# THE FAST-FORM<sup>™</sup> RANGE OF FORMWORK SYSTEMS









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### **BENEFITS OF FAST-FORM**<sup>™</sup>

A unique system of components that bolt together and so can be fitted by hand or in the case of our wall systems lifted in large panels with a crane.

Fast-form is so simple to use that anyone can fit it and it's flexibility means it can be used for almost any application.

Manufactured from galvanised steel, it is both strong and durable and will last for more than 25 years. The benefits over traditional formwork methods are immense with savings in materials, time and costs not to mention the environmental benefits.

Our team of designers and structural engineers offer full colour 3D drawings, structural calculations and temporary works drawings, all included in our service.

#### **KEY BENEFITS**

**ECONOMY:** Faster than traditional forms and a cost effective alternative to panel systems.

**MULTI USE:** From beams, slab and walls to sheet pile capping beams and much more. Fix to ground, or site concrete, steel or plywood and brackets bolt together to allow you to cast complex shapes in one pour. Wall system can be hand fit or crane lifted.

**SAFETY:** Access, handrails and toe boards, lightweight system that can be easily fitted by hand quickly and safely.

**SPEED:** Less make up, no de-nailing, lightweight and easy to use system much faster than traditional methods and very simple to use with low labour skill levels required.

**COST:** Less expensive than timber with reduced labour and plant costs, made from galvanised steel, is very strong and won't rust and is easy to transport.

**ENVIRONMENTAL:** Little or no timber wastage and 100% fully recyclable materials, greatly reduced carbon emissions from not only from use of our system but also reduced emissions from deliveries.

**BETTER FINISH:** We offer the best finish on the market meaning less remedial works, plywood is fixed from behind so no marks on face of the concrete and you can use any grade plywood you need.

**CUSTOMER SERVICE:** We pride ourselves on our commitment to our customers, from fast quote and design turnarounds to our wealth of formwork experience, you are in safe hands.

**DELIVERIES:** On time and reliable deliveries on our own fleet of trucks, we aim to offer the best service possible and all our trucks are tracked.

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### **FAST-FORM<sup>™</sup> CARBON SAVINGS**

Fast-Form's carbon savings are due to our unique long life galvanised steel components, the independent carbon study worked on a lifespan of 15 years, though in reality the system should last 25 years, so the savings could actually be much higher than shown.

Carbon savings on deliveries have not been included in the figures.

All our components are fully recyclable which also contributes to the carbon savings, because at the end of their life our products can be recycled.

Our systems typically weigh 60% less than other systems and so are able to be hand fitted but also as they are lighter, transport costs and so emissions form deliveries are also greatly reduced.

Fast-Form is the very latest in patented formwork technology.

#### **Carbon SAVINGS KEY POINTS**

Carbon use per M<sup>2</sup> on formwork systems:

- $\bullet$  Traditional timber formwork uses 2.39kg of carbon per  $M^2$
- Traditional Panel formwork uses 1.39kg of carbon per M<sup>2</sup>
- Fast-Form with a Plywood Face uses 0.43kg of carbon per M<sup>2</sup>
- Fast-Form with Plastic Ply face uses 0.22kg of carbon per M<sup>2</sup>
- Fast-Form uses between 80-100% less carbon per M<sup>2</sup> than Timber systems
- Fast-Form uses on average 60% less carbon per M<sup>2</sup> than other well known panel based systems





Ask for your Carbon Saving Certificate – we can issue you with a certificate showing the carbon savings per contract, ask one of our staff about this innovative scheme.



# BRACKET AND SHEET PILE CAPPING BEAM FORMWORK













### **BRACKET BASE SYSTEM**

Internal and external corners available

Fast-Form<sup>™</sup> is the only formwork system that can truly be erected by hand, largest bracket (1.8m) weighs 20kg.

The system is the **fastest and easiest way** to form bases / slabs (inc soffits) / walls / pits as well as sheet pile capping beams and much more.

### Can be fixed down with anchor bolts into site concrete, road pins into the ground.

Straight or radius pours and also complex shapes, our brackets bolt together to form almost any type or shape of pour and with standard and flexi corners anything is possible.

Beams and walls up to almost 1.8m high with no form tie required and no patching of form tie holes.

