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# 1. INTRODUCTION

This Addendum Stability Risk Assessment (SRA) is for the Biffa Waste Services Ltd (Biffa) Meece Landfill, Swynnerton, Staffordshire.

It refers to a request from the Environment Agency (EA) to 'confirm if a review to the SRA has been undertaken for the additional restoration material as requested in EPR Compliance Assessment Report Ref: BV4967IW/0426870 dated 16 June 2022. This document has been revised in line with comments received from the Environment Agency via email (from Roger Pee 24 April 2023 at 16:02) and a subsequent online meeting held on the 23 June 2023.

This addendum report is limited to a consideration of restoration material only. It is in addition to a set of previous SRA documents carried out by others (see Section 2.5).

This addendum SRA has been carried out in general accordance with the latest Environment Agency 2022 advice 'How to do a stability risk assessment: landfill sites for hazardous and non-hazardous waste' (*Ref 1*). It relies on information from other SRA's which may have been written to previous guidance. In line with the EA Guidance the report layout includes an entry in each section of that Guidance even if only confirm that a specific feature is not relevant to this site.

# 2. CONTACT DETAILS AND REPORT CONTEXT

#### 2.1 Site Location

The site is located at grid reference SJ 850 341 approximately 1.5km south of the village of Swynnerton Staffordshire (Figures 2-1 & 2-2). The landfill site covers some 36 hectares.

A previous report by Golder Associates (*Ref 3*) notes that the site lies on gently undulating ground with a general fall towards the south. The site is located on a former MoD training ground. The existing MoD training ground is present along the southern boundary of the site. Land to north, east and west is mainly agricultural.

Survey drawings for the area of concern are enclosed as **Appendix A**.

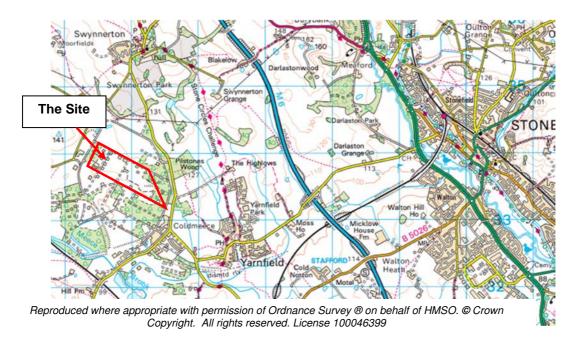


Figure 2-1: Site Location



Figure 2-2: Aerial image (© Google 2022)

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# 2.2 Site Operator

The site operator is Biffa Waste Services Limited.

Site Name: Meece Landfill Site,

Yarnfield Road, Swynnerton, Cold Meece

# 2.3 Agent who completed SRA

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# 2.4 Site Setting

Historically the site operated as a hazardous co-disposal landfill until July 2004 when it started operating as a non-hazardous site accepting mainly municipal waste. The site was originally developed in and around 1939 as part of a munitions filling depot and was subsequently operated by the Ministry of Defence (MoD) as a munition depot prior to its development into a landfill site. The southern boundary of the site still abuts a MoD training ground which is where the majority of the munition plant was located. The land to the west, north and east of the site is mainly agricultural. Waste disposal began on site in the late 1980s.

# 2.5 Conceptual Model

A stability risk assessment was prepared by Golder Associates on behalf of Biffa Waste Services Limited in September 2003 (*Golder Associates 2003*).

Section 1.2 of that report related to a Conceptual Stability Site Model.

This is an addendum SRA report. The Conceptual Site Model has not changed from that other than for part of the capping system & restoration soils as referred to below at Section 3.8.

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# 3. STABILITY CONCEPTUAL SITE MODEL

# 3.1 Primary components

As referred to in previous SRA - see Section 2.5.

# 3.2 Pore fluid pressures

As referred to in previous SRA - see Section 2.5

#### 3.3 Settlement and strains

The previous SRA (Golder Associates 2003) noted that

#### 2.1.7 Capping system screening

The approved cap design comprises of a clay cap with no geosynthetics. The capping slopes are relatively flat, being in the order of 2 to 8 degrees. If the final waste profile is stable, the cap will therefore also be stable.

No further assessment of settlement or strains was given at that time.

The capping was subsequently altered to include in parts a geosynthetic clay liner (GCL) as shown at Section 3.8, Figure 3-1. The GCL incorporated into the works was Bentofix NSP 4300, a needle-punched reinforced sodium bentonite product manufactured by Naue Gmbh & Co. The GCL cap was installed on a 150mm thick bedding layer and covered by a 300mm thick protection layer as soon as possible following installation of the GCL.

All seaming was carried out according to the CQA Plan and manufacturer's installation instructions, with edge overlaps of 300mm (minimum) and end overlaps of 1000mm (minimum). All tie-ins to existing GCL were completed according to the CQA Method Statement. The existing GCL was cleared of all soils to expose at least 1m width of GCL using a combination of hydraulic excavator, shovels and brushes; accessory bentonite was then placed at a rate of at least 0.5 kg per linear metre to form a competent seal before the tie-in GCL panel was finally placed.

The 300mm protection layer was placed directly above the GCL by excavator and graded using a tracked dozer.

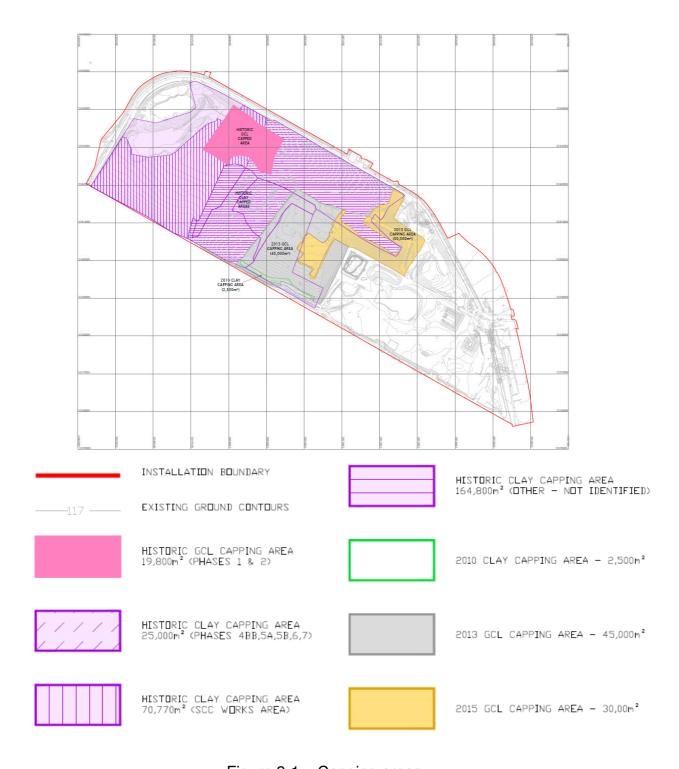


Figure 3-1: Capping areas

Subsequently additional restoration soils have been placed above the GCL at depths disused later in this report, but generally at between 1m and 8m depths. Biffa report having placed extra restoration soils above those originally placed to address areas of settlement and improve surface water management at the site. Following this in 2022

the EA have expressed concerns that the additional load above the GCL may have caused unacceptable strains.

Reference to the GCL manufacturers specification shows that the GCL is suitable for up to 15% strain. Limit equilibrium analysis presented later in this report for slope stability, have shown that the additional restoration soil depths do not cause failure of the capping or the underlying waste. No numerical analysis of the likely deformation profiles have been carried out. Measurements based on site surveys have been inconclusive due to earth working activities and movement of restoration soils between survey dates. It is generally noted however that the final levels above the GCL change over a wide area with no rapid changes in depth. As such it is concluded that the GCL will have settled due to the application of additional surcharge load in direct reaction to the settlement of the waste mass below the CGL. As the settlements are over a wide area and largely one-dimensional, it is not expected that significant strains shall have been formed within the individual GCL sheets. At junctions between panels, the process of placing gave a 1m longitudinal overlap, and a lateral 0.3m overlap. As such it is not expected that the mostly vertical deformation shall have allowed significant lateral or longitudinal strains to occur at junctions between panels.

# 3.4 Basal sub-grade

As referred to in previous SRA - see Section 2.5

# 3.5 Side slope sub-grade

As referred to in previous SRA - see Section 2.5

# 3.6 Basal lining system

As referred to in previous SRA - see Section 2.5

#### 3.7 Waste mass

As referred to in previous SRA - see Section 2.5

# 3.8 Capping system

The 2003 Golder Associate's Report Section 1.2.6 noted that:

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#### 1.2.6 Capping system model

The sealing layer for the cells will comprise a 1.0 m thick compacted clay possessing a permeability of at least  $1 \times 10^{-9}$  m/s.

The sealing liner will be protected from the underlying waste by placement of a 300 mm thick blinding layer comprising sand, silt or similar inert material.

The capping material will comprise a 1 m thick clay layer. Restoration cover soils will be placed over the clay layer to achieve a minimum total thickness above the waste of 2.0 m. The cover soils will comprise soil forming materials and soil conditioners, including compost, in order to achieve the standard required for restoration to agriculture. The proposed after use of the site will comprise agriculture and some shrubs, hedgerows and tree planting.

Capping works conducted to Phase 1 and Phase 2 in 1999 utilised a geosynthetic clay liner (GCL). However the next phase of capping was conducted using clay and it was expected at the time that Golder Associates undertook the original SRA works that clay capping would be used for the remainder of the site.

However, capping placed in 2013 used GCL. The use of this material was agreed with the Environment Agency by acceptance of the CQA Plan for the 2013 capping works.

Proposed restoration levels and profiles have also been altered, in particular a greater depth of restoration soils is now proposed. **Appendix B** presents a set of sections showing the proposed restoration profiles. The sections also show the level of the capping and an indication of current leachate levels. The revised stability risk assessments are based on these profiles as detailed in the following report sections.

# 4. STABILITY RISK ASSESSMENT

The stability risk assessments for

- basal sub-grade
- side slope sub-grade
- basal lining system
- side slope lining system
- waste mass

were detailed in the Golder Associates SRA (See Section 2.5). Details have not changed.

This addendum Stability Risk Assessment is for the capping system only. The revisions relate to both changed profiles and elevations for the restoration soils and capping, and also to the type of materials used.

# 5. LIFECYCLE PHASES

You must identify the critical phases during the development of the landfill.

This report cover the stability of the restoration soils as all other elements of the site remain as per the original SRA produced by Golder Associates (*Ref 3*).

# 6. DATA SUMMARY

The site is currently mothballed and is only accepting waste for restoration. It is understood that future development of the site is proposed at some point in the future.

# 7. JUSTIFICATION FOR MODELLING APPROACH & SOFTWARE

Slope stability analyses have been carried out using the commercial slope stability programme Geo5-Slope Stability (2022 Revision) produced by Fine Software Ltd and supported by spreadsheet hand calculation.

The Geo5-Slope Stability analyses method used was a Limit Equilibrium method whereby the resistance due to a soil strength is balanced against destabilising forces due to soil weight, fluids and any additional construction loading. The specific analytical methodologies used were those due to Bishop or Spencer with variably inclined interslice forces.

Environment Agency suggested requirements for a capping system on sloped ground are typically for the calculated factor of safety, F, to be F > 1.3 (*Environment Agency 2003*) for a global factor of safety approach. Golder Associates (2003) based their analyses on global stability needing to achieve F > 1.3.

The UK adoption of BS EN1997-1 Eurocode 7: *Geotechnical Design* has moved away from the use of a global factor of safety. It is now the practice to apply a set of partial factors to both the soils strengths and any applied loads, and then to show that the available factored resistance exceeds the factored load applied. The original design in 2003 was prior to the introduction of Eurocodes, and hence the relevant factor of safety is generally for a global F > 1.3. However to also asses the slopes to current standards, the analyses presented here also considered a Eurocode 7 approach. Where partial factors are used, the Geo5 programme refers to a Utilisation Factor that must be less

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August 2023 Report No : 3009 / R02 Rev1 than 100% for a safe design.

The Eurocode partial factors to be applied in the UK are defined in the National Annex to BS EN 1997-1. The UK have adopted Design Approach 1 (DA1). Within design approach DA1 are a number of load combinations that must be considered. Each combination considers a different method of failure and applies partial factors in a different way. To show a safe design all design combinations must be satisfied. Load combinations DA1-1 and DA1-2 have been considered. In simple terms DA1-1 applies partial factors to the loads and DA1-2 applies factors to material properties (i.e the soil strengths). In this case it would be expected that DA1-2 give the critical design combination.

Sections have been considered as shown on the plans enclosed at **Annex B**. Inspection of the sections shows that the worst cases that combined the thickest case of restoration fill and steepest, longest slope angles are for sections 1, 2 & 3. Detailed Slope stability analysis have hence been carried out for those sections only. Section 1 consider the north slope only which was a clay capping. Section 2 considered the north and south slopes with clay capping for the north slope and a GCL at the south Section 3 was for a clay capping

Soils strength parameters were selected to be compatible with previous analysis for the site. No new Intrusive ground investigation or laboratory work to assess soil strengths has been undertaken. The soil paraments used for the analyses are summarised at Section 8.

# 8. JUSTIFICATION FOR GEOTECHNCIAL PARAMETERS SELECTED FOR ANALYSIS

# 8.1 Geology & ground conditions

No new ground investigation specifically related to this area has been undertaken as part of this assessment. Geological and ground conditions are taken from previous stability risk assessments (SRA) reports provided by the Client, namely:

 Golder Associates (2003). Section C stability risk assessment. Meece 1 Landfill. 03523484.502. For Biffa Waste Services Limited.

The known geology of the area is Mercia Mudstone Group Sedimentary bedrock formed between 252.2 and 201.3 million years ago during the Triassic period. The Mercia Mudstone is described as a red marl with thin sandstones, rock salt and gypsum.

A BGS geological cross section shows the Mercia Mudstone forming a basin with a general dip and thickening towards the east. The Swynnerton fault cuts across the northwestern corner of the site bringing the Sherwood Sandstone Pebble Beds to the surface. The thickness of the Mercia Mudstone stone is unknown at this site due to the absence of deep boreholes. A thickness of approximately 130 metres is reported nearby. Faulting near to this site may however have impacted thickness. The Golder Associates report noted that landfill cells would be constructed into Mercia Mudstone.

