

**Phase 2  
Ground Investigation**

**Client: Lidl Great Britain Ltd  
Aberystwyth Road, Cardigan**

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## **Executive Summary**

Remada Ltd was commissioned by Lidl Great Britain Ltd to conduct a Phase 2 Ground Investigation at the site of the existing B&M store and Garden Centre, Aberystwyth Road, Cardigan. This report follows a Phase 1 Preliminary Risk Assessment (Remada report reference 941.01.01 dated January 2022).

### Summary of Phase 1 Desk Study

The earliest available historical map dated 1888 records a small building and a water works within the site boundary. By 1965 a garage was constructed in the eastern zone of site and by 1980 a depot was constructed in the western zone. It is understood that the existing retail unit was constructed in 2007 as a Focus DIY and subsequently became occupied as B&M store in 2016.

Published geological maps record that the site is underlain by Devensian Till, a Secondary (Undifferentiated) Aquifer Dinas Sand Formation designated as a Secondary (B) Aquifer.

### Intrusive Investigation

The investigation comprised the drilling of nine (9 No) window sample holes (WS01 – WS09) and execution of four (4 No) CBR tests at locations indicated on Figure 2 between 22nd and 23rd October 2025. Due to the B&M store and Garden Centre being fully operational during the day, investigation was carried out during a night shift, with majority of the works being completed after daylight.

Made Ground was encountered in all the exploratory holes from surface level to a maximum depth of 3.2m.

Natural deposits were encountered within boreholes WS01-WS03 and WS06-WS09. The material was generally described as a stiff, slightly sandy to sandy slightly gravelly to gravelly locally silty CLAY or a sandy clayey GRAVEL. Gravel was recorded as mudstone, sandstone and quartzite. Natural deposits were encountered to the base of all exploratory holes where encountered to a maximum depth of 7.0m.

### Human Health Assessment

The results of soil chemical analysis were compared to Human Health Generic Assessment Criteria for commercial land use. None of the analytes tested were detected at concentrations that exceeded the human health GAC protective of on-site workers.

### Water Resources Assessment

The results of the soil chemical analysis undertaken has identified that concentrations of metals and inorganic contaminants are within the range of typical Made Ground. Detectable concentrations of TPH and PAHs were encountered in some samples. However, the contaminants identified are of low solubility and mobility and as such are unlikely to present a risk to groundwater beneath the site. In addition, it should be noted that the site will be predominantly covered with the building and areas of hardstanding. Therefore, the risk of leaching of contaminants as a result of infiltration of groundwater is likely to be limited. Therefore, the risk to groundwater from contaminants within the Made Ground at the site is considered to be low and does not warrant further consideration.

### Waste Classification

In general, the results of the chemical analysis indicates that the material would be classified as non hazardous waste.

Waste Acceptance Criteria (WAC) analysis was undertaken on three samples of Made Ground. Within the samples from WS01 at 0.70m bgl and WS08 at 0.60m bgl, the concentration of total sulphate (1500mg/kg and 2100mg/kg respectfully) exceeded the 1000mg/kg threshold for acceptance as Inert Waste. Consequently, the material represented by these samples would likely be classified as non-hazardous waste. The samples from WS04 at 1.70m would potentially be classified as suitable for disposal at an Inert Waste Landfill.

Two samples of bituminous surfacing were analysed for concentrations of PAH compounds. The results indicated that the concentrations of PAHs were generally low (total PAH concentration of 1,000mg/kg) and the concentration of benzo(a)pyrene of < 0.05mg/kg was well below the 50mg/kg limit defined in WM3. Therefore, the bituminous surfacing represented by these samples (WS05 and WS06) would be classified as non hazardous waste and assigned the List of Wastes code 17 03 02 for bituminous mixtures other than those mentioned in 17 03 01.

### Geotechnical Assessment



*In order for pad foundations for the proposed store to bear on natural soils, the formation level would be approximately 3.2m bgl in the western part of the site. In order for to construct shallow foundations it would be necessary to improve the ground.*

*The existing Made Ground and fill material is variable in terms of SPT N values and the advice of a specialist ground improvement contractor should be obtained with regard to achieving a suitable minimum bearing capacity for the proposed development. Alternatively, following demolition and site clearance it may be possible to excavate and recompact the existing Made Ground to a minimum specified bearing capacity. If the existing Made Ground is not recompacted to a suitable bearing capacity for either a raft or ground bearing floor slab, it will be necessary to suspend the floor slab on piled foundations.*

*CBR values estimated from the DCP tests indicated that near surface, the CBR values recorded were >80%. Poorly compacted Made Ground backfill resulting from the demolition works should be excavated, processed as necessary to produce a 6F2 material and replaced in compacted layers in*

*A Design Sulphate Class DS-2 is considered appropriate for buried concrete and an ACEC Class of AC-1s is considered appropriate for the location.*

#### Ground Gas

*The results of four rounds of gas monitoring visits placed the site into Characteristic Situation 1 and therefore ground gas protection measures for methane and carbon dioxide will not be required within the proposed buildings.*

*The site is in a higher radon probability area and as such full Radon protection measures will be required.*



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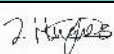


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## 1 INTRODUCTION

Remada Ltd was commissioned by Lidl Great Britain Ltd (hereafter 'the Client') to undertake a Phase 2 Ground Investigation of the existing B&M store and Garden Centre, Aberystwyth Road, Cardigan, **SA43 1NA** at the location indicated in **Figure 1**.

### 1.1 Objectives

The objectives of this assessment are as follows:

- to examine whether there have been any potentially contaminative uses on the site or nearby land;
- to develop a conceptual model of the site to identify plausible pollutant linkages;
- to assess ground conditions in relation to the proposed development in relation to construction design issues including the presence, nature, likely severity and extent of soil and groundwater contamination, which may be present, its potential environmental impact and likely requirement for further work; and
- Provide preliminary foundation design recommendations for the proposed development.

### 1.2 Scope of Work

The scope and layout of this investigation and report is generally in accordance with BS10175:2011+A2 2017 and the Environment Agency's Land Contamination Risk Management guidance for land contamination reports.

The scope of work comprised:

- 5 No window samples with SPTs at 1m intervals to a target depth of 7.0m within the footprint of the store and delivery pod area to prove competent natural strata
- 4 No Window samples including SPTs at 1m intervals to a minimum depth of 5.0m within the car park / delivery bay area to prove natural strata.
- 3 No gas / groundwater monitoring wells.
- 4 No rounds of gas/groundwater monitoring at different atmospheric pressures.
- 4 No CBR tests within the car park area on Made Ground or natural soil that will be at the development formation level. In the absence of any specific information the pavement formation level shall be considered to be a maximum of 500mm below the existing ground level or below organic topsoil.
- Suite of geotechnical classification and strength tests as appropriate to the soils and 4 No BRE Sulphate suites in accordance with BRE SD1.
- 5 No Chemical Analysis for asbestos (quantitative), pH, Arsenic, Beryllium, Cadmium, Chromium (trivalent & hexavalent), Copper, Mercury, Nickel, Lead, Selenium, Vanadium, Zinc, Fraction of Organic Carbon, TPHCWG, PAH(16) and Phenol.
- 3 No WAC tests
- 2 No bitumen suites on asphalt samples for waste classification.; and
- Combined Factual & Interpretative Geoenvironmental Report.

The investigation methodology is presented in Section 4, Findings in Section 55 and the Exploratory Locations are indicated in **Figure 2**.

### 1.3 Proposed Development

It is understood that the proposed site use for the majority of the site will be a Lidl retail store with associated car park and soft landscaping as shown in **Figure 3**.



#### **1.4 Previous Reports**

The following Phase 1 Desk Study had been previously prepared for the site:

- Phase 1 Site Investigation & Preliminary Risk Assessment. Remada Ltd Report ref: 941.01.01, issued in January 2022.

#### **1.5 Limitations**

The comments given in this report and the opinions expressed are based on the information reviewed and observations during site work. However, there may be conditions pertaining to the site that have not been disclosed by this assessment and therefore could not be taken into account.



## 2 SUMMARY OF PHASE 1 DESK STUDY

The Executive Summary and Conceptual Site Model presented within the Phase 1 Desk Study are reproduced below:

### **Site Setting**

*The site comprises an operational B&M store and Garden Centre with its associated car park, occupying a roughly rectangular plot to the north of B4548 Aberystwyth Road, Cardigan as indicated in **Figure 2**. The existing store's footprint is rectangular and is in the north of the site, and to the west of the store there is a separate fenced off area for the garden centre which occupies the north-west and south-west sections of the site. The remainder of the site area forms the store's associated car park and soft landscaping. The existing car park is formed from level bituminous surfacing with a kerb edge. It is understood that the proposed site use of the site will be a Lidl retail store with associated car park and soft landscaping. This development will comprise a site area of 7500m<sup>2</sup> fronting onto B4548 Aberystwyth Road, as shown in **Figure 3**.*

### **Site History**

*The earliest available historical map dated 1888 records a small building and a water works within the site boundary. By 1965 a garage was constructed in the eastern zone of site and by 1980 a depot was constructed in the western zone. It is understood that the existing retail unit was constructed in 2007 as a Focus DIY and subsequently became occupied as B&M store in 2016.*

### **Geology / Hydrogeology**

*Published geological maps record that the site is underlain by Devensian Till, a Secondary (Undifferentiated) Aquifer Dinas Sand Formation designated as a Secondary (B) Aquifer.*

### **Mining**

*The site is not located within an area which may be affected by coal mining activity.*

### **Radon**

*The site is located in Higher Probability Radon Area as 10 to 30% of homes are estimated to be at or above the Action Level. Full radon protective measures are necessary.*

### **Environmental Risk Assessment**

*The desk study has identified a number of on-site and off-site potential sources of contamination that would require further investigation. The following is recommended:*

- *Investigation of the lateral and vertical extent of Made Ground/fill beneath the proposed store;*
- *Collection of soil and groundwater samples from the areas identified above for contaminants of concern; and*
- *Ground gas monitoring.*

### **Geotechnical Assessment**

*It is recommended that a ground investigation is undertaken to enable preliminary foundation design.*





Potential Source Areas	Potential Contaminant of Concern	Pathways	Potential Receptor	Exposure Route (Human unless otherwise stated)	Potential Identified Linkage (unmitigated)	Findings of Ground investigation	Risk (Un-mitigated)	Proposed Remediation (Mitigation) Measures	Residual Risk Estimation	
<u>On-site Sources</u>	Asbestos / Metals As, Be, Cd, Cu, Cr (VI), Cr (III) Hg, Ni, Se, Va, Zn, Boron, TPH /PAH / BTEX/ MTBE / VOCs/sVOCs	Disturbance due to construction plant causing direct contact, dusts, vapours.	Occupants of the development / building fabric	Direct Soil Ingestion	Yes	To be assessed (TBA)	Potential risk	(To be assessed (TBA)	(To be assessed (TBA)	
Water Works				Indoor Dust ingestion	Yes	As above	Potential risk	TBA	TBA	
Covered reservoir tank				Skin Contact with Soils	Yes	As above	Potential risk	TBA	TBA	
Garage Depot				Skin Contact with Dust	Yes	As above	Potential risk	TBA	TBA	
Operational B&M store and car parking		Direct Contact with occupants of the proposed development	Inhalation of fibres / vapours / gases by occupants of proposed development	Adjacent residents during construction	Inhalation of Outdoor Dust	Yes	As above	Potential risk	TBA	TBA
					Inhalation of Outdoor Vapours	Yes	As above	Potential risk	TBA	TBA
					Inhalation of Indoor Vapours	Yes	As above	Potential risk	TBA	TBA
					Inhalation of ground gas	Yes	As above	Potential risk	TBA	TBA
					Inhalation of radon gas	Yes	N/A	Higher probability radon area	Full radon protective measures are necessary.	Negligible
<u>Off-site Sources</u>		Permeation of water supply pipework	Secondary (undifferentiated) Aquifer & secondary (B) aquifer	Ingestion via permeated water supply pipework	Yes	As above	Potential risk	TBA	TBA	
Direct contact with Secondary (undifferentiated) Aquifer in Superficial Deposits				Yes	As above	Potential risk	TBA	TBA		
Leachate				In-direct contact with Secondary (B) Aquifer in bedrock	Yes	As above	Potential risk	TBA	TBA	
Petrol filling station										

**Table 1: Outline Conceptual Site Model**

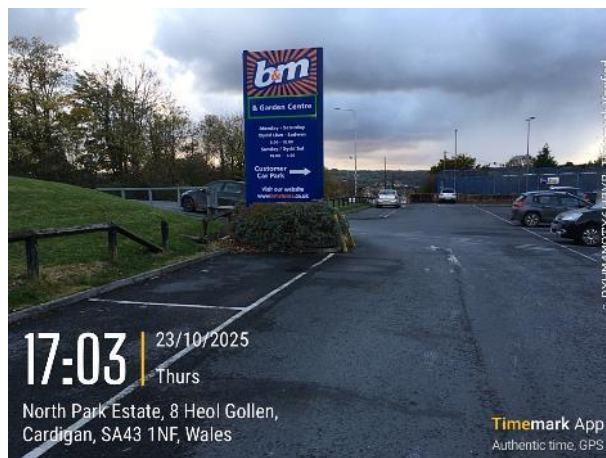
Direct contact with subsurface soil and/or groundwater during redevelopment works are not assessed as part of the CSM. It is considered that risks to workers will be managed as part of any the redevelopment works at the site through the application of health and safety procedures, where required.

### 3 SITE WALKOVER

The opportunity was taken to inspect the existing B&M store and Garden Centre at the site for the proposed Lidl store on 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2025 by Joseph Hughes of Remada Ltd during the intrusive works, as recorded in the photographs below. There were no visual or olfactory indicators of contamination.



**Photo 1:** The southwestern site boundary with a gated entrance to the courtyard and storage area of the B&M store and Garden Centre.



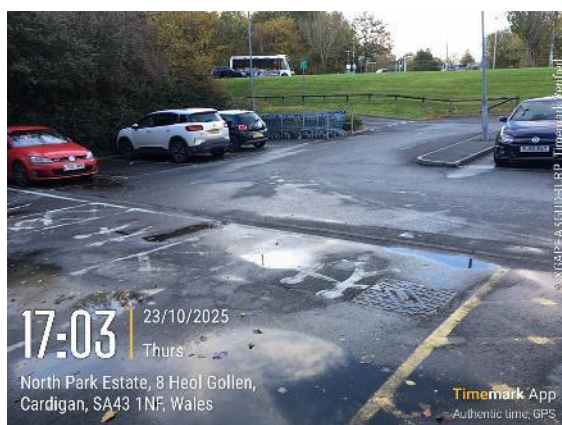
**Photo 2:** A view towards the south of the site, showing the carpark entrance from B4548 Aberystwyth Road and showing the height difference between the car park and service yard.



**Photo 3:** A view of the Garden Centre where window sample (WS01) is located.



**Photo 4:** A view towards the north showing the existing carpark and B&M store.



**Photo 5:** A view towards the south-east



**Photo 6:** A view towards the north-east corner of the site



## **4 ENVIRONMENTAL & GEOTECHNICAL INVESTIGATION METHODOLOGY**

### **4.1 Investigation Strategy**

In accordance with Lidl Ground Investigation standard 05.2023, five (5 No). window sample holes were required beneath the proposed store footprint to a depth of 7m or refusal, and four (4 No) beneath the delivery bay, HGV access and car park to a depth of 5m or refusal. Four (4 No) CBR tests were conducted in the proposed car park. Four (4 No) ground gas monitoring visits were scheduled for the site to provide the minimum required by C665.

The investigation comprised the drilling of nine (9 No) window sample holes (WS01 – WS09) and execution of four (4 No) CBR tests at locations indicated on **Figure 2** between 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2025. Due to the B&M store and Garden Centre being fully operational during the day, investigation was carried out during a night shift, with majority of the works being completed after daylight.

Exploratory locations were selected to enable an investigation of ground conditions beneath the proposed retail store and car park. With the site comprising a B&M store and Garden Centre, it was anticipated that there would be a variable thickness of Made Ground at the site.

Due to the existing store being operational at the time of the Investigation no boreholes could be drilled within the footprint of the existing building however under the proposed plans the existing footprint is to largely to become car parking

All exploratory holes were logged by a suitably qualified Geo-environmental Engineer in general accordance with the recommendations of BS5930:2015+A1:2020. Detailed descriptions, together with relevant comments, are given in the **Exploratory Hole Logs**.

### **4.2 Intrusive Investigation**

#### **4.2.1 Window Sample Holes**

Two of the window samples (WS02 - WS03) were advanced to a target depth of 7m within the proposed store footprint, with WS01 to a depth of 6m and WS04 to 2.2m. Four window samples (WS06 - WS09) in the proposed car park were advanced to a depth of 3m. WS05 refused at 0.7m so it was moved slightly north but refused again at 0.6m, and due to time restraints of work, wasn't moved again. In addition borehole WS06 to WS09 were advanced past 3m bgl by continuous SPT with no sample recovery made due to time constraints. Combined Groundwater and Ground Gas monitoring standpipes were installed in WS01 and WS02, however due to shallow refusal in WS05, a standpipe was unable to be installed.

### **4.3 In-Situ Testing**

#### **4.3.1 Standard Penetration Tests**

Standard Penetration Tests (SPTs) in the window samples were carried out at 1.0m intervals as recorded on the borehole logs to assess the relative density and consistency of soils. Within boreholes WS06-WS09 once 3m was reached SPTs were carried out every 0.5m until refusal.

SPTs were conducted in accordance with BS EN ISO 22476-3 and the recorded SPT N-values are summarised on the borehole logs.

The SPT N-values have been corrected based on the Energy Ratio of 96% for the SPT hammer on the window sampling rig. The SPT Hammer Energy Test Report, undertaken in accordance with BS EN ISO 22476-3:2005 is presented in **Appendix A**.

#### **4.3.2 Hand Shear Vane**

Hand shear vane tests were undertaken using an Impact SL810 and in general accordance with the manufacturer's instructions on selected samples of cohesive soils.

#### **4.3.3 Dynamic Cone Penetrometer (DCP) Tests**





Four DCP tests were conducted in order to determine California Bearing Ratio (CBR) values for near surface soils, at the locations in **Figure 2**. A known mass is dropped through a known distance to drive a cone into the ground. The penetration distance per blow is recorded in order to enable the CBR value to be calculated. Test results are presented in **Appendix B**.

#### **4.4 Soil Sampling**

##### **4.4.1 Environmental**

Made Ground and natural soils were selected by visual and olfactory means for subsequent analysis. Samples for chemical laboratory testing purposes were collected in amber glass jars, amber glass vials and plastic tubs and retained in a cool box for transport to the laboratory.

##### **4.4.2 Geotechnical**

Geotechnical samples were collected at depths indicated on the window sample logs with samples retrieved from within a sleeve line. The disturbed samples were placed in sealed and correctly labelled plastic tubs or bags as appropriate. All geotechnical samples were dispatched to the laboratory for testing with a completed chain of custody.

#### **4.5 Gas & Groundwater**

##### **4.5.1 Installations**

Combined ground gas and groundwater monitoring standpipes were installed in selected wells with a 50mm diameter slotted HDPE pipe and packed with gravel surround as recorded on the exploratory logs. Wells were completed with 1.0 – 2.0m of plain HDPE pipe and bentonite seal, with a gas bung and tap being installed at the top of the pipe.

##### **4.5.2 Monitoring**

Ground gas monitoring was undertaken using a GasData GFM436 gas analyser for the parameters reported below. Groundwater levels were measured with a GeoSense OWP30 oil water interface probe.

Permanent ground gas monitoring involved the measurement of the following in the prescribed order:

- Pressure difference between the monitoring well and the atmosphere,
- Peak and steady flow rates of gas into or out of the monitoring well;
- Peak and steady concentrations of carbon dioxide, methane, oxygen (minimum and steady recorded), carbon monoxide, hydrogen sulphide; and
- Depth to groundwater.

Four ground gas monitoring visits were undertaken as a minimum required for a commercial development in accordance with CIRIA C665. Ground gas concentrations were recorded on 31<sup>st</sup> October and 7<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> November 2025 at WS01 and WS02, and the results are presented in **Table 2**. The corresponding Calibration Certificate for the GFM436 gas analyser is presented in **Appendix C**.

#### **4.6 Quality Assurance and Quality Control**

All samples were submitted to a United Kingdom Accredited Laboratory (UKAS) under a completed chain of custody. The laboratory carried out its own QA/QC programme to ensure that the quality of the analytical data conformed to the appropriate test method protocols.

#### **4.7 Laboratory Analysis & Testing**

##### **4.7.1 Chemical Analysis – Soil**

Five (5 No) soil samples were scheduled for the analysis of asbestos, arsenic, barium, beryllium, cadmium, chromium (III & VI), copper, mercury, nickel, lead, selenium, zinc, fraction of organic carbon, Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons (TPHCWG), Polyaromatic Hydrocarbons (PAH), BTEX compounds (benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene and xylene) and phenols.

In addition, two (2 No) samples of bituminous surfacing were analysed for PAH compounds.



The results of laboratory chemical analyses are presented in **Appendix D**.

#### **4.7.3 Geotechnical**

Samples recovered from the boreholes were submitted to an accredited laboratory for the following tests in general accordance with BS1377:1990:

- 5 No Natural Moisture Contents
- 5 No Plasticity Indices
- 3 No Particle Size Distribution tests; and
- 4 No BRE SD1 suites

The results of the geotechnical testing are presented in **Appendix E**.



## 5 GEOTECHNICAL & ENVIRONMENTAL INVESTIGATION FINDINGS

### 5.1 Ground Conditions

A brief description of the published geology is provided together with a summary of the ground conditions encountered during the intrusive investigation. Exploratory logs are presented at the end of the report.

#### 5.1.1 Published Geology

The geological mapping indicates that the superficial deposits underlying the site are indicated to comprise Devensian Till (Irish Sea ice). The BGS describe Devensian Till as typically comprising '*unsorted and unstratified drift, generally overconsolidated, deposited directly by and underneath a glacier without subsequent reworking by water from the glacier. It consists of a heterogenous mixture of clay, sand, gravel, and boulders varying widely in size and shape (diamicton)*'.

Bedrock directly underlying the site is formed of the Dinas Island Formation separated from the Nantmel Mudstones Formation by two broadly parallel fault lines situated a short distance the north and south of the site. The BGS describes the Dinas Island Formation as '*Mudstone and sandstone. Stratified bedrock. Occurs onshore. Deposited during the Caradoc Series (Ordovician Period)*'.

The superficial deposits of Devensian Till are designated as secondary (undifferentiated) Strata. The Dinas Island Formation is classified as a Secondary (B) Aquifer. The site is not located within a Source Protection Zone.

#### 5.1.2 Made Ground

Exploratory holes within the garden centre area/service yard (WS01 to WS04) encountered a concrete surface with rebar to a maximum depth of 0.23m bgl (WS03) with an average thickness of 0.22m. A membrane was encountered at the base of each concrete core. Below the concrete surface, Made Ground was recorded as either a gravelly slightly clayey sand, a slightly sandy gravelly clay, a sandy slightly clayey gravel or a gravelly sand to a maximum depth of 3.20m bgl, though the base of the Made Ground was not encountered within borehole WS04, with an average thickness of 2.08m. Gravel was recorded as concrete, brick, mudstone, slate, and asphalt

Exploratory holes located in the existing car park area (WS05 - WS09) encountered bituminous surfacing at ground level to a maximum depth of 0.27m bgl (WS05a), though the base of the Made Ground was not encountered within boreholes WS05 and WS05a, with an average thickness of 0.18m, overlying a layer either slightly sandy to very sandy slightly clayey to clayey gravel, gravelly sand or sandy gravelly clay to a maximum depth of 2.1m (WS06) with an average thickness of 0.93m. Gravel was recorded as concrete, brick, sandstone, mudstone, slate and porcelain.

