

rooflite® intensive Specifications

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A growing medium for intensive green roof systems with a separate drainage course or a synthetic drainage layer. This growing medium is designed for rooftop gardens, urban farming and large containers or planters. rooflite® intensive is a precisely balanced blend of light weight mineral aggregates like HydRocks® or pumice and premium organic components like USCC STA approved compost complying with the following requirements:		
Particle Size Distribution		
Proportion of silting components < 0.063 mm	Mass %	≤ 20
Proportion of particles < 0.25 mm 60 mesh	Mass %	15 - 40
Proportion of particles < 1.00 mm 18 mesh	Mass %	25 - 60
Proportion of particles < 2.00 mm 10 mesh	Mass %	30 - 70
Proportion of particles < 3.20 mm 1/8 inch	Mass %	50 - 90
Proportion of particles < 6.30 mm 1/4 inch	Mass %	75 - 100
Proportion of particles < 9.50 mm 3/8 inch	Mass %	90 - 100
Proportion of particles < 12.50 mm 1/2 inch	Mass %	100
Density Measurements		
Bulk Density (dry weight basis)	g/cm ³	0.70 - 0.85
Bulk Density (dry weight basis)	lb/ft ³	44 - 53
Bulk Density (at max. water-holding capacity)	g/cm ³	1.15 - 1.35
Bulk Density (at max. water-holding capacity)	lb/ft ³	72 - 85
Water/Air Measurements		
Total Pore Volume	Vol. %	≥ 50
Maximum water-holding capacity	Vol. %	45 - 65
Air-filled porosity at max water-holding capacity	Vol. %	≥ 10
Water permeability (saturated hydraulic conductivity)	cm/sec	0.0005 - 0.05
Water permeability (saturated hydraulic conductivity)	in/min	0.0118 - 1.18
pH and Salt Content		
pH (in CaCl ₂)		6.0 - 8.5
Soluble salts (water, 1:10, m:v)	g (KCl)/L	< 2.5
Organic Measurements		
Organic matter content	g/L	50 - 90

Nutrients		
Phosphorus, P ₂ O ₅ (CAL)	mg/L	≤ 200
Potassium, K ₂ O (CAL)	mg/L	≤ 700
Magnesium, Mg (CaCl ₂)	mg/L	≤ 200
Nitrate + Ammonium (CaCl ₂)	mg/L	≤ 80

Supplier: Please find your regional supplier at www.rooflite.us or call 1.877.268.0017

All values are based on compacted materials according to laboratory standards and testing methods defined by the Forschungsgesellschaft Landschaftsentwicklung Landschaftsbau e.V. (FLL) Landscape Development and Landscaping Research Society, Guidelines for the Planning Construction and Maintenance of Green-Roofing, Green Roofing Guideline, 2008

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Notes:

Density Measurements reflect a typical range for rooflite extensive mc. For more detailed information please refer to our region specific analysis or inquire about latest test results.

If Air-filled Porosity is measured instead of being determined according the FLL Green Roofing Guidelines reference value may be below 10.

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