#### 8.2 Soils Parameters

The Golder Associates report reviewed previous ground investigation records to derive parameters suitable for slope stability and other engineering analysis. Table 8-1 summarises the soil parameters.

Table 8-1: Soil parameters derived from previous reports

Stratum	Material	Bulk Unit Weight	9	neters	
In situ (MMG)		kN/m³	Undrained Cohesion Cu (kPa)	Cohesion c' (kPa)	Angle of Shearing Resistance Φ' (degrees)
1.	In situ weathered Mercia mudstone	18.6	n/a	5 selected for analysis	28 selected for analysis
Engineere	 ed Fill			(Range of 2 - 7.2)	(Range of 25 – 32)
2.	weathered Mercia mudstone	18.6	50 to 70	2.0 selected for analysis (Range of 2 - 7.2)	25 selected for analysis (Range of 25 – 32)
3.	Cap Material	18.6		2	25
Other					
4.	Textured geomembrane / clay liner interface			25	10
5.	Waste	12		5	25

The Golder Associates reports did not consider the restoration soils. Biffa has noted that the restoration soil is a locally derived stoney Clay. No specific shear strength testing is available for the restoration soils. The selected shear strength parameters are hence conservative values based on experience of similar materials. Table 8-2 gives the parameters used full analysis related to the restoration soils.

Table 8-2: Soil parameters derived for restoration soils

Stratum	Material	Bulk Unit Weight					
		kN/m³	Undrained Cohesion Cu (kPa)	Cohesion c' (kPa)	Angle of Shearing Resistance Φ' (degrees)		
Engineere	ed Fill						
6.	Restoration Soils	18.6	40	0.05	22		

# 8.3 Interface shear angles (GCL)

The GCL used was a Bentofic NSP 4300 or similar. Published interface shear angles of GCL geotextile components against geosynthetics or soils are given in Table 8-3

**Table 8-3: Typical Capping analysis parameters** 

adjacent geo- synthetic or soil	range of friction angle woven nonwoven				
smooth geomembrane	8° to 12°	8° to 12°			
textured geomembrane	10° to 25°	18° to 35°			
top soil	18° to 28°	21° to 32°			
sand	21° to 28°	24° to 32°			
sandy gravel	23° to 28°	25° to 34°			

Source : Slope design with Bentofix Bentofix GCLs. NAUE GmbH & Co. KG, Espelkamp-Fiestel, Germany · All rights reserved. · No. 27 · Status 02/2008

Geosynthetic clay liners use needle punched non-woven geomembranes intended to allow shear stress to transfer across the liner. Analyses presented here have assumed an angle of shearing resistance of 21 degrees as a typical lower bound shear strength to a cover soil above.

The GCL is placed with a bedding layer below and a protection layer above. For the slope stability analysis, the capping has been modelled as a single entity with the unit weight equivalent to the soil above and below that made the majority of the thickness i.e in this case assumed at 18.6kN/m³ (Table 8-2).

#### 8.4 Groundwater / leachate levels

Groundwater levels for the analysis either used a phreatic water level or a pore water pressure (r<sub>u</sub>).

The phreatic water levels were derived from Swan Environmental interpretation of winter 2022 / 23 leachate monitoring data as shown of the sections at Appendix B. The modelled water levels were the phreatic water levels plus a 1.0m excess head. Swan Environmental note that the winter 2022 / 23 leachate elevations are above those intended longer term and hence the analysis is conservative.

Using a phreatic surface does not help model shallower surfaces above the chosen water line. To also investigate risks related to potential shallower depth slips, assuming a pull or to pressure ratio. The chosen pore water pressure ratio  $(r_u)$  was  $r_u = 0.1$  to represent inundation by eq rainfall.

# 9. SELECT APPROPRIATE FACTORS OF SAFETY

Environment Agency suggested requirements for a capping system on sloped ground are typically for the calculated factor of safety, F, to be F > 1.3 (*Environment Agency 2003*) using a global factor of safety approach. Golder Associates (2003) based their analyses on global stability needing to achieve F > 1.3.

The UK adoption of BS EN1997-1 Eurocode 7: *Geotechnical Design* has moved away from the use of a global factor of safety. It is now the practice to apply a set of partial factors to both the soils strengths and any applied loads, and then to show that the available factored resistance exceeds the factored applied loads. The original design in 2003 was prior to the introduction of Eurocodes, and hence the relevant factor of safety is generally for a global F > 1.3. However to also asses the slopes to current standards, the analyses presented here also considered a Eurocode 7 approach. Where partial factors are used, the Geo5 programme refers to a Utilisation Factor that must be less than 100% for a safe design.

# 10. SENSITIVITY ANALYSES

Section not used.

# 11. ASSESSMENT

# 11.1 Section 1-1 North – clay capping

Section 1-1 was for a clay capping with restoration soils above. The results of the analyses are summarised as Table 11-1. Geo5 analysis output is within **Appendix C**.

Table 11-1: Section1-1 Summary of Geo5-Slope Stability Analyses

Run ID	Stago	Input details	FoS DA1-1	DA1-2	Global factor Unfactored	Output Comments
Rull ID	Stage	input details	DAI-I	DAI-Z		Comments
				/	Target	
			Target <	100%	F>1.3	
Section 1-1						
MeeceS1Run201	Stage 1	Restoration	98.9%	90.60%	1.38	Unfactored
(Section1 North)		Profile. North				approach
		slope				gives different
		'				critical slip
						surface. FoS on
						same slip as
						EC7 is F =1.52.
ManagC1Da201	Ctoro 2	D.: - 0.1	00/	101 000/	1 22	
MeeceS1Run201	Stage 2	Ru = 0.1	86.40%	101.60%	1.23	shallow slump
(Section1 North)		applied as				in restoration
		rainfall event				soils
		to restoration				
		soils				

Analysis MeeceS1Run201 Stage 1 was for the more critical north slope and assumed a leachate level 1.0m above current recorded levels. The stability was shown as sufficient for permanent works to both an EC7 approach and a global factor of F>1.3 (Figure 11-1).

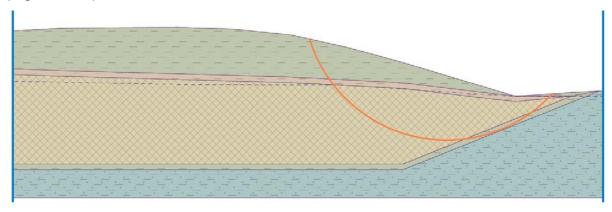


Figure 11-1: Section 1-1.

Analysis MeeceS1Run202 Stage 2 was also for the north slope but assumed a pre pressure ratio of  $r_u = 0.1$  to represent porewater pressures within the fill and restoration soil under conditions of heavy rainfall. The stability was shown as sufficient for a short term risk although marginally dropped below levels required for permanent works. The risk related to a shallow slump in the near surface restoration soil (Figure 11-2). The

analysis assumed the August 2022 topographical levels, which are slightly above the proposed restoration levels. If the restoration soils were to be regraded to meet the proposed restoration profiles, then the slope shall be suitable under all conditions'

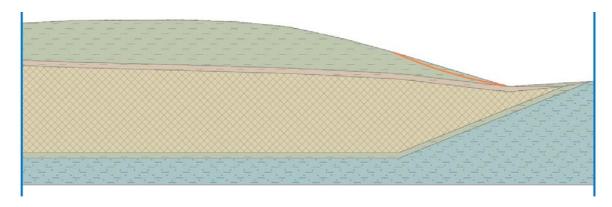


Figure 11-2: Section 1-1, ru=0.1, shallow slump

# 11.2 Section 2-2 North – clay capping

Section 2-2 north was for a clay capping with restoration soils. The results of the analyses are summarised as Table 11-2. Geo5 analysis output is within Appendix C.

Table 11-2: Section 2-2 North, Summary of Geo5-Slope Stability Analyses

			FoS		Global factor	Output
Run ID	Stage	Input details	DA1-1	DA1-2	Unfactored	Comments
			Must be			
			<100%			
Section 2-2						
MeeceS2Run201	Stage 1	Restoration	65.10%	53.10%	2.35	
(Section2 North)		Profile. North				
		slope				
MeeceS2Run201	Stage 2	Ru = 0.1	45.60%	53.40%	2.34	
(Section2 North)		applied as				
		rainfall event				
		to restoration				
		soils				

Analysis MeeceS2Run201 Stage 1 assumed a leachate level 1.0m above current recorded levels. The stability was shown as sufficient for permanent works to both an EC7 approach and a global factor of F>1.3 (Figure 11-3)

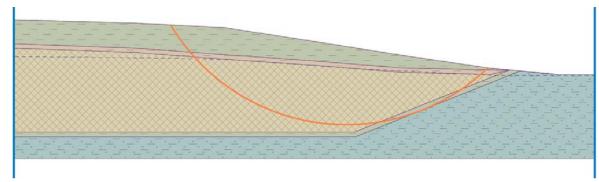


Figure 11-3: Section 2-2 North.

Analysis MeeceS2Run202 Stage 2 (Figure 11-4) was also for the north slope but assumed a pre pressure ratio of  $r_u = 0.1$  to represent porewater pressures within the fill and restoration soil under conditions of heavy rainfall. The stability was shown as sufficient.

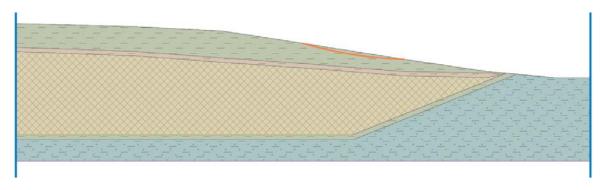


Figure 11-4: Section 2-2, r<sub>u</sub>=0.1, shallow slump

# 11.3 Section 2-2 South – Geosynthetic Clay Liner (circular slip)

Section 2-2 south was for a geosynthetic clay liner with restoration soils. The results of the analyses are summarised as Table 11-3. Geo5 analysis output is within Appendix C.

Analysis MeeceS2Run205 Stage 1 assumed a leachate level 1.0m above current recorded levels. The stability was shown as sufficient for permanent works to both an EC7 approach and a global factor of F>1.3 (Figure 11-5)

Analysis MeeceS2Run205 Stage 2 (Figure 11-6) was also for the south slope but assumed a pre pressure ratio of  $r_u = 0.1$  to represent porewater pressures within the fill and restoration soil under conditions of heavy rainfall. The stability was shown as sufficient.

Table 11-3: Section 2-2 South, Summary of Geo5-Slope Stability Analyses

			FoS		Global factor	Output
Run ID	Stage	Input details	DA1-1	DA1-2	Unfactored	Comments
			Must be <100%			
Section 2-2						
MeeceS2Run205 (Section2 South)	Stage 1	Restoration Profile. South slope. GCL capping	51.80%	58.30%	2.14	
MeeceS2Run205 (Section2 South)	Stage 2	Ru = 0.1 applied as rainfall event to restoration soils	55.60%	65.00%	1.92	shallow slump in restoration soils

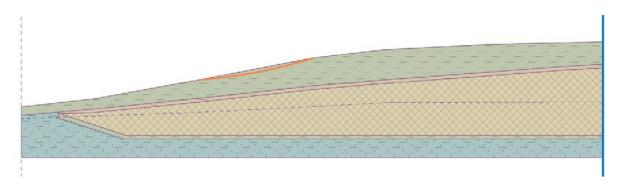


Figure 11-5: Section 2-2 South.

Analysis MeeceS2Run205 (Figure 11-6) was also for the south slope but assumed a pre pressure ratio of  $r_u = 0.1$  to represent porewater pressures within the fill and restoration soil under conditions of heavy rainfall. The stability was shown as sufficient.

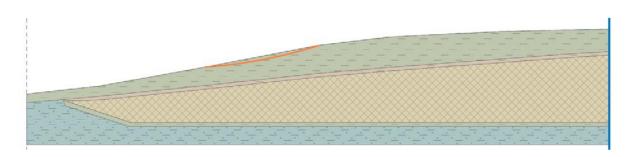


Figure 11-6: Section 2-2 South, ru=0.1, shallow slump

# 11.4 Section 2-2 South – Geosynthetic Clay Liner (Non - circular)

Section 2-2 south was for a geosynthetic clay liner with restoration soils. Section 11-3 considered circular slips that could transverse the GCL. A set of analysis is presented in this section with the GCL acting as a stress concentrator and forming a non circular slip surface. The results of the analyses are summarised as Table 11-4. Geo5 analysis output is within Appendix C.

Table 11-4: Section 2-2 South, Summary of Geo5-Slope Stability Analyses (Non circular)

			FoS		Non partial factor	Output
Run ID	Stage	Input details	DA1-1	DA1-2	SLS	Comments
			Must be <100%			
Section 2-2						
MeeceS2Run215 (Section2 South) NON CIRCULAR	Stage 1	Restoration Profile. South slope. GCL capping	48.50%	53.70%	2.33	Non circular slip through GCL
MeeceS2Run215 (Section2 South) NON CIRCULAR	Stage 2	Ru = 0.1 applied as rainfall event to restoration soils	56.00%	60.10%	2.08	Non circular slip through GCL

Analysis MeeceS2Run215 Stage 1 assumed a leachate level 1.0m above current recorded levels. The stability was shown as sufficient for permanent works to both an EC7 approach and a global factor of F>1.3 (Figure 11-7)

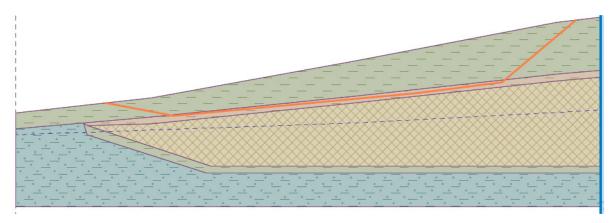


Figure 11-7: Section 2-2 South, non circular

Analysis MeeceS2Run205 (Figure 11-8) was also for the south slope but assumed a pre pressure ratio of  $r_u = 0.1$  to represent porewater pressures within the fill and restoration soil under conditions of heavy rainfall. The stability was shown as sufficient.