#### 5.1.3 Natural Deposits

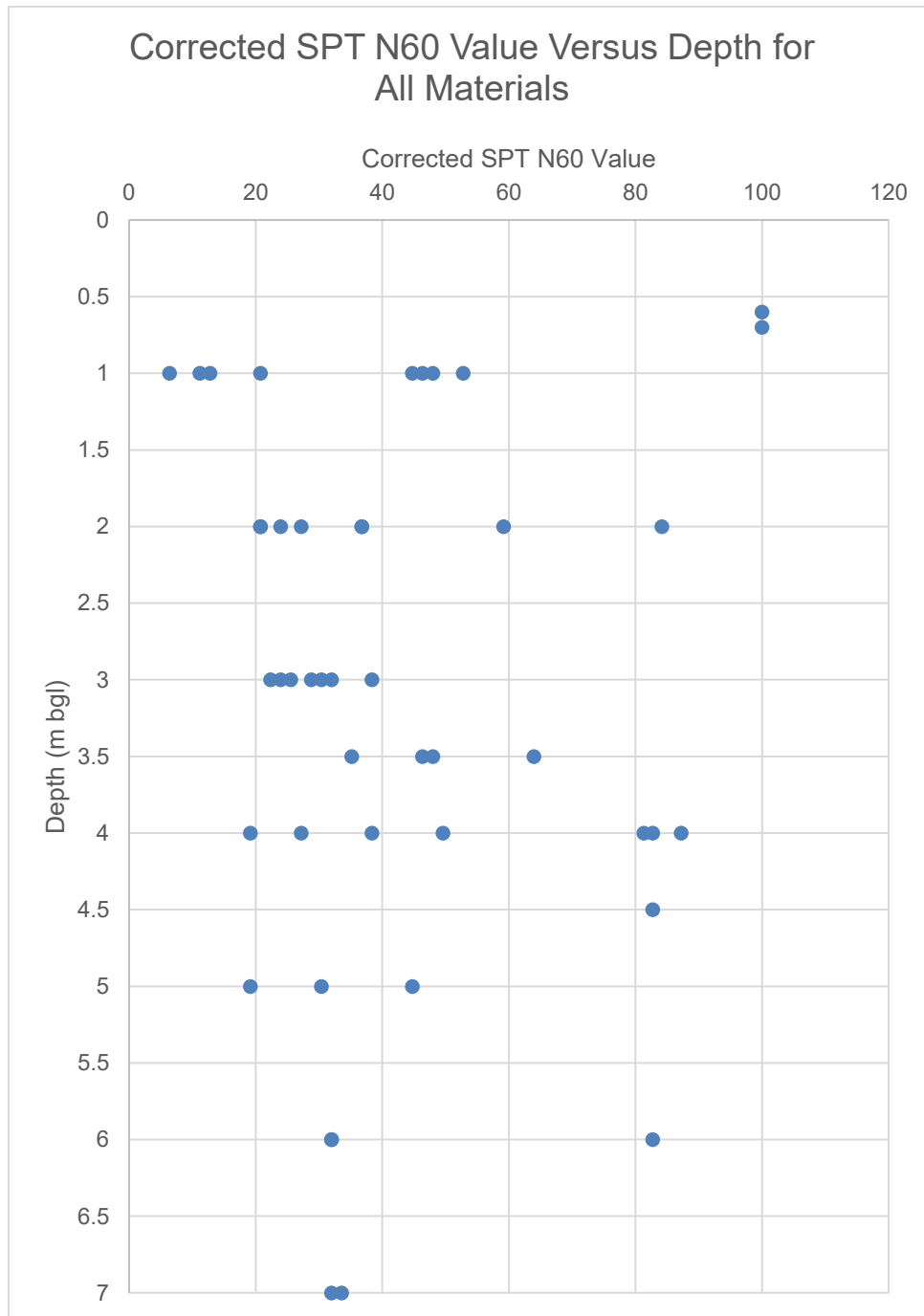
Natural deposits were encountered within boreholes WS01-WS03 and WS06-WS09. The material was generally described as a stiff, slightly sandy to sandy slightly gravelly to gravelly locally silty CLAY or a sandy clayey GRAVEL. Gravel was recorded as mudstone, sandstone and quartzite. Natural deposits were encountered to the base of all exploratory holes where encountered to a maximum depth of 7.0m.

### 5.2 In-situ Testing

#### 5.2.1 Standard Penetration Tests (SPTs)

In-situ SPTs were undertaken to assist with the interpretation of strata encountered. The results of corrected N-values versus depth are plotted in the graph below. Where the corrected N-value >100, the plotted value = 100





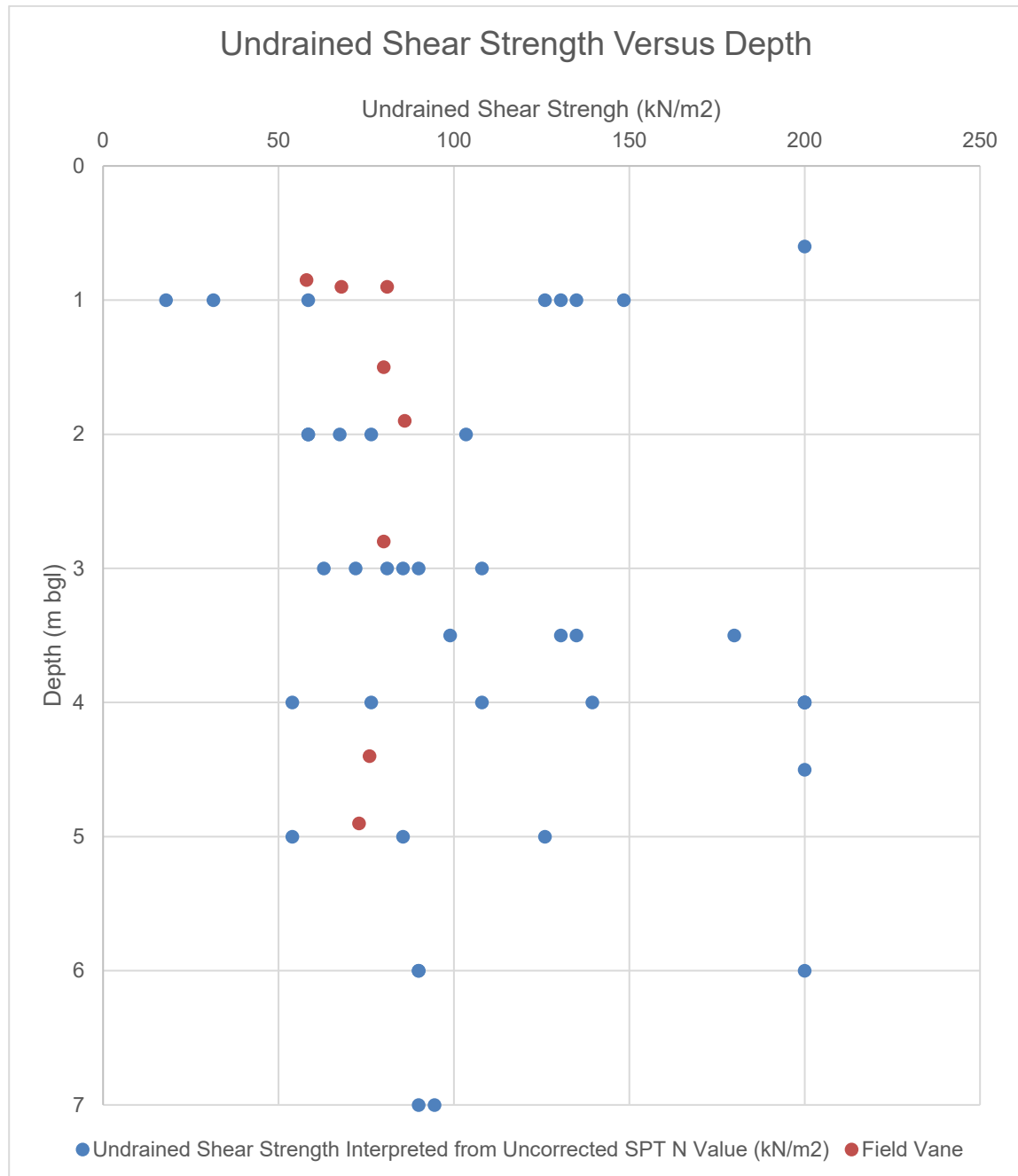
**Graph 1: Plot of Corrected SPT N-Values Versus Depth**

Undrained shear strengths have been estimated from SPT N values using the relationship developed by Stroud (*The standard penetration test in incentive clays and soft rocks*) and summarised in Tomlinson where:

$$\text{Mass shear strength} = f_1 \times N$$

Where  $f_1$  is based on the plasticity index.

A Plasticity Index of 35% has been assumed (based on geotechnical laboratory testing) which equates to an  $f_1$  factor of 4.5. Where the calculated shear strength is  $>200\text{kN/m}^2$  then the plotted number = 200



**Graph 2: Plot of Mass Shear Strength Versus Depth With Remada's Design Lines**

The Coefficient of Consolidation,  $M_v$ , of the cohesive soils can be estimated from the correlation between Plasticity Indices (PI) and SPT N values (Ref. 12) described by Equation 2.

$$M_v = 1 / (f_2 \times \text{SPT } N) \quad \text{Equation 2}$$

Where:

$M_v$  is the coefficient of consolidation

$f_2$  is the Stroud Factor determined from Figure 1.5

SPT N is Characteristic Standard Penetration Test Result

#### 5.2.2 Hand Shear Vane



The results ranged between 39kPa (in WS02 at 2.9m bgl) and 106kPa (in WS04 at 1.1m bgl). The hand shear vane test results have been plotted along with the results interpreted from the SPT N values in **Graph 2**.

### 5.2.3 CBR Tests

The results of the four DCP tests within the proposed car park area produced values of between 11.5% and >100% within the upper 500mm.

## 5.3 Soil Observations

Made Ground was recovered at all locations as a heterogeneous granular material containing a variety of man-made materials including brick, concrete, asphalt and porcelain.

There were no visible or olfactory indicators of contamination within the sampled soils.

## 5.4 Groundwater Observations

Groundwater seepages were noted in three of the window samples (WS02, WS03 and WS09) at depths of between 3.9, 3.8 and 1.65m bgl respectively. Groundwater levels were also recorded in the monitoring wells installed in two of the window sample holes at depths of between 1.32 and 2.95m bgl.

## 5.5 Chemical Analysis

### 5.5.1 Soils

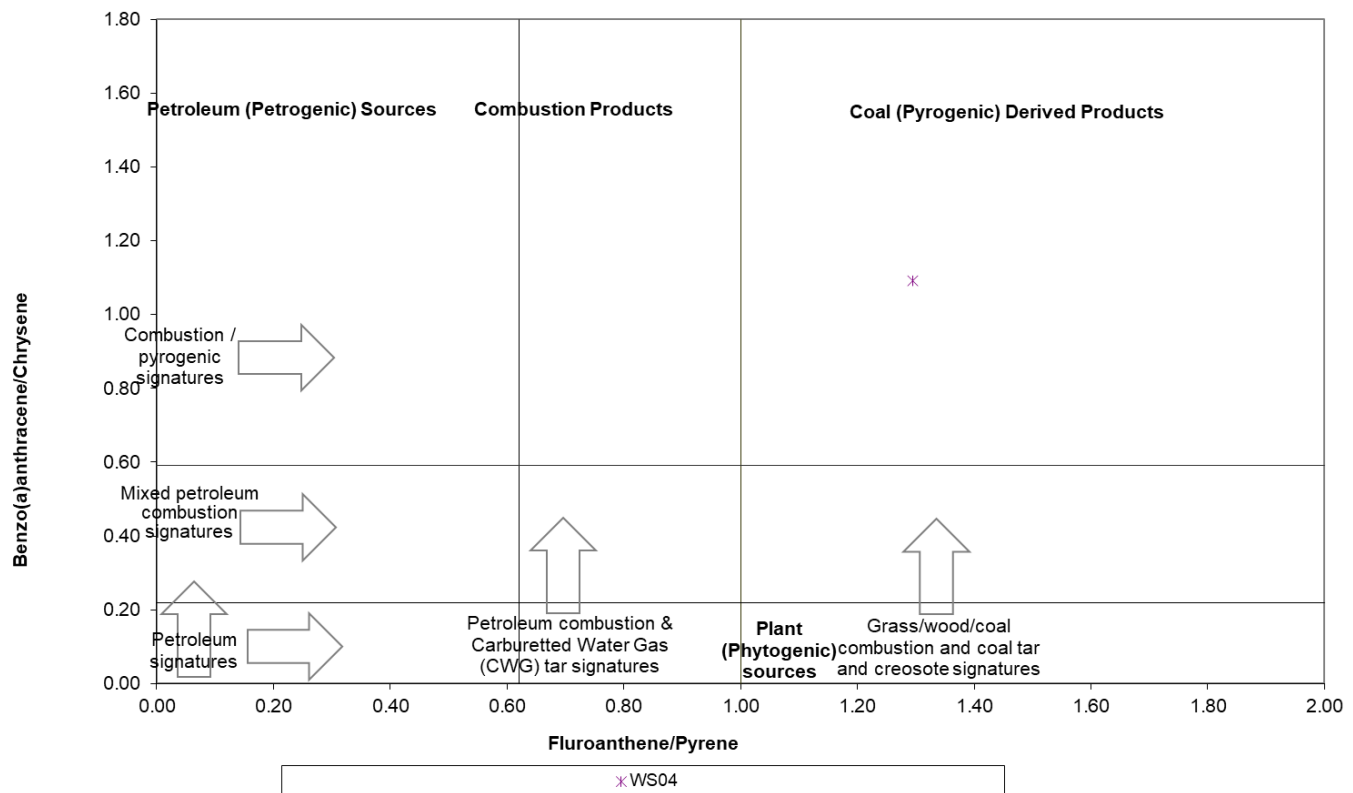
Results of the soil chemical analysis are presented in **Table 3** and summarised as follows.

The average FOC and pH was 0.003 and 8.8, respectively. Asbestos was not detected in the samples analysed. Detectable concentrations of metals were identified, although these are generally within the range that would typically be expected for Made Ground.

Concentrations of TPH were detected above method detection limit (MDL) in three of the samples analysed (from WS01, WS03 and WS04). The hydrocarbons were generally heavy end hydrocarbons within the range C21 to C35 carbon range.

Concentrations of PAHs were generally low (2 mg/kg). A maximum concentration (excluding bituminous surfacing sample) of 11.5 mg/kg was encountered in WS04 at 1.7m.

In addition, the PAH concentrations have been plotted on a double ratio plot to provide an indication of the likely source of the PAHs. All of the samples that had detections of the four PAHs used have been plotted and all are indicated to be coal derived product related PAHs which could be associated with urban background sources.



**Graph 4: PAH Double Ratio Plot**

Two samples of the asphalt surfacing taken from WS05 and WS06 were tested for the presence of PAH 17. These samples recorded a total PAH 17 concentration less than the method of detection limit of <0.85mg/kg.

## 5.6 Geotechnical Testing

Results of the geotechnical testing are summarised below.

### 5.6.1 Plasticity Testing

Plasticity testing was undertaken on five (5 No.) samples of cohesive soils recovered from the window sample boreholes, with the results ranging between 28% and 44%. These indicate the soils to be of high (CH) plasticity, and medium to high volume change potential as summarised in **Table 5** below:

Location	Depth (m)	Plasticity Index (%)	Passing .425mm (%)	Modified Plasticity Index	Volume Change Potential
WS02	2.9	37	85	31.5	Medium
WS03	5.8	31	88	27.3	Medium
WS04	1.2	38	86	32.7	Medium
WS06	2.7	28	100	28	Medium
WS07	1.6	41	100	41	High

**Table 5: Plasticity Indices and Volume Change Potentials of the Cohesive Strata**

### 5.6.2 Particle Size Distribution (PSD) Analysis



The PSD tests revealed the following:

- Natural deposits in WS01 at 4.0 – 5.0m comprised brown slightly fine to medium gravelly, fine to coarse sandy, silty CLAY.
- Natural deposits in WS02 at 4.0 – 5.0m comprised brown slightly fine gravelly, slightly fine to coarse sandy, silty CLAY.
- Natural deposits in WS03 at 2.0 – 3.0m comprised grey silty, fine to coarse sandy, fine to coarse GRAVEL.

### 5.6.3 BRE SD1 Analysis

The water-soluble sulphate contents varied from 114 to 1460 mg/l in the four soil samples analysed with pH varying from 7.6 to 8.3. The total sulphur content varied from 0.026 to 0.13% and acid soluble sulphate varied from 0.037 to 0.243%.

## 5.7 Ground Gas Monitoring Results

The results of the ground gas and groundwater monitoring programme are summarised below:

- A maximum steady state concentration of methane was recorded as of 0.3% v/v in both WS01 and WS02 on 12<sup>th</sup> November 2025 and in WS01 on 21<sup>st</sup> November 2025;
- A maximum steady state concentration of Carbon Dioxide was recorded as 1.1% v/v in WS02 on 21<sup>st</sup> November 2025. Detectable concentrations of carbon dioxide were recorded in both the monitoring wells;
- A minimum steady stated concentration of Oxygen was recorded 19.2% v/v in WS02 on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2025;
- Ground gas flow rates were recorded at a maximum of 0.6 litres per hour (l/hr) in WS02 on 21<sup>st</sup> November 2025;
- Groundwater was encountered within all standpipes over the course of the monitoring programme at depths between 1.32 to 2.95m bgl; and,
- Atmospheric pressure at the time of sampling varied between a high of 1023 millibar (mbar) on 21<sup>st</sup> November 2025 and a low of 988 mbar on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2025. The monitoring visits were undertaken during periods of rising and falling pressure trends over the preceding forty-eight hours.



## 6 GENERIC QUANTITATIVE RISK ASSESSMENT

### 6.1 Human Health Risk Assessment

In order to provide an up to date assessment of the risks to human health, Remada has adopted the most recent Generic Assessment Criteria (GAC) published by LQM/CIEH (S4ULs) and CL:AIRE/EIC/AGS for the assessment of potential risks to human health. The derivation of GAC, methodology, input parameters and technical guidance (CLEA) may be obtained upon request.

The proposed site layout retail store and car park is presented in **Figure 3**.

Default parameters have been adopted for sandy loam of pH 7 and commercial land use. FOC ranged from less than method of detection limit of <0.001 to 0.013 giving a Soil Organic Matter (SOM) content range of between 0.17 to 2.24% with an average result of 0.58%. In order to present a conservative assessment, the SOM content of 1% has been adopted for the assessment.

The depth to potential sources of contamination for indoor air pathways has been assumed to be 0.5m below building foundation level. The source has been conservatively assumed to be at ground level for outdoor air and direct contact pathways.

For commercial land use the CLEA version 1.06 critical receptor is conservatively modelled as a female working adult with an exposure duration of 49 years. In accordance with the default parameters, it was assumed that employees spend most of their time indoors and that 80% of outdoor area is covered by hardstanding. As such, the potential exposure pathways have been assumed to be:

- Direct Soil and Indoor Dust Ingestion;
- Skin contact with soils and dusts;
- Inhalation of indoor and outdoor dusts and vapours.

Where GAC values for individual TPH fractions are not exceeded, the potential additive effect has been assessed by calculating overall TPH hazard index for each sample.

### 6.2 Comparison of Soil Analysis Results with Human Health GAC

A comparison of soil chemical analysis with GAC is presented as **Table 3**.

#### TPH, PAH & BTEX

None of the analytes tested were detected at concentrations that exceeded the human health GAC protective of on-site workers.

#### Metals & Inorganics Excluding Asbestos

None of the analytes tested were detected at concentrations that exceeded the human health GAC protective of on-site workers.

#### Asbestos

There was no asbestos detected in the samples selected for analysis.

### 6.3 Controlled Waters Risk Assessment

#### 6.3.1 Sensitivity – Groundwater

The site is not indicated to be within a Groundwater Source Protection Zone. The superficial deposits of Devensian Till underlying the site is designated as Secondary Undifferentiated Aquifer, where it is not possible to designate it as 'A' or 'B'. The Dinas Island Formation underlying the site is designated as a Secondary 'B' Aquifer. There are no groundwater abstractions recorded within 1km of the site.

#### 6.3.2 Sensitivity – Surface Waters





The nearest surface water feature is located 88m to the east of the site boundary. There is a surface water abstraction recorded within 965m west of the site.

### 6.3.3 Risk Assessment

The results of the soil chemical analysis undertaken has identified that concentrations of metals and inorganic contaminants are within the range that would be expected for 'typical' Made Ground. Detectable concentrations of TPH and PAHs were encountered in some samples. However, the contaminants identified are of low solubility and mobility and as such are unlikely to present a risk to groundwater beneath the site.

The groundwater was encountered at depths of between 1.32m and 2.95m bgl within Remada's standpipes across the area of the site during the monitoring programme.

Post-development, the site will continue to be predominantly covered by a retail building and areas of hardstanding. Consequently, the risk of leaching of contaminants as a result of infiltration of groundwater is limited. Therefore, the risk to controlled waters from contaminants within the Made Ground at the site is considered to be low and does not warrant further consideration at this stage.

### 6.4 Ground Gas Assessment

In order to understand the gassing regime at the site, a Characteristic Situation (as defined in CIRIA C665 and BS8576:2013) is determined for the site. CIRIA C665 and BS8576 provides definitions for each Characteristic Situation based on Gas Screening Values (GSV) which are calculated as follows:

- $GSV = \text{Gas Concentration (\% v/v)} \times \text{Measured Borehole Flow Rate (l/hr)}$

BS8576 makes a distinction between the GSV and the Hazardous Gas Flow Rate ( $Q_{hg}$ ) which is also calculated using the above calculation. BS8576 states that  $Q_{hg}$  is calculated for each individual borehole for each monitoring visit, whereas the GSV is taken as the representative value for the site or site zone.

As a worst case assessment, the GSV for the site is therefore taken as the maximum steady-state carbon dioxide/methane concentration recorded in the boreholes which is multiplied by the maximum flow rate recorded during the same monitoring event.

- Methane GSV =  $0.3 \% \times 0.6 \text{ l/hr} = 0.0018 \text{ l/hr}$
- Carbon Dioxide GSV =  $1.1 \% \times 0.6 \text{ l/hr} = 0.0066 \text{ l/hr}$

The calculated GSV of less than 0.07 l/hr for methane and carbon dioxide places the site into Characteristic Situation 1. BS 8485:2015+A1:2019 states that for Characteristic Situation 1 the methane concentration would typically be less than 1% and carbon dioxide less than 5% and that if concentrations are above these limits then consideration should be given to placing the site into Characteristic Situation 2. As the concentrations of methane and carbon dioxide were both within these typical limits it is considered that the Characteristic Situation 1 classification is appropriate for the site. Therefore, gas protection measures are not deemed necessary for the proposed development.

### 6.5 Revised Conceptual Site Model

A revised Conceptual Site Model is presented as **Table 4** below.

### 6.6 Waste Classification & Waste Acceptance

Waste classification has been undertaken following guidance set out in WM3 EA Technical Guidance 'Guidance on the classification and assessment of waste', 1st Edition, Version 1.2GB, October 2021. The results of this assessment determine the appropriate List of Waste (LoW) Code and whether the waste should be classified as hazardous or non-hazardous. Classification is undertaken using the results of solid (total) analyses and not on the results of the WAC analyses.

Once the waste has been classified as either hazardous or non-hazardous then the WAC testing determines if the waste meets the requirements for disposal in the required landfill. Therefore, If the waste is classified as hazardous



waste, then the waste would also need to meet the hazardous waste WAC requirements to be disposed of in a hazardous waste landfill. However, if the final destination of the waste is not to landfill then WAC analysis is not required.

The WAC testing also allows for a distinction to be made between inert and non-hazardous waste. Waste that does not fall within the hazardous waste category and meets the requirements for disposal in an inert landfill can therefore be disposed of in an inert landfill. However, waste that does not meet the requirements for inert landfill will need to be disposed of in a non-hazardous landfill. In certain circumstances hazardous waste can be disposed of in a designated cell within a non-hazardous landfill. In this case the waste would need to meet more stringent leachate requirements for stable non-reactive hazardous waste.

#### **6.6.1 Waste Classification**

The results of the assessment indicated that contaminant concentrations within the Made Ground, topsoil and natural soils were generally low and would classify the soils as non-hazardous with LoW Code 17 05 04 (soils and stones other than those mentioned in 17 05 03).

##### pH

With respect to Ph there is no limit for inert waste but for non-hazardous waste pH >6.

##### TOC

The assessment has included determination of the fraction of organic carbon (foc) which can be converted to TOC by multiplying the result by 100. A TOC limit of 3% is placed on waste destined for disposal in an inert landfill. None of the soil samples displayed values exceeding the TOC limit.

##### Asbestos

Asbestos was not detected.

##### Metals

A full assessment of metal concentrations has not been undertaken however the results of the chemical analysis indicate that the Made Ground would be classified as non-hazardous waste.

##### PAHs/Hydrocarbons

The concentration of hydrocarbons in all were less than the hazardous waste threshold of 0.1%.

##### Bitumen / Coal Tars

The results indicated that the concentrations of PAHs were generally low (total PAH concentration of 1,000mg/kg) and the concentration of benzo(a)pyrene of < 0.05mg/kg was well below the 50mg/kg limit defined in WM3. Therefore, the bituminous surfacing represented by these samples (WS05 and WS06) would be classified as non hazardous waste and assigned the List of Wastes code 17 03 02 for bituminous mixtures other than those mentioned in 17 03 01.

#### **6.6.2 Waste Acceptance**

Waste Acceptance Criteria (WAC) analysis was undertaken on three samples of Made Ground. Within the samples from WS01 at 0.70m bgl and WS08 at 0.60m bgl, the concentration of total sulphate (1500mg/kg and 2100mg/kg respectively) exceeded the 1000mg/kg threshold for acceptance as Inert Waste. Consequently, the material represented by these samples would likely be classified as non-hazardous waste. The samples from WS04 at 1.70m would potentially be classified as suitable for disposal at an Inert Waste Landfill.

The final disposal classification should however be confirmed by the receiving site operator

#### **6.7 Health & Safety Considerations**

To ensure direct exposure of construction workers involved in the site redevelopment to any impacted contaminated shallow soils is minimised, the guidance stated in HSG 66 "Protection of Workers and the General Public During Redevelopment of Contaminated Land" should be followed.



