

# Disaster Resilient Ductile Iron Pipes

SRDIP is engineered with advanced seismic resilience at its core. Designed to prevent pipe joint separation, it is capable of withstanding high levels of compression, extension, and angular deflection.



TECHNICAL GUIDE: **APF1.8A**

## Applications

- Active fault line crossings
- Liquefaction prone ground and subsidence.
- Soft weak ground
- Pipelines crossing bridge abutments
- Water and waste water pipelines
- Pipelines connected to critical service supply hubs: Hospitals, Civil Defence headquarters, government buildings etc.
- Installation using Slip Lining and Pipe Jacking Methods

## Standards

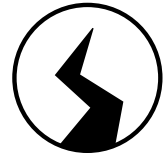
- JIS G 5526: Ductile iron pipes
- JIS G 5527: Ductile iron fittings
- JIS G 5528: Epoxy-powder coating for interior of ductile iron pipes and fittings
- JWWA G 112: Epoxy-powder coating for interior of ductile iron pipes and fittings for water supply
- JWWA G 113: Ductile iron pipes for water supply
- JWWA G 114: Ductile Iron fittings for water supply

- ISO 16134 Earthquake and subsidence resistant design of ductile iron pipelines - Table 2 Classification of pipeline components
- Flange drillings to AS4087 for water works purposes (PCD only) available upon special order request

SRDIP rubber ring jointed pipeline systems can perform in a wide range of New Zealand ground conditions. The joint design has been proven worldwide when installed in high risk seismically active locations including in Japan.

### Seismic Resilience

- Proven to be damage free after natural disasters.
- SRDIP has many seismic resilient features - extension, contraction and joint separation prevention.
- 6-8 degrees angular deflection during an event.



### Corrosion Resilience

- Lower life cycle cost.
- The special external coating can provide a minimum of 100-year life expectancy without PE sleeving installed (Design Conditions Apply – Refer to the guidelines provided within AWWA C105 – 10 Polyethylene encasement for Ductile Iron Pipe systems).



### Improved Productivity

- Increased productivity and reduced construction failures.
- SRDIP eliminates any need for installation of concrete anchor thrust blocks.



## Pipe types

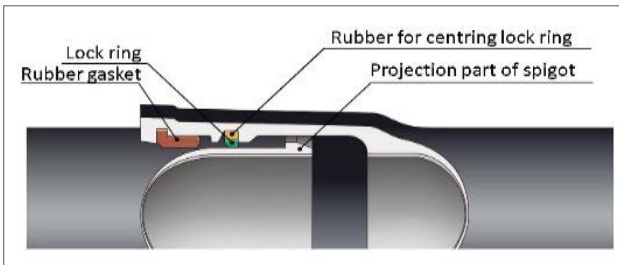


FIG. 1 Type NS Pipe (DN75-450)

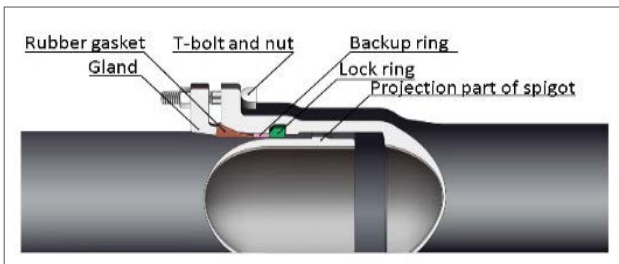


FIG. 2 Type NS Pipe (DN500-1000)

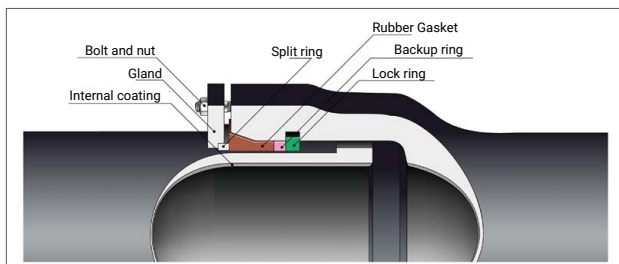


FIG. 6 Type NS Pipe (DN1100-2600)

