



PROPERTIES AND IMPORTANCE OF GEOTEXTILES

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Abstract: Geotextile is a sort of geosynthetic material, which is a fake item made from engineered polymeric materials like polypropylene, polyester, polyethylene, polyamide(nylon) or from normal materials. They are adaptable in nature and have a sheet-like design. Geotextiles assume a significant part in further developing soil properties on its consideration as an extra material because of its multifunctional attributes. Geotextile is notable for its expense viability and strong development. The development in their utilization overall in different development brings about supportable turn of events.

This paper talks about different capabilities, tests on geotextile and its impact on the geotechnical structures. We will likewise investigate its ongoing field applications which is continually developing everyday to find out about the extent of the geotextile and how successful apparatus is it for a specialist to take care of continuous development issues.

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1.INTRODUCTION

The expression "geotextiles" showed up first in the last part of the 1970s, depicting penetrable textures utilized in geotechnical designing. In spite of the fact that textures made of regular strands have additionally been utilized previously, the present geotextiles are solely made of manufactured filaments like polyester, polyolefins, nylons and so on by winding around, weaving or by holding with fractional dissolving, needle punching or the option of compound restricting specialists.

Designers might run over different risky in-situ soils, for example, broad soils which may not be reasonable for

development subsequently should be adjusted to work on its presentation. Geotextile is a slight, solid and adaptable geosynthetic texture with great elasticity and are penetrable which when utilized with soil goes about as support, channel, separator, regulation, disintegration control framework and furthermore helps in seepage. Thus among different flexible and financial ground adjustment apparatuses geotextiles are awesome.

The ASTM (1994) characterizes geotextiles as porous material materials utilized in touch with soil, rock, earth, or some other geotechnical related material as a vital piece of structural designing task, construction, or framework. Presently how about we see the kinds of

geotextiles alongside their properties, capabilities and a few its applications in designing designs.

Types of geotextiles

1. Woven: These geotextiles are manufactured similar to clothing fabrics. It consists of two sets of parallel threads running along the length known as warp and one orthogonally to it called weft.

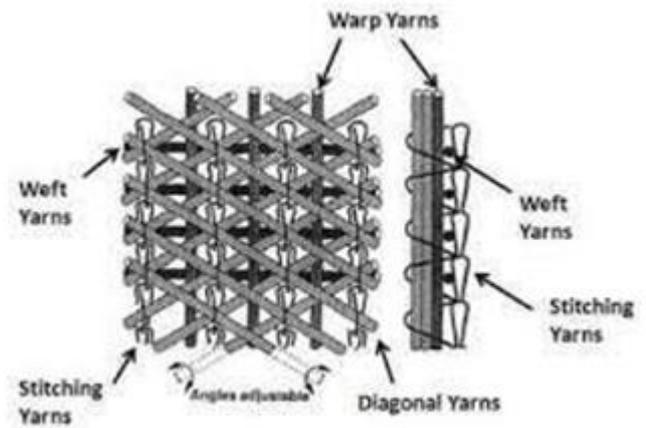


2. Non-woven: These geotextiles are manufactured from short staple fiber or continuous filament yarn bonded using mechanical, thermal, or chemical techniques or combination of techniques. These geotextiles have a thickness of around 0.5mm to 3mm depending on the bonding technique used to manufacture



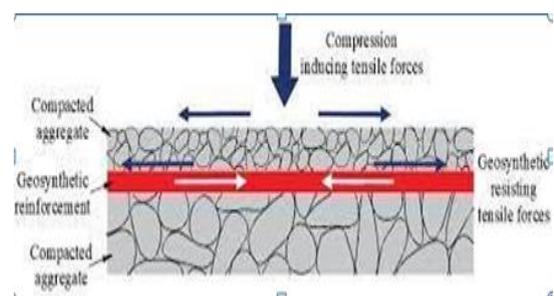
3. Knitted: These geotextiles are

manufactured by stitching warp and weft yarns, this knitting technique along with other methods like weaving is used

