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Stabilization of Retaining Walls

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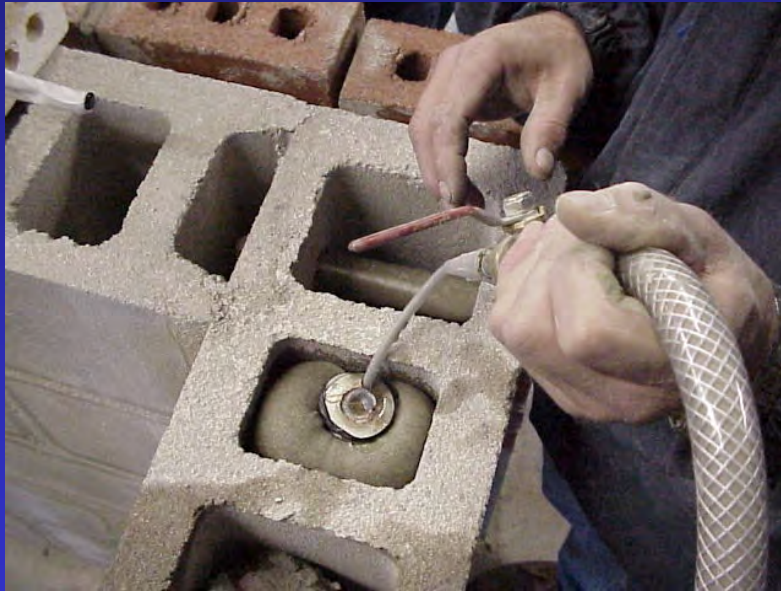
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Anchor Inflation



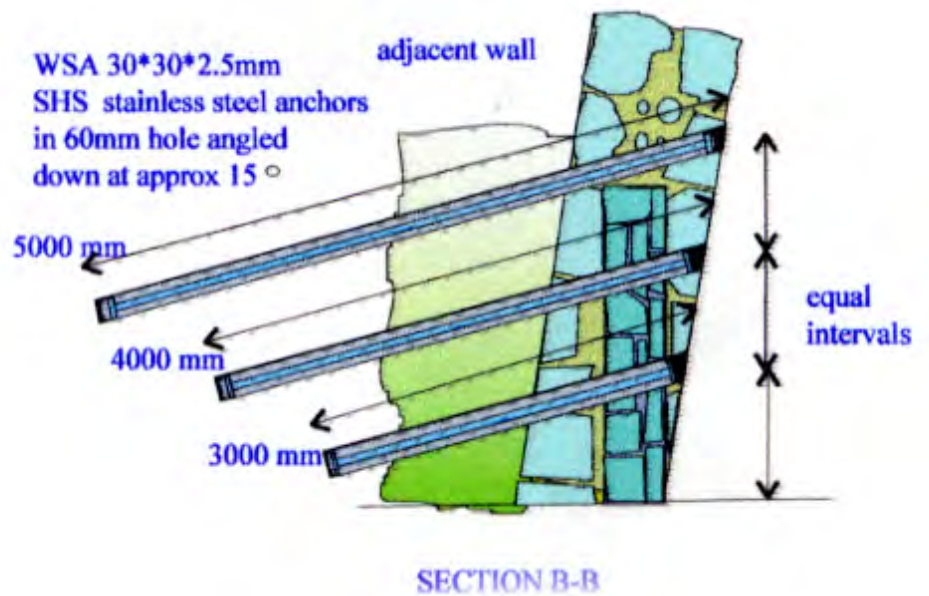
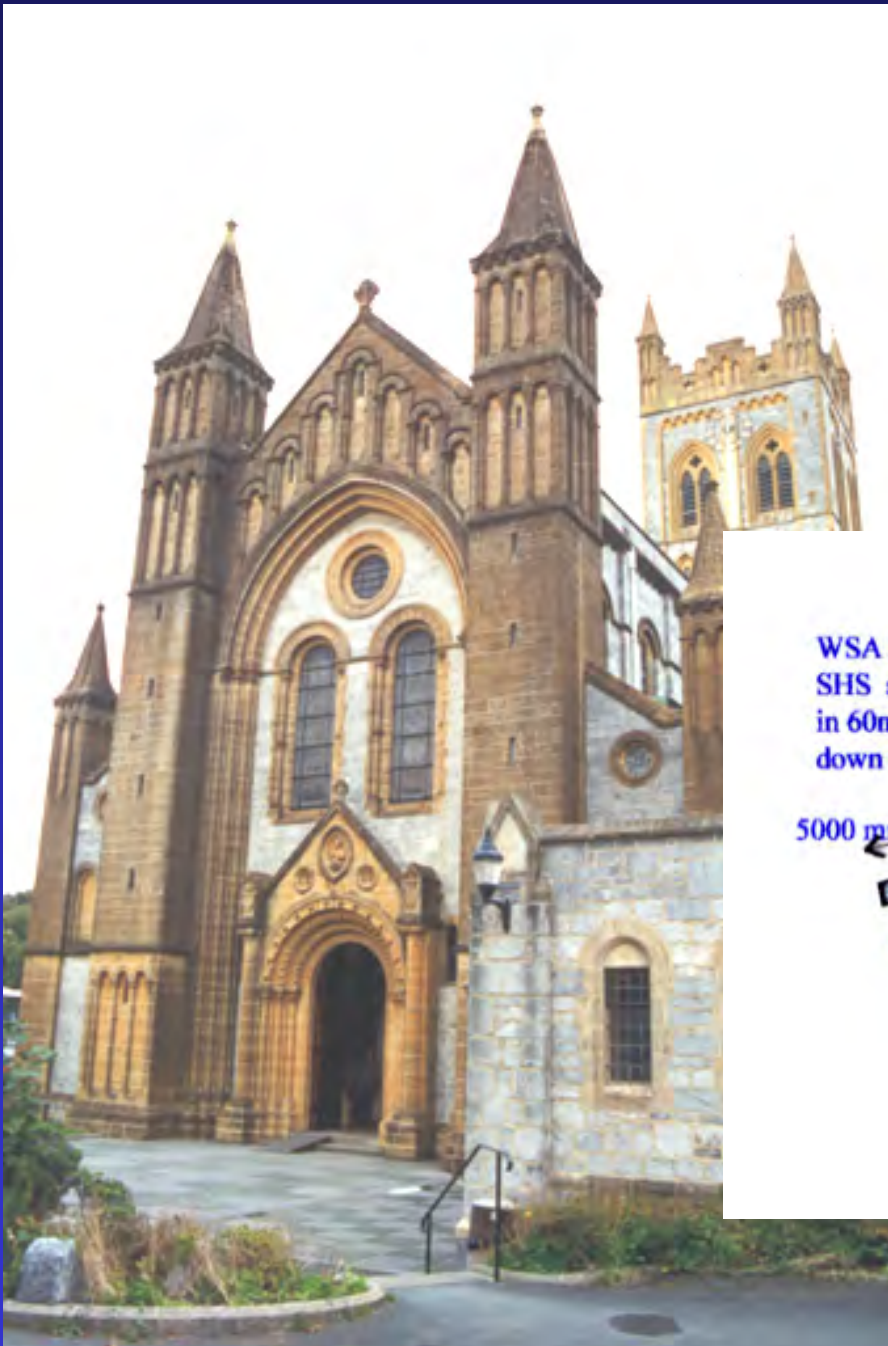
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Cintec Sock Inflation



