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## EARTH ANCHORS / KLAPANKERS



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## The Range

#### **Anchor Type** Tie Bars & Tendons

AS-05 Material: **Stainless Steel; Cast Iron SG** Load range:

2 - 13 KN



Tendons: Paracore; Stainless Steel; MS Galvanised

**AS-10** Material: Stainless Steel; Cast Iron SG Load range: 4 – 27 KN



**Carbon Steel** Tendons:

Tie Bar:

Paracore; Stainless Steel: MS Galvanised

AS-20 Material: **Stainless Steel; Cast Iron SG** Load range: 10 - 63 KN

AS-30

Material:

Load range:

14 - 87 KN

**AS-90** 

Material:

Load range:

33 – <u>169 KN</u>



Tie Bars: H.Y. Carbon Steel Stainless Steel Tendons: Stainless Steel; MS Galvanised

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**AS-50** Material: **Stainless Steel; Cast Iron SG** Load range: 19 – 119 KN

**Stainless Steel; Cast Iron SG** 



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Tendons:

H.Y. Carbon Steel

Stainless Steel

Stainless Steel;

MS Galvanised

**Stainless Steel; Cast Iron SG** 



AS-200 Material: **Stainless Steel; Cast Iron SG** Load range: 45 - 271 KN

AS-300 Material: **Stainless Steel: Cast Iron SG** Load range: 71 – 405 KN



Tie Bars: H.Y. Carbon Steel Stainless Steel Tendons: Stainless Steel:

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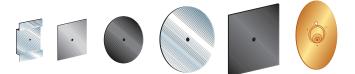
MS Galvanised



Anchor load ranges are for guidance only

## **Load Bearing and Pattress Plates**

Load bearing top termination or pattress plates are custom made to individual sizes, shapes and materials to suit customers' specific individual requirements.





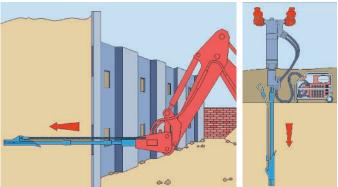


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## Installation

#### **Machine Mounted**

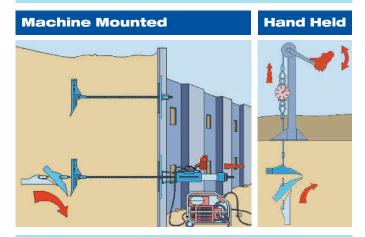
### Hand Held



Anchors are designed to be driven into the ground using hydraulic or pneumatic equipment, with little or no disruption to the structure or surrounding area.

# Machine Mounted Hand Held Image: marked state stat

Once the anchor has been driven to the required depth the drive rod is removed.



A tensile load is applied to the attached tie bar or tendon. This rotates the anchor into the locked position for maximum load holding capacity. The anchor is then proof tested to the designed loading requirements before the top termination is fitted, as specified by the civil or structural engineer.

## **Combi-Tec concealed top termination**

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The Combi-Tec system comprises a stainless steel tube, front plate and polyester sock which is inserted over the installed anchor before pressure filling with grout to produce a mechanical and chemical bond within the structure. This provides a totally concealed top termination for earth anchors, making it ideal for historic and listed structures.



- 1. Remove stone or brick or core drill clearance hole
- 2. Position anchor for installation
- 3. Drive in anchor to required depth
- 4. Insert Combi-Tec sock over anchor
- 5. Inflate sock by injecting cementitious grout and leave to cure
- 6. Tension anchor to working load and secure to recessed front plate with load nut
- 7. Crop excess bar, mortar around Combi-Tec
- 8. Replace cored material and make good





- for land or underwater applications
- corrosion resistant components
- Kevlar webbing connects pairs of anchors to secure pipeline

### **High Yield** Bars



- carbon steel for temporary applications
- stainless steel for permanent and corrosive situations
- stainless steel tensile strength in excess of 650N/mm<sup>2</sup>
- can be cut on site without damaging thread
- anchors can be simply extended as required by means of a threaded coupler
- system can be safely grouted to enhance performance
- enables anchors to be re-tensioned, if necessary

## **Anchor Drains**

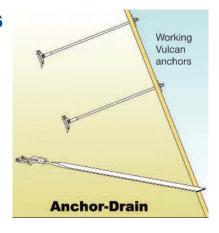
Anchor Drains are a quick, simple and effective means of reducing water puddling within clay slopes and behind retaining walls.

A length of 'Colbond' wicking material is secured to the anchor bar by means of cable ties and strain relief nuts. Once the anchor has been installed in the normal way the drive rod is withdrawn and the Anchor Drain provides an instant drainage channel.

- ideal for road and railway embankments and retaining walls
- relieves puddle pressure
- prevents ground becoming saturated
- helps avoid embankment failure

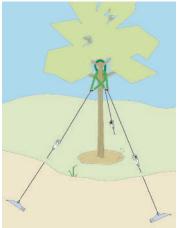
Polvester Sleeve

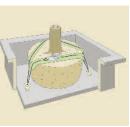




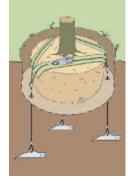
- rapidly and easily installed
- simple, effective and economical
- available in cast iron with carbon steel bar or stainless steel

## **Tree Anchoring Systems**





cut to required length and shackled to the Vulcan Anchor.



