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# **VISION**

This is the essential element for the survival of any life form on the Earth. Without water, our planet history would have been different and perhaps it would have never been started. Nature preserved with great efficiency this invaluable good, returning each drop of water to the environment. Urbanization has damaged the natural water cycle: it's time to turn over a new page.

# MAN AND WATER, THE SEARCH FOR A MUCH-NEEDED BALANCE: THIS IS OUR AIM

Not only we transform our ideas into innovative and succesful products, but also we study and select the right materials to guarantee high quality and respect of the environment.

Polypropylene (PP) is a recyclable material that can be obtained also from the regeneration of plastic waste. Strong and solid, it can easily resist to high breaking loads and abrasions.

Regenerated Polypropylene is a chemically inert material, neutral towards the environment and non-polluting when in contact with ground and water.

Geoplast S.p.A. in Green Building Council Italy. The eco-friendly network for building

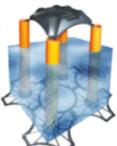




# THE SOLUTION

**NEW ELEVETOR TANK** is a system that allows the creation of lightened and poured on-site water storage tanks, heights and size variable according to the design requirements.

Not only allows NEW ELEVETOR TANK structure, an high resistance to any load and the



place under heavy traffic areas, but also it guarantees a significant storage of water inside it. Moreover, the GRID, placed on the base, allows an easy and quick installation of the PVC pipes, keeping a perfect verticality during the pouring stage.

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High capability modular system to create storage and lamination tanks



the base grid allows the system to maintain the pilars prefectly vertical to guarantee an high load bearing capability of the slab

## quick

The grid allows the system to be placed quickier than any other alternative system. The installation surface guarantees then an high productivity onsite

## inspectable

The pilars guarantee the creation of structures like tanks or general upper storeys which are completely inspectable through specific manholes

## resistant

#### **NEW ELEVETOR TANK**

structure allows a perfect cargo-sharing, in order to install the system even under heavy traffic areas

## capacity

#### **NEW ELEVETOR TANK**

allows the creation of high capability storage tanks exploiting a small surface

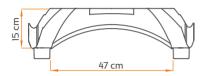
## modular

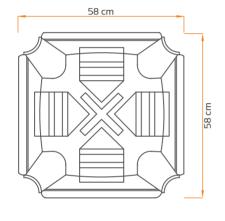
Thank to its modularity, **NEW ELEVETOR TANK**,

can easily be installed under curved and irregular surfaces

# TECHNICAL DATA

# NEW ELEVETORTANK







Real size (cm) material weight (kg) packaging size (cm) n° pcs. per pallet

> Real size (cm) material

#### **FORMWORK**

58 x 58 x 15 Polypropylene 1,50 120 x 120 x 265 225

#### **GRID**

58 x 58 x 2.5 Polypropylene 0.70 110 x 110 x 240 310

#### **PIPE**

75 > 200 x ø12.5 **PVC** 

#### LISTEL

8x10x100 **Polystyrene** 

#### LEVEL FILLING CONCRETE CONSUMPTION (m3/m2)

0,037 X (New Elevetor Tank height (m) - 0,15) + 0,030 m<sup>3</sup>/m<sup>2</sup>



## The pipe

The supporting pipe is the typical PVC pipe used in the worksite, the external diameter is of 125 mm and the thickness is of 1,8 mm. They are inserted in the base patented grid and once they are filled with concrete they work as structural support for the upper formwork.

# THE SYSTEM

# NEW ELEVETORTANK

## The concept

It is ideal to create storage tanks of different heights and sizes. The product is provided with a formwork, PVC pipes and a patented grid which guarantees the system perfect verticality and a perfect load-bearing capability. The system is modular and consists in the formwork dry application in

order to create a completely walkable and self-supporting foundation, ready for the pour. When the concrete solidifies, it takes the form of NEW ELEVETOR TANK creating a supporting and ventilated slab in all directions.



## The **formwork**

It appears like a dome made of regenerated PP, plan dimensions of 58 x 58 cm and heights of 15 cm, provided with lower joints for a perfect hook with the pipes. The dome's geometry allows a uniform cargosharing over the 4 pilars, reducing the upper slab thickness.

## **Reinforcement** option



For delicate situations, where the combination between loads and pipes heights is particularly onerous, the insertion of iron elements (bars/forks made of steel) in the pipes, is recommended. This is necessary to guarantee the concrete pilars stability even under the influence of dynamic forces.

# CHARACTERISTICS AND ADVANTAGES OF THE GRID

The base grid, essential for NEW ELEVETOR TANK system, is created in regenerated PP and allows the PVC pipe perfect verticality. The grids are hooked together to form a solid base grid that quarantees the structure stability and walkability.