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Buckfast Abbey



Malmesbury Town Wall

The 12th Century Town Wall at Malmesbury in Wiltshire has been restored as part of an ongoing conservation project involving the Conservation Department of North Wiltshire District Council in conjunction with English Heritage.

The random rubble wall is constructed from locally quarried limestone up to 1.50 meters in thickness, however erosion of adjoining earth and the effects of time had taken their toll resulting in localized delamination and rotation.

Malmesbury Town Wall



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Nantgarw Pottery Works



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Conventional Strengthening vs Internal Post-Tensioning

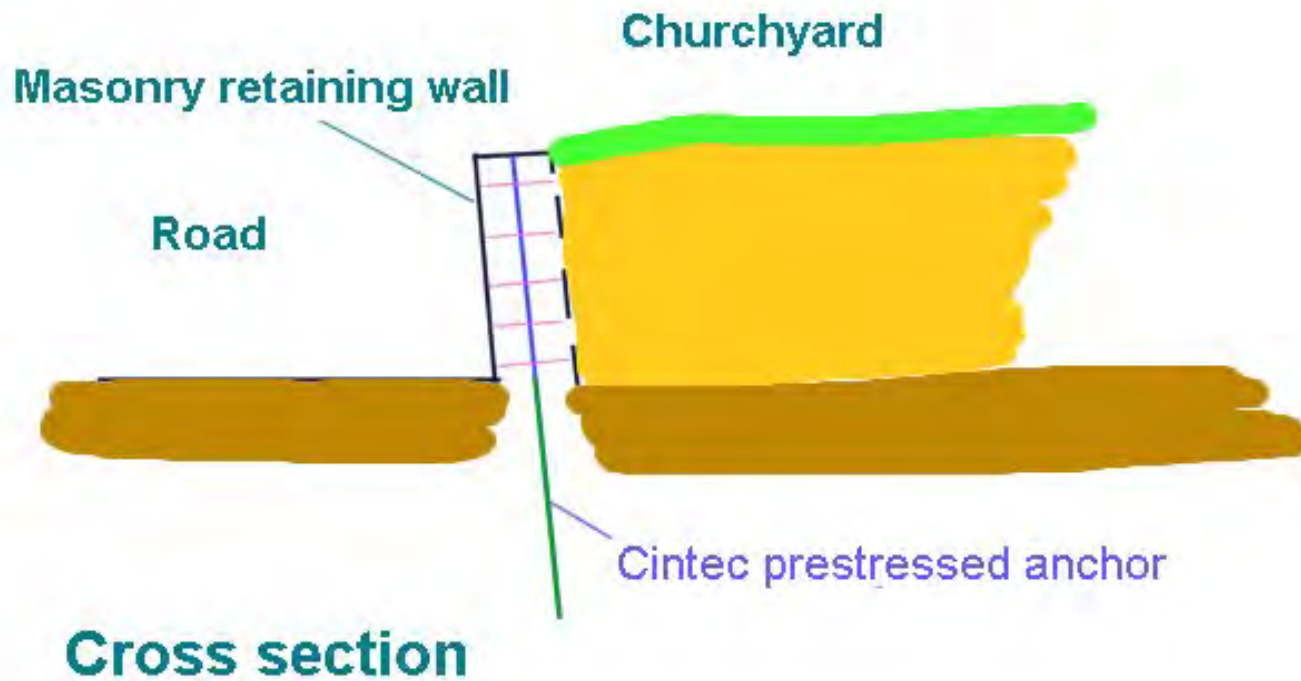
In the normal course of events, deep raking out and repointing of the mortar joints using a stronger cementitious material is the most straightforward refurbishment. The lateral bending strength of the wall can be raised some 70 per cent using this method.

