

FLEXIBLE · VERSATILE · LIGHTWEIGHT · DURABLE





**Introducing Railduct** System - the concrete replacement technology for installation of trackside signalling, fibre optic and telecommunications cable systems for railway and light railway projects. This system is based on forty years experience in the design and manufacture of structural foam plastic ducting and underground enclosures.

Railduct system consists of 4/6/9 way ductbank system, 200 types of underground enclosures, and 250mm profile interlocking channel. Other profiles may be added to the range. Together, these components of the **Railduct system** offer the total engineering solution for high quality, high speed, lower cost railway infrastructure installations.



## THE MANY FEATURES OF THE RAILDUCT SYSTEM INCLUDE:

Railduct weighs 14 kilos per unit, compared with a weight of over 120 kilos for concrete of similar dimensions providing faster and cheaper installation..

Railduct design, with reinforced ribbing, coupled with our structural foam moulding technology, offers components which meet load requirements of up to 60 KN. EN 124 - B125 load specifications for platform areas can be met when Railduct is fitted with a suitable cast steel or ductile cover.

Carson Industries have installed in excess of 30 million underground enclosures and 30 million metres of

ductbank in demanding U.V. and chemical environments worldwide. This 40 years of knowledge and experience has been applied to the design of the Railduct System. Components are manufactured in High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) using the unique structural foam process, giving decades of trouble free

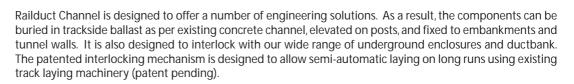
DURABILITY

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**STRENGTH** 

**COST SAVINGS/** 

**EASY TO HANDLE** 



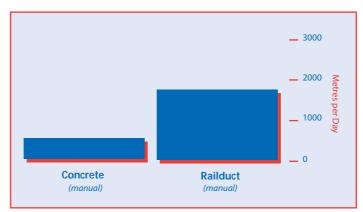
MultiDuc may be offered in up to 4-6-9 way and with a broad range of accessories. Carson Industries manufactures vaults ranging from 0.4x0.3m to 2x3m and with a multitude of heights depending on customer requirements.

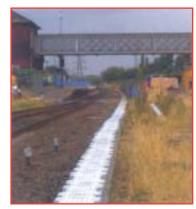
Railduct Channel can be fitted with a hinged and lockable cover, complete with tamper-proof bolt mechanism. As the interlocking mechanism between the components is buried completely during installation, Railduct cannot be disassembled by any vandals.

All of the polymer materials used in the Railduct System are 100% recyclable.

Railduct System is manufactured at Carson Industries Ltd., Roscommon, Ireland. The company holds registered firm status under I.S. EN ISO 9001: 2000.

Railduct System is designed in lightweight, high strength structural foam to allow safe handling under all E.U. Health & Safety at work requirements.







## FIVE MAN TEAM

SAFETY

Based on current installation in the UK and Europe, concrete channel when installed manually, by a team of up to five men, results in 250 to 300 metres per day being installed. In comparison the lightweight, interlocking Railduct offers up to 1200 metres per day minimum, when manually installed. Semi-Automatic installation should allow up from 1.5km to 3km per day, with the option to install cables at the same time. Security- Hinged unit may be opened, closed and locked from both sides

Water/Frost \_\_\_\_\_ escape channel

Double wall design for additional strength

Base embeds the Railduct into trackside ballast and soil Anti slip surface

Customisation with customer name and logo

Shroud prevents vertical movement and allows the unit to expand and contract in accordance with temperature change.

Recess to facilitate lid interlocking during transportation & storage

> 3 degrees of movement at each end to cater for track curves/bends.

Hook interlocking mechanism allows fast manual, semi-automatic and automatic laying of the Railduct unit.

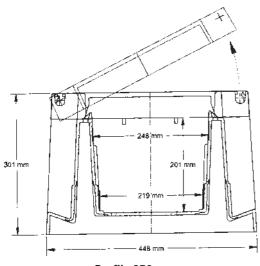
T-piece and Y-Lateral options allow cables to exit to trackside equipment.

> Interlocked Railduct channel with hinged/snap fit cover

Optional drainage channel

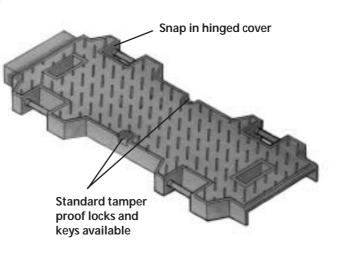
MULTIDUC 1 metre lengths in all HDPE grades. Available in 4, 6 (shown) and 9 way also.

> Underground HDPE Chamber with plastic, metal or concrete cover.



Profile 250mm

Optional channel divider and brackets available for cable management



## RAPID, SAFE AND SIMPLE INSTALLATION

Unique Hook Joint assures alignment

Light (14kg) but Tough, Easy to Handle

Minimal Civil Preparation

Double Wall - high strength/stiffness

Versatile - easy to cut and interface with other components.







## COVERS

Fast to fit and REFIT

Full interlocking - no debris ingress

Open both sides

Lockable - for greater security

Safe, slip resistant walkway - free draining surface and thread pattern



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