## Fitting types

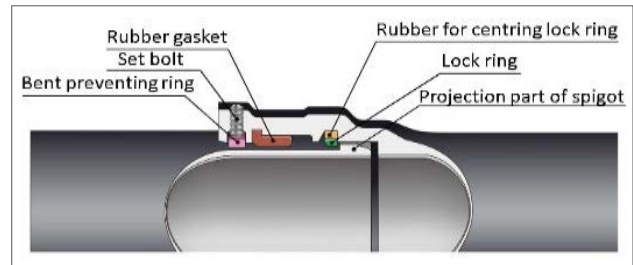


FIG. 3 Type NS Fitting (DN75-250)

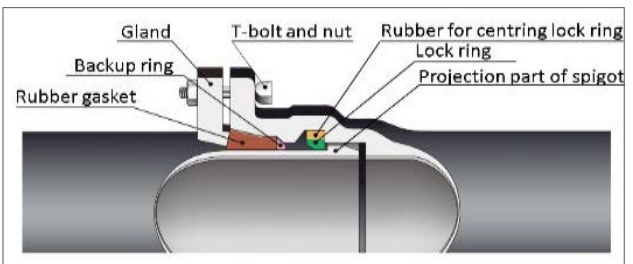


FIG. 4 Type NS Fitting (DN300-450)

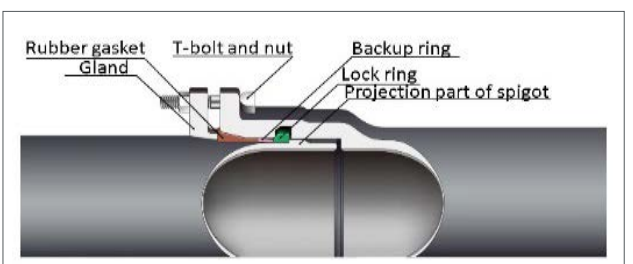


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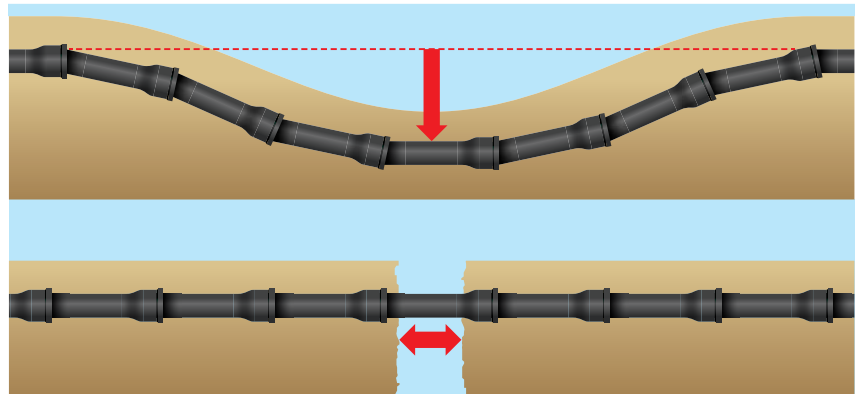
# Seismic Resilience



## Joint Features

- **Separation prevention:**  $3 \times \text{DN}$  (kN)\*  
DN is Nominal size (in mm)
- **Flexibility:** 6-8 degrees (maximum angular deflection)
- **Extension and compression:** ffl 1% of pipe length

Joint flexibility enables pipelines to follow subsidence during earthquakes. Extension and contraction of the pipes enables the pipeline to follow crack movement during earthquakes.



## Damage caused during natural disasters

**SRDIP has never failed in service during any disasters**



FIG. 7 Example of joint separation.



