

GRT:7000 (S) UCS TEST DATA REPORTS

Continuous improvement and development of the GRT products is surging ahead with leaps and bounds. The latest addition to our product line-up is the GRT7000 (S). Soil Strengths beyond 8 MPa can be achieved with as little as 1 % of product.

Unconfined Compression Strength (UCS) testing of Department of Transport and Main Roads (DTMR) Type 2, sub-type 2.5 gravel with 1 % GRT:7000 (S) additive produced a UCS test result at 5 days of 8.9MPa when tested in accordance with MRS Q115. An additional increase of polymer content to 3 % resulted in a UCS of 14 MPa also at 5 days. Development of test methods for testing of the flexural strength and fatigue property of the material is currently underway so as to provide an indication of toughness and expected fatigue life of the polymer. Initial results are very promising with resilient modulus values in excess of 7,000 MPa expected.

Comparative UCS results in cement stabilised type 2 gravels, require in excess of 5 and 6 %, and up to 8 % cement by mass for the lower sub-types.

Linear shrinkage testing of the polymer modified blended Type 2, gravel showed a reduction in plastic behaviour and initial indications are the polymer is not susceptible to shrinkage cracking. Further validation is also currently underway.

The polymer is cross-linked and after curing is chemically stable and does not leach out with rainfall or inundation.



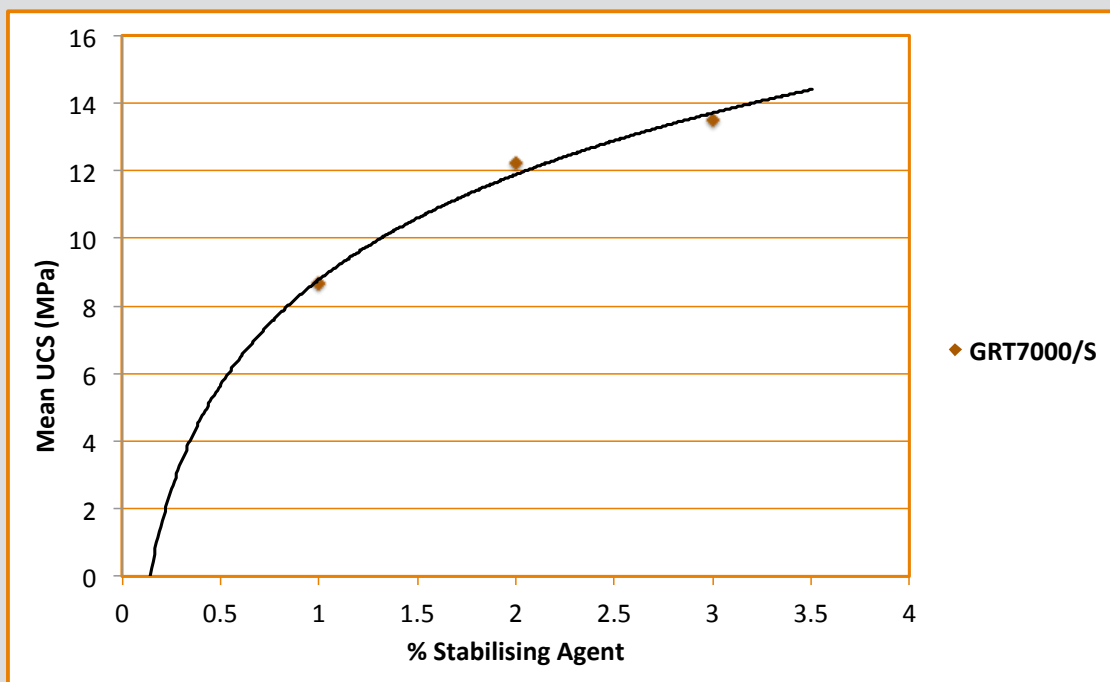
THE SUMMARY BELOW INDICATES STRENGTH ACHIEVABLE WITHIN 5 DAYS OF BATCHING.

Material:	Roadbase Type 2.1C	Roadbase Type 2.1C	Roadbase Type 2.1C
Compaction Standard:	Standard	Standard	Standard
Curing	5 Days	5 Days	5 Days
Stabilising Agent - Type:	GRT 7000/S	GRT 7000/S	GRT 7000/S
Stabilising Agent: Proportion (%):	1	2	3
Achieved Mean Dry Density (t/m3)	2.20	2.24	2.25
Achieved Moisture Content (%)	6.1	6.1	5.9
Moisture Content at Time of Testing (%)	NA	NA	NA
UCS (Mpa)	8.49	12.15	14.24
UCS (Mpa)	8.58	12.45	13.8
UCS (Mpa)	8.86	12.09	12.42
Mean UCS (Mpa):	8.64	12.23	13.49

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This product now offers economic options in the construction of: Laydown Yards, Loading Terminals, Car Parks or anywhere that requires an inexpensive alternative to concrete.

