## AMERDRAIN PVD 408

## PREFABRICATED VERTICAL DRAIN / PVD / WICK DRAIN







AMERDRAIN PVD 408 wick drain is a widely used and accepted high-performance PVD design for accelerated consolidation of soft or yielding soils due to excess pore water pressure.

AMERDRAIN PVD 408 is a two-part prefabricated soil drain consisting of a formed polypropylene core covered with a spunbonded nonwoven polypropylene geotextile filter fabric. The geotextile allows water to pass into the drain core while restricting the movement of soil particles which might otherwise clog the core.

PROPERTY 1	TEST METHOD	UNIT OF MEASURE	Typical Value	MARV
GEOTEXTILE		1		
Material <sup>2</sup>			PP, SBNW	PP, SBNW
Grab Tensile Strength	ASTM D4632	lbs	150	130
		N	667	578
Grab Elongation	ASTM D4632	%	50	50
CBR Puncture	ASTM D6241	lbs	295	276
		N	1,312	1,228
Trapezoidal Tear	ASTM D4533	lbs	70	60
		N	310	290
UV Resistance	ASTM D4355	% / 500 Hrs	70	70
Apparent Opening Size (AOS) <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D4751	sieve	80	60
		mm	0.180	0.250
Permittivity	ASTM D4491	sec <sup>-1</sup>	1.0	0.8
Water Flow Rate	ASTM D4491	gpm / ft <sup>2</sup>	70	60
		Lpm / m <sup>2</sup>	2,850	2,444
CORE		'		
Material <sup>2</sup>			PP	-
Tensile Strength	ASTM D4595	lbs	225	-
		N	1,001	-
COMPOSITE				
Tensile Strength	ASTM D4595	lbs	620	-
		N	2,758	-
Discharge Capacity	ASTM D47164	gpm	1.6	-
		lpm	6	-
Available Roll Sizes	AWD Item Code	Dimensions	Roll Width x Roll Length	Weight (lbs)
	14130	in x ft	4 x 1,050	52
		mm x m	102 x 320	

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Minimum Average Roll Value (MARV) and Typical Value as defined in ASTM D4439.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> PP = Polypropylene; SBNW = Spunbonded Nonwoven

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> AOS MARV = Maximum Average Roll Value (MaxARV).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Tested at Normal Load = 6,000psf & Hydraulic Gradient = 1.0