FIG. 8 SRDIP will remain in operation during seismic events.

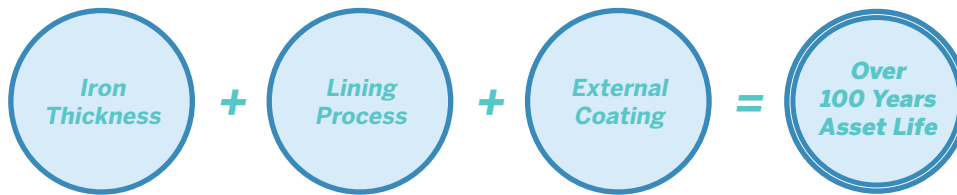


FIG. 9 SRDIP pipe remaining intact during the 2011 Japan Earthquake



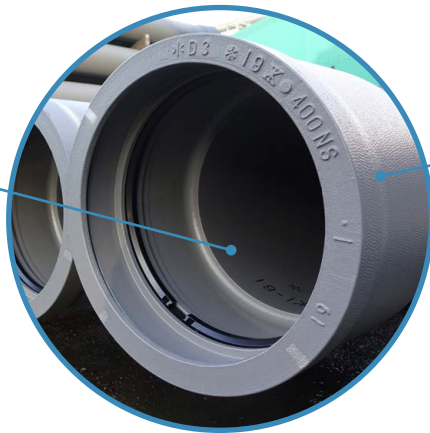
FIG. 10 SRDIP pipe remaining intact during the 2011 Japan Earthquake

# Corrosion Resilience



## Internal Coating

Fusion Bonded Epoxy Powder Coating



## External Coating

Triple layer Kzinc epoxy coating (Al-Si-Mn)



### Internal Coating Process

Coating Process	Material & Coating thickness
Pipe: Oven baked tspray application Fitting: Electrostatic spray	Fusion bonded epoxy powder Minimum 0.3mm

### External Coating Process

Layer	Coating Process	Material & Coating thickness
1	Thermal Spraying alloy	Zn Alloy (Al-Si-Mn) Not less than 200mg/m <sup>2</sup>
2	Sealing treatment	Silica compound sealing agent Not less than 50g/m <sup>2</sup>
3	Synthetic Resin coating	Synthetic Resin Not less than 80µm

## Coating Advantages

SRDIP can supply safe and secure potable water due to the oven baked internal FBE powder lining.

Advantage	Mortar Lining	Fusion Bonded Epoxy Powder Coating
Water Resilience and Chemical Resistance	○	✓
Water Quality and Sanitation	○	✓
Smoother Internal Surface - Increased Flow	100%	110-120%

**Note:** For pipe and fittings ≥DN500, the coating applied is a Zinc rich paint Containing Aluminum which provides an equivalent performance to the KZinc™ triple layer external coating system

## Coating Advantages

Zn alloy (Al - Si - Mn) coating of SRDIP has a higher corrosion resilience than bitumen coating.

Traditional Bitumen Coating  
- Rust (7 days)



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Zn Alloy Coating  
- No Rust (59 days later)



## Enhanced Asset Life

Using oven baked fusion bonded epoxy powder (FBE) lining combined with triple layer Kzinc coating (Al-Si-Mn) corrosion resistance improves durability resulting in longer asset life.



## Improved Productivity



- No concrete anchor blocks at bends required.
- No PE sleeves required  
(under most conditions - 95% of Japan)

**TABLE 1** Joining Time: Pipe-joint

Nominal Size	Pipe-joint (mins)	Fitting-joint (mins)
75	4.2	-
100	4.9	6.4
150	4.9	-
200	5.4	7.0
250	5.9	-
300	7.0	13.4
400	7.5	13.8
450	8.6	14.1
500	15.5	15.5
600	16.0*	16.0*
700	18.5*	18.5*
800	23.0*	23.0*
900	23.5*	23.5*
1000	24.0	24.0
1100	50	50
1200	50	50
1350	50	50
1500	55	55
1600	55	55
1650	55	55
1800	55	55
2000	55	55
2100	60	60
2200	60	60
2600	60	60

