American Excelsior Company[®] Earth Science Division

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<u>MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS</u> CURLEX[®] I CL

Materials:

Great Lakes Aspen (naturally seed free) Polypropylene Netting 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:	150.0 ft (45.7 m)	150.0 ft (45.7 m)	150.0 ft (45.7 m)
Area:	$66.7 \text{ yd}^2 (55.7 \text{ m}^2)$	$133.3 \text{ yd}^2 (111.5 \text{ m}^2)$	$266.7 \text{ yd}^2 (223.0 \text{ m}^2)$
Weight:	36.7 lb (16.6 kg)	73.3 lb (33.3 kg)	146.7 lb (66.5 kg)

Description:

Curlex I CL erosion control blanket (ECB) is a natural, stitched excelsior blanket that provides a temporary organic cover to reduce erosion, protect seeds, enhance germination, and hasten re-vegetation. Curlex I CL 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 I CL is also available as QuickGRASS (Dyed Green). Curlex I CL shall be manufactured in the U.S.A.

Curlex I CL has a design soil loss ratio (event-based RUSLE C factor) of .039 and is typically suitable for slopes up to 2H:1V. Curlex I CL is rated for channel flows up to 5.0 ft/s (1.5 m/s) and 1.60 lb/ft² (77 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
	$0.038 \text{ in } \pm 0.008 \text{ in wide } x \ 0.018 \text{ in } \pm 0.003 \text{ in thick}$
	$(0.97 \text{ mm} \pm 0.20 \text{ mm} \text{ wide x } 0.46 \text{ mm} \pm 0.08 \text{ mm} \text{ thick})$
Weight ¹ :	$0.55 \text{ lb/yd}^2 (0.30 \text{ kg/m}^2) \pm 10\%$ @ 22% Moisture
Thread Pattern:	No more than 4.0 in (10.2 cm) transverse stitch spacing
Net Material:	Polypropylene (green with oxo-biodegrader and UV degrader
	additives or white with UV degrader additive)
Net Openings:	1.0 in wide x 2.0 in long (25.4 mm wide x 50.8 mm long)
Net Configuration:	Top side only

¹ Weight is based on a dry fiber weight basis at time of manufacture. Baseline moisture content of Great Lakes Aspen excelsior is 22%.





MANUFACTURER'S CERTIFICATION CURLEX[®] I CL - Erosion Control Blanket

Manufacturer:

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

<u>Project Information (if applicable):</u>

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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