Just fix bracket down 18mm back from pour line / plumb up and screw on ply from behind and pour, its so fast and easy to use.

Flexi corner

Straight / radius from same brackets

Straight and radius from same system.

The system also comes with optional full access and handrail system for safe working.

Our unique system is so flexible they can be bolted together to form complex shapes such as slabs with plinths or for sheet pile capping beams / soffits and much more.

Save time and costs on labour, cranes, reduce your carbon footprint and timber use.









### **BRACKET SIZES AND ACCESSORIES**

**Standard brackets** can fix to concrete with re-usable self tapping concrete bolts, plywood with wood screws, they can also be bolted together to form complex shaped pours.



Pin brace brackets can be pinned down to earth or hardcore with road form pins but they can also still be fixed down to concrete and plywood as well.



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#### BRACKET SYSTEM -QUICK INSTALLATION GUIDE





MARK A LINE ALONG CONCRETE POUR AND DRILL HOLES AT REQUIRED CENTRES.

#### STEP 3



FOR A BEAM CONFIGURATION, REPEAT THE PROCESS ON OPPOSITE SIDE.

STEP 5



ADD STOP-ENDS.

STEP 2



FIX ALL BRACKETS AND ADJUST TO LINE.

# STEP 4

SCREW ON PLYWOOD FROM BEHIND.

#### SLAB CONFIGURATION



FOR SLABS SIMPLY FOLLOW ABOVE STEPS AROUND CONCRETE POUR.





BASE EXTENSION]

#### BRACKET SYSTEM -TYPICAL CORNER DETAILS





BRACKETS POSITIONED MAX.50MM AWAY FROM A CORNER ACCESSORY - MEASURED EDGE TO EDGE



BRACKETS POSITIONED MAX.50MM AWAY FROM A CORNER ACCESSORY MEASURED EDGE TO EDGE SMALLER SIZE BRACKET MAY BE REQUIRED TO ACHIEVE THE 50MM EDGE TO EDGE MEASUREMENT]

#### BRACKET SYSTEM -SUPPORTING OTHER FORMWORK

BRACKET SYSTEM FIXED TO H20 BEAMS



BRACKET SYSTEM FIXED TO TRADITIONAL TIMBER SHUTTER



BRACKETS CAN BE FIXED TO TRADITIONAL TIMBER SHUTTER USING WOOD SCREWS.

HEIGHT

BRACKET SPACING: UP TO 1.8M BUT DEPENDENT ON POUR HEIGHT

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H20 BEAMS USED TO CREATE SHUTTER. BRACKETS FIXED TO H20 BEAMS USING FAST-FORM BEAM CLAMPS. BRACKET SPACING: UP TO 1.8M BUT DEPENDENT ON POUR





### **BRACKET USES 3D**

Slab and walls poured in one with single sided one side



Example of 600mm base with angles, corners and radius



Brackets supporting H20 beams at 1.5m centres



1.8m wall pour with dry tie over top of the pour



400mm brackets on decking with handrails fitted



1.2m high sheet pile capping beam with brackets used as soffit



DRAWINGS AND CALCULATIONS ARE AVAILABLE IN METRIC AND IMPERIAL MEASUREMENTS







### **BRACKETS IN USE**

St Martins Culvert - Moore Construction



Christchurch Hospital - Moore Construction









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### **FAST-FORM SHEET PILE CAPPING SYSTEM**



DUBLE SIDED CAPPING BEAM W/ ACCESS

Straight, curved or radius, level or sloping, one or two-sided Fast-Form is the only system worldwide that can cope with everything from one system, even including the landside formwork.

We can design beams to any size or type and also offer a bespoke service so no matter how complex your beam, we can offer a solution to suit you needs and your budget.

### Free design service, full calculations and full colour 3D temporary works drawings included.

Unlike alternative methods Fast-Form not only forms the soffit of the sheet pile capping beam but also the formwork to both sides with all supports saving time and labour costs.

There is no need to make and try to fix additional formwork.

A complete working platform and handrails can also be included for a safe solution that keeps your workers safe and offers a safe and stable platform to work off. From small sheet pile beams to large complex beams, we offer a safe and cost effective solution.