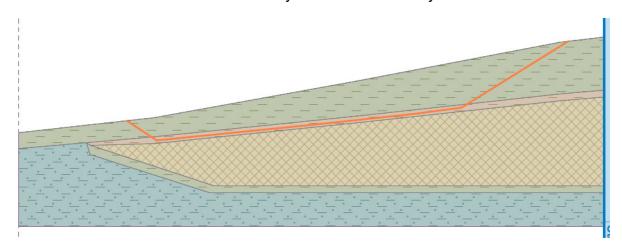


Figure 11-8: Section 2-2 South, ru=0.1, non circular

# 11.5 Section 3-3 South – clay capping

Section 3-3 south was for a clay capping with restoration soils. The results of the analyses are summarised as Table 11-5. Geo5 analysis output is within Appendix C.

Table 11-5: Section 3-3 South, Summary of Geo5-Slope Stability Analyses

			FoS		Global factor	Output
Run ID	Stage	Input details	DA1-1	DA1-2	Unfactored	Comments
			Target		Target	
			<100%		F>1.3	
Section 3-3						
MeeceS3Run201 (Section3 South)	Stage 1	Restoration Profile. South slope	46.80%	39.40%	3.18	
MeeceS3Run201 (Section3 South)	Stage 2	Ru = 0.1 applied as rainfall event to restoration soils	40.50%	47.20%	2.65	

Analysis MeeceS3Run201 Stage 1 assumed a leachate level 1.0m above current recorded levels. The stability was shown as sufficient for permanent works to both an EC7 approach and a global factor of F>1.3 (Figure 11-9).

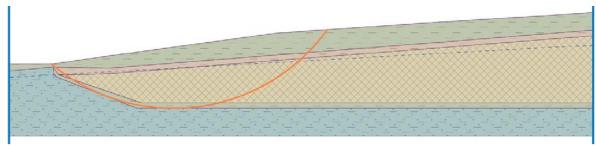


Figure 11-9: Section 3-3 South

Analysis MeeceS3Run201 Stage 2 (Figure 11-10) assumed a pre pressure ratio of r<sub>u</sub> = 0.1 to represent porewater pressures within the fill and restoration soil under conditions of heavy rainfall. The stability was shown as sufficient.

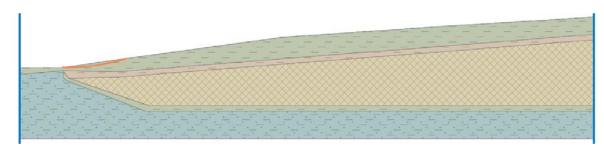


Figure 11-10: Section 2-2, r<sub>u</sub>=0.1, shallow slump

# 12. MONITORING

Section not used.

# 13. CONCLUSION

This addendum SRA referred to revised restoration soil levels only. Slope stability analyses have shown that the restoration soils when placed to the proposed slope angles and with either a clay cap or a GCL cap the soils are stable in both the long and short term.

# 14. TABLES

Tables are embedded within the relevant sections.

# 15. DRAWINGS

Drawings presented in Appendix A and Appendix B.

# 16. APPENDICES

Attached to this report.

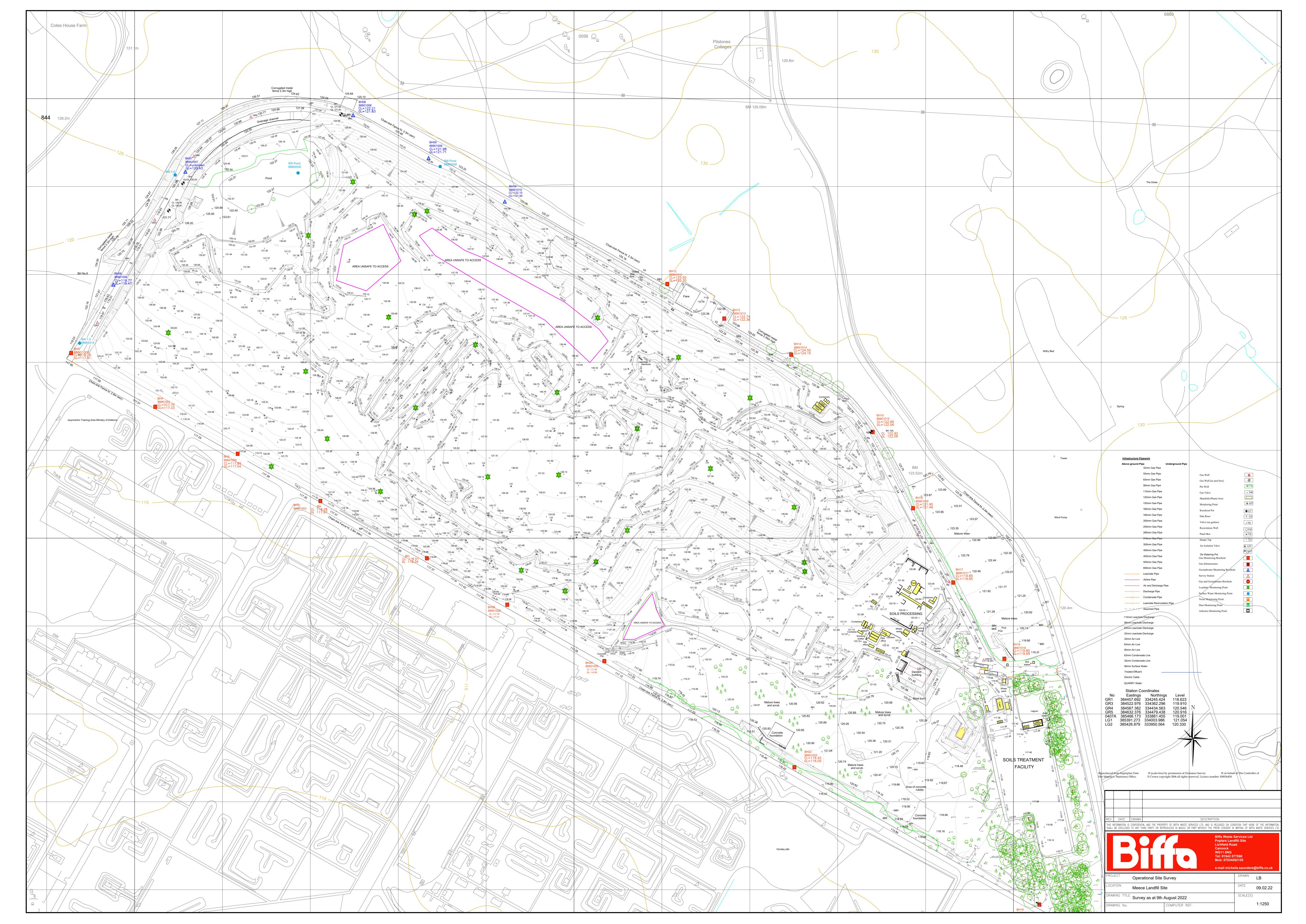
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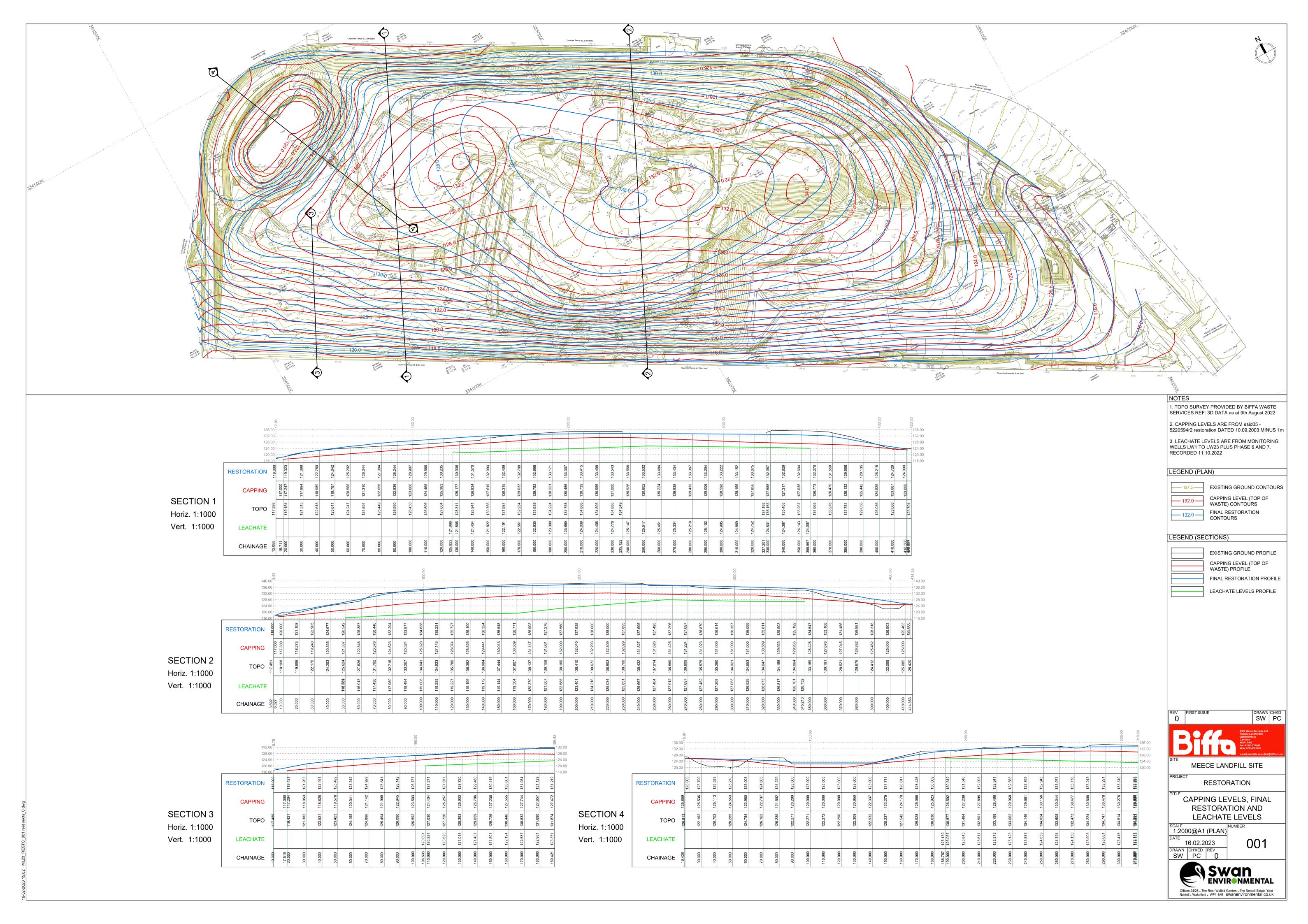
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# **Appendices**

# **Appendix A: Drawings**









SLOPE : Summary of Analyses Runs Job No: 3009 Project: Meece Landfill last update 18/07/2023

Run ID	Stage	Innut details	FoS DA1-1	DA1-2	Non partial factor SLS	Output Comments
Run ID	Stage	Input details	Target <100		Target F>1.	
Section 1-1			raiget \100	370	raigetizi	.5
MeeceS1Run201 (Section1 North)	Stage 1	Restoration Profile. North slope	98.90%	90.60%	1.38	sls gives different critical slip surface. FoS on same slip as EC7 is F =1.52.
MeeceS1Run201 (Section1 North)	Stage 2	Ru = 0.1 applied as rainfall event to restoration soils	86.40%	101.60%	1.23	shallow slump in restoration soils

			FoS		Non partial factor	Output						
Run ID	Stage	Input details			1						SLS	Comments
			Must be <1	.00%								
Section 2-2												
MeeceS2Run201	Stage 1	Restoration	65.10%	53.10%	2.35							
(Section2 North)		Profile. North										
		slope										
MeeceS2Run201	Stage 2	Ru = 0.1 applied	45.60%	53.40%	2.34	shallow slump in						
(Section2 North)		as rainfall event to				restoration soils						
,		restoration soils										
MeeceS2Run205	Stage 1	Restoration	51.80%	58.30%	2.14							
(Section2 South)		Profile. South										
,		slope. GCL capping										
MeeceS2Run205	Stage 2	Ru = 0.1 applied	55.60%	65.00%	1.92	shallow slump in						
(Section2 South)		as rainfall event to				restoration soils						
		restoration soils										
MeeceS2Run215	Stage 1	Restoration	48.50%	53.70%	2.33	Non circular slip						
(Section2 South) NON		Profile. South				through GCL						
	1	1	I		I	I						

slope. GCL capping

CIRCULAR

SLOPE : Summary of Analyses Runs Job No: 3009 Project: Meece Landfill last update 18/07/2023

MeeceS2Run215	Stage 2	Ru = 0.1 applied	56.00%	60.10%	2.08	Non circular slip
(Section2 South) NON		as rainfall event to				through GCL
CIRCULAR		restoration soils				

Run ID	Stage	Input details	FoS DA1-1	DA1-2	Non partial factor SLS	Output Comments
T.G.I. I.D	Juge	input details	Target <10		Target F>1.	
Section 3-3						
MeeceS3Run201 (Section3 South)	Stage 1	Restoration Profile. South slope	46.80%	39.40%	3.18	
MeeceS3Run201 (Section3 South)	Stage 2	Ru = 0.1 applied as rainfall event to restoration soils	40.50%	47.20%	2.65	

### Slope stability analysis

#### Input data

#### **Project**

Task: Meece Landfill Part: Section 1 North

Description: Aug 2022 Profile (note this locally higher than 2021 restoration levels - worst case analysed)

