HDPE is the most accepted and proven cellular confinement material for a reason—**HDPE GEOWEB geocells are proven to work.**

PROVEN & ACCREDITED QUALITY

To ensure our customers receive the highest consistent quality each and every time, we manufacture the GEOWEB system to ISO and CE quality standards. Consistent weld strength and maximum seam strength are critically important to system performance.

We are committed to our quality programs.

- ISO 9001:2015 International/Standards
- CE marking based on conformance with EU harmonized standards

RESEARCH-BACKED DESIGN METHODOLOGY

With design modeling tools developed from our research, and product-leading advancements, we offer unique design options to solve site challenges not available with other systems.

Our **free project evaluation** is a value service offered to ensure projects are designed to perform. We offer certainty—backed by performance testing.

LARGEST NETWORK OF LOCAL SUPPORT

Our knowledgeable distributors and representatives provide general and technical presentations to engineers. They support local contractors at pre-construction meetings and with training—even on-site installation support. **Our network is the largest and most knowledgeable in the industry.**

GEOWEB® APPLICATIONS

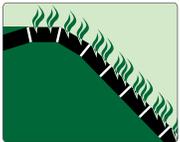
The GEOWEB system is suitable for a variety of applications to solve soil stabilization problems and deliver more economic solutions than conventional materials.

FOUR KEY GEOWEB APPLICATIONS

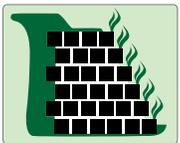
The GEOWEB system is a versatile solution for a wide range of site applications:



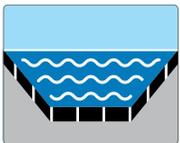
LOAD SUPPORT



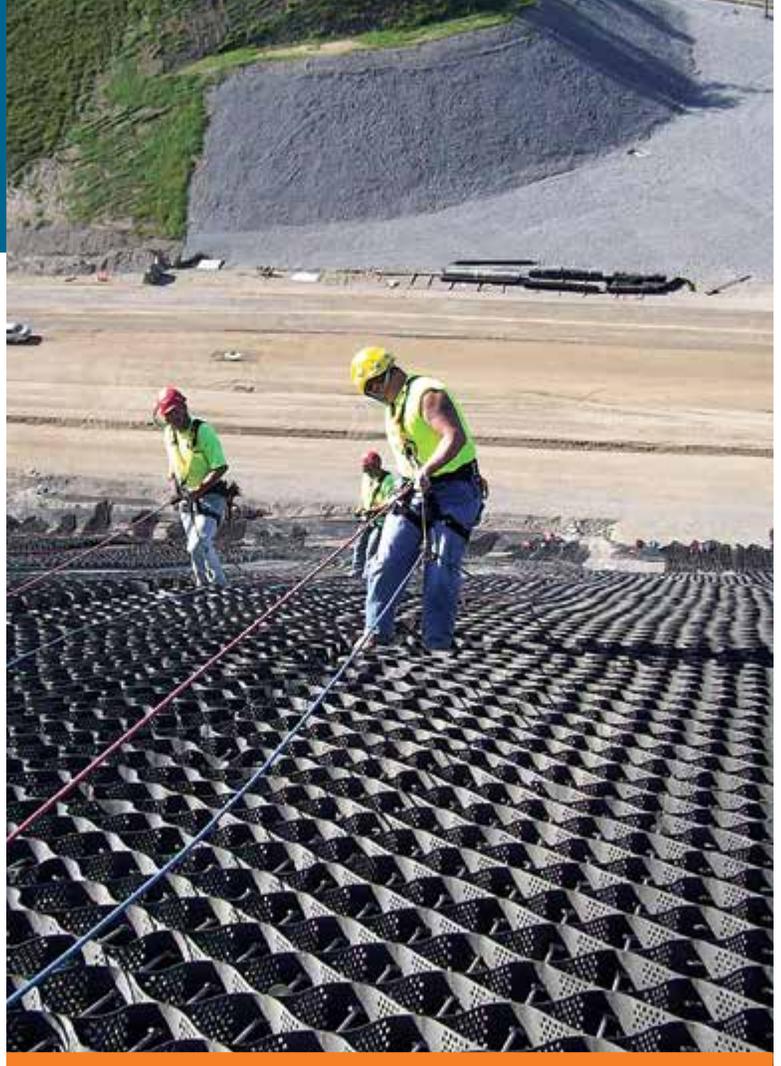
SLOPE PROTECTION



RETAINING WALLS



CHANNEL PROTECTION



ECO-FRIENDLY & ECONOMICAL

The GEOWEB system minimizes environmental impact and offers cost-effective means for creating sustainable, long-term solutions that hold up over time.

