

GGT-Footing[™] Self Installation Guide

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Installing Footing Yourself

This is a great option for saving money to upgrade your footing. When you are using GGT textile footing it is important that you understand the requirements for success.

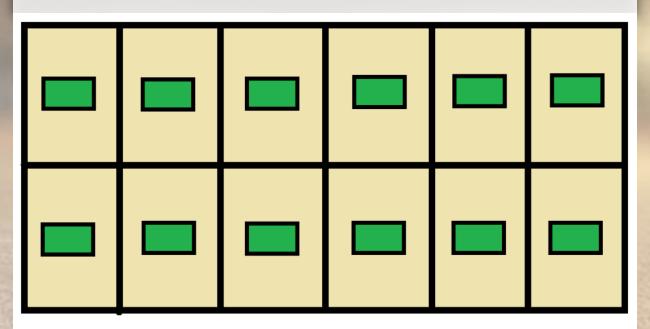
First and foremost:

POLYSOLS IS ONLY PROVIDING THE PRODUCT TO YOU. YOU ARE ASSUMING THE RESPONSIBILITY OF INSTALLING THE PRODUCT, SAND PROCUREMENT, BLENDING, WATERING, AND MAINTENANCE.

These steps are critical to the success of your installation and continued footing quality. Polysols /GGT- Footing™ will do the best they can to provide enough information for you to successfully install your arena but there is no implied warranty that things will be 100% perfect. The information we give you is based on years and years of experience, working in all areas across the country with many different arena builders and sand sources. There are so many variables that we cannot completely insure success.



1. Divide your arena into quadrants-placing the same amount of bales in each quadrant. Each bale is approximately 350 lbs., so it is important to have proper equipment on site for moving these bales to their desired location.



<u>For Example:</u> Let's say you purchased 2 pallets of GGT-Footing, which will be a total of 12 bales. You would want to split up your arena into 12 even quadrants, similar to this diagram, and then place a bale in the center of each segment.





2. The next step will be to remove ALL wires! (Each bale will have 3 bands). Once removed, hand rake material across the surface as evenly as possible.





3. Once all bands have been removed and material has been spread evenly across the surface, use either a Harley Rake, Reverse Tiller or Rototiller to mix the GGT-Footing™ product into the sand.

It is IMPORTANT that you mix the footing without going into the base footing. Be sure to adjust the teeth and tines on your groomer high enough so that they do not drop into the base!!

This initial mixing may take several hours to get everything throughly blended.



This is an example of a Harley Rake used by GGT-Footing[™] to evenly mix material into sand footing. For more information on where to purchase this piece of equipment go to www.ggtfooting.com.



- 4. The final step after you have adequately mixed material into footing will be to Water the arena as heavily as you possibly can. Roll the arena with a solid roller to help the materials bind together.
- 5. Once it is blended extremely well, you can ride in your newly installed GGT Arena!

Please keep in mind that it may take several weeks for the footing to completely mesh and form your desired texture. Over time, you will also learn how frequently you need to groom and water your unique arena to reach your personal preferences.

For more information please visit www.ggtfooting.com or contact a $\mathsf{GGT}\text{-}\mathsf{Footing}^\mathsf{TM}$ representative.