

Branch and Professional Stream Reports

ENGINEERING SURVEYING STREAM

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Another busy year for Engineering Surveyors as we play our part in the construction boom. The commencement of construction of the final and most significant stage of Auckland's City Rail Link has been marked as New Zealand's first urban metro link and the largest infrastructure project the country has seen with a total estimated cost of \$4.4b. The numerous cranes on the skyline and the countless orange cone on the side-line are also great visual indicators of how busy the construction industry is, and all this work needs to be accurately set-out.

The Engineering Surveying Stream has developed a strong partnership with the Positioning and Measurement Stream over the years. It continues to strengthen this year on the back of our third annual combined workshop/seminar, which again was a great success, this time in the city of Christchurch. Our relationship with Positioning and Measurement has also grown on the back of their support for our drive to continue work on the certification of Engineering Surveying Professionals.

We wish all Engineering Surveying Stream members a safe and relaxing break from the construction pressures over the Christmas period and hope the good times continue in the New Year.