Potential Source Areas	Potential Contaminant of Concern	Pathways	Potential Receptor	Exposure Route (Human unless otherwise stated)	Potential Identified Linkage (unmitigated)	Findings of Ground investigation	Risk (Unmitigated)	Proposed Remediation (Mitigation) Measures	Residual Risk Estimation	
<u>On-site Sources</u>	Asbestos / Metals As, Be, Cd, Cu, Cr (VI), Cr (III) Hg, Ni, Se, Va, Zn, Boron, TPH /PAH / BTEX/ MTBE / VOCs/sVOCs	Disturbance due to construction plant causing direct contact, dusts, vapours.	Occupants of the development / building fabric	Direct Soil Ingestion	Yes	No exceedance of GAC.	Very low	Hardstanding to cover retail site minimising direct contact.	Negligible	
Water Works				Indoor Dust ingestion	Yes	As above	As above	As above	Negligible	
Covered reservoir tank				Skin Contact with Soils	Yes	As above	As above	As above	Negligible	
Garage Depot				Skin Contact with Dust	Yes	As above	As above	As above	Negligible	
Operational B&M store and car parking		Direct Contact with occupants of the proposed development	Adjacent residents during construction	Inhalation of Outdoor Dust	Yes	As above	As above	As above	Negligible	
				Inhalation of Outdoor Vapours	Yes	As above	As above	As above	Negligible	
				Inhalation of Indoor Vapours	Yes	As above	As above	As above	Negligible	
<u>Off-site Sources</u>		Inhalation of fibres / vapours / gases by occupants of proposed development	Secondary (undifferentiated) Aquifer & secondary (B) aquifer	Inhalation of ground gas	Yes	CS1	Low	As above	Negligible	
Inhalation of radon gas				Yes	Higher probability radon area	High	Full radon protective measures are necessary.	Negligible		
Petrol filling station				Ingestion via permeated water supply pipework	Yes	No exceedance of GAC.	Very Low	Hardstanding to prevent precipitation, infiltration and leaching.	Negligible	
				Direct contact with Secondary (undifferentiated) Aquifer in Superficial Deposits	Yes	As above	As above	As above	Negligible	
				Leachate	In-direct contact with Secondary (B) Aquifer in bedrock	Yes	As above	As above	As above	Negligible

**Table 4: Refined Conceptual Site Model**

*Direct contact with subsurface soil and/or groundwater during redevelopment works are not assessed as part of the CSM. It is considered that risks to workers will be managed as part of any the redevelopment works at the site through the application of health and safety procedures, where required.*



## 7 GEOTECHNICAL SITE ASSESSMENT

### 7.1 Geotechnical Considerations

Historical maps within Remada's Phase 1 Desk Study record a ground level of 39.3 m AOD at the southwestern corner of the site, adjacent to the Aberystwyth Road and a ground level of 46.6m AOD at the southeastern corner of the site. At this time, the eastern part of the site was occupied by a garage, but the western part was vacant. A depot was subsequently constructed in the western part of the site. EDI's topographical survey reference 20203/T&S/01-01 records an existing finished road level at the south-eastern corner of the site of 39.3 m AOD and level of 45.77 m AOD just to east of the site, but existing car park levels of 42.9 m AOD in the east and 41.26 in the west. Consequently, the eastern part of the site has been reduced in level by up to 4m and the western part raised by approximately 2m.

Remada's boreholes record Made Ground to a depth 0.75m in the eastern part of the site and to a maximum depth of 3.2m in the western part. Made Ground in the described as slightly clayey gravel of mudstone and concrete indicative of a construction layer beneath the existing car park. Made Ground in the western part consists of similar clayey gravel overlying cohesive soil to to a maximum depth of 2m overlying granular Made Ground at 39.6 mAOD which is consistent with historical ground level at the time of the depot.

In order for pad foundations for the proposed store to bear on natural soils, the formation level would be approximately 3.2m bgl in the western part of the site. In order for to construct shallow foundations it would be necessary to improve the ground.

Details of the proposed permanent and variable design loads (actions) are not currently known although an indicative column load of 400kN has been provided.

### 7.2 Foundations

The existing Made Ground and fill material is variable in terms of SPT N values and the advice of a specialist ground improvement contractor should be obtained with regard to achieving a suitable minimum bearing capacity for the proposed development.

Alternatively, following demolition and site clearance it may be possible to excavate and recompact the existing Made Ground fill to a minimum specified bearing capacity.

### 7.3 Shrinkage and Swelling

All samples of CLAY were reported as being HIGH plasticity with between 85% and 100% passing a 0.425mm sieve. The modified plasticity index equates at High Volume Change Potential.

BRE 412 states that where the natural moisture content is less than 0.4 times the Liquid Limit ( $w < 0.4 w_L$ ) it is indicative of desiccation. None of the samples show evidence of this occurring.

The minimum foundation depths outside the zone of tree influence as specified by the NHBC have been reproduced in **Table 5** below;

Volume Change Potential	A) Minimum foundation depth (m) (allowing for restricted new planting)	B) Minimum foundation depth (m) (where planting is outside the zone of influence of trees)
High	1.50	1.0
Medium	1.25	0.9
Low	0.9	0.75

**Table 5: NHBC 2025 Minimum Foundation Depths**



#### **7.4 Floor Slab**

If the existing Made Ground is not recompacted to a suitable bearing capacity for either a raft or ground bearing floor slab, it will be necessary to suspend the floor slab on piled foundations.

#### **7.5 Imported Fill**

All imported fill material should comply with an earthworks specification to be prepared by the engineer and not contain concentrations of contaminants at greater than the Generic Assessment Criteria (GAC) presented in **Table 3**.

#### **7.6 Excavations and Temporary Works**

Side slopes within the Made Ground are unlikely to remain stable even in the short term without support or without being battered back to a safe slope gradient. A detailed inspection of the side slopes should be made during excavation and a risk assessment carried out to fully assess the support measures required.

Groundwater seepages were noted in the window samples at depths of 1.65m, 3.8m and 3.9m with resting groundwater within the monitoring wells standing at depths of between 1.32 and 2.95m bgl.

#### **7.7 External Car Park Construction**

CBR values estimated from the DCP tests indicated that near surface, the CBR values recorded were between 11.5 and >100%. Poorly compacted Made Ground backfill resulting from the demolition works should be excavated, processed as necessary to produce a 6F2 material and replaced in compacted layers in accordance with an engineering specification.

#### **7.8 Protection of Buried Concrete**

In accordance with BRE SD1 for buried concrete in a brownfield site with mobile groundwater, analyse of selected samples for water soluble sulphate returned values of up to 1460 mg/l and pH >7.6. A total potential sulphate value of 0.104% was also calculated from the total sulphur results. Therefore, a Design Sulphate Class DS-2 is considered appropriate for buried concrete and an ACEC Class of AC-1s is considered appropriate for the location.

#### **7.9 General Construction Advice**

Topsoil should be stripped from proposed zones of construction.

All formations should be cleaned, and subsequently inspected, by a suitably qualified engineer prior to placing concrete. Should any soft, compressible or otherwise unsuitable materials be encountered they should be removed and replaced by blinding concrete.

Foundation concrete, or alternatively, a blinding layer of concrete, should be placed immediately after excavation and inspection in order to protect the formation against softening and disturbance.

Generally, all formations should be placed wholly within the same material type, unless specific geotechnical inspection and assessment have been undertaken.

Where applicable ground beneath the proposed building footprint and potentially car parking may require to be stripped to reveal localised areas of Made Ground and structures. Excavations should be backfilled with suitably re-compacted materials to achieve formation level.

During foundation excavation works arisings should be constantly monitored for the presence of contamination.



## **8 CONCLUSIONS & RECOMMENDATIONS**

### **8.1 Conclusions**

The following conclusions have been made based on the findings of this investigation.

#### **8.1.1 Phase 2 Site Investigation**

The earliest available historical map dated 1888 records a small building and a water works within the site boundary. By 1965 a garage was constructed in the eastern zone of site and by 1980 a depot was constructed in the western zone. It is understood that the existing retail unit was constructed in 2007 as a Focus DIY and subsequently became occupied as B&M store in 2016.

Made Ground was encountered in all the exploratory holes from surface level to a maximum depth of 3.2m.

Natural deposits were encountered within boreholes WS01-WS03 and WS06-WS09. The material was generally described as a stiff, slightly sandy to sandy slightly gravelly to gravelly locally silty CLAY or a sandy clayey GRAVEL. Gravel was recorded as mudstone, sandstone and quartzite. Natural deposits were encountered to the base of all exploratory holes where encountered to a maximum depth of 7.0m.

#### **8.1.2 Human Health Risk Assessment**

The results of soil chemical analysis were compared to Human Health Generic Assessment Criteria for commercial land use. None of the analytes tested were detected at concentrations that exceeded the human health GAC protective of on-site workers.

#### **8.1.3 Water Resources Risk Assessment**

The results of the soil chemical analysis undertaken has identified that concentrations of metals and inorganic contaminants are within the range of typical Made Ground. Detectable concentrations of TPH and PAHs were encountered in some samples. However, the contaminants identified are of low solubility and mobility and as such are unlikely to present a risk to groundwater beneath the site. In addition, it should be noted that the site will be predominantly covered with the building and areas of hardstanding. Therefore, the risk of leaching of contaminants as a result of infiltration of groundwater is likely to be limited. Therefore, the risk to groundwater from contaminants within the Made Ground at the site is considered to be low and does not warrant further consideration.

#### **8.1.4 Waste Classification and Acceptance**

In general, the results of the chemical analysis indicates that the material would be classified as non hazardous waste.

Waste Acceptance Criteria (WAC) analysis was undertaken on three samples of Made Ground. Within the samples from WS01 at 0.70m bgl and WS08 at 0.60m bgl, the concentration of total sulphate (1500mg/kg and 2100mg/kg respectfully) exceeded the 1000mg/kg threshold for acceptance as Inert Waste. Consequently, the material represented by these samples would likely be classified as non-hazardous waste. The samples from WS04 at 1.70m would potentially be classified as suitable for disposal at an Inert Waste Landfill.

Two samples of bituminous surfacing were analysed for concentrations of PAH compounds. The results indicated that the concentrations of PAHs were generally low (total PAH concentration of 1,000mg/kg) and the concentration of benzo(a)pyrene of < 0.05mg/kg was well below the 50mg/kg limit defined in WM3. Therefore, the bituminous surfacing represented by these samples (WS05 and WS06) would be classified as non hazardous waste and assigned the List of Wastes code 17 03 02 for bituminous mixtures other than those mentioned in 17 03 01.

### **8.2 Recommendations**

In order for pad foundations for the proposed store to bear on natural soils, the formation level would be approximately 3.2m bgl in the western part of the site. In order for to construct shallow foundations it would be necessary to improve the ground.

The existing Made Ground and fill material is variable in terms of SPT N values and the advice of a specialist ground improvement contractor should be obtained with regard to achieving a suitable minimum bearing capacity for the proposed development. Alternatively, following demolition and site clearance it may be possible to excavate and





recompact the existing Made Ground to a minimum specified bearing capacity. If the existing Made Ground is not recompacted to a suitable bearing capacity for either a raft or ground bearing floor slab, it will be necessary to suspend the floor slab on piled foundations.

CBR values estimated from the DCP tests indicated that near surface, the CBR values recorded were >80%. Poorly compacted Made Ground backfill resulting from the demolition works should be excavated, processed as necessary to produce a 6F2 material and replaced in compacted layers in

A Design Sulphate Class DS-2 is considered appropriate for buried concrete and an ACEC Class of AC-1s is considered appropriate for the location.

### **8.3 Ground Gas**

The results of four rounds of gas monitoring visits placed the site into Characteristic Situation 1 and therefore ground gas protection measures for methane and carbon dioxide will not be required within the proposed buildings.

The site is in a higher radon probability area and as such full Radon protection measures will be required.



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8. This report refers, within the limitations stated, to the condition of the site at the time of the inspections. No warranty is given as to the possibility of changes in the condition of the site since the time of the investigation.

9. The content of this report represents the professional opinion of experienced environmental consultants. Remada does not provide specialist legal or other professional advice. The advice of other professionals may be required.

10. Where intrusive investigation techniques have been employed they have been designed to provide a reasonable level of assurance on the conditions. Given the discrete nature of sampling, no investigation technique is capable of identifying all conditions present in all areas. In some cases the investigation is further limited by site operations, underground obstructions and above ground structures. Unless otherwise stated, areas beyond the boundary of the site have not been investigated.

11. If below ground intrusive investigations have been conducted as part of the scope, service tracing for safe location of exploratory holes has been carried out. The location of underground services shown on any drawing in this report has been determined by visual observations and electromagnetic techniques. No guarantee can be given that all services have been identified. Additional services, structures or other below ground obstructions, not indicated on the drawing, may be present on site.

12. Unless otherwise stated the report provides no comment on the nature of building materials, operational integrity of the facility or on any regulatory compliance issues.

13. Unless otherwise stated, samples from the site (soil, groundwater, building fabric or other samples) have NOT been analysed or assessed for waste classification purposes.



**TABLES (not presented within text).**

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Table 2: Gas Groundwater Monitoring Data

																	REMADA GEO CONSULTANTS														
SITE			Cardigan																												
PROJECT No.			941.02														Atmospheric & Ground Conditions														
Visit 1 of 4			Atmospheric Pressure Variations During Visit										Ground Surface Conditions																		
Carried Out by:			Megan Bell										988																		
Date:			31.10.25										Wet																		
Instrument Details		GFM436 14048										Atmospheric Pressure Trend Over Previous 48hrs										Weather Conditions									
												Falling										Raining and damp									
Well No.	Cover Height (m AOD)	Well Diameter (mm)	CH <sub>4</sub> (%v/v)		CH <sub>4</sub> Steady LEL (%)	CO <sub>2</sub> (%v/v)		O <sub>2</sub> (%v/v)		H <sub>2</sub> S (ppm)		CO (ppm)		Duration (secs)*	Flow Rate (l/hr)	Relative Pressure (mb)	PID (ppm)		Atmospheric Pressure (mb)	Water Level (m bgl)	Water Level (m Aod)	Depth of Pipe (m bgl)	Comments								
			Peak	Steady		Peak	Steady	Minimum	Steady	Peak	Steady	Peak	Steady				Peak	Steady						Peak	Steady						
WS01	41.120	50	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.2	19.6	19.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	60	0.0		NR	NR	987	2.910	38.210	2.920	Water covering flush cover and bund								
WS02	41.120	50	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.2	19.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	60	0.0		NR	NR	988	1.320	39.800	1.930									

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GAS & GROUNDWATER MONITORING DATA																													
SITE		Cardigan																											
PROJECT No.		941.02																	Atmospheric & Ground Conditions										
Visit 2 of 4				Atmospheric Pressure Variations During Visit													Ground Surface Conditions												
Carried Out by:		Megan Bell		996													Wet												
Date:		07.11.25		Atmospheric Pressure Trend Over Previous 48hrs													Weather Conditions												
Instrument Details		GFM436 14048		Rising													Raining and damp												
Well No.	Cover Height (m AOD)	Well Diameter (mm)	CH <sub>4</sub> (%v/v)		CH <sub>4</sub> Steady LEL (%)	CO <sub>2</sub> (%v/v)		O <sub>2</sub> (%v/v)		H <sub>2</sub> S (ppm)		CO (ppm)		Duration (secs) <sup>a</sup>	Flow Rate (l/hr)	Relative Pressure (mb)	PID (ppm)		Atmospheric Pressure (mb)	Water Level (m bgl)	Water Level (m Aod)	Depth of Pipe (m bgl)	Comments						
			Peak	Steady		Peak	Steady	Minimum	Steady	Peak	Steady	Peak	Steady				Peak	Steady											
WS01	41.120	50	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.9	19.4	19.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	60	0.0		NR	NR	996	2.950	38.170	2.950							
WS02	41.120	50	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.7	19.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	60	0.0		NR	NR	996	2.010	39.110	2.010							




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GAS & GROUNDWATER MONITORING DATA																										
SITE		Cardigan																								
PROJECT No.		941.02															Atmospheric & Ground Conditions		Ground Surface Conditions							
Visit 2 of 4																										
Carried Out by:		Vince Williams																								
Date:		12-Nov-25															994mb		Wet							
Instrument Details		Model N=GA5000 - Serial N=G508646																								
																	Atmospheric Pressure Variations During Visit					Ground Surface Conditions				
																	Atmospheric Pressure Trend Over Previous 48hrs					Weather Conditions				
																	Falling					Raining				
Well No.	Cover Height (m AOD)	Well Diameter (mm)	CH <sub>4</sub> (%v/v)		CH <sub>4</sub> Steady LEL (%)	CO <sub>2</sub> (%v/v)		O <sub>2</sub> (%v/v)		H <sub>2</sub> S (ppm)		CO (ppm)		Duration (secs) <sup>a</sup>	Flow Rate (l/hr)	Relative Pressure (mb)	PID (ppm)		Atmospheric Pressure (mb)	Water Level (m bgl)	Water Level (m Aod)	Depth of Pipe (m bgl)	Comments			
			Peak	Steady		Peak	Steady	Minimum	Steady	Peak	Steady	Peak	Steady				Peak	Steady						Peak	Steady	Peak
WS01	41.120	50	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.5	20.1	20.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	60	-0.1		NR	NR	994	2.920	38.200	2.930	BAL=79.1			
WS02	41.120	50	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	21.6	21.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	60	-0.2		NR	NR	994	2.020	39.100	2.080	BAL=79.1			
																							Levels taken @ T.O.C.			

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GAS & GROUNDWATER MONITORING DATA																	<div>REMADA</div> <div>GEO CONSULTANTS</div>							
SITE		Cardigan																						
PROJECT No.		941.02																						
Visit 3 of 4		Atmospheric Pressure Variations During Visit													Ground Surface Conditions									
Carried Out by:		Vince Williams													1023mb				Wet					
Date:		21-Nov-25																						
Instrument Details		Model N=GA5000 - Serial N=G508646															Atmospheric Pressure Trend Over Previous 48hrs				Weather Conditions			
																	Rising				Overcast			
Well No.	Cover Height (m AOD)	Well Diameter (mm)	CH <sub>4</sub> (%v/v)		CH <sub>4</sub> Steady LEL (%)	CO <sub>2</sub> (%v/v)		O <sub>2</sub> (%v/v)		H <sub>2</sub> S (ppm)		CO (ppm)		Duration (secs) <sup>^</sup>	Flow Rate (l/hr)	Relative Pressure (mb)	PID (ppm)		Atmospheric Pressure (mb)	Water Level (m bgl)	Water Level (m Aod)	Depth of Pipe (m bgl)	Comments	
			Peak	Steady		Peak	Steady	Minimum	Steady	Peak	Steady	Peak	Steady				Peak	Steady						Peak
WS01	41.120	50	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.0	1.0	20.6	20.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	60	0.4	0.04	NR	NR	1023	2.930	38.190	3.000	Bal=78.2/Cover and bento sunk.	
WS02	41.120	50	0.2	0.2	0.2	1.1	1.1	20.2	20.2	0.0	0.0	51.0	40.0	60	0.6	-0.05	NR	NR	1023	2.000	39.120	2.080	Bal=78.4/Over swelling of Bento in BH Bunglap.	
																							Levels taken @ T.O.C.	

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Table 2: Gas and Groundwater Monitoring Data

Table 3: Comparison of Soil Chemical Analyses with GAC

Lab Sample Number:				Commercial GAC 1.0% SOM	732028	732029	732030	732031	732032	732033	732034
Sample Reference:					WS01	WS02	WS03	WS04	WS05	WS05	WS06
Top Depth (m):					0.7	0.7	0.5	1.7	0.6	0.07	0.07
Basal Depth (m):					None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied
Strata/Material Type					MADE GROUND	MADE GROUND	MADE GROUND	MADE GROUND	MADE GROUND	Asphalt	Asphalt
Date Sampled:					24/10/2025	24/10/2025	23/10/2025	23/10/2025	23/10/2025	24/10/2025	24/10/2025
Determinand	Units	Limit of detection	Accreditation Status	[mg/kg unless stated]							
Stones	%	0.01	NONE		43.60	56.60	89.60	16.80	56.40	< 0.1	< 0.1
Moisture	%	0.01	NONE		3.1	1	1.9	13	3.9	0.2	0.42
Asbestos in Soil	Type	N/A	ISO 17025		Not-detected	Not-detected	Not-detected	Not-detected	Not-detected	Not-detected	Not-detected
Asbestos % by hand picking/weighing	%				-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Asbestos Containing Material Types Detected (ACM Type)	Type				-	-	-	-	-	-	-
pH	pH Units	N/A	MCERTS		8.9	8.4	8.4	9.2	7.9	-	-
Arsenic	mg/kg	1.00	MCERTS	640	5.1	3.9	< 1.0	17	3.4	-	-
Beryllium	mg/kg	0.06	MCERTS	12	0.17	0.11	0.23	0.7	0.42	-	-
Boron	mg/kg	0.20	MCERTS	240000	0.4	0.5	0.4	1	0.6	-	-
Cadmium	mg/kg	0.20	MCERTS	190	0.2	< 0.2	0.5	0.2	0.4	-	-
Chromium (Hexavalent)	mg/kg	1.80	MCERTS	33	< 1.8	< 1.8	< 1.8	< 1.8	< 1.8	-	-
Chromium (Trivalent)	mg/kg	1.00	NONE	8600	6.5	6.4	5	29	6.9	-	-
Chromium (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1.00	MCERTS	-	6.5	6.4	5	29	6.9	-	-
Copper	mg/kg	1.00	MCERTS	68000	9.4	17	5.1	44	9.6	-	-
Lead	mg/kg	1.00	MCERTS	2330	3.1	4.1	1.5	88	3.5	-	-
Mercury	mg/kg	0.30	MCERTS	58 <sup>mp</sup> (25.8)	< 0.3	< 0.3	< 0.3	< 0.3	< 0.3	-	-
Nickel	mg/kg	1.00	MCERTS	980	4.7	3.5	3.1	22	6.9	-	-
Selenium	mg/kg	1.00	MCERTS	12000	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	-	-
Vanadium	mg/kg	1.00	MCERTS	9000	6	5.4	3.7	37	5.5	-	-
Zinc	mg/kg	1.00	MCERTS	730000	9.1	15	8.2	120	8.3	-	-
Total Cyanide	mg/kg	1.00	MCERTS		< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	-	-
Fraction Organic Carbon (FOC)	N/A	0.001	MCERTS		0.001	0.001	0.001	0.013	0.001	-	-
Calculated TOC from FOC	-	-	-		0.10	0.10	0.10	1.30	0.10	-	-
Calculated SOM from FOC	-	-	-		0.17	0.17	0.17	2.24	0.17	-	-
Aliphatic TPH >C5-C6	mg/kg	0.01	NONE	3200 <sup>sol</sup> (304)	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	-	-
Aliphatic TPH >C6-C8	mg/kg	0.01	NONE	7800 <sup>sol</sup> (144)	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	-	-
Aliphatic TPH >C8-C10	mg/kg	0.01	NONE	2000 <sup>sol</sup> (78)	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	-	-
Aliphatic TPH >C10-C12	mg/kg	1.00	MCERTS	9700 <sup>sol</sup> (48)	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	-	-
Aliphatic TPH >C12-C16	mg/kg	2.00	MCERTS	59000 <sup>sol</sup> (24)	< 2.0	< 2.0	< 2.0	< 2.0	< 2.0	-	-
Aliphatic TPH >C16-C21	mg/kg	8.00	MCERTS		< 8.0	< 8.0	< 8.0	< 8.0	< 8.0	-	-
Aliphatic TPH >C21-C35	mg/kg	8.00	MCERTS	1600000	40	< 8.0	14	< 8.0	< 8.0	-	-
Total Aliphatic Hydrocarbons:	mg/kg	10.00	NONE		40	< 10	14	< 10	< 10	-	-
Aromatic TPH >C5-C7	mg/kg	0.01	NONE	26000 <sup>sol</sup> (1220)	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	-	-
Aromatic TPH >C7-C8	mg/kg	0.01	NONE	56000 <sup>mp</sup> (869)	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	-	-
Aromatic TPH >C8-C10	mg/kg	0.02	NONE	3500 <sup>mp</sup> (613)	< 0.020	< 0.020	< 0.020	< 0.020	< 0.020	-	-
Aromatic TPH >C10-C12	mg/kg	1.00	MCERTS	16000 <sup>sol</sup> (364)	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	-	-
Aromatic TPH >C12-C16	mg/kg	2.00	MCERTS	36000 <sup>sol</sup> (169)	< 2.0	< 2.0	< 2.0	< 2.0	< 2.0	-	-
Aromatic TPH >C16-C21	mg/kg	10.00	MCERTS	28000	< 10	< 10	< 10	< 10	< 10	-	-
Aromatic TPH >C21-C35	mg/kg	10.00	MCERTS	28000	13	< 10	< 10	24	< 10	-	-
Total Aromatic Hydrocarbons	mg/kg	10.00	NONE		13	< 10	< 10	24	< 10	-	-
Calculated Sum TPH (sum Aliphatic + sum Aromatic)					53	< 20	< 24	34	< 20	-	-
Naphthalene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	190 <sup>sol</sup> (76.4)	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Acenaphthylene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	83000 <sup>sol</sup> (86.1)	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Acenaphthene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	84000 <sup>sol</sup> (57)	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Fluorene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	63000 <sup>sol</sup> (30.9)	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.07	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Phenanthrene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	22000	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	1.1	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Anthracene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	520000	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.43	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	23000	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	2.2	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Pyrene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	54000	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	1.7	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Benzo[a]anthracene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	170	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	1.2	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Chrysene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	350	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	1.1	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Benzo[b]fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.05	ISO 17025	44	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	1.2	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Benzo[k]fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.05	ISO 17025	1200	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.52	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Benzo[a]pyrene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	35	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.95	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Indeno(1,2,3-c,d)Pyrene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	500	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.42	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	3.5	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.13	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Benzo[g,h,i]perylene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	3900	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.45	< 0.05	0.08	0.080
Coronene	mg/kg	0.05	NONE		< 0.05	-	-	0.12	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Total Of 16 PAH's	mg/kg	0.8	ISO 17025		< 0.80	< 0.80	< 0.80	11.4	< 0.80	-	-
Total Of 17 PAH's	mg/kg	0.85	ISO 17025		< 0.85	-	-	11.5	< 0.85	< 0.85	< 0.85
MTBE (Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether)	µg/kg	5.00	MCERTS	7900000	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	-	-
Benzene	µg/kg	5.00	MCERTS	27000	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	-	-
Toluene	µg/kg	5.00	MCERTS	56000000 <sup>mp</sup> (869000)	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	-	-
Ethylbenzene	µg/kg	5.00	MCERTS	5700000 <sup>mp</sup> (518000)	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	-	-
p & m-Xylene	µg/kg	8.00	MCERTS	5900000 <sup>sol</sup> (576000)	< 8.0	< 8.0	< 8.0	< 8.0	< 8.0	-	-
o-Xylene	µg/kg	5.00	MCERTS	6600000 <sup>sol</sup> (478000)	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	-	-
Total Phenols	mg/kg	1.00	MCERTS	440 <sup>dir</sup> 26000	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	-	-

	Determinand concentration below the GAC
	Determinand concentration in exceedance of GAC
	Determinand concentration in exceedance of the vapour/solubility saturation limit.