Fast-Form is flexible enough to cope with all types and sizes of capping beams, the system can be fitted to the pile with bolts or with stud welding, we have several fixing and bolt options available.

Provides full edge protection and a full working access platform, also offer the best finish of any system.

Needs no crane or mechanical lifting and in a lot of cases can be fitted from one side.

We will design your system for you and deliver everything to your site, our system is lightweight meaning transportation costs are greatly reduced.

The only system that forms the whole of the sheet pile capping beam.

Why rent or buy just a soffit system when you can have a complete solution that is **quicker, more efficient and less expensive.** 





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#### BRACKET SYSTEM - SINGLE SIDED CAPPING BEAM QUICK INSTALLATION GUIDE



DRILL A HOLE AND FIX FIRST SOFFIT BRACKETS TO SHEET PILE [SEE FIXING DETAIL I]

#### STEP 4



FIX FIRST SHUTTER BRACKETS ON TOP OF SOFFIT BRACKETS [SEE FIXING DETAIL 2] ALONG WITH ADJACENT SHUTTER BRACKETS LOCATED ON LANDSIDE.



SOFFIT BRACKETS ARE FIXED.

#### STEP 5



REPEAT THE PROCESS UNTIL ALL SHUTTER BRACKETS ON BOTH SIDES ARE FIXED.



CONSTRUCT WORKING PLATFORM/SOFFIT FOLLOWED BY FIXING HANDRAIL.





FIX PLYWOOD AND STOP-ENDS.

FIX PLYWOOD TO BRACKETS TO CONSTRUCT WORKING PLATFORM/SOFFIT FOLLOWED BY FIXING HANDRAIL.

FIX PLYWOOD AND STOP-ENDS.

STEP 3

STEP 6

#### BRACKET SYSTEM - DOUBLE SIDED CAPPING BEAM QUICK INSTALLATION GUIDE

STEP |



DRILL A HOLE AND FIX FIRST SOFFIT BRACKETS [SEE FIXING DETAIL 3].

#### STEP 4



FIX FIRST SHUTTER BRACKETS ON TOP OF SOFFIT BRACKETS [SEE FIXING DETAIL 2].



SOFFIT BRACKETS ARE FIXED.



REPEAT THE PROCESS UNTIL ALL SHUTTER BRACKETS ARE FIXED.

BRACKET FIXING DETAILS



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### **CAPPING BEAM USES**

Used as an access platform, on almost any structure



2x BLIND BOLT PER EACH SOFFIT BRACKETS

Large wall with access / platform and landside forms



Large beam 3m on one side with access platforms both sides



Typical single-sided capping beam with landside form and access



Typical double sided capping beam 1200mm (5')high



Example of a complex beam cast in one pour



DRAWINGS AND CALCULATIONS ARE AVAILABLE IN METRIC AND IMPERIAL MEASUREMENTS







### **CAPPING BEAM IN USE**

1.8m high beam flood defence



Small capping beam to railway embankment



Rail capping beam (3m drop on other side)



1m high x 2.8m wide beam



Capping beam with landside formwork



Capping beam with angles and mix of land and river sides



WHATEVER THE JOB WE CAN DESIGN A SOLUTION FOR YOU!





# FAST-FORM<sup>™</sup> COMPLETE WALL FORMWORK SOLUTION









### FAST-FORM WALL SYSTEM OVERVIEW AND COMPONENTS

Fast-Form is the perfect solution for all types of wall and column formwork, our unique patented design offers all the strength of a steel panel system with the flexibility and ease of use of a hand fit system and the finish of a traditional timber system. Full structural calculations and full colour 3D temporary works drawings are included.

Unlike panel systems Fast-Form has no unsightly joints so is ideal for fair faced finishes F5, F6 or better.

The same components can also be used for straight, radius and single sided walls and columns.

Our unique system needs NO KICKERS, each section can be adjusted for uneven ground and can also be angled because of its unique adjustable feet that bolt down to the slab.

Our system comes in a range of sizes and widths and unlike panel systems it does not need any timber infills or have hundreds of components to lose or damage. You can erect our system by hand to almost any height but can also move it in large panels once erected just like a panel system, you can join our uprights to over 6.4m, optional lifting attachment / lifting eyes, waler beams, corners and corner bracings also available as well as all accessories such as props, tie bars and consumables.

