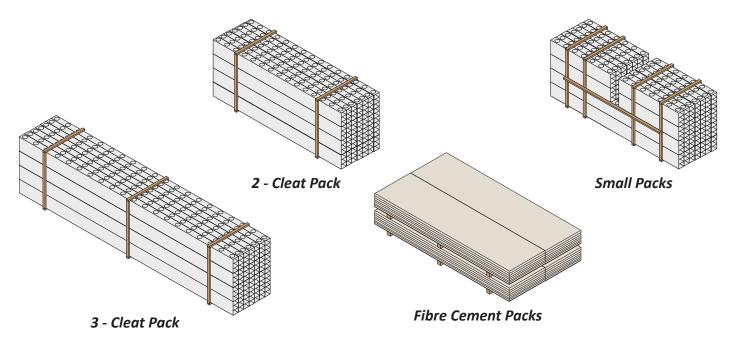


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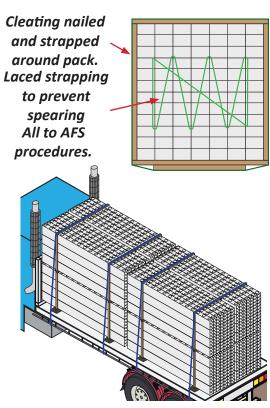
- Is for AFS and applies to packs of AFS Rediwall Panels packaged with cleating to a standard that will hold against the load restraint forces to which they are exposed, transported by road in Australia.
- Is the loader and driver guide to certification E00810-LRC1 to meet the loading performance standards listed in Schedule 7 of the *Heavy Vehicle (Mass, Dimension and Loading) National Regulation* (22 February 2021).



#### **Load Restraint Combination Summary**

This guideline requires a combination of all the restraint methods below:

- Blocking packs to a headboard or to other blocked product is preferred, but may be required for heavier packs.
- See Section 4 Maximum Pack Mass by Load Configuration, on page 5.
- Stacking of packs is always cleat to cleat, making sure that top and bottom cleats are carefully and centrally aligned.
- 50mm tie-down lashings are to be applied over each line of cleats.
- The lashings must be fully tensioned to minimum 300 kg.f
- Base layer cleats to be placed on industrial rubber, unless the cleat is rebated.



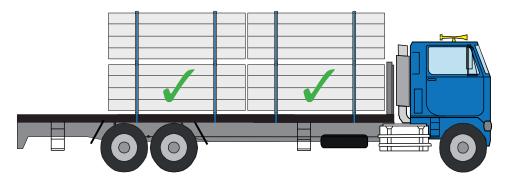




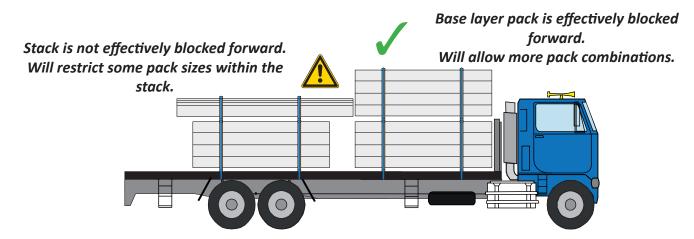
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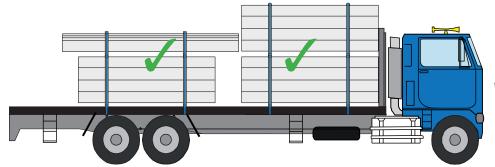
#### 1. Blocking Forward

- Blocking forward to a headboard is preferred but optional in some combinations.
- ✓ Blocking forward to headboard is required for some load combinations including heavier packs.
- ✓ See Section 4 Maximum Pack Mass by Load Configuration, on page 5.
- To effectively block the stack, the base pack in the stack must be blocked forward, OR;
- ✓ The top pack must be blocked forward, through to the headboard, AND;
- ✓ The top pack must weigh at least 25% of the base pack below it.



Base layer of both stacks are effectively blocked.
Will allow more pack combinations.





Headboard extends higher, to height of the rear stack top layer.

This effectively blocks to whole rear stack IF the upper pack is no less than 25% of the weight of the base pack.