NC: No published criteria, U/S: Unsuitable sample.

vap: Screening criteria presented exceed the vapour saturation limit, which is presented in brackets.

sol: Screening criteria presented exceed the solubility saturation limit, which is presented in brackets.

dir: Screening criteria based on threshold protective of direct skin contact (guideline in brackets based on health effects following long term exposure provided for illustration only).

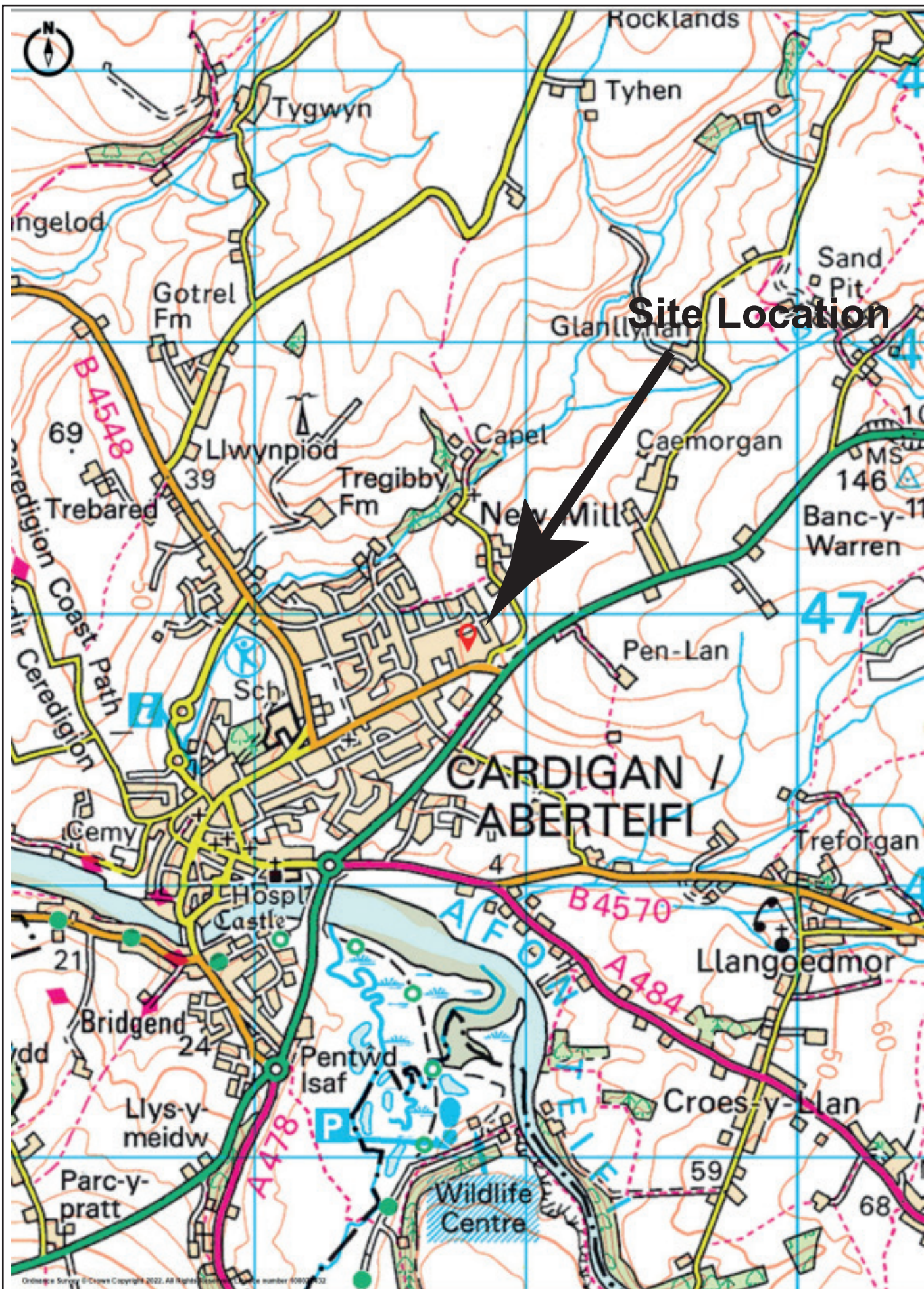
(1): For assessment based on the use of the surrogate marker approach the GAC for Coal Tar must be used instead of benzo[a]pyrene.



\*\* Value presented in mg/kg





## FIGURES



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# EXPLORATORY HOLE LOGS

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# Key to exploratory hole symbols and abbreviations

## SAMPLE TYPES

ACM - Asbestos sample	AMAL - Amalgamated sample	B - Bulk disturbed sample
BLK - Block sample	C - Core sample	CBR - CBR test sample
D - Disturbed sample	ES - Environmental sample	EW - Environmental water sample
G - Gas sample	J - Jar sample	L - Liner sample
TW - Pushed thin wall sample	U - Undisturbed sample	UT - Undisturbed thin wall sample
W - Water sample		

## IN-SITU TESTS

HV - Hand shear vane	HV(r) - Hand shear vane residual	PID - Photo ionisation detector
PP - Hand penetrometer	SPT - Standard penetration test	SPT(C) - SPT using cone


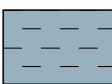

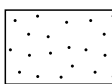
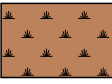
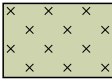
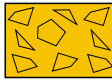
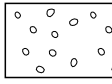


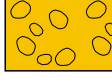
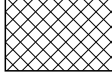
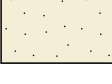
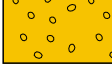




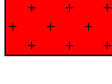
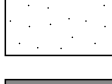




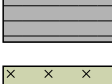



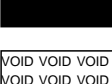
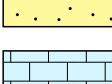
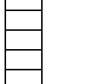
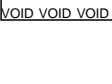
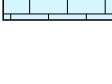
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 Groundwater strike	 Groundwater rest level
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## ROTARY CORE DETAILS

TCR - Total core recovery (%)	SCR - Solid core recovery (%)	RQD - Rock quality designation (%)
FI - Fracture index	NI - Non-intact core	AZCL - Assumed zone of core loss

## LEGEND

 Topsoil	 Clay	 Chalk	 Sand backfill
 Peat	 Silt	 Breccia	 Gravel backfill
 Made ground [cohesive]	 Sand	 Conglomerate	 Arisings
 Concrete	 Gravel	 Metamorphic	 Bentonite
 Wood	 Cobbles	 Igneous	 Concrete
 Brick	 Boulders		 Grout
 Bituminous material	 Mudstone		 Plain pipe
 Gypsum	 Siltstone		
 Coal	 Sandstone		 Slotted pipe
 Void	 Limestone		



# Dynamic (Windowless) Sampler

**WS01**  
Sheet 1 of 1

Hole Type WLS	Easting 218746.00	Northing 246855.00	Ground Level (m) 41.12	Scale 1:35
Project Name Cardigan	Project No. 941.02	Start Date 2025-10-23	End Date 2025-10-23	

Client Lidl Great Britain Ltd	Consultant Remada Ltd	Contractor
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Inst/ Backfill	Water Levels	Samples and Tests			Level (m)	Depth (m) <small>(thickness)</small>	Strata	
		Depth (m)	Type/ Ref	Results			Legend	Description
						(0.22)		MADE GROUND: Concrete with rebar.
					40.90	0.22		rebar encountered. (0.09m) gas membrane. (0.21m)
		0.70	ES			(0.58)		MADE GROUND: Grey gravelly slightly clayey sand. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse concrete, brick and mudstone.
		0.70	WAC		40.32	0.80		small sheet of plastic. (0.50m)
		1.00	SPT(C)	N=28 (5,6/5,5,10,8) N60=45		(0.50)		MADE GROUND: Firm greyish brown slightly sandy gravelly clay. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse concrete, asphalt, brick and mudstone.
					39.82	1.30		
		1.80	HV	87 (kPa)				MADE GROUND: Dark grey sandy slightly clayey gravel. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse mudstone, slate and concrete.
		2.00	SPT(C)	N=23 (5,5/5,6,5,7) N60=37		(1.90)		becoming very sandy. (2.00 - 2.60m)
		3.00	SPT(C)	N=15 (6,5/3,4,4,4) N60=24				pocket of slate. (2.80 - 3.00m)
					37.92	3.20		
		3.60	D					Stiff to verystiff brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse mudstone.
		4.00	SPT(C) B	N=24 (3,4/5,6,6,7) N60=38		(2.80)		
		4.80	HV	102 (kPa)				
		5.00	SPT(C) B	N=28 (4,4/7,6,7,8) N60=45				
		6.00	SPT(C)	N=50 for 290mm (8,8/12,14,13,11 for 65mm) N60=80	35.12	6.00		End of Borehole at 6.00m

Remarks 1) Location CAT scanned prior to drilling. 2) No groundwater encountered during drilling. 3) Borehole installation with monitoring well upon completion.	Method, Plant, Stability, Dimensions 0.00 - 6.00m WLS Window Sampler	Logger JH
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# Dynamic (Windowless) Sampler

**WS02**  
Sheet 1 of 1

Hole Type WLS	Easting 218763.00	Northing 246844.00	Ground Level (m) 41.20	Scale 1:35
Project Name Cardigan	Project No. 941.02	Start Date 2025-10-23	End Date 2025-10-23	

Client Lidl Great Britain Ltd	Consultant Remada Ltd	Contractor
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Inst/ Backfill	Water Levels	Samples and Tests			Level (m)	Depth (m) <small>(thickness)</small>	Strata	
		Depth (m)	Type/ Ref	Results			Legend	Description
						(0.22)		MADE GROUND: Concrete with rebar.
					40.98	0.22		rebar encountered. (0.08m)
						(0.38)		gas membrane. (0.21m)
					40.60	0.60		MADE GROUND: Grey gravelly slightly clayey sand. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse concrete, brick and mudstone.
		0.70	ES			(0.40)		MADE GROUND: Light grey sandy gravel. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse concrete and mudstone.
		0.70	WAC					
		1.00	SPT(C)	N=29 (6,6/6,9,8,6) N60=46	40.20	1.00		MADE GROUND: Firm greyish brown slightly sandy gravelly clay. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse slate, mudstone and brick.
						(0.40)		no recovery. (1.00 - 1.25m)
		1.50	D		39.80	1.40		MADE GROUND: Grey gravelly slightly clayey sand. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse slate, concrete and mudstone.
						(0.40)		
		2.00	SPT(C)	N=17 (6,4/4,4,4,5) N60=27	39.40	1.80		Firm greyish brown slightly sandy gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse mudstone and slate.
						(1.20)		
		2.50	D					
		2.90	HV	39 (kPa)				pocket of slate. (2.80 - 3.00m)
		2.90	D		38.20	3.00		Stiff brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse mudstone.
		3.00	SPT(C)	N=19 (3,2/5,5,4,5) N60=30				no recovery. (3.00 - 3.50m)
		4.00	SPT(C)	N=17 (2,3/3,3,5,6) N60=27				
		4.00-5.00	B					
		4.40	HV	76 (kPa)				
		4.90	HV	73 (kPa)				
		5.00	SPT(C)	N=19 (3,3/4,4,5,6) N60=30		(4.00)		no recovery. (5.00 - 7.00m)
		6.00	SPT(C)	N=20 (3,4/4,5,5,6) N60=32				
		7.00	SPT(C)	N=21 (4,4/4,5,5,7) N60=34	34.20	7.00		End of Borehole at 7.00m

Remarks 1) Location CAT scanned prior to drilling. 2) Groundwater encountered at 3.9m bgl. 3) Borehole installation with monitoring well upon completion.	Method, Plant, Stability, Dimensions 0.00 - 7.00m WLS Window Sampler	Logger JH
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SPT N60 = N(raw) \* (Hammer Energy Ratio / 60) to nearest whole number

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WS03  
Sheet 1 of 1

Hole Type WLS	Easting 218752.00	Northing 246828.00	Ground Level (m) 40.96	Scale 1:35
Project Name Cardigan	Project No. 941.02	Start Date 2025-10-22	End Date 2025-10-22	

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Inst/ Backfill	Water Levels	Samples and Tests			Level (m)	Depth (m) <small>(thickness)</small>	Strata			
		Depth (m)	Type/ Ref	Results			Legend	Description		
		0.50 0.50	ES WAC		40.73	(0.23) 0.23		MADE GROUND: Concrete with rebar. <i>rebar encountered. (0.06 - 0.08m)</i> <i>gas membrane. (0.22m)</i>	0.5	
					40.21	0.75		MADE GROUND: Grey sandy slightly clayey gravel. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse mudstone and concrete.		1.0
								MADE GROUND: Firm yellowish brown slightly sandy gravelly clay. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse brick and mudstone.		
		39.51	1.45		MADE GROUND: Greyish brown sandy slightly clayey gravel. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse brick, concrete, mudstone and slate.	1.5				
					(0.55)					
		38.96	2.00		Brownish grey sandy clayey GRAVEL. Gravel is fine to coarse, angular to subangular slate and mudstone.	2.0				
					(0.70)					
		38.26	2.70		Firm brown sandy gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is angular to subrounded fine to coarse mudstone. <i>no recovery. (3.00 - 3.55m)</i>	3.0				
		4.00	SPT(C)	N=12 (2,2/3,3,3,3) N60=19	<i>no recovery. (4.00 - 4.80m)</i>	4.0				
5.00	SPT(C)	N=12 (2,1/2,3,3,4) N60=19	<i>no recovery. (5.00 - 5.90m)</i>	5.0						
5.80 6.00	D SPT(C)	N=20 (5,4/4,5,5,6) N60=32	<i>no recovery. (6.00 - 7.00m)</i>	6.0						
7.00	SPT(C)	N=20 (3,4/4,5,5,6) N60=32	33.96	7.00		<i>End of Borehole at 7.00m</i>			7.0	

Remarks 1) Location CAT scanned prior to drilling. 2) Groundwater encountered at 3.8m bgl. 3) Borehole backfilled with arisings upon completion.	Method, Plant, Stability, Dimensions 0.00 - 7.00m WLS Window Sampler	Logger JH
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Dynamic (Windowless) Sampler

WS05

Sheet 1 of 1

Hole Type WLS	Easting 218781.00	Northing 246821.00	Ground Level (m) 41.34	Scale 1:35
Project Name Cardigan	Project No. 941.02	Start Date 2025-10-23	End Date 2025-10-23	

Client Lidl Great Britain Ltd	Consultant Remada Ltd	Contractor
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Inst/ Backfill	Water Levels	Samples and Tests			Level (m)	Depth (m) <small>(thickness)</small>	Strata		
		Depth (m)	Type/ Ref	Results			Legend	Description	
		0.07	ES	N=50 for 125mm (25 for 60mm/26,24 for 50mm) N60=80	41.20	(0.14) 0.14		MADE GROUND: Asphalt.	0.5
						(0.56)		MADE GROUND: Grey gravelly sand. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse concrete, brick, sandstone and mudstone. <i>no recovery. (0.14 - 0.40m)</i>	
		0.70	SPT(C)		40.64	0.70		End of Borehole at 0.70m	1.0
									1.5
									2.0
									2.5
									3.0
									3.5
									4.0
									4.5
									5.0
									5.5
									6.0
									6.5
									7.0

Remarks 1) Location CAT scanned prior to drilling. 2) No groundwater encountered during drilling. 3) Borehole backfilled with arisings upon completion. 4) Termination due to concrete obstruction.	Method, Plant, Stability, Dimensions 0.00 - 0.70m WLS Window Sampler	Logger JH
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# Dynamic (Windowless) Sampler

**WS06**  
Sheet 1 of 1

Hole Type WLS	Easting 218784.00	Northing 246840.00	Ground Level (m) 41.24	Scale 1:35
Project Name Cardigan	Project No. 941.02	Start Date 2025-10-23	End Date 2025-10-23	

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Inst/ Backfill	Water Levels	Samples and Tests			Level (m)	Depth (m) <small>(thickness)</small>	Strata		
		Depth (m)	Type/ Ref	Results			Legend	Description	
		0.07	ES		41.10	(0.14) 0.14		MADE GROUND: Asphalt.	
						(0.56)		MADE GROUND: Grey slightly sandy clayey gravel. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse concrete, slate and mudstone.	0.5
		0.90	HV	68 (kPa)	40.54	0.70		MADE GROUND: Stiff greyish brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly clay. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to medium slate and mudstone.	
		1.00	SPT(C)	N=7 (1,1/1,2,2,2) N60=11	40.24	1.00		MADE GROUND: Firm brown slightly sandy gravelly clay. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse brick, mudstone, slate and porcelain. <i>no recovery. (1.00 - 1.30m)</i>	1.0
		2.00	SPT(C)	N=13 (2,2/2,3,4,4) N60=21	39.14	2.10		Stiff brown slightly sandy silty CLAY.	2.0
		2.70	D			(0.90)			2.5
		2.80	HV	80 (kPa)					
		3.00	SPT(C)	N=14 (2,2/3,3,4,4) N60=22	38.24	3.00		Borehole advanced by continous SPT with no recovery attempted.	3.0
		3.50	SPT(C)	N=22 (4,4/5,5,6,6) N60=35		(1.50)			3.5
		4.00	SPT(C)	N=31 (7,7/6,8,8,9) N60=50					4.0
		4.50	SPT(C)	N=50 for 290mm (10,11/12,14,13,11 for 65mm) N60=80	36.74	4.50		End of Borehole at 4.50m	4.5
									5.0
									5.5
									6.0
									6.5
									7.0

Remarks 1) Location CAT scanned prior to drilling. 2) No groundwater encountered during drilling. 3) Drilling to 3.0m and continuous SPT to 5.0m or refusal because of time restraints due to working at night. 4) Backfilled with arisings.	Method, Plant, Stability, Dimensions 0.00 - 4.50m WLS Window Sampler	Logger JH
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# Dynamic (Windowless) Sampler

**WS07**  
Sheet 1 of 1

Hole Type WLS	Easting 218801.00	Northing 246831.00	Ground Level (m) 41.50	Scale 1:35
Project Name Cardigan	Project No. 941.02	Start Date 2025-10-22	End Date 2025-10-22	

Client Lidl Great Britain Ltd	Consultant Remada Ltd	Contractor
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Inst/ Backfill	Water Levels	Samples and Tests			Level (m)	Depth (m) <small>(thickness)</small>	Strata		
		Depth (m)	Type/ Ref	Results			Legend	Description	
		1.00	SPT(C)	N=4 (1,0/1,1,0,2) N60=6	41.31	(0.19)		MADE GROUND: Asphalt.	0.5
						0.19		MADE GROUND: Grey slightly sandy slightly clayey gravel. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse mudstone and sandstone.	
						(0.31)			
		1.60	D		41.00	0.50		MADE GROUND: Grey slightly sandy gravel. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse slate, mudstone and concrete.	1.0
						(0.50)			
						1.00		Stiff brown slightly sandy silty CLAY.	
		2.00	SPT(C)	N=13 (1,2/2,3,4,4) N60=21	40.50	(2.00)		no recovery. (2.00 - 3.00m)	2.0
		3.00	SPT(C)	N=20 (3,3/4,5,5,6) N60=32	38.50	3.00		Borehole advanced by continous SPT with no recovery attempted.	3.0
		3.50	SPT(C)	N=30 (7,7/7,7,8,8) N60=48		(1.00)			3.5
		4.00	SPT(C)	N=50 for 295mm (9,11/12,13,13,12 for 70mm) N60=80	37.50	4.00		End of Borehole at 4.00m	4.0
									4.5
									5.0
									5.5
									6.0
									6.5
									7.0

Remarks 1) Location CAT scanned prior to drilling. 2) No groundwater encountered during drilling. 3) Drilling to 3.0m and continuous SPT to 5.0m or refusal because of time restraints due to working at night. 4) Backfilled with arisings.	Method, Plant, Stability, Dimensions 0.00 - 4.00m WLS Window Sampler	Logger JH
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# Dynamic (Windowless) Sampler

**WS08**  
Sheet 1 of 1

Hole Type WLS	Easting 218818.00	Northing 246857.00	Ground Level (m) 41.30	Scale 1:35
Project Name Cardigan	Project No. 941.02	Start Date 2025-10-22	End Date 2025-10-22	

Client Lidl Great Britain Ltd	Consultant Remada Ltd	Contractor
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Inst/ Backfill	Water Levels	Samples and Tests			Level (m)	Depth (m) <small>(thickness)</small>	Strata		
		Depth (m)	Type/ Ref	Results			Legend	Description	
					41.14	(0.16) 0.16		MADE GROUND: Asphalt.	
		0.60 0.60	ES WAC					MADE GROUND: Brownish grey very sandy slightly clayey gravel. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse mudstone, sandstone and brick.	0.5
		1.00	SPT(C)	N=8 (1,1/2,2,2,2) N60=13		(1.34)			1.0
		1.50	HV	80 (kPa)	39.80	1.50		Stiff greyish brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly CLAY. Gravel is subangular fine to coarse mudstone.	1.5
		2.00	SPT(C)	N=15 (2,2/3,3,4,5) N60=24		(1.50)			2.0
								no recovery. (2.60 - 3.00m)	2.5
		3.00	SPT(C)	N=24 (5,5/5,6,6,7) N60=38	38.30	3.00		Borehole advanced by continous SPT with no recovery attempted.	3.0
		3.50	SPT(C)	N=40 (7,7/10,10,10,10) N60=64		(1.00)			3.5
		4.00	SPT(C)	N=50 for 275mm (11,12/12,14,15,9 for 50mm) N60=80	37.30	4.00		End of Borehole at 4.00m	4.0
									4.5
									5.0
									5.5
									6.0
									6.5
									7.0

Remarks 1) Location CAT scanned prior to drilling. 2) No groundwater encountered during drilling. 3) Drilling to 3.0m and continuous SPT to 5.0m or refusal because of time restraints due to working at night. 4) Backfilled with arisings.	Method, Plant, Stability, Dimensions 0.00 - 4.00m WLS Window Sampler	Logger JH
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# Dynamic (Windowless) Sampler

**WS09**  
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<b>Hole Type</b> WLS	<b>Easting</b> 218835.00	<b>Northing</b> 246841.00	<b>Ground Level (m)</b> 41.84	<b>Scale</b> 1:35
<b>Project Name</b> Cardigan	<b>Project No.</b> 941.02		<b>Start Date</b> 2025-10-22	<b>End Date</b> 2025-10-22

<b>Client</b> Lidl Great Britain Ltd	<b>Consultant</b> Remada Ltd	<b>Contractor</b>
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Inst/ Backfill	Water Levels	Samples and Tests			Level (m)	Depth (m) <small>(thickness)</small>	Strata		
		Depth (m)	Type/ Ref	Results			Legend	Description	
					41.66	(0.18) 0.18		MADE GROUND: Asphalt.	
						(0.57)		MADE GROUND: Grey sandy slightly clayey gravel. Gravel is angular to subangular fine to coarse mudstone and concrete.	0.5
		0.85	HV	58 (kPa)	41.09	0.75		Firm brownish grey gravelly sandy CLAY. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse mudstone, sandstone and quartz.	
		1.00	SPT(C)	N=30 (3,4/5,7,8,10) N60=48	40.84	1.00		Very stiff brownish grey slightly sandy, slightly gravelly CLAY. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse mudstone, sandstone and quartz.	1.0
						(1.00)		no recovery. (1.00 - 1.65m)	1.5
		1.60	D						
		1.90	HV	86 (kPa)	39.84	2.00		Firm brownish grey very gravelly CLAY. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse mudstone, sandstone and quartz.	2.0
		2.00	SPT(C)	N=23 (5,5/5,5,6,7) N60=37				no recovery. (2.00 - 2.45m)	2.5
		2.70	D						
		3.00	SPT(C)	N=18 (4,4/5,4,4,5) N60=29		(2.00)		Borehole advanced by continous SPT with no recovery attempted.	3.0
		3.50	SPT(C)	N=29 (5,6/6,6,8,9) N60=46					3.5
		4.00	SPT(C)	N=50 for 290mm (9,10/12,14,13,11 for 65mm) N60=80	37.84 37.84	4.00 (1.00) 4.00		End of Borehole at 4.00m	4.0
									4.5
									5.0
									5.5
									6.0
									6.5
									7.0

