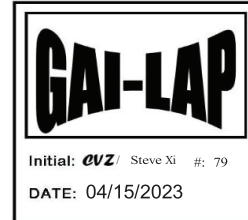




Apr 15th, 2023

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Re: FINAL LABORATORY TEST REPORT

Dear Mr. Parker Chen:

Thank you for consulting TRI Suzhou for your material testing needs.

Enclosed is the final laboratory report for the Conformance testing of one (1) GCL sample.

PROJECT NAME: GCL Testing

DATE REPORTED: Apr 15th, 2023

REFERENCE TRI JOB NO.: SCH21180

DATE RECEIVED: Mar 15th, 2023

SAMPLE(S) SENT BY: Liufangzi China

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATIONS:

GCL NP5500

10351

TESTS REQUIRED / PERFORMED:

TEST METHOD

1. ASTM D4643
2. ASTM D5261
3. ASTM D5890
4. ASTM D5891
5. ASTM D5993
6. ASTM D5887
7. ASTM D4632
8. ASTM D6496
9. ASTM D6241

DESCRIPTION

- Water Content
- Mass per Unit area
- Swell Index
- Fluid Loss
- Mass per Unit Area
- Index Flux
- Tensile Strength
- Peel Strength
- CBR Puncture

TEST RESULTS: The test results are summarized in the attached Table(s) 1.

Respectfully,

TRI Geosynthetic Testing and Services (Suzhou) Co., Ltd.

Steve Xi
Quality Assurance

Chad Blackwell
General Manager

Signatures are on file

It shall be noted that the sample/s tested is/are believed to be true representatives of the material produced under the designation herein stated. In addition, the attached laboratory tests results are considered indicative only of the quality of samples/specimens that were actually tested. The appropriate test methods hereby employed are based on the current and accepted industry practices. TRI neither accepts responsibility for nor makes claims to the intended final use and purpose of the material. The test data and all associated project information shall be held confidential and not to be reproduced and/or disclosed to other parties except in full and with prior written approval from the client or any pertinent entity duly authorized by the respective client. It is our policy to keep physical records of each job for five (5) years commencing from the date of receipt of the samples and keep its corresponding electronic file for seven (7) years. Retained conformance samples are disposed of after one (1) month. On the other hand, should you need us to keep them at a longer period, please advise us in writing.

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TABLE 1.
MATERIAL PROPERTIES
CLIENT: Liufangzi China
PROJECT: GCL Testing

Date Received: 2023.03.15
Date Reported: 2023.04.15
Client Sample ID: NP5500
Material Description: NP5500

QC'd By: *Steve Lee*
TRI Job No.: SCH21180
TRI Control No.: 10384

SPECIMENS

METHOD DESCRIPTION												Avg.	Std. Dev.	Min	Max	Proj. Specs. (See Note 1)												
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10																			
ASTM D5261	Mass per Unit Area of the Nonwoven component(g/m ²)																											
Test specimen size: 4"x 8"																												
ASTM D5261	Mass per Unit Area of the woven component (g / m ²)	245.9	253.2	248.8	252.7	249.8						250.1	3.0	245.9	253.2													
Test specimen size: 4"x 8"																												
ASTM D4643	Water (Moisture) Content (percent)	100.3	108.8	107.8	108.8	107.4						106.6	0.2	100.3	180.8													
ASTM D5887	Index Flux (m. ³ / m. ² /sec.)	8.8	9.3	8.2								8.8	0.5	8.24	9.31													
Confining Pressure: 5 psi																												
3.4E-09												3.4E-09	N/A	N/A	N/A													
Permeability(m/s)																												
1.8E-11												1.8E-11	N/A	N/A	N/A													
ASTM D5890	Swell Index (mL/ 2 g.)																											
Temperature of the slurry after mixing 22 °C																												
24												24.0	N/A	N/A	N/A													

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MATERIAL PROPERTIES
CLIENT: Liufangzi China
PROJECT: GCL Testing

Date Received: 2023.03.15
Date Reported: 2023.04.15
Client Sample ID: NP5500
Material Description: NP5500

QC'd By: *Steve / 袁文强*
TRI Job No.: SCH21180
TRI Control No.: 10384

SPECIMENS															Proj. Specs. (See Note1)			
METHOD	DESCRIPTION	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Avg.	Std. Dev.	Min.	Max			
ASTM D5993	Mass per Unit Area of the dried Clay component of the GCL (gms/ m ²)	Specimen Size: 4' x 8' Die-cut																
	Drying Time/ Temp: 110+/- 5° C for 16 hrs using thermostatically controlled oven.																	
	5616	5628	5856	5834	5855	5758	124	5616	5856									
	Mass per Unit area of the GCL @ 0% MC (gm/ m ²)	5952	5970	6206	6184	6205	6103	124	5952	6206								
ASTM D5891	Moisture Content of the Clay as received (percent)	9.8%	9.8%	9.9%	9.8%	9.7%	9.8%	0	0.10	0.10								
	Fluid Loss (mL)																	
	Temperature of the slurry at the start of test: 22 °C After test: 23 °C																	
	13.6															13.6	N/A	N/A
ASTM D6496	Bonding Peel Strength (N/10cm)																	
Specimens were die cut using 4" x 8" (100mmX 200mm) die parallel to the machine direction. Tensile Testing Machine: YT010 P (RTR Type) set for 12" (300 mm/min) constant rate of extension, with initial gauge length (distance between grips) of 2" (50mm).																		
		64	69	68	61	68						66	5	61	69			

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MATERIAL PROPERTIES
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PROJECT: GCL Testing

Date Received: 2023.03.15
Date Reported: 2023.04.15
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Material Description: NP5500

QC'd By: *Steve/李永强*
TRI Job No.: SCH21180
TRI Control No.: 10384

SPECIMENS

METHOD DESCRIPTION		SPECIMENS										Proj. Specs. (See Note1)			
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Avg.	Std. Dev.	Min	Max
ASTM D4632	Tensile Strength (N)	Specimens were die cut using 4" x 8" (100mmX 200mm) die parallel to the machine direction. Tensile Testing Machine (VT0102 (CRJ Type) set for 12" (300 mm/min) constant rate of extension, with initial gauge length (distance between grips) of 4" (100mm).													
	Load Full scale: 1000lbs(5000N)														
	MD	857	755	728	705	790						767	0.7	705	857
	TD	772	806	808	894	801						816	0.5	772	894
	Elongation (percent)														
ASTM D6241	Static Puncture Strength (N)	14	13	13	14	14						14	0.3	13	14
		16	15	16	15	16						16	0.6	15	16
		3131	2674	3082	2903	2953	2846	2943	3022	2908	2877	2934	129	2674	3131

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Note 1 : The Project Specification values reflected herein were provided by the Client.

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