- Reduced life-cycle costs
- Environmentally friendly
- Sustainable
- Aesthetically pleasing

INFILL OPTIONS

Infill type varies from vegetation to aggregate and hard-armored concrete.





MARKETS & INDUSTRIES

We partner with engineers, architects, contractors and owners around the globe. Our solutions solve soil challenges in diverse areas of site construction.

INFRASTRUCTURE

General Site Construction

MINING

Site Access/Haul Roads
Slope Reclamation
Channel Armoring
Basin Containment
Tailings Containment

OIL & GAS

Site Access Roads
Oil Pads / Work Platforms

RAILROAD & INTERMODAL

Ballast Reinforcement
Bridge Approaches, Crossings, Diamonds
Intermodal & Port Stabilization
Embankment & Channel Protection

STORMWATER & WASTEWATER

Stormwater Conveyance Channels
Basin Containment
Geomembrane Protection

TRANSPORTATION

Unpaved Access Roads
Roadbase & Shoulder Stabilization
Embankment Stabilization
Stormwater Channels

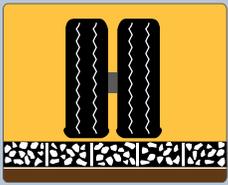
UTILITIES & ELECTRICAL TRANSMISSION

Maintenance Roads
Transmission Substations

SOLAR & WIND ENERGY

Access Roads
Staging Areas





System Components

ATRA® Key Connection

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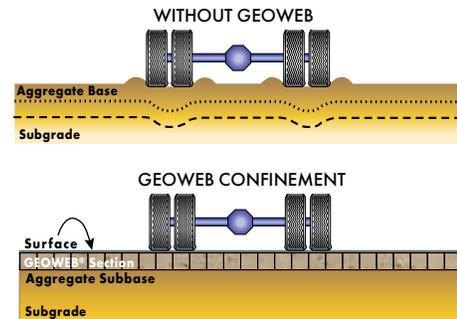
Site Access Roads
 Oil Platforms
 Mine Haul Roads
 Road Shoulders
 Intermodal Yards
 Port Facilities
 Permeable Parking Areas



UNPAVED GEOWEB® LOAD SUPPORT ROADS, SHOULDERS & PERMEABLE PAVEMENTS

Unstable surface problems for access roads, road shoulders and pavement areas can be restored with the GEOWEB system. The 3D structural system with confined infill creates a stable pavement layer designed to support frequent and heavy traffic. Maximum benefit can be gained where soft soils are present, where inexpensive quality infill is unavailable or where traditional reinforcement methods are difficult to construct.

With permeable infill, the system becomes a low-environmental impact porous pavement that reduces stormwater runoff, and performs like a stormwater 'basin' storing stormwater for natural infiltration.



STABILIZING FILL MATERIALS WITHIN THE GEOWEB SYSTEM:

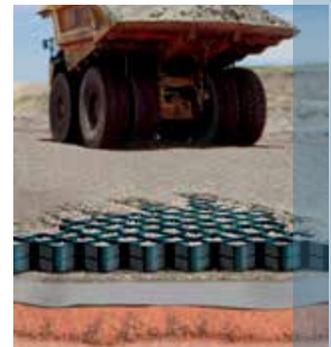
- controls shear, lateral and vertical movement.
- increases the effective structural number, reducing fill requirements and costs by 50%.
- allows lower-quality, less costly on-site infill materials.
- significantly minimizes surface rutting and maintenance requirements.

COMPARED TO PLANAR GEOGRID SYSTEMS

The GEOWEB system delivers advantages compared to geogrids, especially in soft-soil areas. The benefit with the GEOWEB system is immediate and works on the principle of hoop strength. Geogrids require tension to activate, initiated by partial deformation.