<b>Remarks</b> 1) Location CAT scanned prior to drilling. 2) Groundwater encountered at 1.65m bgl. 3) Drilling to 3.0m and continuous CAT to 5.0m or refusal because of time restraints due to working at night. 4) Backfilled with arisings.	<b>Method, Plant, Stability, Dimensions</b> 0.00 - 4.00m WLS Window Sampler	<b>Logger</b> JH
<b>Checked By:</b> Peter Searing <b>Approved By:</b> Peter Searing <b>Status:</b> FINAL		



## APPENDIX A

# SPT Hammer Energy Test Certificate



# SPT Hammer Energy Test Report

in accordance with BSEN ISO 22476-3:2005

**Socotec uk**  
**Progress close**  
**Binley**  
**Coventry**  
**CV3 2TF**

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Report Date: 30/01/2025  
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Test Operator: DP

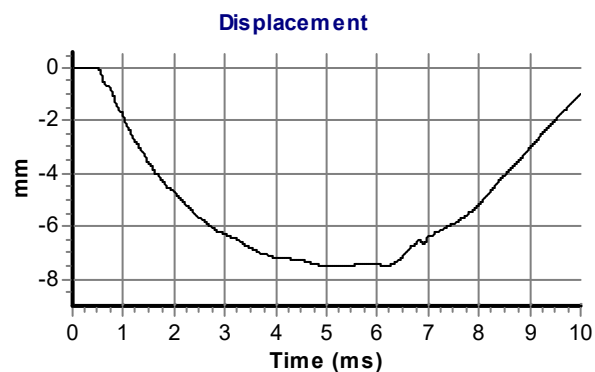
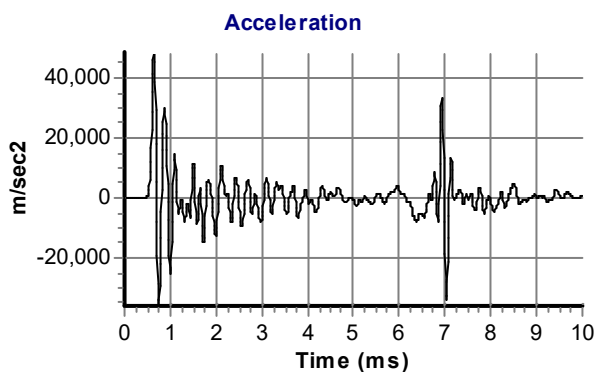
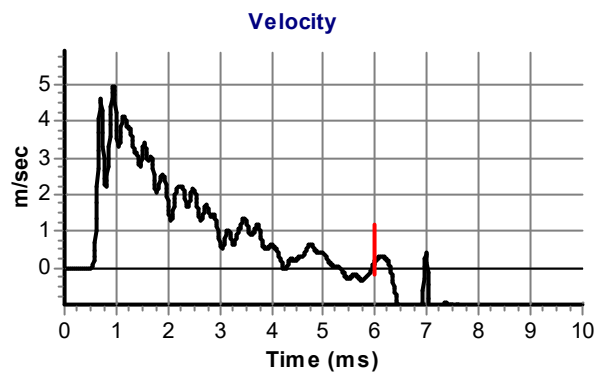
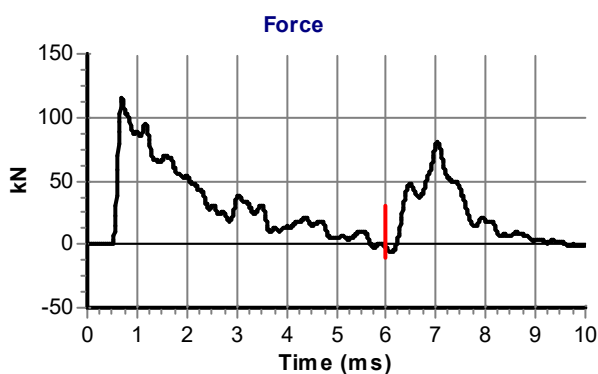
## Instrumented Rod Data

Diameter  $d_r$  (mm): 54  
Wall Thickness  $t_r$  (mm): 6.0  
Assumed Modulus  $E_a$  (GPa): 208  
Accelerometer No.1: 72570  
Accelerometer No.2: 72571

## SPT Hammer Information

Hammer Mass  $m$  (kg): 63.5  
Falling Height  $h$  (mm): 760  
SPT String Length  $L$  (m): 12.6

## Comments / Location



## Calculations

Area of Rod  $A$  (mm<sup>2</sup>): 905  
Theoretical Energy  $E_{\text{theor}}$  (J): 473  
Measured Energy  $E_{\text{meas}}$  (J): 453

**Energy Ratio  $E_r$  (%):** **96**

Signed: D Perrett  
Title: Drilling Supervisor



## APPENDIX B

# Dynamic Cone Penetrometer (DCP) Test Results

# TRL Dynamic Cone Penetrometer Test Results



<b>Client:</b>	Lidl Great Britain Ltd	<b>Site Location:</b>	Cardigan	<b>Test No:</b>	CBR1	<b>Location:</b>	218784 246840
<b>Project No:</b>	941.02	<b>Date:</b>	23.10.2025	<b>Start Depth:</b>	0.14m bgl	<b>Test Strata:</b>	sandy clayey GRAVEL
$\text{Log10}(\text{CBR}) = 2.480 - 1.057 \times \text{Log10}(\text{mm/blow})$						<b>Weather:</b>	Dry Dark

No of Blows	Depth Reading mm	Penetration/Blow mm	CBR %	<p>Estimated CBR %</p>
0	216	0		
1	234	18.0	14.2	
2	238	4.0	69.8	
4	247	4.5	61.6	
6	253	3.0	94.6	
11	275	4.4	63.1	
16	284	1.8	162.2	
26	295	1.1	273.1	
36	305	1.0	302.0	
46	314	0.9	337.6	

Notes:

Tested by : J Hughes Date: 23.10.25	Checked by: P Searing Date: 05.12.25
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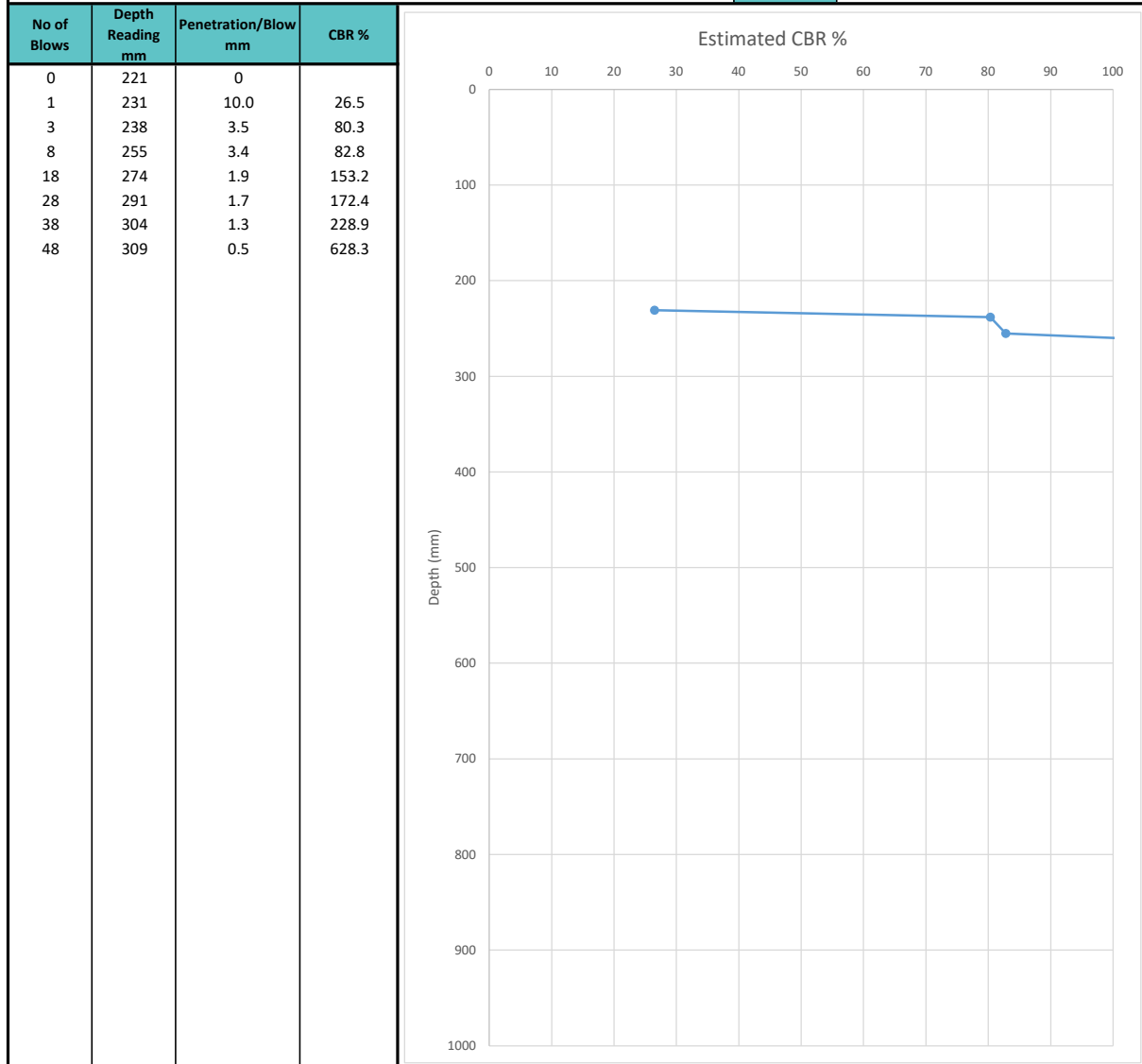
# TRL Dynamic Cone Penetrometer Test Results



Client:	Lidl Great Britain Ltd	Site Location:	Cardigan	Test No:	CBR2	Location:	218801 246831
Project No:	941.02	Date:	22.10.2025	Start Depth:	0.19m bgl	Test Strata:	sandy clayey GRAVEL

$$\text{Log10(CBR)} = 2.480 - 1.057 \times \text{Log10(mm/blow)}$$

Weather: Dry Dark



Notes:

Tested by J Hughes  
Date: 22.10.25

Checked by: P Searing  
Date: 05.12.25



# TRL Dynamic Cone Penetrometer Test Results



<b>Client:</b>	Lidl Great Britain Ltd	<b>Site Location:</b>	Cardigan	<b>Test No:</b>	CBR3	<b>Location:</b>	218818 246857
<b>Project No:</b>	941.02	<b>Date:</b>	22.10.2025	<b>Start Depth:</b>	0.16m bgl	<b>Test Strata:</b>	sandy clayey GRAVEL
$Log10(CBR) = 2.480 - 1.057 \times Log10(mm/blow)$						<b>Weather:</b>	Dry Dark

No of Blows	Depth Reading mm	Penetration/Blow mm	CBR %	<p>Estimated CBR %</p>
0	213	0		
1	231	18.0	14.2	
2	240	9.0	29.6	
4	251	5.5	49.8	
7	262	3.7	76.5	
12	288	5.2	52.9	
17	306	3.6	78.0	
22	324	3.6	78.0	
32	355	3.1	91.3	
42	369	1.4	211.6	

Notes:

Tested by J Hughes Date: 22.10.25	Checked by: P Searing Date: 05.12.25
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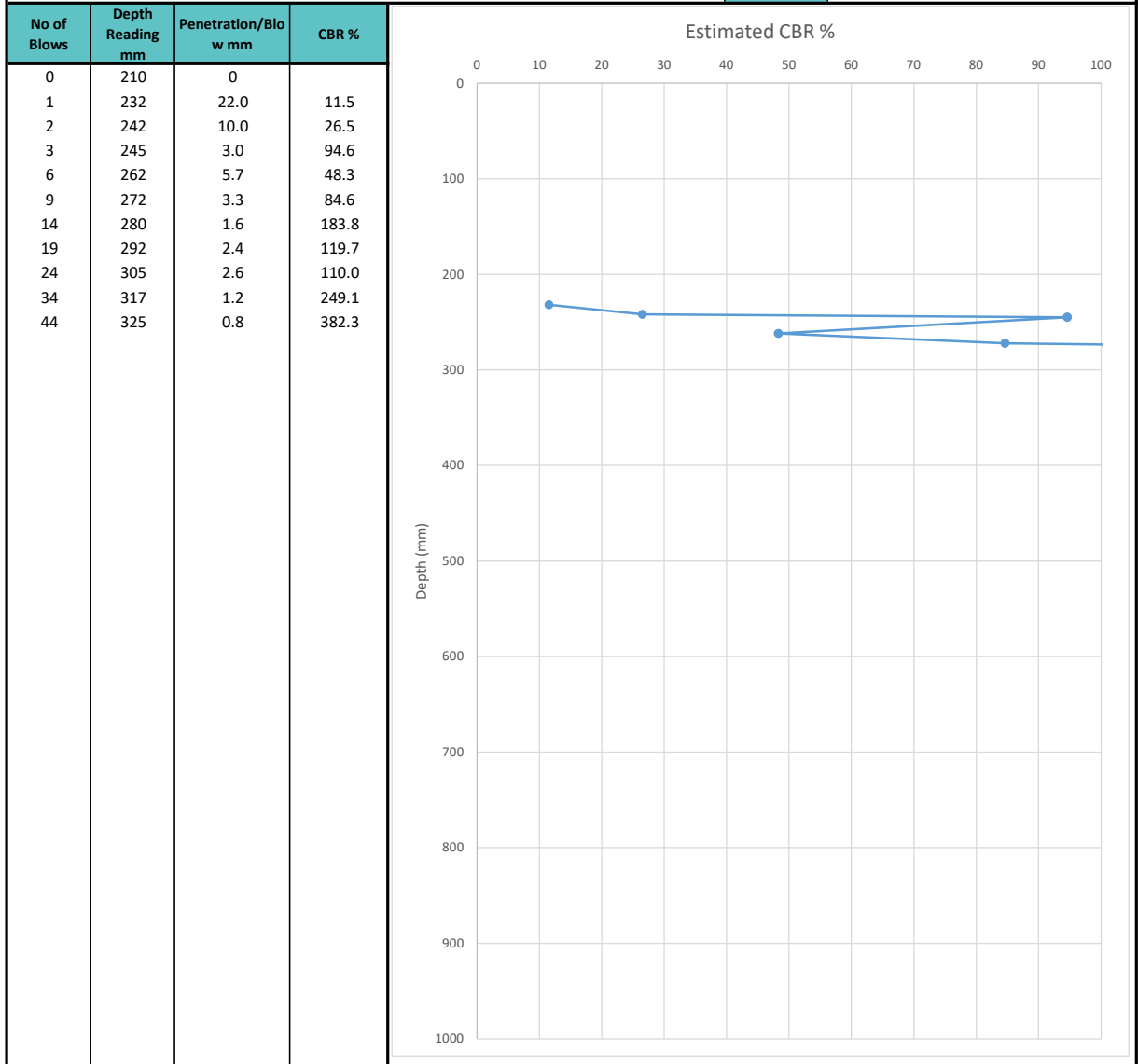
# TRL Dynamic Cone Penetrometer Test Results



<b>Client:</b>	Lidl Great Britain Ltd	<b>Site Location:</b>	Cardigan	<b>Test No:</b>	CBR4	<b>Location:</b>	218835 246841
<b>Project No:</b>	941.02	<b>Date:</b>	22.10.2025	<b>Start Depth:</b>	0.18m bgl	<b>Test Strata:</b>	sandy clayey GRAVEL

$$\text{Log10(CBR)} = 2.480 - 1.057 \times \text{Log10(mm/blow)}$$

**Weather:** Dry Dark



Notes:

Tested by J Hughes  
Date: 22.10.25

Checked by: P Searing  
Date: 05.12.25



## APPENDIX C

# Gas Analyser Calibration Certificate

TEST DATE AND CONDITIONS			
Date		11/04/2025	
Atmospheric Pressure		1005	mB
Ambient Temperature		21.3	°C
EnviroNics Serial No.		9370	

**GFM436 Final Inspection & Calibration  
Check Certificate**

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Customer	Remada Ltd
Certificate Number	126129
Order Number	342447

Serial Number	14048
Software Version	G436-00.0029/0010

Recalibration DUE Date
11/04/26

Instrument Checks					
Keyboard	✓		Display Contrast	✓	
Pump Flow In	500	Accept > 200 cc/min	Pump Flow @ -200mB	300	Accept > 200 cc/min
Clock Set / Running	✓		Labels Fitted	✓	

Gas Checks						
Sensor	CH <sub>4</sub>		CO <sub>2</sub>		O <sub>2</sub>	
	Instrument Gas	True Gas Value %	Instrument Gas	True Gas Value %	Instrument Gas	True Gas Value %
	Readings %		Readings %		Readings %	
	59.8	60	39.5	40	20.9	20.9
	Accept ±3.0		Accept ±3.0		Accept ±0.5	
	5.0	5	5.0	5	6.0	6
	Accept ±0.3		Accept ±0.3		Accept ±0.3	
Zero Reading 100% N2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
	Accept ±0.0		Accept ±0.0		Accept ±0.1	

Optional Gas Checks						
Applied Gas & Range		Concentration Tested @ (ppm)	Instrument Readings (ppm)			
Gas Type	Range (ppm)		Zero Reading		Instrument Gas Reading	
H2S	5000	1500	0	Accept ±0.0	1500	Accept ±5.0%
CO	2000	1000	0	Accept ±0.0	1003	Accept ±5.0%
Hexane	2.0%	2.0%	0	Accept ±0.0	1.99	Accept ±10.0%



Cross Gas Effects									
Applied Gas (ppm)		Instrument Readings (ppm)							
Gas Type	Concentration	Toxic 1:	H2S	Toxic 2:	CO	Toxic 3:	HEX		
H2S	1500	1500		0		0			
CO	1000	90		1003		0			
Hexane	2.0%	0		0		1.99			

Pressure Checks			
Atmospheric Pressure [AP] (mB)			
Current Atmospheric Pressure (mB)		Instrument Atmospheric Pressure Reading (mB)	
AP Open Ports		1005	Accept $\pm 2.0$
AP Port (Internal)	+800 mB	800	Accept $\pm 5.0$
	+1200mb	1200	Accept $\pm 5.0$

Flow Checks					
Borehole Flow			Differential Pressure		
Applied Reading (l/h)	Instrument Reading (l/h)		Applied Pressure (Pa)	Instrument Reading (Pa)	
-30	-30.1	Accept $\pm 3.0$	-391	-397	Accept $\pm 50$
-3	-3.0	Accept $\pm 1.0$	-17	-18	Accept $\pm 6.0$
0	0.0	Accept $\pm 0.0$	0	0	Accept $\pm 0.5$
3	3.0	Accept $\pm 0.5$	15	16	Accept $\pm 3.0$
30	30.0	Accept $\pm 3.0$	344	344	Accept $\pm 50$
60	60.2	Accept $\pm 6.0$	1081	1098	Accept $\pm 130$
90	91.6	Accept $\pm 9.0$	2141	2238	Accept $\pm 250$

Temperature Checks		
Calibration Temperature	Instrument Temperature Reading $^{\circ}\text{C}$	
Applied Temperature $^{\circ}\text{C}$		
-10	-10.0	Accept $\pm 2.0$
0	0.0	Accept $\pm 1.0$
30	30.0	Accept $\pm 1.0$
60	60.0	Accept $\pm 1.0$
100	100.0	Accept $\pm 1.0$

Technician:
<i>Jack Rutland</i>

Date Tested:
<i>11/04/2025</i>

The instrument identified by the serial number stated above has been tested by Gas Data personnel for calibration accuracy on the date and under the ambient conditions stated. Gas Data Ltd internal BS EN ISO9001:2015, BS EN ISO14001:2015, BS EN ISO45001:2018 compliant workshop procedures were followed to apply known calibration test gases, gas flow rates, pressures and temperatures of the values stated.

The results displayed on the instrument at each stage are recorded above.

Gas Data Ltd is certified to BS EN ISO9001:2015, BS EN ISO14001:2015, BS EN ISO45001:2018.



TEST DATE AND CONDITIONS			
Date	11.4.25		
Atmospheric Pressure	1005	mB	
Ambient Temperature	21.3	°C	
Envionics Serial No.	5089		

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### GFM436-1 OUTWARD INSPECTION & QUALITY CHECK SHEET

INSTRUMENT DETAILS			
SO Number	Instrument Type	Instrument Serial Number + SW Version	Job Number(s)
342447	GFM436	14048 G436-29/10	126129

Calibration Technician ..... *J. Williams* .....

Date ..... 11.4.25 .....

Inspection Technician ..... *J. Williams* .....

Date ..... 15-6-23 .....

INSTRUMENT CHECKS		Pass (P), Fail (F) or not applicable (NA)	INSTRUMENT PACKING LIST		Tick if included
Function Tests	Dust Caps Fitted	P	Instrument		✓
	Keyboard Test (All Keys)	P	Leather Case		✓
	Backlight	P	Instrument Strap		✓
	Clock Set / Running	P	AC Battery Charger (UK)		✓
	Comms Test	P	AC Battery Charger (EURO)		X
	Pump Flow Test (In & Out)	P	AC Battery Charger (US)		X
	Overall Leak Test (30mB)	n/a	AC Battery Charger (AUS)		X
	Battery Charge Test	P	Gas Sample Pipe - (new issue)		✓
	Service Date set to?	11/04/26	Flow Sample Pipe - (new issue)		✓
Channel Tests	Data Logging Enabled?	P	Hard Carry Case		✓
	Verify CH4/LEL/Hexane/PID	P	Spares Pot		✓
	Verify CO2	P	Allen Key		✓
	Verify O2	P	Temperature Probe		X
	Verify H2S	P	Vane Anemometer		X
	Verify CO	P	USB Cable		X
	Verify LEL	P	USB Memory stick		X
	Verify 1 <sup>st</sup> Option Gas	N/A	SM V5 Software	Ver 6.05	X
	Verify Atmospheric pressure	P	Internal Filter Pack	Qty	X
	Verify differential pressure	P	External Filter Pack	Qty	X
	Verify flow	P	Field Guide		✓
	Verify temperature probe input	P	<b>Extra Items:</b> USED TUBING.  TAG.		
	Verify vane anemometer input	P			
DataBase Checks	Jobcard(s) completed and signed	P	<b>Comments:</b>  N/A		
	Jobcard(s) booked off database	P			
	Calibration certificate completed	P			
	Complete & print QI record	n/a			
Label Checks	No. of Calibration label fitted	GDC 13791			
	MCERTS label displayed	P			
	Warranty label fitted	P			
H2S Range	H2S Range from Sales Order	5000 ppm			
	H2S Range from Cal Cert	5000 ppm			
	Over-range value correct?	P			
QA Cylinders Used	No. of High Range CH4/CO2	SIPLEX110 - 56779			
	No. of Low Range CH4/CO2/O2	" - 69849			
	No. of H2S	" 6037295			
	No. of CO	" - 69834			
	No. of Optional Cylinder	N/A			







## APPENDIX D

# Laboratory Chemical Analysis



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## Analytical Report Number : 25-058455

<b>Project / Site name:</b>	Cardigan	<b>Samples received on:</b>	24/10/2025
<b>Your job number:</b>	941.02	<b>Samples instructed on/ Analysis started on:</b>	28/10/2025
<b>Your order number:</b>	941.02	<b>Analysis completed by:</b>	07/11/2025
<b>Report Issue Number:</b>	1	<b>Report issued on:</b>	07/11/2025
<b>Samples Analysed:</b>	7 soil samples - 3 leachate samples		

**Signed:**

Dominika Liana  
Junior Reporting Specialist  
**For & on behalf of i2 Analytical Ltd.**

Standard Geotechnical, Asbestos and Chemical Testing Laboratory located at: ul. Pionierów 39, 41-711 Ruda Śląska, Poland.

Accredited tests are defined within the report, opinions and interpretations expressed herein are outside the scope of accreditation.

Standard sample disposal times, unless otherwise agreed with the laboratory, are :

soils	- 4 weeks from reporting
leachates	- 2 weeks from reporting
waters	- 2 weeks from reporting
asbestos	- 6 months from reporting
air	- once the analysis is complete

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Retention period for records and reports is minimum 6 years from the date of issue of the final report.  
Some records may be kept for longer according to other legal/best practice requirements.

