



## **ARMORTEC® HARD ARMOR SOLUTIONS**

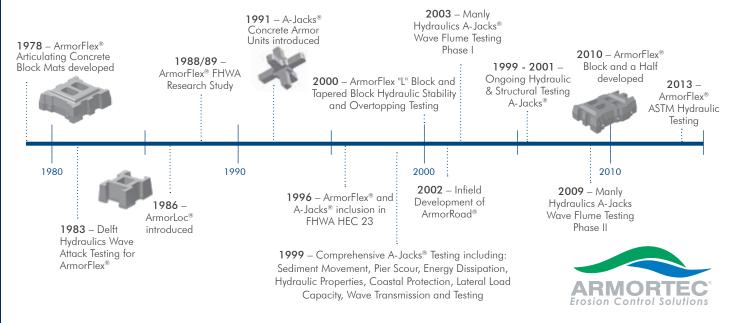




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## A LEGACY OF SUCCESS

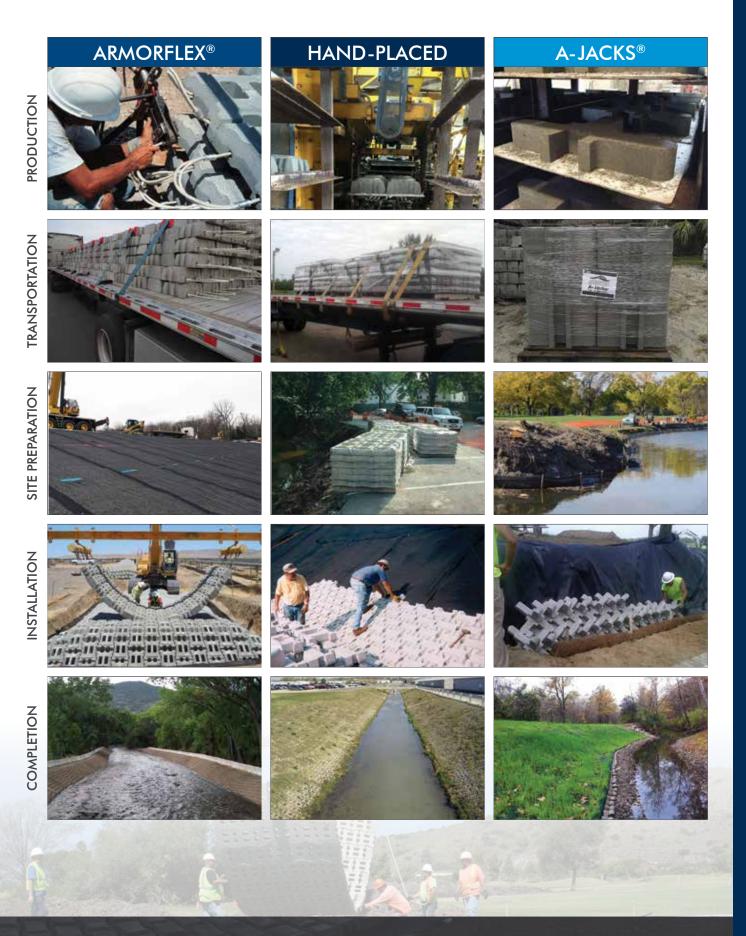
Doing the seemingly impossible is an everyday job. With erosion control systems for any need in any application, Contech Engineered Solutions delivers a range of effective, efficient solutions. Our engineered systems provide performance-tested solutions for a wide variety of applications including channel lining, shoreline protection, dam crests and spillways, energy dissipation, pipeline and cable protection, bridge and abutment protection, boat ramps, low water crossings, outfall protection, wave attack protection and more.