GEOWEB OUT-PERFORMS GEOGRIDS:

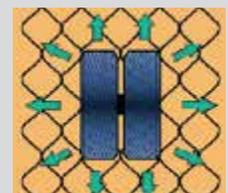
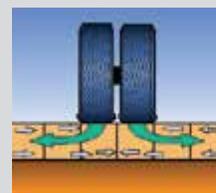
- requires less aggregate depth
- uses locally-available fill (even sand)
- protects from rutting
- offers faster cycle times
- stabilizes the whole pavement layer
- creates a load-bearing porous pavement

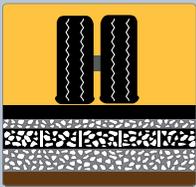


RESULTS SUPPORTED BY RESEARCH

Test results from numerous research initiatives confirm the benefits of confined aggregate within the GEOWEB system vs. unconfined aggregate.

- Reduces thickness and weight of structural support elements by **50% or more**.
- Allows subgrade materials to withstand **more than 10 times** the number of cyclic-load applications before accumulating the same amount of permanent deflection.
- Provides **over 30% stress reduction** when supporting aggregate under pavement.





System Components

ATRA® Key Connection

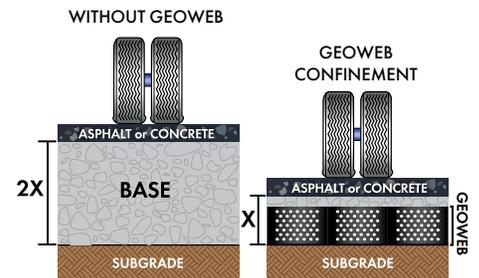
APPLICATIONS:

Pavement Base Stabilization
 Drainage Layer
 Rail Ballast Reinforcement



PAVED GEOWEB® LOAD SUPPORT STABILIZATION UNDER ASPHALT OR CONCRETE SURFACES

A stabilized load-supporting base layer under asphalt, concrete or modular block pavements is created with the GEOWEB system that holds up under heavy, repeated traffic. Infill material type and depth is determined by anticipated load characteristics and overall performance requirements. Base stabilization with the GEOWEB system is especially effective in soft-soil areas with chronic pavement problems and regular maintenance costs.

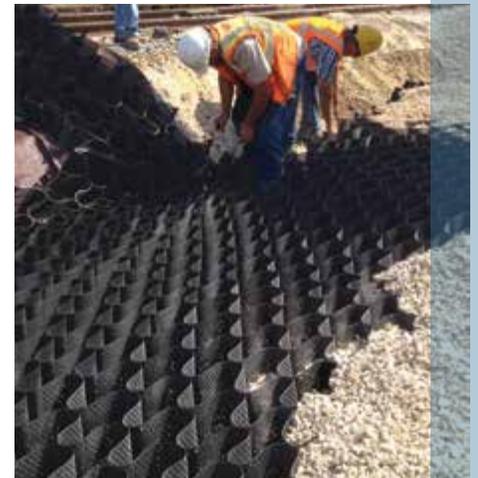


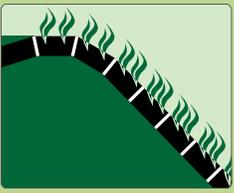
STABILIZING BASE MATERIALS WITHIN THE GEOWEB SYSTEM:

- reduces base materials by 50% or more.
- minimizes load-related deformation and settlement, and reduces pavement degradation and cracking common with soft subgrades.
- allows the use of lower quality granular infill, even over soft subgrades.

OVER-EXCAVATION ALTERNATIVE

When faced with unsuitable soils requiring full depth removal, the GEOWEB system is also an over-excavation alternative—significantly reducing excavation.





System Components

ATRA® Key Connection

If Required: Anchors, Tendons
& ATRA Tendon Clip Load
Transfer Support System

APPLICATIONS:

- Cut or Fill Embankment Slopes
- Shoreline Revetments
- Abutment Protection
- Landfill Linings & Covers
- Stormwater Basins
- Wastewater Lagoons
- Dikes and Levees
- Dam Faces & Spillways



GEOWEB® SLOPE PROTECTION SLOPE & SHORELINE EROSION CONTROL & ARMORING

A stable environment for embankment materials is created by the geocellular structure of the GEOWEB system. The 3D structure prevents severe erosion problems and offers deep earth solutions not delivered by 2D surface treatments. Benefits of GEOWEB confinement include long-term sustainability, reinforcement of the upper soil layer and resistance to erosive conditions and sliding forces.

Soil confinement allows embankments to be designed steeper than when material is unconfined, reducing use of valuable land space.



SUSTAINABLE VEGETATION:

The system reinforces vegetation and increases the resistance to erosive forces with deep in-soil protection.

