



SMARTER WAYS TO WORK

HydroSeeding® and Erosion Control Mulches

TRU-Bond BFM

**DESCRIPTION**

FINN TRU-Bond BFM Blanket brings you a truly premium erosion control product from the inventor of the HydroSeeder®. FINN TRU-Bond BFM Blanket is made from long strand virgin wood fibers plus a proprietary non-toxic hydrocolloid-based binder to provide truly superior holding power for the toughest erosion control jobs on steep slopes. Finn TRU-Bond BFM sprays on just like normal FINN Mulch, but forms a blanket that adheres to the soil surface. The dry blanket is porous and extraordinarily resistant to erosion. FINN TRU-Bond BFM retains its integrity even after re-wetting. FINN TRU-Bond BFM is 100% biodegradable and non-toxic to fish and wildlife.

FINN TRU-Bond BFM Blanket:

- Retains integrity even after repeated rains
- Conforms to all surface contours, eliminating tenting and rilling
- Provides top-notch holding power but still aids germination and growth
- Easier to use than alternatives -- quicker, safer, and cheaper than stapling blankets
- High quality, produced under constant quality control checks from the finest American pines and poplars
- Shipped in easy to handle, quick-loading, specially designed UV-resistant 50-pound bags
- Includes non-toxic green dye to aid in even application and provide instant aesthetic appeal

**BASIC PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS**

Moisture Content:.....	12.0% plus/minus 3.0%
Water holding capacity:.....	min 1,250 gms. (per 100 grams oven dried fiber)
Color:.....	Green
Compositon:.....	Refined Wood Fiber (90% by total weight) Proprietary cross-linked binder (10% by total weight) See detailed MSDS materials for additional information

**MANUFACTURING PROCESS**

FINN TRU-Bond BFM Blanket is manufactured to specific fiber sizes in a temperature-controlled environment. Clean whole pine and poplar wood chips from the forests of the Eastern United States, are separated in a special defibration process, using steam, pressure, and rubbing action. This process turns the wood chips into fibers. Non-toxic green dye and a proprietary binder are added. After going through a high-temperature drying and baking process, the finished mulch is bagged, weighed, and goes through rigorous sampling and quality control before shipment. This special, secret process, using the finest raw materials and binders, creates a sterile, non-toxic BFM blanket brought to you from the inventor of the HydroSeeder®.

**APPLICATION RATES AND PACKAGING**

Packaging: FINN TRU-Bond BFM Blanket is compressed and packed in UV-resistant 22.7kg easy to open bags; measuring 23 x 48 x 69 cm. 40 bags are included in each stretch-wrapped pallet.

FINN recommends an application rate of 3,000 kg/ha on 2H:1V slopes; for steeper slopes use a heavier application, ranging from 3,300 to 4,000 kg/ha depending on site conditions. Application should be done in two passes, allowing enough time between applications for dry spots to appear on the surface of the fiber. Do not apply during or immediately before expected rainfall



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