

# **Terralink®** Facing System

Reinforced soil walls and slope stability systems

An economical solution of retaining structures to be constructed with reinforced fill



### **Product Information**

#### Shallow Slopes up to 45 Degrees

Terralink® structures with face angles up to 45 degrees from the horizontal require minimal protection to the outer facing. A permanent Turf Reinforcement Matting (TRM) is applied over the face and vegetated.

#### Steepened Slopes (45 to 70 Degrees)

Where an ACEGrid® reinforced soil steepened slope is to be constructed, the Terralink® facing would incorporate Terralink® corrosion protected steel mesh panels folded to the required face angle. These Terralink® steel mesh panels assist compaction and placement of a suitable TRM or biodegradable Erosion Control Blanket (ECB) inside the face. A growing medium is placed inside the TRM or ECB and seeded and maintained until vegetative cover is established.

#### Slopes Steeper than 70 Degrees

For steeper structures, Terralink® steel mesh panels can be incorporated in the face and backfilled with a growing medium and TRM to protect against erosion and establish vegetative cover or rock may be used inside the steel Terralink® facing panels.

## Applications

Terralink® facing systems complement ACEGrid® geogrid reinforced soil slopes by providing a number of different facing options.

## **Terralink® Facing System**

## Benefits

- Fast construction
- Increases usable land
- Natural vegetated or stone facing
- Variable face angles
- Proven and reliable technology
- Design & construction support

### Features

- Brace panels to fix face angle
- Corrosion protected panels
- Easy to handle
- Rapid construction of slopes
- Wide range of face angles available
- Facing system for steepened slopes
- Permanent Facing System
- Used in conjunction with ACEGrid® reinforcement





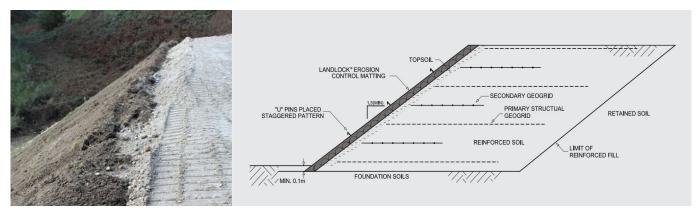




## **Terralink® Facing System Options**

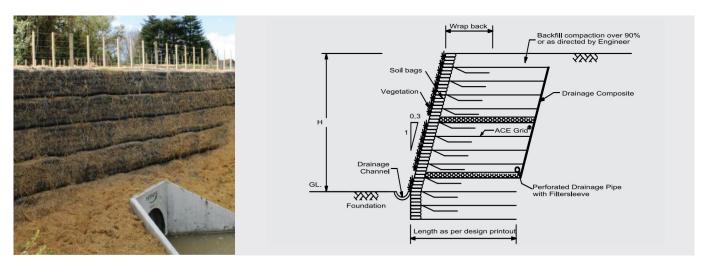
#### Soil System - Slopes

This Terralink® System is for slopes up to 45°, utilising primary structural geogrids for internal stability of the slope. It also incorporates a permanent Turf Reinforcement Mat (TRM) laid over the slope surface to prevent erosion and promote vegetative growth. No rigid facing or Terralink® steel facing panels are required for this option.



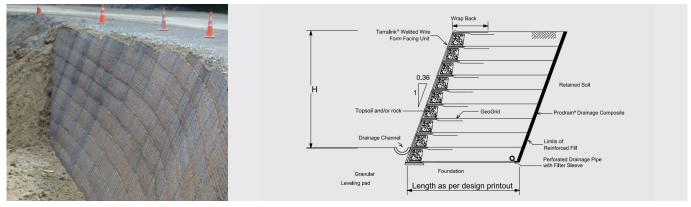
#### **Reinforced Soil System - Steepened Slopes**

The Terralink® System is a proven engineered solution for slopes up to 70° which require a vegetated facing. Consisting of an ACEGrid® geogrid wrapped face with biodegradable bags forming the face angle, Terralink® is cost effective and fast to build.



### Reinforced Soil System - Walls

The Terralink® System is a proven engineered reinforced soil system with a steel mesh facing for walls up to near vertical inclination. The facing can either be vegetated or filled with stone for a gabion type appearance.



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