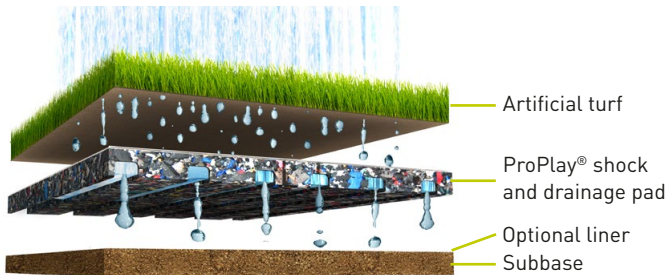


### GENERAL INFORMATION



Artificial turf system with ProPlay®-Sport shock and drainage pad



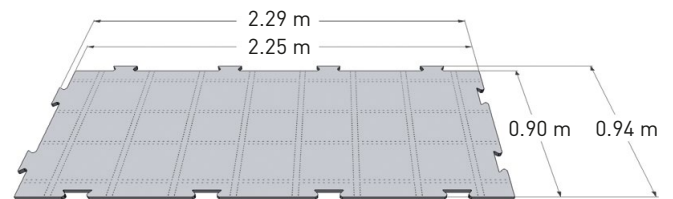
Puzzle shaped ProPlay® sheets with expansion slots

### Product description

**ProPlay®-Sport** is a top performance shock and drainage pad, and the perfect basis for high-quality artificial grass systems for sports fields, multi-game and play areas.

ProPlay®-Sport is made of thermal bonded (closed-celled) cross-linked polyethylene foam (PEX). This foam originates from production residues and contains no contaminants.

ProPlay®-Sport performs in all weather conditions and is renowned for its excellent water permeability. If desired it can be delivered with in-plane drainage channels, offering excellent lateral drainage in case the artificial grass system is to be built on an impermeable subbase.



Dimensions ProPlay®-Sport sheet

### ENVIRONMENT, HEALTH AND SAFETY CREDENTIALS

ProPlay® can be safely used for any artificial grass system. The products do not contain any harmful substances, like heavy metals or polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH's), in concentrations that pose a risk for the environment and/or human health.

ProPlay®-Sport complies with:

- The European Community:
  - Regulation No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council on Classification, Labelling and Packaging of substances and mixtures (CLP).
  - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH).

- The state of California's Code of Regulations (CCR):
  - Title 22 'Social Security' - Division 4.5 'Environmental Health Standards for the Management of Hazardous Waste'.
  - Title 27 'Environmental Protection' - Division 4 'Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment' - Chapter 1 'Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986' (Proposition 65).
- Toxicology requirements from ESTC (ESTO) Shock pad Working Group's 'Performance Guide for Shock pad'.

### TECHNICAL DATA

Physical characteristics	Tolerance	ProPlay <sup>®</sup> Value	Unit	Standard
Thickness at 2 kPa (0.3 psi) load	+/- 1	20	mm	EN-ISO 9863-1*
Mass per unit area	+/- 0.3	3.2	kg/m <sup>2</sup>	EN-ISO 9864*

\* As modified by Schmitz

Required characteristics International Sports Associations		ProPlay <sup>®</sup> Value	Unit	Standard
Tensile strength	> 0.15	0.26	MPa	EN 12230
Tensile strength after (air) ageing acc. EN 13817	> 0.15	0.25	MPa	EN 12230
Water infiltration rate [IA]	> 180	72,000	mm/h	EN 12616

Performance characteristics		ProPlay <sup>®</sup> Value	Unit	Standard
Lateral drainage at 0.006 gradient (0.6% slope) **		0.315	l/s.m	EN-ISO 12958 ***
Force reduction		56	%	AAA****
Energy restitution		43	%	AAA****
Vertical deformation		6.8	mm	AAA****
Shock absorption		56	%	EN 14808
Vertical deformation		5.3	mm	EN 14809
Critical fall height (Head Injury Criterion ~ 1000)		0.68	m	EN 1177
Thermal resistance (R-value)		0.40	m <sup>2</sup> .K/W	EN 12667

