Tung Chung New Town Extension



3rd PLG Meeting Date: 9 Dec 2019



Civil Engineering and Development Department

Agenda



- 1. Confirmation of Last Meeting Minutes
- 2. Matters Arising from Last Meeting
- 3. Latest Progress of Reclamation Contract
- 4. Report of Environmental Monitoring and Audit
- 5. Eco-shoreline in Tung Chung East
- 6. Site visit to eco-shoreline trial



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Para. 3.1(a):

Benchmark for the action and limit levels of ecological monitoring

 To report after the review of the action and limit levels for ecological monitoring.

Para. 5.1(b):

Non-project related exceedance cases for water quality monitoring

 To provide a summary of project related / non-project related exceedance cases against time.

[to be presented on Slides 23 and 24 on Environmental Monitoring and Audit]



Benchmark for the action and limit levels of ecological monitoring

Seagrass



 No seagrass was recorded at all monitoring locations during the TCE baseline monitoring. However, one patch (~0.4m²) of spoon seagrass Halophila ovalis was observed in only Tung Chung Bay (TCB3) in Sep 2019



Seagrass patch observed in Tung Chung Bay

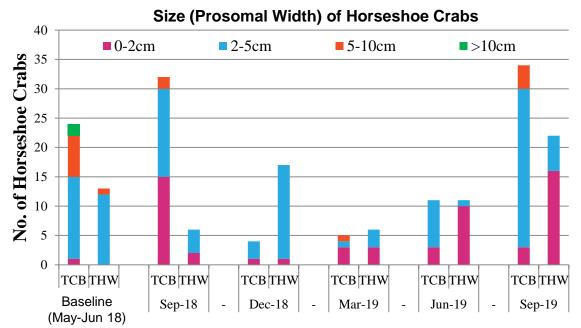


Spoon seagrass Halophila ovalis

Horseshoe Crab



- Numbers of horseshoe crabs varied over time and were generally higher in summer period (May – Sep)
- Small juvenile horseshoe crabs (prosomal width <2 cm) were recorded during all impact monitoring since Sep 2018





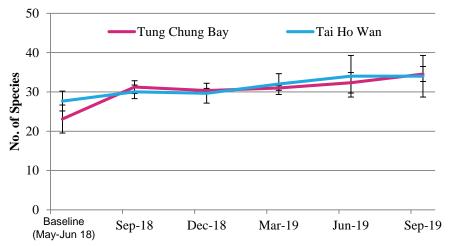
Horseshoe crabs Tachypleus tridentatus

Other Intertidal Assemblages



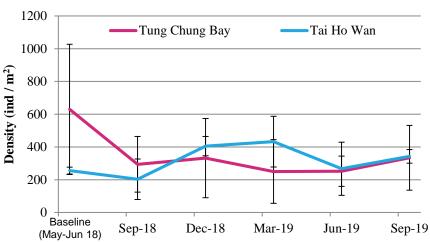
 No observable change of intertidal assemblages in terms of species number and density over time during the construction of the Project

Averaged Number of Intertidal Species



Remarks: Generally > 30 intertidal species were recorded during each of the impact monitoring surveys

Averaged Density of Ecological Assemblages



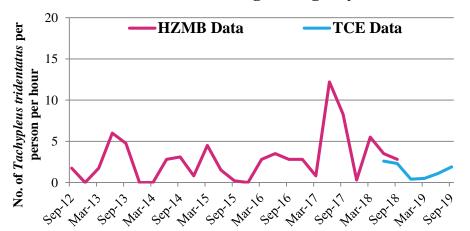
Remarks: The high density recorded at Tung Chung Bay in Jun-18 was contributed by the dominant gastropod species *Batillaria multiformis*

Review of Study at Tung Chung Bay (1)