Any assessments of compliance with specifications are based on actual analytical results with no contribution from uncertainty of measurement.  
Application of uncertainty of measurement would provide a range within which the true result lies.  
An estimate of measurement uncertainty can be provided on request.



Analytical Report Number: 25-058455  
Project / Site name: Cardigan  
Your Order No: 941.02

Lab Sample Number	732028	732029	732030	732031	732032
Sample Reference	WS01	WS02	WS03	WS04	WS08
Sample Number	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied
Water Matrix	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Depth (m)	0.70	0.70	0.50	1.70	0.60
Date Sampled	24/10/2025	24/10/2025	23/10/2025	23/10/2025	23/10/2025
Time Taken	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied
Analytical Parameter (Soil Analysis)	Units	Test Limit of detection	Test Accreditation Status		

Stone Content	%	0.1	NONE	43.6	56.6	89.6	16.8	56.4
Moisture Content	%	0.01	NONE	3.1	1	1.9	13	3.9
Total mass of sample received	kg	0.1	NONE	2	2	2	2	2

Asbestos

Asbestos in Soil Detected/Not Detected	Type	N/A	ISO 17025	Not-detected	Not-detected	Not-detected	Not-detected	Not-detected
Asbestos Analyst ID	N/A	N/A	N/A	KJK	KJK	KJK	KJK	KJK
Analysis completed	N/A	N/A	N/A	05/11/2025	05/11/2025	05/11/2025	05/11/2025	05/11/2025

General Inorganics

pH (L005B)	pH Units	N/A	MCERTS	9.1	-	-	8.3	7.9
pH (L099)	pH Units	N/A	MCERTS	8.9	8.4	8.4	9.2	7.9
Total Cyanide	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0
Total Sulphate as SO <sub>4</sub>	%	0.005	MCERTS	-	-	-	0.104	-
Water Soluble Sulphate as SO <sub>4</sub> 16hr extraction (2:1)	mg/kg	2.5	MCERTS	-	-	-	440	-
Water Soluble SO <sub>4</sub> 16hr extraction (2:1 Leachate Equivalent)	mg/l	1.25	MCERTS	-	-	-	218	-
Water Soluble Chloride (2:1) (leachate equivalent)	mg/l	0.5	MCERTS	-	-	-	23	-
Total Sulphur	mg/kg	50	MCERTS	-	-	-	710	-
Total Sulphur	%	0.005	MCERTS	-	-	-	0.071	-
Ammoniacal Nitrogen as NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup>	mg/kg	0.5	MCERTS	-	-	-	< 0.5	-
Ammonium as NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup> (10:1 leachate equivalent)	mg/l	0.05	MCERTS	-	-	-	< 0.05	-
Fraction Organic Carbon (FOC) Automated	N/A	0.001	MCERTS	0.001	< 0.0010	< 0.0010	0.013	< 0.0010
Total Organic Carbon (TOC) - Automated	%	0.1	MCERTS	0.1	-	-	1.3	< 0.1
Loss on Ignition @ 450°C	%	0.2	MCERTS	0.4	-	-	3.7	0.7
Water Soluble Nitrate (2:1) as NO <sub>3</sub>	mg/kg	2	NONE	-	-	-	21	-
Water Soluble Nitrate (2:1) as NO <sub>3</sub> (leachate equivalent)	mg/l	5	NONE	-	-	-	10	-
Acid Neutralisation Capacity	+/- mmol/kg	-9999	NONE	51	-	-	16	12

Total Phenols

Total Phenols (monohydric)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0
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Sample Reference				WS01	WS02	WS03	WS04	WS08
Sample Number				None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied
Water Matrix				N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Depth (m)				0.70	0.70	0.50	1.70	0.60
Date Sampled				24/10/2025	24/10/2025	23/10/2025	23/10/2025	23/10/2025
Time Taken				None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied
Analytical Parameter (Soil Analysis)	Units	Test Limit of detection	Test Accreditation Status					

Speciated PAHs

Naphthalene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Acenaphthylene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Acenaphthene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Fluorene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.07	< 0.05
Phenanthrene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	1.1	< 0.05
Anthracene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.43	< 0.05
Fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	2.2	< 0.05
Pyrene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	1.7	< 0.05
Benzo(a)anthracene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	1.2	< 0.05
Chrysene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	1.1	< 0.05
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.05	ISO 17025	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	1.2	< 0.05
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.05	ISO 17025	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.52	< 0.05
Benzo(a)pyrene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.95	< 0.05
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.42	< 0.05
Dibenz(a,h)anthracene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.13	< 0.05
Benzo(ghi)perylene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.45	< 0.05
Coronene	mg/kg	0.05	NONE	< 0.05	-	-	0.12	< 0.05

Total PAH

Speciated Total EPA-16 PAHs	mg/kg	0.8	ISO 17025	< 0.80	< 0.80	< 0.80	11.4	< 0.80
Total WAC-17 PAHs	mg/kg	0.85	NONE	< 0.85	-	-	11.5	< 0.85

Heavy Metals / Metalloids

Arsenic (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	5.1	3.9	< 1.0	17	3.4
Beryllium (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	0.06	MCERTS	0.17	0.11	0.23	0.7	0.42
Boron (water soluble)	mg/kg	0.2	MCERTS	0.4	0.5	0.4	1	0.6
Cadmium (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	0.2	MCERTS	0.2	< 0.2	0.5	0.2	0.4
Chromium (hexavalent)	mg/kg	1.8	MCERTS	< 1.8	< 1.8	< 1.8	< 1.8	< 1.8
Chromium (III)	mg/kg	1	NONE	6.5	6.4	5	29	6.9
Chromium (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	6.5	6.4	5	29	6.9
Copper (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	9.4	17	5.1	44	9.6
Lead (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	3.1	4.1	1.5	88	3.5
Mercury (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	0.3	MCERTS	< 0.3	< 0.3	< 0.3	< 0.3	< 0.3
Nickel (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	4.7	3.5	3.1	22	6.9
Selenium (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0
Vanadium (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	6	5.4	3.7	37	5.5
Zinc (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	9.1	15	8.2	120	8.3

Magnesium (leachate equivalent)	mg/l	2.5	NONE	-	-	-	3.5	-
Magnesium (water soluble)	mg/kg	5	NONE	-	-	-	6.9	-

Analytical Report Number: 25-058455

Project / Site name: Cardigan

Your Order No: 941.02

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Sample Reference	WS01	WS02	WS03	WS04	WS08
Sample Number	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied
Water Matrix	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Depth (m)	0.70	0.70	0.50	1.70	0.60
Date Sampled	24/10/2025	24/10/2025	23/10/2025	23/10/2025	23/10/2025
Time Taken	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied
Analytical Parameter (Soil Analysis)	Units	Test Limit of detection	Test Accreditation Status		

#### Petroleum Hydrocarbons

TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC5 - EC6 <sub>HS_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	0.01	MCERTS	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC6 - EC8 <sub>HS_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	0.01	MCERTS	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC8 - EC10 <sub>HS_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	0.01	MCERTS	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC10 - EC12 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC12 - EC16 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	2	MCERTS	< 2.0	< 2.0	< 2.0	< 2.0	< 2.0
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC16 - EC21 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	8	MCERTS	< 8.0	< 8.0	< 8.0	< 8.0	< 8.0
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC21 - EC35 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	8	MCERTS	40	< 8.0	14	< 8.0	< 8.0
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC5 - EC35 <sub>EH_CU+HS_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	10	NONE	40	< 10	14	< 10	< 10

TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC5 - EC7 <sub>HS_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	0.01	MCERTS	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC7 - EC8 <sub>HS_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	0.01	MCERTS	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC8 - EC10 <sub>HS_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	0.02	MCERTS	< 0.020	< 0.020	< 0.020	< 0.020	< 0.020
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC10 - EC12 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0	< 1.0
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC12 - EC16 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	2	MCERTS	< 2.0	< 2.0	< 2.0	< 2.0	< 2.0
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC16 - EC21 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	10	MCERTS	< 10	< 10	< 10	< 10	< 10
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC21 - EC35 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	10	MCERTS	13	< 10	< 10	24	< 10
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC5 - EC35 <sub>EH_CU+HS_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	10	NONE	13	< 10	< 10	24	< 10

Mineral Oil (EC10 - EC40) <sub>EH_CU_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	10	NONE	62	-	-	< 10	< 10
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#### VOCs

MTBE (Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether)	µg/kg	5	MCERTS	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0
Benzene	µg/kg	5	MCERTS	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0
Toluene	µg/kg	5	MCERTS	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0
Ethylbenzene	µg/kg	5	MCERTS	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0
p & m-Xylene	µg/kg	8	MCERTS	< 8.0	< 8.0	< 8.0	< 8.0	< 8.0
o-Xylene	µg/kg	5	MCERTS	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0

Total BTEX	µg/kg	10	MCERTS	< 10	-	-	< 10	< 10
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#### PCBs by GC-MS

PCB Congener 28	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	< 0.001	-	-	< 0.001	< 0.001
PCB Congener 52	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	< 0.001	-	-	< 0.001	< 0.001
PCB Congener 101	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	< 0.001	-	-	< 0.001	< 0.001
PCB Congener 118	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	< 0.001	-	-	< 0.001	< 0.001
PCB Congener 138	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	< 0.001	-	-	< 0.001	< 0.001
PCB Congener 153	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	< 0.001	-	-	< 0.001	< 0.001
PCB Congener 180	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	< 0.001	-	-	< 0.001	< 0.001

Total PCBs	mg/kg	0.007	MCERTS	< 0.007	-	-	< 0.007	< 0.007
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Project / Site name: Cardigan  
Your Order No: 941.02

Lab Sample Number				732033	732034
Sample Reference				WS05	WS06
Sample Number				None Supplied	None Supplied
Water Matrix				N/A	N/A
Depth (m)				0.07	0.07
Date Sampled				24/10/2025	24/10/2025
Time Taken				None Supplied	None Supplied
Analytical Parameter (Soil Analysis)	Units	Test Limit of detection	Test Accreditation Status		

Stone Content	%	0.1	NONE	< 0.1	< 0.1
Moisture Content	%	0.01	NONE	0.15	0.42
Total mass of sample received	kg	0.1	NONE	0.4	0.4

Asbestos

Asbestos in Soil Detected/Not Detected	Type	N/A	ISO 17025	-	-
Asbestos Analyst ID	N/A	N/A	N/A	-	-
Analysis completed	N/A	N/A	N/A	-	-

General Inorganics

pH (L005B)	pH Units	N/A	MCERTS	-	-
pH (L099)	pH Units	N/A	MCERTS	-	-
Total Cyanide	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	-	-
Total Sulphate as SO <sub>4</sub>	%	0.005	MCERTS	-	-
Water Soluble Sulphate as SO <sub>4</sub> 16hr extraction (2:1)	mg/kg	2.5	MCERTS	-	-
Water Soluble SO <sub>4</sub> 16hr extraction (2:1 Leachate Equivalent)	mg/l	1.25	MCERTS	-	-
Water Soluble Chloride (2:1) (leachate equivalent)	mg/l	0.5	MCERTS	-	-
Total Sulphur	mg/kg	50	MCERTS	-	-
Total Sulphur	%	0.005	MCERTS	-	-
Ammoniacal Nitrogen as NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup>	mg/kg	0.5	MCERTS	-	-
Ammonium as NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup> (10:1 leachate equivalent)	mg/l	0.05	MCERTS	-	-
Fraction Organic Carbon (FOC) Automated	N/A	0.001	MCERTS	-	-
Total Organic Carbon (TOC) - Automated	%	0.1	MCERTS	-	-
Loss on Ignition @ 450°C	%	0.2	MCERTS	-	-
Water Soluble Nitrate (2:1) as NO <sub>3</sub>	mg/kg	2	NONE	-	-
Water Soluble Nitrate (2:1) as NO <sub>3</sub> (leachate equivalent)	mg/l	5	NONE	-	-
Acid Neutralisation Capacity	+/- mmol/kg	-9999	NONE	-	-

Total Phenols

Total Phenols (monohydric)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	-	-
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Lab Sample Number				732033	732034
Sample Reference				WS05	WS06
Sample Number				None Supplied	None Supplied
Water Matrix				N/A	N/A
Depth (m)				0.07	0.07
Date Sampled				24/10/2025	24/10/2025
Time Taken				None Supplied	None Supplied
Analytical Parameter (Soil Analysis)	Units	Test Limit of detection	Test Accreditation Status		

Speciated PAHs

Naphthalene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05
Acenaphthylene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05
Acenaphthene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05
Fluorene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05
Phenanthrene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	0.09
Anthracene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05
Fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05
Pyrene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05
Benzo(a)anthracene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05
Chrysene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.05	ISO 17025	< 0.05	< 0.05
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.05	ISO 17025	< 0.05	< 0.05
Benzo(a)pyrene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05
Dibenz(a,h)anthracene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	< 0.05	< 0.05
Benzo(ghi)perylene	mg/kg	0.05	MCERTS	0.08	0.07
Coronene	mg/kg	0.05	NONE	< 0.05	< 0.05

Total PAH

Speciated Total EPA-16 PAHs	mg/kg	0.8	ISO 17025	-	-
Total WAC-17 PAHs	mg/kg	0.85	NONE	< 0.85	< 0.85

Heavy Metals / Metalloids

Arsenic (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	-	-
Beryllium (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	0.06	MCERTS	-	-
Boron (water soluble)	mg/kg	0.2	MCERTS	-	-
Cadmium (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	0.2	MCERTS	-	-
Chromium (hexavalent)	mg/kg	1.8	MCERTS	-	-
Chromium (III)	mg/kg	1	NONE	-	-
Chromium (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	-	-
Copper (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	-	-
Lead (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	-	-
Mercury (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	0.3	MCERTS	-	-
Nickel (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	-	-
Selenium (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	-	-
Vanadium (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	-	-
Zinc (aqua regia extractable)	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	-	-

Magnesium (leachate equivalent)	mg/l	2.5	NONE	-	-
Magnesium (water soluble)	mg/kg	5	NONE	-	-



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Lab Sample Number				732033	732034
Sample Reference				WS05	WS06
Sample Number				None Supplied	None Supplied
Water Matrix				N/A	N/A
Depth (m)				0.07	0.07
Date Sampled				24/10/2025	24/10/2025
Time Taken				None Supplied	None Supplied
Analytical Parameter (Soil Analysis)				Units	Test Limit of detection
				Test Accreditation Status	

Petroleum Hydrocarbons

TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC5 - EC6 <sub>HS_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	0.01	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC6 - EC8 <sub>HS_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	0.01	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC8 - EC10 <sub>HS_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	0.01	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC10 - EC12 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC12 - EC16 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	2	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC16 - EC21 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	8	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC21 - EC35 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	8	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aliphatic >EC5 - EC35 <sub>EH_CU+HS_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	10	NONE	-	-

TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC5 - EC7 <sub>HS_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	0.01	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC7 - EC8 <sub>HS_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	0.01	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC8 - EC10 <sub>HS_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	0.02	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC10 - EC12 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	1	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC12 - EC16 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	2	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC16 - EC21 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	10	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC21 - EC35 <sub>EH_CU_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	10	MCERTS	-	-
TPHCWG - Aromatic >EC5 - EC35 <sub>EH_CU+HS_1D_AR</sub>	mg/kg	10	NONE	-	-

Mineral Oil (EC10 - EC40) <sub>EH_CU_1D_AL</sub>	mg/kg	10	NONE	-	-
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VOCs

MTBE (Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether)	µg/kg	5	MCERTS	-	-
Benzene	µg/kg	5	MCERTS	-	-
Toluene	µg/kg	5	MCERTS	-	-
Ethylbenzene	µg/kg	5	MCERTS	-	-
p & m-Xylene	µg/kg	8	MCERTS	-	-
o-Xylene	µg/kg	5	MCERTS	-	-

Total BTEX	µg/kg	10	MCERTS	-	-
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PCBs by GC-MS

PCB Congener 28	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	-	-
PCB Congener 52	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	-	-
PCB Congener 101	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	-	-
PCB Congener 118	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	-	-
PCB Congener 138	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	-	-
PCB Congener 153	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	-	-
PCB Congener 180	mg/kg	0.001	MCERTS	-	-

Total PCBs	mg/kg	0.007	MCERTS	-	-
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Project / Site name: Cardigan

Your Order No: 941.02

Lab Sample Number				732028	732031	732032
Sample Reference				WS01	WS04	WS08
Sample Number				None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied
Water Matrix				N/A	N/A	N/A
Depth (m)				0.70	1.70	0.60
Date Sampled				24/10/2025	23/10/2025	23/10/2025
Time Taken				None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied
Analytical Parameter (Leachate Analysis)				Units	Test Limit of detection	Test Accreditation Status

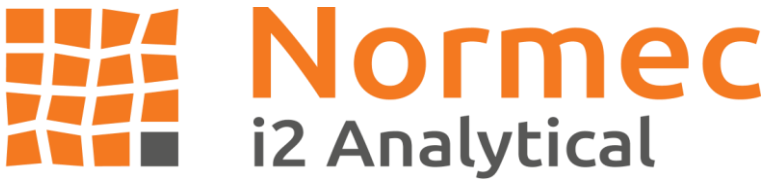
10:1 WAC Leachate

Arsenic	mg/l	0.001	ISO 17025	0.00249	< 0.00100	< 0.00100
Barium	mg/l	0.00005	ISO 17025	0.031	0.0102	0.0262
Cadmium	mg/l	0.0001	ISO 17025	< 0.000100	< 0.000100	< 0.000100
Chromium	mg/l	0.0004	ISO 17025	< 0.00040	0.003	< 0.00040
Copper	mg/l	0.0007	ISO 17025	< 0.00070	0.02	0.024
Mercury	mg/l	0.0005	ISO 17025	< 0.000500	< 0.000500	< 0.000500
Molybdenum	mg/l	0.0004	ISO 17025	0.00315	0.00595	0.00163
Nickel	mg/l	0.0003	ISO 17025	< 0.00030	0.0024	0.00089
Lead	mg/l	0.001	ISO 17025	0.0016	< 0.0010	< 0.0010
Antimony	mg/l	0.0017	ISO 17025	0.0033	< 0.0017	< 0.0017
Selenium	mg/l	0.004	ISO 17025	< 0.0040	< 0.0040	< 0.0040
Zinc	mg/l	0.0004	ISO 17025	0.0084	0.015	0.012
Chloride	mg/l	0.15	ISO 17025	1.4	2.1	1.1
Fluoride	mg/l	0.05	ISO 17025	0.17	0.27	0.1
Sulphate	mg/l	0.045	ISO 17025	150	30	210
Total dissolved solids	mg/l	6	ISO 17025	210	82	280
Total monohydric phenols	mg/l	0.01	ISO 17025	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010
Dissolved organic carbon	mg/l	0.1	NONE	3.54	6.28	4.14

10:1 WAC Leachate

Arsenic	mg/kg	0.01	NONE	0.0249	< 0.0100	< 0.0100
Barium	mg/kg	0.0005	NONE	0.31	0.102	0.262
Cadmium	mg/kg	0.001	NONE	< 0.00100	< 0.00100	< 0.00100
Chromium	mg/kg	0.004	NONE	< 0.0040	0.03	< 0.0040
Copper	mg/kg	0.007	NONE	< 0.0070	0.2	0.24
Mercury	mg/kg	0.005	NONE	< 0.00500	< 0.00500	< 0.00500
Molybdenum	mg/kg	0.004	NONE	0.0315	0.0595	0.0163
Nickel	mg/kg	0.003	NONE	< 0.0030	0.024	0.0089
Lead	mg/kg	0.01	NONE	0.016	< 0.010	< 0.010
Antimony	mg/kg	0.017	NONE	0.033	< 0.017	< 0.017
Selenium	mg/kg	0.04	NONE	< 0.040	< 0.040	< 0.040
Zinc	mg/kg	0.004	NONE	0.084	0.15	0.12
Chloride	mg/kg	1.5	NONE	14	21	11
Fluoride	mg/kg	0.5	NONE	1.7	2.7	1
Sulphate	mg/kg	0.45	NONE	1500	300	2100
Total dissolved solids	mg/kg	60	NONE	2100	820	2800
Total monohydric phenols	mg/kg	0.1	NONE	< 0.10	< 0.10	< 0.10
Dissolved organic carbon	mg/kg	1	NONE	35.4	62.8	41.4

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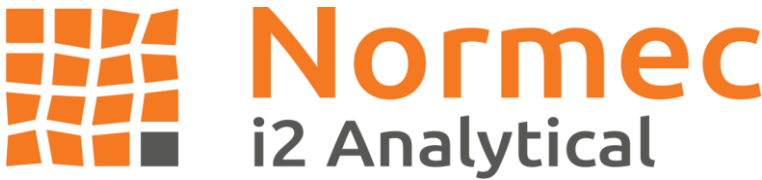
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Waste Acceptance Criteria Analytical Results							
Report No:	25-058455						
					Client: Remada Ltd		
Location	Cardigan						
Lab Reference (Sample Number)	732028				Landfill Waste Acceptance Criteria		
Sampling Date	24/10/2025				Inert Waste Landfill	Stable Non-reactive HAZARDOUS waste in non-hazardous Landfill	Hazardous Waste Landfill
Sample ID	WS01						
Depth (m)	0.70						
Solid Waste Analysis							
TOC (%)	0.1				3%	5%	6%
Loss on Ignition (%)	0.4				--	--	10%
BTEX (µg/kg)	< 10				6000	--	--
Sum of PCBs (mg/kg)	< 0.007				1	--	--
Mineral Oil (mg/kg) EH_1D_CU_AL	62				500	--	--
Total PAH (WAC-17) (mg/kg)	< 0.85				100	--	--
pH (units)	9.1				--	>6	--
Acid Neutralisation Capacity (mmol / kg)	51				--	To be evaluated	To be evaluated
Eluate Analysis  (BS EN 12457 - 2 preparation utilising end over end leaching procedure)	10:1			10:1	Limit values for compliance leaching test		
	mg/l			mg/kg	using BS EN 12457-2 at L/S 10 l/kg (mg/kg)		
Arsenic *	0.00249			0.0249	0.5	2	25
Barium *	0.031			0.31	20	100	300
Cadmium *	< 0.000100			< 0.00100	0.04	1	5
Chromium *	< 0.00040			< 0.0040	0.5	10	70
Copper *	< 0.00070			< 0.0070	2	50	100
Mercury *	< 0.000500			< 0.00500	0.01	0.2	2
Molybdenum *	0.00315			0.0315	0.5	10	30
Nickel *	< 0.00030			< 0.0030	0.4	10	40
Lead *	0.0016			0.016	0.5	10	50
Antimony *	0.0033			0.033	0.06	0.7	5
Selenium *	< 0.0040			< 0.040	0.1	0.5	7
Zinc *	0.0084			0.084	4	50	200
Chloride *	1.4			14	800	15000	25000
Fluoride*	0.17			1.7	10	150	500
Sulphate *	150			1500	1000	20000	50000
TDS*	210			2100	4000	60000	100000
Phenol Index (Monohydric Phenols) *	< 0.010			< 0.10	1	-	-
DOC	3.54			35.4	500	800	1000
Leach Test Information							
Stone Content (%)	43.6						
Sample Mass (kg)	2						
Dry Matter (%)	97						
Moisture (%)	3.1						
Results are expressed on a dry weight basis, after correction for moisture content where applicable.					*= UKAS accredited (liquid eluate analysis only)		
Stated limits are for guidance only and i2 cannot be held responsible for any discrepancies with current legislation					** = MCERTS accredited		