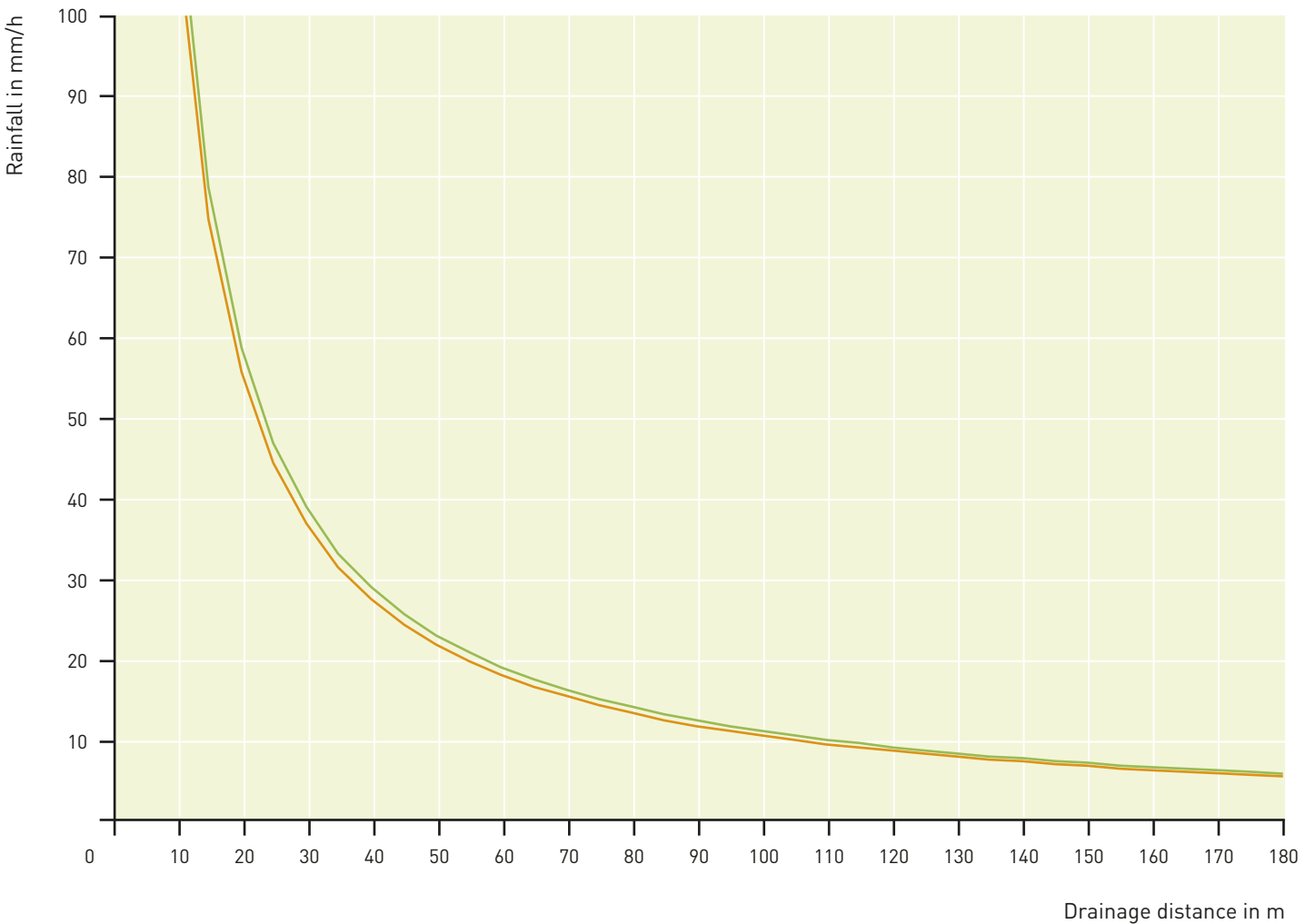
\*\* The lateral drainage graph on next page shows the drainage behaviour in a sports field

\*\*\* As modified by CEN TC217

\*\*\*\* Advanced Artificial Athlete

### LATERAL DRAINAGE

Below graph indicates how much rainfall (in millimeters per hour) a field can handle in relation to its width (in meter), based upon typical field slopes without rainwater rising above the ProPlay<sup>®</sup>-Sport.