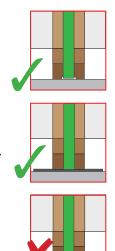




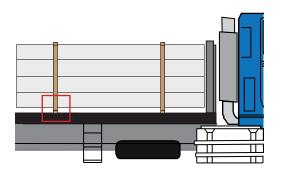
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#### 2. Stacking the load

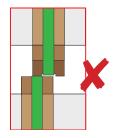
- ✓ Ensure there is a friction-improvement layer (rubber) below the base pack cleats if there is no rebate for the packaging strap. (Not required between the top and base packs.)
- Stack cleat to cleat carefully and accurately.
- ✓ Align the top and bottom layer cleats to +/- 5mm at outside corners, and +/- 10mm inside.
- ✓ Tap cleats until they align, where necessary.
- Cleats only partially aligned are a high risk.

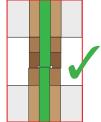


### Rebated base cleat or rubber under cleat

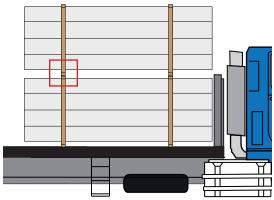




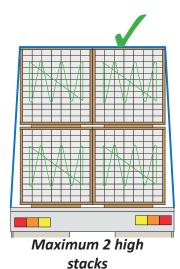


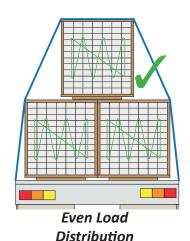


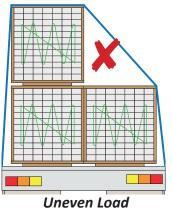
### Cleats and Lashings aligned Vertically



- Stack the load centrally down the vehicle.
- X Do not stack to one side.







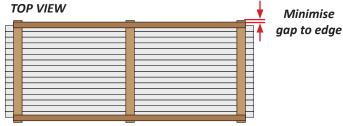
Uneven Load
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#### 3. Part / Small Pack Stacking

- ✓ Load small packs on top of full packs.
- Load bridging timber along the packs when the cleats do not align.
- ✓ Bridging timber must be positioned at the end of the cleats, minimising the gap to the edge.
- ✓ Stack cleat to cleat, where possible.
- One cleat must be aligned to the lower pack cleat.
- ✓ Tap cleats until they align, where necessary.
- ✓ Align lashings over the end cleats, where possible.
- Do not position lashing over the end cleat if the overhang of the end cleat is more than 100 mm.
- Align the lashing (of the offset side) over the cleat closest to the lower cleat.



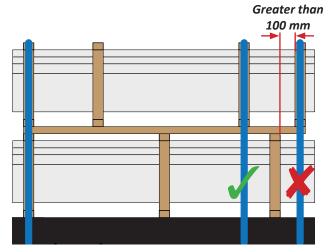
Bridging timber must be positioned at the end of the cleats



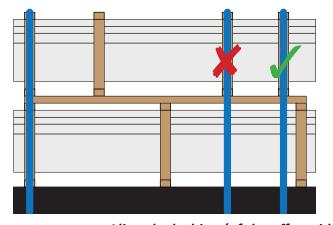
Load bridging timber along the packs when the cleats do not align

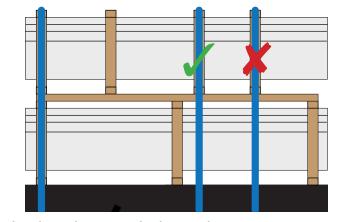


Do not load cleats of packs directly on lower pack product



Do not position lashing over the end cleat if the overhang of the end cleat is more than 100 mm





Align the lashing (of the offset side) over the cleat closest to the lower cleat.

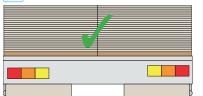
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#### 4. Fibre Cement Boards Stacking and Load Restraint

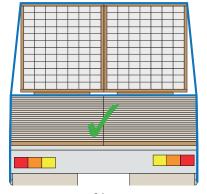
- ✓ Load fibre cement boards on the base only.
- ✓ Fibre cement boards must be loaded full width only.
- X Do not load fibre cement boards single file.
- ✓ Ensure cleats from Rediwall packs align with dunnage from Fibre Cement Boards.
- ✓ Restrain the cement boards separately to the Rediwall packs.
- Minimum 2 lashings per pack.
- ✓ Restrain the cement boards as per Table 1.



