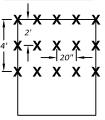
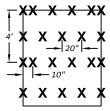
Channel Installation Instructions:

- 1. Dig a 6" by 6" trench both up-slope, down-slope, and along the top side of the channel. Prepare the slope soil surface (raking, seeding and fertilizing). Note, if used with stormwater discharge, place the up-slope trench at the face of the discharge structure footer.
- 2. Begin by placing the center blanket a minimum of 12" down-slope of the up-slope trench. Secure the blanket at the bottom of the trench with staples placed 12" apart. Backfill and compact the trench. Apply seed, and fold the blanket over soil, secure with a row of staples placed 12" apart across the width of the blanket (See Diagram A).
- 3. Roll the blanket vertically down the slope. Secure using the appropriate staple pattern below, specified by slope. (See Staple Patterns)
- 4. Continue placing blankets up the slopes on both sides, with a minimum 4" overlapping (Diagram B), and securing each blanket in the beginning trench (Diagram A).
- Additional horizontal blankets can be joined using a minimum 4" overlapping or shingle style in the direction of water flow. Connect the blankets by placing staples approximately 5" apart across the width of the blankets. (Diagram C)
- 6. For maximum performance a check slot should be placed at 25'-40' intervals. Place a row of staples 4" apart along the entire width of the channel. A second row should be placed 4" below in a staggered pattern. (Diagram D)
- 7. The end of the blanket must be secured in a 6" x 6" trench by a row of staples placed at 12" intervals. (Diagram E)
- 8. At the top edge of the side slope, fasten the blanket in a 6" x 6" trench with staples placed at 12" intervals. Install an additional row of staples 1'-0" down slope of the trench along the width of the fabric. (Diagram F)

Staple Patterns:



3.5 staples/yd² MED. to HIGH FLOW CHANNEL



3.8 staples/yd² HIGH FLOW CHANNEL

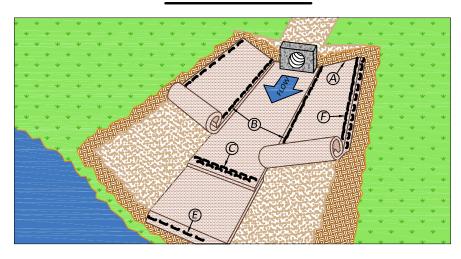
Specifications and Equivalency:

All product material and performance specifications are available from East Coast Erosion Blankets via the product specification sheet. Utilization of a 11 gauge staple, a minimum 6" long by 1" crown, is recommended. The tightly compressed blankets are wrapped and include a product label, code and installation guide.

In addition to meeting all data available on the specification sheet, equivalent products shall meet the following requirements:

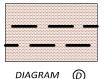
- The product must be listed with the NTPEP database.
- The product must meet the product specification requirements established by the Erosion Control Technology Council (ECTC).
- The product must meet the Federal Highway Administrations's (FHWA) FP-03 Section 713.17 specification.

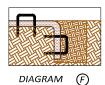
Channel Installation Detail









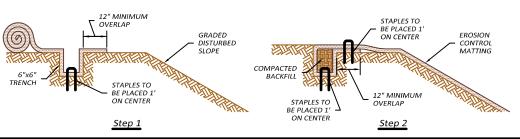


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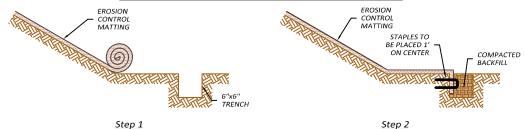
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DIAGRAM

Up-slope Trench Installation Detail (Diagram A)



Down-slope Trench Installation Detail (Diagram E)



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