# **Permafilter Geotextile**

## **PRODUCT INFORMATION**

Product code: PV23002

Permafilter Geotextile is a non-woven, dimpled, needle punched geotextile that has been specifically designed for hydrocarbon pollution treatment in sustainable drainage systems (SuDS) and other civil engineering applications.

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PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

#### **Key Benefits**

- Captures residual hydrocarbons
- Removes pollutants by biodegradation
- Enhances water quality when used as part of a source control sustainable drainage system and eliminates the need for end of line petrol/oil interceptors
- 100% recyclable
- Designed to be self-maintaining for the life of the installation

#### **Applications**

Permafilter Geotextile is suitable for use in a range of applications including residential, industrial estates, swales, sports pitches, car parks, roofs, basements, pedestrian areas and rainwater harvesting.

#### Performance

The dimpled Geotextile comprises a proprietary blend of polyester fibres that incorporates hydrophilic (water attracting and oil repellent) and hydrophobic (oil attracting and water repellent) properties to achieve superior oil retention. Permafilter Geotextile is capable of retaining oil contamination ranging from daily car drip losses up to catastrophic spillages, i.e. originating from car oil-sump failures. The entrapped hydrocarbons are biodegraded by naturally occurring microorganisms providing a self cleansing mechanism.

#### Laying generally

Permafilter will be laid to suit site specific requirements. Overlaps shall be a minimum of 300mm or heat sealed. Ensure geotextile is clean and debris free before installing Permavoid.

### **Technical Support**

Detailed guidance and assistance is available. For further information, please contact our Technical Team on +44 (0) 1509 615 100 or email civils@polypipe.com

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