



Product Manual

MASH TL3 COMPLIANT



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The ET-SS System Tangent End Terminal has been tested to American Association of State and Highway Transportation Officials ("AASHTO") Manual For Assessing Safety Hardware ("MASH") criteria, as a Test Level 1, 2, & 3 Guardrail End Terminal.

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This Manual must be available to the worker overseeing and/or assembling the product at all times. For additional copies, contact Ingal Civil Products directly on (02) 9827 3333 or visit www.ingalcivil.com.au.

The instructions contained in this Manual supersede all previous information and Manuals. All information, illustrations, and specifications in this Manual are based on the latest ET-SS System information available from the designers of the System to Ingal Civil Products at the time of printing. We reserve the right to make changes to this Manual at any time. Please contact Ingal Civil Products to confirm that you are referring to the most current instructions.



Important: These instructions are to be used only in conjunction with the assembly, maintenance, and repair of the ET-SS System. These instructions are for standard assemblies specified by the appropriate highway authority only. In the event the specified system assembly, maintenance, or repair would require a deviation from standard assembly parameters, contact the appropriate highway authority engineer. Ingal Civil Products representatives are available for consultation if required.





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Limitations and Warnings

Trinity Highway, in compliance with AASHTO MASH, contracts with FHWA approved and accredited testing facilities to perform and evaluate crash tests in accordance with AASHTO MASH.

The ET-SS System has been deemed eligible for reimbursement by FHWA as meeting the requirements and guidelines of MASH. A component of MASH eligibility requirements include a variety of crash tests to evaluate product performance by simulating certain impact conditions involving lightweight cars (approx. 1100 kg [2420 lb.]) and full size pickup trucks (approx. 2270 kg [5000 lb.]).

The ET-SS System is tested pursuant to the test matrix criteria of MASH as designated by AASHTO and FHWA. The FHWA AASHTO tests are not intended to represent the performance of systems when impacted by every vehicle type or in every impact condition existing on the roadway. Every departure from the roadway is a unique event.

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The ET-SS System is intended to be assembled, delineated, and maintained in accordance with specific state guidelines. It is the responsibility of the highway authority specifying the use of a highway product to select the most appropriate product configuration for its site specifications. A highway authority's careful evaluation of the site layout, vehicle population type and speed, traffic direction, and visibility are some of the elements that require evaluation in the selection of a highway product. For example, kerbs could cause an untested effect on an impacting vehicle.

After an impact occurs, the debris from the impact must be removed from the area immediately and the specified highway product must be evaluated and restored to its original specified condition or replaced as the highway authority determines as soon as possible. Product selection, approval, proper installation, and maintenance of any highway product is the sole responsibility of the specifying highway authority. Safety Alert Symbols appear throughout this manual and indicate Danger, Warning, Important or Caution. Failure to read and follow these warnings could result in serious injury or death.



WARNING: Do not assemble, maintain, or repair the ET-SS System until you have read this Manual thoroughly and completely understand it. Ensure that all Danger, Warning, Caution, and Important statements within the Manual are completely followed. Please call Ingal Civil Products on (02) 9827 3333 if you do not understand any portion of these instructions or this manual.

WARNING: Safety measures incorporating appropriate traffic control devices and personal protective equipment (PPE) specified by the highway authority must be used to protect all personnel while at the assembly, maintenance, or repair site.

WARNING: Ensure that your assembly meets all appropriate Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices ("MUTCD") and/or local standards.

WARNING: Use only Trinity Highway or Ingal Civil parts that are specified by Trinity Highway for use with the ET-SS System for assembling, maintaining, or repairing the ET-SS System. Do not utilise or otherwise comingle parts from other systems even if those systems are other Trinity Highway systems. Such configurations have not been tested, nor have they been approved for use. Assembly, maintenance, or repairs using unspecified parts or accessories is strictly prohibited. Failure to follow this warning could result in serious injury or death in the event of a vehicle impact with such an UNACCEPTED system.

WARNING: Do NOT modify the ET-SS System in any way.

IMPORTANT: Trinity Highway makes no recommendation whether use or reuse of any part of the ET-SS System is appropriate or acceptable following an impact. It is the sole responsibility of the local highway authority and its engineers to make that determination. It is critical that you inspect the ET-SS System after assembly is complete to make certain that the instructions provided in this Manual have been strictly followed.