#### BUILDING CONFIDENCE EVERY STEP OF THE WAY



## **PROCESS – DESIGN, PREFABRICATION, INSTALL.**



# **ARMORFLEX® ARTICULATING CONCRETE BLOCKS**

#### OPEN CELL BLOCK DESIGN ALLOWS FOR REVEGETATION





## CLOSED CELL BLOCK DESIGN ALLOWS FOR HEAVY LOADING





## BOTH BLOCKS READILY ADAPT TO COMPLEX SITE GEOMETRIES









#### **BLOCK OPTIONS**

Open-Cell Block Closed-Cell Block Tapered Open-Cell Block Block and a Half®

	ARMORFLEX UNIT SPECIFICATION							
	Block Class	Nominal Thickness (in)	Length (in)	Width (in)	Gross Area (sf)	Minimum Weight (lbs)	Open Area %	τ <sub>c</sub> 0° slope* (psf)
	30-S	4.75	13.0	11.6	0.98	33	20	5.2
	50-S	6.00	13.0	11.6	0.98	42	20	6.1
	40	4.75	17.4	15.5	1.77	59	20	11.2
OPEN	50	6.00	17.4	15.5	1.77	76	20	13.6
6	70	8.50	17.4	15.5	1.77	107	20	17.7
	40-L	4.75	17.4	23.6	2.58	97	20	14.6
	50-L	6.00	17.4	23.6	2.58	116	20	22.1
	70-L	8.50	17.4	23.6	2.58	164	20	29.5
	45-S	4.75	13.0	11.6	0.98	39	10	6.2
	55-S	6.00	13.0	11.6	0.98	50	10	7.3
	45	4.75	17.4	15.5	1.77	71	10	13.5
SE	55	6.00	17.4	15.5	1.77	91	10	16.3
CLOSED	85	8.50	17.4	15.5	1.77	126	10	21.1
	45-L	4.75	17.4	23.6	2.58	109	10	21.9
	55-L	6.00	17.4	23.6	2.58	138	10	26.3
	85-L	8.50	17.4	23.6	2.58	195	10	35.1
			HIGH	I VELOC	ITY APPLICAT	IONS		
	40-T	4.75	17.4	15.5	1.77	58	20	25.0
TAPERED	50-T	6.00	17.4	15.5	1.77	75	20	30.5
TA	70-T	8.50	17.4	15.5	1.77	109	20	38.5

\* In accordance with ASTM D 7276 – Standard Guide for Analysis and Interpretation of Test Data for ACB Revetment Systems in Open Channel Flow.

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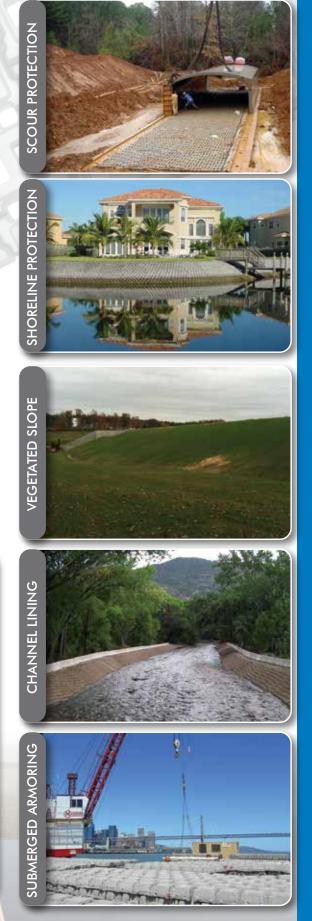
## APPLICATIONS

- Channel Lining
- Shoreline Protection
- Scour Protection
- Slope Protection
- Outfall Protection
- Pipeline & Cable Protection
- Weirs
- Spillways
- Dam Overtopping
- Emergency Overflows
- Grade Transitions
- Intracoastal Waterways
- Bays
- Lakes
- Reservoirs
- Low Water Crossings
- Boat Ramps
- Down Chutes