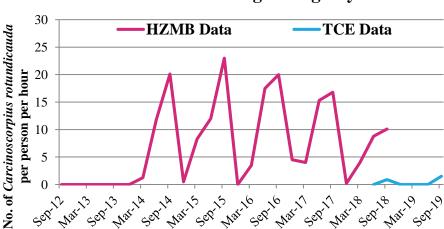


- Available soft shore monitoring results at Tung Chung Bay from Sep 2012-Sep 2018 under HZMB EM&A were reviewed
- Two seagrass species, Halophila ovalis and Zostera japonica, were recorded occasionally under HZMB EM&A in Dec 16, Mar 17, Jun 17 & Jun 18 at Tung Chung Bay (TCB3)
- Numbers of horseshoe crabs per survey effort varied seasonally from the data obtained from HZMB EM&A and TCE EM&A

Numbers of Horseshoe Crabs *Tachypleus* tridentatus at Tung Chung Bay



Numbers of Horseshoe Crabs Carcinoscorpius rotundicauda at Tung Chung Bay



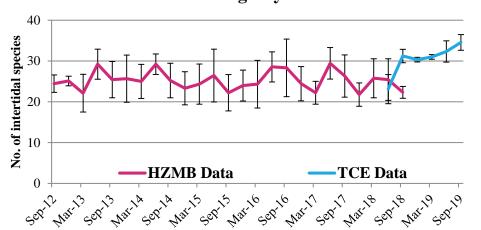
Remarks: Horseshoe crabs (both *Tachypleus tridentatus* and *Carcinoscorpius rotundicauda*) were not recorded in some of the winter months (i.e. Dec / Mar)

Review of Study at Tung Chung Bay (2)

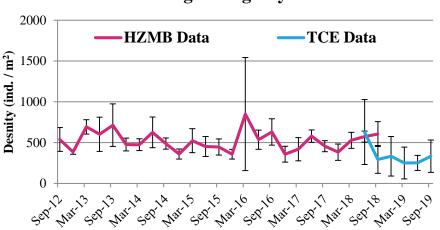


 Numbers of intertidal assemblages varied seasonally in term of species number and density over the years

Averaged Number of Intertidal Species at Tung Chung Bay



Averaged Density of Intertidal Species at Tung Chung Bay



Remarks: The methodology used for the intertidal assemblage monitoring of HZMB and TCE was different and thus the monitoring results were not directly comparable. However, it is noticed that seasonal variation of the number and density of intertidal species was observed in both HZMB and TCE monitoring.

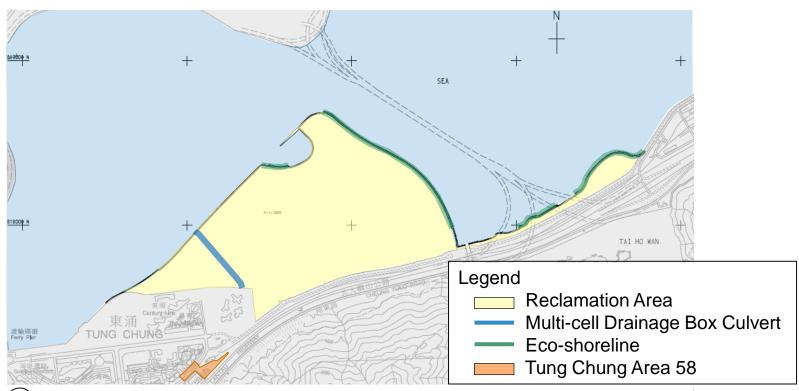


3. Latest Progress of Reclamation Contract

Contract No. NL/2017/03
Tung Chung New Town Extension Reclamation and Advance Works