1.0 Introduction

The ET-SS System is a tangent, single-sided, energyabsorbing, redirective and gating end terminal system. The ET-SS System is the first end terminal to meet the evaluation criteria set forth in the AASHTO MASH. The ET-SS System is a 787 mm high (measured from top of rail to finished grade) end terminal used to shield 787 mm high post w-beam guardrail. The ET-SS System may be used to terminate post W-beam guardrail measuring between 705 mm to 787 mm with state approved transition (see Appendix for example). The ET-SS System contains a ET-SS Impact Head, ET-SS Anchor Rail, ET-SS Anchor Post (Post 0), ET-SS Angle Strut, two (2) Steel Yielding Terminal Posts ("SYTP®") (Posts 1 & 2) and required hardware accessories. The remaining length of the system beyond Post 2 uses System Line Posts, Offset Blocks and System Rail.



Test Level 3 configuration with 3.81m panel option shown



The ET-SS System can be assembled in a MASH Test Level 2 or Test Level 3 configuration.

ET-SS Assembly Configurations					
Test Level	Design Speed	Posts	Point of Need		
Test Level 3	100 km/h	15.48m	Posts 0-8	Post 3	
Test Level 2	70 km/h	7.86m	Posts 0-5	Post 2	







2.0 Inspection of Shipment

Before assembling the ET-SS System, carefully unpack and inspect all components for signs of damage. Check the received parts against the packing list supplied with the system to verify that all parts were received. If parts are damaged or missing from the shipment or unspecified parts were part of the shipment, do not attempt to assemble the system; contact Ingal Civil immediately.

All posts and rails are hot dip galvanized in accordance with AS/NZS 4680. It is important that stored galvanized work is stacked so that each item is well ventilated and can adequately drain rainwater from its surfaces. Poor storage can give rise to wet storage staining (white rust) which is caused by water (rain or condensation) in badly drained or ventilated conditions. This can occur very quickly, particularly in warm, humid conditions.

ID	COMPONENT	PN	TL-3 QTY	TL-2 QTY
А	ET-SS Impact Head	10007538	1	1
В	ET-SS Anchor Rail 3.810 m	10007536	1	1
С	W-Beam Rail 3.810 m	10007537	3	1
D	ET-SS Anchor Post (Post 0)	10007543	1	1
E	ET-SS SYTP® 1460 mm	10007539	1	1
F	SYTP® Post 1830 mm	10001402	1	1
G	System Line Post 1830 mm	10007540	6	3
Н	Offset King Block	10001397	7	4
I	ET-SS Anchor Paddle	10007542	1	1
К	ET-SS Keeper Plate	10007545	1	1
L	ET-SS Plate Washer	10007546	1	1
М	ET-SS Anchor Angle	10007544	2	2
Ν	ET-SS Angle Strut	10007547	1	1
0	M8 x 65mm Hex Bolt	10009442	2	2
Р	M8 x 40mm Hex Bolt	10009441	1	1
Q	M20 x 65mm Structural Hex Bolt, Nut, Washer	10009526	2	2
R	M16 x 240mm Structural Hex Bolt, Nut, Washer	10009528	1	1
S	M16 x 45mm Structural Hex Bolt, Nut, Washer	10009525	1	1
Т	M16 x 250 Post Bolt & Oversize Nut	10009787	7	4
U	M16 x 32mm Splice Bolts	10001248	32	16
V	1" Round Washer	10007548	1	1
W	M20 Structural Washer Galv	10002815	2	2
Х	M16 Structural Washer Galv	10009527	2	2
Y	M8 Round Washer Wide	10009444	6	6
Z	1"Heavy Hex Nut	10007549	1	1
BB	M16 Oversize Splice Nut	10001239	32	16
CC	M8 Hex Nut	10009443	3	3
DA	ET-SS BP Anchor Bracket	10009777	n/a	1
FA	ET-SS BP SYT Post #2 813mm	10009491	n/a	1
EA	ET-SS BP SYT Post #1 440mm	10009495	n/a	1
GA	ET-SS BP Line Post #3-5 813mm	10009493	n/a	3
MA	ET-SS BP Anchor Angle	10009776	n/a	2
LA	ET-SS BP Plate Washer	10009778	n/a	1

