



## Coco Drag Mat Instructions

The Coco Drag Mat is designed to help evenly spread top dressing across golf greens with a soft, smooth touch. Available in 3' x 5' (0.9 m x 1.5 m) and 4' x 6' (1.2 m x 1.8 m) sizes, each mat features 1.25" (3 cm) long coco fibers bonded to a vinyl-reinforced backing.

### How to Use

1. **Start dry.** Make sure both the green and topdressing sand are completely dry. Wet sand can clump and stick to the mat instead of falling into the turf canopy.
2. **Place the mat correctly.** Lay the mat on the green with the fiber side facing down.
3. **Keep hardware off the green.** Make sure the eye bolts and leading tube are above the green and not scraping the surface. Secure the pull-chain high or tight enough to your vehicle so the leading tube is elevated at least 4" (10.2 cm) above the green.
4. **Attach securely.** Connect the drag rope or pull-chain securely before use.
5. **Control your speed.** Pull the mat at a slow walking pace — around 3 to 4 mph (4.8 to 6.4 kph) or slower. Never drag the mat faster than you can comfortably walk.
6. **Use smooth, overlapping passes.** Pull the mat steadily across the green to distribute top dressing evenly.
7. **Drag in multiple directions.** Drag the green in at least two different directions, such as North-South and then East-West. This helps prevent the mat from laying turf in only one direction and helps sand fill holes from all angles.
8. **Avoid sharp turns.** Do not make sharp, quick turns, which can stress the mat and backing.
9. **Stay away from green edges.** Keep the drag mat at least 1 foot (0.3 meters) away from the immediate edge of the green. This helps prevent excess sand from spilling into the collar or creating a dam that could restrict surface water drainage.

### Important Use Note

Do not add extra weight to the mat. The Coco Drag Mat is designed to work with its own natural weight and fiber action.

If additional weight is used, never place cement blocks, metal objects, or anything with hard, sharp, or pointed edges on the mat. These items can damage the fibers, backing, or green surface and will void manufacturer's warranty.