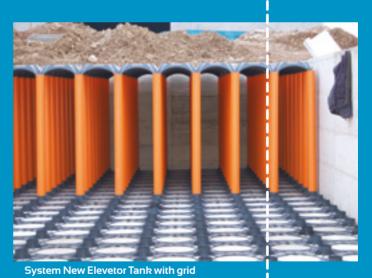
#### PIPES VERTICALITY

The pilars verticality is guaranteed by the base grid, which is essential because of two aspects:

SAFETY: the perfectly aligned and vertical system guarantees safety and walkability. BEARING CAPABILITY: it keeps the pilars perfectly vertical, so that the concrete structure will not have any distorting effect that could undermine the system stability.



Typical system without grid



#### **PRECISION**

The hooking between the base grids allows the vertical and horizontal alignement of the system (PVC pipes + formwork) and an high precision during the installation. The grid is very light, easy to cut and to move even in correspondence of walls.



#### QUICK INSTALLATION

The base grid is an essential plus for the system **NEW** ELEVETOR TANK. It is an extremely light and spacesaving element which can be quickly installed thanks to the specific male/female hooking.

# METHOD OF PLACE ON-SITE

The right installation of New Elevetor Tank







#### **1) STRUCTURE**

Creation of the tank foundation and walls. Preparation of the pumping stations, the inspection pits and other hydraulic waterworks.

#### ② GRID

Place of the base grid, essential for the pipes verticality and for the sytem structural resist-

#### ③ TUBES

Place of the PVC pipes, in the specific positions in the base grid







#### 4 FORMWORK PLACE

NEW ELEVETOR TANK, placed from right to left, is inserted into the pipes to guarantee a safe walkability.

#### **(5) COMPENSATION**

against the retaining walls, the polystyrene listels avoid the concrete dispersion.

**6** WELDED MESH

On the starting sides, where the formwork lays Place of the distribution welded mesh following the design specifications.







#### 7 PILARSREINFORCEMENT (8) THE POUR

Insertion of the iron rods in the PVC pipes, hooking them to the welded mesh.

Once the reinforcements installation is completed, you proceed with the pouring stage from a side to the other, vibrating the concrete adequately.

#### FINISHING

Backfill of the tank and creation of the road package.

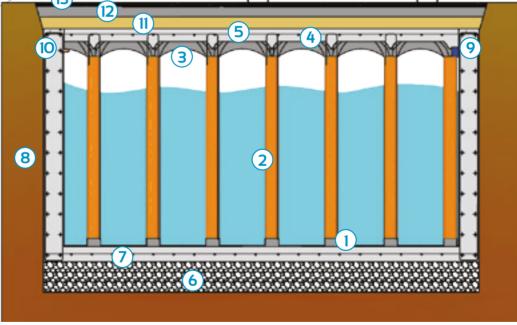
# NEW ELEVETOR TANK FINISHED SYSTEM

- I-NEWELEVETOR TANK GRID
- 2-PVCPIPE
- 3-NEWELEVETOR TANK FORMWORK
- 4-PILAR'S REINFORCEMENT FORK
- 5-REINFORCED SLAB
- 6-GRAVEL
- 7-FOUNDATION
- 8-RETAININGWALLS
- 9-POLYSTYRENE LISTEL
- 10-SUPPORTING SHELF OF THE CUT

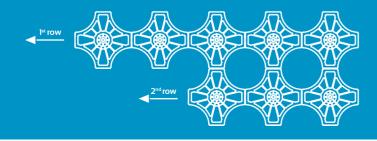
**FORMWORK** 

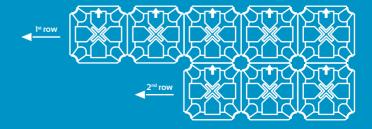
- 11-STABILIZIED SOIL
- 12-BINDER ASPHALT





## **LAYING ORDER**





# DIMENSIONAL TABLES

In order to quickly size the tank, you should refer to the basin values per unit area that are shown in the table below. The pilars dimensions have already been calculated.

h	BASIN VOLUME		h	BASIN VOLUME	
cm	m³/m²	I/m²	cm	m³/m²	I/m²
80	0,626	626	170	1,493	1.493
90	0,722	722	180	1,583	1.583
100	0,819	819	190	1,686	1.686
110	0,915	915	200	1,782	1.782
120	1,011	1.011	210	1,878	1.878
130	1,108	1.108	220	1,975	1.975
140	1,204	1.204	230	2,071	2.071
150	1,300	1.300	240	2,167	2.167
160	1,397	1.397	250	2,264	2.264

The effective storage level is the equivalent of the lenght of the PVC pipe inserted in the base grid. The height shown in the table is that of the plastic system, that is the sum of the pipe lenght and of the formwork lenght (15 cm).