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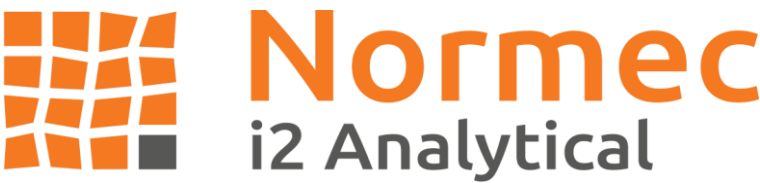
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Waste Acceptance Criteria Analytical Results							
Report No:	25-058455						
					Client: Remada Ltd		
Location	Cardigan						
Lab Reference (Sample Number)	732031				Landfill Waste Acceptance Criteria		
Sampling Date	23/10/2025				Inert Waste Landfill	Stable Non-reactive HAZARDOUS waste in non-hazardous Landfill	Hazardous Waste Landfill
Sample ID	WS04						
Depth (m)	1.70						
Solid Waste Analysis							
TOC (%)**	1.3				3%	5%	6%
Loss on Ignition (%) **	3.7				--	--	10%
BTEX (µg/kg) **	< 10				6000	--	--
Sum of PCBs (mg/kg) **	< 0.007				1	--	--
Mineral Oil (mg/kg) <small>EH_1D_CU_AL</small>	< 10				500	--	--
Total PAH (WAC-17) (mg/kg)	11.5				100	--	--
pH (units)**	8.3				--	>6	--
Acid Neutralisation Capacity (mmol / kg)	16				--	To be evaluated	To be evaluated
Eluate Analysis  (BS EN 12457 - 2 preparation utilising end over end leaching procedure)	10:1			10:1	Limit values for compliance leaching test		
	mg/l			mg/kg	using BS EN 12457-2 at L/S 10 l/kg (mg/kg)		
Arsenic *	< 0.00100			< 0.0100	0.5	2	25
Barium *	0.0102			0.102	20	100	300
Cadmium *	< 0.000100			< 0.00100	0.04	1	5
Chromium *	0.003			0.03	0.5	10	70
Copper *	0.02			0.2	2	50	100
Mercury *	< 0.000500			< 0.00500	0.01	0.2	2
Molybdenum *	0.00595			0.0595	0.5	10	30
Nickel *	0.0024			0.024	0.4	10	40
Lead *	< 0.0010			< 0.010	0.5	10	50
Antimony *	< 0.0017			< 0.017	0.06	0.7	5
Selenium *	< 0.0040			< 0.040	0.1	0.5	7
Zinc *	0.015			0.15	4	50	200
Chloride *	2.1			21	800	15000	25000
Fluoride*	0.27			2.7	10	150	500
Sulphate *	30			300	1000	20000	50000
TDS*	82			820	4000	60000	100000
Phenol Index (Monohydric Phenols) *	< 0.010			< 0.10	1	-	-
DOC	6.28			62.8	500	800	1000
Leach Test Information							
Stone Content (%)	16.8						
Sample Mass (kg)	2						
Dry Matter (%)	87						
Moisture (%)	13						
Results are expressed on a dry weight basis, after correction for moisture content where applicable.					*= UKAS accredited (liquid eluate analysis only)		
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Waste Acceptance Criteria Analytical Results							
Report No:	25-058455						
					Client: Remada Ltd		
Location	Cardigan						
Lab Reference (Sample Number)	732032				Landfill Waste Acceptance Criteria		
Sampling Date	23/10/2025				Inert Waste Landfill	Stable Non-reactive HAZARDOUS waste in non-hazardous Landfill	Hazardous Waste Landfill
Sample ID	WS08						
Depth (m)	0.60						
Solid Waste Analysis							
TOC (%)**	< 0.1				3%	5%	6%
Loss on Ignition (%) **	0.7				--	--	10%
BTEX (µg/kg) **	< 10				6000	--	--
Sum of PCBs (mg/kg) **	< 0.007				1	--	--
Mineral Oil (mg/kg) <small>EH_1D_CU_AL</small>	< 10				500	--	--
Total PAH (WAC-17) (mg/kg)	< 0.85				100	--	--
pH (units)**	7.9				--	>6	--
Acid Neutralisation Capacity (mmol / kg)	12				--	To be evaluated	To be evaluated
Eluate Analysis  (BS EN 12457 - 2 preparation utilising end over end leaching procedure)	10:1			10:1	Limit values for compliance leaching test		
	mg/l			mg/kg	using BS EN 12457-2 at L/S 10 l/kg (mg/kg)		
Arsenic *	< 0.00100			< 0.0100	0.5	2	25
Barium *	0.0262			0.262	20	100	300
Cadmium *	< 0.000100			< 0.00100	0.04	1	5
Chromium *	< 0.00040			< 0.0040	0.5	10	70
Copper *	0.024			0.24	2	50	100
Mercury *	< 0.000500			< 0.00500	0.01	0.2	2
Molybdenum *	0.00163			0.0163	0.5	10	30
Nickel *	0.00089			0.0089	0.4	10	40
Lead *	< 0.0010			< 0.010	0.5	10	50
Antimony *	< 0.0017			< 0.017	0.06	0.7	5
Selenium *	< 0.0040			< 0.040	0.1	0.5	7
Zinc *	0.012			0.12	4	50	200
Chloride *	1.1			11	800	15000	25000
Fluoride*	0.1			1	10	150	500
Sulphate *	210			2100	1000	20000	50000
TDS*	280			2800	4000	60000	100000
Phenol Index (Monohydric Phenols) *	< 0.010			< 0.10	1	-	-
DOC	4.14			41.4	500	800	1000
Leach Test Information							
Stone Content (%)	56.4						
Sample Mass (kg)	2						
Dry Matter (%)	96						
Moisture (%)	3.9						
Results are expressed on a dry weight basis, after correction for moisture content where applicable.					*= UKAS accredited (liquid eluate analysis only)		
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Stone content of a sample is calculated as the % weight of the stones not passing a 10 mm sieve. Results are not corrected for stone content.

Lab Sample Number	Sample Reference	Sample Number	Depth (m)	Sample Description *
732028	WS01	None Supplied	0.7	Brown gravelly sand with stones
732029	WS02	None Supplied	0.7	Brown gravelly sand with stones
732030	WS03	None Supplied	0.5	Brown clay and sand with gravel and stones
732031	WS04	None Supplied	1.7	Brown clay and sand with gravel
732032	WS08	None Supplied	0.6	Brown clay and sand with gravel and stones
732033	WS05	None Supplied	0.07	Non Soil. <sup>*g</sup>
732034	WS06	None Supplied	0.07	Non Soil. <sup>*g</sup>

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Analytical Test Name	Analytical Method Description	Analytical Method Reference	Method number	Wet / Dry Analysis	Accreditation Status
Asbestos identification in Soil	Asbestos Identification with the use of polarised light microscopy in conjunction with dispersion staining techniques	In-house method based on HSG 248, 2021	A001B	D	ISO 17025
pH at 20°C in soil	Determination of pH in soil by addition of water followed by electrometric measurement	In-house method	L005B	W	MCERTS
Total organic carbon (Automated) in soil	Determination of organic matter in soil by oxidising with potassium dichromate followed by titration with iron (II) sulphate (Walkley Black Method)	In-house method	L009B	D	MCERTS
Moisture Content	Moisture content, determined gravimetrically (up to 30°C)	In-house method	L019B	W	NONE
Stones content of soil	Standard preparation for all samples unless otherwise detailed. Gravimetric determination of stone > 10 mm as % dry weight	In-house method based on British Standard Methods and MCERTS requirements.	L019B	D	NONE
PCB's By GC-MS in soil	Determination of PCB by extraction with hexane followed by GC-MS	In-house method based on USEPA 8082	L027B	D	MCERTS
Total dissolved solids 10:1 WAC	Determination of total dissolved solids in water by electrometric measurement	In-house method based on Examination of Water and Wastewater 20th Edition: Clesceri, Greenberg & Eaton	L031B	W	ISO 17025
Fluoride 10:1 WAC	Determination of fluoride in leachate by 1:1ratio with a buffer solution followed by Ion Selective Electrode	In-house method based on Use of Total Ionic Strength Adjustment Buffer for Electrode Determination	L033B	W	ISO 17025
Dissolved organic carbon 10:1 WAC	Determination of dissolved organic carbon in leachate by TOC/DOC NDIR Analyser	In-house method based on Examination of Water and Wastewater 20th Edition: Clesceri, Greenberg & Eaton	L037B	W	NONE
Metals in soil by ICP-OES	Determination of metals in soil by aqua-regia digestion followed by ICP-OES	In-house method based on MEWAM 2006 Methods for the Determination of Metals in Soil	L038B	D	MCERTS
Boron, water soluble, in soil	Determination of water soluble boron in soil by hot water extract followed by ICP-OES	In-house method based on Second Site Properties version 3	L038B	D	MCERTS
Metals in leachate by ICP-OES	Determination of metals in leachate by acidification followed by ICP-OES	In-house method based on MEWAM 2006 Methods for the Determination of Metals in Soil	L039B	W	ISO 17025
One stage WAC 10:1 leachate preparation	One stage batch test at a liquid to solid ratio of 10 L/kg	BS EN 12457-2-2002	L043B	W	ISO 17025
Acid neutralisation capacity of soil	Determination of acid neutralisation capacity by addition of acid or alkali followed by electronic probe	In-house method based on Guidance an Sampling and Testing of Wastes to Meet Landfill Waste Acceptance	L046B	W	NONE
Loss on ignition of soil @ 450°C	Determination of loss on ignition in soil by gravimetrically with the sample being ignited in a muffle furnace	In-house method	L047-PL	D	MCERTS
Speciated PAHs and/or Semi-volatile organic compounds in soil	Determination of semi-volatile organic compounds (including PAH) in soil by extraction in dichloromethane and hexane followed by GC-MS	In-house method based on USEPA 8270	L064B	D	MCERTS
TPH Chromatogram in soil	TPH Chromatogram in soil	In-house method	L064B	D	NONE



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Analytical Test Name	Analytical Method Description	Analytical Method Reference	Method number	Wet / Dry Analysis	Accreditation Status
BTEX and/or Volatile organic compounds in soil	Determination of volatile organic compounds in soil by headspace GC-MS	In-house method based on USEPA 8260	L073B	W	MCERTS
Total petroleum hydrocarbons with carbon banding by GC-FID in soil	Determination of total petroleum hydrocarbons in soil by GC-FID with carbon banding aliphatic and aromatic	In-house method	L076B	D	MCERTS
Total petroleum hydrocarbons with carbon banding by GC-FID/GC-MS HS in soil (Summed Bands)	Determination of total petroleum hydrocarbons in soil by GC-FID/GC-MS HS with carbon banding aliphatic and aromatic (Summed Bands).	Calculation	L076B/L088-PL	D/W	NONE
Total petroleum hydrocarbons by GC-FID in soil	Determination of total petroleum hydrocarbons in soil by GC-FID	In-house method	L076B	D	NONE
Chromium III in soil	In-house method by calculation from total Cr and Cr VI	In-house method by calculation	L080-PL/L130B	W	NONE
Hexavalent chromium in soil	Determination of hexavalent chromium in soil by extraction in NaOH and addition of 1,5 diphenylcarbazine followed by colorimetry	In-house method	L080-PL	W	MCERTS
Monohydric phenols 10:1 WAC	Determination of phenols in leachate by distillation followed by colorimetry	In-house method based on Examination of Water and Wastewater 20th Edition: Clesceri, Greenberg & Eaton	L080-PL	W	ISO 17025
Monohydric phenols in soil	Determination of phenols in soil by extraction with sodium hydroxide followed by distillation followed by colorimetry	In-house method based on Examination of Water and Wastewater 20th Edition: Clesceri, Greenberg & Eaton	L080-PL	W	MCERTS
Total cyanide in soil	Determination of total cyanide by distillation followed by colorimetry	In-house method based on Examination of Water and Wastewater 20th Edition: Clesceri, Greenberg & Eaton	L080-PL	W	MCERTS
Chloride 10:1 WAC	Determination of Chloride colorimetrically by discrete analyser	In-house based on MEWAM Method ISBN 0117516260	L082B	W	ISO 17025
Total petroleum hydrocarbons with carbon banding by HS-GC/MS in soil	Determination of total petroleum hydrocarbons in soil by HS-GC/MS with carbon banding aliphatic and aromatic	In-house method	L088-PL	W	MCERTS
pH in soil (automated)	Determination of pH in soil by addition of water followed by automated electrometric measurement	In-house method	L099-PL	D	MCERTS
Fraction Organic Carbon FOC Automated	Determination of fraction of organic carbon in soil by oxidising with potassium dichromate followed by titration with iron (II) sulphate	In-house method	L009B	D	MCERTS
Soil Descriptions	Textural classification	In-house method	L019B	W	NONE
Magnesium, water soluble, in soil	Determination of water soluble magnesium by extraction with water followed by ICP-OES	In-house method based on TRL 447	L038B	D	NONE
Total sulphate (as SO4 in soil)	Determination of total sulphate in soil by extraction with 10% HCl followed by ICP-OES	In-house method	L038B	D	MCERTS
Sulphate, water soluble, in soil (16hr extraction)	Sulphate, water soluble, in soil (16hr extraction)	In-house method	L038B	D	MCERTS



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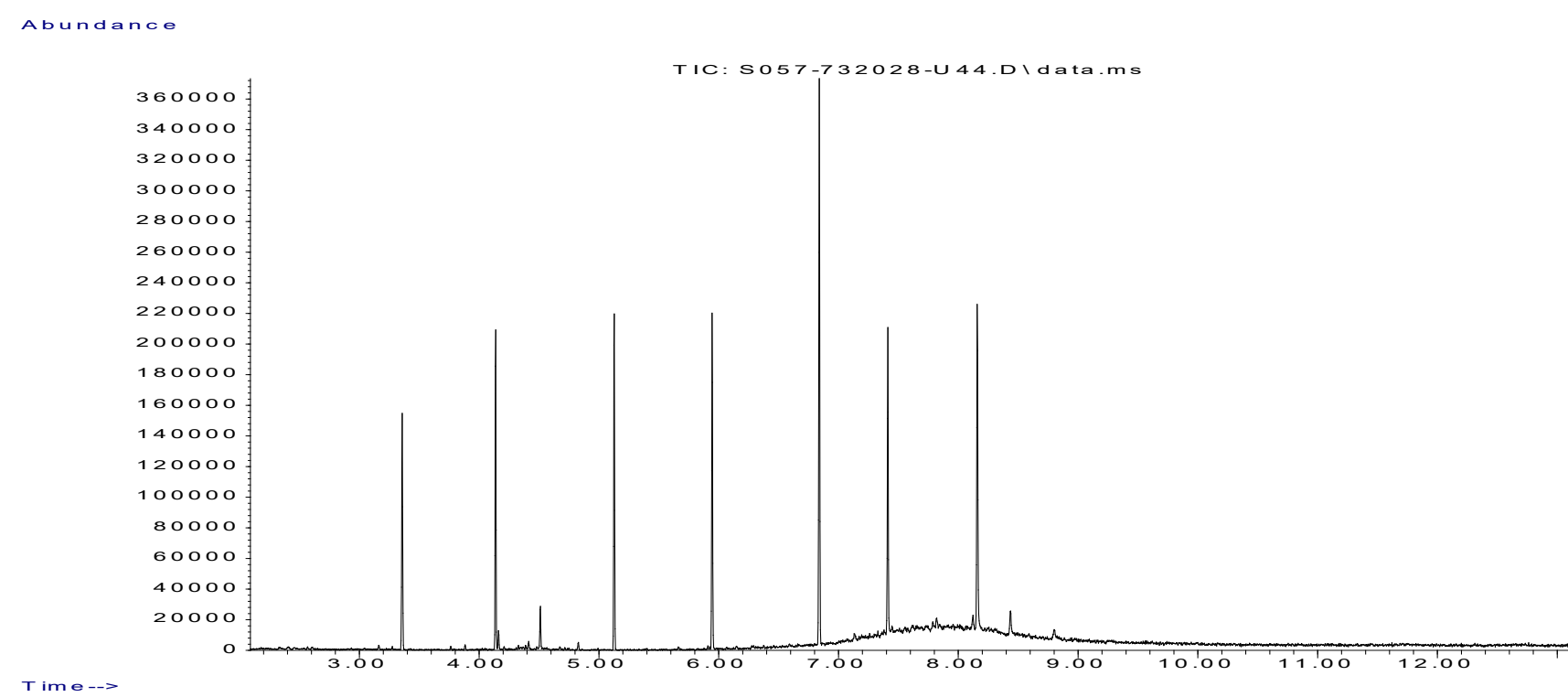
Analytical Test Name	Analytical Method Description	Analytical Method Reference	Method number	Wet / Dry Analysis	Accreditation Status
Total Sulphur in soil	Determination of total sulphur in soil by extraction with aqua-regia, potassium bromide/bromate followed by ICP-OES	In-house method	L038B	D	MCERTS
Water Soluble Nitrate (leachate equivalent)	Determination of nitrate by reaction with sodium salicylate and colorimetry	In-house method based on Examination of Water and Wastewater & Polish Standard Method PN-82/C-04579.08, 2:1 extraction	L078-PL	W	NONE
Nitrate, water soluble, in soil	Determination of nitrate by reaction with sodium salicylate and colorimetry	In-house method based on Examination of Water and Wastewater & Polish Standard Method PN-82/C-04579.08, 2:1 extraction	L078-PL	W	NONE
Chloride, water soluble, in soil	Determination of Chloride colorimetrically by discrete analyser	In-house method	L082B	D	MCERTS
Ammonium as NH4 in soil	Determination of Ammonium/Ammonia/ Ammoniacal Nitrogen by the colorimetric salicylate/nitroprusside method, 10:1 water extraction.	In-house method based on Examination of Water and Wastewater 20th Edition: Clesceri, Greenberg & Eaton	L082B	W	MCERTS

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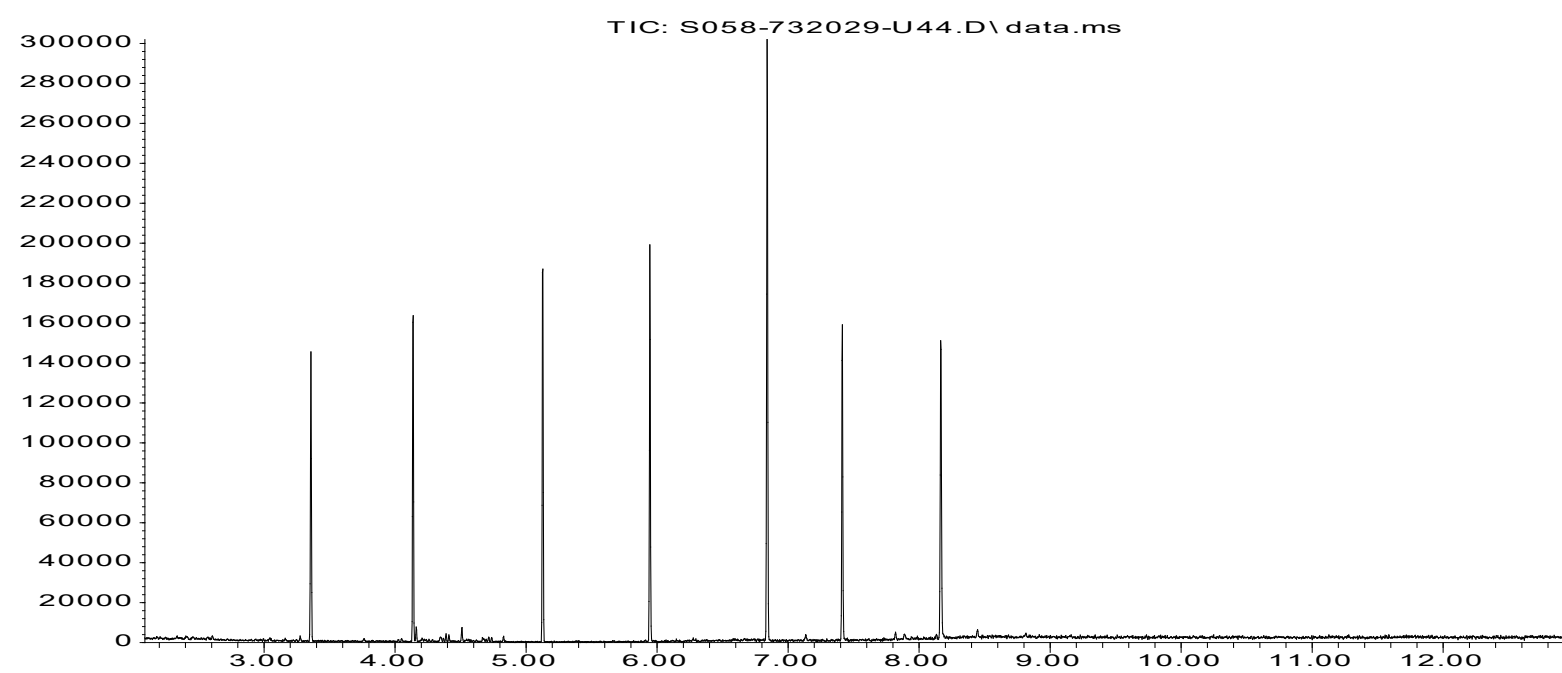
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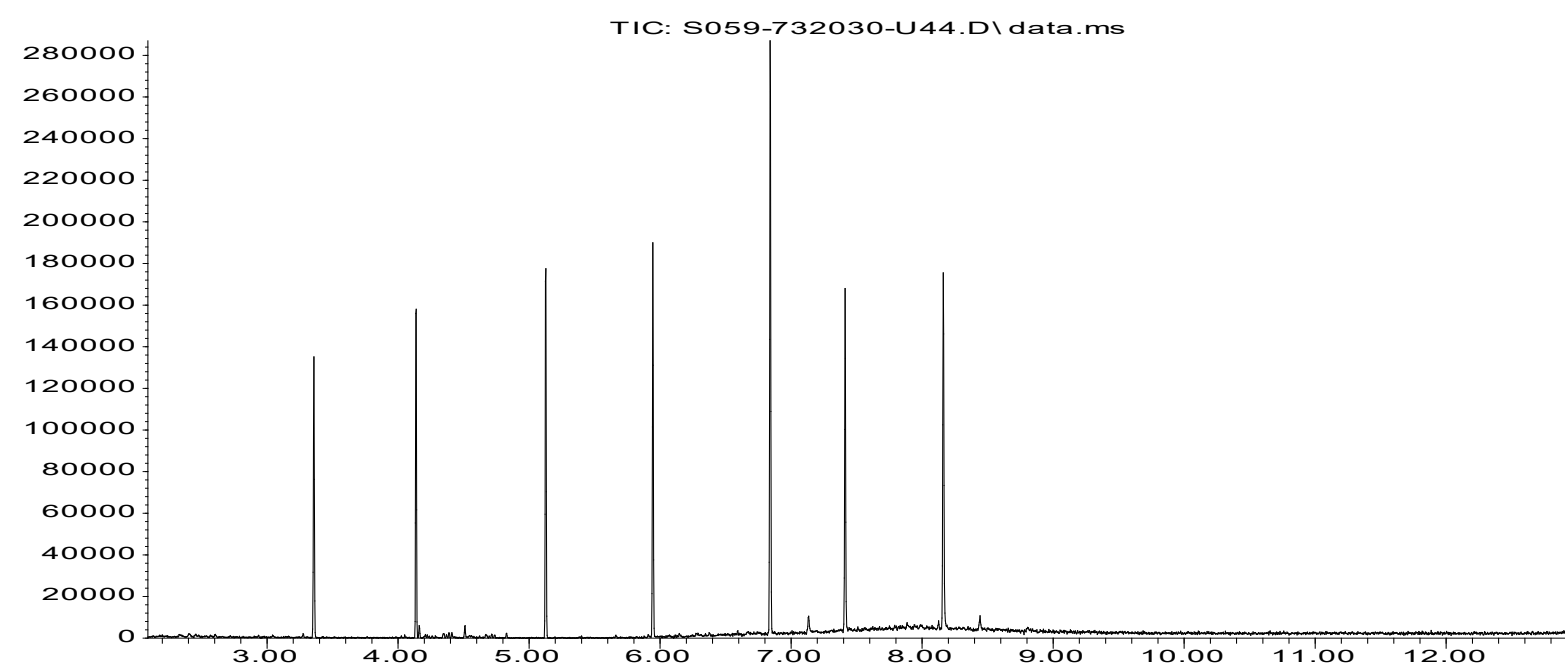


