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SM03500



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Bill Wolfe Norlite 628 S. Saratoga St. Cohoes NY 12047					
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SM03500	Norlite 3/8x No. 8		6/11/2010	6/15/2010	6/24/2010

Green Roof Media Analysis

Results on dry weight basis unless specified otherwise

Analysis	Units	Result	FLL Guidelines for Single Course Extensive Sites ¹
Particle Size Distribution (See accompanying report)			
≤ 0.05 mm (Fill reference value based on < 0.06 mm)	mass %	2.4	≤ 10
Denisty Measurements			
Bulk Density (dry weight basis)	g/cm ³	0.87	—
Bulk Density (dry weight basis)	lb/ft ³	54.16	—
Bulk Density (at max. water-holding capacity)	g/cm ³	1.06	—
Bulk Density (at max. water-holding capacity)	lb/ft ³	65.92	—
Water/Air Measurements			
Moisture	mass %	7.2	—
Total Pore Volume ²	Vol. %	51.8	—
Maximum water-holding Capacity	Vol. %	17.5	20 - 65
Air-Filled Porosity (at max water-holding capacity)	Vol. %	34.3	≥ 10
Water permeability (saturated hydraulic conductivity)	cm/s	> 0.731	0.1 - 0.67
Water permeability (saturated hydraulic conductivity)	in/min	> 17.259	2.36 - 15.8
pH and Salt Content			
pH (CaCl ₂)		9.7	6.0 - 8.5
Soluble salts (water, 1:10, m:v)	mmhos/cm	0.12	—
Soluble salts (water, 1:10, m:v)	g (KCl)/L	0.60	≤ 3.5
Organic Measurements			
Organic matter content	mass %	0.0	—
Organic matter content	g/L	0.0	≤ 40

GR02: Single Course Extensive

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²Total pore volume determined using measured particle density instead of assumed particle density as specified in FLL



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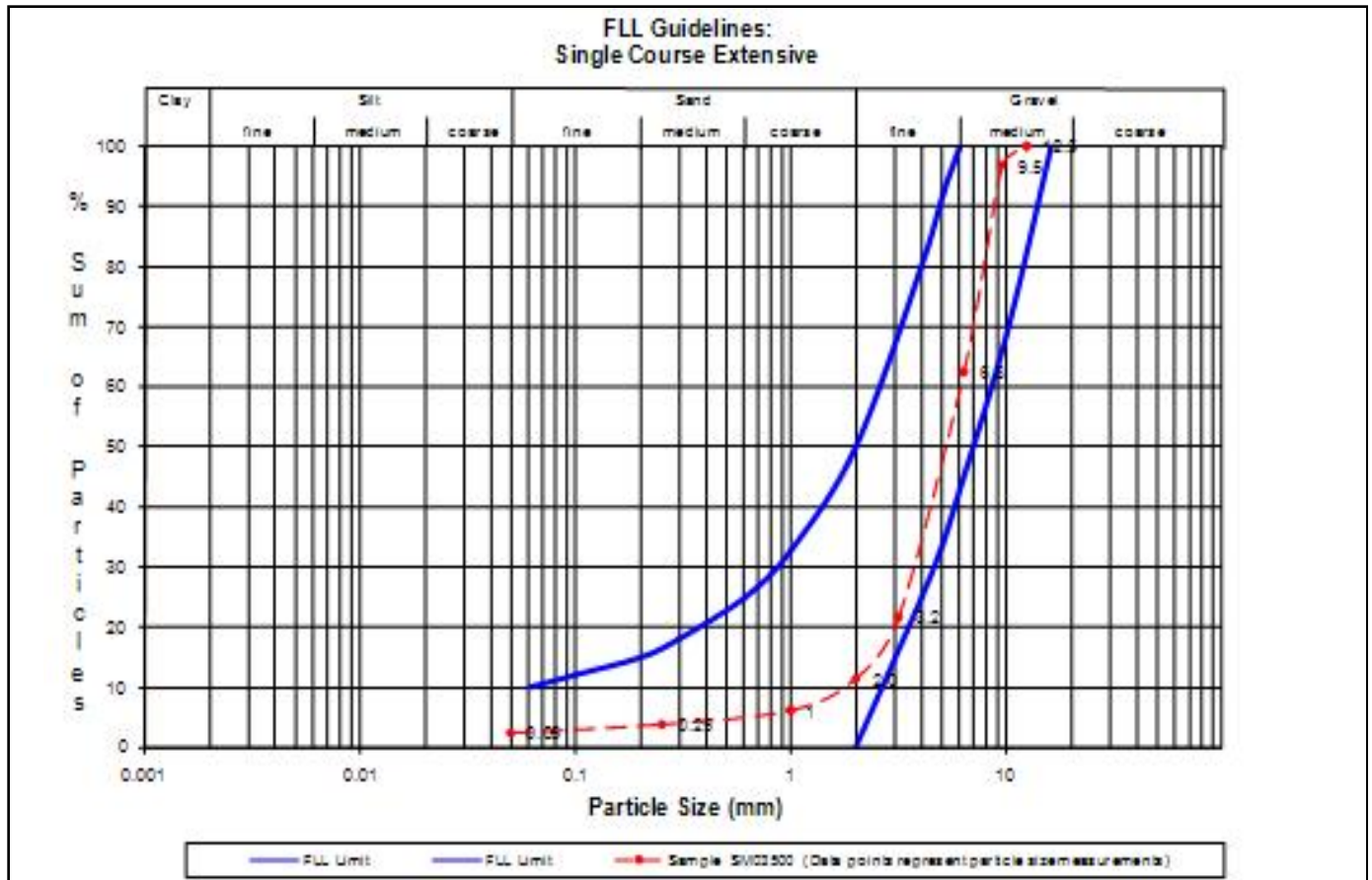
Green Roof Media Particle Size Distribution

Particle Size Analysis		Sum of particles less than size specified			
Diameter -mm-	%	Diameter -mm-	Diameter -in-	Sieve size	% sum of particles
< 0.002	0.9	< 0.002	---	---	0.9
0.002-0.05	1.5	< 0.05	---	---	2.4
0.05-0.25	1.4	< 0.25	0.0098	60 mesh	3.8
0.25-1.0	2.3	< 1.0	0.0394	18 mesh	6.1
1.0-2.0	5.3	< 2.0	0.0787	10 mesh	11.4
2.0-3.2	10.2	< 3.2	0.125	1/8 inch	21.6
3.2-6.3	40.9	< 6.3	0.250	1/4 inch	62.5
6.3-9.5	34.3	< 9.5	0.375	3/8 inch	96.8
9.5-12.5	3.2	< 12.5	0.500	1/2 inch	100.0
> 12.5	0.0				



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Green Roof Media FLL¹ Particle Size Distribution Graph for Single Course Extensive Systems



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