PERMEABLE AGGREGATE:

Confinement in the GEOWEB structure allows smaller, less-expensive aggregate to be used on steeper slopes than when unconfined.

HARD-ARMORED CONCRETE:

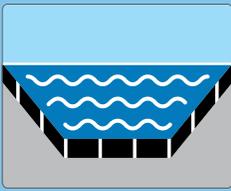
With concrete infill, the GEOWEB system is a less costly, flexible alternative to articulating block systems or bag systems.

GEOMEMBRANE PROTECTION:

The system offers effective cover protection for impervious geomembranes. A tendoned-anchoring system offers structural support and protects the integrity of the liner.



Designed for additional stability by integrating tendons on steeper slopes or when a geomembrane or hard soil/rock surface prevents anchoring with stakes.



System Components

ATRA® Key Connection

If Required: Anchors, Tendons

& ATRA Tendon Clip Load

Transfer Support System

APPLICATIONS:

Swales & Drainage Ditches

Stormwater Diversion or
Containment

Process Water Channels

Containment Spillways



GEOWEB® CHANNEL PROTECTION

CHANNEL EROSION CONTROL & ARMORING

STORMWATER CONVEYANCE; RIP RAP REPLACEMENT

Channels exposed to erosive conditions can be designed with the GEOWEB system and appropriate infill to withstand even the highest velocities. Designed to resist hydraulic stresses of intermittent or continuous high-flow channels.

VEGETATED CHANNELS:

Replaces costly rip-rap with more attractive, more economical, and lower-maintenance single or tiered vegetated systems. Effective in low-flow and low-to-high intermittent channels.

With a TRM, the vegetated GEOWEB system can withstand velocities as high as **30 ft sec (9 m/sec)** and 16 psf shear stresses. Ideal for drainage ditches, swales and stormwater channels.

HARD-ARMORED CHANNELS:

Aggregate Protection

Aggregate confined in the GEOWEB system is far more stable than when unconfined. Compared to larger rip rap that is expensive and difficult to handle, GEOWEB channels allow smaller, more economical rock fill—even waste rock—to be used in low-to-challenging flow conditions.

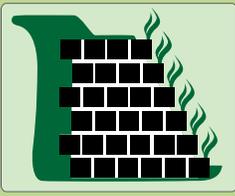
GEOWEB® CHANNEL RESEARCH RESULTS

- The GEOWEB/TRM system withstands 30 ft/sec (9 m/sec) velocity flow.
- Doubles resistance to shear stress and velocity for TRMs and ECBs.
- Reduces rip rap sizing by up to 10 times.

Concrete Protection

Concrete-filled GEOWEB channels are ideal where conditions create severe hydraulic stresses. Concrete is poured into the GEOWEB system onsite, creating an easy-to install, flexible—yet hard-armored system more economical than pre-formed concrete systems. Exact concrete depths are assured with no chances for “over pours” or “under pours”.





System Components

ATRA® Wall Key Connection

APPLICATIONS:

Reinforced Slopes
Gravity Walls
Reinforced Retaining Walls
Multi-Layered Channel Systems



GEOWEB® RETAINING WALLS NATURALLY VEGETATED EARTH RETENTION STRUCTURES

GEOWEB Retaining Walls create natural aesthetics through vegetation in the outer fascia. The system's inherent flexibility benefits projects with challenging site conditions such as soft subgrades, difficult access and space constraints. GEOWEB walls may be designed as either gravity or reinforced retaining walls.

STRUCTURAL BENEFITS

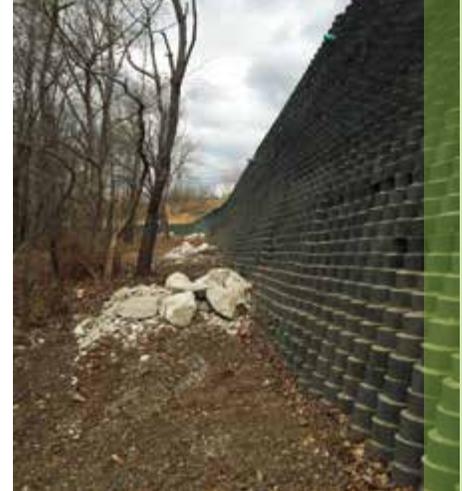
The GEOWEB system creates economical and structurally sound retaining walls that perform well when exposed to differential settlement in soft-soil environments. GEOWEB retaining walls have been exposed to severe earthquakes without sustaining damage.