Fibre cement must be loaded full width only



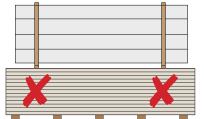
Cleats from Rediwall packs align with dunnage from Fibre Cement Boards



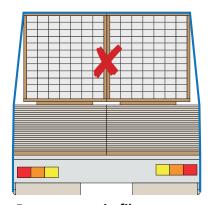
Restrain fibre cement boards separately as per Table 1



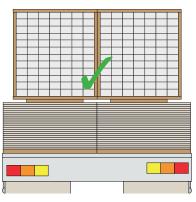
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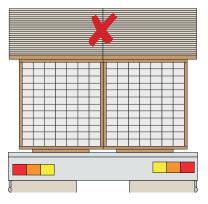
Do not load cleats mid span of the fibre cement dunnage



Do not restrain fibre cement boards and Rediwall packs together



Fibre cement boards loaded on the base of the stack



Do not load fibre cement on top of Rediwall packs

Table 1: Number of lashings per stack: (\*)=impractical)

Stack Mass Restrained	Unblocked	Blocked
	(81 - 90º)	(81 - 90º)
	Push up ratchet /Drum winch	Push up ratchet /Drum winch
0 - 500 kg	2	2
501 - 1,000 kg	2	2
1,001 - 1,500 kg	3	2
1,501 - 2,000 kg	4	2
2,001 - 2,500 kg	5	2
2,501 - 3,000 kg	6	2
3,001 - 3,500 kg	6	2
3,501 - 4,000 kg	7	2
4,001 - 4,500 kg	8	2
4,501 - 5,000 kg	9	3

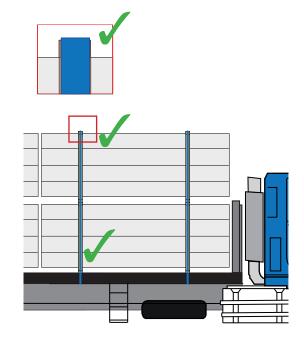




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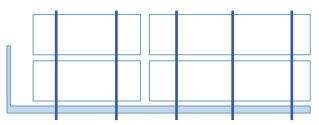
#### 5. Apply Tie-down Lashings

- ✓ Place a 50 mm tie-down lashing over each cleat line.
- ✓ Align the lashing centrally with the cleat top.
- The lashing should be close to vertical when looking at the load side on. A small angle back is acceptable.
- X Do not angle the lashing forward or rearward.
- ✓ Fully tension the lashing using a ratchet or drum.
- Lashings shall have no more than one twist in any tie-down leg.



Lashings central and vertical along the truck

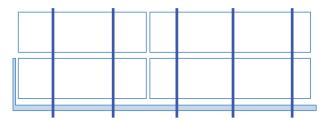
### 6. Maximum Pack Mass by Configuration



Mass Limits for Two-High, Two-Abreast
NOT BLOCKED Forwards

320 480	320 480
320	320
480	480

kg mass for: 2-cleat packs 3-cleat packs



Mass Limits for Two-High, Two-Abreast BLOCKED Forwards

320	320
480	480
500*	320
750*	480

kg mass for: 2-cleat packs 3-cleat packs

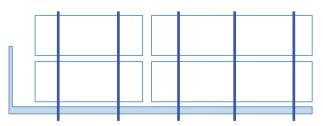
\* Heavier packs
\* Only one heavier
pack in bottom row





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#### 6. Maximum Pack Mass by Configuration (continued)



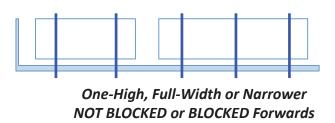
Two-High, Narrower Upper Layer – One or Two Packs NOT BLOCKED Forwards

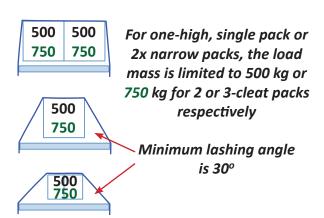


For top layer single pack or 2x narrow packs, the total top layer mass is limited to 320 kg or 480 kg for 2 or 3-cleat packs respectively



Minimum lashing angle to top row is 30°





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