

The M3 motorway is the largest PPP motorway project undertaken in Ireland. Wills Bros Ltd was engaged as the specialist earthworks contractor by the main contractor for 32km (over 50%) of the project. The works consisted of site clearance, bulk excavation, construction of fill embankments, structural excavations and backfill, removal of bog and soft ground, rock excavation and processing for re-use, capping and sub base placement.

Principal quantities included 3.5 million m³ of excavation, 4.3 million m³ of filling material, 700,000m ³ of imported material, 400,000m ³ of rock excavation and 750,000m ² of lower pavement construction.



M3 Clonee to North of Kells Earthworks Subcontract

Client - Siac Ferrovial Joint Venture

Construction Period - 8th May 2007 – 8th October 2009

Value - €37 Million