#### Example of load table for NEW ELEVETOR TANK H150

Type of road load	Overload t	Hood thickness (cm)	Slab thickness Rck300(cm)	Gravel thickness 300(cm)	Ground pressure 300(cm)	Welde mm	ed mesh mesh (cm)
1 <sup>st</sup> category	60	15	20	35	0,87	doppia ø 8	20 x 20
2 <sup>nd</sup> category	45	10	15	30	0,93	ø8	20 x 20

This table has to be considered only as an example. The values may vary depending on the project. www.geoplast.it



# Buildings protection and water saving

NEW ELEVETOR TANK allows the creation of a lamination tank for rainwater, lightweight and poured onsite. The aim is to prevent the floodings in new urban areas and to respect the local regulations on water discharge in the sewers. As an

alternative, the tank can be used to restore water to irrigate green areas or to create a firefighting water tank in public buildings. This leads to an eco-friendly use of water.

High storage capability

Quick to install

Inspectable







# Buildings protection and reuse of storaged water

NEW ELEVETOR TANK allows the creation of large size lamination tanks for rainwater, in order to prevent potential floodings or to storage high quantities of water that can be used in case of fire or as a water

reserve for production purposes. The structure of the system can resist also to heavy loads and can be installed under operative areas or loading and unloading zones. High storage capability
Variable heights
High resistance to loads





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# Prevention of **floodings**

NEW ELEVETOR TANK can be used also to create storage and lamination systems for rainwater in road infrastructures. The aim is the prevention from potential viability inconveniences. The modular structure allows the quick installation of the sys-

tem on irregular and curved surfaces, while the high load resistance allows its installation in heavy traffic areas. The system can be placed also under ramps or elevations thanks to the variable heights of the pipes.

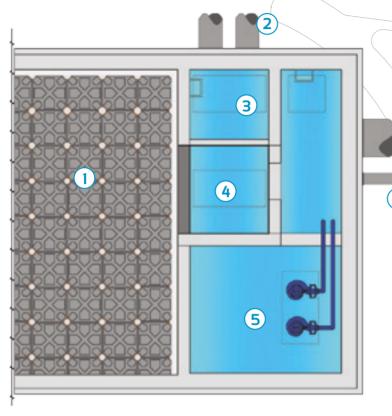
Adaptable to irregular surfaces
High load resistance
Variable heights







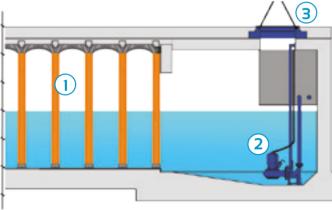
# NEW ELEVETOR TANK CONSTRUCTION DETA



## Example scheme lamination tank

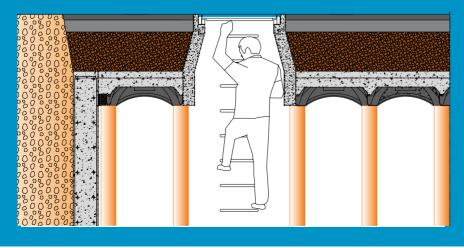
- Tank with NEW ELEVETOR TANK
- Pipes for rainwater storage
- 2 Pipes for ra 3 Stilling ba 4 Spillway 5 Elevation Stilling basin

- 6 Discharge to the final receptor
- **Emergency discharge**



## Detail water lifting station

- Sistem NEW ELEVETOR TANK
- 2 Submersi3 Manhole Submersible pump

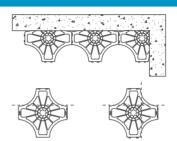


### **Inspection** pit

The inspectable pits facilitate themaintenance and the control of underground installations like storage tanks. The distance between the pilars allows to easily transit above the structure and the possible intervention in a subsequent period after the creation of the tank.

# NSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

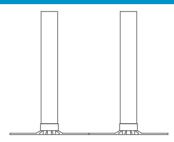




Cut the bases as in the scheme and place the first row against the wall. Place it from right to left.

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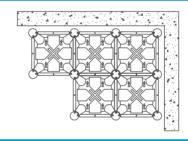




Place the PVC pipes in the bases, exerting pressure in the upper part to obtain a correct hooking.

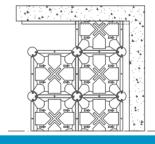
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Install NEW ELEV-ETOR TANK, making sure the hooking is perfect

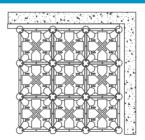




Place the last row of NEW ELEVETOR TANK with the dome cut and against the kerb.

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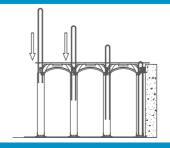




Place the stoppends against the kerb.

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Place the welded mesh and the additional reinforced irons in the pilars.

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