VicRoads Requirements

Refer to Austroads - Safety Barrier System Acceptance Conditions for the TREND 350 Steel Rail Terminal. All requirements listed by Austroads have been adopted by VicRoads for use on the Victorian declared road network.

In this instance, VicRoads applies additional requirements/conditions for use of TREND 350 Steel Rail Terminal on the Victorian declared road network including:

- The terminal must be fitted with a black plastic motorcycle friendly cover that fits over the impact head and must include a white and black retro-reflective hazard marker.
- Elevated kerbs, islands, drainage structures or any other item that can affect the height at which a vehicle could impact the unit should not be placed 15m prior to the unit or along the length of the unit.

Please Note: VicRoads requirements take precedence over any Product Manual instructions and Austroads conditions where conflicting.

References

- VicRoads Road Design Note 06-04 Accepted Safety Barrier Products
- VicRoads Standard Drawing SD3571 and SD3545. (SD 3545 not yet updated with specific TREND details. Refer to TREND assembly manual).

Note: Delineation on head rail assembly to be black and white.

For further information please contact:

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60 Denmark Street
Kew, Vic, 3101
Telephone: 8391 7192

Accepted safety barrier products are subject to periodic review and the information provided in this document may be superseded. Please refer to Road Design Note 06-04 – Accepted Safety Barrier products for the current VicRoads acceptance status.
# Safety Barrier System Conditions

## TREND 350 Steel Rail Terminal - Permanent

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**Status**

Accepted – May be used on the classified road network. These acceptance conditions take precedence over any instructions in the Product Manual.

**Variants accepted**

11.9 metre TREND 350 Steel Rail Terminal - Permanent.

**Variants NOT accepted**

- Variants that are not on the list above are not accepted.
- Variants accepted in other jurisdictions, but not accepted in the local jurisdiction, are NOT permitted.

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<td>Tested containment (kg)</td>
<td>2,000 kg at 100 km/h and 20°.</td>
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**Adopted dynamic deflection (Nominal 2 tonne vehicle)**

- 100 km/h: 1.2 metres (side impact on a non-flared installation).
- 80 km/h: Use 100 km/h deflection.
- 70 km/h: Use 100 km/h deflection.
- 50 km/h: Use 100 km/h deflection.

Deflections shown will be exceeded with high mass vehicles. Refer to Austroads Guide to Road Design Part 6: Roadside Design, Safety and Barriers Section 6 for design advice.

**Point of need**

Post 3, 4.25 metres from the end of the Extruder Head.

**Development length**

Not applicable.

**Minimum length of barrier between terminals**

Not applicable.

**System width (m)**

0.475 metres.

**System conditions**

Not specified.

**Terminal conditions**

Installation on top of a kerb is not recommended, however if installed on top of a kerb, all system components must be free to operate.

**Gore area use**

Permitted – not suitable for impact on the post side.

**Pedestrian area use**

Permitted – consider potential for snagging, deflection and rail splay.

**Cycleway use**

Permitted – consider potential for snagging, deflection and rail splay.

**Frequent impact likely**

Permitted.

**Remote location**

Permitted.

**Median use**

Permitted – not suitable for impact on the post side.

**Minimum median width (m)**

Not specified.

**Flare (See Explanation of Terms diagram)**

Not permitted on a flare.
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<td>Hazard free area beside barrier or terminal (Working Width)</td>
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**Installation**

The TREND 350 Steel Rail Terminal - Permanent must be installed and maintained in accordance with the Product Manual and Road Agency specifications. The Road Agency specifications and standards shall have precedence.

**Minimum distance to excavation**

2.7 metres minimum distance between the edge of the barrier and the edge of an excavation. (Being 1.5 times the embedment depth of the anchor).

**Slope limit**

Side slope limit: 10 Horizontal to 1 Vertical (10%).

**Foundation pavement conditions**

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<td>Unsealed compacted formation</td>
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<td>Natural surface</td>
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Foundation pavement conditions must be smooth and free of snag points, kerbs or obstructions that may interfere with the operation of the product.

**Attachments and screens**

In accordance with the requirements of Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 3845, road furniture such as delineators, headlight screens, signs, lighting posts and fences for pedestrians, visual screens, debris screens, platforms for workers and other non-product hardware must not be attached to the product. Screens may be placed adjacent to the side of the product not exposed to traffic. The distance between the screen and the product shall be determined by a site specific risk assessment that considers the deflection distance. Screens must not have horizontal members that present a risk of impaling errant vehicles that impact the product.

**Damaged components**

Damaged components must be replaced. Repaired components must not be used.

**Delineation**

The installed system shall include delineation as prescribed by Road Agency specifications and drawings.

**Traceability and markings**

Product markings shall be in accordance with marking/s prescribed by the current Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 3845 Road Safety Barrier Systems and Road Agency specifications. Traceability details that must be permanently fixed to the terminal are:

- Name of the product.
- Manufacturer or distributor name.
- Date of manufacture.
- Model or version details of the product, if applicable.
- Batch number, if applicable.
- Serial number, if applicable.

Traceability details must be easily visible but unobtrusive and not be in a form that becomes prominent advertising. No advertising shall be displayed on the installation.
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Design Terminology

- **Hazard**
- **Offset to travel lane**
- **Leading point of need**
- **Trailing point of need**
- **Trailing Terminal**
- **Leading Terminal**
- **Length of need**
- **First possible point of contact with hazard from direction 2**
- **First possible point of contact with hazard from direction 1**

Deflection Terminology

- **Hazard**
- **Hazard free area**
- **Working width (vehicle roll allowance)**
- **Dynamic deflection**
- **Permanent deformation**
- **Containment = Tested vehicle weight**

Flare Terminology

- **Hazard**
- **Flare length**
- **Flare width**
- **Flare rate = d:1**
- **Point of need with flare**
- **Safety Barrier**
- **Edge line**
- **Direction of travel**

Terminal Terminology

- **Hazard**
- **Minimum length of barrier**
- **Point of need**
- **Transition**
- **Flare width**
- **Flare length**

For more information, refer to
Austroads Guide to Road Design Part 6: Roadside Design, Safety and Barriers