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# Agrément Certificate 17/5394 Product Sheet 1 Issue 2

# WAVIN ATTENUATION AND INFILTRATION SYSTEMS

# **Q-BIC PLUS GEOCELLULAR UNIT**

This Agrément Certificate Product Sheet<sup>(1)</sup> relates to Q-Bic Plus Geocellular Unit, comprising polypropylene geocellular boxes, for use as below ground water storage attenuation tanks or soakaways to manage stormwater run-off from impermeable surfaces.

(1) Hereinafter referred to as 'Certificate'.

#### The assessment includes

#### **Product factors:**

- compliance with Building Regulations
- compliance with additional regulatory or nonregulatory information where applicable
- evaluation against technical specifications
- assessment criteria and technical investigations
- uses and design considerations

#### **Process factors:**

- compliance with Scheme requirements
- installation, delivery, handling and storage
- production and quality controls
- maintenance and repair

#### Ongoing contractual Scheme elements<sup>†</sup>:

- regular assessment of production
- formal 3-yearly review



#### **KEY FACTORS ASSESSED**

- Section 1. Mechanical resistance and stability
- Section 2. Safety in case of fire
- Section 3. Hygiene, health and the environment
- Section 4. Safety and accessibility in use
- Section 5. Protection against noise
- Section 6. Energy economy and heat retention
- Section 7. Sustainable use of natural resources
- Section 8. Durability

The BBA has awarded this Certificate to the company named above for the product described herein. This product has been assessed by the BBA as being fit for its intended use provided it is installed, used and maintained as set out in this Certificate.

On behalf of the British Board of Agrément

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Hardy Giesler Chief Executive Officer

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# SUMMARY OF ASSESSMENT AND COMPLIANCE

This section provides a summary of the assessment conclusions; readers should refer to the later sections of this Certificate for information about the assessments carried out.

## **Compliance with Regulations**

Having assessed the key factors, the opinion of the BBA is that Q-Bic Plus Geocellular Unit, if installed, used and maintained in accordance with this Certificate, can satisfy or contribute to satisfying the relevant requirements of the following Building Regulations:

in the second se	The Buil	ding Regulations 2010 (England and Wales) (as amended)	
Requirement: Comment:	H3(3)	Rainwater drainage The product can contribute to satisfying this Requirement. See section 9 of this	
		Certificate.	
Regulation:	7(1)	Materials and workmanship	
Comment:		The product is acceptable. See sections 8 and 9 of this Certificate.	
ET 23	The Building (Scotland) Regulations 2004 (as amended)		
Regulation:	8(1)(2)	Fitness and durability of materials and workmanship	
Comment:		The product can contribute to satisfying this Regulation. See sections 8 and 9 of this Certificate.	
<b>Regulation:</b>	9	Building standards - construction	
Standard:	3.6	Surface water drainage	
Comment:		The product can contribute to satisfying this Standard, with reference to clauses $3.6.1^{(1)(2)}$ to $3.6.5^{(1)(2)}$ . See section 9 of this Certificate.	
Standard:	7.1(a)	Statement of sustainability	
Comment:		The product can contribute to satisfying the relevant requirements of Regulation 9, Standards 1 to 6 and therefore will contribute to a construction meeting a bronze level of sustainability as defined in this Standard.	
		<ol> <li>Technical Handbook (Domestic).</li> <li>Technical Handbook (Non-Domestic).</li> </ol>	
and a start of the	The Building Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2012 (as amended)		
Regulation:	23(1)(a)(i)	Fitness of materials and workmanship	
Comment:	(iii)(b)(i)	The product is acceptable. See sections 8 and 9 of this Certificate.	
Regulation:	82	Rainwater drainage	
Comment:		The product can be used in a construction to satisfy this Regulation. See section 9 of this Certificate.	

# **Additional Information**

### NHBC Standards 2024

In the opinion of the BBA, Q-Bic Plus Geocellular Unit, if installed, used and maintained in accordance with this Certificate, can satisfy or contribute to satisfying the relevant requirements in relation to *NHBC Standards*, Chapter 5.3 *Drainage below ground*.

