

Forestry Operations in the Auckland Region A Guideline for Erosion and Sediment Control

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These Guidelines build upon the concepts and practices from the Auckland Regional Council Technical Publication Number 90 *Erosion and Sediment Control Guidelines for Land Disturbing Activities in the Auckland Region*, March 1999. This guideline (TP223) however, is specifically designed for forestry operations in the Auckland region.

The intent of these Guidelines is as follows:

- ❑ To provide a comprehensive guideline for erosion and sediment control in forestry situations
- ❑ To minimise adverse environmental effects of sediment discharge through the appropriate use and design of specific measures.

The Guidelines are split into three parts. The first part provides introductory information and erosion and sediment control principles. Part B provides technical specifications on a selection of erosion and sediment control practices. Finally, Part C discusses the principles associated with the application of the various control measures.

The practices detailed in these Guidelines are divided into erosion control, sediment control and streamworks. A section on the application of these practices using a toolbox approach for each specific forestry activity is outlined. For each practice these Guidelines outline the following:

- ❑ Description/Purpose
- ❑ Catchment Area
- ❑ Design/construction specifications
- ❑ Maintenance

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