

# MATERIAL PROPERTY DATA SHEET



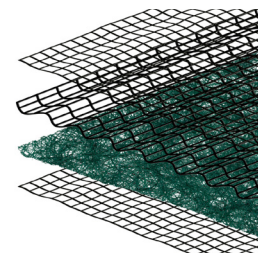
## VMax® P550™

Permanent • Triple Net • Synthetic Fiber Matrix •  
Turf Reinforcement Mat

### DESCRIPTION

P550 Turf Reinforcement Mat (TRM) is composed of 100% synthetic fibers mechanically (stitch) bound between a three-dimensional UV stabilized, heavy duty synthetic net structure. Stitching is secured on two-inch centers using UV stabilized, synthetic thread. P550 is a permanent, three-dimensional TRM that provides immediate erosion protection and long-term turf reinforcement and is intended for applications requiring erosion protection for greater than thirty-six months.

Each roll of P550 is made in the USA and manufactured under Western Green's Quality Assurance Program to ensure a continuous distribution of fibers and consistent thickness.



Material Content	
Matrix	Synthetic
Netting	Top Net: Heavyweight, UV stable
	Middle Net: Corrugated Ultra-Heavyweight, UV stable
	Bottom Net: Heavyweight, UV stable
Thread	Synthetic, UV Stable

Standard Roll Sizes				
Width	8 ft	(2.4 m)	6.5 ft	(2.0 m)
Length	67.5 ft	(20.5 m)	55.5 ft	(17.0 m)
Weight ± 10%	78 lb	(36.0 kg)	52 lb	(24.0 kg)
Area	60 sy	(50.1 m <sup>2</sup> )	40 sy	(33.4 m <sup>2</sup> )

Material available in custom roll sizes

Approvals & Classification	
Classification	FHWA: Type 5.C / ECTC: 5.D
TTI Approvals	Class 2 Type H
NTPEP Number	ECP-2019-03-012

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Index Property	Test Method	Typical	
Thickness	ASTM D6525	0.63 in.	(16 mm)
Mass/Unit Area	ASTM D6566	21.0 oz/sy	(700 g/sm)
Tensile Strength – MD	ASTM D6818	1,000 lbs/ft	(14.6 kN/m)
Tensile Strength – TD	ASTM D6818	1,000 lbs/ft	(14.6 kN/m)
Elongation - MD	ASTM D6818	25%	
Elongation – TD	ASTM D6818	20%	
UV Stability	ASTM D4355	90% @1000 hr	
Light Penetration	ASTM D6567	10%	
Biomass Improvement	ASTM D7322	400%	
Specific Gravity	ASTM D792	57.4 lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	(0.92 g/cm <sup>3</sup> )
Porosity	ECTC	95%	

Design Parameters		
Property	Unvegetated	Vegetated <sup>3</sup>
RUSLE C Factor <sup>2</sup>	0.03	N/A
Slope Maximum Gradient <sup>1</sup>	0.5H:1V	0.5H:1V
Permissible Shear Stress <sup>2</sup>	3.3 psf (160 Pa)	14.0 psf (670 Pa)
Permissible Velocity <sup>2</sup>	12.0 fps (3.7 m/s)	20.0 fps (6.1 m/s)
$\tau_{veg} / \tau_{TRM}$ (HEC-15)	N/A	0.55

Manning's n Roughness (HEC-15)		
$\tau_{lower}$	$\tau_{mid}$	$\tau_{upper}$
0.040	0.031	0.027

1 Maximum Gradient a recommendation for typical installations.

2 Hydraulic thresholds compliant with ASTM D6459/D6460 but generalized for typical applications.

3 Vegetated values dependent on established stand of vegetation



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Ditch Checks

- Triangle Silt Dike
- GeoRidge

Perimeter Protection

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- Safety Fence

Flocculants & Water Treatment

- Polymer-Based & Natural Flocculants

Sediment Basin Skimmers

Dewatering Bags

Trackout Control

- FODS
- Rumble Grates

Turbidity Curtains

### EROSION CONTROL

Basic Hydraulically Applied Mulches

- Wood
- Paper
- Blends
- Straw

High-Performance Hydraulically

Applied Products

- BFM
- FGM
- Additives & Tackifiers

Temporary Erosion Control Blankets

- Coir & Jute Mat/Nettings
- Short-Term ECBs
- Extended-Term ECBs

Permanent Erosion Control Blankets

- Turf Reinforcement Mats
- HP-TRMs
- Anchor Reinforced Vegetation System

Structural BMPs

- Transition Mats
- Geoweb Cellular Confinement
- Composite Vegetated Armor System
- Flex MSE Vegetated Wall System
- Articulated Concrete Block
- Gabions
- Grout-Filled Geotextile Mats

Vegetation Establishment

- Native Seed & Turf Seed
- Fertilizers
- Organic Soil Additives
- Stratavault Soil Cells

### STORMWATER MANAGEMENT

Water Quality

- Inlet Filter Boxes
- Pre-Treatment Chamber
- Nutrient Separating Baffle Boxes
- High-Flow Biofiltration Media
- Hydrodynamic Separators
- Stratavault

Water Quantity

- Modular Underground Storage Systems
- Chamber Detention Systems

Drainage

- HDPE Swale Liner
- Pipe & Fittings
- Drainage Composites
- Strip Drain

Inlet Structures

- PVC
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