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TECHNICAL FABRICS

## SYNTEEN SF12 BIAXIAL GEOGRID BASE COURSE REINFORCEMENT AND SUBGRADE IMPROVEMENT

SF12 is composed of high molecular weight, high tenacity multifilament polyester yarns, woven into a stable network placed under tension. The high strength polyester yarns are PVC coated and are inert to biological degradation and are resistant to naturally encountered chemicals, alkalis and acids.

| REINFORCEMENT PROPERTIES |  | TEST METHOD | MARV VALUES |  |
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|  |  | LB/FT | kN/m |
| Ultimate Strength | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { MD } \\ & \text { XMD } \end{aligned}$ |  | ASTM 6637 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,388 \\ & 5,268 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34.9 \\ & 76.8 \end{aligned}$ |
| Initial Modulus | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { MD } \\ & \text { XMD } \end{aligned}$ | ASTM 6637 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 178,000 \\ & 235,000 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,598 \\ & 3,432 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| Load (Tensile Strength) at 2\% Strain | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { MD } \\ & \text { XMD } \end{aligned}$ | ASTM 6637 | $\begin{aligned} & 526 \\ & 797 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline 7.7 \\ 11.6 \end{gathered}$ |
| 2\% Secant Moduli | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { MD } \\ & \text { XMD } \end{aligned}$ | ASTM 6637 | $\begin{aligned} & 26,300 \\ & 39,850 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 383.6 \\ & 581.2 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| Load (Tensile Strength) at 5\% Strain | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { MD } \\ & \text { XMD } \end{aligned}$ | ASTM 6637 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,042 \\ & 1,367 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.2 \\ & 19.9 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| 5\% Secant Moduli | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { MD } \\ & \text { XMD } \end{aligned}$ | ASTM 6637 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 20,840 \\ & 27,340 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline 304 \\ 398.8 \end{gathered}$ |
| Aperture Stability - kg-cm/deg at $5.0 \mathrm{~kg}-\mathrm{cm}$ |  | US COE | 5.6 |  |
| Minimum Radial Stiffness at 0.5\% Strain |  | ASTM 6637 | 178,000 | 2,598 |
| Maximum Radial Stiffness at 0.5\% Strain |  | ASTM 6637 | 235,000 | 3,432 |
| Average Radial Stiffness at 0.5 \% Strain Anticipated stiffness 45 degrees off the orthogonal axes tested. Representative of load spreading in all directions. |  | ASTM 6637 | 206,500 | 3,012 |
| Junction Strength (lb./junction) | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{MD} \\ & \mathrm{XMD} \end{aligned}$ | GRI-GG2 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 59.4 \\ & 64.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 0.87 \\ & 0.95 \end{aligned}$ |
| FHWA Sum of Junctions - Strength (81 total junctions) | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { MD } \\ & \mathrm{XMD} \end{aligned}$ | GRI-GG2 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,851 \\ & 5,249 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 70.8 \\ & 76.6 \end{aligned}$ |
| FHWA Sum of Junctions - Efficiency | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { MD } \\ & \text { XMD } \end{aligned}$ | GRI-GG2 | $\begin{aligned} & 203 \% \\ & 100 \% \end{aligned}$ |  |
| Junction Strength (lb./junction) | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { MD } \\ & \text { XMD } \end{aligned}$ | GRI-GG2 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 59.9 \\ & 64.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 0.87 \\ & 0.95 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| Coefficient of Pullout Interaction |  | ASTM 6706 Sandy Gravel Sand | $\begin{aligned} & \underline{C}_{\underline{i}}=1.0 \\ & \underline{C}_{\underline{i}}=1.0 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| UV Resistance at 500 hours (Strength retained) |  | ASTM D 4355 | 74\% |  |
| PerCent Open Area |  | US COE | >70\% |  |
| Aperture Size | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{MD} \\ & \mathrm{XMD} \end{aligned}$ | Measured | $\begin{aligned} & 1.0 \\ & 1.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \\ & 25 \end{aligned}$ |
| Roll Dimensions 12' x 150' |  | Measured | 200 square yards per roll |  |

Synteen can produce custom widths, apertures and master roll lengths.


