Helical Foundation Solutions Supplies (192) Helical Piles for a New Transmission Line with 220kv Capacity in Campo Lindo, Chile



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Project Name & Location:	Transmission Line - Campo Lindo, Chile
Project Date:	August 2022
Project Type:	Foundations for New Electric Transmission Towers
Helical Pile Installation Contractor:	EMIN SG
Structural Engineer:	ISOTRON
General Contractor:	AES GENER
Helical Piles Specifications:	2.875" O.D. Helical Piles with (2) & (3) Helix Configurations Depending on Soils at Each Tower Location
Soils & Embedment Depth:	Soil conditions consisted of sands with come silty sand and clay Variable embedment depth
Project Timeline:	(1.5) Months
Helical Pile Manufacturer:	Helical Anchors, Inc Minneapolis, MN

Key Benefits for Using Helical Piles on this Project Included:

- Quick installation and accessible movement between work stations/tower sites, which was a huge advantage to traditional concrete piles
- Easy quality control in the field via torque monitoring
- Easy adaptability to changes in the terrain due to permanent engineering support throughout the execution of the project
- Ability to work in poor quality soils where other types of foundations are not feasible options or are very expensive to implement









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