

CHECKLIST 2: Contour drain (cut-off)

Contractor:	Date:	Consent number:	Site:
	Time:		
Construction checklist		Yes ✓	No ✗ (Add comments to explain)
Check back to 'Check Contour drains' section for full information. Also see the Figures over the page.			
Minimum compacted height is 250 mm			
Minimum total depth is 500 mm			
Longitudinal grade is <2% (unless lined)			
Catchment area is <0.5 ha			
Flow area is parabolic and not V-shaped			
Drains are as short as possible			
Earth windrows and banks are compacted			
Temporary contour drains are constructed across unprotected slopes at the end of the day's work and/or before forecast rain			
Inspection and maintenance checks are done, recorded and dated, along with any comments			

Note: this is an on-site, self-check list for contractors to use. Keep your completed checklists to show Compliance Officers your set up, monitoring and maintenance, if requested.

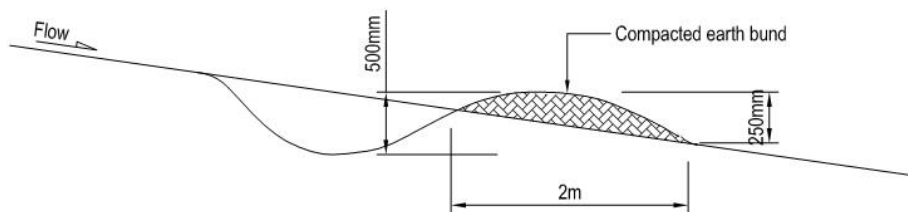
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FIGURES: Contour drain (cut-off)



Contour drain (Source: SouthernSkies)



Cross - section

Contour drain cross section