

Specification Sheet

**PC42** 

The PC42 turf reinforcement matting from ErosionControlBlanket.com is manufactured from a composition of 67% polypropylene fiber and 33% coconut fiber stitched between a black UV stabilized polypropylene top net with a mesh size of  $1.34 \times 1.27$  cm ( $0.53 \times 0.5$  in) and a black UV stabilized polypropylene bottom net with a mesh size of  $1.59 \times 1.59$  cm ( $0.626 \times 0.626$  in). The "PC" and "4" represent the polypropylene and coconut fiber applied

at a minimum of 400 g/m<sup>2</sup> (0.75 lbs/yd<sup>2</sup>) and the "2" represents that the mat is netted on the top and bottom sides. The PC42 is a permanent turf reinforcement mat. The mat is sewn together on 38.1 mm (1.5 in) centers, with UV

stabilized polypropylene black thread. Each roll of PC42 is packaged in clear shrink-wrap with a blue band and includes installation instructions.

Index Test Results From Bench & Large Scale Testing (TRI Environmental Labs or NTPEP)

Test Method – Description	Parameters	Test Result
ASTM D6475 – Mass per Unit Area	Index Test	12 oz/sq. yd.
ASTM D4355 – UV Stability	Index Test	86% at 500 hours
ASTM D6818 – Tensile Strength		
Machine Direction (MD)	Index Test	38.0 lb/in @ 25.3%
Transverse/Cross Direction (TD)	Index Test	18.8 lb/in @ 23.1%
ASTM D6525 – Thickness	Index Test	0.390 in
ASTM D6567 – Ground Cover/Light Penetration	Index Test	79.7%/20.3%
ASTM D6460 – Unvegetated Large-Scale Channel	Large Scale Test	3.15 psf
Shear Stress		
ECTC Method 3 – Determination of Unvegetated RECP	Regression (power curve)	3.3 psf @ 1/2 in soil loss
Ability to Protect Soil from Hydraulically-Induced Shear		
Stresses Under Bench-Scale Conditions - ASTM D7207		

## **Design Values**

- C Factor .036
- Unvegetated Maximum Permissible Shear Stress = 3.2 lbs/ft<sup>2</sup> (153.2 Pa)
- Vegetated Maximum Permissible Shear Stress = 13.8 lbs/ft<sup>2</sup> (660.7 Pa)
- Maximum Flow Velocity Unvegetated = 11.9 ft/s (3.62m/s)
- Maximum Flow Velocity Vegetated = 16.9 ft/s (5.15 m/s)

## Standard Roll Details

Width	2.44m (8ft)	4.88m (16ft)
Standard Length Area	25.7m (84.3ft) 62.7m <sup>2</sup> (75yd <sup>2</sup> )	25.7m (84.3ft) 125.4m <sup>2</sup> (150yd <sup>2</sup> )
Weight ±10%	28kg (61lb)	56kg (122lb)

## **Highway Roll Details**

Width	2.44m (8ft)	4.88m (16ft)
Standard Length	102.8m (337.5ft)	102.8m (337.5ft)
Area	250.8m <sup>2</sup> (300yd <sup>2</sup> )	500m <sup>2</sup> (600yd <sup>2</sup> )
Weight ±10%	112kg (244 lb)	224kg (488 lb)