With the increased flexural strength polymer treatment brings over cement, a wider scope for application in pavement construction can now be considered. Strengths far higher than that previously considered in bound pavement design can now be considered without the associated shrinkage cracking, which leads to reflective cracking, and premature failure.



The non-linear relationship in UCS, displayed with increased binder content can be associated with an increase in resilient modulus and flexural strength where the properties increasingly suit application in the design of deep lift asphalt and concrete sub base pavement design.



Unconfined Compressive Strength

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Issue No: 1

Client: Global Road Technology
 1-5 Union Circuit
 Yatala QLD 4207

Principal:

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Sample Details

Work Order ID: NEWS15W00637	Sample ID: NEWS15S-01371
Sampling Method: Submitted by client	Date Sampled:
Material: 2.5 Base course	Date Submitted: 10/04/2015
Source: Ormeau Landscape Supplies	Date Tested: 15/04/2015
Specification:	
Project Location: Yatala	
Sample Location: Trial, Additive XQ 1%, 6%MC - 50% Polymer Mass	

Unconfined Compressive Strength [Q115]

Compaction Standard: Q115	Project Type: Laboratory Design
Stabilising Agent - Type: GRT	
Stabilising Agent - Source: Client supplied	
Stabilising Agent - Proportion (%): 1.0	Stabilising Agent - Sampled From: Bag
Mean UCS (MPa): 5.8	
Target Dry Density (t/m³):	Target Moisture Content (%): 6.0
Air Curing - Curing Period (days): 5	
Air Curing - Temperature (C): 45	

Specimens

No	Achieved Dry Density (t/m ³)	Achieved Relative Compaction (%)	Achieved Moisture Content (%)	Achieved Percent of OMC (%)	Unconfined Compressive Strength (MPa)	Tested Capped (Yes/No)	Exclude this result (Yes/No)
1	2.201		6.1	102	5.7	No	No
2	2.238		6.1	102	5.8	No	No
3	2.254		6.1	102	5.8	No	No

Comments

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 A- 8.49MPa
 B- 8.58MPa
 C- 8.86MPa



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Source: Ormeau Landscape Supplies	Date Tested: 11/04/2015
Specification:	
Project Location: Yatala	
Sample Location: Trial, Additive XQ 2% @ 6%MC - 50% of Polymer Mass	

Unconfined Compressive Strength [Q115]

Compaction Standard: Standard	Project Type: Laboratory Design
Stabilising Agent - Type: GRT	
Stabilising Agent - Source: Client supplied	
Stabilising Agent - Proportion (%): 2.0	Stabilising Agent - Sampled From: Bag
Mean UCS (MPa): 5.7	
Target Dry Density (t/m³):	Target Moisture Content (%): 6.0
Air Curing - Curing Period (days): 5	
Air Curing - Temperature (C): 45	

Specimens

No	Achieved Dry Density (t/m ³)	Achieved Relative Compaction (%)	Achieved Moisture Content (%)	Achieved Percent of OMC (%)	Unconfined Compressive Strength (MPa)	Tested Capped (Yes/No)	Exclude this result (Yes/No)
1	2.233		6.1	101	5.8	No	No
2	2.205		6.1	101	5.8	No	No
3	2.223		6.1	101	5.7	No	No

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B- 12.45MPa
C- 12.09MPa



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Specification:	
Project Location: Yatala	
Sample Location: Trial, Additive XQ 3% @ 6%MC - 50% of Polymer Mass	

Unconfined Compressive Strength [Q115]

Compaction Standard:	Q115	Project Type:	
Stabilising Agent - Type:	GRT		
Stabilising Agent - Source:	Client supplied		
Stabilising Agent - Proportion (%):	3.0	Stabilising Agent - Sampled From:	Bag
Mean UCS (MPa):	5.7		
Target Dry Density (t/m³):		Target Moisture Content (%):	6.0
Air Curing - Curing Period (days):	5		
Air Curing - Temperature (C):	45		

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1	2.231		5.9	99	5.7	No	No
2	2.215		5.9	99	5.7	No	No
3	2.243		5.9	99	5.7	No	No

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 A- 14.24MPa
 B- 13.80MPa
 C- 12.42MPa