**Source:** Japan Ductile Iron Pipe Association (JDPA) \*except for DN600-900 estimated by Kurimoto.



**FIG. 11** An example of DN375 x 11 degree bend showing:  
1. Type NS Mechanical Bend, Tee Bolts and Gland plate.  
2. Type NS mechanical bend socket installed into Type NS Pipe Socket



**FIG. 12** Type NS pipe joint being made using special tools.



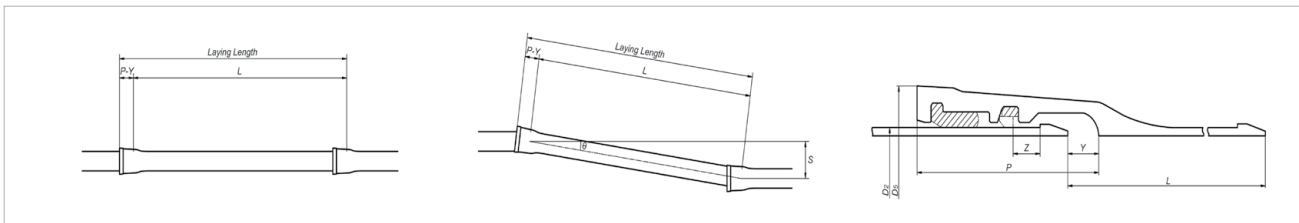
**FIG. 13** Quality assurance check with an installed pipe-joint measuring the pipes gasket position to the first witness mark.



**FIG. 14** Typical handling, jointing and workmanship quality checks of DN400 Kurimoto SRDIP installed at Cleat Street Porirua City, New Zealand.

