



DRAINAGE MATERIALS PRODUCT DATA

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Geosynthetics magazine has provided information on the drainage materials specification charts for comparative purposes only. Designers should contact manufacturers for additional details and to discuss site-specific considerations.

Information on the use and specification of drainage materials is also available from the Geosynthetic Materials Association (GMA).

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Manufacturers design drainage materials such as geonets, sheet drains, pavement edge drains and prefabricated vertical drains to offer strong, performance-enhancing alternatives to traditional drainage systems.

Companies engineer geocomposite drainage systems to minimize costly conventional graded-aggregate or perforated-pipe subsurface drainage systems. Geonets, sheet drains, pavement edge drains and prefabricated vertical drains (PVD) have reached acceptance as state-of-the-practice because they provide sufficient in-place drainage and offer reduced material cost, installation time and design complexity over traditional systems.

The selection and design criteria for this category of products are generally simple. However, because of the numerous applications for subsurface drainage systems and varying performance parameters, designers must pay careful attention to the product-performance parameters applicable to a particular subsurface drainage application.

New drainage products are being developed rapidly. Though other products are available, the following charts are separated into four general use categories.

The numbers

Companies that submitted product data chart lines were asked to provide data determined through industry-accepted testing methods. Companies were asked to sign a certificate of compliance verifying the accuracy of this data.

Product Name	Structure [1]	Core/Net/Mesh Polymer Composition [2]	Geotextile Attached (Y/N) [3]	Width/Length m (ft)	Core/Net/Mesh [4] Thickness ASTM D5199 mm (mil)	Compressive Strength ASTM D6364 kPa (psi)/% deflection at yield*	Transmissivity ASTM D4716-87 [5]	
							Gradient = 0.1 Pressure = 10kPa 209 lb/ft ²	Gradient = 1.0 Pressure = 479kPa 10,000 lb/ft ²
							m ² /s (gal/min/ft)	m ² /s (gal/min/ft)
AFITEX-Textel Geosynthetics Inc. www.draintube.net								
DRAINTUBE ST4 D25	O/C	PP	Y nonwoven needle-punched 4 to 16 oz	3.98 (13.1)/75 (246)	Pipes 1" diam. on 10" centers	NA	4.0 x 10 ⁻³ (19.32) [A]	NP
DRAINTUBE ST2 D25	O/C	PP	Y nonwoven needle-punched 4 to 16 oz	3.98 (13.1)/75 (246)	Pipes 1" diam. on 20" centers	NA	2.0 x 10 ⁻³ (9.66) [A]	NP
DRAINTUBE ST1 D25	O/C	PP	Y nonwoven needle-punched 4 to 16 oz	3.98 (13.1)/75 (246)	Pipes 1" diam. on 40" centers	NA	1.0 x 10 ⁻³ (4.83) [A]	NP
DRAINTUBE ST1 D20	O/C	PP	Y nonwoven needle-punched 4 to 16 oz	3.98 (13.1)/75 (246)	Pipes 3/4" diam. on 40" centers	NA	5.0 x 10 ⁻⁴ (2.42) [A]	NP

[A] Gradient 0.1; Between sealed sand and geomembrane; Seating Time 100 hours; Pressure 50,000 psf

Product Name	Structure [1]	Core/Net/Mesh Polymer and/or Composition [2]	Geotextile Type W or NW	Dimensional Properties		Compressive Strength ASTM D6364 kPa (psi)/% deflection at yield*	Transmissivity [5] ASTM D4716	
				Width/Length m (ft)	Core/Net/Mesh Thickness ASTM D5199 mm (mil)		Gradient = 0.1 Pressure = 37.9 kPa (5 psi)	Gradient = 1.0 Pressure = 100 kPa (14.5 psi)
							m ² /sec-m (gal/min/ft)	m ² /sec-m (gal/min/ft)
Drainage Products Inc. www.drainaway.com								
Drain Away Panel	DCC	HIPS	NW	0.6-1.5/3-6 (2-5/10-20)	15.8 (620)	239 (35)	0.001 (5)	0.002 (10)

- [1] GN = Geonet
O/C = Other or combination
- [2] HDPE = High Density polyethylene
PP = Polypropylene
NP = Not provided by manufacturer
- [3] If "Y", specify woven or nonwoven.
- [4] Thickness includes attached geotextile, when applicable
- [5] Seating time is 15 min. and flat-plate environment.