Contract NL/2017/03 Overview

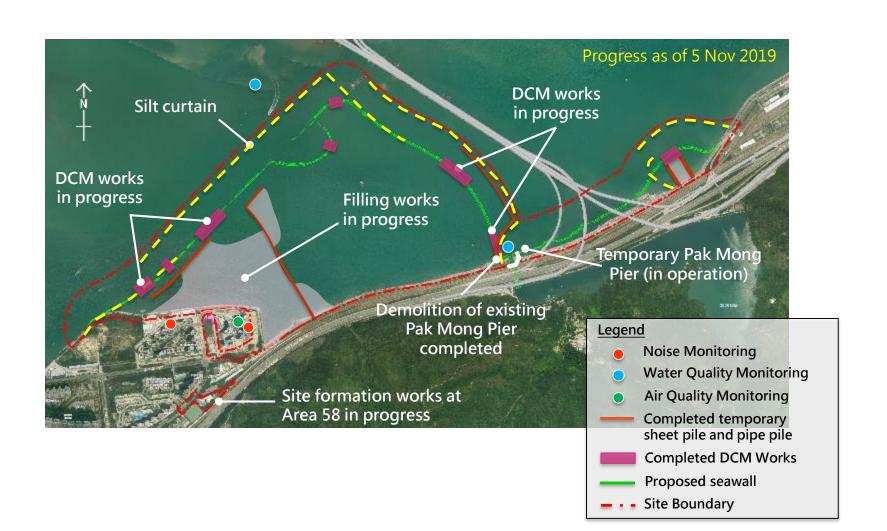




- 1 130 hectares land reclamation by non-dredged method
- (2) Construction of 4.9 km seawalls partly with eco-shorelines
- 3 Construction of 470m extension of multi-cell drainage box culvert
- 4) Site formation for future development in Tung Chung Area 58

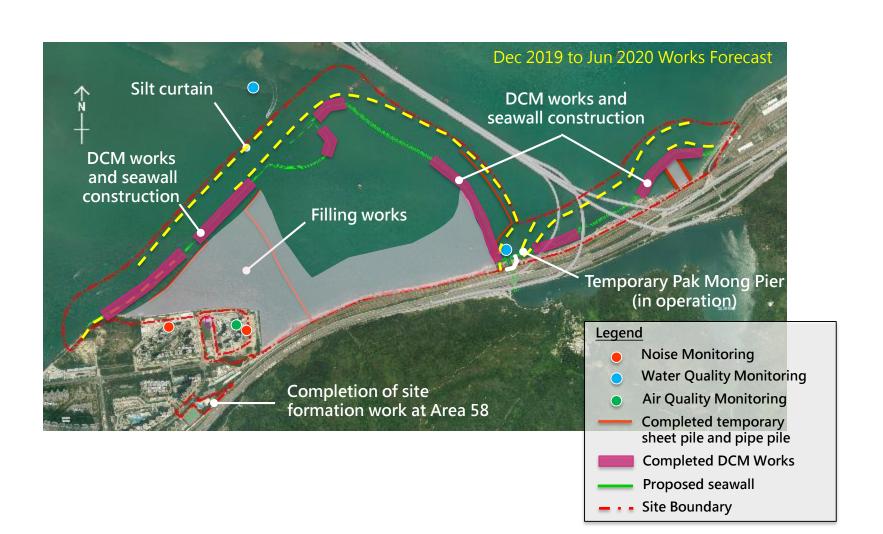
Current Project Progress





Next Six Months Works Forecast





Newsletter Issues







To take note of construction progress



4. Report of Environmental Monitoring and Audit

Dedicated Website under EP-519/2016



Website: http://env.tcnte.hk/index.html





TUNG CHUNG New Town Extension

Project Background

EIAO Documents EP Submissions Monitoring Report Reports

EM&A Data

Community Liaison Group Professional Liaison Group Vhat's New



Tung Chung New Town Extension

This dedicated website is set up in accordance with the requirements in the Environmental Permit (EP)

(EP NO. EP-519/2016) to enable user-friendly public access of information of the Tung Chung New

Town Extension and the associated environmental monitoring data.

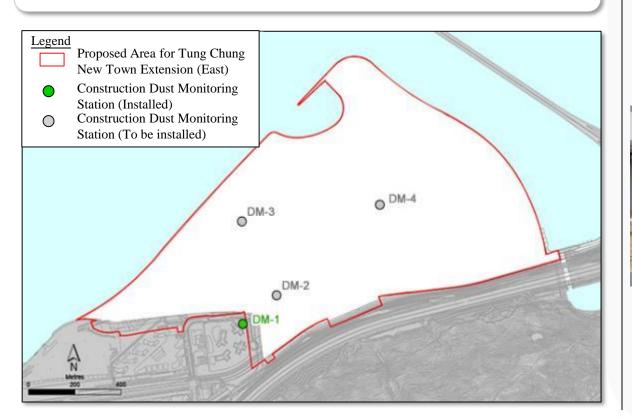
EM&A Monitoring – Air Quality



Air Quality Monitoring

Frequency Three times every six days

Monitoring Parameter 1-hour Total Suspended Particulate





Monitoring Results between Jul 2019 and Nov 2019

No project-related exceedance was recorded.