ECONOMIC BENEFITS

- Allows use of less expensive on-site infill materials.
- Faster installation than MSE block walls speeds project completion timeline.
- Compact sections are easier to handle, transport and construct—even in difficult access or remote locations.

ENVIRONMENTAL BENEFITS

Open-celled horizontal terraces create a natural environment for sustainable vegetation, allow rainwater to collect through the wall fascia and minimize runoff. The highly permeable wall surface is a natural Low Impact Development (LID)/Best Management Practice (BMP) for reducing runoff and managing stormwater on site.



FREE DESIGN SOFTWARE

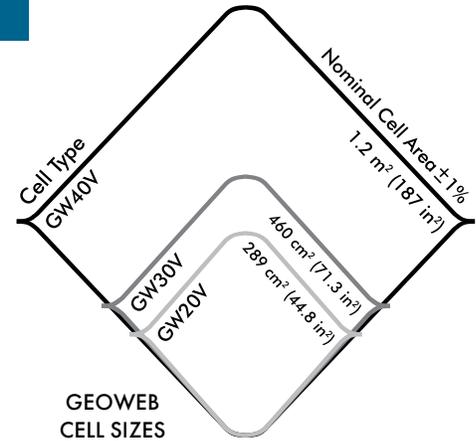
Presto offers licensed MSE software to design GEOWEB retaining walls and reinforced slopes.

Where vegetation is not desired, GEOWEB walls support aggregate infill or concrete grout.

GEOWEB® SYSTEM STANDARD SIZES

GEOWEB sections are available in various cell types and depths, and section lengths to most economically meet project requirements.

Cell Type	Section Width	Section Length Range Cells Long: 18, 21, 25, 29, 34	
	Variable	Minimum	Maximum
GW20V	7.7 ft–9.2 ft (2.3 m–2.8 m)	12.0 ft (3.7 m)	27.3 ft (8.3 m)
GW30V		15.4 ft (4.7 m)	35.1 ft (10.7 m)
GW40V		25.4 ft (7.7 m)	58.2 ft (17.8 m)
Available cell depths	3 in (75 mm), 4 in (100 mm), 6 in (150 mm), 8 in (200 mm)		
Cell size and depth are determined by the details of the application, problem or desired solution. Refer to the GEOWEB material specification for more information.			



DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION ACCESSORIES

GEOWEB solutions are designed and installed with our integral components for increased strength, long-term performance, and speed of installation. Our customers receive the industry's **most complete geocell system**.

ATRA KEY CONNECTION DEVICE



Designed for quicker connection of GEOWEB sections, the weather and corrosion-resistant ATRA key device reduces installation costs and provides a stronger and faster connection than zip ties or staples.

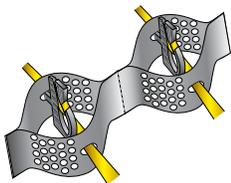
ATRA Keys are inserted through adjoining GEOWEB cell walls, turned and locked for the most secure connections.



ATRA WALL KEY CONNECTION DEVICE

The ATRA Wall Key is a device used to connect adjacent GEOWEB Retaining Wall sections through the GEOWEB material i-slots.

Securing sections with the wall keys is faster than using staples or zip ties, requires no tools, and can be completed by one installer with one easy turn.



ATRA TENDON CLIPS & TENDONS

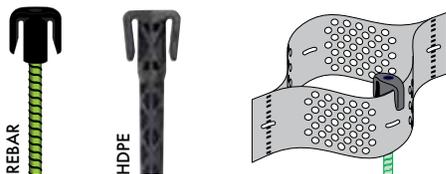
ATRA Tendon Clips are efficient load-transfer devices to transfer loads from the GEOWEB cell wall to the tendon. Fully engaged clips allow preassembly.

Tendons suspend the GEOWEB material over geomembranes, hard surfaces, or steep slopes without anchors. Presto uses industry-leading tendons, as tendon type and density are critical to design strength.

ATRA ANCHORS & DRIVERS

Contractor-friendly ATRA Anchors reduce time and material costs during installation of the GEOWEB system.

- Two styles are available, including corrosion-resistant.
- The ATRA Driver makes driving anchors easy and fast, and causes less stress on workers.





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