Strengthening is sometimes carried out by bolting vertical channel-section steel girders. Cintec Internal Post Tensioning provides an alternative solution.

Conventional Strengthening vs Internal Post-Tensioning



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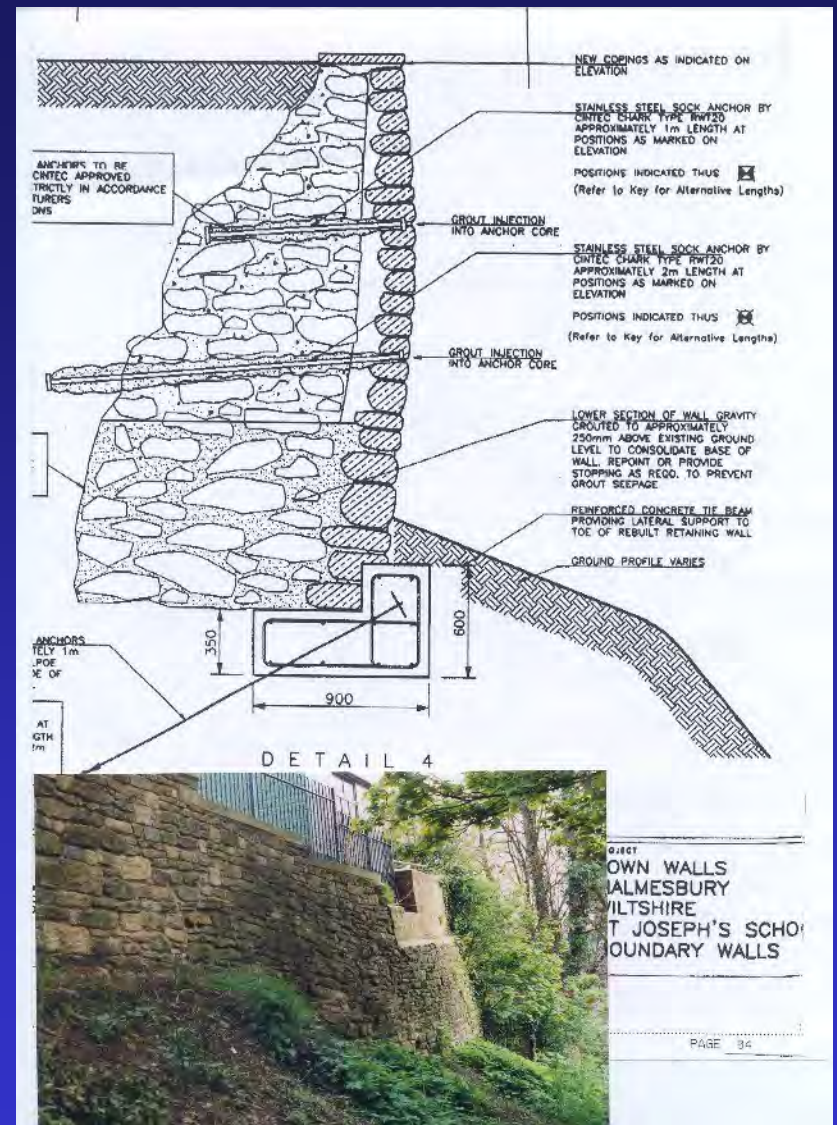
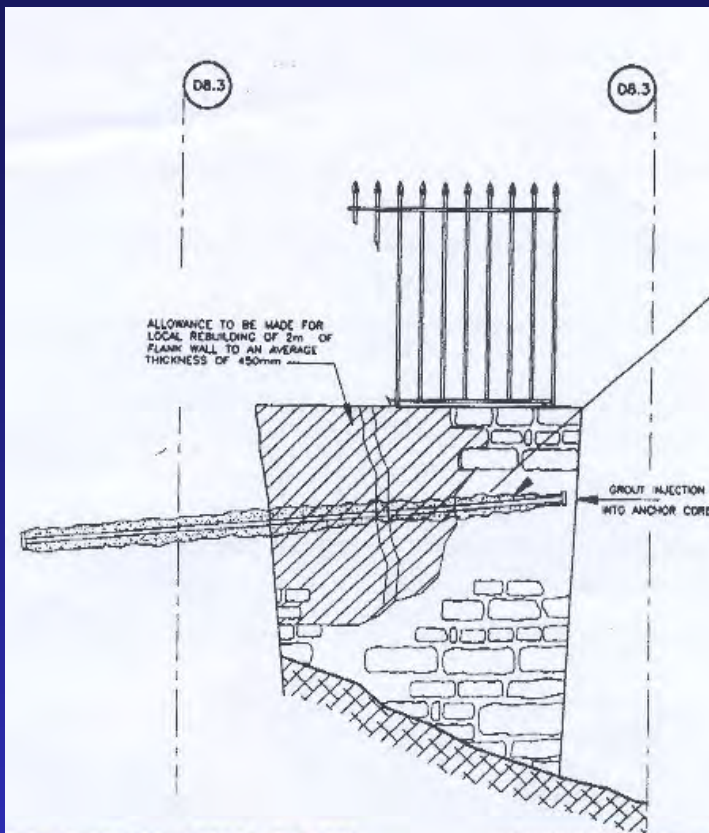
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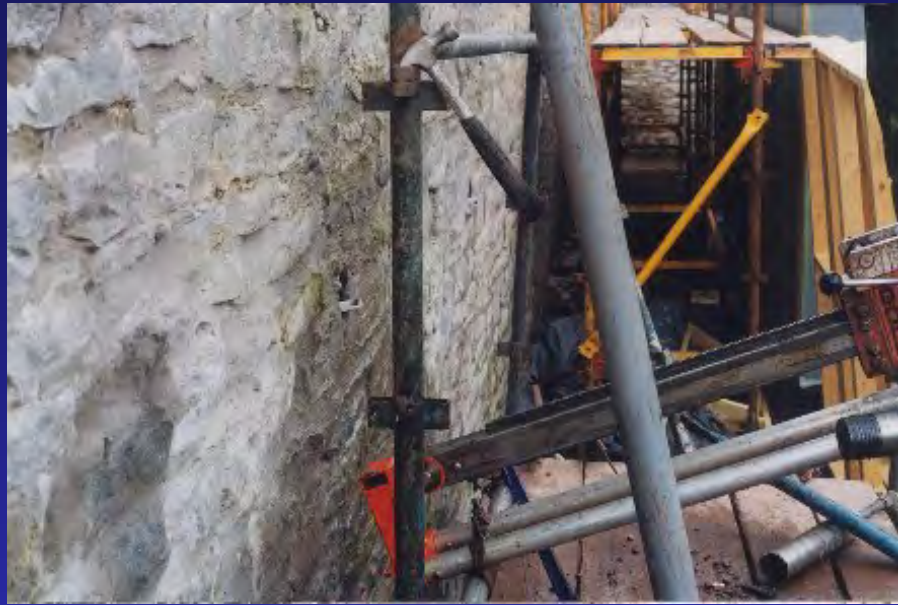
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Cintec Designed Anchor System

