

**Part 1            General**

**1.1                RELATED REQUIREMENTS**

- .1        Section 01 33 00 – Submittal procedures

**1.2                REFERENCE STANDARDS**

- .1        ASTM International
  - .1        ASTM D4491-99a (2009), Standard Test Methods for Water Permeability of Geotextiles by Permittivity.
  - .2        ASTM D4595-09, Standard Test Method for Tensile Properties of Geotextiles by the Wide-Width Strip Method.
  - .3        ASTM D4716-08, Standard Test Method for Determining the (In-Plane) Flow Rate Per Unit Width and Hydraulic Transmissivity of a Geosynthetic Using a Constant Head.
  - .4        ASTM D4751-04, Standard Test Method for Determining Apparent Opening Size of a Geotextile.
- .2        Canadian General Standards Board (CGSB)
  - .1        CAN/CGSB-4.2 No. 11.2-2004, Textile Test Methods - Bursting Strength - Ball Burst Test (Extension of September 1989).
  - .2        CAN/CGSB-148.1, Methods of Testing Geotextiles and Complete Geomembranes.
    - .1        No.2-M85, Methods of Testing Geosynthetics - Mass per Unit Area.
    - .2        No.3-M85, Methods of Testing Geosynthetics - Thickness of Geotextiles.
    - .3        No.6.1-93, Methods of Testing Geotextiles and Geomembranes - Bursting Strength of Geotextiles under No Compressive Load.
    - .4        No.7.3-92, Methods of Testing Geotextiles and Geomembranes - Grab Tensile Test for Geotextiles.
    - .5        No. 10-94, Methods of Testing Geosynthetics - Geotextiles - Filtration Opening Size.

**1.3                ACTION AND INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS**

- .1        Provide in accordance with Section 01 33 00 - Submittal Procedures.
- .2        Product Data:
  - .1        Provide manufacturer's instructions, printed product literature and data sheets for geotextiles and include product characteristics, performance criteria, physical size, finish and limitations.

**1.4                DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING**

- .1        Storage and Handling Requirements:

- .1 Store materials off ground and in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations in clean, dry, well-ventilated area.
- .2 Store and protect geotextiles from direct sunlight and UV rays.
- .3 Replace defective or damaged materials with new.

## **Part 2 Products**

### **2.1 MATERIAL**

- .1 Geotextile: non-woven synthetic fibre fabric, supplied in rolls.
  - .1 Width: 3.5 meters
  - .2 Length: 25 meters
  - .3 Composed of: polypropylene minimum 85% by mass of with inhibitors added to base plastic to resist deterioration by ultra-violet and heat exposure.
- .2 Geotextile – Type 1, used for the shoreline protection:  
Physical properties:
  - .1 Thickness: to CAN/CGSB-148.1, No.3-M85, minimum 6.5 mm.
  - .2 Tensile strength and elongation to CSA/CGSB-148.1, no. 7.3-92.
    - .1 Tensile strength: minimum 3300 N-wet state.
    - .2 Elongation at break: minimum 65%.
  - .3 Ball burst strength: to CAN/CGSB-4.2, No.11.2, minimum 10 000 KPa.
- .3 Geotextile – Type 2: used for the approach.  
Physical properties:
  - .1 Thickness: to CSA/CGSB – 148.1, no. 3-M85, minimum 2.3 mm.
  - .2 Tensile strength and elongation to CSA/CGSB – 148.1, no. 7.3-92.
    - .1 Tensile strength: minimum 1200 N wet state.
    - .2 Elongation break: minimum 45%.
  - .3 Ball burst strength: to CSA/CGSB – 4.2, no. 11.2: minimum 3150 KPa.
- .4 Hydraulic properties:
  - .1 Filtration opening size (FOS): to CAN/CGSB-148.1 No.10-94.

## **Part 3 Execution**

### **3.1 EXAMINATION**

- .1 Verification of Conditions: verify that conditions of substrate previously installed under other Sections or Contracts are acceptable for geotextile material installation in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions.
  - .1 Visually inspect substrate in presence of Departmental Representative.
  - .2 Inform Departmental Representative of unacceptable conditions immediately upon discovery.

### **3.2           INSTALLATION**

- .1     Place geotextile material by unrolling onto graded surface in orientation, manner and locations indicated.
- .2     Place geotextile material smooth and free of tension stress, folds, wrinkles and creases.
- .3     Place geotextile material on sloping surfaces in one continuous length from toe of slope to upper extent of geotextile.
- .4     Overlap each successive strip of geotextile 600 mm over previously laid strip.
- .5     Protect installed geotextile material from displacement, damage or deterioration before, during and after placement of material layers.
- .6     Replace damaged or deteriorated geotextile to approval of Departmental Representative.

### **3.3           CLEANING**

- .1     Progress Cleaning: clean in accordance with Section 01 74 11 - Cleaning.
  - .1       Leave Work area clean at end of each day.
- .2     Final Cleaning: upon completion remove surplus materials, rubbish, tools and equipment in accordance with Section 01 74 11 - Cleaning.

**END OF SECTION**