ET-SS Tangent End Terminal











3.0 Recommended Tools

Documentation

- Assembly Manual (Most Current Version)
- System Drawing (Most Current Version)

Personal protective equipment (PPE)

- Safety Glasses
- Work Gloves
- Safety-Toe Shoes
- Back Protection
- Hard Hat
- Reflective Vest
- Hearing Protection

Miscellaneous

- Traffic Control Equipment
- SAE Combination Wrench Set
- Socket Set & Socket Wrench
- Hammer
- Chalk Line
- Tape Measure
- Marking Paint and Pen
- Straight Edge
- Level
- Plumb Line
- Post Pounder (commonly used for driving posts)
- Auger
- Soil Tamper
- 5/8"AlignmentTool(DriftPin)
- Locking Pliers
- C-Clamps

Note: The above list of tools is a general recommendation only and should not be considered an exhaustive list.

Depending on specific site conditions and the complexity of the assembly (or repair) specified by the appropriate highway authority, additional or fewer tools may be required. Decisions as to what tools are needed to perform the job are entirely within the discretion of the specifying highway authority and the authority's selected contractor performing the assembly of the system at the authority's specified site.

4.0 ET-SS System Site Preparation

The ET-SS System is a tangent, single-sided, energy-absorbing, redirective and gating end terminal system that state/ specifying agency specify for use as specified by the appropriate state/specifying authority in conjunction with W-beam guardrail on the shoulder or median of a roadway. The decision to specify the ET-SS System for a particular project is the responsibility of the state/specifying agency design engineer who must ensure that the most appropriate end terminal has been selected for the specific site conditions.



Important: Do not attach the ET-SS System directly to a rigid barrier (i.e. concrete barrier, wall or bridge pier) without the use of a state/specifying agency approved transition.



Important: Ensure that the ET-SS System assembly conforms to the local road design standards.



Important: Ingal Civil Products does not direct grading. Proper site grading must be accomplished before assembly of the ET-SS System in accordance with road controlling guidelines and requirements. Failure to follow this warning could result in serious injury or death in the event of a vehicle impact or collision.







5.0 ET-SS System Offset Requirements

The ET-SS System is a tangent guardrail end treatment that is assembled parallel to the edge of shoulder. At the sole discretion of the state/specifying agency design engineer, the ET-SS System may be offset away from the shoulder over the length of the entire system (from centre of last splice location of ET-SS System to center of Post 0) per the following designer approved offsets:

Test Level 1	Test Level 2	Test Level	
(TL-1)	(TL-2)	3(TL-3)	
152 mm	305 mm	610 mm	
Maximum	Maximum	Maximum	



Caution: Under no circumstances shall the rail within the ET-SS System be curved.

5.1 Offset Requirements Within A Curve

When the guardrail is terminated within a curve (convex or concave) and a ET-SS System is attached, the following instructions must be followed to ensure proper offset requirements within a curve for the ET-SS System are met. If the conditions below cannot be achieved, it is recommended that the guardrail be extended past the curve until the conditions can be met. The offset requirements in a curve are calculated for the TL-3 ET-SS System. If assembling a TL-1 or TL-2 ET-SS System, an overall straight length of 15.48 m must be obtained (ET-SS System + W-Beam Guardrail) for calculating offset requirements in a curve.

Note: Using an offset closer to 0 m on tighter curves (radii) will cause the terminal to encroach on to the shoulder.



5.2 Convex Curve

For radii of 198 m or greater (flatter), the offset is 0 m to 610 mm.





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6.0 ET-SS System Post Placement



Danger: Ensure all above & below ground utilities are located, marked and identified prior to using auger or post driving equipment in accordance with local specifying agency guidelines. Failure to follow this warning could result in serious injury or death.

6.1 Determine Post Locations

Place a level or straight edge on the face of downstream guardrail (i.e. traffic side) to the finished grade to create a reference line for face of guardrail. The reference line will be used to determine post location for the last post of the ET-SS System.

The last post of the ET-SS System will be located 272 mm from face of downstream guardrail to back of the last post of the ET-SS System to accommodate an 190mm offset block and be spaced 1905 mm (typical) on center from the first post of the W-beam system (see drawing below). Refer to the post placement diagrams in this manual for remaining post locations.