Our unique tie holes ALWAYS line up and you need less ties than most panel or timber systems, meaning less remedial works, we can pour to 1.8m with no form ties.

The unique way our system is assembled means we can add or move pieces to accommodate for pipes / openings or to strengthen the system for single sided pours with NO A-FRAMES!.

Our system also comes in a choice of our lightweight galvanised steel or super lightweight aluminium.









### **SAMPLE WALL DRAWINGS**

6m high motorway central pier wall 12m long, single pour with shaped top





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MARK A LINE ALONG CONCRETE POUR, DRILL A HOLE AND FIX FIRST UPRIGHT WITH PROPS.



FIX PLYWOOD FROM BEHIND MAKING SURE THE JOINTS LAND ON UPRIGHT CENTRES. WALL SYSTEM (DOUBLE SIDED) - QUICK INSTALLATION GUIDE



REPEAT THE PROCESS FOR NEXT UPRIGHT USING INTERMEDIATE BRACES TO SET THE DISTANCE APART. FIX TOP AND BOTTOM INTERMEDIATE BRACE



ONCE ALL PLYWOOD IS FIXED, LINE IN AND PLUMB UP THE PANEL.





FIX OPPOSITE UPRIGHTS USING THE SAME STEPS. POSITION THE BARS THROUGH THE SYSTEM, SECURING THEM USING PLATES AND SPINNERS.



STEP 8

ADD STOP-ENDS AND ACCESS IF REQUIRED.



DOUBLE SIDED WALL SYSTEM - (TIE BAR ARRANGEMENT SHOWN)



1940MM WALL SYSTEM

SINGLE SIDED WALL SYSTEM - (PROPS ARRANGEMENT SHOWN)











3240MM WALL SYSTEM





INTERMEDIATE BRACE SPACING











1111 2440MM WALL SYSTEM



#### RADIUS WALL SYSTEM - QUICK INSTALLATION GUIDE



Mark out several internal/external radius formers on a sheet of plywood, leaving 100mm at edges. Cut with jigsaw.



LAY PLYWOOD SHEETS ON THE TEMPLATE. FIX FAST FORM UPRIGHTS USING FANG BOLTS WHERE INDICATED. FIRST AND LAST UPRIGHTS TO BE BOLTED WITH LIFTING ACCESSORY & LIFTING EYE.

STEP 6



Fix turnbuckles to radius adjuster plates. Tighten turnbuckles until they are fully locked off.

DETAIL |





USE FAST FORM A-A BRACKETS TO FIX RADIUS FORMERS TO A FLOOR OR PLYWOOD SHEETS. MAKE SURE FORMERS ARE FIXED SO THEY WILL BE SUPPORTING PLYWOOD AT THE EDGES AND CENTRE, SEE DETAIL I BELOW.



FIX RADIUS ADJUSTER PLATES TO UPRIGHTS.



LIFT AND REPEAT STEPS FOR NEXT PANELS.







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### **WALL SYSTEM USES 3D**

Radius wall system from same wall components as straight walls



Columns from 200mm wide and from 1.9m to 6.4m high

M6 Smart motorway 6m full height bridge encapsulation



2.4m wall system with full access and handrails



Lifting in large panels using our waler beams and lifting eyes



6.4m high Motorway central pier with access and shaped top using FF brackets



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### **WALL SYSTEM IN USE**

6.4m high hand fit for Google, London



2.4m wall system for cow sheds in Lincolnshire, no props





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3.2m walls, columns and nibs

1.9m wall system in use on windfarm control building



1.9m / 2.4m and 3.2m in use on retaining wing wall









## **ROAD FORM SYSTEM**











### **ROAD FORM SYSTEM FEATURES**

Road forms bolt at joints so no movement when using screeds and tamps

Dowel holes at 300mm centres

Twin wedges hold height securely even with heavy duty screeds and design allows for easy removal of pins

Bracket fixing points, allow FF brackets to be used to fix road forms to concrete / tarmac and plywood

Fixing holes allow stacking of all our road forms to almost any height and also

formwork system

Ply fixing holes allow you to turn your road form into a fair faced slab edge

allow timber to be fixed to the top or bottom

Our unique road form is unlike any other road form on the market and we offer hire and sales, the Fast-Form Road Form is most flexible, versatile and most robust road form available.

