## WILDFLOWER BLANKET XF118

Xero Flor XFI18 wildflower blanket has been developed to meet the growing demand for a native species vegetation blanket to satisfy the requirements of both BREEAM and Sustainable Homes codes. The product utilises the technology and much of the experience that we have gained over the last 15 years in growing and installing sedum-vegetated blankets, and as a result shares many of the benefits of these proven products.

The 24 species of wildflowers and herbs incorporated into the blanket have been selected to provide a viable and vibrant plant community whilst also delivering a range of native species that will be present on most of the biodiversity action plan lists that project-specific ecology reports now demand.

The unique blanket carrier incorporates a polypropylene mesh stitched to a permeable geotextile membrane, which ensures minimum compaction of the blanket substrate whilst allowing the vigorous root growth of the wildflowers to quickly establish into the substrate installed underneath.

Whilst the XF118 wildflower blanket is always installed as part of an extensive, substrate-based green roof system, the weight of the build-up and its establishment and ongoing maintenance requirements are amongst the lowest for this type of system.

## **KEY FEATURES**

- Lightweight green roof system, making it ideal for retrofitting on a building or on new build construction.
- Effective solution where BREEAM and Sustainable Homes codes require a biodiversity strategy
- Delivers instant greening of a roof with native species wildflower plants
- Cost effective
- Cradle-to-Cradle certification
- Vegetation blankets are cultivated by Bauder and delivered to site within 24 hours of harvesting

Key to the success of the Bauder XFI18 Wildflower Blanket is whether it is being specified to support the ecology or if its visual appearance will be the primary requirement. If the former is required then a basic level of irrigation and maintenance after installation will be sufficient, and if the latter then a greater level of maintenance and irrigation will be of much assistance in achieving the desired effect.

For further information on the Bauder XFI18 Wildflower Blanket please see the Bauder Green Roof Vegetation Installation Guide and the Bauder Extensive Green Roof Maintenance Guide, both of which can be found at www.bauder.co.uk.





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## **XFI 18 WILDFLOWER INDICATIVE SPECIES LIST**

Botanical Name	Height	Blossom	Flowering Season
Achillea millefolium	8-40 cm	White	June-August
Armeria maritima	5-20 cm	Pink	April-October
Bellis perennis	3-12c m	White / Yellow	March-October
Campanula glomerata	3-30 cm	Blue	June-October
Campanula rotundifolia	15 cm	Blue	July-September
Centaurea cyanus	20-50 cm	Blue	June-August
Centaurium erythrea	10-40 cm	Pink	July-August
Dianthus deltoides	15-30 cm	Pink	April-October
Echium vulgare	30-60 cm	Blue	June-September
Galium verum	15-60 cm	Yellow	July-August
Geum rivale	20-40 cm	Pink	April-August
Linaria vulgaris	20-40 cm	Yellow	July-September
Lotus corniculatus	10-20 cm	Yellow	June-September
Lychnis flos-cu-culi	50-60 cm	Pink	May-August
Papaver rhoes	20-60 cm	Red	June-August
Pilosella aurantiaca	20-60 cm	Orange	July-October
Prunella vulgaris	5-20 cm	Purple	June-October
Rhianthos minor	30-50 cm	Yellow	May-August
Saponaria officianalis	20-40 cm	Light Pink	July-September
Scabiosa columbaria	15-50 cm	Blue	July-October
Sedum acre	5-10 cm	White / Yellow	July-August
Silene uniflora	8-25cm	White	June-August
Silene vulgaris	25-50 cm	White	June-August
Thymus polytricus	4-10 cm	Mauve	May-August





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