The ET-SS System posts may be inserted into the soil using an auger or impact hammer pile driver used for the placement of guardrail posts. If an auger is used, ensure diameter is large enough to allow for proper compaction of agency approved fill material. All ET-SS System posts are to be assembled plumb. Proper compaction must be accomplished for all posts in accordance with state/ specifying agency guidelines.

If rock is encountered at post locations 2-8, refer to the local specifying agency guidelines and the AASHTO Roadside Design Guide for requirements for embedment depth into the rock and size of the hole. If rock is encountered at post locations 0-1, auger a hole in the rock large enough for full post embedment and proper compaction of approved fill material.

If rigid pavement (e.g. concrete or asphalt) of any thickness is encountered at post locations 0-8, ensure a proper "leave-out" area is provided around the posts, refer Figures 6 and 7. This is filled with road controlling agency approved backfill material.







Notes:

- 1. Post 0-8 part of ET-SS System TL3
- 2. Post 9 is first post of longitudinal w-beam system (not included with ET-SS System)
- 3. Spacing between posts is on centre as shown
- 4. All ET-SS System posts must be installed plumb
- 5. Guardrail splice joint located at Post 9

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6.2 ET-SS System Anchor Post (Post 0) Placement

The ET-SS System Anchor Post (10007543) is the first post of the ET-SS System and is designated as Post 0. The ET-SS System Anchor Post is made from W6 x 15 I-beam sections and is to be assembled plumb and oriented with the front side of post facing towards the upstream end.

A. When assembled to the correct depth, the ET-SS System Anchor Post stub will protrude 89 mm above the finished grade line (see Step 2 of this Assembly Manual).

B. When fully assembled, the ET-SS System Anchor Post (with Anchor Angles) will protrude 102 mm above the finished grade line (see Step 12 of this Assembly Manual).

If rock is encountered when driving the anchor post, a range of alternative concrete footings are available on drawing SS-STD-010. Depending on the depth of the chosen option, the post will need to be cut to suit. A corrosion resistant treatment shall be applied to the freshly cut surface, ICP recommend a Zinc metal spray in accordance with ISO 2063 or AS/NZS 2312. Installation of this variant should be accompanied by a site specific ground investigation, refer asset owner acceptance conditions.



Note: For installations where the barrier is being installed in close proximity to the edge of seal and the verge gradient is resulting in the terminal posts being installed high relative to the local ground, additional site grading should be considered.

If this is not possible, the Anchor Post should be installed in accordance with Figure 10. Posts 1 and 2 will also require their height to be adjusted to suit the assembly of the terminal.



6.3 ET-SS System Impact Head

The ET-SS Impact Head (10007538) component is symmetrical and can be assembled on the left or right shoulder. The diagram below lists some of the subcomponents of the Impact Head.



When properly assembled, the ET-SS Impact Head shall only be assembled parallel to the finished grade line or have an upward tilt (towards front of the system). The elevation of the Impact Head should be relatively levelled between Point A and Point B. Point A is measured from the finished grade line to where the corner of the side plate connects with the top guide channel and Point B is measured from the finished grade line to where the inside corner of the vertical strap connects with the top guide channel.





7.0 TEST LEVEL 3 ASSEMBLY STEPS



Important: Always use safety precautions when performing assembly, maintenance, repair and/or moving heaving equipment. Ensure proper personal protective equipment (PPE) is worn. Failure to follow this warning could result in serious injury or death.



7.1 TERMINAL RAIL LAPPING

The ET-SS End Terminal has been designed so that WBeam Rail with Splice Bolts may pass through the head regardless of Rail Lapping Orientation. ASBAP Technical Note SBTA 17-001 recommends that terminal rails be lapped in the direction of impacting traffic. This treatment applies to the whole of length of the terminal and it's splice joints.

All ET-SS End Terminals should be lapped as per below regardless of traffic direction or whether used as approaches or departures (trailing terminals).