**TABLE 2** Seismic Resilient Ductile Iron Pipe Laying Length (Refer to FIG.15)

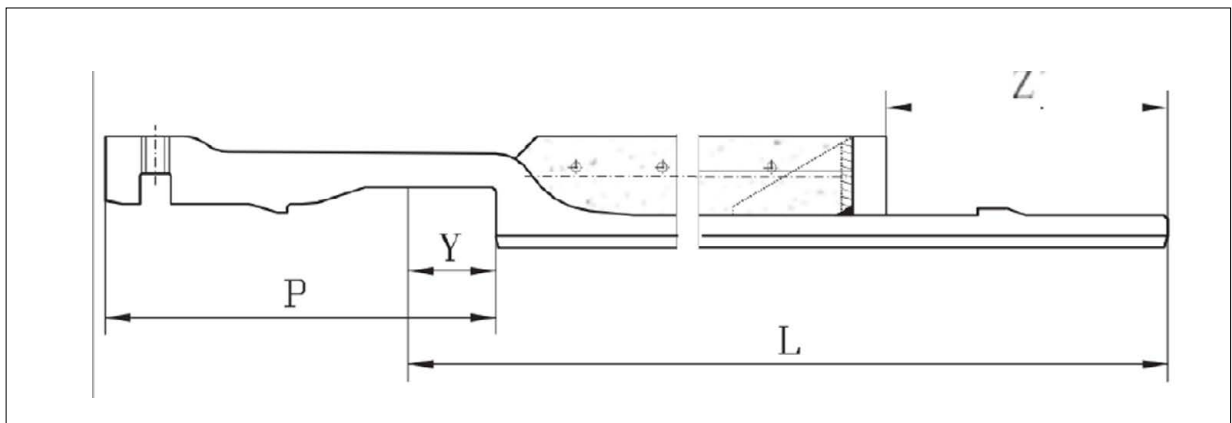
Nominal Pipe Size	D2 (mm)	D5 (mm)	Bending angle		Z, Y Extension & Contraction (mm)	Laying Length (mm)	L (mm)	S (mm)	
			Allowable	Maximum				Allowable	Maximum
75	93.0	161	4°00'	8°00'	ffl42	4167	4000	279	557
100	118.0	190	4°00'	8°00'	ffl41	4172	4000	279	557
150	169.0	242	4°00'	8°00'	ffl54	5195	5000	349	696
200	220.0	294	4°00'	8°00'	ffl52	5195	5000	349	696
250	271.6	346	4°00'	8°00'	ffl50	5195	5000	349	696
300	322.8	408	3°00'	6°00'	ffl60	5531	5300	277	554
350	374.0	465	3°00'	6°00'	ffl60	5540	5300	277	554
400	425.6	521	3°00'	6°00'	ffl60	5542	5300	277	554
450	476.8	572	3°00'	6°00'	ffl60	5543	5300	277	554
500	528.0	700	3°20'	7°00'	ffl60	5520	5300	308	646
600	630.8	804	2°50'	7°00'	ffl60	5520	5300	262	646
700	733.0	930	2°30'	7°00'	ffl60	5557	5300	231	646
800	836.0	1039	2°10'	7°00'	ffl60	5565	5300	200	646
900	939.0	1164	2°00'	7°00'	ffl60	5565	5300	185	646
1000	1041.0	1273	1°50'	7°00'	ffl60	5568	5300	170	646
1100	1144.0	1318	1°40'	7°00'	ffl61	5560	5300	154	646
1200	1246.0	1420	1°30'	7°00'	ffl62	5560	5300	139	646
1350	1400.0	1574	1°30'	6°30'	ffl60	5570	5300	139	600
1500	1554.0	1728	1°30'	5°50'	ffl60	5580	5300	139	539
1600	1650.0	1830	1°30'	5°00'	ffl50	5285	5000	131	436
1650	1701.0	1881	1°30'	4°50'	ffl50	5285	5000	131	421
1800	1848.0	2028	1°30'	4°40'	ffl50	5290	5000	131	407
2000	2061.0	2241	1°30'	4°20'	ffl50	5295	5000	131	378
2100	2164.0	2344	1°30'	4°10'	ffl51	5310	5000	131	363
2200	2280.0	2460	1°30'	4°00'	ffl50	5310	5000	131	349
2400	2458.0	2638	1°30'	3°50'	ffl50	4310	4000	105	267
2600	2684.0	2874	1°30'	3°40'	ffl50	4330	4000	105	256



# Pipe Jacking for Trenchless applications

**TABLE 3** Jacking Pipe Type US

Nominal diameter DN	Standardised length L (mm)	Dimensions			Weight (kg)							
					Pipe				Lining	Exterior		
		P (mm)	Y (mm)	Z (mm)	D1	D2	D3	D4	Mortar lining	Reinforced concrete	Flange & reinforced plate	
800	4000 6000	405	105	300	1290	1190	1110	1040	188	1710 2659	40.0	
					1790	1630	1520	1410	285			
900	4000 6000	405	105	300	1580	1420	1340	1260	212	1920 2970	43.7	
					2210	1960	1840	1720	320			
1000	4000 6000	430	105	325	1930	1750	1620	1530	292	1710 2659	69.0	
					2690	2420	2200	2080	444			
1100	4000 6000	430	105	325	2290	2050	1900	1800	322	2400 3730	74.6	
					3200	2830	2610	2470	488			
1200	4000 6000	430	105	325	2670	2410	2190	2030	352	2590 4040	79.1	
					3740	3340	3020	2780	532			
1350	4000 6000	450	105	345	3300	2940	2710	2530	474	2910 4550	87.2	
					4630	4090	3730	3460	717			
1500	4000 6000	475	105	370	4020	3620	3290	3090	527	3320 5190	116.0	
					5640	5040	4530	4230	797			
1600	4000 5000	465	115	350	4510	4090	3660	3450	696	3600 4620	125.0	
					5440	4890	4360	4090	876			
1650	4000 5000	465	115	350	4740	4300	3870	3650	718	3710 4750	127.0	
					5700	5150	4610	4330	903			
1800	4000 6000	465	115	350	5590	4960	4490	4250	781	4000 5130	135.0	
					6730	5950	5350	5050	982			
2000	4000 5000	490	115	375	6830	6130	5600	5160	872	4540 5830	185.0	
					8220	7340	6680	6120	1100			
2100	4000 5000	500	115	385	7520	6780	6140	5670	916	4830 6210	195.0	
					9050	8120	7310	6730	1150			
2200	4000 5000	510	115	395	8280	7410	5310	6250	966	5170 6640	207.0	
					9980	8880	8030	7410	1210			
2400	4000	530	115	415	9760	8710	7880	4310	1040	5750	228.0	
2600	4000	560	130	430	11670	10420	9400	8830	1130	6880	366.0	



