

XR-5 Geomembrane – Mechanical Properties



XR-5 [®] 8130 Reinforced	Test Method	Specification
Base Fabric Type	ASTM D3776	Polyester
Base Fabric Weight (nominal)	ASTM D3776	6.5 oz/yd ²
Thickness	ASTM D751	30.0 mils (min.)
Weight	ASTM D751	30.0 ± 2 oz/yd ²
Tear Strength	ASTM D4533, Trapezoid Tear	35/35 lb _f (min.)
Breaking Strength	ASTM D751, Grab Tensile	550/550 lb _f (min.)
Low Temperature	ASTM D2136, 4hr – 1/8" mandrel	Pass @ -30 °F
Dimensional Stability	ASTM D1204, 212°F / 100°C – 1 hr	1.5% max. each direction
Adhesion – Heat Sealed Seam	ASTM D751, Dielectric Weld	35 lb _f /2 in (min.)
Dead Load – Seam Shear Strength	ASTM D751	2 in seam, 4 hr, 1 in strip 210 lb _f @ 70°F 105 lb _f @ 160°F
Bursting Strength	ASTM D751 Ball Tip	650 lb _f (min.) 800 lb _f (typical)
Hydrostatic Resistance	ASTM D751, Method A	800 psi (min.)
Blocking Resistance	ASTM D751 (180°F / 82°C)	#2 Rating (max.)
Adhesion – Ply	ASTM D413	15 lb _f /in (min.) or Film Tearing Bond
Bonded Seam Strength	ASTM D751 as modified by NSF 54	550 lbf (min.)
Abrasion Resistance	ASTM D3389 (H-18 Wheel, 1000 g load)	2,000 cycles (min.) before fabric exposure 50 mg/ 100 cycles max weight loss
Weathering Resistance	ASTM G23 (Carbon-Arc)	8,000 hrs (min.) – No appreciable changes or stiffening or cracking of coating
Water Absorption	ASTM D471, Section 12, 7 days	0.025 kg/m ² (max.) @ 70°F / 21°C 0.14 kg/m ² (max.) @ 212°F / 100°C
Wicking	Shelter-Rite [®] Procedure	1/8 in (max.)
Puncture Resistance	ASTM D4833	250 lb _f (min.)
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion / Contraction	ASTM D696	8 x 10 ⁻⁶ in/in/°F (max.)

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