Approach Terminal	Departure/Trailing
<u>_</u>	
Departure/ Irailing	Approach Ierminal

8.0 INSTALLATION PROCEDURE













ST	EP 2A	P	ost Assembly (Posts 0-2)
Non-Traffic Side Traffic Side Direction of Traffic Anchor Bracket and Post 1 DA DA TAAT			
	PARTS		INSTRUCTIONS
FA	10009491	1 EA	
EA	10009495	1 EA	1. Assemble all parts in the configuration & orientation shown above.
DA	10009777	1EA	2. Ensure proper offset for Post 0 (Part D) and Post 1 (Part E) is as shown on dimension above and on the Post Displacement Diagram (page 30).
			3. Ensure SYT posts are used for locations 1 and 2.
			4. Ensure proper post spacing is achieved per shown dimensions above and drawing SS-STD-011.
			5. Ensure posts have been anchored in accordance with drawing SS-STD-011.
Use onl	y Trinity High	way parts	WAKININGS
ET-SS System for assembling, maintaining, or repairing the ET-SS System. <u>Do not utilise or otherwise</u> <u>comingle parts from other systems</u> <u>even if those systems are Trinity</u>		the ET-SS otherwise er systems are Trinity	Proper site grading must be accomplished in accordance with local road authority guidelines. Failure to follow this warning could result in serious injury or death in the event of a vehicle impact or collision with the system.
<u>Highway systems.</u>			Refer to section 6.2 for grading requirements.



S	TEP 3	C	offset Block Assembly (Posts 3-8)	
STEP'S Offset Block Assembly (Posts 5-8)				
	PARTS		INSTRUCTIONS	
Н	10001397	6 EA		
	Image: Second structure 1. Assemble all parts in the configuration & orientation shown above. Image: Second structure 1. Assemble all parts in the configuration & orientation shown above. Image: Second structure 2. Attach (1 EA) Offset Block (Part H) on traffic side of Posts 3-8. The Offset Block is equipped with a self-hanging mounting tab. Image: Second structure 1. Assemble all parts in the configuration & orientation shown above. Image: Second structure 2. Attach (1 EA) Offset Block (Part H) on traffic side of Posts 3-8. The Offset Block is equipped with a self-hanging mounting tab.			
Use only Trinity Highway parts		way parts	WARNINGS	
that are specified herein for the ET-SS System for assembling, maintaining, or repairing the ET-SS System. <u>Do not utilise or otherwise</u> comingle parts from other systems even if those systems are Trinity Highway systems.		in for the ssembling, the ET-SS <u>otherwise</u> er systems are Trinity	Do not use any Offset Block (Part H) if they show signs of damage. Seek replacement from Ingal Civil Products prior to assembly.	















STEP 7 **Anchor Rail Shipping Tabs Removal** REMOVE 0 \wedge REMOVE REMOVE \bigcirc в PARTS **INSTRUCTIONS** 10007536 В 1 EA 1. The ET-SS Anchor Rail is manufactured with three (3) shipping tabs. These shipping tabs can be removed with an abrasive blade cutting device or bolt cutters to assist in the assembly process. 2. Cut the three (3) shipping tabs with six (6) straight cuts Step 7 Assembly Tip: For efficiency, make the bottom cut first, moving up the ET-SS Anchor Rail to the top cut. Note: It is NOT required to remove the shipping tabs. It is permissible to assemble the Anchor Rail with flattened tabs, should the contractor desire to do so. WARNINGS Use only Trinity Highway parts that are specified herein for the ET-SS System for assembling, Keep body parts clear of abrasive blade cutting device. maintaining, or repairing the ET-SS System. Do not utilise or otherwise

Keep body parts clear of abrasive blade cutting device. Ensure proper personal protective equipment (PPE) is worn. Failure to follow this warning could result in serious injury or death.

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S	ГЕР 11	A	nchor Post Assembly (Post 0)
Before Post 0 Post 0 ET-SS Anchor Paddle Rod Z L			
	PARTS		INSTRUCTIONS
Ŷ	10009444	4 EA	1. Assemble all parts in the configuration & orientation shown above.
	10009443	2 EA	2. Place the rod portion of the ET-SS Anchor Paddle in the notch of Post 0.
Z	10007549	1 EA	3. Place the ET-SS Keeper Plate (Part K) and ET-SS Plate Washer (Part L) onto the ET-SS Anchor Paddle Rod and fasten to Post 0 using shown hardware (Part O
V	10007548	1EA	Y, CC).
L	10007546	1 EA	4. Place washer (Part V) then nut (Part Z) on the ET-SS Anchor Paddle Rod.
K	10007546	1 EA	5. Tighten all threaded hardware to a snug position with an appropriately sized wrench or socket.
0	10009442	2 EA	
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9.0 ET-SS Installation Checklist - Driven Posts