Our road forms also work with Fast-Form<sup>™</sup> Brackets, which allows them to be fixed to any surface.

No more battered / old / bent / rusty road forms, choose the galvanised Fast-Form Road Form and get much more than just a road form.

Our unique end joining / bracket fixing and patented Wedge Holders make the road form stronger and more robust, so it won't bend, warp or buckle.

How many times have you hired a road form to find it looks like a piece of bent scrap metal?

Fast-Form Road Forms are made from galvanised steel we offer mild steel versions for sale as well.

Our road forms are available for hire or sale, if you buy our road forms and need a few extra for a job, then just hire a few extra road forms from us, or keep your costs low and just hire our road forms for all your jobs.

Available in straight or flexi versions with or without dowel holes, 100mm, 150mm and 200mm in height with ability to join means you can have 100 / 150 / 200 / 250 / 300 / 350 and 400mm + road forms.

Unique Double Wedge with cut away means easy removal of pins, but strong holding of height and line.



200mm and 150mm joined, our unique bolted joints mean you can join our 100mm / 150mm and 200mm road forms into almost any height you need Use the joining holes to fix timber battens to raise the height if you need to





### **ROAD FORM SYSTEM BENEFITS**

- Made from galvanised steel, they are stronger than any other road form with larger pin braces made to strengthen the road form and protect them from damage.
- Straight or curved road forms available in three heights:100mm /150mm and 200mm high which can be joined, no other road form can be joined in this way.
- Fast-Form Road Forms come in 2.44m lengths the same as standard ply sheets and they can have ply fitted to the face for a better finish, this also allows you to extend the pour height by up to 100mm.
- Unique infil system also copes with any length so you don't have to fly past your pour.

- 90 degree corner joining make it unique for slab pours with solid corner joints that wont move.
- Fast-Form<sup>™</sup> Brackets fitted for extra stability and adjustment and the option to fit to any type of surface.
- Road forms can be joined end to end and are bolted together so no movement at joints! Much stronger than any other road form and ideal for using heavy duty and roller screeds.
- Road forms as well as road pins and road form pin pullers are available for hire or sale.
- The most cost effective road form on the market, flexible and durable buy British and buy once!



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### **ROAD FORM SYSTEM ACCESSORIES**

90 Degree Corner



Allows road forms to be

joined into 90 degree corners

**Infil Panel Fitting** 

**Infil Panel Fitted** 

**Pin Puller** 



Ply panel infil up to 500mm wide unsupported or can be braced with a FF bracket Allows ply to be fitted between a gap in 2 road forms Ply fixing points

90 Degree Corner

Fitted

Allows fitting to either side of gap

Also available are 16mm to 25mm road pins / pin pullers as well as bespoke sizes and shapes made to suit, whatever you need please just ask.

Chemicals, release agents, water bars, sealers, retarders, chamfers, tie bars, tubes, plates, nuts and all other formwork accessories and tools are also available.

Under Slab - In Slab - On Sla





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### **BESPOKE DESIGN AND MANUFACTURING**

- Below is a design we did for slabs to London City Airport.
- Rebar was a single 20mm bar used almost like a dowel bar, our system allowed half of the road form to be fitted, then the rebar and the top to be fitted afterwards, so it was a 2 piece system.
- This design allowed for very fast fixing, using our Fast-Form brackets as the forms were on concrete blinding, the brackets also allowed the top of the

form to be adjusted for pour height and allowed a heavy duty roller striker to be used.

- We are able to offer bespoke design and manufacture, so what ever your project we can offer a fast and efficient product tailored to the needs and demands of the project.
- This project demanded very fast fix and strip and a solid top to be able to set heights for the roller striker to run over.







### **ROAD FORM SPECIAL USES**





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### **ROAD FORM IN USE**



### PLAIN STEEL VERSION WITH STRAIGHT / RADIUS, CORNER AND INFILLS IN USE











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#### **Accreditation and Awards**

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