Classification	Rainfall (mm/h)
Light rain	< 2
Moderate rain	2 - 10
Heavy rain	10 - 50
Violent rain	> 50

— 0.005 gradient (0.5% slope)  
— 0.010 gradient (1.0% slope)

### INSTALLATION DISCLAIMER

- Installation of ProPlay<sup>®</sup>-Sport must be done under the code of good workmanship. Schmitz Foam Products B.V. does not accept any liability for the design, or construction of any facilities, or actions of any parties employed, as a result of, or in connection with, any information provided in this document.
- It is recommended that the subbase is designed and approved by an architect or civil engineer, based on the geotechnical and meteorological conditions of the site and any (local) restrictions to the drainage discharge.
- Although ProPlay<sup>®</sup>-Sport can be installed on any kind of subbase, as long as the construction itself is strong enough to hold installation and maintenance equipment, it is advised that the subbase has a minimum undrained shear strength of at least 50 kN/m<sup>2</sup> (BS 1377, part 7) or a minimum California Bearing Ratio of 5% (BS 1377, part 4) or equivalent.
- The regularity of the surface of the subbase should be within 10 mm under a 3 m straight edge.
- When a ProPlay<sup>®</sup>-Sport "D" variant (for lateral drainage) is applied, the slope of the surface of the subbase should be at least 0.5%, although 1.0% is better. When the surface of the subbase can rinse out, it is recommended to use a liner (foil or geotextile).
- It shall be noted that ProPlay<sup>®</sup>-Sport - like any other foam shock pad - will expand/contract under the influence of changes of temperature; to prevent unnecessary shrinkage after completion of the installation, the ProPlay<sup>®</sup>-Sport recommended installation method must be used in its entirety!
- The textile of the ProPlay<sup>®</sup>-Sport should not be exposed to UV-radiation (i.e. daylight) for more than 1 month.
- It is advised to install the synthetic turf within 1 week after installation of the ProPlay<sup>®</sup>-Sport.
- The synthetic turf shall not be glued (or in any other way be attached) to the ProPlay<sup>®</sup>-Sport, since the ProPlay<sup>®</sup>-Sport needs to be able to expand/contract without any hampering.
- It is strongly recommended to stabilize the synthetic turf with at least 15 kg/m<sup>2</sup> (~3.1 lbs/ft<sup>2</sup>) of sand, or (preferably) to use a turf with a fiberglass reinforced backing.
- In any case, it is advised to fix the turf to the perimeter of the field (according to the guidelines of the turf supplier).
- During installation of the ProPlay<sup>®</sup>-Sport or after installation (when installing and filling the synthetic turf) it is allowed to drive over the ProPlay<sup>®</sup>-Sport with installation equipment/machines. The load (per tyre) of the installation equipment shall be less than 40 psi (~276 kN/m<sup>2</sup>) for short time frames (e.g. driving over the surface). Vehicles that are temporarily parked on the surface should have a load of less than 20 psi (~138 kN/m<sup>2</sup>) per tyre.

### GENERAL DISCLAIMER

- This ProPlay<sup>®</sup> product data sheet provides general product properties and is not related to specific sportfield and playground installation regulations. Relevant ProPlay<sup>®</sup> shock pad installation instructions can be found in the ProPlay<sup>®</sup> installation recommendation guide. Please note there are separate installation manual for ProPlay<sup>®</sup>-Sport and ProPlay<sup>®</sup> for Playgrounds products.
- The given information is based on (independent) measurements and (where possible) based on average values measured over a long and representative period. Additional information can be made available upon request.
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