Cu	Customer:						
Pro	oject:						
Ba	rrier ID: Terminal Type: N	MASH TL2	M	ASH TL3			
Cł	iecked By: Signed:	Date:					
1.	Is the assembled Anchor post installed in the correct orientation with the sloped side the terminal and within tolerance (102 +0/-6 mm measured from ground level to the the Anchor Angles)	e facing e top of	Yes	No			
2.	Is Anchor Keeper Plate installed in correct configuration on Anchor post (Step 11)		Yes	No			
3.	Have Anchor post Angles been correctly bolted to the Anchor post (Step 12)		Yes	No			
4.	Is the Ground Strut bolted to the Anchor post and post 1 (Step 12)		Yes	No			
5.	The ET-SS head is bolted to post 1 (Step 9)		Yes	No			
6.	Are SYT posts positioned at locations 1 & 2, with yield holes approximately centred at finished grade line		Yes	No			
7.	Are posts 2 through 8 at the correct height of 813mm \pm 20mm above ground level		Yes	No			
8.	Are the rails secured to posts 3 through 8 (posts 3 through 5 for the TL2 configuration	r)	Yes	No			
9.	Ensure first rail is NOT secured to post at location 2		Yes	No			
10	. Have the rails been joined with M16x32mm splice head bolts		Yes	No			
11	. Are all splice bolts, post bolts and other fasteners snug tight		Yes	No			
12	. Do the standard W-Beam rails form a smooth line vertically and horizontally when viewed along the system, with no curved rails		Yes	No			
13	. Is all back-filled material around each post suitably compacted		Yes	No			
14	. Is the area below the guardrails free from hazards so that the ET-SS head can travel freely upon impact		Yes	No			
15	. Ensure any minor damage been repaired using two coats of an organic zinc rich pair	nt	Yes	No			
16	. When installed on a flare, ensure flare rate is no greater than 1:25 (610mm offset from straight barrier over full length for TL3 configuration, 305mm for TL2 configuration))	Yes	No			
17	. Ensure ET-SS Terminal Rails are lapped correctly as per Section 7.1 (page 16) as Approach or Departure/Trailing as per location.		Yes	No			

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9.1 ET-SS Installation Checklist - TL2/TL3 Baseplated Posts

Customer:						
Project:						
Barrier ID:						
Checked By: Signed: I	Date:					
1. Has the terminal been installed on the standard foundation, as per SS-STD-011 (TL2) ar SS-STD-014 (TL3), or alternative designed by a suitably qualified engineer	id Yes	No				
2. Is Anchor Keeper Plate installed in correct configuration on Anchor post (Step 11)	Yes	No				
3. Have Anchor post Angles been correctly bolted to the Anchor post (Step 12)	Yes	No				
Is the assembled Anchor bracket installed in the correct orientation with the sloped side facing the terminal	Yes	No				
5. Are all anchor studs snug tight with no more than 10mm stud protruding above nut	Yes	No				
6. The ET-SS head is bolted to post 1 (Step 9)	Yes	No				
7. Are SYT posts positioned at locations 1 & 2	Yes	No				
8. Are the rails secured to posts 3 through 5 for TL2 and 3 through 8 for TL3	Yes	No				
9. Ensure first rail is NOT secured to post at location 2	Yes	No				
10. Have the rails been joined with M16x32mm splice head bolts	Yes	No				
11. Are all splice bolts, post bolts and other fasteners snug tight	Yes	No				
12. Do the standard W-Beam rails form a smooth line vertically and horizontally when viewed along the system, with no curved rails	Yes	No				
13. Is all back-filled material around the concrete foundation suitably compacted	Yes	No				
14. Is the area below the guardrails free from hazards so that the ET-SS head can travel freely upon impact	Yes	No				
15. Ensure any minor damage been repaired using two coats of an organic zinc rich paint	Yes	No				
16. When installed on a flare, ensure flare rate is no greater than 1:25: 305mm offset from straight barrier over full length for TL2 configuration, and 610mm offset from straight barrier over full length for TL3 configuration	Yes	No				
17. Ensure ET-SS Terminal Rails are lapped correctly as per Section 7.1 (page 16) as Approach or Departure/Trailing as per location.	Yes	No				

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10.0 Maintenance and Repair

Except for repairs due to impacts, there is virtually no maintenance required for the system. It is recommended that annual inspections be performed to ensure the following;

- The terminal is appropriately delineated.
- Debris has not accumulated around the terminal that may impede the travel of the extruder head.
- The blocking pieces have not rotated (post bolts tight).
- Nut on Anchor Paddle is snug tight.