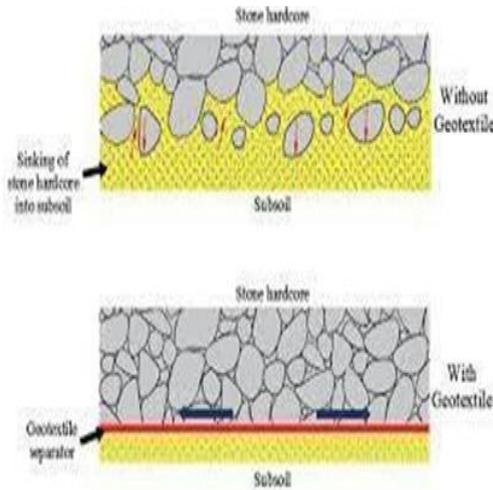


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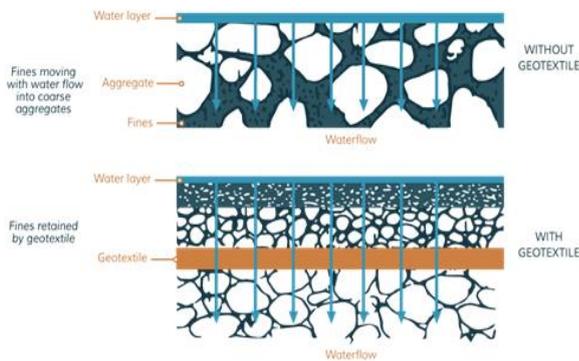
Reinforcement: geotextile when used as reinforcement in soil develops higher shear strength and lateral restraint due to interface friction between soil and geotextile which imparts tensile strength to the soil similar to steel reinforced concrete.



Separation: geotextiles are used for separation in pavement like constructions where the prevention of intermixing of adjacent layers is important in order to preserve their strength and drainage characteristics unaltered



Filtration: geotextiles are used as filter where free movement of water is required without losing soil particles across the plane

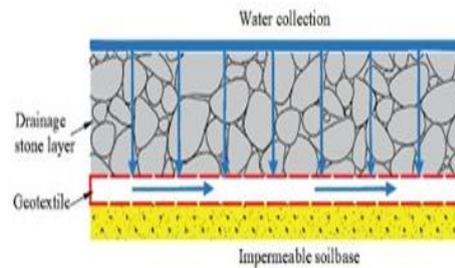


Drainage: geotextiles are used for

dissipation of water along the plane of textile which is known as transmissivity as water reduces the bearing capacity of soil.

2.3 Soil Nailing Soft Facing

The main purpose of soft facing is to control erosion and is usually used in cases where vegetation cover is provided. They mainly aim at retaining soil and not stabilizing it.



Test Done on Geo textiles to know their properties

Direct shear test for impedance among Geotextile and soil

In this we find the connection point between the geotextile, sand and the pressure strain conduct of the dirt when we place the geotextile alongside the dirt in the Direct shear box

Table1:DirectsheartestvaluesofNormalstressandshearstress

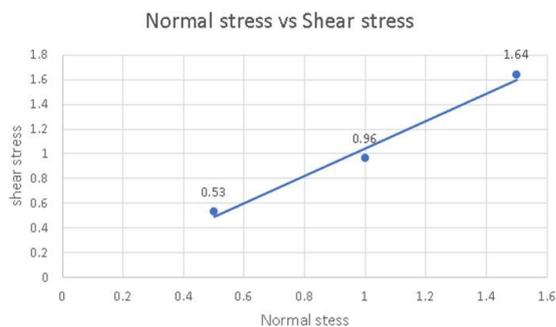
S.No	Normal stress	Densityof soil(g/cc)	ShearLoad (Maximum proving ring) (N)	Shear load(kg)	Shearstress (kg/cm2)
1	0.5	1.51	92	19.2	0.53
2	1	1.71	165	34.5	0.96
3	1.5	1.62	282	59.1	1.64