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◆ Specification Change— this specification (D1621) changed in the 2017 Specifier's Guide.
From: **Compressive Strength at yield ASTM D1621 kPa (psi)**
To: **Compressive Strength at yield per ASTM D6364 units kPa (psi)**

Product Name	Structure [1]	Core/Net/Mesh Polymer Composition [2]	Geotextile Attached (Y/N) [3]	Width/Length m (ft)	Core/Net/Mesh [4] Thickness ASTM D5199 mm (mil)	Compressive Strength ASTM D6364 kPa (psi)/% deflection at yield*	Transmissivity ASTM D4716-87 [5]	
							Gradient = 0.1 Pressure = 10kPa 209 lb/ft ²	Gradient = 1.0 Pressure = 479kPa 10,000 lb/ft ²
							m ² /s (gal/min/ft)	m ² /s (gal/min/ft)
AGRU America Inc. www.agruamerica.com								
Agru GeoNet® 200	GN	PE	N	4.42/91.44 (14.5 x 300)	5.1 (200)	NP	NP	2 x 10 ⁻⁰³ (9.66)
Agru GeoNet® 55 200	O/C	PP/PE	Y, nonwoven	4.42 (14.5') x various	5.1 (200)	NP	NP	1 x 10 ⁻⁰³ (4.8)
Agru GeoNet® DS 200	O/C	PP/PE/PP	Y, nonwoven	4.42 (14.5') x various	5.1 (200)	NP	NP	1 x 10 ⁻⁰⁴ (0.5)
Agru GeoNet® 250	GN	PE	N	4.42/91.44 (14.5 x 300)	6.35 (250)	NP	NP	3 x 10 ⁻⁰³ (14.49)
Agru GeoNet® DS 250	O/C	PP/PE/PP	Y, nonwoven	4.42 (14.5') x various	6.35 (250)	NP	NP	5 x 10 ⁻⁰⁴ (2.4)
Agru GeoNet® 300	GN	PE	N	4.42/91.44 (14.5 x 300)	7.6 (300)	NP	NP	8 x 10 ⁻⁰³ (38.64)
Agru GeoNet® DS 300	O/C	PP/PE/PP	Y, nonwoven	4.42 (14.5') x various	7.6 (300)	NP	NP	9 x 10 ⁻⁰⁴ (4.3)
Layfield Environmental Containment www.layfieldgroup.com								
Hydranet 220-2-6	Biplanar GN	PE/PP	Y	4.42 x 91.44 (14.5 x 300)	NP	NP	NP	1 x 10 ⁻⁴
Hydranet TRI 300-2-6	Triplanar GN	PE/PP	Y	4.42 x 64 (14.5 x 210)	NP	NP	NP	3 x 10 ⁻³
SKAPS Industries www.skaps.com								
TN 220	GN	PE	N	4.42/91.44 (14.5/300)	5	NP	5.0 x 10 ⁻³ (2.415)	1 x 10 ⁻³ (4.83)
TN 220 D/L 6,8	O/C	PP/PE/PP	Y (NW)	4.42/varies (14.5/varies)	5	NP	3.0 x 10 ⁻⁴ (1.45)	1 x 10 ⁻⁴ (0.483)
TN 270 D/L 6,8	O/C	PP/PE/PP	Y (NW)	4.42/varies (14.5/varies)	6.35	NP	9 x 10 ⁻⁴ (4.347)	5 x 10 ⁻⁴ (2.415)
TN 330 D/L 6,8	O/C	PP/PE/PP	Y (NW)	4.42/varies (14.5/varies)	7.62	NP	2.0 x 10 ⁻³ (9.66)	9 x 10 ⁻⁴ (4.347)
Solmax International Inc. www.solmax.com								
Solmax FabriNet® Series Geocomposite	O/C	PP/PE/PP	Y, nonwoven	4.5 (15) / 57.9 (190)	7.6 (300)	NP	2 x 10 ⁻³ (10)	5 x 10 ⁻⁴ (2)
Note: Geonets and Geocomposites are available in multiple structures and thicknesses. [A] 1000 lb/ft ² Pressure, sand boundary, seating time 100hr [B] gradient 0.1, seating time 100 hr [C] Air Transmissivity, 3.0 gradient, 1,000 lb/ft ² [D] gradient=0.02, 15,000 lb/ft ² Pressure [E] sand boundary, and a seating time of 1 hr [F] gradient=0.02, 1,000 lb/ft ² Pressure								
TechFab India www.techfabindia.com								
TDC75130 (3D/ Triplanar)	Extruded	PE	Y	3.80 (12.4)	7.6 (300)	950 (138)	NP	0.003 (14.5)

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Product Name	Core Structure [1]	Core Polymer [2]	Geotextile Filter		Dimensional Properties		Composite Wide With Tensile ASTM D4595 [4] kN/m	Discharge Capacity Gradient = 1.0 ASTM D4716 [5]	
			Polymer [2]	Type [3]	Width/Length m (ft)	Composite Thickness ASTM D5199 mm (mil)		Confining Stress	
								10 kPa m ³ /s	300 kPa m ³ /s
TechFab India www.techfabindia.com									
TD3540T	Corrugated/ Fish Bone	PP	PP/PET	NP	0.1 (0.32)	4.0 (157)	2.5	NP	100 X 10 ⁻⁶

[1] SDC = Single dimpled core
 CC = Channel core
 EM = Entangled mesh

[2] PE = Polyethylene
 PP = Polypropylene
 PET = Polyester

[3] NWNP = Nonwoven needle punch
 NW = Nonwoven
 O/C = Other or combination

[4] Test performed on composite and not just the core

[5] Flat plates

[A] Test modified as follows: $i=0.1$,
 confirming stress=350 kPa, PVD within
 sand-bentonite soil layer, between flat plates.

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