

Title of the Invention: Improved Inter-connectable Drainage Cell**ABSTRACT**

A drainage module (10) comprises a rigid cell including two substantially parallel planar members (12: 14) each of which defines an ordered array of circular apertures (16) with a series of columns (18) disposed substantially normally to the two parallel surfaces retaining the two members in a fixed spaced relationship from each other. The module is rectangular, preferably square, defining four sides. Each side defines two spaced apart male interlocking means (22) which are integral with the module and project from the sides of the module. Four female interlocking means (40) are also defined on each of the sides. The male and female interlocking means are located such that the modules can be secured together in side to side relation, in which relationship the male locking means from a first module engages in a female locking means of a second module with any of the four sides of the first module engageable with any of the four sides of the second module provided the modules are both the same way up. The additional female interlocking means on each side allow the module to be assembled in a stepped pattern as well.

[Fig. 10]