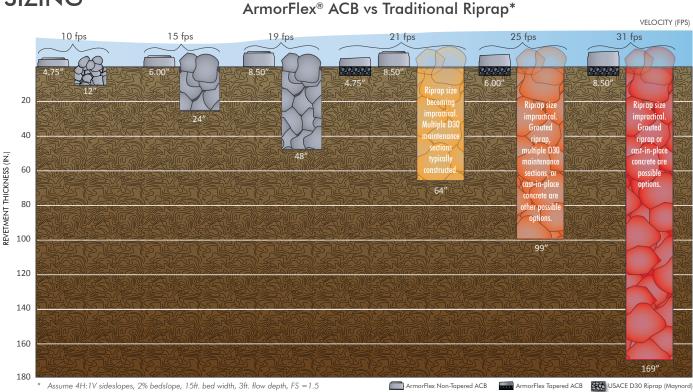




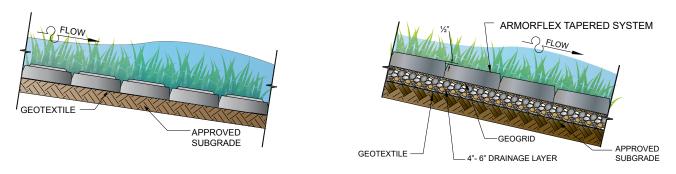
# MATTED SOLUTIONS

# **ARMORFLEX® DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS**

## SIZING



## TYPICAL CROSS SECTIONS (not to scale)



#### Standard Cross Section

**Tapered Series - Cross Section** 

#### **REFERENCES AND STANDARDS**

- National Concrete Masonry Association (2010), "Design Manual for Articulating Concrete Block (ACB) Revetment Systems", NCMA Publication TR 220A
- ASTM D 7276 Standard Guide for Analysis and Interpretation of Test Data for ACB Revetment Systems in Open Channel Flow
- ASTM D 7277 Standard Test Method for Performance Testing of ACB Revetment Systems for Hydraulic Stability in Open Channel Flow
- ASTM D 6684 Standard Specification for Materials and Manufacture of Articulating Concrete Block (ACB) Revetment Systems

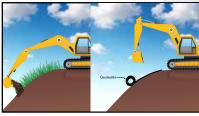
- ASTM D 6884 Standard Practice for Installation of Articulating Concrete Block (ACB) Revetment Systems
- FHWA Hydraulic Engineering Circular NO. 23: Bridge Scour and Stream Instability Countermeasures: Experience, Selection and Design Guidance – Third Edition, Volume II, Design Guideline 8.
- USDOT Federal Highway Administration Hydraulic Engineering Circular NO. 15, Third Edition (2005) "Design of Roadside Channels with Flexible Linings" National Highway Institute.
- Julien, Pierre Y. (2010) "Erosion and Sedimentation", 2nd Edition, Cambridge University Press

## **ARMORFLEX® INSTALLATION**

## THE ARMORTEC® HARD ARMOR ADVANTAGE

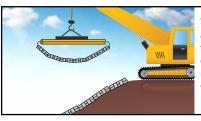


## PROCESS

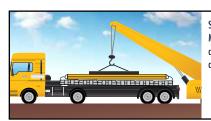


Step 1:

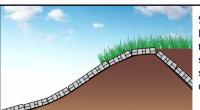
ArmorFlex arrives on-site as a system of factory-assembled mats. ArmorFlex is placed on a site specific geotextile which has been placed on a prepared subgrade using conventional construction equipment.



Step 3: ArmorFlex Mats are placed according to the site plans with appropriately sized equipment. Above normal waterline mats may be topsoiled and seeded to give a vegetated effect.



Step 2: Mats are supplied on flat bed trailers. Mats can be handled with a spreader bar which can be rented from Contech.



#### Step 4:

Proper toe trench requires a minimum of two rows of block buried below predicated soil depth. Tapered series block or mats subject to wave attack are required to have a bedding layer of crushed stone or gravel.

\* See ArmorFlex Installation Guide for additional information

# ARMORROAD<sup>®</sup> CONCRETE UNITS

#### APPLICATIONS

- Industrial Yards
- Durable Driving Surface
- Temporary Road
- Lay Down Yard
- Heaving and Expanding Subgrades



#### ARMORROAD UNIT SPECIFICATION

Block	L	W	Н	Minimum Weight (Ibs / sf)	SF per Truck load
Mat	18.00	15.60	6.00	60	750

# A-JACKS<sup>®</sup> CONCRETE ARMORING UNITS (CAU)

## APPLICATIONS

- Bridge/Pier Scour
- Energy Dissipation
- Streambank/Toe Stabilization
- Shoreline
- Drop Structure
- Weirs
- Coastal Breakwater (Jetty)
- Habitat Creation







A-Jacks<sup>®</sup> provided bridge pier foundation scour protection to withstand Hurricane Sandy.