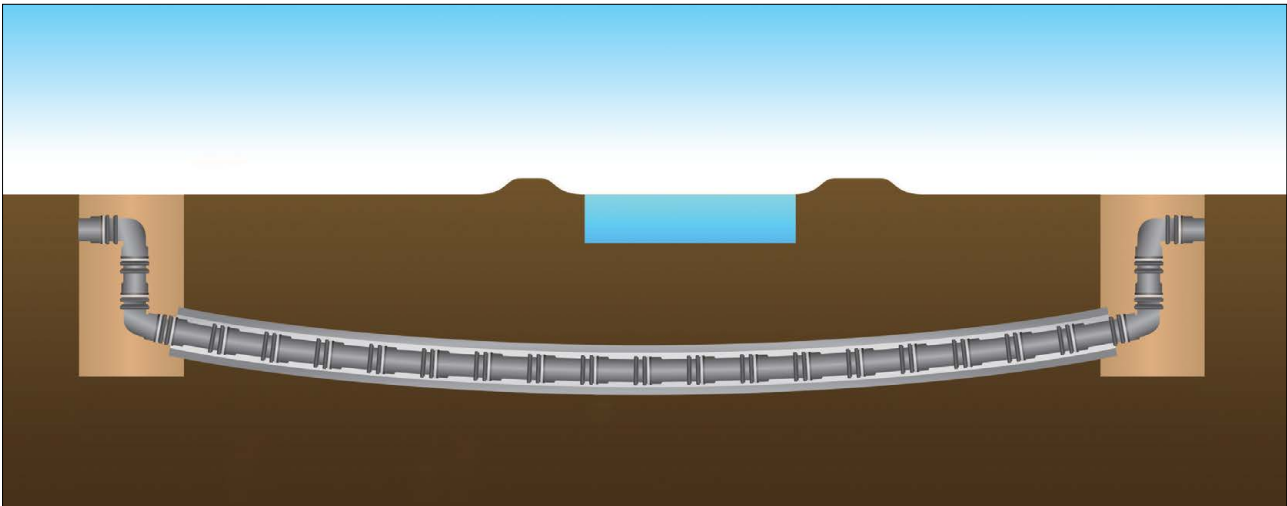
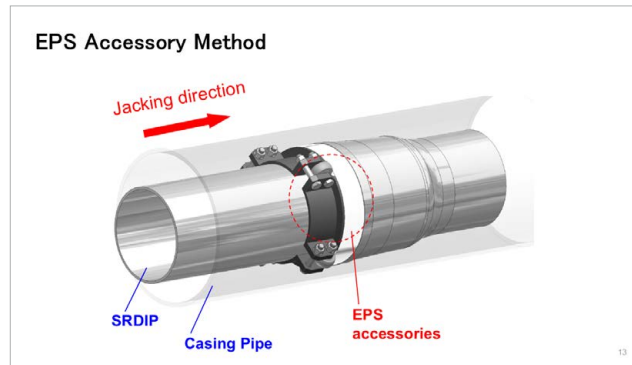
**FIG. 15** Laying Length

### Jacking Pipe

Kurimoto SRDIP pipes can be inserted into a host pipe or casing. Once the casing has been installed pipes are connected and the pipe casters are assembled onto the pipe barrel preventing pipe-joints from over-contracting. The assembly work can be completed at depth from a launch pit, the receiving pit receives the pipe-string as illustrated in Figure 13.

