

### How to measure an area for sod (sq.ft.)

Use the following methods to figure out how many square feet the area is you want to sod. It is best to run out of sod than to have too much due to its perishable nature. All of our sod is sold by the square foot (sq.ft.) so please measure in feet.

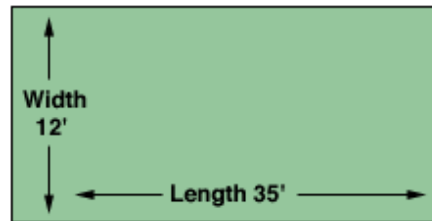
The following is how to measure different shaped areas. Get a piece of paper & a pencil and draw the areas to be sodded. Measure the areas and write down your measurements on the drawing. Break up the areas into the shapes below and figure out the square footage of each area. Add up all the totals from the different shapes and you will know how many square feet of sod you need.

**\*We can not take back sod once it has left our farms or been delivered at your house. If you run out, we always have more. This is a guide to help you measure accurately. Check your numbers twice. We can not and do not take responsibly for footage figures unless we measure it ourselves. We do not figure areas from your numbers.**

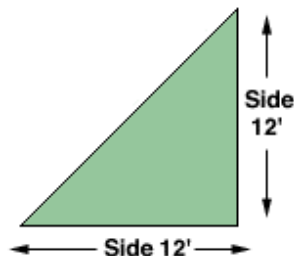
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To figure the area of a square or rectangle, measure the Length & Width and multiply.

$$12 \times 35 = 420 \text{ sq.ft.}$$
$$\text{Length} \times \text{Width} = \text{Area}$$



A Right Triangle has one 90° corner

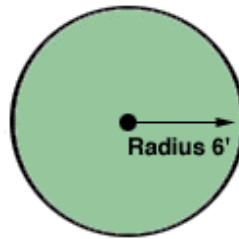


To figure the area of a right triangle, multiply the two sides that contact the right angle and divide by 2

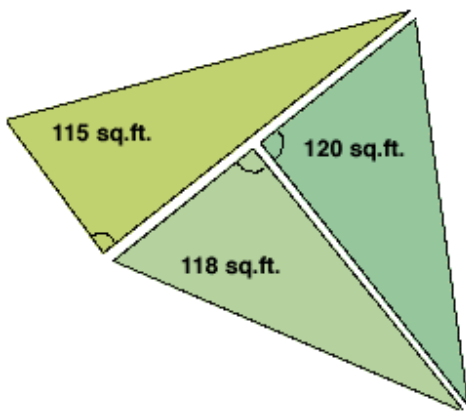
$$12 \times 12 = 144 \div 2 = 72 \text{ sq.ft.}$$

To figure the area of a circle, take the radius times the radius, then multiply by 3.14

$$6 \times 6 = 36 \times 3.14 = 113.04 \text{ sq.ft.}$$



Radius is half the distance across



All irregular areas with straight lines, break into right triangles, figure out each triangle's footage, and add up.

$$115 + 118 + 120 = 353 \text{ sq.ft.}$$