### **Fulfilment of Requirements**

The BBA has judged Q-Bic Plus Geocellular Unit to be satisfactory for use as described in this Certificate. The product has been assessed as below ground water storage attenuation tanks or soakaways to manage stormwater run-off from impermeable surfaces.

### ASSESSMENT

### Product description and intended use

The Certificate holder provided the following description for the product under assessment. Q-Bic Plus Geocellular Unit consists of blue polypropylene (PP) injection moulded components:

- base unit main element with integrated connectors, providing the volume storage
- bottom plate element forming the base of the tank
- side plates elements used around the sides of the tank structure prior to enclosing the tank in either a geotextile and/or a geomembrane. The plates include integrated standard DN 160 and DN 315 inlets allowing connection of pipes (to BS EN 1401-1 : 2019).

160 mm diameter inlet/outlet pipework can be fitted directly to the unit using the connection plate with the 160 mm diameter socket. An adaptor is required for all other pipework. The units can be installed with either external or vertical shaft connections.

The product has the characteristics given in Table 1.

Characteristic (unit)	Components					
	Unit	Unit	Bottom plate	Side plate	Side plate	(short) with
	(with bottom plate)			(long)	DN 160	DN 315
Product code	—	3084137	3093213	3084336	3059735	3059736
Dimensions	1200 x 600	1200 x 600	1200 x 600	1184 x 543	596 >	(527.5
(L x W x H) (mm)	x 630	x 600	x 70	x 50	х	50
Volume (m <sup>3</sup> )	0.45	—	—	_	_	—
Storage volume (m <sup>3</sup> )	0.436	—	—	_	_	—
Void ratio (%)	95	95	—	_	_	—
Mass (kg)	18.6	14	_	2.9	2	2

#### Table 1 Nominal characteristics of Q-Bic Plus Geocellular Unit

#### Ancillary Items

The Certificate holder recommends the following ancillary items for use with the product, but these materials have not been assessed by the BBA and are outside the scope of this Certificate:

- adaptor
- connecting pipework
- access/inspection provision
- outlet flow control device (orifice plate, vortex control or small pipe)
- project specific geotextiles conforming
- project specific geomembrane, and protective fleece
- adhesive or double-sided tape
- air vent connection
- silt trap or sediment removal separator.

The product is intended for use in the following situations:

- for a variety of areas, as defined in CIRIA C680 : 2008, Table 4.2:
- landscape areas:
  - small gardens or landscaped areas with no vehicle access, such as soakaways for individual house roof drainage. When the product is installed below a garden it should be a minimum of 5 m from the building and with minimum cover depth of 0.3 m
  - landscaped area where drive on mowers is used. Minimum cover depth is 0.5 m
- trafficked area:
  - driveways to individual houses and car parks with height barriers to limit vehicle size, cars up to 3000 kg GVW
  - car parks, access roads: cars or light vehicles up to 9000 kg GVW
  - low-speed roads (<15 mph), vehicles up to 60000 kg GVW (eg articulated lorries).
- management of rainwater run-off from impermeable surfaces, is utilised as follows:
  - infiltration system (mostly wrapped in geotextiles) water is stored within the system during rainfall and allowed to drain away by infiltrating into the surrounding ground over a substantial period after the rain has stopped
  - attenuation system (wrapped in geomembranes and/or geotextiles) water is stored within the system during
    rainfall and released at a reduced flow rate through a flow control device into an appropriate outfall. This reduces
    peak flows in the watercourse and, therefore, minimises the risk of flooding
  - a combination of infiltration and attenuation systems
  - rainwater harvesting (wrapped in geomembranes) water is stored in the tank until required.

Any other applications are outside the scope of this Certificate.

### **Product assessment – key factors**

The product was assessed for the following key factors, and the outcome of the assessments is shown below. Conclusions relating to the Building Regulations apply to the whole of the UK unless otherwise stated.

# **1** Mechanical resistance and stability

Data were assessed for the following characteristics.