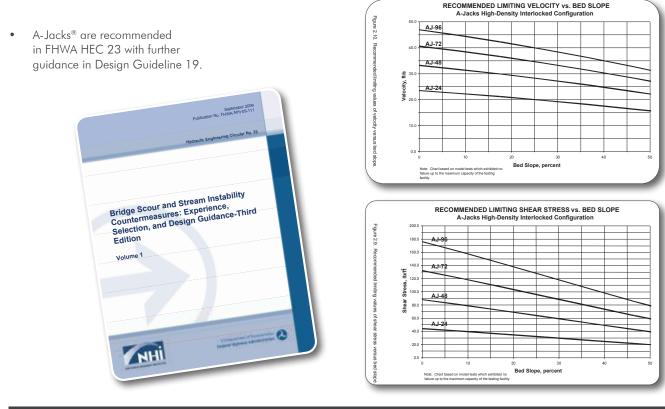
## INSTALLATION

- Hand-placed and Bundled Unit Methods
- Field Technicians Available for Pre-con and Installation
- Construction Versatility

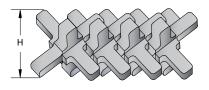


# **A-JACKS® DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS**

## DESIGN

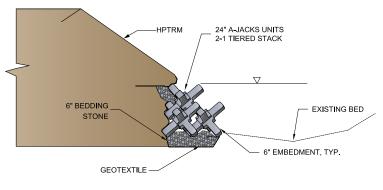


## STANDARD DETAILS

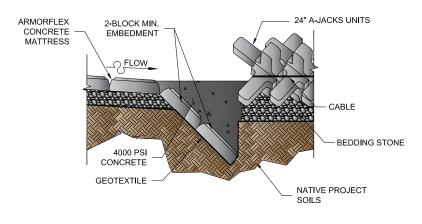


A-Jacks Placement Profile

A-JACKS UNIT SPECIFICATION				
A-Jacks	Coverage (SF)	Weight (lbs)	Standing Height (H) (ft)	
AJ-24	1.0	78	1.5	
AJ-48	4.0	629	3.0	
AJ-72	9.0	2,120	4.5	
AJ-96	16.0	5,022	6.0	
AJ-120	25.0	9,699	7.5	



**A-Jacks Toe Stabilization Detail** 



**A-Jacks Energy Dissipation Detail** 

## **ADDITIONAL HAND-PLACED ACB SOLUTIONS**

## **ARMORFLEX**®

- Dam Overtopping
- Auxiliary Spillways
- Emergency Overflow
- Grade Transitions
- Retention Basins
- Shoreline Protection
- Drainage Ditch Lining
- Outfall Protection
- Bridge Abutment Protection







## **ARMORLOC®**

- Auxiliary Spillways
- Emergency Overflow
- Grade Transitions
- Retention Basins
- Shoreline Protection
- Drainage Ditch Lining
- Outfall Protection
- Bridge Abutment Protection
- Walking Paths
- Auxiliary Parking
- Slope Paving







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- Dam Overtopping
- High Velocity Channels
- Primary and Secondary Spillways
- Down Chutes







## PROJECT PARTNER. CONTECH.

#### **OPTIONS & SUPPORT SPECIFIC TO YOUR PROJECT NEEDS**

#### CONSIDERATIONS FOR ENGINEER OF RECORD

Soil Borings

Hydraulic Analysis

Scour Analysis

Scour Countermeasures

Permitting

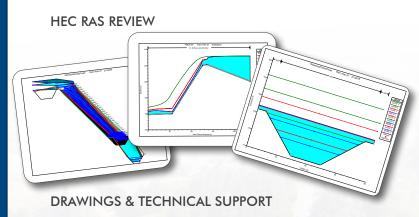
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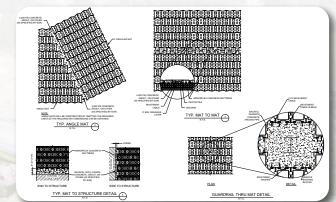
Contech Support Available	
Engineer of Record May Provide	

SOLUTION DEVELOPMENT
& DESIGN SUPPORT

Limit Assessment	
Hydraulic Analysis	
HEC RAS Review	
Factor of Safety Analysis	
Block Selection	
Engineer's Estimate	
Proposal Drawings	
Contract Drawings	
Specifications	
Approval Assistance	
Staging and Layout	
Fabrication Drawings	







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#### STAGING & LAYOUT



#### INSTALLATION SUPPORT

rreconstruction meeting	
Logistics Coordination	
Onsite Installation Assistance	



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STORMWATER SOLUTIONS

PIPE SOLUTIONS



#### **ADDITIONAL SPECIALTY PRODUCTS**



TURF REINFORCEMENT MATS

**BIN WALL** 

LIGHT GAGE METRIC SHEETING

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