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DESIGN CHARTS

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DESIGN ASSUMPTIONS

- Friction angle (PHI) for earth pressure calculations of geogrid reinforced walls is evaluated at 26°, 30° and 34° only. For other soil type analysis, refer to KeyWall® Software program or consult with a qualified engineer.
- Moist weight of three soil types indicated is 120 lb./ft^3 (19kN/m^2).
- Sliding calculations use 6" (150mm) crushed stone leveling pad as compacted foundation material.
- All backfill materials are compacted to 95% Standard Proctor density.
- The term "vertical" is a wall built to a near vertical alignment having a slight positive setback (1° ±).
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Design Notes

For low (non-structural) landscape retaining walls, Verazzo Stone can be constructed as a non-reinforced gravity wall as shown in the chart below. This chart is for retaining walls in the "near vertical" option.

Note: use pins and construction adhesive at low border/ parapet walls.

GRAVITY WALLS (MAXIMUM UNREINFORCED WALL HEIGHT)				
MAX. HEIGHT*	NEAR VERTICAL		9.5° +/- BATTER	
	Level	3H:1V	Level	3H:1V
SAND / GRAVEL PHI= 34°	2'-3" (0.7m)	1'-9" (0.55m)	3'-3" (1.0m)	2'-9" (0.85m)
SILTY SAND PHI = 30°	1'-9" (0.55m)	1'-9" (0.55m)	2'-9" (0.85m)	2'-3" (0.7m)
SILT / LEAN CLAY PHI = 26°	1'-9" (0.55m)	1'-3" (0.4m)	2'-3" (0.7m)	1'-9" (0.55m)

*Height does not include 3" cap (.076M)

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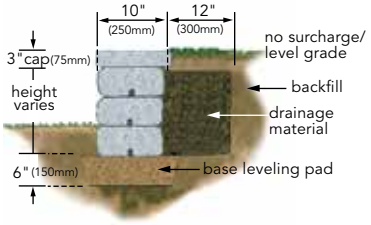

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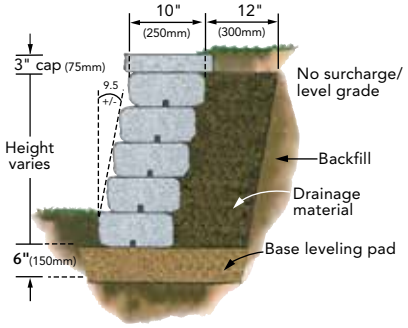

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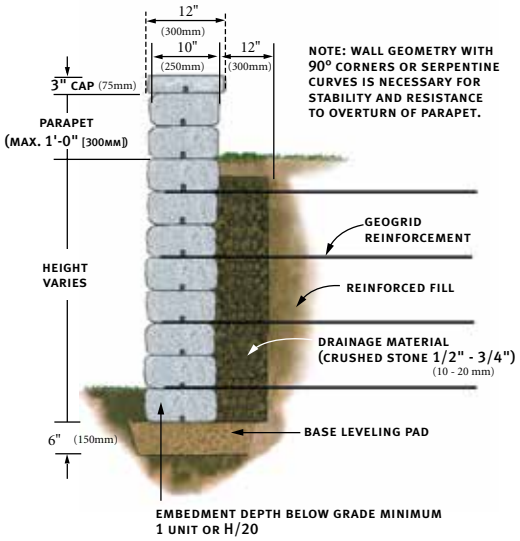

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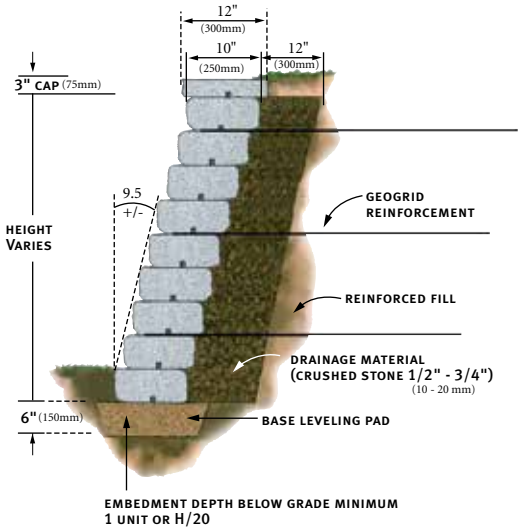

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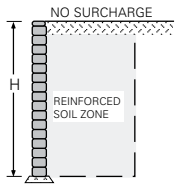

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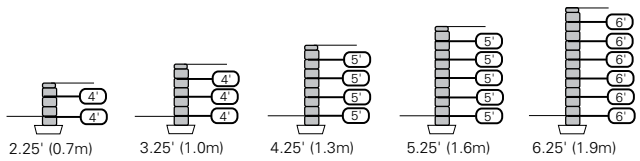

