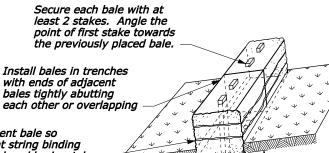
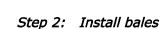
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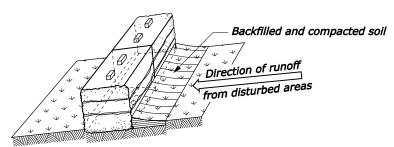
- 1. Use straw bales in drainage ditches only for low flow conditions and when specified on the Erosion Control Plans.
- 2. Dimensions without units are millimeters.



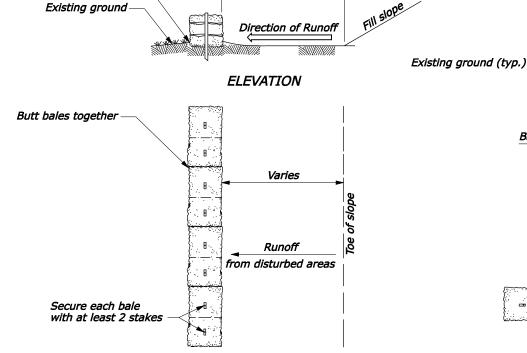
bales tightly abutting each other or overlapping

Orient bale so that string binding is placed horizontal





Step 4: Backfill soil against bales



Limits of clearing

Varies

Step 3: Tightly pack straw between bales (plan view of bales)

Loose straw tightly packed between bales

Step 1: Excavate trench

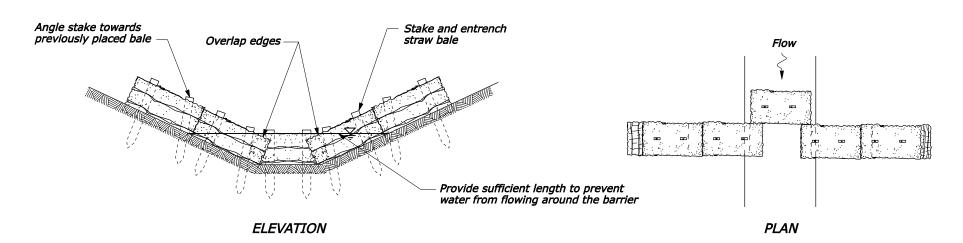
Bale width +50

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## **INSTALLATION OF A STRAW** BALE BARRIER AT TOE OF FILL

PLAN

#### PROPERLY STAKED AND ENTRENCHED STRAW BALES



# INSTALLATION OF A STRAW BALE BARRIER IN DITCH

See Note 1

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METRIC STANDARD

### **STRAW BALES**

NO SCALE

STANDARD APPROVED FOR USE 3/1996 STANDARD REVISED: 6/2005 6/2007 M157-3