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BINDEX[™] BLEND WT MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

Materials:

 $\approx 60\% \pm 10\%$ Natural Wood Fibers (including Curlex[®] Fibers) $\approx 40\% \pm 10\%$ Recycled Clean Paper High Grade Organic Tackifier Green Dye

Description:

Bindex Blend WT is a hydraulically applied mulch that provides an organic cover to protect seeds, enhance germination, and hasten re-vegetation when mixed with water and applied with hydraulic mulching equipment. Bindex Blend WT is a mixture of natural wood fibers (including Curlex Fibers), recycled clean paper, high grade organic tackifier, and green dye. Bindex Blend WT is available palletized in bags for applicator convenience. Bindex Blend WT shall be Manufactured in the U.S.A.

Bindex Blend WT has a design soil loss ratio (event-based RUSLE C factor) of ≤ 0.15 and is typically suitable for slopes up to 3.5:1. Bindex Blend WT improves germination by $\geq 200\%$ (ASTM D 7322).

Physical Properties:

Fiber:	Natural Wood Fibers and Recycled Clean Paper
Fiber Length:	25% or more of fibers ≥ 0.40 '' (10.2 mm) long
	50% of fibers retained on #24 sieve
Bag Gross Weight:	\approx 50.0 lb (22.7 kg)
Green Dye:	$\approx 8.0 \text{ oz} (0.227 \text{ kg})$
Tackifier:	$\approx 24.0 \text{ oz} (0.68 \text{ kg})$
Bag Volume:	10.0 ft ³ (283 L) Before Compression
	3.8 ft ³ (108 L) After Compression
Moisture Content:	$12\% \pm 3\%$
pH:	7.5 (ASTM D 778)
Organic Matter:	96.15% (ASTM D 2974)
Ash Content:	3.85% (ASTM D 2974)
Water Holding Capacity:	1,000% (ASTM D 7367)

All measurements are based on product at time of manufacture.





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MANUFACTURER'S CERTIFICATION

BINDEX[™] BLEND WT – Hydraulic Mulch

Provider:

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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7.5 (ASTM D 778)
96.15% (ASTM D 2974)
3.85% (ASTM D 2974)
1,000% (ASTM D 7367)

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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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