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## Geotextiles and geotextile-related products - Characteristics required for use in drainage systems

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