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Earth Science Division

MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS CURLEX[®] II

Materials:

American

Excelsior

Company[®]

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:	112.5 ft (34.29 m)	112.5 ft (34.29 m)	112.5 ft (34.29 m)
Area:	$50.0 \text{ yd}^2 (41.8 \text{ m}^2)$	$100.0 \text{ yd}^2 (83.6 \text{ m}^2)$	$200.0 \text{ yd}^2 (167.2 \text{ m}^2)$
Weight:	36.5 lb (16.6 kg)	73.0 lb (33.1 kg)	146.0 lb (66.2 kg)

Description:

Curlex II 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 II 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 is also available as QuickGRASS (green pigment). Curlex II shall be manufactured in the U.S.A.

Curlex II 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 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
	$0.038 \text{ in } \pm 0.008 \text{ in wide x } 0.018 \text{ in } \pm 0.003 \text{ in thick}$
	$(0.97 \text{ mm} \pm 0.20 \text{ mm} \text{ wide x } 0.46 \text{ mm} \pm 0.08 \text{ mm} \text{ thick})$
Weight ¹ :	$0.73 \text{ lb/yd}^2 (0.40 \text{ kg/m}^2) \pm 10\% @ 22\% \text{ Moisture}$
Thread Pattern:	No more than 4.0 in (10.2 cm) transverse stitch spacing
Net Material:	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 and bottom

¹Weight 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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MANUFACTURER'S CERTIFICATION CURLEX[®] II - Erosion Control Blanket

Manufacturer:

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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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