Some
Design Issues and Parameters

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Design Methods

- Cone pull-out resistance
- Tensile strength of the steel anchor body
- Shear strength of the steel anchor body
- Bond pull-out resistance
- Bearing resistance
- Shear resistance toward the free edge

Design Parameters

- Base material in the anchor body SS Type 304 or 316
- Micro-fine Presstec grout - very high early strength
- **SUBSTRATE!**
- Anchor configuration

Types of Substrate

- Terra cotta - in many forms
- Brick
- Hollow concrete block (CMU)
- Concrete
- Stone
- Adobe

Fire Resistance

Cintec anchors >4 hours

Epoxy melts at 80 dec. C

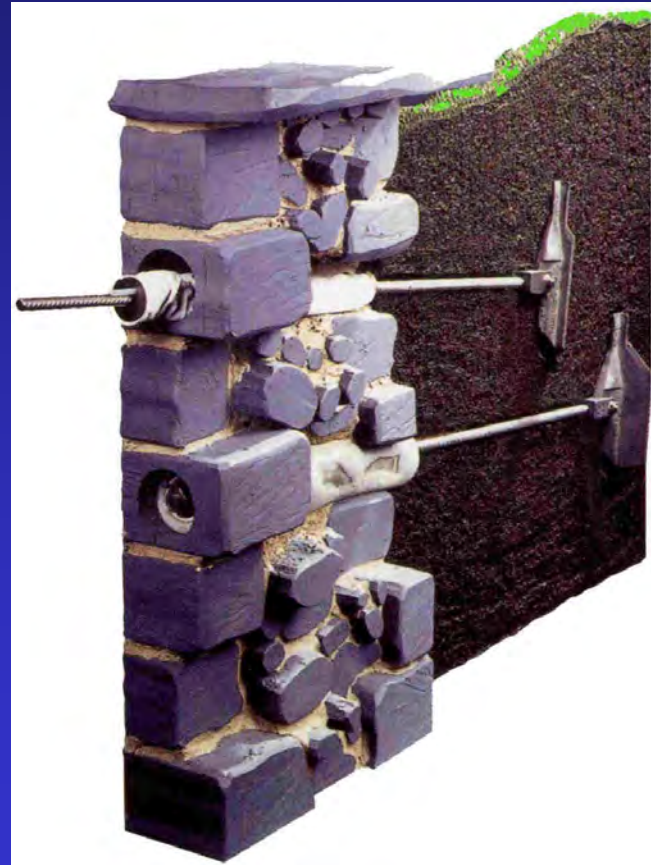
Quality Control

- Hole is easy to inspect
- If anchor is rigid after installation , all is OK
- If anchor is loose, take it out and re-sock it.
- Mechanical anchors sometimes don't set, but Contractor doesn't fix it.
- Much grout is lost with un-socked rock anchors. (EPA problems!)