- traditional or Paracore tree kits
- robust and easy to install
- no special tensioning tools needed
- anchor points hidden below ground
- easily re-tensioned or de-tensioned



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| All kN loadings are based upon the optimal<br>tendon choice for the mechanical Anchoring<br>systems to achieve Ultimate Resistance test. | Anchor System  | AS05                            | AS10  | AS20     | AS30     | AS50    | AS90     | AS120    | AS200    | AS300    | AS-400   |
|--|--|---------------------------------|-------|----------|----------|---------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|  | Tendon type  | M-8                             | M-12  | 16mm HYB | 16mm HYB | 20m HYB | 20mm HYB | 25mm HYB | 28mm HYB | 30mm HYB | 30mm HYB |
|  | Independent destructive TEST of<br>Mechanical anchor head (kN) | 30                              | 55    | 70.74    | 112.6    | 195.3   | 195.3    | 222.2    | 356.7    | 450      | 500      |
|  | Ultimate strength of tendon (kN)                               | 15                              | 64    | 121      | 121      | 188     | 188      | 295      | 370      | 566      | 566      |
|  | Limiting structural strength                                   | 13.5                            | 49.5  | 63.7     | 101.3    | 169.2   | 169.2    | 200.0    | 321.0    | 405.0    | 450.0    |
|  | Anchor Head surface area<br>mm2                                | 3,481                           | 6,781 | 15,637   | 21,130   | 29,093  | 48,734   | 104,517  | 65,886   | 104,769  | 216,078  |
| Common Soil Type Description   | Blow Count or "SPT"  | Ultimate anchor resistance (kN) |       |          |          |         |          |          |          |          |          |
| Very Dense and/or Cemented Sands; Course<br>Gravel & Cobbles   | 60 +   | 13                              | 27    | 63       | 87       | 119     | 169      | 199      | 271      | 405      | 450      |
| Dense Fine Sand; Very Hard Silts & Clays   | 45 - 60  | 12                              | 24    | 57       | 77       | 106     | 169      | 199      | 242      | 384      | 450      |
| Dense Clays, Sands & Gravel; Very Stiff to Hard<br>Silts & Clays   | 35 - 50  | 10                              | 20    | 48       | 64       | 89      | 149      | 199      | 202      | 322      | 450      |
| Medium Dense Sandy Gravel; Very Stiff to Hard<br>Silts & Clays   | 25 - 40  | 8                               | 16    | 38       | 52       | 72      | 120      | 199      | 163      | 259      | 450      |
| Medium Dense Course Sand & Sandy Gravel; Stiff to Very Stiff Silts & clays   | 14 - 25  | 5                               | 11    | 26       | 35       | 49      | 82       | 177      | 112      | 178      | 367      |
| Loose to Medium Dense Fine to Course Sand;<br>Firm to Stiff Clays & Silts  | 7 - 14   | 4                               | 7     | 18       | 24       | 33      | 56       | 121      | 76       | 121      | 251      |
| Loose Fine Sand; Alluvium;Soft-Firm Clays; Varied<br>Clays; Fill   | 4 - 8  | 3                               | 6     | 14       | 18       | 26      | 43       | 93       | 58       | 93       | 193      |
| Peat, Organic Silts; Inundates Silts Fly Ash   | 0 - 5  | 2                               | 4     | 10       | 14       | 19      | 33       | 71       | 45       | 71       | 148      |





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#### **Holding Capacity Chart** info@benderinternational.nl www.benderinternational.nl

The holding capacity chart was developed using in excess of 25 years of historical site test measurements, readings and soil condition correlation. In addition, the capacity chart uses Euro codes and published studies on the shear strength of a given soil type.