Customer: Swan Environmental /Biffa

Author: DG

Date: 17/07/2023

Project ID: Meece Ladfill. Addendum SRA

Project number: DG3009

#### **Settings**

United Kingdom - EN 1997

#### Stability analysis

Verification methodology: according to EN 1997

Earthquake analysis : Standard

Design approach: 1 - reduction of actions and soil parameters

* ''				-						
Partial factors on actions (A)										
Permanent design situation										
Combination 1 Combination 2										
		Unfavou	favourable Favourable		Unfavo	urable	Favou	rable		
Permanent actions :	γ <sub>G</sub> =	1.35	[-]	1.00	[-]	1.00	[-]	1.00	[-]	
Variable actions :	γ <sub>Q</sub> =	1.50	[-]	0.00	[-]	1.30	[-]	0.00	[-]	
Water load :	γ <sub>w</sub> =	1.35	[-]			1.00	[-]			

Partial factors for soil parameters (M)									
Permanent design situation									
Combination 1 Combination 2									
Partial factor on internal friction :	γφ =	1.00 [-	-]	1.25	[-]				
Partial factor on effective cohesion :	γ <sub>c</sub> =	1.00 [-	-]	1.25	[-]				
Partial factor on undrained shear strength :	γ <sub>cu</sub> =	1.00 [-	-]	1.40	[-]				

#### Interface

No.	Interface location	Coordinates of interface points [m]							
140.	interface location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z		
1	-	300.00	133.66	330.00	135.16	350.00	135.29		
		360.00	134.97	370.00	133.98	380.00	131.78		
		390.00	129.06	400.00	126.04	410.00	123.07		
		420.00	123.74	425.00	124.00	500.00	124.00		
2		300.00	128.60	330.00	127.59	350.00	127.03		
		370.00	126.47	390.00	125.44	410.00	123.07		
		420.00	123.10						
3		300.00	127.60	330.00	126.59	350.00	126.03		
		370.00	125.47	390.00	124.44	410.00	122.07		
		420.00	123.10						
4		300.00	111.00	390.00	111.00	420.00	123.10		
		425.00	124.00						

No	No. Interface location		Coordina	ates of int	erface po	ints [m]	
140.	interface location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z
5		300.00	110.00	390.00	110.00	425.00	124.00

### Soil parameters - effective stress state

No.	Name	Pattern	Φ <sub>ef</sub> [°]	c <sub>ef</sub> [kPa]	γ [kN/m³]
1	Waste		25.00	5.00	12.00
2	In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)		28.00	5.00	18.60
3	Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)		25.00	2.00	18.60
4	Capping (Clay )		25.00	2.00	18.60
5	Restoration Soil (above capping)		22.00	0.05	18.60

### Soil parameters - uplift

No.	Name	Pattern	Ysat [kN/m³]	Ys [kN/m³]	n [–]
1	Waste		12.00		
2	In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	18.60		
3	Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)		18.60		
4	Capping (Clay )		18.60		
5	Restoration Soil (above capping)		18.60		

#### **Soil parameters**

Waste

Unit weight :  $\gamma = 12.00 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction: 25.00°  $\varphi_{ef} =$ Cohesion of soil: 5.00 kPa  $c_{ef} =$ Saturated unit weight: 12.00 kN/m<sup>3</sup>  $\gamma_{sat} =$ 

#### In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)

Unit weight: 18.60 kN/m<sup>3</sup>

Stress-state: effective

 $\varphi_{ef} =$ Angle of internal friction: 28.00° Cohesion of soil: 5.00 kPa  $c_{ef} =$ Saturated unit weight:  $\gamma_{sat}$  = 18.60 kN/m<sup>3</sup>

#### **Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)**

Unit weight: 18.60 kN/m<sup>3</sup>

effective Stress-state:

25.00° Angle of internal friction:  $\varphi_{ef} =$ Cohesion of soil: c<sub>ef</sub> = 2.00 kPa Saturated unit weight: 18.60 kN/m<sup>3</sup>  $\gamma_{sat} =$ 

#### Capping (Clay)

Unit weight:  $= 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective Angle of internal friction:

 $\varphi_{ef}$  = 25.00 ° Cohesion of soil:  $c_{ef} =$ 2.00 kPa Saturated unit weight: 18.60 kN/m<sup>3</sup>  $\gamma_{sat} =$ 

#### Restoration Soil (above capping)

Unit weight: 18.60 kN/m<sup>3</sup>

Stress-state: effective  $\varphi_{ef}$  = 22.00 ° Angle of internal friction: Cohesion of soil: 0.05 kPa c<sub>ef</sub> =  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ Saturated unit weight:

#### **Assigning and surfaces**

No	Cumface modified	Coordin	ates of su	ırface poir	nts [m]	Assigned
No.	Surface position	X	Z	X	Z	soil
1		330.00	127.59	350.00	127.03	Restoration Soil (above
		370.00	126.47	390.00	125.44	capping)
		410.00	123.07	400.00	126.04	
		390.00	129.06	380.00	131.78	
		370.00	133.98	360.00	134.97	— — —
		350.00	135.29	330.00	135.16	
		300.00	133.66	300.00	128.60	
2		425.00	124.00	420.00	123.74	Restoration Soil (above
		410.00	123.07	420.00		capping)
3		330.00	126.59	350.00	126.03	Capping (Clay )
		370.00	125.47	390.00	124.44	Capping (Clay)
		410.00	122.07	420.00	123.10	
		410.00	123.07	390.00	125.44	
		370.00	126.47	350.00	127.03	<del>_</del>
		330.00	127.59	300.00	128.60	
		300.00	127.60			

No.	Surface position	Coordin	ates of su	ırface poir	nts [m]	Assigned
NO.	ourrace position	X	Z	Х	Z	soil
4		390.00	111.00	420.00	123.10	Waste
		410.00	122.07	390.00	124.44	wasie
		370.00	125.47	350.00	126.03	XXXXXXXXX
		330.00	126.59	300.00	127.60	
		300.00	111.00			
5		390.00	110.00	425.00	124.00	Engineered CLAY
		420.00	123.10	390.00	111.00	(MMG derived)
		300.00	111.00	300.00	110.00	
6		390.00	110.00	300.00	110.00	In situ Weathered MMG
		300.00	105.00	500.00	105.00	(CLAY)
	<u>-</u>	500.00	124.00	425.00	124.00	0 0 0 0

#### Water

Water type: GWT

No.	GWT location	Coordinates of GWT points [m]							
140.	CWI location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z		
	1	300.00	126.00	320.00	125.75	350.00	125.14		
1		380.00	125.00	410.00	123.00	424.00	123.00		
		500.00	123.00						

#### **Tensile crack**

Tensile crack not input.

#### **Earthquake**

Earthquake not included.

#### Settings of the stage of construction

Design situation : permanent

# **Results (Stage of construction 1)**

#### Analysis 1 (stage 1)

# Circular slip surface

Slip surface parameters								
Center :	x =	397.78	[m]	Angles :	α <sub>1</sub> =	-72.83 [°]		
	z =	140.75	[m]	Angles :	α <sub>2</sub> =	47.44 [°]		
Radius :	R =	25.49	[m]			·		
	The slip surface after optimization.							

#### Slope stability verification (Bishop)

**Combination 1** 

Sum of active forces :  $F_a = 1551.28 \text{ kN/m}$ Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 1567.78 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment :  $M_a = 39542.24 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

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Resisting moment :  $M_p = 39962.73 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Utilization: 98.9 %

#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

Combination 2

Utilization: 90.6 %

Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

# Input data (Stage of construction 2)

# **Assigning and surfaces**

No.	Surface position	Coordina	ates of su	ırface poir	nts [m]	Assigned
NO.	Surface position	X	Z	X	Z	soil
1		330.00	127.59	350.00		Restoration Soil (above
		370.00	126.47	390.00	125.44	capping)
		410.00	123.07	400.00	126.04	
		390.00	129.06	380.00	131.78	
		370.00	133.98	360.00	134.97	
		350.00	135.29	330.00	135.16	
		300.00	133.66	300.00	128.60	
2		425.00	124.00	420.00	123.74	Restoration Soil (above
		410.00	123.07	420.00		capping)
3		330.00	126.59	350.00	126.03	Capping (Clay )
		370.00	125.47	390.00	124.44	Capping (Clay )
		410.00	122.07	420.00	123.10	
		410.00	123.07	390.00	125.44	
		370.00	126.47	350.00	127.03	— — —
		330.00	127.59	300.00	128.60	
		300.00	127.60			
4		390.00	111.00	420.00	123.10	Waste
		410.00	122.07	390.00	124.44	vvasie
		370.00	125.47	350.00	126.03	$\times \times $
		330.00	126.59	300.00	127.60	
		300.00	111.00			
5		390.00	110.00	425.00	124.00	Engineered CLAY
		420.00	123.10	390.00	111.00	-
		300.00	111.00	300.00	110.00	
			'			
6		390.00	110.00	300.00	110.00	In situ Weathered MMG
		300.00	105.00	500.00		(CLAY)
	•	500.00	124.00	425.00	124.00	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

# Water

Water type: Coefficient Ru

No.	Interface Ru location		Coordinates of interface Ru points [m]						
NO.	o. Interface Ru location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z	[-]	
	1	300.00	133.66	330.00	135.16	350.00	135.29		
		360.00	134.97	370.00	133.98	380.00	131.78	0.400	
1		390.00	129.06	400.00	126.04	410.00	123.07	0.100	
		420.00	123.74	425.00	124.00	500.00	124.00		

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#### **Tensile crack**

Tensile crack not input.

#### **Earthquake**

Earthquake not included.

#### Settings of the stage of construction

Design situation: permanent

#### **Results (Stage of construction 2)**

#### Analysis 1 (stage 2)

#### Circular slip surface

	Slip surface parameters								
Center :	x =	421.91	[m]	Angles :	α <sub>1</sub> =	-24.21 [°]			
	z =	202.37	[m]	Angles .	α <sub>2</sub> =	-9.01 [°]			
Radius :	R =	80.10	[m]			·			
The slip surface after optimization.									

#### Slope stability verification (Bishop)

**Combination 1** 

Sum of active forces :  $F_a = 36.64 \text{ kN/m}$ Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 42.42 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment :  $M_a = 663.57 \text{ kNm/m}$ Resisting moment :  $M_p = 768.20 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Utilization: 86.4 %

#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

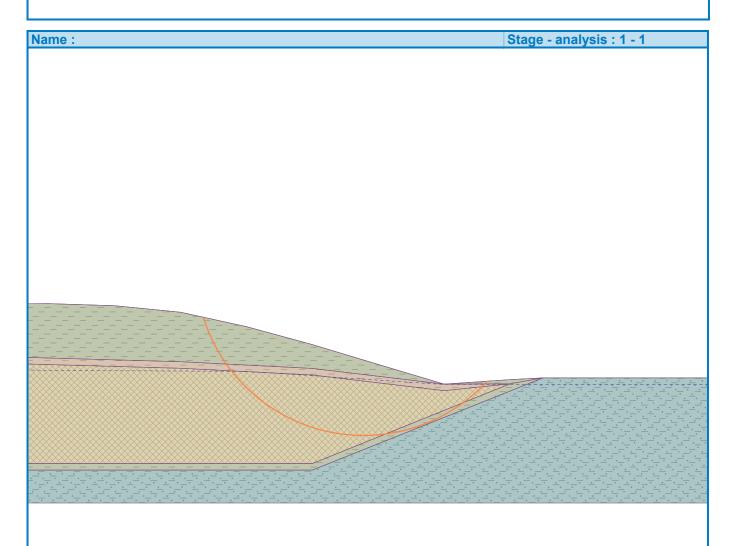
Combination 2

Sum of active forces :  $F_a = 52.64 \text{ kN/m}$ Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 51.83 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment :  $M_a = 4216.85 \text{ kNm/m}$ Resisting moment :  $M_p = 4151.52 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Utilization: 101.6 %

#### Slope stability NOT ACCEPTABLE

DG



The slip surface after optimization.

#### Slope stability verification (Bishop)

**Combination 1** 

Sum of active forces :  $F_a = 1551.28 \text{ kN/m}$ Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 1567.78 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment :  $M_a = 39542.24 \text{ kNm/m}$ Resisting moment :  $M_p = 39962.73 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Utilization: 98.9 %

#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

**Combination 2** 

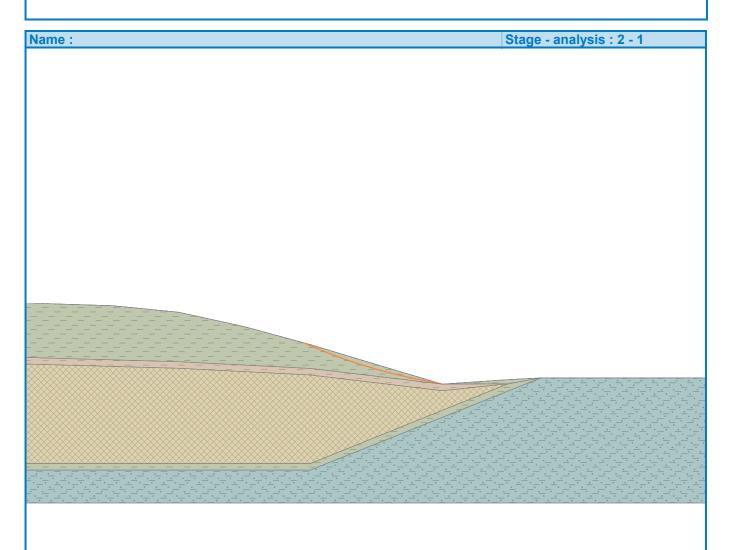
Sum of active forces :  $F_a$  = 53.10 kN/m Sum of passive forces :  $F_p$  = 58.58 kN/m Sliding moment :  $M_a$  = 3934.10 kNm/m Resisting moment :  $M_p$  = 4340.26 kNm/m

Utilization: 90.6 %

Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

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The slip surface after optimization.