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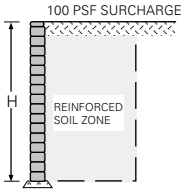

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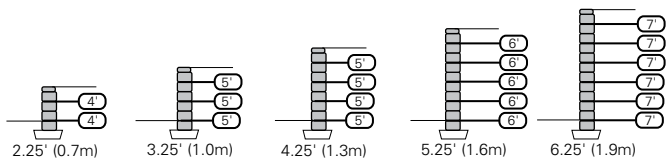

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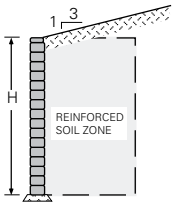

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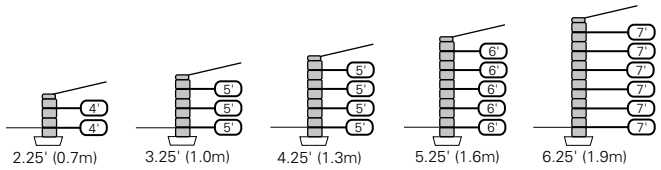

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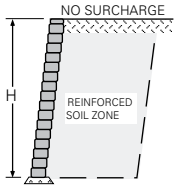

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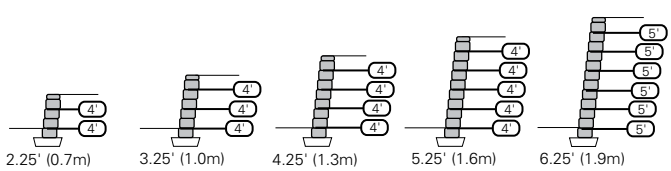

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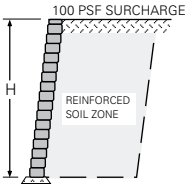

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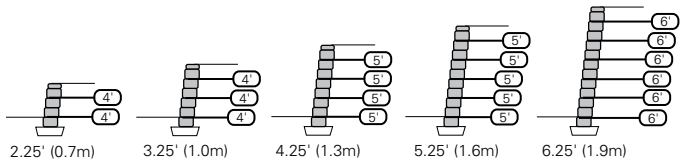

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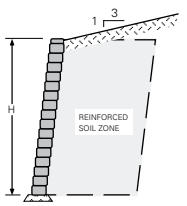

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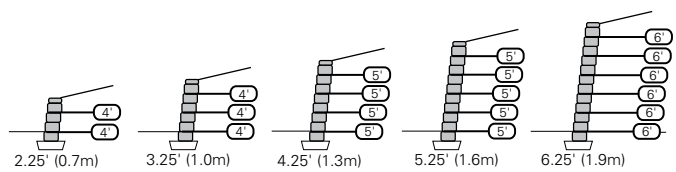

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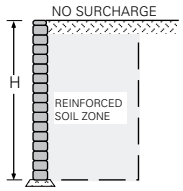

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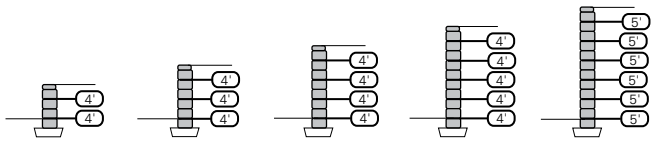

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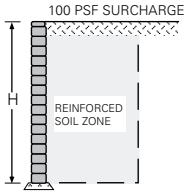

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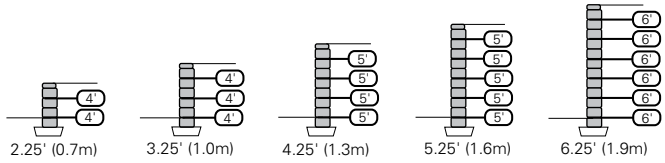

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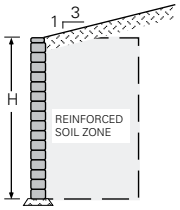

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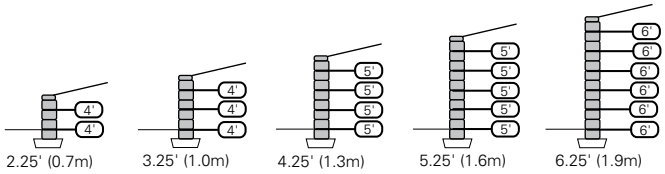

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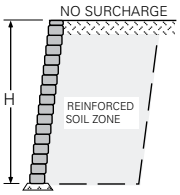