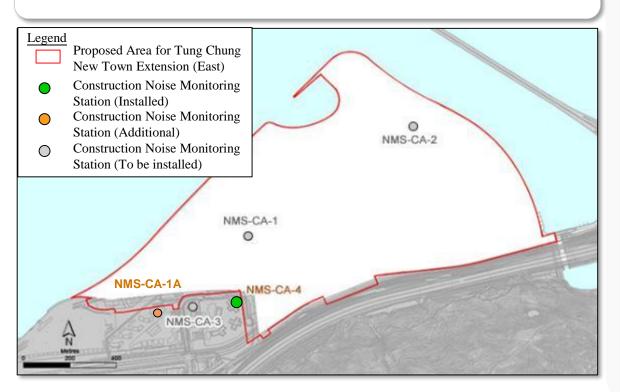


Dust monitoring near Ying Tung Estate (DM-1)

EM&A Monitoring – Noise



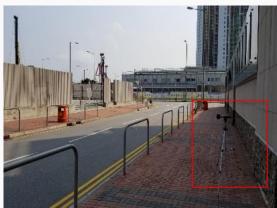
Noise Monitoring





Monitoring Results between Jul 2019 and Nov 2019

Results of noise monitoring indicated that noise levels were within acceptable level (75dBA)



Noise monitoring near Century Link (NMS-CA-1A)

EM&A Monitoring – Water Quality



Water Quality Monitoring

Frequency 3 times per week, at mid-flood & mid-ebb tides

Monitoring Parameter Dissolved Oxygen, pH Value, Salinity, Turbidity,
Suspended Solids, Temperature





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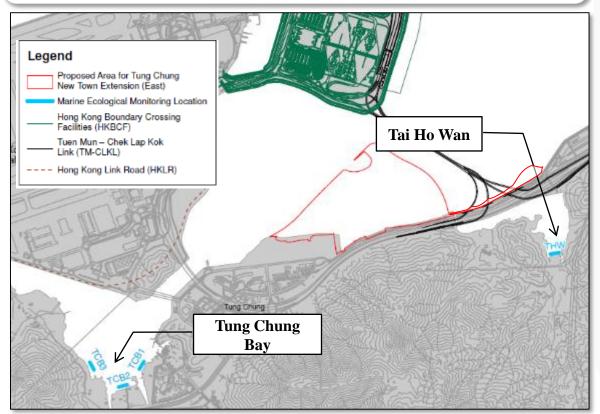
Water monitoring by ET (TCE-WQM4)

EM&A Monitoring – Ecology



Ecological Monitoring

Frequency Quarterly
Monitoring Parameter Horseshoe Crabs, Seagrass, Intertidal
Soft Shore Communities





Monitoring Results between Jul 2019 and Nov 2019

Ecological monitoring was conducted in Sep 2019.

Horseshoe crabs were found in both Tung Chung Bay and Tai Ho Wan.