#### Slope stability verification (Bishop)

**Combination 1** 

Utilization: 86.4 %

#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

**Combination 2** 

Sum of active forces :  $F_a = 52.64 \text{ kN/m}$ Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 51.83 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment :  $M_a = 4216.85 \text{ kNm/m}$ Resisting moment :  $M_p = 4151.52 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Utilization: 101.6 %

#### Slope stability NOT ACCEPTABLE

# Slope stability analysis

#### Input data

#### **Project**

Task: Meece Landfill Part: Section 2 North

Description: Proposed (2021, 138m) restoration levels (Note this generally higher than than Aug 2022 survey)

Customer: Swan Environmental / Biffa

Author: DG

Date: 17/07/2023

Project ID: Meece Landfill Addendum SRA

Project number: DG3009

#### **Settings**

United Kingdom - EN 1997

#### Stability analysis

Verification methodology: according to EN 1997

Earthquake analysis: Standard

Design approach: 1 - reduction of actions and soil parameters

Partial factors on actions (A)									
Permanent design situation									
		Combin	Combination 2						
		Unfavourable	Favourable	Unfavourable	Favourable				
Permanent actions :	γ <sub>G</sub> =	1.35 [–]	1.00 [–]	1.00 [–]	1.00 [–]				
Variable actions :	γ <sub>Q</sub> =	1.50 [–]	0.00 [–]	1.30 [–]	0.00 [–]				
Water load :	γ <sub>w</sub> =	1.35 [–]		1.00 [–]					

Partial factors for soil parameters (M)								
Permanent design situation								
		Combination 1 Combination 2						
Partial factor on internal friction :	γ <sub>φ</sub> =	1.00	[-]	1.25	[-]			
Partial factor on effective cohesion :	γ <sub>c</sub> =	1.00	[-]	1.25	[-]			
Partial factor on undrained shear strength :	γ <sub>cu</sub> =	1.00	[-]	1.40	[-]			

#### Interface

No.	Interface location		Coordin	ates of inte	erface po	ints [m]	
140.	interface location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z
1		300.00	136.36	330.00	135.60	350.00	134.55
		370.00	131.49	390.00	128.32	410.00	125.40
		414.35	125.00	424.20	124.08	425.00	124.00
		500.00	124.00				
2		300.00	131.00	330.00	129.92	350.00	128.43
		370.00	127.05	390.00	125.46	410.00	125.00
		414.35	125.00				
3		300.00	130.00	330.00	128.92	350.00	127.43
		370.00	126.05	390.00	124.46	410.00	124.00
		414.35	125.00				
4		300.00	111.00	379.35	111.00	414.35	125.00

No.	Interface location	Coordinates of interface points [m]							
NO.	interface location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z		
5		300.00	110.00	379.72	110.00	416.60	124.75		
		425.00	124.00						

# Soil parameters - effective stress state

No.	Name	Pattern	Φ <sub>ef</sub> [°]	c <sub>ef</sub> [kPa]	γ [kN/m³]
1	Waste		25.00	5.00	12.00
2	In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)		28.00	5.00	18.60
3	Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)		25.00	2.00	18.60
4	Capping (Clay)		25.00	2.00	18.60
5	Restoration Soil (above capping)		22.00	0.05	18.60

# Soil parameters - uplift

No.	Name	Pattern	Ysat [kN/m³]	Ys [kN/m³]	n [–]
1	Waste		12.00		
2	In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	18.60		
3	Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)		18.60		
4	Capping (Clay)		18.60		
5	Restoration Soil (above capping)		18.60		

## **Soil parameters**

Waste

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 12.00 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

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Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 25.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 5.00 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 12.00 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

#### In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 28.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 5.00 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

#### **Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)**

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 25.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 2.00 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

#### Capping (Clay)

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 25.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 2.00 \,^{\circ}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \,^{\circ}$  kN/m<sup>3</sup>

#### **Restoration Soil (above capping)**

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

 $\begin{array}{lll} \text{Stress-state}: & \text{effective} \\ \text{Angle of internal friction}: & \phi_{ef} = 22.00 \, ^{\circ} \\ \text{Cohesion of soil}: & c_{ef} = 0.05 \, \text{kPa} \\ \text{Saturated unit weight}: & \gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3 \end{array}$ 

#### **Assigning and surfaces**

No.	Surface position	Coordina	ates of su	ırface poir	nts [m]	Assigned
NO.	Surface position	X	Z	X	Z	soil
1		330.00	129.92	350.00	128.43	Restoration Soil (above
		370.00	127.05	390.00	125.46	capping)
		410.00	125.00	414.35	125.00	
		410.00	125.40	390.00	128.32	
		370.00	131.49	350.00	134.55	<del>_</del>
		330.00	135.60	300.00	136.36	
		300.00	131.00			
2		330.00	128.92	350.00	127.43	Capping (Clay)
		370.00	126.05	390.00	124.46	Capping (Clay)
		410.00	124.00	414.35	125.00	
		410.00	125.00	390.00	125.46	
		370.00	127.05	350.00	128.43	<del>_</del>
		330.00	129.92	300.00	131.00	
		300.00	130.00			

No.	Surface position	Coordin	ates of su	ırface poir	nts [m]	Assigned
140.	Surface position	X	Z	X	Z	soil
3		379.35	111.00	414.35	125.00	Waste
		410.00	124.00	390.00	124.46	Wasie
		370.00	126.05	350.00	127.43	$\times \times $
		330.00	128.92	300.00	130.00	
		300.00	111.00			
4		379.72	110.00	416.60	124.75	
	<del></del> -	425.00	124.00	424.20	124.08	(MMG derived)
		414.35	125.00	379.35	111.00	
		300.00	111.00	300.00	110.00	
						— — —
5		416.60	124.75	379.72	110.00	In situ Weathered MMG
		300.00	110.00	300.00	105.00	(CLAY)
		500.00	105.00	500.00	124.00	0 0 0 0
		425.00	124.00			

#### Water

Water type: GWT

No.	GWT location	Coordinates of GWT points [m]							
140.		X	Z	X	Z	X	Z		
		300.00	128.05	320.00	127.87	350.00	127.40		
1		380.00	125.30	410.00	123.80	424.00	123.80		
		500.00	123.00						

#### **Tensile crack**

Tensile crack not input.

#### **Earthquake**

Earthquake not included.

## **Settings of the stage of construction**

Design situation : permanent

# **Results (Stage of construction 1)**

#### Analysis 1 (stage 1)

# Circular slip surface

	Slip surface parameters								
Contor	x = 377.47 [m] Angles :	α <sub>1</sub> =	-59.23 [°]						
Center :	z =	158.78 [m	Arigies .	α <sub>2</sub> =	43.79 [°]				
Radius :	R =	46.12 [m	]		<u>'</u>				
	The slip surface after optimization.								

#### Slope stability verification (Bishop)

**Combination 1** 

Sum of active forces :  $F_a = 2359.21 \text{ kN/m}$ Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 3624.20 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment :  $M_a = 108806.94 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

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Resisting moment :  $M_p = 167147.95 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Utilization: 65.1 %

Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

Combination 2

Utilization: 53.1 %

Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

# Input data (Stage of construction 2)

# **Assigning and surfaces**

No.	Surface position	Coordina	ates of su	ırface poir	nts [m]	Assigned
NO.	Surface position	X	Z	X	Z	soil
1		330.00	129.92	350.00		Restoration Soil (above
		370.00	127.05	390.00		capping)
		410.00	125.00	414.35	125.00	
		410.00	125.40	390.00	128.32	
		370.00	131.49	350.00	134.55	
		330.00	135.60	300.00	136.36	
		300.00	131.00			
2		330.00	128.92	350.00	127.43	Capping (Clay)
		370.00	126.05	390.00	124.46	Capping (Clay)
		410.00	124.00	414.35	125.00	
		410.00	125.00	390.00	125.46	
		370.00	127.05	350.00	128.43	
		330.00	129.92	300.00	131.00	
		300.00	130.00			
3		379.35	111.00	414.35	125.00	Waste
		410.00	124.00	390.00	124.46	vvasie
		370.00	126.05	350.00	127.43	$\times \times $
		330.00	128.92	300.00	130.00	
		300.00	111.00			
4		379.72	110.00	416.60	124.75	Engineered CLAY
	<b>———</b>	425.00	124.00	424.20		(MMG derived)
		414.35	125.00	379.35	111.00	
		300.00	111.00	300.00	110.00	
5		416.60	124.75	379.72	110.00	In situ Weathered MMG
		300.00	110.00	300.00		(CLAY)
		500.00	105.00	500.00	124.00	0 0 0 0
		425.00	124.00			

#### Water

Water type: Coefficient Ru

,	lo.	Interface Ru location	C	Coeff. Ru					
IN	No. Interface Ru location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z	[-]	
	1		300.00	136.36	330.00	135.60	350.00	134.55	
		370.00	131.49	390.00	128.32	410.00	125.40	0.400	
			414.35	125.00	424.20	124.08	425.00	124.00	0.100
		500.00	124.00						

## **Tensile crack**

Tensile crack not input.

# **Earthquake**

Earthquake not included.

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#### Settings of the stage of construction

Design situation: permanent

#### **Results (Stage of construction 2)**

#### Analysis 1 (stage 2)

#### Circular slip surface

	Slip surface parameters								
Center :	x =	393.89	[m]	Angles :	α <sub>1</sub> =	-16.13 [°]			
Center.	z =	222.07	[m]	Angles :	α <sub>2</sub> =	-1.77 [°]			
Radius :	R =	93.94	[m]						
		The sli	p surface	after optimization.					

#### Slope stability verification (Bishop)

**Combination 1** 

Sum of active forces :  $F_a = 227.90 \text{ kN/m}$ Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 500.13 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment :  $M_a = 7980.97 \text{ kNm/m}$ Resisting moment :  $M_p = 17514.51 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

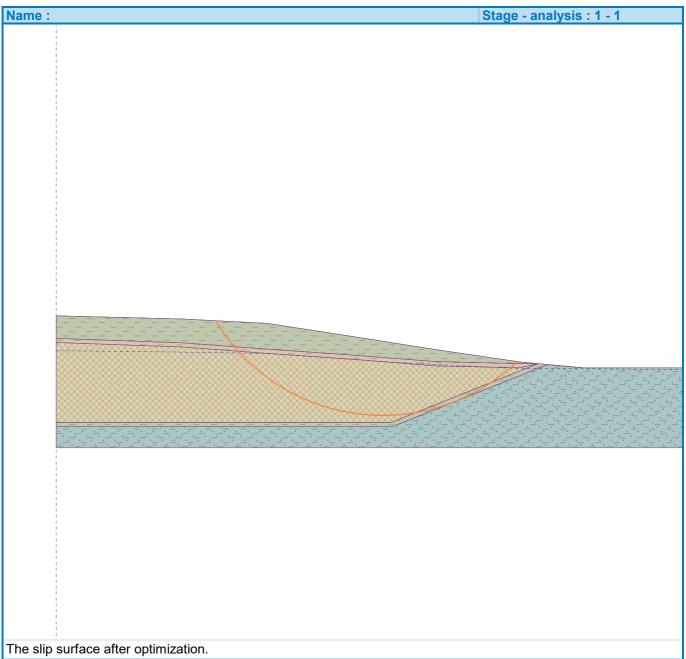
Utilization: 45.6 %

#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

**Combination 2** 

Utilization: 53.4 %

Slope stability ACCEPTABLE



#### Slope stability verification (Bishop)

**Combination 1** 

Utilization: 65.1 %

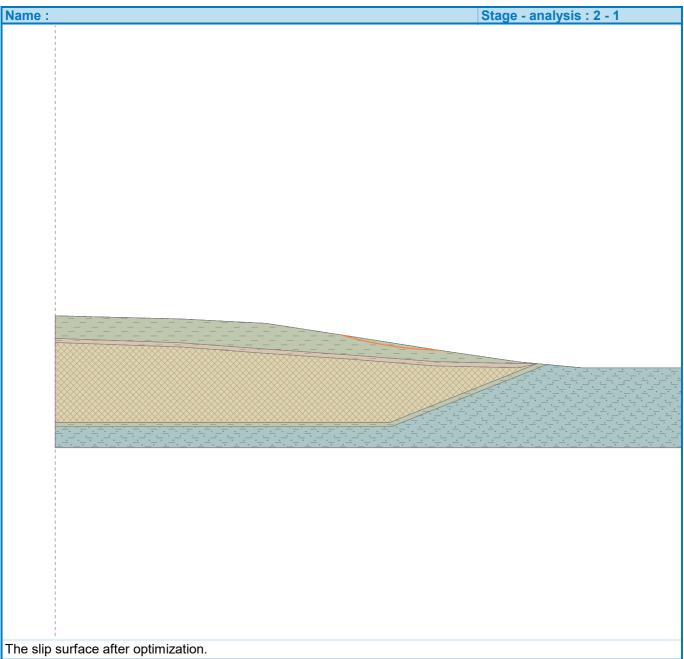
#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

**Combination 2** 

Sum of active forces :  $F_a$  = 1394.71 kN/m Sum of passive forces :  $F_p$  = 2627.45 kN/m Sliding moment :  $M_a$  = 73975.66 kNm/m Resisting moment :  $M_p$  = 139360.18 kNm/m

Utilization: 53.1 %

Slope stability ACCEPTABLE



#### Slope stability verification (Bishop)

**Combination 1** 

Utilization: 45.6 %

#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

**Combination 2** 

Sum of active forces :  $F_a$  = 33.24 kN/m Sum of passive forces :  $F_p$  = 62.22 kN/m Sliding moment :  $M_a$  = 3122.12 kNm/m Resisting moment :  $M_p$  = 5844.81 kNm/m

Utilization : 53.4  $\,\%$ 

Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

# Slope stability analysis

#### Input data

#### **Project**

Task: Meece Landfill Part: Section 2 South

Description: Proposed (2021, 138m) restoration levels (Note this generally higher than than Aug 2022 survey)

Customer: Swan Environmental / Biffa

Author: DG

Date: 17/07/2023

Project ID: Meece Landfill Addendum SRA

Project number: DG3009

#### **Settings**

United Kingdom - EN 1997

#### Stability analysis

Verification methodology: according to EN 1997

Earthquake analysis : Standard

Design approach: 1 - reduction of actions and soil parameters

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	Partial factors on actions (A)										
Permanent design situation											
		Combin	ation 1	Combination 2							
		Unfavourable	Favourable	Unfavourable	Favourable						
Permanent actions :	γ <sub>G</sub> =	1.35 [–]	1.00 [–]	1.00 [–]	1.00 [–]						
Variable actions :	γ <sub>Q</sub> =	1.50 [–]	0.00 [–]	1.30 [–]	0.00 [–]						
Water load :	γ <sub>w</sub> =	1.35 [–]		1.00 [–]							