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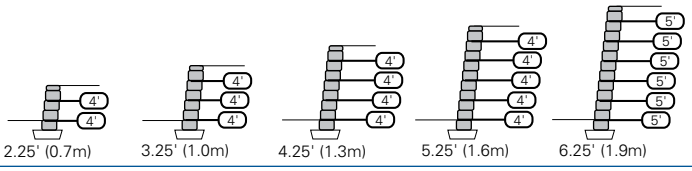

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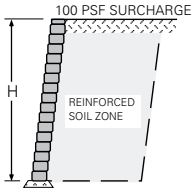

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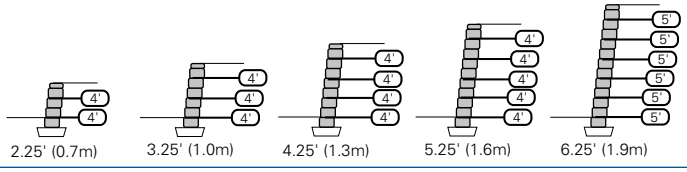

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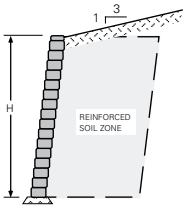

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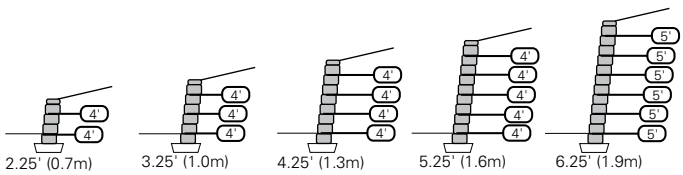

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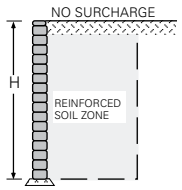

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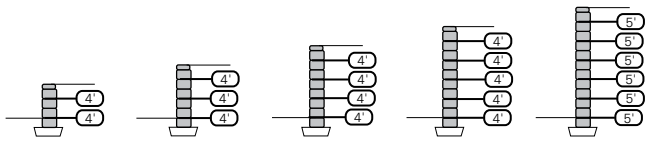

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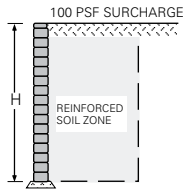

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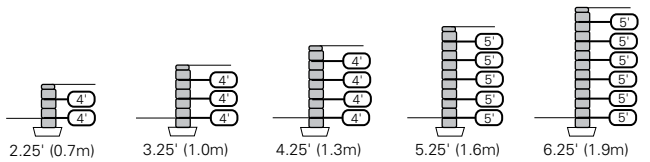

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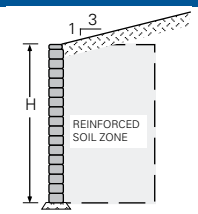

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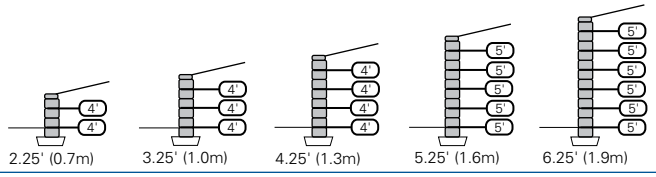

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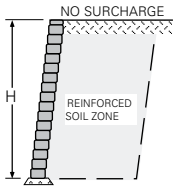

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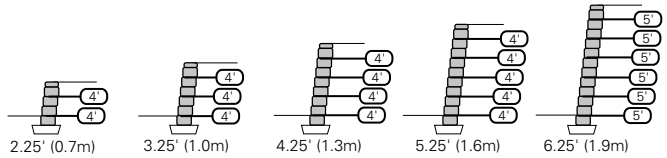

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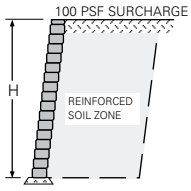

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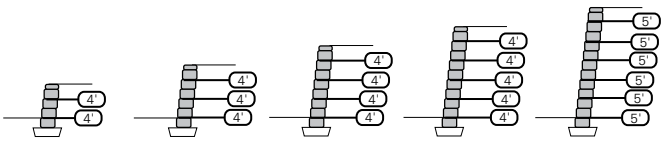

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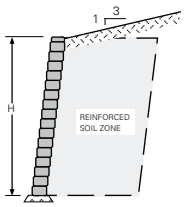

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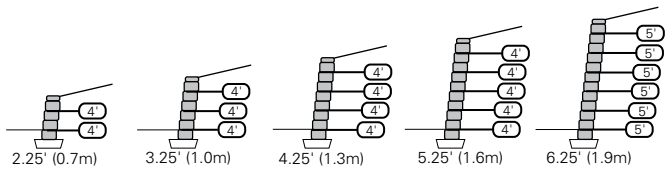

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