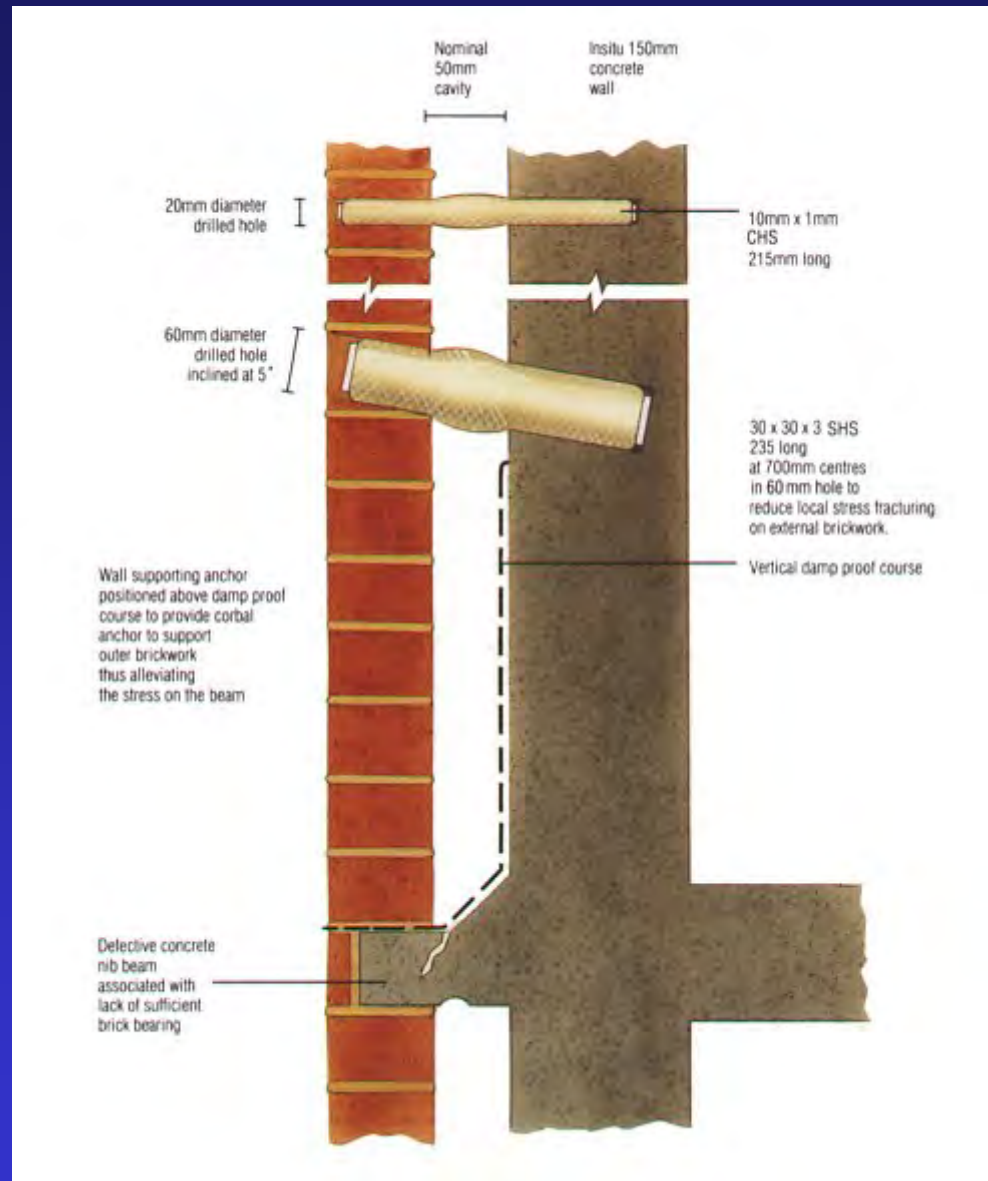
Anchor Types

Combi-Tec Concealed Top Termination

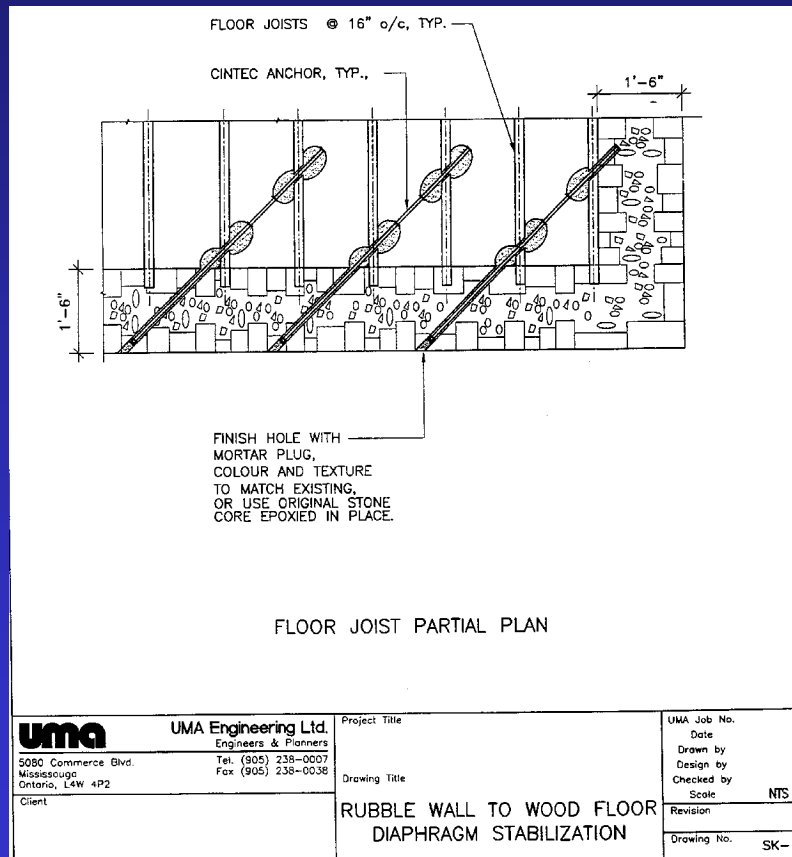
Developed by Cintec in conjunction with WT Anchor Systems, the Combi-Tec system comprises a stainless steel tube, front plate and polyester sock which is inserted over the installed anchor