Partial fact	Partial factors for soil parameters (M)								
Permanent design situation									
		Combination 1 Combination 2							
Partial factor on internal friction :	$\gamma_{\phi} =$	1.00 [-	-]	1.25	[-]				
Partial factor on effective cohesion :	γ <sub>c</sub> =	1.00 [-	-]	1.25	[-]				
Partial factor on undrained shear strength :	γ <sub>cu</sub> =	1.00 [-	-]	1.40	[-]				

#### Interface

No.	Interface location	Coordinates of interface points [m]						
140.	interface location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z	
1		0.00	118.89	10.00	120.00	20.00	121.11	
		50.00	126.54	80.00	132.29	100.00	134.64	
		130.00	136.10	160.00	136.77	170.00	136.99	
		200.00	137.60					
2		0.00	116.53	9.83	117.39	9.84	117.39	
		10.00	117.40	20.00	118.27	50.00	121.34	
		80.00	124.62	100.00	126.32	150.00	130.01	
		180.00	131.66	200.00	132.04			
3		10.60	117.00	20.00	117.27	50.00	120.34	
		80.00	123.62	100.00	125.32	150.00	129.01	
	*	180.00	130.66	200.00	131.04			

No.	Interface location	Coordinates of interface points [m]							
140.	interface location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z		
4		9.83	117.39	10.00	117.34	10.60	117.00		
		28.85	111.00	200.00	111.00				
5		10.00	117.34	10.50	115.65	28.12	110.00		
		200.00	110.00						

# Soil parameters - effective stress state

No.	Name	Pattern	Фef [°]	c <sub>ef</sub> [kPa]	γ [kN/m³]
1	Waste		25.00	5.00	12.00
2	In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)		28.00	5.00	18.60
3	Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)		25.00	2.00	18.60
4	Capping (GCL)		21.00	0.00	18.60
5	Restoration Soil (above capping)		22.00	0.05	18.60

# Soil parameters - uplift

No.	Name	Pattern	Ysat [kN/m³]	Ys [kN/m³]	n [ <del>-</del> ]
1	Waste		12.00		
2	In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	18.60		
3	Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)		18.60		
4	Capping (GCL)		18.60		
5	Restoration Soil (above capping)		18.60		

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#### Soil parameters

#### Waste

Unit weight:  $y = 12.00 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

 $\begin{array}{lll} \text{Stress-state}: & \text{effective} \\ \text{Angle of internal friction}: & \phi_{ef} = 25.00 \ ^{\circ} \\ \text{Cohesion of soil}: & c_{ef} = 5.00 \ \text{kPa} \\ \text{Saturated unit weight}: & \gamma_{sat} = 12.00 \ \text{kN/m}^{3} \end{array}$ 

#### In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 28.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 5.00 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

#### **Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)**

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state : effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 25.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 2.00 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

#### Capping (GCL)

Unit weight:  $y = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 21.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 0.00 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

## **Restoration Soil (above capping)**

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 22.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 0.05 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

#### **Assigning and surfaces**

No.	Surface position	Coordin	ates of su	ı <mark>rface poi</mark> r	nts [m]	Assigned
NO.	Surface position	X	Z	X	Z	soil
1		10.00	117.34	10.60	117.00	Capping (GCL)
		20.00	117.27	50.00	120.34	Capping (GCL)
		80.00	123.62	100.00	125.32	
		150.00	129.01	180.00	130.66	
		200.00	131.04	200.00	132.04	— — — —
		180.00	131.66	150.00	130.01	
		100.00	126.32	80.00	124.62	
		50.00	121.34	20.00	118.27	
		10.00	117.40	9.84	117.39	
		9.83	117.39			

No.	Surface position	Coordina	ates of su	ırface poir	its [m]	Assigned
NO.	Surface position	X	Z	X	Z	soil
2		9.83	117.39	9.84	117.39	Restoration Soil (above
	***	10.00	117.40	20.00	118.27	capping)
		50.00	121.34	80.00	124.62	
		100.00	126.32	150.00	130.01	
		180.00	131.66	200.00	132.04	— — —
		200.00	137.60	170.00	136.99	
		160.00	136.77	130.00	136.10	
		100.00	134.64	80.00	132.29	
		50.00	126.54	20.00	121.11	
		10.00	120.00	0.00	118.89	
		0.00	116.53			
3		28.85	111.00	200.00	111.00	Waste
		200.00	131.04	180.00	130.66	vvasie
		150.00	129.01	100.00	125.32	$\times \times $
		80.00	123.62	50.00	120.34	
		20.00	117.27	10.60	117.00	
4		10.50	115.65	28.12	110.00	Engineered CLAY
		200.00	110.00	200.00		(MMG derived)
	<b>—</b>	28.85	111.00	10.60	117.00	
		10.00	117.34			
5		28.12	110.00	10.50	115.65	In situ Weathered MMG
		10.00	117.34	9.83		(CLAY)
		0.00	116.53	0.00	105.00	0 0 0
		200.00	105.00	200.00	110.00	

#### Water

Water type: GWT

No.	GWT location	Coordinates of GWT points [m]							
NO.	GWT location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z		
		0.00	115.65	10.00	116.00	50.00	117.39		
1		100.00	120.01	160.00	120.30	200.00	124.40		

#### **Tensile crack**

Tensile crack not input.

#### **Earthquake**

Earthquake not included.

#### Settings of the stage of construction

Design situation : permanent

# **Results (Stage of construction 1)**

#### Analysis 1 (stage 1)

Circular slip surface

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	Slip surface parameters									
Center :	x =	38.39	[m]	Angles :	α <sub>1</sub> =	4.34 [°]				
Center.	z =	268.31	[m]	Angles :	α <sub>2</sub> =	17.20 [°]				
Radius : R = 142.33 [m]										
	The slip surface after optimization.									

#### Slope stability verification (Bishop)

**Combination 1** 

Utilization: 51.8 %

#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

**Combination 2** 

Utilization: 58.3 %

Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

# Input data (Stage of construction 2)

# **Assigning and surfaces**

No	Confess position	Coordin	ates of su	ırface poir	its [m]	Assigned
No.	Surface position	X	Z	X	Z	soil
1		10.00	117.34	10.60	117.00	Canning (CCL)
	***	20.00	117.27	50.00	120.34	Capping (GCL)
		80.00	123.62	100.00	125.32	
		150.00	129.01	180.00	130.66	
		200.00	131.04	200.00	132.04	— — —
		180.00	131.66	150.00	130.01	
		100.00	126.32	80.00	124.62	
		50.00	121.34	20.00	118.27	
		10.00	117.40	9.84	117.39	
		9.83	117.39			
2		9.83	117.39	9.84		Restoration Soil (above
		10.00	117.40	20.00	118.27	capping)
		50.00	121.34	80.00	124.62	
		100.00	126.32	150.00	130.01	
		180.00	131.66	200.00	132.04	
		200.00	137.60	170.00	136.99	
		160.00	136.77	130.00	136.10	
		100.00	134.64	80.00	132.29	
		50.00	126.54	20.00	121.11	
		10.00	120.00	0.00	118.89	
		0.00	116.53			
3		28.85	111.00	200.00	111.00	Waste
		200.00	131.04	180.00	130.66	vvasie
		150.00	129.01	100.00	125.32	$\times \times $
		80.00	123.62	50.00	120.34	
		20.00	117.27	10.60	117.00	
4		10.50	115.65	28.12	110.00	Engineered CLAY
		200.00	110.00	200.00		(MMG derived)
	<b>—</b>	28.85	111.00	10.60	117.00	
		10.00	117.34			
5		28.12	110.00	10.50	115.65	In situ Weathered MMG
		10.00	117.34	9.83		(CLAY)
		0.00	116.53	0.00	105.00	0 0 0 0
		200.00	105.00	200.00	110.00	
						0 0 0 0

#### Water

Water type: Coefficient Ru

No.	Interface Du legation	C	Coeff. Ru					
NO.	Interface Ru location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z	[-]
		0.00	118.89	10.00	120.00	20.00	121.11	
4		50.00	126.54	80.00	132.29	100.00	134.64	0.400
1 ->-	+	130.00	136.10	160.00	136.77	170.00	136.99	0.100
		200.00	137.60					

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#### **Tensile crack**

Tensile crack not input.

#### **Earthquake**

Earthquake not included.

#### Settings of the stage of construction

Design situation: permanent

# **Results (Stage of construction 2)**

#### Analysis 1 (stage 2)

#### Circular slip surface

Slip surface parameters									
Center :	x =	39.77	[m]	Angles :	α <sub>1</sub> =	3.95 [°]			
Center.	z =	259.99	[m]	Angles :	α <sub>2</sub> =	17.63 [°]			
Radius :	R =	133.95	[m]						
	The slip surface after optimization.								

#### Slope stability verification (Bishop)

#### **Combination 1**

Utilization: 55.6 %

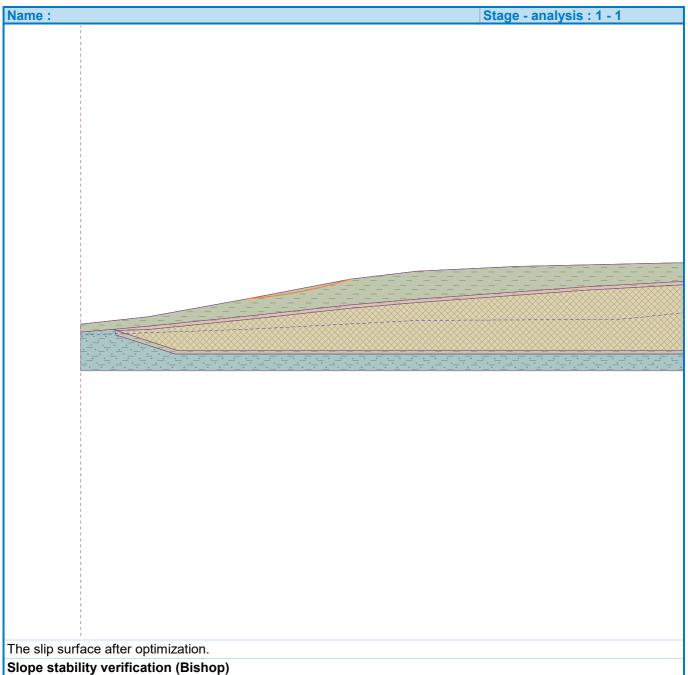
#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

#### Combination 2

Sum of active forces :  $F_a = 71.16 \text{ kN/m}$ Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 109.43 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment :  $M_a = 9531.96 \text{ kNm/m}$ Resisting moment :  $M_p = 14657.90 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Utilization: 65.0 %

#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE



Combination 1

Utilization: 51.8 %

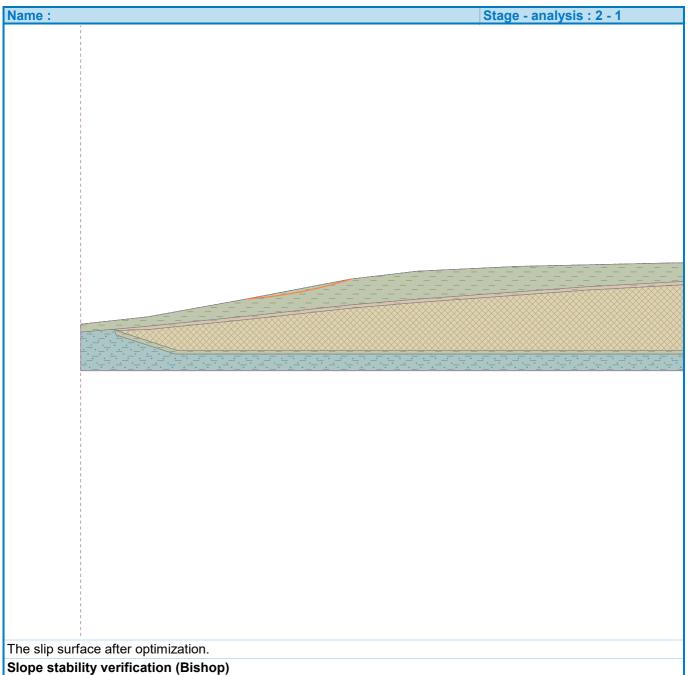
#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

**Combination 2** 

Sum of active forces :  $F_a = 67.59 \text{ kN/m}$ Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 115.87 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment :  $M_a = 9619.62 \text{ kNm/m}$ Resisting moment :  $M_p = 16491.92 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Utilization: 58.3 %

Slope stability ACCEPTABLE



Combination 1

Sum of active forces :  $F_a = 871.37 \text{ kN/m}$ Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 1567.11 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment :  $M_a = 45703.56 \text{ kNm/m}$ Resisting moment :  $M_p = 82195.10 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Utilization: 55.6 %

#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

**Combination 2** 

Utilization: 65.0 %

Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

# Slope stability analysis

#### Input data

#### **Project**

Task: Meece Landfill Part: Section 2 South

Description: Proposed (2021, 138m) restoration levels (Note this generally higher than than Aug 2022 survey)

Customer: Swan Environmental / Biffa

Author: DG

Date: 18/07/2023

Project ID: Meece Landfill Addendum SRA

Project number: DG3009

#### **Settings**

United Kingdom - EN 1997

#### Stability analysis

Verification methodology: according to EN 1997

Earthquake analysis: Standard

Design approach: 1 - reduction of actions and soil parameters

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Partial factors on actions (A)											
Permanent design situation											
		Combin	ation 1	Combination 2							
		Unfavourable Favourable		Unfavourable	Favourable						
Permanent actions :	γ <sub>G</sub> =	1.35 [–]	1.00 [–]	1.00 [–]	1.00 [–]						
Variable actions :	γ <sub>Q</sub> =	1.50 [–]	0.00 [–]	1.30 [–]	0.00 [–]						
Water load :	γ <sub>w</sub> =	1.35 [–]		1.00 [–]							

