



Frankipile Australia Pty Ltd

CAPABILITY STATEMENT



Company Profile

Frankipile is the nation's leading piling solutions provider with a long history of projects across all states and territories of Australia. Frankipile will celebrate 100 years of existence in 2010 with a proud heritage that dates back to the founders of the piling industry.

Since its inception and introduction to Australia in 1953, Frankipile Australia also known as Franki to the construction fraternity has established an enviable reputation for the design and construction of a wide variety of cost effective and innovative foundation solutions tailored to the needs of the Australian Construction Industry.

In 1998, FRANKI became part of the KELLER GROUP, the global leader in ground engineering, and a leading international specialist in structural renovation and post tensioning systems. The Australian business today enjoys an enviable safety record and performance in the building & construction sector. Additionally it has a superior financial position and balance sheet to complete all major construction challenges

FRANKI has an extensive range of advanced solutions for all foundation problems. Not only does it have the advantage of having the most experienced and qualified engineers and supervisors in Australia, we have the added bonus of the world wide network of the Keller group for additional support if required.

FRANKI are in a position to offer all our clients a 'one-stop-shop' for all your foundation requirements by working closely with our associates from Keller Ground Engineering. Together we can cover all your ground work solutions from retaining walls to combined ground improvement techniques to structural foundation piles.

FRANKI looks forward to being part of your team in solving your ground engineering problems in a timely, effective manner and non-adversarial manner.



Supporting Australia Since 1953

**"Our people continuously
make a difference"**



**"Engineering challenges
are rewarded with
innovative solutions"**

Company Details

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Amount of cover: Material Damage \$15M Liability \$10M

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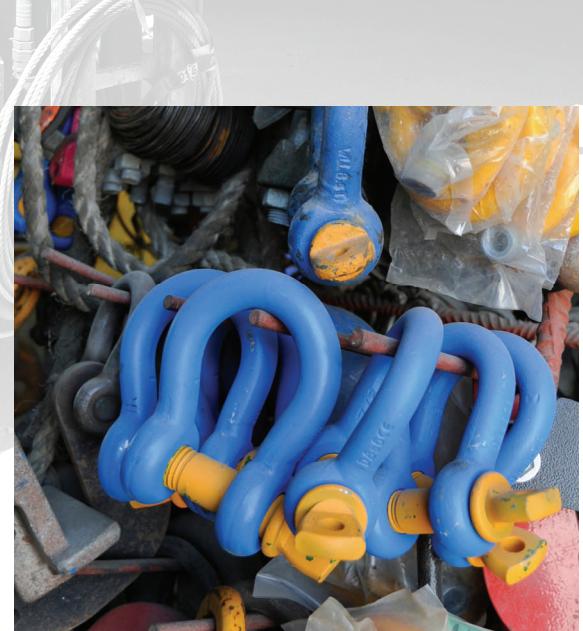


Company Capabilities

Frankipile have the ability to provide various methods of delivery for tender, design and construct, alliance and cost plus options to complete all associated ground engineering challenges.

The business has an extensive fleet of specialized major piling, drilling and associated machinery to support a well planned construction program across all regions of Australia.

Frankipile have well established facilities to carry out the manufacture of a vast range of precast concrete elements to meet different project and pile type requirements. Additionally the business has maintenance and workshop facilities to maintain the modern capital equipment fleet.



Company Capabilities

CFA PILE

The CFA Pile is a non-displacement pile used where fast vibration free installation is required in difficult ground conditions. The drilling process is suitable for penetrating dense layers and is unaffected by ground water or collapsing soil conditions.



FRANKI PILE

The traditional Franki pile is generally installed by bottom driving, highly specialised techniques such as open-ended coring, rock socketting, and composite shaft construction are used in particular situations to overcome unique site problems. It can safely withstand very high compressive and tensile forces and substantial horizontal loads



BORED PILE

Large diameter bored piles are non displacement piles which are commonly used where large vertical loads or bending moments must be carried by a single unit. Bored piles founded in rock provide an effective means of minimising foundation settlements and a small number of high capacity bored piles can often provide significant savings in pile cap costs over other, lower capacity, pile types. Being non displacement type piles, bored piles can be installed with little or no vibration, and with much lower noise levels than driven piles.



PRECAST PILE

The Franki precast pile is a high strength high capacity precast concrete pile which incorporates mechanical and compression joints, allowing piles to be spliced quickly and then driven to any required depth. Precast piles offer the geotechnical efficiency of a driven pile with the economies of a mass produced product. A rigorous quality assurance program throughout the casting, driving and testing process ensures a consistently reliable product with high strength and durability. Precast piles are most suited to ground conditions where soft upper strata overlie a hard bearing layer and in areas with clay or silt deposits.