before pressure-filling with grout to produce a mechanical and chemical bond within the structure. This provides a totally concealed top termination for Duckbill ground anchors, making it ideal for historic and listed structures.



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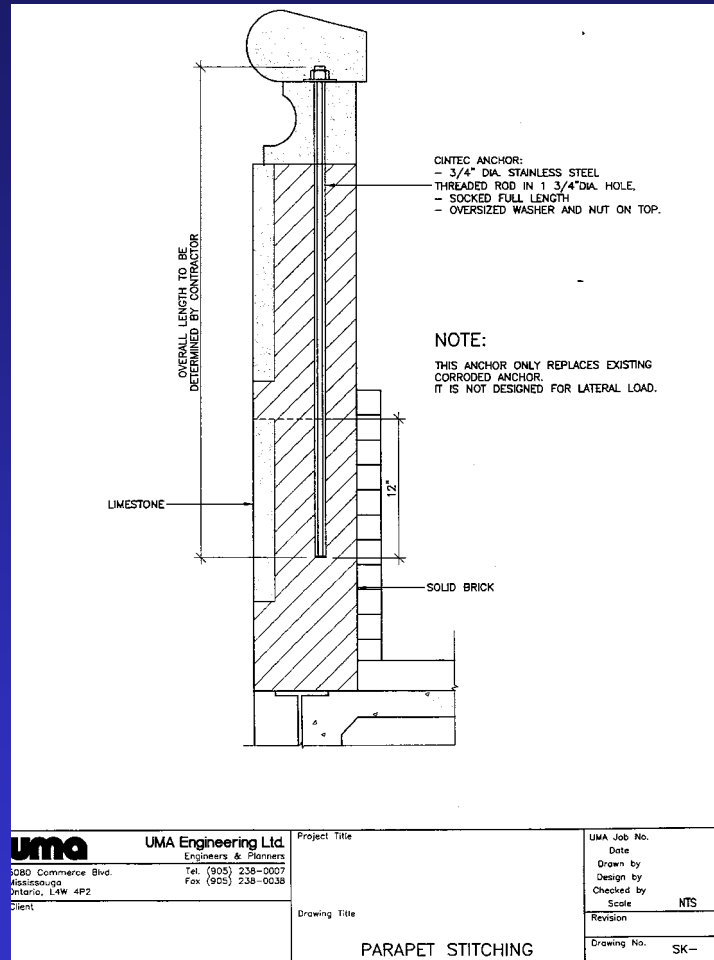


