

# DANDY SACK®

## INLET PROTECTION SYSTEM GUIDE SPECIFICATION

PRODUCT:

DANDY SACK®

MANUFACTURER:

Dandy Products Inc.  
P.O. Box 1980  
Westerville, Ohio 43086  
Phone: 800-591-2284  
Fax: 740-881-2791  
E mail [dlc@dandyproducts.com](mailto:dlc@dandyproducts.com)  
Web [www.dandyproducts.com](http://www.dandyproducts.com)

### 1.0 Description:

1.1 Work covered under this item consists of installing a Dandy Sack® inlet protection system. The purpose is to keep silt, sediment and construction debris out of the storm water system.

### 2.0 Material:

2.1 The Dandy Sack® inlet protection unit shall be a **sewn in the U.S.A.** geotextile fabric unit.

2.2 The Dandy Sack® shall have lifting straps to allow removal of the unit and manual inspection of the storm water system.

2.3 The Dandy Sack® unit shall utilize an orange monofilament fabric that is manufactured in the U.S.A. with the following characteristics:

PROPERTY	TEST METHOD	UNITS	TEST RESULTS
Grab Tensile Strength	ASTM D 4632	lbs	450 x 300
Grab Tensile Elongation	ASTM D 4632	%	40 x 25
Puncture Strength	ASTM D 4833	lbs	130
Mullen Burst Strength	ASTM D 3786	psi	600
Trapezoid Tear Strength	ASTM D 4533	lbs	165 x 150
% Open Area (POA)	COE - 22125-86	%	28
Apparent Opening Size	ASTM D 4751	US Std Sieve	30
Permittivity	ASTM D 4491	sec <sup>1</sup>	3.5
Permeability	ASTM 4491	cm/sec	0.25
Water Flow Rate	ASTM 4491	gal/min/ft <sup>2</sup>	250
Ultraviolet Resistance	ASTM D 4355	%	70
Color			Orange <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>The color orange is a trademark of Dandy Products, Inc.

The property values listed above are effective October 2010 and are subject to change without notice.

**3.0 Installation:**

- 3.1 Remove the grate from the catch basin.
- 3.2 *For Oil and Sediment Model; to install or replace absorbent, place absorbent pillow in unit, on the bottom (below-grade side) of the unit.*
- 3.3 Stand the grate on end. Move the top lifting straps out of the way and place the grate into the Dandy Sack® unit so that the grate is below the top straps and above the lower straps. The grate should be cradled between the upper and lower straps.
- 3.4 Holding the lifting devices, insert the grate into the inlet, being careful that the grate remains in place and being careful not to damage the Dandy Sack® unit.

**4.0 Maintenance:**

- 4.1 Remove all accumulated sediment and debris from vicinity of unit after each storm event.
- 4.2 After each storm event and at regular intervals, look into the Dandy Sack® unit. If the unit is more than 1/3 full of accumulated sediment, the unit must be emptied.
- 4.3 To empty the unit, using the lifting straps lift the unit out of the inlet and remove the grate. Transport the unit to an appropriate location for removal of the contents. Holding the dumping straps on the outside at the bottom of the unit, turn the unit upside down, emptying the contents. Reinstall unit as above.
- 4.4 *For Oil and Sediment Model; remove and replace absorbent when near saturation.*
- 4.5 Dispose of unit and/or absorbent in accord with applicable Federal, state and local environmental laws and regulations.

**5.0 Method of Measurement:**

- 5.1 The quantity to be paid is for the actual number of Dandy Sack® inlet protection units installed

**6.0 Basis of Payment:**

- 6.1 The unit price shall include labor, equipment, and materials necessary to complete the work and maintain the Dandy Sack® inlet protection units.
- 6.2 Payment for the completed work will be made at the contract prices for:

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
Dandy Sack®	EA	Inlet Protection