

# GATOR FABRIC GF 4.4 NON-WOVEN GEOTEXTILE FOR PAVER INSTALLATIONS AND RETAINING WALLS, DRAINAGE AND FILTRATION

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### TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

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**Description:** GATOR FABRIC GF 4.4 (100 lbf) is a needle punched non-woven geotextile made of polypropylene fibers.

**GATOR FABRIC GF 4.4 (100 lbf)** geotextile is ideal for drainage, filtration and will allow water flow of 135 gallons per minutes per square foot in a paver or retaining wall applications. Its filament fibers are used for soil separation and drainage. They combine high durability along with excellent physical and hydraulic

properties. It is non-biodegradable and resistant to most soil chemicals.

Specially treated to be hydrophilic, it allows high-water flow (135 Gal/min/sq. ft. (613 l/min/sq. m.))

· Drainage and filtration

Soil separationErosion controlUV-Resistance

• Inert to soil chemicals (Alkalis, Acids)

• Inert to biological degradation

• Easy to handle

High strength/dimensionally stable

**Uses:** • Drainage control

Protection against erosionBehind retaining wallsPaver sub base foundation

Gator Base foundation application

General landscapeSoil separation

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**Roll sizes:** • 3' X 100' • 6' X 100' • 6' X 300' • 6' X 300'

• 12' X 400'

### **Typical Properties:**

Features:

Properties	Test method (ASTM)	Units	Results	
			Machine Direction (MD)	Cross Direction (CD)
Weight per surface (typical)	D5261	oz/yd² (gsm)	4.4 (150)	
Grab Tensile Strength	D4632	lbf (N)	120 (535)	120 (535)
Grab Tensile Elongation	D4632	%	80	75
Permittivity	D4491	Sec <sup>-1</sup>	1.5	
Flow Rate	D4491	Gal/min/ft² (l/min/m²)	135 (5307)	
UV Resistance	D4355	% strength retained	>	70



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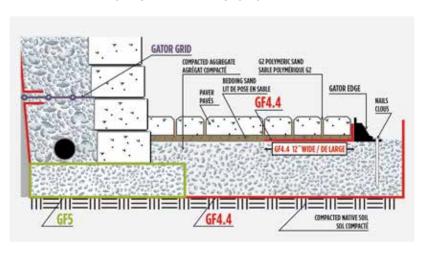
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Method of installation of GATOR FABRIC GF 4.4 NON-WOVEN (100 lbf) for drainage and soil separation:





#### PLEASE NOTE

- When excavation has been completed, leveled and compacted, lay the **GATOR FABRIC GF 4.4 NON-WOVEN** covering bottom and sides of the excavated area.
- Ensure the **GATOR FABRIC GF 4.4 NON-WOVEN** is stretched to avoid any folds.
- Always overlap the seams of geotextile by a minimum 12" (30 cm).



- 1a-b Excavate the soil in the location of the project according to best practices.
- 2a-b With a rake, even out, level and compact the soil to a tolerance of 3/8" (10 mm).
- 3a-b Apply **GATOR FABRIC GF 4.4 NON-WOVEN** to the entire foundation and sides. Overlap seams by 12" (30 cm) of the hardscape installation and trim to size.
- 4a-b Spread, level and compact your aggregate or bedding material when installing Gator Base and complete with your selected pavement.



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#### Packaging:

Size of the roll	Lbs / Roll	Packaging	
3' X 100'	11	4 boxes x 6 = 24 rolls / pal	
4' X 100'	15	4 boxes x 6 = 24 rolls / pal	
6' X 100'	24	30 rolls / pal	
6' X 300'	54	16 rolls / pal	
12' X 400'	158	3 rolls / pal	

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