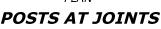


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### NOTES TO THE DESIGNER Last Updated: August 2014

# **General Information**

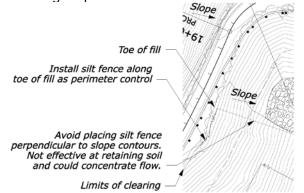
- 1. *Appropriate Applications*. Silt fences filter and allow settlement of soil particles from sedimentladen water. Silt fences may be placed:
  - Below the toe of exposed and erodible slopes;
  - Along slope contours (not on gradients);
  - Around temporary stockpiles;
  - Along streams and channels; and
  - Along the perimeter of a project to contain sediments within project limits.

#### 2. Limitations.

- Silt fence is used only in sheet flow conditions, not in concentrated flow areas.
- Silt fence is typically installed along the contour (constant elevation), not on slopes, to avoid channelizing water

#### 3. Layout Guidance.

- Maximum length of slope draining to any point along the silt fence is 200 feet or less.
- Slope of area draining to silt fence is 1V:1H or flatter.
- Avoid installing silt fence on slopes as much as possible silt fence is typically installed along slope contours. See below:



# **Applicable SCRs**

None

# **Typical Pay Item Used**

• 15705-0100 Soil erosion control, silt fence [LNFT]

### Updates

January 2011

- Updated FLH Standard drawing by:
  - Removing silt fence in drainage ditch drawings and notes
  - o Adding more installation notes and drawings

August 2014

- Updated for FP-14
- Updated border