Table2:stressstrainvaluesforthegiven sample

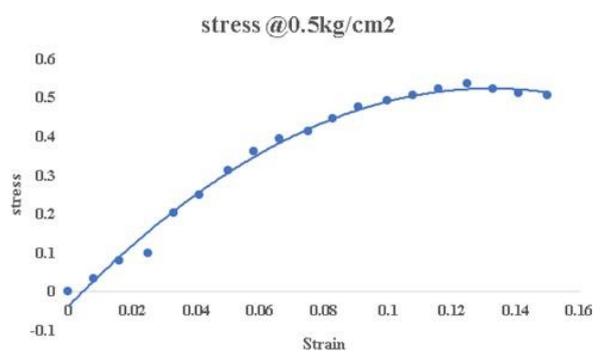


Strain	Stress@ 0.5kg	Stress@1kg	Stress @1.5kg
0.008	0.034	0	0
0.016	0.081	0.104	0.32
0.25	0.099	0.215	0.454
0.33	0.203	0.233	0.477
0.41	0.25	0.378	0.489
0.05	0.314	0.483	0.681
0.058	0.361	0.565	0.868
0.066	0.396	0.658	1.019
0.075	0.413	0.722	1.153
0.083	0.448	0.786	1.258
0.091	0.477	0.839	1.346
0.1	0.492	0.879	1.427
0.108	0.506	0.914	1.491
0.116	0.524	0.938	1.532
0.125	0.536	0.955	1.643
0.133	0.524	0.961	1.631
0.141	0.512	0.955	1.608
0.15	0.506	0.949	1.573

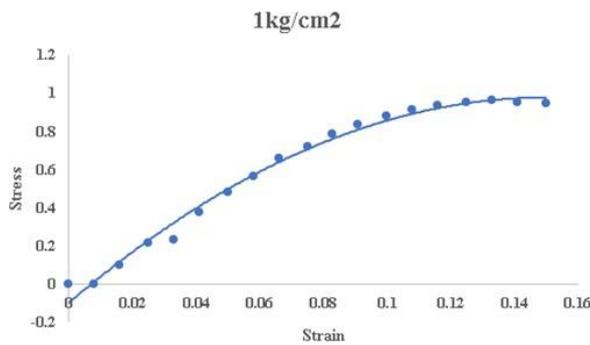
Graph1:NormalstressvsShearstress



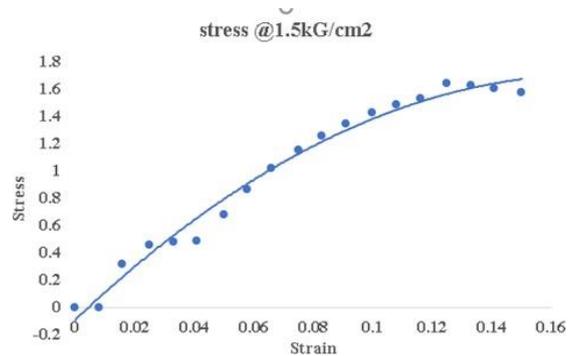
Graph2:stressvsstrain@0.5kg/cm2



Graph3: Stress vs strain @ 1kg/cm²



Graph4: Stress vs strain @ 1.5kg/cm²



1) Permittivity and Transmittivity of soils

We find the hydrological properties of geotextiles by cross plane permeability test to calculate the permittivity of geotextile and In-plane test to calculate the transmittivity of geotextile.

Table3: Transmittivity of geotextile sample

Time(sec)	Q(ml)	Rate of flow(ml/sec)	Transmittivity(ml/sec/cm)
15	46	3.067	0.0511
30	92	3.067	0.0511
45	132	2.93	0.0438
60	180	3	0.05

Table4: permittivity of Geotextile sample:

Time(sec)	Q(ml)	Rate of flow (ml/sec)	Permittivity(1/sec)
15	380	25.3	0.064
30	730	24.33	0.061
45	1090	24.22	0.061
60	1260	21	0.053



2) Cone Droptest on geotextile

To quantify the cut measurement of geotextile on dropping a metal cone which shows cut opposition of geotextile.