Rubble/Exterior Wall to Wood Joist



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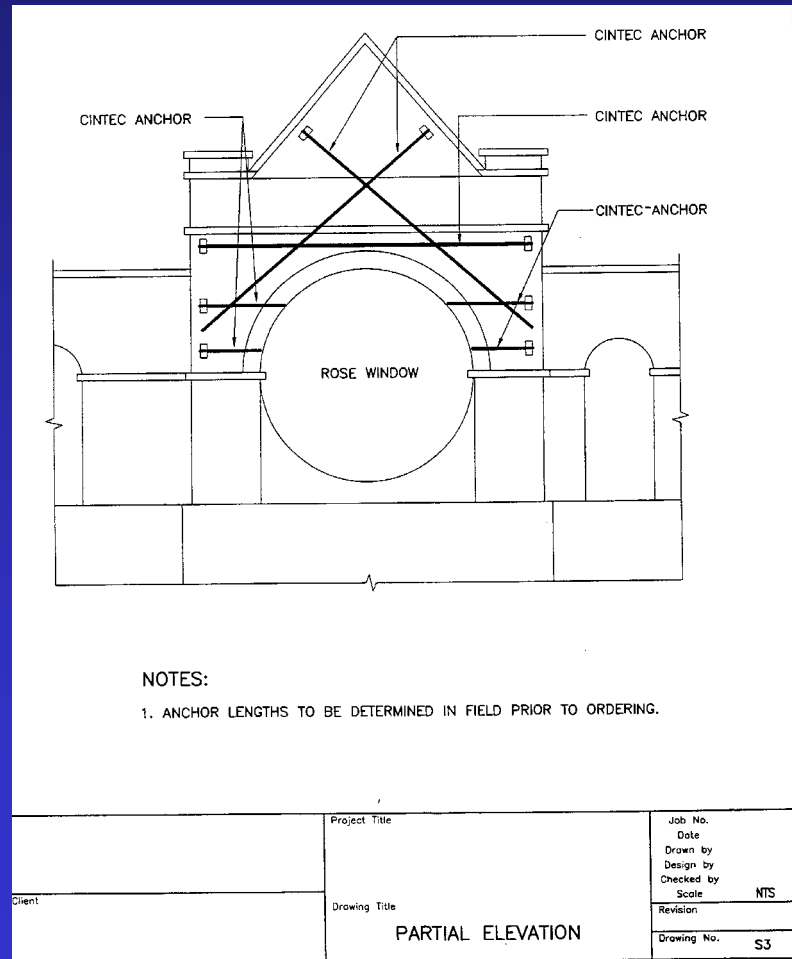
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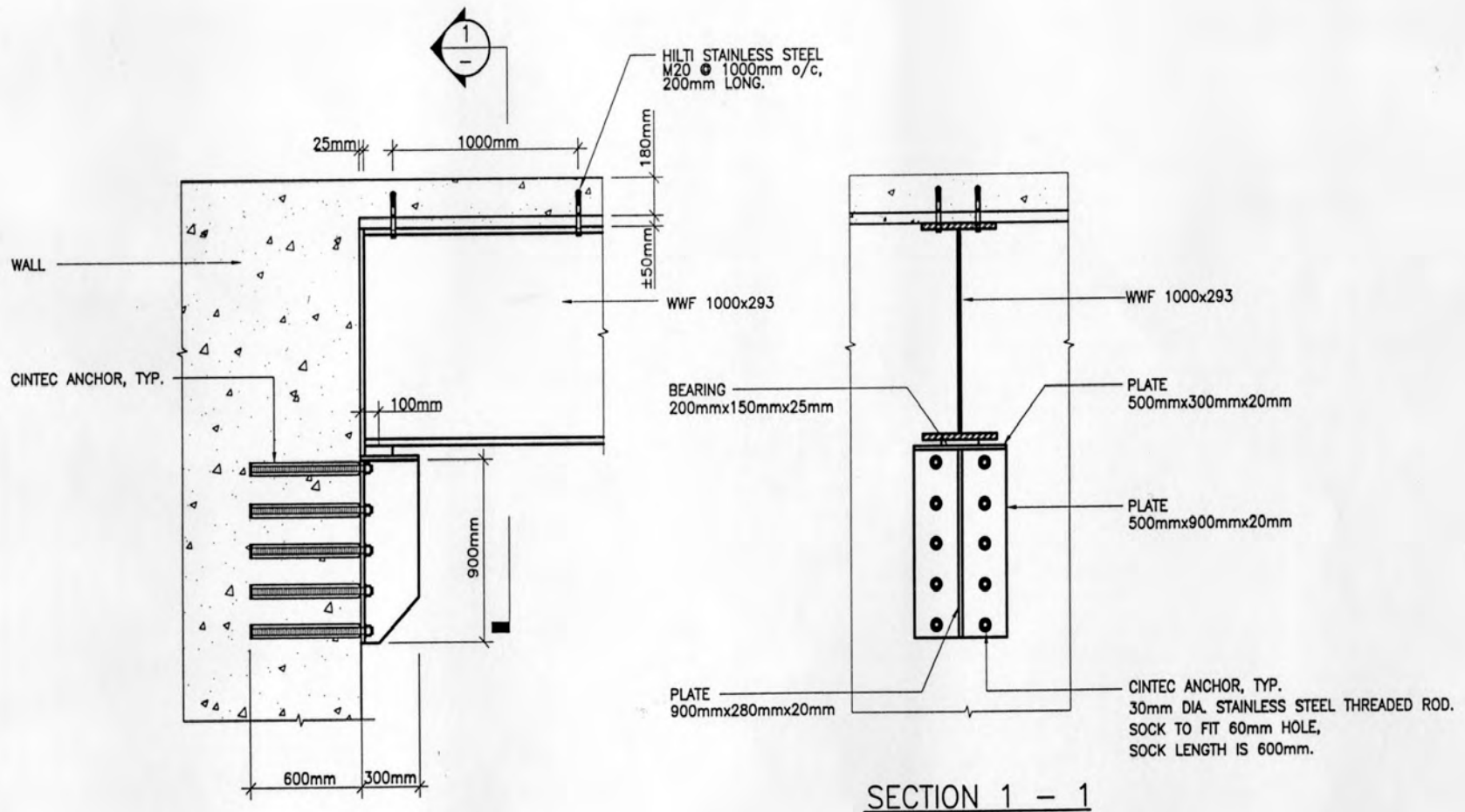
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Façade Stabilization 8-30'

