

Works Completed during the last week.

Week 189: Monday 6 June to Friday 10 July 2009

- Work on the revetment preparation works continued slowly this week due to the spring tides. A total of four pours were completed this week comprising of removal of the fill and rock armour material, topping up and trimming the profile of the fill and beach to the correct level and then placing 150mm blinding concrete over the area. This completes two thirds of panel 8.



The week starts with the first middle pour of panel 8.



Panel 8 two thirds complete.

- As there is enough of the blinding prepared across the revetment, works can now commence on the placing of the pre-cast concrete units. The end of the week saw the arrival of the crane that will be utilised to place all of the pre-cast concrete elements. Due to the reach required, weights to be lifted and limitations on site movements this is a huge piece of equipment and weighs in at 180 tonne. Due to its size, the crane arrived in pieces on seven low loaders and was assembled on site.



Crane being assembled.



The last section of the crane jib being lifted into position for assembly.

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