#### 1.1 <u>Mechanical properties</u>

1.1.1 The result of an impact resistance test is given in Table 2.

Table 2 Characteristics for mechanical properties				
Product assessed	Assessment method	Requirement	Result	
Unit, bottom plate	Impact resistance adapted from BS EN ISO 3127 : 2017 and BS EN 744 : 1996 at 20°C	If damaged, identified as 'handle with care'	Identified as 'handle with care'	

1.1.2 On the basis of data assessed, the product is deemed to be sufficiently robust to withstand handling, transport, storage and installation.

#### 1.2 Strength and stability

1.2.1 Results of short-term compression tests are given in Table 3.

Table 3 Characteristics for strength and stability			
Product assessed	Assessment method	Requirement	Result
Single unit	Short-term compression strength	Value declared	Vertical: 325 kN·m <sup>-2</sup>
(as Ultimate strength)			Lateral: 108 kN·m <sup>-2</sup>
	to CIRIA C680, Annex A2		
	Short-term elastic deflection		Vertical: 1 mm per 33.1 kN·m <sup>-2</sup>
	to CIRIA C680, Annex A2		Lateral: 1 mm per 16.1 kN·m⁻²
	(applied load)		

1.2.2 On the basis of data assessed, the product is deemed to be fit for purpose for resistance to soil load including traffic load, both during and after installation.

1.2.3 The short-term compression results must not to be used to derive design strength directly. Ultimate strength is the maximum recorded strength or the resistance recorded at strain amplitude of 6%, whichever occurs first.

1.2.4 The partial load and material factors defined in CIRIA C680 : 2008, Table 4.5 and 4.6, may be used in an ultimate limit state design. Where applicable, additional factors must be considered for dynamic factor and material factors for creep/fatigue.

# 2 Safety in case of fire

Not applicable.

### **3** Hygiene, health and the environment

Not applicable.

### 4 Safety and accessibility in use

Not applicable.

### **5** Protection against noise

Not applicable.

### 6 Energy economy and heat retention

Not applicable.

### 7 Sustainable use of natural resources

The product is manufactured from polypropylene, which can be recycled.

### 8 Durability

8.1 The potential mechanisms for degradation and the known performance characteristics of the materials in the product were assessed.

8.2 Specific test data were assessed as given in Table 4.

Table 4 Ch	naracteristics for durability		
Product assessed	Assessment method	Requirement	Result <sup>(1)</sup>
Single unit	Long-term deflection to CIRIA C680 : 2008, Annex A2	Declared equation for deflection at defined load at 20°C	Equation for vertical deflection:0.6384 ln [time] + 4.6938for loads up to 68 kN·m <sup>-2</sup> 1.4510 ln [time] + 3.7879for loads up to 137 kN·m <sup>-2</sup> 2.6888 ln [time] + 10.277for loads up to 204 kN·m <sup>-2</sup> 5.5501 ln [time] + 9.1670for loads up to 274 kN·m <sup>-2</sup>
			Equation for horizontal deflection: • 0.4313 ln [time] + 2.3829 for loads up to 35 kN·m <sup>-2</sup>
PP material	Resistance to chemicals to BS EN 13476-1 : 2018, A.3. For guidance: PD ISO/TR 10358 : 2021	Product used for rainwater management	Pass

(1) Time in hours.

8.2.1 The equations have been established from creep tests. These can be used to estimate the long-term deflection for periods up to 60 years at 20°C.

8.2.2 On the basis of data assessed, the product is deemed to be suitably resistant to soil load and traffic load, both during and after installation, as well as to the chemicals with which it is likely to come into contact in service.

8.2.3 The product has suitable resistance to the chemicals likely to be encountered in service, subject to the water discharged being rainwater, surface water or ground water, excluding chemically contaminated wastewaters, such as industrial discharges. In situations where the product is to be exposed to the excluded influents, specific chemical and temperature resistance must be taken into account by a suitably experienced and competent individual.

#### 8.4 Service life

Under normal service conditions, the product will have a life of up to 60 years, provided it is designed, installed and maintained in accordance with this Certificate and the Certificate holder's instructions.

### **PROCESS ASSESSMENT**

Information provided by the Certificate holder was assessed for the following factors:

### 9 Design, installation, workmanship and maintenance

#### 9.1 <u>Design</u>

9.1.1 The design process was assessed by the BBA, and the following requirements apply in order to meet the performance assessed in this Certificate:

9.1.1.1 Guidance on the design and application of Sustainable Drainage Systems (SUDS) must be followed as given in:

- the Certificate holder's design recommendations
- CIRIA C680 : 2008 and CIRIA C753 : 2015
- flood risk and coastal change guidance.

9.1.2 The design of each project must be preceded by a detailed audit of the proposed site to establish:

- existing factors and considerations applicable to the site (eg soil type, presence of groundwater)
- predicted factors relating to the site's use following the planned development, and the parameters within which the installation is required to function (eg depth cover, surface finishing, type of loading)
- the type of function of application suggested by the audit.

9.1.3 Once the specific project criteria have been established from the site audit, the following design criteria must be established:

#### 9.1.3.1 Hydraulic design

9.1.3.1.1 The outflow from the tank must be controlled to comply with the discharge rate consent of the site. If the anticipated design flow is greater than the hydraulic capacity of a single connection pipe, the flow may be split between a number of pipes from an adjacent manhole. The system designer must ensure that the number and size of the pipe connections is sufficient to convey the anticipated design flow without restriction.

9.1.3.1.2 For infiltration (soakaways) application, either CIRIA Report 156 or BRE Digest 365 : 2016 calculations must be followed. In addition, the soil underlying the installation must have adequate permeability and the seasonally highwater table must be a minimum of 1 m below the base of the installation.

9.1.3.1.3 For attenuation (storage) application, the anticipated total run-off volume from the site must be estimated in the calculation, using the Wallingford Procedure or other acceptable method. The allowable discharge rate from the site to an appropriate outfall must be established, but will normally be set by the Environment Agency, Scottish Environmental Protection Agency or Planning Authorities. Furthermore, for site with a groundwater or high-water table, susceptibility of the tank to float must be taken into consideration.

#### 9.1.3.2 Structural design

9.1.3.2.1 The structural design of each installation incorporating the product must be carried out by an appropriately qualified and experienced engineer.

9.1.3.2.2 Consideration must be given to the effects of cumulative deflection in systems comprising several layers of units and care taken when the product is used below trafficked areas and close to structures. It is important to ensure that the infiltrating water will not soften the soils or cause loss of fines and subsequent settlement.

9.1.3.2.3 The engineer responsible for the design of the installation must confirm that the allowable ground-bearing capacity at the formation level is sufficient for the proposed operational loads. In areas of weak or compressible soils, advice should be sought from a geotechnical engineer, but such advice is outside the scope of this Certificate.

9.1.3.2.4 When the tank is wrapped in an impermeable geomembrane and placed below the groundwater table, flotation may occur. To prevent this, the weight of the soil over the top of the unit must be greater than the uplift force caused by the unit's buoyancy in the water. This can be achieved with most types of fills if the depth of cover fill is equal to, or greater than, the depth of penetration of the units below groundwater level.

#### 9.2 Installation

9.2.1 Installation instructions provided by the Certificate holder were assessed and judged to be appropriate and adequate.

9.2.2 Installation must be carried out in accordance with this Certificate and the Certificate holder's instructions. A summary of instructions and guidance are provided in Annex A of this Certificate.

9.2.3 To achieve the performance described in this Certificate, the product must be installed and tested in accordance with PD CEN/TR 17179 : 2018 and CIRCA C680 : 2008.

9.2.4 Special attention must be paid to temporary work requirements in excavations. The base must be inspected for soft spots in the formation, any present must be excavated and replaced with compacted granular fill material. The construction of final cover layers, such as concrete, bituminous or blockwork surfacing, and other finishes must be delayed as much as possible.

9.2.5 Adequate venting must be provided to the tank, either through high level pipe connections, direct venting to the atmosphere or via access chambers. One 110 mm diameter air vent is required per 7500 m<sup>2</sup> impermeable catchment area to be drained.

#### 9.3 Workmanship

Practicability of installation was assessed by the BBA, on the basis of the Certificate holder's information and a site visit to witness an installation in progress. To achieve the performance described in this Certificate, installation of the product must be carried out by a competent general builder, or a contractor, experienced with this type of product.

#### 9.4 Maintenance and repair

9.4.1 Ongoing satisfactory performance of the product in use requires that it is suitably maintained. The guidance provided by the Certificate holder was assessed by the BBA and found to be appropriate and adequate.

9.4.2 The following requirements apply in order to satisfy the performance assessed in this Certificate:

9.4.2.1 The owner of the structure is responsible for its maintenance. For soakaways to individual houses, the only necessary maintenance of the tank is to keep all gullies clear of debris. For large installations or where the receiving waters are environmentally sensitive, a programme of regular inspections and cleaning of all traps and sumps must be established to prevent siltation of the tank and to ensure its correct performance. Paved surface areas above an installation must be inspected at the same time to ensure it continues to provide the required structural support. The tank must also be inspected after every major storm event.

# **10** Manufacture

10.1 The production processes for the product have been assessed, and provide assurance that the quality controls are satisfactory according to the following factors:

10.1.1 The manufacturer has provided documented information on the materials, processes, testing and control factors.

10.1.2 The quality control operated over batches of incoming materials has been assessed and deemed appropriate and adequate.

10.1.3 The quality control procedures and product testing to be undertaken have been assessed and deemed appropriate and adequate.

10.1.4 The process for management of non-conformities has been assessed and deemed appropriate and adequate.

10.1.5 An audit of each production location was undertaken, and it was confirmed that the production process was in accordance with the documented process, and that equipment has been properly tested and calibrated.

† 10.2 The BBA has undertaken to review the above measures on a regular basis through a surveillance process, to verify that the specifications and quality control operated by the manufacturer are being maintained.

# 11 Delivery and site handling

11.1 The Certificate holder stated that the product is delivered to site in packaging bearing the product name, part number, Certificate holder name, batch number and date of manufacture. The main units, bottom plates and side plates are supplied to site in pallets of 32, 56 and 56 units respectively, secured with straps on wooden panels to enable placing and movement by a forklift.

11.2 Delivery and site handing must be performed in accordance with the Certificate holder's instructions and this Certificate, including:

11.2.1 Requirements for transportation, handling and storage at depots ands sites in accordance with PD CEN/TR 17179 : 2018.

11.2.2 The pallets must be carefully placed on level ground and not be stacked on site.

11.2.3 The product must be protected from direct sunlight if long-term storage is envisaged.

11.2.4 The product is resistant to damage that could occur with normal handling. However, it must be stored in locations where impact from vehicles and other construction plant activities will be avoided.

11.2.5 Prior to installation, all components of the system must be checked for damage. Damaged or defective components must not be installed.

# **ANNEX A – SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION †**

Supporting information in this Annex is relevant to the product but has not formed part of the material assessed for the Certificate.

## <u>Construction (Design and Management) Regulations 2015</u> Construction (Design and Management) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016

Information in this Certificate may assist the client, designer (including Principal Designer) and contractor (including Principal Contractor) to address their obligations under these Regulations.

### Management Systems Certification for production

The management system of the manufacturer has been assessed and registered as meeting the requirements of ISO/IEC 9001 : 2015 by KIWA (Certificate K20865/11).

### Additional Guidance

A.1 The hole or trench is excavated to the required depth, dimensions and levels. It must be ensured that the plan area is sufficient (minimum 500 mm is recommended) to allow access around the tank to compact backfill material. The base must be smooth and level without sharp drops or humps. Slopes must be cut to a safe angle or adequately supported and safe access must be provided to allow personnel to enter the excavation. Excavation must be carried out in accordance with BS 6031 : 2009, with particular attention paid to safety procedures.

A.2 The impermeable geomembrane (and geotextile and fleece, if additional protection is required) in the attenuation system and geotextile in the infiltration system are laid over the sand bedding layer and up the sides of the excavation. Joints between adjacent sheets of impermeable membrane must be sealed correctly using proprietary techniques recommended by the manufacturer and in line with PD CEN/TR 17179 : 2018. Jointing with tape is not recommended as the seal becomes reliant on the mechanical properties of the tape to maintain its integrity. The geomembrane is inspected for damage and all welds are tested as required.

A.3 Drainage connections are made to the installation using proprietary adaptors. Pre-formed socket positions for pipe connections must be located at the correct position for receiving pipework. Alternatively, flange adaptors are used attached to the units with adhesive tape and self-tapping screws (flange adaptors cannot be used at the invert of the units into the pre-formed socket). It is recommended that all connections into air vent and storage applications (using a geomembrane) are made using a flange adaptor. Adhesive or double-sided tape must be used between the geomembrane and flange adaptor to ensure a watertight seal. Alternatively, drainage connections are sealed into a pre-formed socket using proprietary seals approved by the geomembrane manufacturer.

A.4 The installation is backfilled with Type 1 or 2 sub-base or Class 6P (side fill only) selected granular material in accordance with the *Manual of Contract Documents for Highway Works* (MCHW), Volume 1 *Specification for Highway Works* (SHW). The backfill is compacted in 150 mm thick layers.

A.5 A coarse sand protection layer, 100 mm thick, should be placed over the top of the units that have been wrapped. Backfilling is continued with:

- trafficked areas (eg car parks) Type 1 or 2 sub-base material compacted in 150 mm layers in accordance with the MCHW, Volume 1. The mass of compaction plant over the top of the units must not exceed 2300 kg per metre width of roll
- landscaped and non-trafficked areas selected as-dug material, with size of pieces less than 75 mm, compacted to 90% maximum dry density.

### Additional information on maintenance

A.6 It is recommended that a silt trap or sediment removal separator is installed upstream of the inlet pipework to the system and access (via manhole or similar) to the location of flow control devices is incorporated.

A.7 Further guidance on operation and maintenance of the installation may be obtained from CIRIA C753 : 2016.

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BS EN 744 : 1996 Plastics piping and ducting systems — thermoplastics pipes — test method for resistance to external blows by the round-the-clock method

BS EN 1401-1 : 2019 Plastics piping systems for non-pressure underground drainage and sewerage — Unplasticized poly(vinyl chloride) (PVC-U) — Specifications for pipes, fittings and the system

BS EN 13476-1 : 2018 Plastics piping systems for non-pressure underground drainage and sewerage — Structured-wall piping systems of unplasticized poly(vinyl chloride) (PVC-U), polypropylene (PP) and polyethylene (PE) — General requirements and performance characteristics

BS EN ISO 3127 : 2017 Thermoplastics pipes — determination of resistance to external blows — round-the-clock method (ISO 3127:1994)

ISO/IEC 9001 : 2015 Quality management systems - Requirements

PD CEN/TR 17179 : 2018 Thermoplastics piping and ducting systems — Rainwater infiltration and storage attenuation systems — Practices for underground installation (02/20)

PD ISO/TR 10358 : 2021 Plastics pipes and fittings for industrial applications — Collection of data on combined chemical-resistance

CIRIA C680 : 2008 Structural design of modular geocellular drainage tanks

CIRIA C753 : 2015 The SuDS Manual

CIRIA Report 156 : 1996 Infiltration drainage — Manual of good practice

Flood risk and coastal change guidance — National Planning Policy Framework — August 2022

Manual of Contract Documents for Highway Works, Volume 1 Specification for Highway Works, Series 0500, Drainage and Service Ducts (02/20)

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3 This Certificate will be displayed on the BBA website, and the Certificate Holder is entitled to use the Certificate and Certificate logo, provided that the product and its manufacture and/or fabrication, including all related and relevant parts and processes thereof:

- are maintained at or above the levels which have been assessed and found to be satisfactory by the BBA
- continue to be checked as and when deemed appropriate by the BBA under arrangements that it will determine
- are reviewed by the BBA as and when it considers appropriate.

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