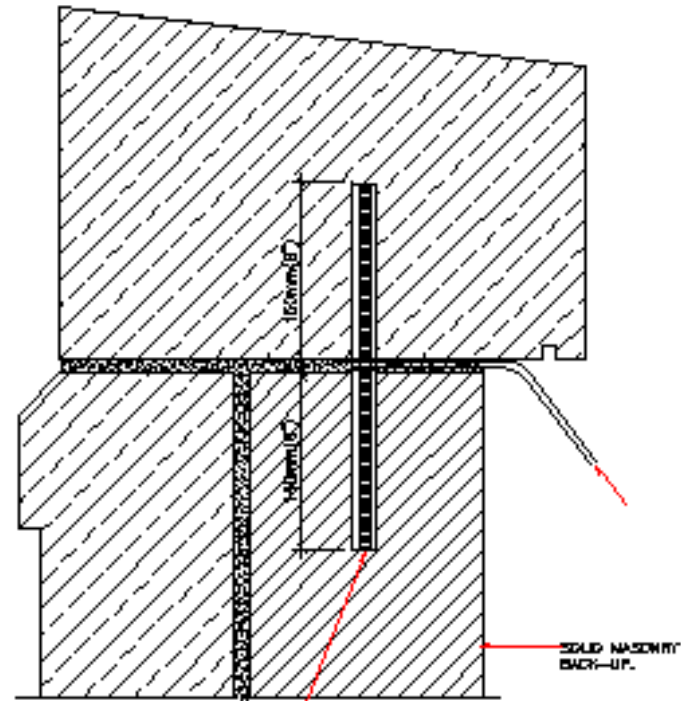
Anchors



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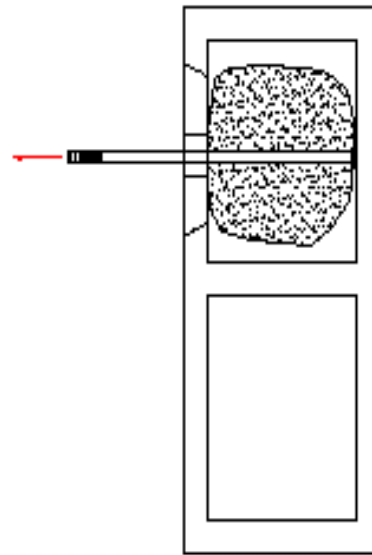


CONNECTION BETWEEN WALL AND NEW GIRDER

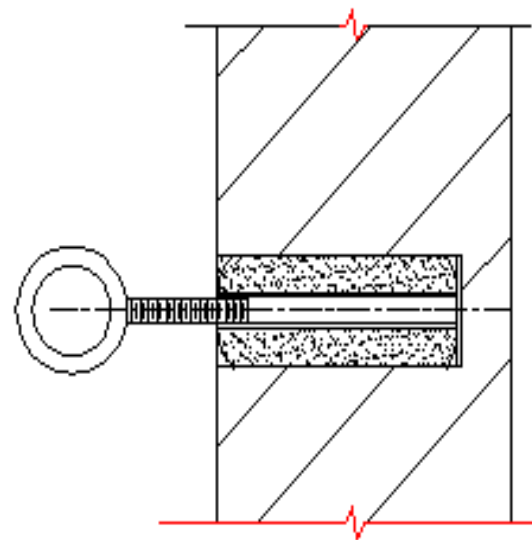


- CINTE 2-STAGE ANCHOR:
- 16mm DIA. STAINLESS STEEL THREADED ROD
 - 40% TO FIT 32mm DIA. HOLE
 - TOTAL SPLICED LENGTH 300mm (12")

COPING STONE ANCHORS



TERRA COTTA IN TENSIONE



SPECIAL CONNECTION

Design Challenges

- Terra cotta
- Substrate strength
- Cintec's R&D

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