10.1 Bush Fire Damage

All steel items used for the assembly of the ET-SS are hot dip galvanized. The performance of galvanized coatings when subjected to fires depends upon a number of factors, such as flame duration, intensity and the characteristics of the galvanized coating.

Typical bushfire conditions may expose steel structures to an air temperature of 800°C for periods of up to 120 seconds, however zinc coatings are generally reflective and will not absorb heat at the same rate as an uncoated steel surface. Depending on the section thickness of the steel, the actual steel surface temperature may not exceed 350°C. Typically, the bushfire flame duration and intensity are not high enough to compromise the structural strength of the steel. The hot dip galvanized coating will also typically remain unaffected through a bushfire event. If the bushfire causes damage to the galvanized surface, then the item(s) shall be replaced. It is recommended that the blocking pieces be replaced at these locations.

If an item to be replaced is a post or rail, it is recommended that the blocking pieces be replaced at these locations.

10.2 Damage Assessment

In the event of a vehicle impact, damage to the terminal is to be assessed in accordance with Table 2. A Safe Work Method Statement is available upon request to assist in the safe repair of the ET-SS. Only items purchased from Ingal shall be used for the repair of the ET-SS.

When replacing posts, ensure that the disturbed foundation material is suitably compacted prior to the installation of replacement posts.

Damage Assessment of ET-SS					
Type of Defect	Description of the Defect	Action to be Taken			
Galvanizing damage on Posts.	The sum total of the damaged area does not exceed 45cm^2 (0.5% of the total surface area) and no individual damaged area exceeds 40cm^2 .	A zinc metal spray in accordance with ISO2063 or AS/NZS 2312 is to be applied to the repair area.			
	The sum total of the damaged area exceeds 45 cm ² (0.5% of the total surface area) or an individual damaged area exceeds 40 cm ² .	The post is to be replaced			
Galvanizing damage on rails.	The sum total of the damaged area does not exceed 200cm ² (0.5% of the total surface area) and no individual damaged area does not exceed 40cm ² .	A zinc metal spray in accordance with ISO2063 or AS/NZS 2312 is to be applied to the repair area.			
	The sum total of the damaged area exceeds 200cm ² (0.5% of the total surface area) and/or an individual damaged area exceeds 40cm ² .	The rail is to be replaced.			
Mechanical damage on blocking pieces	The blocking piece has chips or cracks.	The blocking piece is to be replaced.			
Mechanical damage on SYT or line posts.	The post is bent.	The post is to be replaced.			
Mechanical damage on	The impact head has minor damage that will not prevent its travel along the rail.	The impact head may be reused.			
impact head	The impact head is bent which will prevent its travel along the rail.	The impact head is to be replaced.			
	The delineation tape is damaged.	The delineation tape is to be replaced.			
Mechanical damage	The rail is dented, twisted or flattened.	The rail is to be replaced.			
on rail.	There are nicks in any part of the rail.	The rail is to be replaced.			
	The slots in the rail are distorted.	The rail is to be replaced.			
Mechanical damage	The body of the bolt is distorted.	The bolt is to be replaced.			
on bolts.	The thread of the bolt is damaged.	The bolt is to be replaced.			
Disturbance of material around posts.	The material around the post is loose or uncompacted.	Any disturbed pavement or material around a post shall be left dense, tight and smooth so that resistance to water penetration is similar to that of the adjacent surface.			

Note: If the ET-SS terminal has been involved in an end-on impact, the impact head shall be replaced.

