Designing Factors Worksheet

Length of Wall:
Height of Wall:
Soil Type: Is it clay, sand, or rock?
Surcharge: What will be above the wall? Is it flat? Sloped? Will there be traffic-
either pedestrian or vehicular, above it?
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Water: How does the water drain where you want to put the wall? Will there be
lawn and irrigation above the wall?
Capping: How will the wall be finished? The more complex the wall is with
curves, the more masonry cutting that will be required to fit the caps
Special Features: Will there be stairs? Terracing? Room for planting?
Diagram:

Specifications:

Depth of Trench:
Number of Blocks:
Number of Halves:
Number of Keys:
Number of Caps:
Amount of Material- Base:
Amount of Material- Behind Wall:
Geo-grid if Necessary:
Drainage Pipe: