**Henry DB**
Prefabricated Drainage Composites

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<td>Flow Rate</td>
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*The Flow Rate published is for a hydraulic gradient of 1.0, which is typical for a vertical orientation. For the anticipated Flow Rate for horizontal applications, typically a hydraulic gradient of 0.1, contact Henry Technical Support.*

### Description

**Henry DB** products consist of multiple components designed to enhance the performance of Henry protected membrane roofing and waterproofing systems. **Henry DB** consists of a polystyrene or PVC core combined with a polypropylene fabric. Polymeric films attached to the **Henry DB** provide additional protection for softer waterproofing systems.

### Features

- Integral part of a high performance Henry protected membrane roofing or waterproofing system;
- Low installed cost compared to other drainage systems such as aggregates;
- Easy to handle and install;
- Strong and durable with very high compressive strength and tear resistance;
- Chemically resistant;
- High flow capacity

### Preparation

Ensure that the primary waterproofing system has been installed and inspected prior to covering with **Henry DB**. Flood tests may also need to be complete prior to the application of the **Henry DB**. When used as a protection board, ensure that work progresses from sheet to sheet to avoid damage to the waterproofing membrane.
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Uses

Henry DB is used as a component of a Henry high performance protected membrane roofing assembly or waterproofing assembly in both horizontal and vertical applications. The Henry DB enhances the performance of the watertight layer by directing water quickly and safely to a drain and drain system. Used in protected membrane roofing applications, retaining walls, plaza deck waterproofing, parking structures, roof gardens and planters, foundation walls and other areas where a high performance system is desired.

Henry DB 200 – Designed for vertical and horizontal installations at shallower depths where moderate compressive strength is adequate.

Henry DB 220 – Designed for vertical and horizontal installations at shallower depths where moderate compressive strength is adequate. Polymeric films attached to membrane (back) side provide additional protection for softer waterproofing systems.

Henry DB 200-S – Designed for vertical and horizontal installations requiring a high compressive strength and moderate flow capacity.

Henry DB 350 – Designed for horizontal applications requiring high compressive strength, moderate flow capacity, and the strength and filtration properties of a woven geotextile. Suitable for use under topping slab in split slab applications.

Henry DB 500 – Designed primarily for vertical installations requiring high compressive strength and where high flow capacity is needed. Use is suitable for selected horizontal applications.

Henry DB 520 – Designed primarily for vertical installations requiring high compressive strength and where high flow capacity is needed. Use is suitable for selected horizontal applications. Polymeric film attached to membrane (back) side provides additional protection for softer waterproofing systems.

Henry DB 650 – Designed primarily for horizontal applications requiring high flow capacity, high compressive strength and the strength and filtration properties of a woven geotextile. Suitable for use under topping slab in split slab applications.

Henry DB 650n – Designed for horizontal applications requiring high flow capacity, high compressive strength and the strength and filtration properties of a non-woven geotextile.

Application

Place Henry DB with fabric side up in the case of horizontal applications and outwards for vertical applications. Attach to vertical surfaces using Henry cold applied adhesives, two sided tape, and nails driven through washers, or other approved method.

Vertical Application: Start at the top or bottom of the wall. Rolls may be applied horizontally or vertically. When installed horizontally, the edge of the core with the flange should be at the top. When installed vertically, the flange should be at the upstream edge. This flange position minimizes the seepage of water behind the drain similar to the way roof shingles work.

Horizontal Application: The edge of the core with the flange should be at the higher edges of the substrate, away from the drains.


Corners: Bend drain to make inside corners. For outside corners, cut Henry DB to reach corner and provide 3” or extra fabric to wrap around corner. Attach drain to wall and overlap fabric at joint.

Backfilling: Soil should be placed and compacted directly against the drain.

Limited Warranty

Contact Warranty Department at www.henry.com/warranty or location shown below for product or systems warranty information.

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