Juvenile *Tachypleus tridentatus* found at Tung Chung Bay

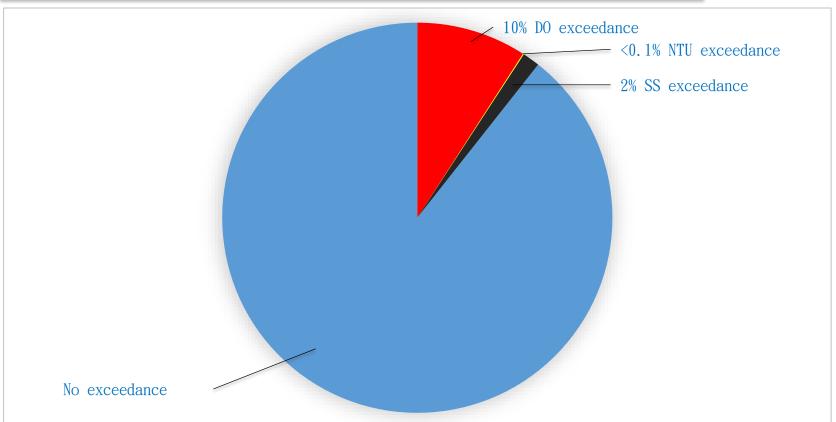
Complaint received



Date	Water	Air	Noise	Others (Light, Waste. Ecology)
Jul 18 – Dec 18	2	1	12	4
Jan 19 – Jun 19	4	4	12	2
Jul 19 – Nov 19	1	2	2	0
Categories	Sea pollutionRed tideMuddy plume	OdourDustDark smoke	 Noise from DCM Noise early at the morning 	 Light disturbance Waste from demolition of CEDD office

Exceedance Summary



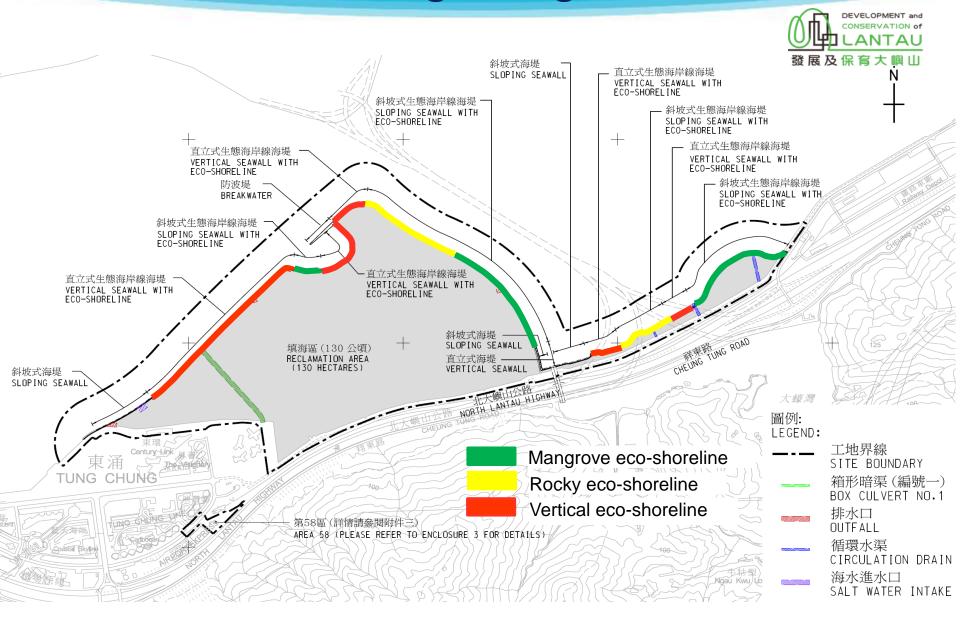


Up to Nov 2019, the majority exceedances recorded were DO exceedances. Low levels of DO were recorded during 2018 summer period. Similar trend of lower levels of DO occurred again in 2019 summer period which suggested the changes could be due to seasonal fluctuation.



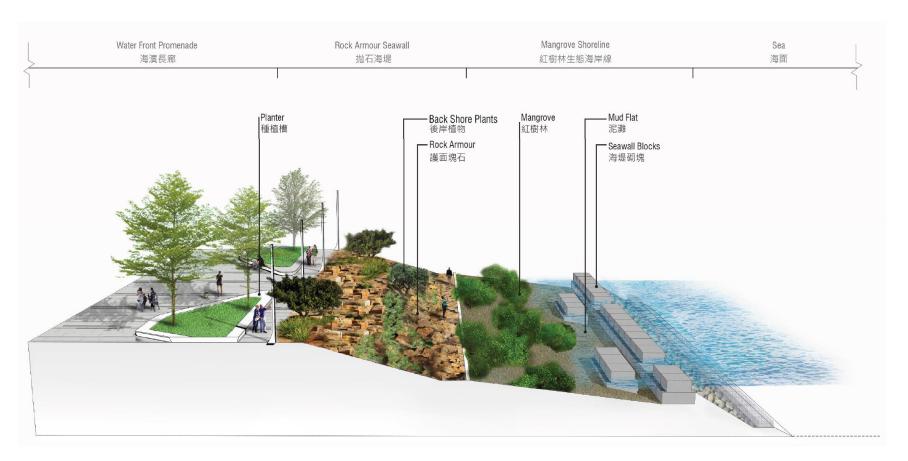
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Eco-Shoreline in Tung Chung East



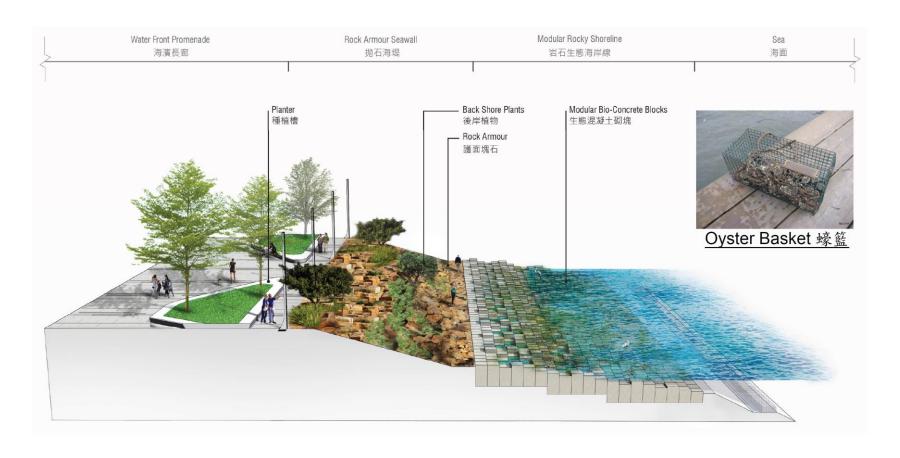
Mangrove Eco-shoreline





Rocky Eco-shoreline

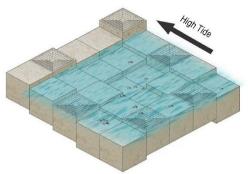


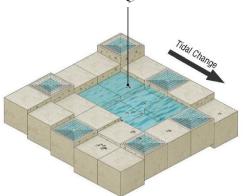


Rocky Eco-shoreline DEVELOPMENT and CONSERVATION of BIO-CONCRETE BLOCK EXPOSED AGGREGATE SURFACE. BEIGE COLOR TO MATCH ROCK ARMOUR 發展及保育大嶼山 JOINT SEALANT JDINT SEALANT ROTATED 90° CLOCKWISE FOR VISUAL CLARITY -JOINT SEALANT Surface with slight ROTATED 90° COUNTER CLOCKWISE FOR VISUAL CLARITY depression to -JOINT SEALANT retain sea water Drilled holes provide intertidal fauna refuge

Surface with slig depression to retain sea water

Drilled holes provide intertidal fauna refuge



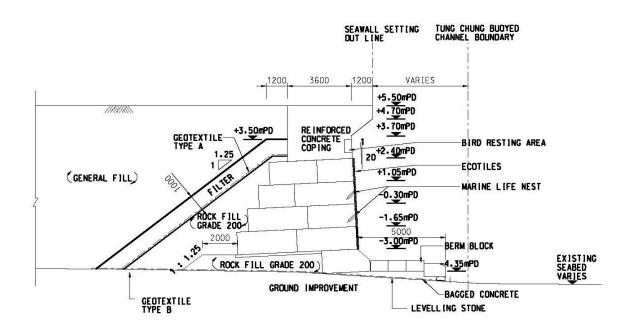


Scenario 1: Low Tide

Scenario 2: High Tide

Scenario 3: Tidal Changes
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Vertical Eco-shoreline







