Marshalls’ Drexus Pave Drain has the unique ability to provide a cost effective yet aesthetically pleasing drainage solution. A customisable top allows for the product to be suited to any environment with a choice of either concrete or natural stone.

The Pave Drain concept offers a natural stone or concrete upper section that incorporates innovative drainage slots sitting above a concrete channel allowing surface water to drain away effectively below the surface of the walkway. Drexus Pave Drain has the potential to play a game-changing role in the world of landscape architecture offering a drainage solution with the ability to complement hard landscaping and seamlessly integrate into any public space.

Marshalls’ new Drexus Pave Drain offers a unique aesthetic for linear drainage. Through our concrete expertise and heritage in natural stone we have developed a drainage solution to complement our most popular paving products including premium concrete and natural stone.

A sample service is available on request. Please call and a member of our dedicated team will be assigned to your drainage needs.

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BACKGROUND
Thistle Street is located at the heart of Scotland’s capital city in Edinburgh’s New Town. Built in stages between 1767 and 1850, retaining much of the original neo classical and Georgian period architecture, the New Town is considered to be a masterpiece of city planning. Together with the Old Town, it was designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1995.

CHALLENGE
With pedestrian safety and comfort in mind, Edinburgh City Council engineers were seeking to improve drainage around the walkways in this essentially flat area, minimising the issues of ponding and standing water to create effective channels and falls. Consideration also had to be given to the character of the city’s streets. With natural stone featuring prominently in the area, it was crucial that the drainage complemented the existing aesthetic.

SOLUTION
Marshalls’ Pave Drain, provided the perfect solution combining the performance capabilities required for a trafficked street with the visual appeal to complement the aesthetics of the traditional Edinburgh street. Utilising expertise in both concrete and natural stone, Pave Drain provides an effective combined paving and drainage solution which perfectly complements natural stone paving products, including the Scoutmoor Yorkstone installed on Thistle Street.

Available in a variety of designs and finishes, suitable for any public realm developments, the Pave Drain concept combines a natural stone open section combined with drainage slots with a concrete channel block which sits below. This allows surface water to drain away below the walkway. Pave Drain achieves a loading classification of D400, making it suitable for areas subject to vehicular traffic as well as pedestrian traffic.

BENEFIT
Dovetailing perfectly with existing hard landscaping products along Thistle Street, Marshalls Pave Drain is now playing an important role in maintaining safe and well-drained pedestrian walkways serving the shops and restaurants in this busy and popular area of Edinburgh.

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Water Management Case Study

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**IN-HOUSE DESIGN SUPPORT SERVICES**

By use of our bespoke computer software the Design Team can plan realistic and rapid solutions to your drainage needs.

**THE DESIGN TEAM WILL:**

- Work with the project team to ensure the client’s expectations are met
- Operate with either electronic (CAD) or hard copy drawings
- Assist in the selection of the most appropriate system
- Provide hydraulic data to support the adequacy of the selected system
- Provide schedule and / or separations of the components as appropriate

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**DREXUS**

Pavedrain Paving Drainage System

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