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MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS CURLEX[®] II FIBRENET[™]

<u>Materials:</u>

Great Lakes Aspen (naturally seed free) Biodegradable Jute Netting Biodegradable Stitching Thread QuickGRASS[®] (green excelsior – optional)

Typical Roll Sizes:

Width:	4.0 ft (1.2 m)	8.0 ft (2.4 m)	16.0 ft (4.9 m)
Length:	101.25 ft (30.9 m)	101.25 ft (30.9 m)	101.25 ft (30.9 m)
Area:	45.0 yd ² (37.6 m ²)	90.0 yd ² (75.3 m ²)	180.0 yd ² (150.5 m ²)
Weight:	32.9 lb (14.9 kg)	65.7 lb (29.8 kg)	131.4 lb (59.6 kg)

Description:

Curlex II FibreNet erosion control blanket (ECB) is a natural, 100% biodegradable, stitched excelsior blanket with jute netting that provides a temporary organic cover to reduce erosion, protect seeds, enhance germination, and hasten re-vegetation. Curlex II FibreNet is furnished in rolls with polyethylene wrapping to protect against the elements prior to installation, and may be ordered in Master-Paks of fifteen rolls banded together to minimize material handling requirements. Curlex II FibreNet is also available as QuickGRASS (green pigment). Curlex II FibreNet shall be manufactured in the U.S.A.

Curlex II FibreNet has a design soil loss ratio (event-based RUSLE C factor) of .022 and is typically suitable for slopes up to 1.5H:1V. Curlex II FibreNet is rated for channel flows up to 9.0 ft/s (2.7 m/s) and 2.25 lb/ft^2 (108 Pa) shear stress.

Physical Properties:

Fiber:	Great Lakes Aspen (naturally seed free)
	Curled, interlocking fibers with barbed edges
Fiber Size:	80% of fibers a minimum of 6 in (15.2 cm) long
	0.038 in \pm 0.008 in wide x 0.018 in \pm 0.003 in thick
	$(0.97 \text{ mm} \pm 0.20 \text{ mm} \text{ wide x } 0.46 \text{ mm} \pm 0.08 \text{ mm} \text{ thick})$
Weight ^a :	$0.73 \text{ lb/yd}^2 (0.40 \text{ kg/m}^2) \pm 10\% @ 22\% \text{ Moisture}$
Thread Pattern:	No more than 4.0 in (10.2 cm) transverse stitch spacing
Net Material:	Biodegradable Jute
Net Openings:	≈ 0.5 in wide x 1.0 in long (12.7 mm x 25.4 mm)
Net Configuration:	Top and bottom

^a Weight is based on a dry fiber weight basis at time of manufacture. Baseline moisture content of Great Lakes Aspen excelsior is 22%.





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<u>MANUFACTURER'S CERTIFICATION</u> CURLEX[®] II FIBRENET[™] - Erosion Control Blanket

Manufacturer:

American Excelsior Company 831 Pioneer Avenue Rice Lake, WI 54868 1-866-9FIBERS (1-866-934-2377)

Project Information (if applicable):

Name:

Location:

Number:

Statement

We hereby certify that the above referenced material is manufactured to meet or exceed the following specification:

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Blanket Length:	-0 ft (m) + 2.0 ft (0.6 m)
Blanket Width:	-0 in (mm) + 1.0 in (25.4 mm)
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Effective Date

Note: This Certification expires, without notice, if document is updated by American Excelsior Company (AEC). Current Material Specifications and Manufacture's Certifications (MSMC) for AEC products shall be accessed from <u>www.Curlex.com</u> at all times.



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