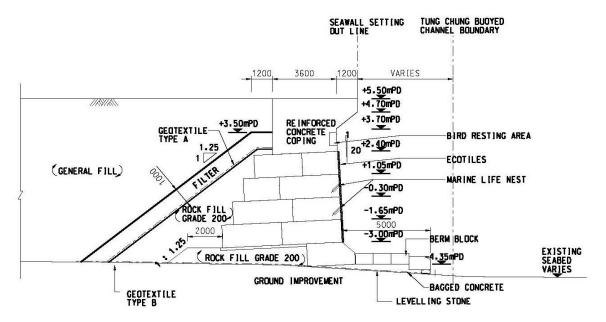
TYPICAL SECTION OF SEAWALL TYPE 2F





- Precast relief into seawall to provide microhabitats
- Drilled holes and precast cavities provide refuge for larger sub-tidal, inter-tidal and terrestrial wildlife.

Vertical Eco-shoreline





The Eco-pots shall be attached to the vertical ecoshoreline at 10m intervals with the top of the Eco-pot at +1.30mPD

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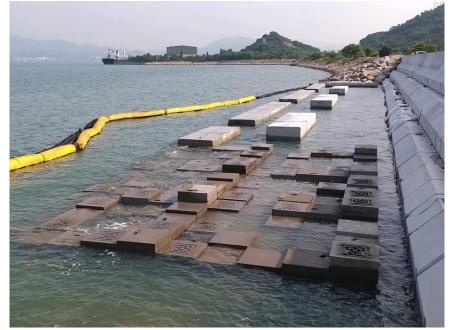


Eco-shoreline trial at Siu Ho Wan

- Modification of existing seawall
- Installation of bio-blocks
- Installation of mudflat and planting of mangroves
- Ecological monitoring until 2020







Eco-shoreline Trial – Nursery



Eco-shoreline Trial (Re-use of Marine Sediment for Soil Mix)



Re-use of Marine sediment (from Tai O)



Mixing marine sediment with public fill Π



Mangrove planted in eco-shoreline

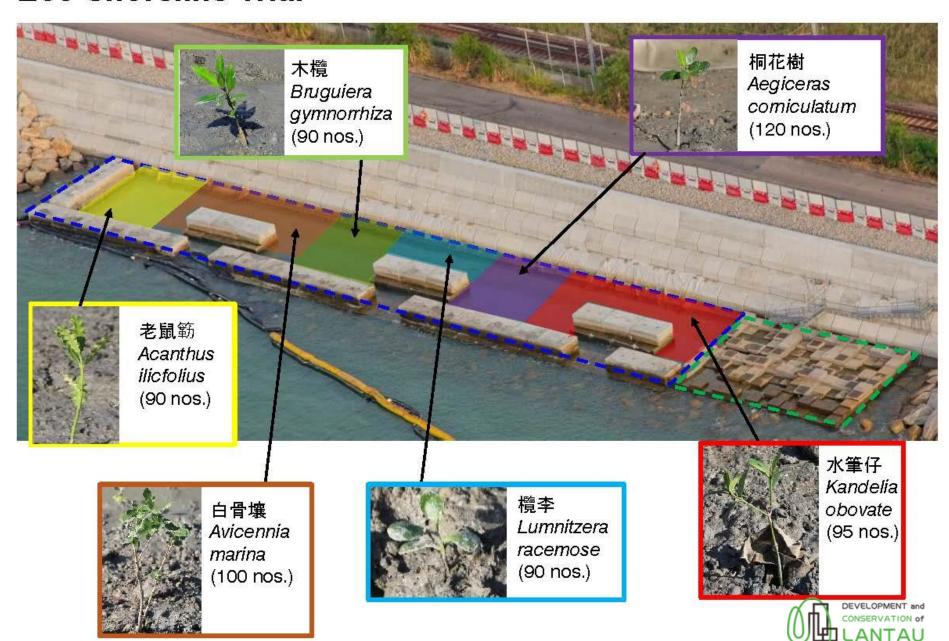




Soil-mix placed in mangrove eco-shoreline



Eco-shoreline Trial



發展及保育大嶼山



Thank you