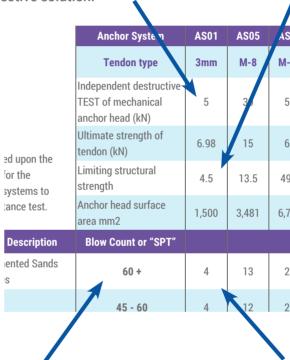
|   | Anchor System   | AS01  | AS05  | AS10  | AS20        | AS30        | AS50        | AS90        | AS120       | AS200       | AS300       | AS400       |
|---|---|-------|-------|-------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|   | Tendon type   | 3mm   | M-8   | M-12  | 16mm<br>HYB | 16mm<br>HYB | 20mm<br>HYB | 20mm<br>HYB | 25mm<br>HYB | 28mm<br>HYB | 30mm<br>HYB | 30mm<br>HYB |
|   | Independent destructive<br>TEST of mechanical<br>anchor head (kN)             | 5     | 30    | 55    | 70.74       | 112.6       | 195.3       | 195.3       | 222.2       | 356.7       | 450         | 500         |
| All kN loadings are based upon the<br>optimal tendon choice for the<br>mechanical Anchoring systems to<br>achieve Ultimate Resistance test. | Ultimate strength of<br>tendon (kN)   | 6.98  | 15    | 64    | 121         | 121         | 188         | 188         | 295         | 370         | 566         | 566         |
|   | Limiting structural<br>strength   | 4.5   | 13.5  | 49.5  | 63.7        | 101.3       | 169.2       | 169.2       | 200.0       | 321.0       | 405.0       | 450.0       |
|   | Anchor head surface<br>area mm2   | 1,500 | 3,481 | 6,781 | 15,637      | 21,130      | 29,093      | 48,734      | 104,517     | 65,886      | 104,769     | 216,078     |
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| Dense Clays, Sands & Gravel<br>Very Stiff to Hard Silts & Clays   | 35 - 50   | 4     | 10    | 20    | 48          | 64          | 89          | 149         | 199         | 202         | 322         | 450         |
| Medium Dense Sandy Gravel<br>Very Stiff to Hard Silts & Clays   | 25 - 40   | 3     | 8     | 16    | 38          | 52          | 72          | 120         | 199         | 163         | 259         | 450         |
| Medium Dense Course Sand & Sandy<br>Gravel; Stiff to Very Stiff Silts & clays   | 14 - 25   | 2     | 5     | 11    | 26          | 35          | 49          | 82          | 177         | 112         | 178         | 367         |
| Loose to Medium Dense Fine to Course<br>Sand; Firm to Stiff Clays & Silts   | 7 - 14  | 1     | 4     | 7     | 18          | 24          | 33          | 56          | 121         | 76          | 121         | 251         |
| Loose Fine Sand; Alluvium;Soft-Firm<br>Clays; Varied Clays; Fill  | 4 - 8   | 1     | 3     | 6     | 14          | 18          | 26          | 43          | 93          | 58          | 93          | 193         |
| Peat, Organic Silts; Inundates Silts Fly<br>Ash   | 0 - 5   | 1     | 2     | 4     | 10          | 14          | 19          | 33          | 71          | 45          | 71          | 148         |

N.B. For guidance purposes only - True capacity must be tested with a load locker: Previous project tests have shown that if an earth anchor is grouted into poor ground, the results that can be achieved are favorable to increased tensile loading capacity. Note: All below ground work should be undertaken after properly reviewing survey documentation on services. It is imperative in all cases that anchors are fully load locked before being out into service.

# **Using the Chart**

#### **Independent Test**

All parts of the Earth Anchor System are checked through independent testing. The weakest components break load is then reduced by a further 10% and recorded as the Limiting Structural Strength of that particular anchor system. This capacity is usually far beyond what the soil will allow the anchor to achieve, so in some cases, especially in well compacted soils or gravel layers, the anchors achieve high loads allowing the designers to use smaller anchors to achieve the design load required, therefore offering the most cost-effective solution.



#### SPT

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The standard penetration test (SPT) is an in-situ dynamic penetration test designed to provide information on the geotechnical engineering properties of soil. The SPT value indicates the hardness of the local soil. From this value we can evaluate the expected ultimate capacity of an anchor. Earth anchors are best suited in soil conditions with an SPT between 5 - 60. To give the best installation speed and practice a SPT value between 15 - 35 would be ideal as the soil is soft enough to allow ease of installation but firm enough to guarantee an overall loading capacity.

#### Limiting Structural Strength

The limiting structural strength is 10% less than the weakest component of a given anchor system and takes into account the tendon and destructive test of the anchor.

| /                               | /           |             |             |             |             |           |  |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|
| S10                             | AS20        | AS30        | AS50        | AS90        | AS120       | AS2       |  |  |  |  |  |
| -12                             | 16mm<br>HYB | 16mm<br>HYB | 20mm<br>HYB | 20mm<br>HYB | 25mm<br>HYB | 28n<br>HY |  |  |  |  |  |
| 55                              | 70.74       | 112.6       | 195.3       | 195.3       | 222.2       | 356       |  |  |  |  |  |
| 64                              | 121         | 121         | 188         | 188         | 295         | 37        |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9.5                             | 63.7        | 101.3       | 169.2       | 169.2       | 200.0       | 321       |  |  |  |  |  |
| 781                             | 15,637      | 21,130      | 29,093      | 48,734      | 104,517     | 65,8      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ultimate anchor resistance (kN) |             |             |             |             |             |           |  |  |  |  |  |
| 27                              | 63          | 87          | 119         | 169         | 199         | 27        |  |  |  |  |  |
| 24                              | 57          | 77          | 106         | 169         | 199         | 24        |  |  |  |  |  |

#### Ultimate anchor resistance

The Earth Anchor range has been carefully designed and named to reflect the holding capacity achieved in medium to poor soil conditions, e.g. an AS-90 anchor supplied on a 20mm galvanised bar system has a limiting structural strength of 169.2kN. However in medium to poor soil conditions this anchor will achieve a maximum capacity of 90kN. Anchors that are installed into stiffer substrates will exceed their named loads. This chart offers the ultimate holding capacity of a given anchor head in a specified soil type and allows this load to be used inclusive of any safety factors.