ET-SS System Test Level 3 (Posts 0-8) – Post Placement Diagram



- ${\bf 3}$. Spacing between posts is on centre as shown
- 4. All ET-SS System posts must be installed plumb
- 5. Guardrail splice joint located at Post 9



NOTES:

- 1. Post 0-5 part of ET-SS System TL2
- 2. Post 6 is first post of longitudinal w-beam system (not included with ET-SS System)
- 3. Spacing between posts is on centre as shown
- 4. All ET-SS System posts must be installed plumb
- 5. Guardrail splice joint located at Post 5











2x REO RING (N12 x 300) 60 (SEE NOTE 1) - 75 225 REO RING N12 x 300 865 GRADE 500N OPTION 01 - TYPICAL ANCHOR POST INSTALL - 1220 - 1830 CONCRETE 32 MPa **⊲ ⊳** ø450 OPTION 02 - Ø450 PIER FOUNDATION DETAIL A - 2x REO RING (N12 x 450) - 2x REO RING (N12 x 450) 60 (SEE NOTE 1) - 60 (SEE NOTE 1) 0 0 75 - 75 225 - 225 GRADE - 865 - 1015 REO RING - 1015 - 1220 - ø900 N12 x 450 GRADE 500N CONCRETE CONCRETE 🗕 🗕 🖊 🖊 32 MPa 32 MPa 0 OPTION 04 - Ø900 OPTION 03 - Ø600 60 (SEE NOTE 1) PIER FOUNDATION PIER FOUNDATION NOTES: 1. KEEP CONCRETE 60mm BELOW GRADE TO AVOID CONFLICT WITH ANGLE STRUT AND OTHER COMPONENTS. 2. REO RINGS ARE GRADE 500N. DETAIL A 3. MINIMUM STRENGTH OF CONCRETE FOOTING 32 MPa. 4. FAST-CURE CONCRETE MAY BE USED TO ALLOW CONCRETE TO CURE TO A MINIMUM OF 20 MPa PRIOR TO ATTACHING ANCHOR RAIL. 5. ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN MM. PROJECT INGAL CIVIL PRODUCTS PART No. NAME DATE DRAWN VB 11/02/2020 ET-SS MASH TERMINAL VISIONS CHECKED DRAWING AND CONTENTS ARE COPYRIGHT TO DRAWING No. TITLE APPROVED U 1 19-09-2024 NOTES UPDATED INGAL CIVIL PRODUCTS AND CAN ONLY BE USED WITH PRIOR WRITTEN CONSENT FROM INGAL CIVIL PRODUCTS K7 KZ O N.T.S. @ A3 SCALE ANCHOR POST FOUNDATION OPTIONS SS-STD-010 REV DATE DESCRIPTION DRAWN CHECKED APPROVED DRAWING NUMBER REFERENCE DRAWINGS 57-65 AIRDS ROAD PH. +61 2 9827 3333 MINTO, N.S.W 2566 www.ingalcivil.com.au ISSUE FOR INFORMATION ONLY Rev: 1

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APPENDIX

Offsite Anchor Rail Pre-Assembly Method

Step A: The ET-SS Anchor Rail is manufactured with three (3) shipping tabs. These shipping tabs can be easily removed with an abrasive blade cutting device, or bolt cutters, to assist in the assembly process. It is recommended to make these cuts as neat as possible as this will make the bolting of the cut rails easier.

Note: It is NOT required to remove the shipping tabs. It is permissible to assemble the ET-SS Anchor Rail with flattened tabs, should the contractor desire to do so.

Assembly Tip: For efficiency, make the bottom cut first, moving up the ET-SS Anchor Rail to the top cut.





Warning: Keep body parts clear of cutting device. Ensure proper personal protective equipment (PPE) is worn. Failure to follow this warning could result in serious injury or death.



Step B: Assemble all parts in the configuration and orientation shown below. Flatten the (4) plies of the ET-SS Anchor Rail together and insert both hex bolts (Part Q) through the bottom side of the four (4) plies of the ET-SS Anchor Rail (Part B) with washers and nuts (Parts W & AA). The bottom side is determined by the final assembled position of the ET-SS System (nuts are on top side of Anchor Rail). The use of locking pliers or c-clamps will assist the assembly process.



Step C: Feed the flattened slotted end of the SoftStop® Anchor Rail (Part B) into the ET-SS Impact Head (Part A) until approximately 18" [457 mm] of the ET-SS Anchor Rail is protruding out the Chute of the ET-SS Impact Head. This can be achieved by the use of a come-a-long or other mechanical means.





Notes:



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