# Secumat<sup>®</sup> Green <u>IN</u> Naue Coco M

The biodegradable coir mat



Building on sustainable ground.

Secumat<sup>®</sup> Green Coco M is a sustainable, temporary erosion control solution. This coir fibre mat is quilted on both sides with a carrier made of jute fabric and jute fibres. The filling is 100% biodegradable, untreated coir fibre. The fibre structure acts as a separating and coarse filter layer and effectively reduced the erosive energy of precipitation and flowing water.

The Secumat<sup>®</sup> Green Coco M 450 coir filling also protects the vegetation growing underneath against significant temperature fluctuations and reduces evaporation of water close to the surface.



Figure 1: Soil retention on slopes

Figure 2: Coir mats as vegetation support in troughs





# 1. Vegetating slopes

Typical applications for Secumat<sup>®</sup> Green Coco M

Secumat® Green Coco M quickly establishes a natural appearance on slopes on infrastructure construction projects. Slope inclinations of up to 40° can be accommodated. Secumat<sup>®</sup> Green Coco M thus creates areas of biological diversification in urban environments. Habitats are generated for microorganisms such as insects and this contributes to improving the climate. (Fig. 1)

### 2. Trough vegetation

The closed surface of Secumat<sup>®</sup> Green Coco M provides more stable filtration and reliable soil retention which reduces the risk of soil erosion and supports initial greening. (Fig. 2)

### 3. Trickle protection in facing systems

Coir mats can also be used in facing systems. The Secumat® coir mat in the front of the facing provide trickle protection and facilitate vegetation for quick integration of the surface into the landscape. (Fig. 3)

Figure 3: Controlled water flow in infrastructure projects

### Benefits of using Secumat<sup>®</sup> Green Coco M

Secumat® Green Coco M is a 100% biodegradable, areal erosion control product which is easy to install. A soil cover is not necessary and there is no need for cost-intensive deconstruction.

A uniformly high quality is ensured due to the continuous mechanical production method. The high levels of lignin ensure the coir fibres break down slowly. The jute net enclosing the Secumat® Green Coco M provides high water absorbency which supports the moisture balance in the soil.

The gradual degredation of the different components results in a functional time up to 36 months which provides plants with more and more room in which to grow.





Figure 4: Secumat® Green PinW 30





Figure 6: Secumat<sup>®</sup> Green Coco M 450

## Benefits of Secumat<sup>®</sup> Green Coco M 450

- Secumat<sup>®</sup> Green Coco M 450 is particularly cost-effective as it requires minimal maintenance and does not generate any disposal costs.
- It is particularly quick and easy to install and does not have to be covered.
- Coir mats can be used in many different applications with slopes gradients of > 40°.
- It offers the ideal biodegradable solution for cases where the development of vegetation requires no more than 36 months until it is fully established.
- Secumat<sup>®</sup> Green Coco M 450 can therefore be used in a wide range of applications with a high level of safety.

### Secumat<sup>®</sup> Green Coco M 450 packaging

Secumat<sup>®</sup> Green Coco M 450 coir mats are supplied in rolls:

Product	Property	Value
Secumat <sup>®</sup> Green Coco M 450	Weight per unit area	450 g/m <sup>2</sup>
	Roll dimension (W x L)	2.4 m x 50 m

We recommend fixing Secumat® Green Coco M 450 with Secumat® Green PinW 30 wooden pins. (Fig. 4)



Figure 8: Coir mats on a slope



Figure 9: Coir mats as facing



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