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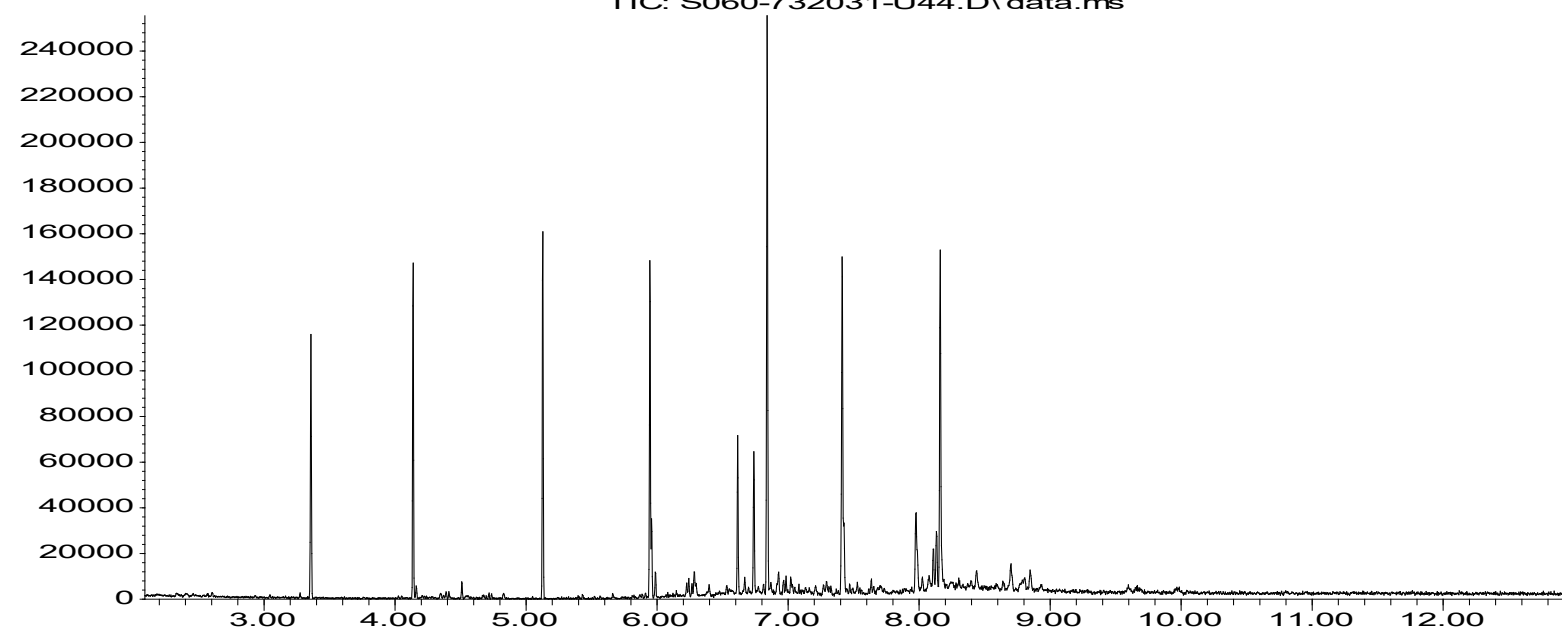
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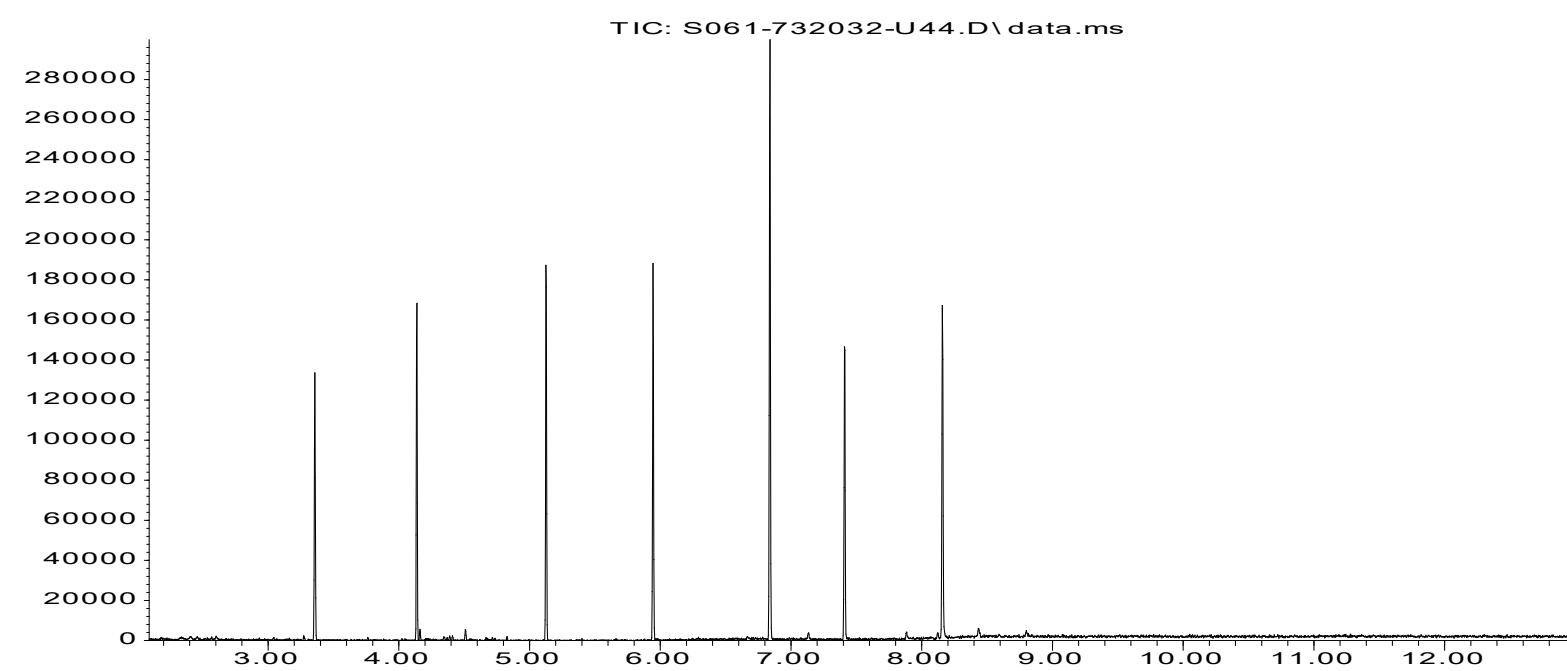
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## **Analytical Report Number : 25-058794**

<b>Project / Site name:</b>	Cardigan	<b>Samples received on:</b>	29/10/2025
<b>Your job number:</b>	941.02	<b>Samples instructed on/ Analysis started on:</b>	29/10/2025
<b>Your order number:</b>	941.02	<b>Analysis completed by:</b>	07/11/2025
<b>Report Issue Number:</b>	1	<b>Report issued on:</b>	07/11/2025
<b>Samples Analysed:</b>	3 soil samples		

*Joanna Biolik*

**Signed:**

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An estimate of measurement uncertainty can be provided on request.

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Project / Site name: Cardigan

Your Order No: 941.02

Lab Sample Number	734276	734277	734278
Sample Reference	WS01	WS02	WS05a
Sample Number	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied
Water Matrix	N/A	N/A	N/A
Depth (m)	3.60	2.50	0.70
Date Sampled	24/10/2025	24/10/2025	24/10/2025
Time Taken	None Supplied	None Supplied	None Supplied
Analytical Parameter (Soil Analysis)	Units	Test Limit of detection	Test Accreditation Status

Stone Content	%	0.1	NONE	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1
Moisture Content	%	0.01	NONE	11	20	5.3
Total mass of sample received	kg	0.1	NONE	0.6	0.9	1.4

#### General Inorganics

pH (L099)	pH Units	N/A	MCERTS	7.8	7.6	8
Total Sulphate as SO <sub>4</sub>	%	0.005	MCERTS	0.037	0.058	0.243
Water Soluble Sulphate as SO <sub>4</sub> 16hr extraction (2:1)	mg/kg	2.5	MCERTS	230	470	2900
Water Soluble SO <sub>4</sub> 16hr extraction (2:1 Leachate Equivalent)	mg/l	1.25	MCERTS	114	235	1460
Water Soluble Chloride (2:1) (leachate equivalent)	mg/l	0.5	MCERTS	5.5	9.4	9.5
Total Sulphur	mg/kg	50	MCERTS	260	330	1300
Total Sulphur	%	0.005	MCERTS	0.026	0.033	0.13
Ammoniacal Nitrogen as NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup>	mg/kg	0.5	MCERTS	0.7	< 0.5	< 0.5
Ammonium as NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup> (10:1 leachate equivalent)	mg/l	0.05	MCERTS	0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Water Soluble Nitrate (2:1) as NO <sub>3</sub>	mg/kg	2	NONE	< 2.0	290	< 2.0
Water Soluble Nitrate (2:1) as NO <sub>3</sub> (leachate equivalent)	mg/l	5	NONE	< 5.0	150	< 5.0

#### Heavy Metals / Metalloids

Magnesium (leachate equivalent)	mg/l	2.5	NONE	7.8	16	40
Magnesium (water soluble)	mg/kg	5	NONE	16	32	81

U/S = Unsuitable Sample I/S = Insufficient Sample ND = Not detected



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Lab Sample Number	Sample Reference	Sample Number	Depth (m)	Sample Description *
734276	WS01	None Supplied	3.6	Brown sandy clay with gravel
734277	WS02	None Supplied	2.5	Brown sandy clay
734278	WS05a	None Supplied	0.7	Brown sandy clay with gravel

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Moisture Content	Moisture content, determined gravimetrically (up to 30°C)	In-house method	L019B	W	NONE
Stones content of soil	Standard preparation for all samples unless otherwise detailed. Gravimetric determination of stone > 10 mm as % dry weight	In-house method based on British Standard Methods and MCERTS requirements.	L019B	D	NONE
Magnesium, water soluble, in soil	Determination of water soluble magnesium by extraction with water followed by ICP-OES	In-house method based on TRL 447	L038B	D	NONE
Total sulphate (as SO <sub>4</sub> in soil)	Determination of total sulphate in soil by extraction with 10% HCl followed by ICP-OES	In-house method	L038B	D	MCERTS
Sulphate, water soluble, in soil (16hr extraction)	Sulphate, water soluble, in soil (16hr extraction)	In-house method	L038B	D	MCERTS
Total Sulphur in soil	Determination of total sulphur in soil by extraction with aqua-regia, potassium bromide/bromate followed by ICP-OES	In-house method	L038B	D	MCERTS
Water Soluble Nitrate (leachate equivalent)	Determination of nitrate by reaction with sodium salicylate and colorimetry	In-house method based on Examination of Water and Wastewater & Polish Standard Method PN-82/C-04579.08, 2:1 extraction	L078-PL	W	NONE
Nitrate, water soluble, in soil	Determination of nitrate by reaction with sodium salicylate and colorimetry	In-house method based on Examination of Water and Wastewater & Polish Standard Method PN-82/C-04579.08, 2:1 extraction	L078-PL	W	NONE
Chloride, water soluble, in soil	Determination of Chloride colorimetrically by discrete analyser	In-house method	L082B	D	MCERTS
Ammonium as NH <sub>4</sub> in soil	Determination of Ammonium/Ammonia/ Ammoniacal Nitrogen by the colorimetric salicylate/nitroprusside method, 10:1 water extraction.	In-house method based on Examination of Water and Wastewater 20th Edition: Clesceri, Greenberg & Eaton	L082B	W	MCERTS
pH in soil (automated)	Determination of pH in soil by addition of water followed by automated electrometric measurement	In-house method	L099-PL	D	MCERTS

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## APPENDIX E

# Laboratory Geotechnical Tests



# Laboratory Report



## Contract Number: 82174

Client Ref: **941.02**

Client PO: **941.02**

Date Received: **31-10-2025**

Date Completed: **14-11-2025**

Report Date: **14-11-2025**

Client: **Remada Limited**

This report has been checked and approved by:

Contract Title: **Cardigan**

For the attention of: **Peter Searing**

**Darren Bourne**

Quality Senior Technician

Description	Qty
<b>Determination of water content</b> BS EN ISO 17892-1:2014 - * UKAS	5
<b>1 point Liquid &amp; Plastic Limit..</b> BS EN ISO 17892-12 - * UKAS	5
<b>Particle Size Distribution</b> BS EN ISO 17892-4 : 5.1 - * UKAS	3

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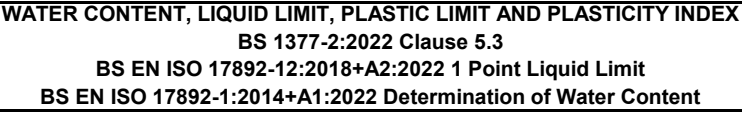
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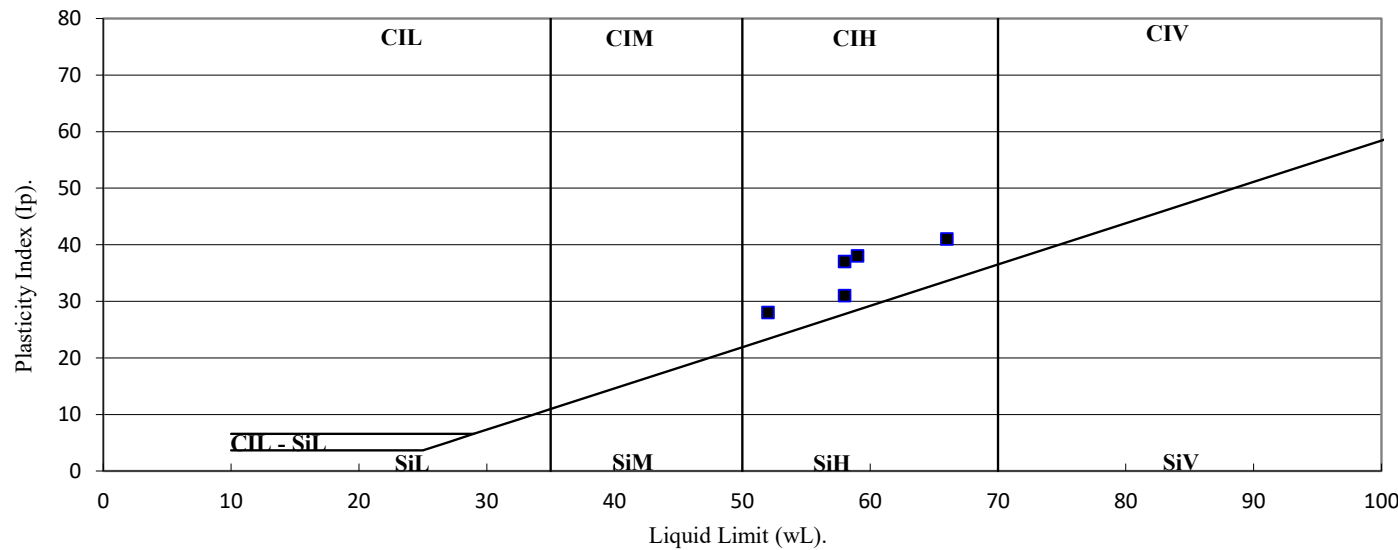
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Project Name	Cardigan	
Date Tested	11/11/2025	
Test Comments	80g/30° Fall cone used	

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**SYMBOLS : NP = Non Plastic**

## PLASTICITY CHART

### BS EN ISO 14688-2:2018 Clause 4.4



**\*For sample descriptions please see sample descriptions sheet**

Operator
Clayton Jenkins



**PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION**  
**BS 1377-2:2022 Clause 10 &**  
**BS EN ISO 17892-4:2016**  
**Wet Sieve, Clause 5.2**

Contract Number

**82174**

Borehole/Pit No.

**WS01**

Project Name

**Cardigan**

Sample No.

Sample Description

Brown slightly fine to medium gravelly fine to coarse sandy silty CLAY

Depth Top

**4.00**

Depth Base

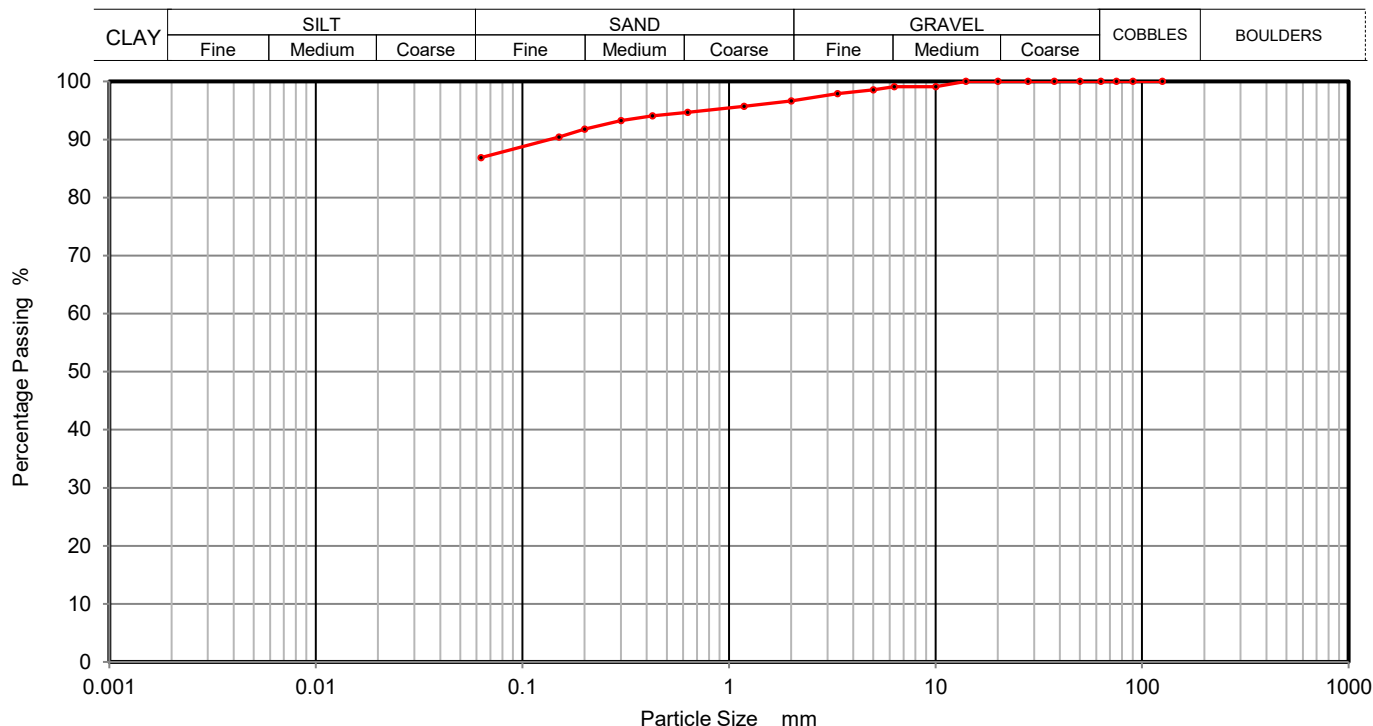
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Date Tested

12/11/2025

Sample Type

**B**



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100		
90	100		
75	100		
63	100		
50	100		
37.5	100		
28	100		
20	100		
14	100		
10	99		
6.3	99		
5	99		
3.35	98		
2	97		
1.18	96		
0.63	95		
0.425	94		
0.30	93		
0.20	92		
0.15	90		
0.063	87		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	3
Sand	10
Silt and Clay	87

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	N/A

**Remarks**

Preparation and testing in accordance with BS17892 unless noted below

Operator

Jordan Williams

**PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION**  
**BS 1377-2:2022 Clause 10 &**  
**BS EN ISO 17892-4:2016**  
**Wet Sieve, Clause 5.2**

Contract Number

**82174**

Borehole/Pit No.

**WS02**

Project Name

**Cardigan**

Sample No.

Sample Description

Brown slightly fine gravelly slightly fine to coarse sandy silty CLAY

Depth Top

**4.00**

Depth Base

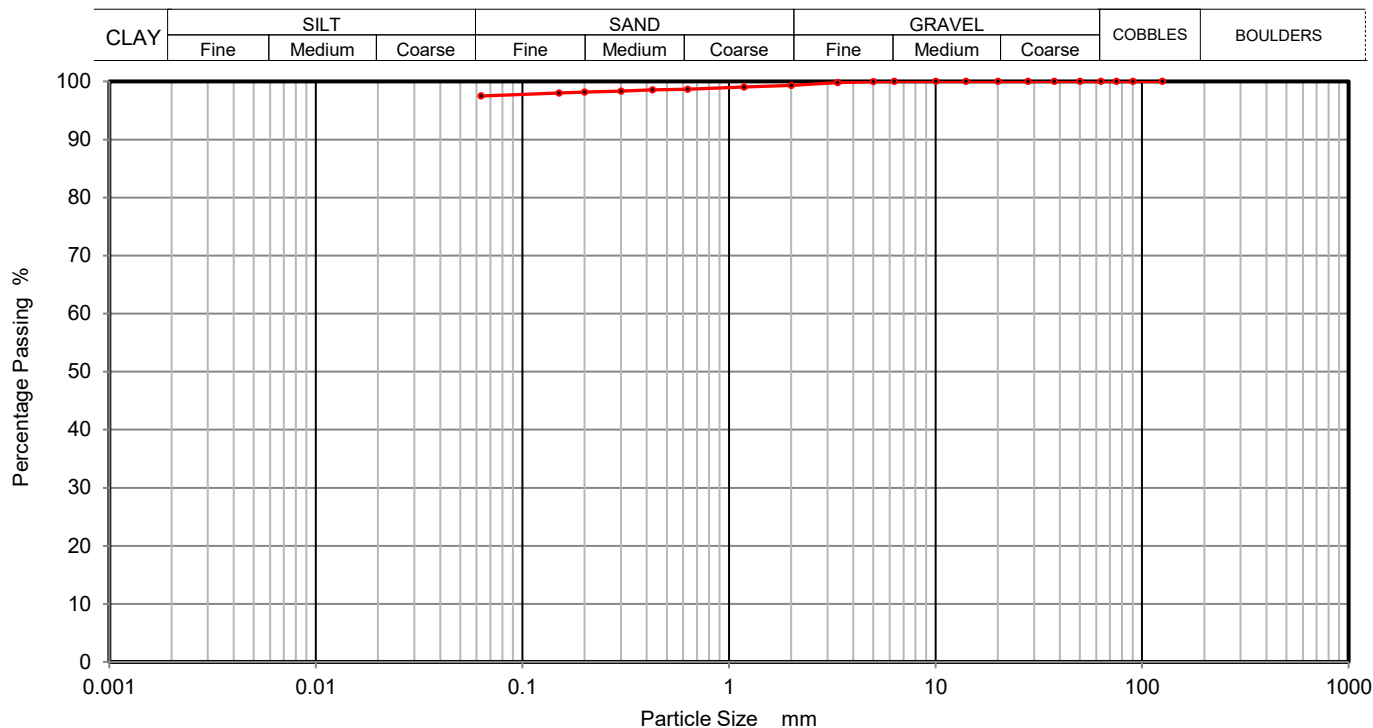
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Date Tested

12/11/2025

Sample Type

**B**



Sieving		Sedimentation	
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125	100		
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6.3	100		
5	100		
3.35	100		
2	99		
1.18	99		
0.63	99		
0.425	99		
0.30	98		
0.20	98		
0.15	98		
0.063	97		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	1
Sand	2
Silt and Clay	97

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	N/A

**Remarks**

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Operator

Jordan Williams

**PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION**  
**BS 1377-2:2022 Clause 10 &**  
**BS EN ISO 17892-4:2016**  
**Wet Sieve, Clause 5.2**

Contract Number

**82174**

Borehole/Pit No.

**WS03**

Project Name

**Cardigan**

Sample No.

Sample Description

Grey silty/clay fine to coarse sandy fine to coarse GRAVEL

Depth Top

**2.00**

Depth Base

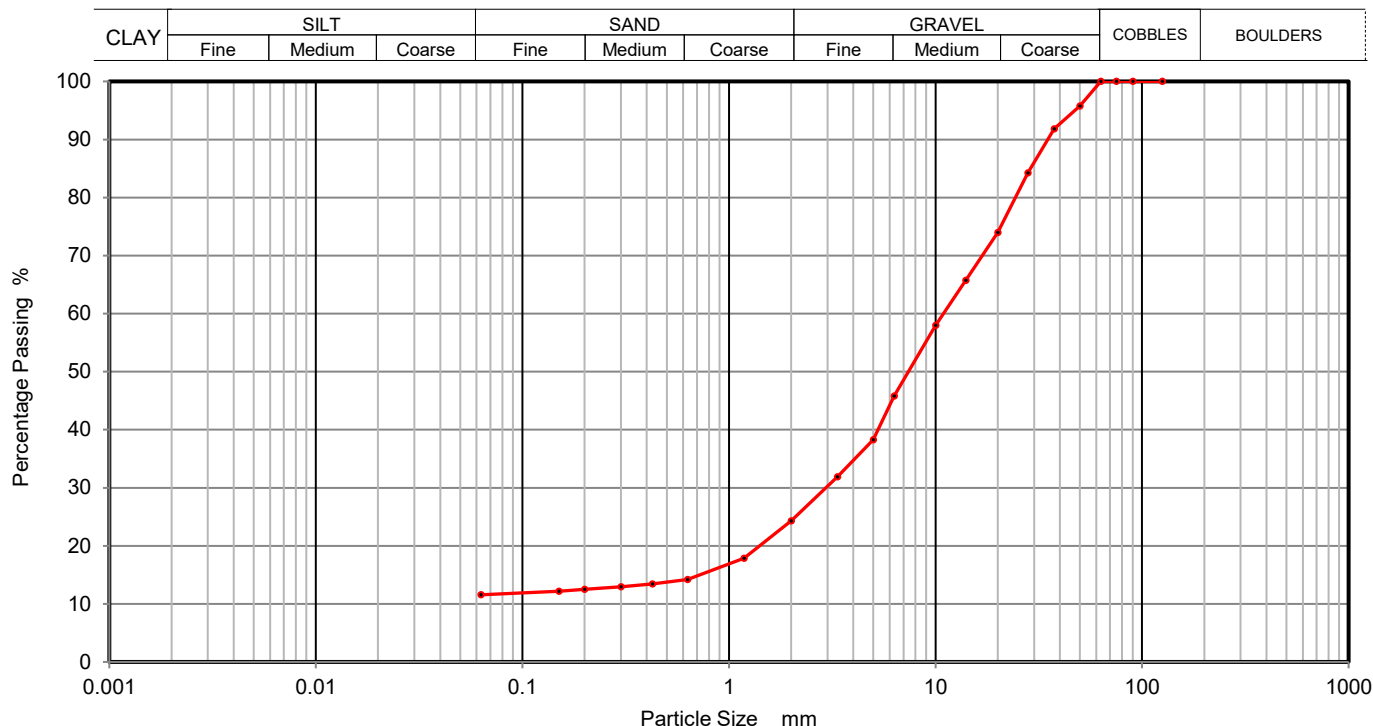
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Date Tested

12/11/2025

Sample Type

**B**



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100		
90	100		
75	100		
63	100		
50	96		
37.5	92		
28	84		
20	74		
14	66		
10	58		
6.3	46		
5	38		
3.35	32		
2	24		
1.18	18		
0.63	14		
0.425	13		
0.30	13		
0.20	12		
0.15	12		
0.063	12		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	76
Sand	12
Silt and Clay	12

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	N/A

**Remarks**

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Operator

Jordan Williams

