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## Material and Performance Specification

### ECSC-2B™ Double Net Straw/Coconut Biodegradable Rolled Erosion Control Product

#### Description:

The ECSC-2B™ is made with uniformly distributed 70% agricultural straw, 30% coconut fiber and two organic jute nets securely sewn together with biodegradable thread. The tightly compressed blankets are wrapped and include a product label, code and installation guide. The blankets are palletized for easy transportation. The ECSC-2B™ has functional longevity of approximately 18 months, but will vary depending on soil and climatic conditions, and is suitable for slopes 2:1 to 1:1 and low to medium flow channels. The ECSC-2B™ meets Type 3.B specification requirements established by the Erosion Control Technology Council (ECTC) and Federal Highway Administration's (FHWA) FP-03 Section 713.17.

|                |           |             |
|----------------|-----------|-------------|
| <b>Matrix:</b> | <b>1</b>  | <b>2</b>    |
|                | 70% Straw | 30% Coconut |

|                 |                                 |                  |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Netting:</b> | <b>Type</b>                     | <b>Net Color</b> |
|                 | Top: Organic Leno Weave Jute    | Natural          |
|                 | Middle: None                    |                  |
|                 | Bottom: Organic Leno Weave Jute |                  |

|                     |             |               |               |
|---------------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Net Opening:</b> | <b>Top</b>  | <b>Middle</b> | <b>Bottom</b> |
|                     | 0.5" x 1.0" |               | 0.5" x 1.0"   |

|                |                      |              |
|----------------|----------------------|--------------|
| <b>Thread:</b> | <b>Type</b>          | <b>Color</b> |
|                | Biodegradable Thread | Natural      |

|                    |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                      |
|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Roll Sizes:</b> | <b>Standard</b>     |                     | <b>"A" Size</b>     |                     | <b>Mega</b>         |                      |
| Width:             | 8 ft                | 2.4 m               | 4 ft                | 1.2 m               | 16 ft               | 4.9 m                |
| Length:            | 112.5 ft            | 34.3 m              | 225 ft              | 68.6 m              | 112.5 ft            | 34.3 m               |
| Weight*:           | 60 lbs              | 27.2 kg             | 60 lbs              | 27.2 kg             | 120 lbs             | 54.4 kg              |
| Area:              | 100 yd <sup>2</sup> | 83.6 m <sup>2</sup> | 100 yd <sup>2</sup> | 83.6 m <sup>2</sup> | 200 yd <sup>2</sup> | 167.2 m <sup>2</sup> |
| #/Pallet:          | 20                  |                     | 6                   |                     | 20                  |                      |

\*Weight at time of manufacturing.

#### Index Value Properties\*:

| Property                   | Test Method | Typical                 |                        |
|----------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Mass/Unit Area             | ASTM D6475  | 9.00 oz/yd <sup>2</sup> | 305.1 g/m <sup>2</sup> |
| Thickness                  | ASTM D6525  | 0.28 in                 | 7.11 mm                |
| Tensile Strength-MD        | ASTM D6818  | 204 lb/ft               | 2.98 kN/m              |
| Elongation-MD              | ASTM D6818  | 14 %                    |                        |
| Tensile Strength-TD        | ASTM D6818  | 134 lb/ft               | 1.96 kN/m              |
| Elongation-TD              | ASTM D6818  | 16.3 %                  |                        |
| Light Penetration          | ASTM D6567  | 12 %                    |                        |
| Density / Specific Gravity | ASTM D792   | N/A                     | g/cm <sup>3</sup>      |
| Water Absorption           | ASTM D1117  | 361 %                   |                        |

\*May differ depending upon raw material variations

#### Bench-Scale Testing\* (NTPEP\*\*\*):

| Test Method                    | Parameters                          | Results                 |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|
|                                | 50mm (2in) / hr-30 min              | SLR**=11.89             |
| ECTC Method 2 Rainfall         | 100mm (4in) / hr-30 min             | SLR**=13.60             |
|                                | 150mm (6in) / hr-30 min             | SLR**=15.50             |
| ECTC Method 3 Shear Resistance | Shear at .50 in soil loss           | 2.46 lb/ft <sup>2</sup> |
| ECTC Method 4 Germination      | Top soil; Fescue; 21 day incubation | 671 %                   |

\*Bench scale tests should not be used for design purposes.  
 \*\*Soil Loss Ratio=Soil Loss Bare Soil/Soil Loss with RECP=1/C-Factor  
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#### Slope Performance Design Values\*:

| Property                | Test Method | Value   |       |
|-------------------------|-------------|---------|-------|
| <b>C-Factors</b>        | ASTM D6459  | 0.06    |       |
| <b>Slope Length (L)</b> | ≤ 3:1       | 3:1-2:1 | ≥ 2:1 |
| < 50 ft (15 m)          | 0.055       | 0.070   | 0.122 |
| 50 ft – 100 ft          | 0.073       | 0.101   | 0.167 |
| >100 ft (30 m)          | 0.122       | 0.132   | 0.212 |

\*Large-Scale Results obtained by 3<sup>rd</sup> Party GAI Accredited Independent Laboratory

#### Channel Performance Design Values\*:

| Property                               | Test Method | Value |                     |          |
|--|-------------|-------|---------------------|----------|
| Unvegetated Shear Stress               | ASTM D 6460 | 2.00  | lbs/ft <sup>2</sup> | 95.76 Pa |
| Unvegetated Velocity                   | ASTM D 6460 | 8.0   | ft/s                | 2.44 m/s |
| Vegetated Shear Stress                 | NA          | N/A   | lbs/ft <sup>2</sup> | N/A Pa   |
| Vegetated Velocity                     | NA          | N/A   | ft/s                | N/A m/s  |
| Manning's N (Value Represents a Range) |             | 0.029 |                     |          |

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