### Features

- Easy and secure
- Rollable
- Speedy
- Curveable



**FIG. 16** Case study using curved Jacking Pipe method to cross under a river.



**FIG. 17** Work In progress



**FIG. 18** Pipe casters set on the pipe barrel

## Trunk Water Main Heathcote Valley

Contractor: Utility Infrastructure NZ

- 2.7km DN350 SRDI Pipe
- Three Separable Portions.
- Project:
  - I. Start – July 2022.
  - II. Finish of SP 1&2 April 2023.
  - III. Final completion April 2025.



## TRENCHLESS Installation

- DN350 SRDI & SRMS (Mild Steel) Pipe & Fittings
- Using EPS saddle assembly, slip lined through Steel Casings. Beneath Railway crossings.



## Fulton Hogan is undertaking the installation of a DN350

- 600m DN350 SRDI Pipe.
- Three Separable Portions.
- Summary of risks at Heathcote Valley include:
  - *Seismic:*
    - I. Low strength soils.
    - II. Liquefaction.
    - III. Lateral Spread.
  - *High ground water level.*
  - *Hydrocarbon contaminated ground*



### Kaitoke Flume Bridge Wellington

The bulk water, bridge mounted water transmission pipeline has been commissioned at the isolated Kaitoke Bridge construction site



### Porirua Branch Pipeline Extension

New Zealand's first installation.

- DN400 Seismic Resilient Ductile Iron Pipe (SRDIP).
- Summary of risks :
  - *Exposure to Seismic activity*
  - *A crucial transmission main feeding high level reservoir. Failure during an event not wanted*



## Greenfield Water Supply Pipeline

New Zealand's first installation.

- 4km DN150 PN30 SRDIP
- Part of a 38 km water pipeline
- Potable drinking water to the town of Lawrence Central Otago.
- An open country pipeline up to 40 joints assembled per day.



## Grassmere & Dulles Place Water Main

Christchurch, New Zealand

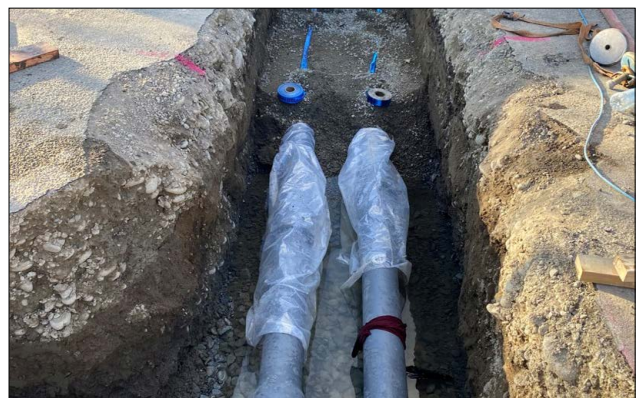
- DN350 SRDI pipe & fittings
- High pressure water main located at a high RL.
- Summary of risks:
  - *High ground water level.*
  - *Seismic:*
    - I. Lateral Spread.
    - II. Landslip.



## Colombo Main Pumps Raw Water Supply

Christchurch, New Zealand

- 450m DN200 SRDIP
- Bore Raw-Water supply to treatment plant.
- Summary of risks:
  - *High ground water level*
  - *Seismic:*
    - I. Low strength soils.
    - II. Low strength soils.
    - III. Lateral Spread.





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