Partial factors for soil parameters (M)									
Permanent design situation									
		Combination 1 Combination 2							
Partial factor on internal friction :	γφ =	1.00	[-]	1.25	[-]				
Partial factor on effective cohesion :	γ <sub>c</sub> =	1.00	[-]	1.25	[-]				
Partial factor on undrained shear strength :	Partial factor on undrained shear strength : $\gamma_{cu} = 1.00 [-]$ 1.40 [-]								

#### Interface

No.	Interface location		Coordina	ates of inte	erface po	ints [m]	
140.	interface location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z
1		0.00	118.89	10.00	120.00	20.00	121.11
		50.00	126.54	80.00	132.29	100.00	134.64
		130.00	136.10	160.00	136.77	170.00	136.99
		200.00	137.60				
2		0.00	116.53	9.83	117.39	9.84	117.39
		10.00	117.40	20.00	118.27	50.00	121.34
		80.00	124.62	100.00	126.32	150.00	130.01
		180.00	131.66	200.00	132.04		
3		10.60	117.00	20.00	117.27	50.00	120.34
		80.00	123.62	100.00	125.32	150.00	129.01
		180.00	130.66	200.00	131.04		

No.	Interface location	Coordinates of interface points [m]							
140.	interface location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z		
4		9.83	117.39	10.00	117.34	10.60	117.00		
		28.85	111.00	200.00	111.00				
5		10.00	117.34	10.50	115.65	28.12	110.00		
		200.00	110.00						

# Soil parameters - effective stress state

No.	Name	Pattern	Фef [°]	c <sub>ef</sub> [kPa]	γ [kN/m³]
1	Waste		25.00	5.00	12.00
2	In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)		28.00	5.00	18.60
3	Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)		25.00	2.00	18.60
4	Capping (GCL)		21.00	0.00	18.60
5	Restoration Soil (above capping)		22.00	0.05	18.60

# Soil parameters - uplift

No.	Name	Pattern	Ysat [kN/m³]	Ys [kN/m³]	n [ <del>-</del> ]
1	Waste		12.00		
2	In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	18.60		
3	Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)		18.60		
4	Capping (GCL)		18.60		
5	Restoration Soil (above capping)		18.60		

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#### Soil parameters

#### Waste

Unit weight:  $y = 12.00 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

 $\begin{array}{lll} \text{Stress-state}: & \text{effective} \\ \text{Angle of internal friction}: & \phi_{ef} = 25.00 \ ^{\circ} \\ \text{Cohesion of soil}: & c_{ef} = 5.00 \ \text{kPa} \\ \text{Saturated unit weight}: & \gamma_{sat} = 12.00 \ \text{kN/m}^{3} \end{array}$ 

#### In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 28.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 5.00 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

#### **Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)**

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state : effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 25.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 2.00 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

#### Capping (GCL)

Unit weight:  $y = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 21.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 0.00 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

## **Restoration Soil (above capping)**

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 22.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 0.05 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

#### **Assigning and surfaces**

No.	Surface position	Coordin	ates of su	ı <mark>rface poi</mark> r	nts [m]	Assigned
NO.	Surface position	X	Z	X	Z	soil
1		10.00	117.34	10.60	117.00	Capping (GCL)
		20.00	117.27	50.00	120.34	Capping (GCL)
		80.00	123.62	100.00	125.32	
		150.00	129.01	180.00	130.66	
		200.00	131.04	200.00	132.04	— — — —
		180.00	131.66	150.00	130.01	
		100.00	126.32	80.00	124.62	
		50.00	121.34	20.00	118.27	
		10.00	117.40	9.84	117.39	
		9.83	117.39			

No.	Surface position	Coordin	ates of su	ırface poir	nts [m]	Assigned
NO.	Surface position	X	Z	X	Z	soil
2		9.83	117.39	9.84	117.39	Restoration Soil (above
		10.00	117.40	20.00	118.27	capping)
		50.00	121.34	80.00	124.62	
		100.00	126.32	150.00	130.01	
		180.00	131.66	200.00	132.04	— — —
		200.00	137.60	170.00	136.99	
		160.00	136.77	130.00	136.10	
		100.00	134.64	80.00	132.29	
		50.00	126.54	20.00	121.11	
		10.00	120.00	0.00	118.89	
		0.00	116.53			
3		28.85	111.00	200.00	111.00	Waste
		200.00	131.04	180.00	130.66	vvasie
		150.00	129.01	100.00	125.32	$\times \times $
		80.00	123.62	50.00	120.34	
		20.00	117.27	10.60	117.00	
4		10.50	115.65	28.12	110.00	Engineered CLAY
		200.00	110.00	200.00	111.00	(MMG derived)
	*	28.85	111.00	10.60	117.00	
		10.00	117.34			
5		28.12	110.00	10.50	115.65	In situ Weathered MMG
		10.00	117.34	9.83		(CLAY)
		0.00	116.53	0.00	105.00	0 0 0
		200.00	105.00	200.00	110.00	

#### Water

Water type: GWT

No.	GWT location	Coordinates of GWT points [m]							
140.	GWI location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z		
		0.00	115.65	10.00	116.00	50.00	117.39		
1		100.00	120.01	160.00	120.30	200.00	124.40		

#### **Tensile crack**

Tensile crack not input.

#### **Earthquake**

Earthquake not included.

#### Settings of the stage of construction

Design situation : permanent

# **Results (Stage of construction 1)**

#### Analysis 1 (stage 1)

Polygonal slip surface

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	Coordinates of slip surface points [m]										
X Z X Z X Z X Z X Z											
13.26	13.26 120.36 23.33 118.44 59.33 121.82 71.90 123.42 82.84 132.62										
		Ar	nalysis of th	e slip surfac	e without o	ptimization.					

# Slope stability verification (Sarma) Combination 1

Utilization: 48.5 %

**Slope stability ACCEPTABLE** 

Combination 2 Utilization: 53.7 %

# Input data (Stage of construction 2)

# **Assigning and surfaces**

No	Confess position	Coordin	ates of su	ırface poir	its [m]	Assigned
No.	Surface position	X	Z	X	Z	soil
1		10.00	117.34	10.60	117.00	Canning (CCL)
	***	20.00	117.27	50.00	120.34	Capping (GCL)
		80.00	123.62	100.00	125.32	
		150.00	129.01	180.00	130.66	
		200.00	131.04	200.00	132.04	— — —
		180.00	131.66	150.00	130.01	
		100.00	126.32	80.00	124.62	
		50.00	121.34	20.00	118.27	
		10.00	117.40	9.84	117.39	
		9.83	117.39			
2		9.83	117.39	9.84		Restoration Soil (above
		10.00	117.40	20.00	118.27	capping)
		50.00	121.34	80.00	124.62	
		100.00	126.32	150.00	130.01	
		180.00	131.66	200.00	132.04	
		200.00	137.60	170.00	136.99	
		160.00	136.77	130.00	136.10	
		100.00	134.64	80.00	132.29	
		50.00	126.54	20.00	121.11	
		10.00	120.00	0.00	118.89	
		0.00	116.53			
3		28.85	111.00	200.00	111.00	Waste
		200.00	131.04	180.00	130.66	vvasie
		150.00	129.01	100.00	125.32	$\times \times $
		80.00	123.62	50.00	120.34	
		20.00	117.27	10.60	117.00	
4		10.50	115.65	28.12	110.00	Engineered CLAY
		200.00	110.00	200.00		(MMG derived)
	<b>—</b>	28.85	111.00	10.60	117.00	
		10.00	117.34			
5		28.12	110.00	10.50	115.65	In situ Weathered MMG
		10.00	117.34	9.83		(CLAY)
		0.00	116.53	0.00	105.00	0 0 0 0
		200.00	105.00	200.00	110.00	
						0 0 0 0

#### Water

Water type: Coefficient Ru

No	No. Interface Ru location	C	Coordinate	es of inter	face Ru p	oints [m]		Coeff. Ru
NO.		X	Z	X	Z	X	Z	[-]
		0.00	118.89	10.00	120.00	20.00	121.11	
4		50.00	126.54	80.00	132.29	100.00	134.64	0.400
1	1	130.00	136.10	160.00	136.77	170.00	136.99	0.100
		200.00	137.60					

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#### **Tensile crack**

Tensile crack not input.

#### **Earthquake**

Earthquake not included.

#### Settings of the stage of construction

Design situation : permanent

# **Results (Stage of construction 2)**

#### Analysis 1 (stage 2)

#### Polygonal slip surface

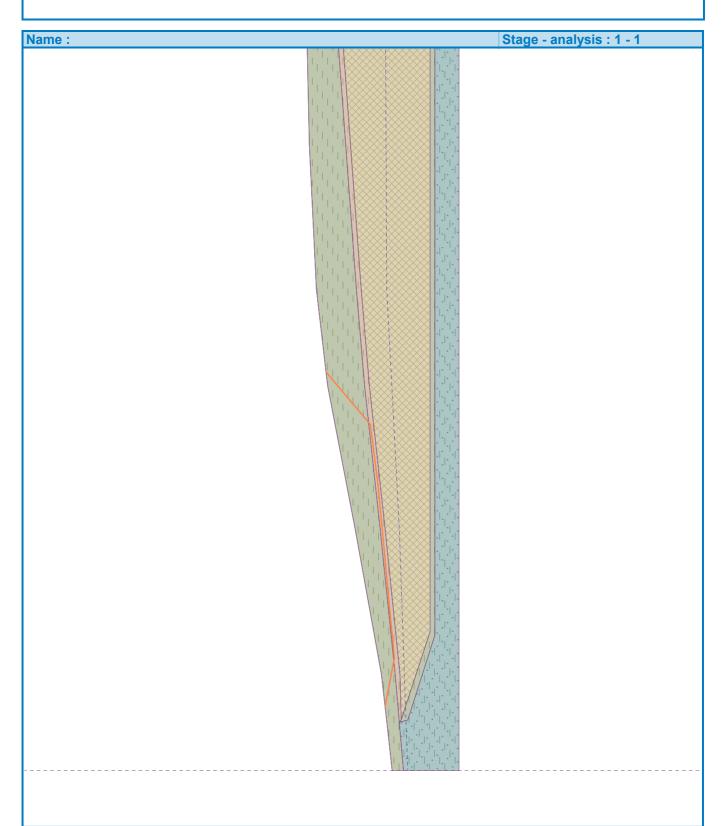
	Coordinates of slip surface points [m]											
X Z X Z X Z X Z X Z												
15.91 120.66 15.99 120.60 20.36 117.74 43.57 120.06 58.62 12												
65.42	122.60	81.16	132.43									
		Ar	nalysis of th	e slip surfac	e without c	ptimization.						

#### Slope stability verification (Sarma)

Combination 1 Utilization: 56.0 %

**Slope stability ACCEPTABLE** 

Combination 2 Utilization: 60.1 %



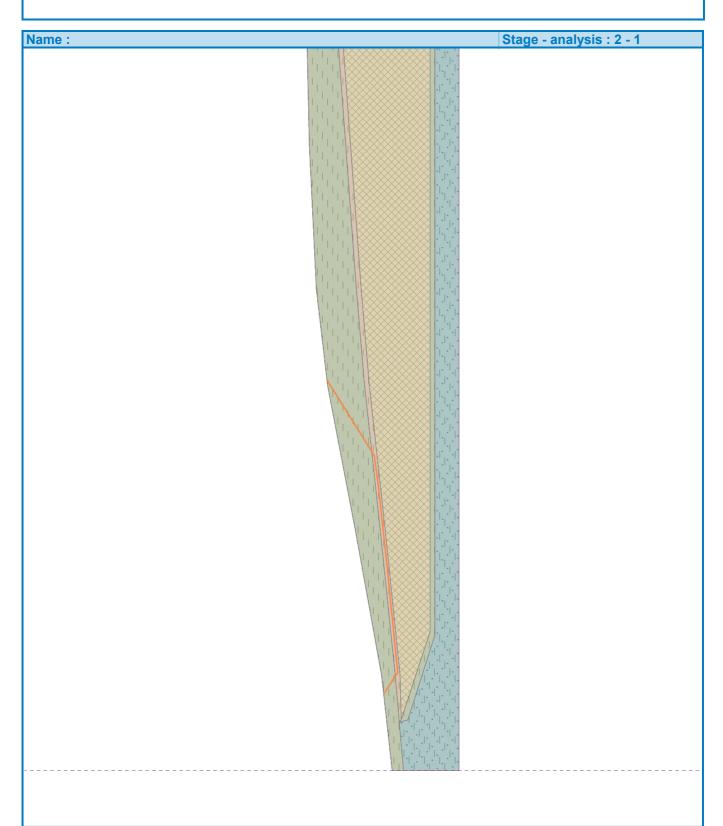
Analysis of the slip surface without optimization.

Slope stability verification (Sarma)

Combination 1 Utilization: 48.5 %

**Slope stability ACCEPTABLE** 

Combination 2
Utilization: 53.7 %



Analysis of the slip surface without optimization.

