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## EZYGUARD<sup>TM</sup> SMART Roadside Barrier TL-3 (MASH)

#### OVERVIEW

**EzyGuard Smart**<sup>™</sup> is the next generation of steel guardrail barriers featuring a smart design, rapid installation and driver confidence. **EzyGuard Smart** has been fully crash tested and evaluated according to the specifications for Test Level 3 (TL-3) of the AASHTO Manual for Assessing Safety Hardware (MASH).

Using up to 40% less steel than conventional guardrail barriers, the **EzyGuard Smart**<sup>™</sup> design features specially engineered Z-posts and **EzyGuard**<sup>™</sup> sliders.

The Z-posts are manufactured from galvanised cold rolled steel, keeping their manufacturing very simple and cost competitive with traditional barrier systems.

**EzyGuard**<sup>™</sup> sliders are used to secure the W-beam rails to the Z-posts and eliminate the requirement for blocking pieces and rail stiffening plates. This unique connection provides a soft ride-down for vehicle occupants and smooth vehicle containment and redirection.





2270kg vehicle, 100kph, 25° Re-directive impact on EZYGUARD SMART™ (TEST 3-11 MASH)



#### **FEATURES**

- Compact footprint system: only 200mm width
- Proprietary steel post allows for "Driven" installation without predrilling, accelerating installation and impact repair process
- High performing, low cost system
- Very low part count, no blockouts are required
- Patented post design allows the guardrail to dynamically adjust the rail height during impact compensating for different vehicle sizes and trajectories
- Exceptional post-impact vehicle control and behaviour
- Light system which allows for efficient handling and transport
- Compatible with standard guardrail components, many transitions available to Terminal Ends and other barrier systems



#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

- No blockout or backing piece is required between guardrail panel and steel post
- Tested to TL-3 MASH
- Dynamic Delection is 1.65m
- All components are hot dip galvanized
- Height to the top of the guardrail is 730mm
- Standard post spacing at TL-3 and is 2.0m (or 1.905m optional)
- Lenght of Need (LoN) is contained in the terminal ends, barrier in between is fully re-directive

### DEFLECTIONS

Deflections quoted on the table below are from actual crash testing and the figures published are from the test involving a 1100 kg compact vehicle impacting at 100 kph/25° and a 2270 kg pickup truck impacting at 100kph/25°.

Vehicle Weight	Post Spacing	Dynamic Deflection	Test Condition
1100 kg	2.0 m	0.99 m	3-10 MASH
2270 kg	2.0 m	1.65 m	3-11 MASH



#### SUMMARY

**EzyGuard Smart™** is a low profile TL-3 MASH Guardrail system which uses standard W-Beam. Suitable for Roadside applications and does not require the use of Blockouts.

**EzyGuard**<sup>™</sup> offers a very versatile and simplistic low parts count system, this simplifies its installation and repair process, promptly reestablishing safety in our roads, saving more lives



