

AGGREGATE BASE



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| Relative Installation Cost | Moderate |
| Life Cycle Cost | Moderate |
| Maintenance/Repair Cost | Low |
| Effective Longevity | Moderate |
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| Installation | Easy |
| Repair | Easy |
| Maintenance | Easy |
| Retrofit | Easy |

Description: Compactable aggregate base placed on prepared surface and compacted to 90-95%

Applications:

- Guardrail
- Sign Post
- Gore/Median
- Pavement Edge
- Median Cable Barrier

Advantages:

- Does not require leave out at ground penetrations
- Low cost treatment
- Can be used in most climate conditions
- Uses standard installation/maintenance equipment
- Allows for storm water infiltration

Limitations

- May not be applicable in areas with snow removal equipment and snow storage

Common Problems:

- Displacement by errant vehicles and maintenance equipment
- May require spot herbicide treatment and re-compaction