Slope stability verification (Sarma)

Combination 1 Utilization: 56.0 %

**Slope stability ACCEPTABLE** 

Combination 2
Utilization: 60.1 %

# Slope stability analysis

# Input data

#### **Project**

Task: Meece Landfill Part: Section 3 South

Description: Proposed (2021, 138m) restoration levels (Note this generally higher than than Aug 2022 survey)

Customer: Swan Environmental / Biffa

Author: DG

Date: 18/07/2023

Project ID: Meece Landfill Addendum SRA

Project number: DG3009

#### **Settings**

United Kingdom - EN 1997

#### Stability analysis

Verification methodology: according to EN 1997

Earthquake analysis : Standard

Design approach: 1 - reduction of actions and soil parameters

	Partial factors on actions (A)												
Permanent design situation													
Combination 1 Combination 2													
		Unfavourable Favourable			Unfavourable		Favourable						
Permanent actions :	γ <sub>G</sub> =	1.35 [-	-]	1.00	[-]	1.00	[-]	1.00	[-]				
Variable actions :	γ <sub>Q</sub> =	1.50 [-	-]	0.00	[-]	1.30	[-]	0.00	[-]				
Water load : γ <sub>w</sub> = 1.35 [–] 1.00 [–]													

Partial factors for soil parameters (M)											
Permanent design situation											
Combination 1 Combination 2											
Partial factor on internal friction :	$\gamma_{\phi} =$	1.00 [-	-]	1.25	[-]						
Partial factor on effective cohesion :	γ <sub>c</sub> =	1.00 [-	-]	1.25	[-]						
Partial factor on undrained shear strength :	γ <sub>cu</sub> =	1.00 [-	-]	1.40	[-]						

#### Interface

No.	Interface location		Coordina	ates of into	erface po	ints [m]	
140.	interface location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z
1		0.00	118.00	10.00	118.00	20.00	119.42
		50.00	123.49	80.00	125.54	100.00	126.74
		130.00	128.72	160.00	130.60	170.00	131.03
		200.00	131.22				
2		0.00	116.53	9.83	117.39	9.98	117.40
		10.00	117.40	20.00	117.20	50.00	119.58
		80.00	121.90	100.00	123.50	150.00	127.23
		180.00	127.66	200.00	127.47		
3		10.00	117.21	10.07	117.12	10.13	117.04
		11.00	116.00	20.00	116.20	50.00	118.58
		80.00	120.90	100.00	122.50	150.00	126.23
		180.00	126.66	200.00	126.47		

No.	Interface location	Coordinates of interface points [m]						
140.	interface location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z	
4		9.98	117.40	10.00	117.34	10.00	117.21	
		10.00	117.12	10.00	116.06	10.50	115.65	
		25.00	110.00	200.00	110.00			
5		11.00	116.00	25.73	111.00	200.00	111.00	
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# Soil parameters - effective stress state

No.	Name	Pattern	Φef [°]	c <sub>ef</sub> [kPa]	γ [kN/m³]
1	Waste		25.00	5.00	12.00
2	In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)		28.00	5.00	18.60
3	Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)		25.00	2.00	18.60
4	Capping (Clay)		25.00	2.00	18.60
5	Restoration Soil (above capping)		22.00	0.05	18.60

# Soil parameters - uplift

No.	Name	Pattern	Ysat [kN/m³]	Ys [kN/m³]	n [–]
1	Waste		12.00		
2	In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)		18.60		
3	Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)		18.60		
4	Capping (Clay)		18.60		
5	Restoration Soil (above capping)		18.60		

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#### Soil parameters

#### Waste

Unit weight:  $y = 12.00 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

 $\begin{array}{lll} \text{Stress-state}: & \text{effective} \\ \text{Angle of internal friction}: & \phi_{ef} = 25.00 \ ^{\circ} \\ \text{Cohesion of soil}: & c_{ef} = 5.00 \ \text{kPa} \\ \text{Saturated unit weight}: & \gamma_{sat} = 12.00 \ \text{kN/m}^{3} \end{array}$ 

#### In situ Weathered MMG (CLAY)

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 28.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 5.00 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

#### **Engineered CLAY (MMG derived)**

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 25.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 2.00 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

#### Capping (Clay)

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 25.00 \,^{\circ}$ Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 2.00 \, \text{kPa}$ Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

## **Restoration Soil (above capping)**

Unit weight:  $\gamma = 18.60 \text{ kN/m}^3$ 

Stress-state: effective

Angle of internal friction :  $\phi_{ef} = 22.00 \,^{\circ}$  Cohesion of soil :  $c_{ef} = 0.05 \, \text{kPa}$  Saturated unit weight :  $\gamma_{sat} = 18.60 \, \text{kN/m}^3$ 

# **Assigning and surfaces**

No.	Surface position	Coordin	ates of su	ırface poir	nts [m]	Assigned
NO.	Surface position	X	Z	X	Z	soil
1		9.83	117.39	9.98	117.40	Restoration Soil (above
	X	10.00	117.40	20.00	117.20	capping)
		50.00	119.58	80.00	121.90	
		100.00	123.50	150.00	127.23	
		180.00	127.66	200.00	127.47	— — —
		200.00	131.22	170.00	131.03	
		160.00	130.60	130.00	128.72	
		100.00	126.74	80.00	125.54	
		50.00	123.49	20.00	119.42	
		10.00	118.00	0.00	118.00	
		0.00	116.53			

No.	Surface position	Coordin	ates of su	ırface poir	nts [m]	Assigned
NO.	Surface position	X	Z	X	Z	soil
2	<del></del>	10.00	117.34	10.00	117.21	Capping (Clay)
		10.07	117.12	10.13	117.04	11 0 ( ),
		11.00	116.00	20.00	116.20	
		50.00	118.58	80.00	120.90	
		100.00	122.50	150.00	126.23	
		180.00	126.66	200.00	126.47	
		200.00	127.47	180.00	127.66	
		150.00	127.23	100.00	123.50	
		80.00	121.90	50.00	119.58	
		20.00	117.20	10.00	117.40	
		9.98	117.40			
3		25.73	111.00	200.00	111.00	Waste
	<b>)</b>	200.00	126.47	180.00	126.66	77 4010
		150.00	126.23	100.00	122.50	$\times \times $
		80.00	120.90	50.00	118.58	
		20.00	116.20	11.00	116.00	
4		25.73	111.00	11.00	116.00	Engineered CLAY
		10.13	117.04	10.07	117.12	(MMG derived)
		10.00	117.21	10.00	117.12	
		10.00	116.06	10.50	115.65	
		25.00	110.00	200.00	110.00	
		200.00	111.00			
5		25.00	110.00	10.50	115.65	In situ Weathered MMG
		10.00	116.06	10.00	117.12	(CLAY)
	-	10.00	117.21	10.00	117.34	0 0 0
		9.98	117.40	9.83	117.39	
		0.00	116.53	0.00	105.00	
		200.00	105.00	200.00	110.00	

#### Water

Water type: GWT

No.	GWT location	Coordinates of GWT points [m]						
140.	OWI location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z	
		0.00	115.44	10.00	116.00	100.00	121.00	
1		180.00	124.00	200.00	124.00			
1		180.00	124.00	200.00	124.00			

#### **Tensile crack**

Tensile crack not input.

#### **Earthquake**

Earthquake not included.

#### Settings of the stage of construction

Design situation : permanent

# **Results (Stage of construction 1)**

#### Analysis 1 (stage 1)

Circular slip surface

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		SIi	ip surface	e parameters		
Center :	x =	30.62	[m]	Angles :	α <sub>1</sub> =	-42.39 [°]
Center.	z =	140.31	[m]	Angles :	α <sub>2</sub> =	57.01 [°]
Radius : R = 30.15 [m]						
		The sli	p surface	after optimization.		

# Slope stability verification (Bishop)

**Combination 1** 

Utilization: 46.8 %

#### **Slope stability ACCEPTABLE**

**Combination 2** 

Utilization: 39.4 %

Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

# Input data (Stage of construction 2)

# **Assigning and surfaces**

No. Surface position    X   Z   X   Z	soil on Soil (above
10.00 117.40 20.00 117.20 capping) 50.00 119.58 80.00 121.90	on Soil (above
10.00 117.40 20.00 117.20 capping) 50.00 119.58 80.00 121.90	`
100.00 123.50 150.00 127.23	
180.00 127.66 200.00 127.47	— —
200.00 131.22 170.00 131.03	
160.00 130.60 130.00 128.72	
100.00 126.74 80.00 125.54	
50.00 123.49 20.00 119.42	
10.00 118.00 0.00 118.00	
0.00 116.53	
2 10.00 117.34 10.00 117.21 Comping 4	(Clay)
10.00 117.34 10.00 117.21 Capping (	(Clay)
11.00 116.00 20.00 116.20	
50.00 118.58 80.00 120.90	
100.00 122.50 150.00 126.23	<del></del>
180.00 126.66 200.00 126.47	
200.00 127.47 180.00 127.66	
150.00 127.23 100.00 123.50	
80.00 121.90 50.00 119.58	
20.00 117.20 10.00 117.40	
9.98 117.40	
3 25.73 111.00 200.00 111.00 Waste	
200.00 126.47 180.00 126.66 Waste	
150.00 126.23 100.00 122.50	XXXXX
80.00 120.90 50.00 118.58	
20.00 116.20 11.00 116.00	
4 25.73 111.00 11.00 116.00 Engineer	ed CLAY
10.13 117.04 10.07 117.12 (MMG de	
10.00 117.21 10.00 117.12	,
10.00 116.06 10.50 115.65	
25.00 110.00 200.00 110.00	
200.00 111.00	
5 25.00 110.00 10.50 115.65 In situ We	eathered MMG
10.00 116.06 10.00 117.12 (CLAY)	
10.00 117.21 10.00 117.34	
9.98 117.40 9.83 117.39	· _ · _ ·
0.00 116.53 0.00 105.00	
200.00 105.00 200.00 110.00	

#### Water

Water type: Coefficient Ru

No.	Interface Ru location	C	oordinat	es of inter	face Ru p	oints [m]		Coeff. Ru
NO.	interface Ru location	X	Z	X	Z	X	Z	[-]
		0.00	118.00	10.00	118.00	20.00	119.42	
		50.00	123.49	80.00	125.54	100.00	126.74	0.400
1	-	130.00	128.72	160.00	130.60	170.00	131.03	0.100
		200.00	131.22					

#### **Tensile crack**

Tensile crack not input.

#### **Earthquake**

Earthquake not included.

#### Settings of the stage of construction

Design situation: permanent

#### **Results (Stage of construction 2)**

#### Analysis 1 (stage 2)

#### Circular slip surface

		SI	ip surface	parameters			
Center :	x =	10.63	[m]	Angles	α <sub>1</sub> =	-1.33 [°]	
Center.	z =	155.01	[m]	Angles :	α <sub>2</sub> =	17.09 [°]	
Radius : R = 37.02 [m]							
		The sli	p surface	after optimization.			

#### Slope stability verification (Bishop)

Combination 1

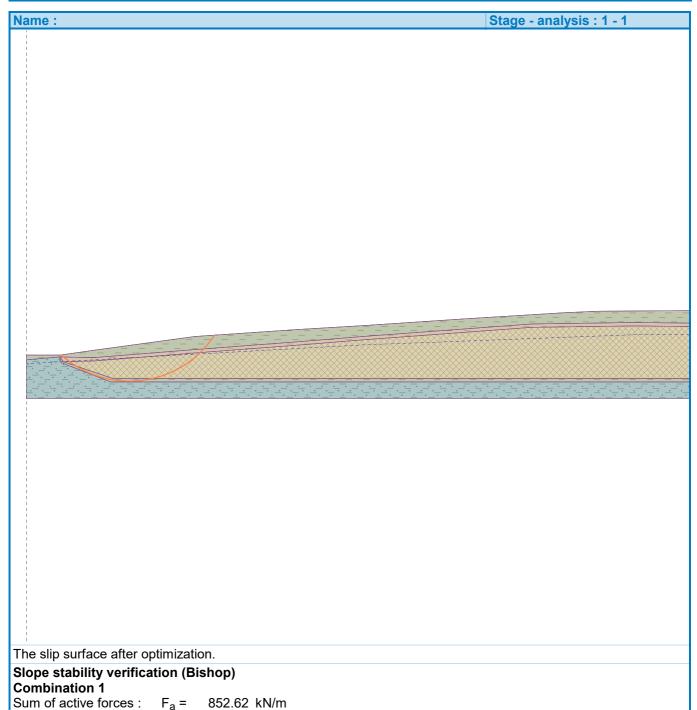
Utilization: 40.5 %

#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

Combination 2

Utilization: 47.2 %

**Slope stability ACCEPTABLE** 



Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 1821.67 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment :  $M_a = 25706.37 \text{ kNm/m}$ Resisting moment :  $M_p = 54923.26 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Utilization: 46.8 %

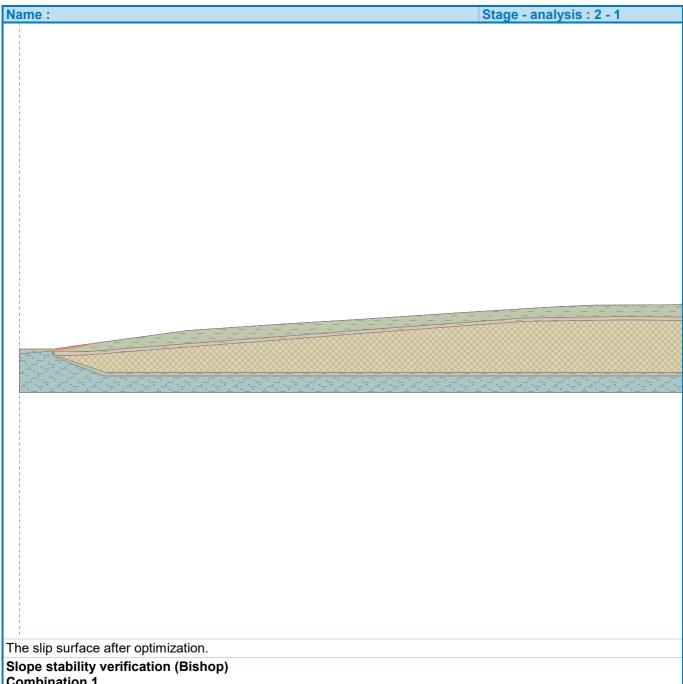
#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

**Combination 2** 

Sum of active forces :  $F_a = 653.16 \text{ kN/m}$ Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 1659.58 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment :  $M_a = 24826.62 \text{ kNm/m}$ Resisting moment :  $M_p = 63080.51 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Utilization: 39.4 %

Slope stability ACCEPTABLE



**Combination 1** 

Sum of active forces :  $F_a = 52.94 \text{ kN/m}$ Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 130.57 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment:  $M_a = 849.75 \text{ kNm/m}$ Resisting moment:  $M_p = 2095.59 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Utilization: 40.5 %

#### Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

**Combination 2** 

Sum of active forces :  $F_a = 9.36 \text{ kN/m}$ Sum of passive forces :  $F_p = 19.83 \text{ kN/m}$ Sliding moment:  $M_a = 346.55 \text{ kNm/m}$ Resisting moment:  $M_p = 734.11 \text{ kNm/m}$ 

Utilization: 47.2 %

Slope stability ACCEPTABLE

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