3) Tensile Test on Geotextile

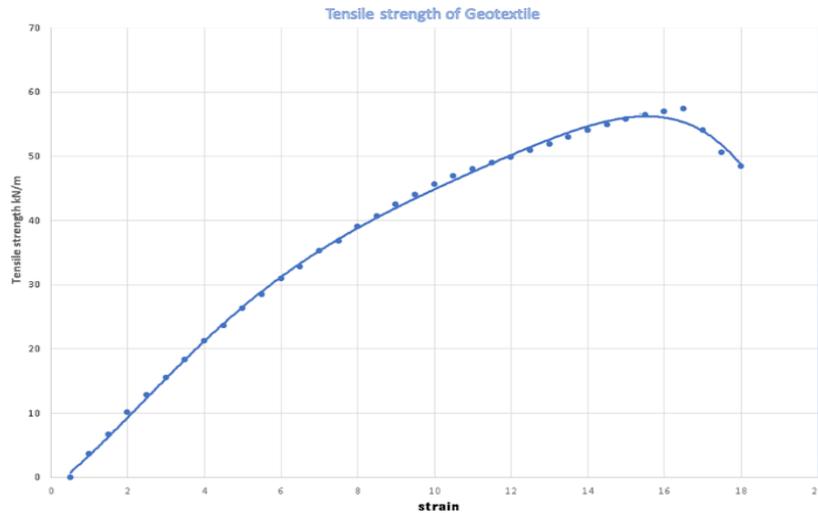
To decide the ductile trial of Geotextile utilizing the general testing machine of width 150mm and 100mm .

We utilize the advanced Universal testing machine to figure out the elasticity of geotextile test. Elasticity gives out the take out opposition of geotextile test.

Table5: Tensile strength of the geotextile sample

Strain	Tensile strength(KN/m)	Strain	Tensile strength (KN/m)
0.5	0	10	45.6
1	3.6	10.5	46.93
1.5	6.67	11	48
2	10.13	11.5	48.93
2.5	12.8	12	49.87
3	15.46	12.5	50.93
3.5	18.26	13	51.86
4	21.2	13.5	52.93
4.5	23.6	14	54
5	26.26	14.5	54.93
5.5	28.4	15	55.73
6	30.93	15.5	56.4
6.5	32.8	16	56.93
7	35.2	16.5	57.33
7.5	36.8	17	54
8	39.06	17.5	50.33
8.5	40.67	18	48.4

Graph5: Stress vs strain of Geotextiles



RESULTS AND INFERENCE:

- 1) Interface Friction point among geotextile and given soil test is 45 degrees which is genuinely more vital than the soil model, so with this we can assume that by inserting geotextile test with the soil it further creates slant relentlessness and Strength.
- 2) Permittivity of woven geotextile is 0.0597(m1/sec) which shows that it has extraordinary waste properties.
- 3) Transmittivity of geotextile is 0.049ml/sec/cm which shows that it has extraordinary waste properties
- 4) The cut distance across of woven geotextile from cone drop test is 9mm and non-woven geotextile is 16 mm so it shows that geotextiles have extraordinary security from cut therefore can be used for covering, black-tops turn of events, etc.
- 5) Tensile strength of Geotextile is 56.37 KN/m (from the graph) and that infers geotextiles have most prominent assurance from bending when presented to strain by an external power.

Applications

1.Roadworks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Top rovideten sile strength in the earthmass • Allow rapid dewatering of roadbed • Preserves permeability without losing its separation
2.Railwayworks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To separate soil from sub soil without impending ground water circulation. • Enveloping in dived allay erstopr event the material wandering off sideways.
3.River canals and coastal works	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protects from erosion due to waves • Helps overcome Hydrostati cup lift



4.Drainage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earth dams, reservoir ,retaining walls ,deep drainage trenches and agriculture.
5.Sports field construction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides high strength and dimensional durability
6.Agriculture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mudcontrol

CONCLUSION:

The utilization of geotextiles in designing activities is essentially expanded because of its huge advantages as of late. Thus materials are utilized for clothing reason as well as can be utilized to safeguard earth. To find out about geotextiles further Researches like nanotechnology in utilitarian improvement of geotextiles and a lot more should be completed and spread more attention to individuals about its significance and applications. We could defeat the significant issues in present day improvement methodologies like climate and natural maintainability

- a. consideration ought to be stretched out to a profundity zone in adequate numbers.

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