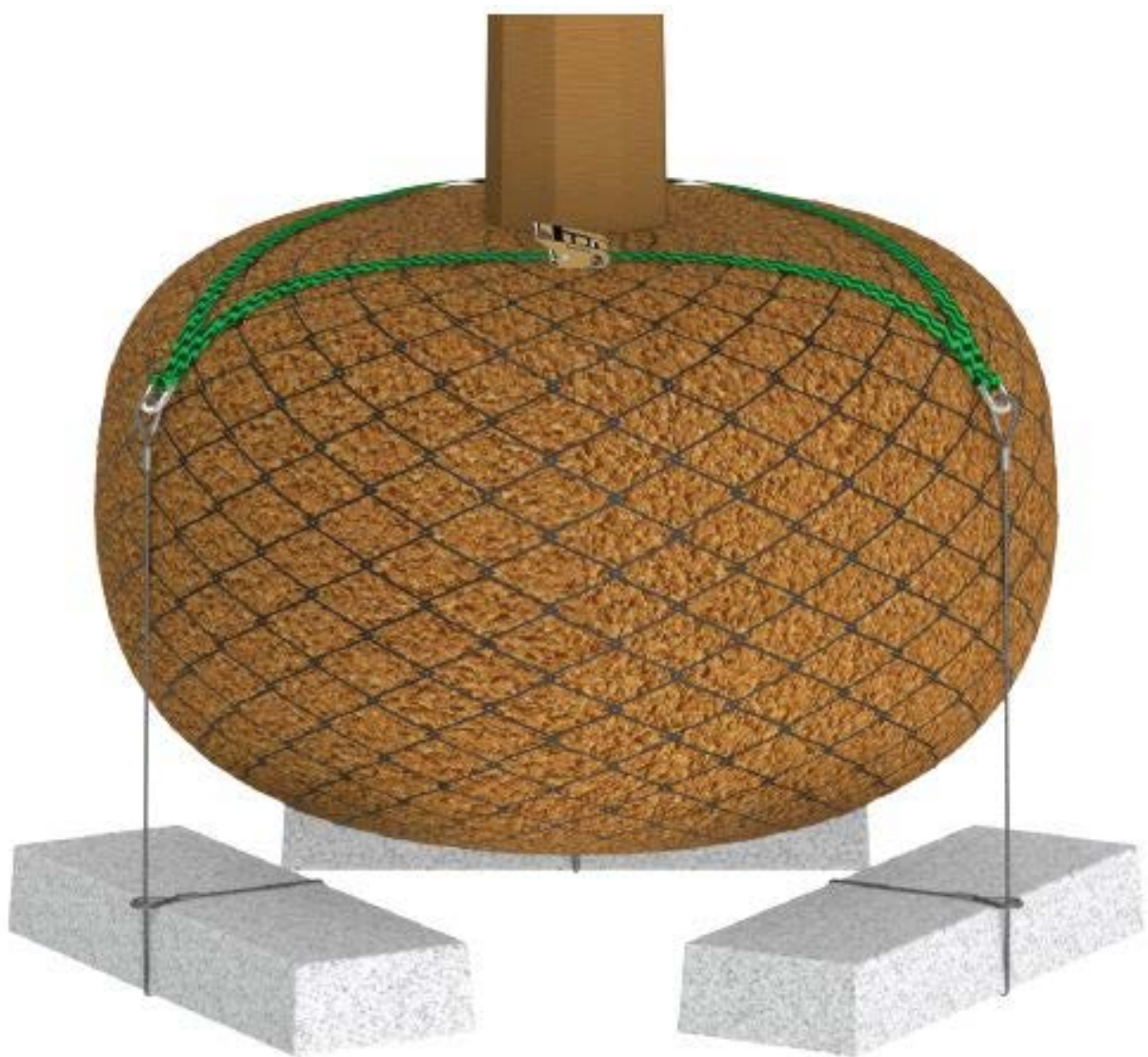


GT Contract Deadman Strap Kit

Instructions



Installation Method

1. Excavate the tree pit to the required size.
2. Lasso all three wires around the sleepers in a tripod fashion by passing the hard eye of the sling through the soft eye, ensuring the hard eye is pulled up to sit approx. $\frac{3}{4}$ up from the bottom of the rootball (See Fig:1).
3. Place the sleepers in a triangle or railway fashion in the base of the pit as per Fig:1.
4. Back fill part of the excavation to cover the sleepers and ensure the slings are above ground.
5. Install tree rootball.
6. Thread the free end of the tensioning strap (which is attached to the ratchet tensioner) through the D-rings.
7. Pass one end of the strap through the bottom ratchet slot (Fig:2) and pass the strap back on itself (Fig:3)
8. Pull the strap tight and cut off the remaining excess strap leaving approximately 50mm through the ratchet.
9. With the short tail of strap (about 50mm) protruding, pump the ratchet until the rootball is secure.
10. Whilst using the ratchet tensioner check that each leg of the strap is centered on the rootball, as per Fig:1.
11. Remove all equipment and any spare strap section from the pit.
12. Back fill the pit to cover the rootball and continue until the pit is back to ground level.
13. It is advisable to re-check all tree anchor kits after 2-3 days to allow the rootball to settle. Re-tighten if necessary.

Fig: 1

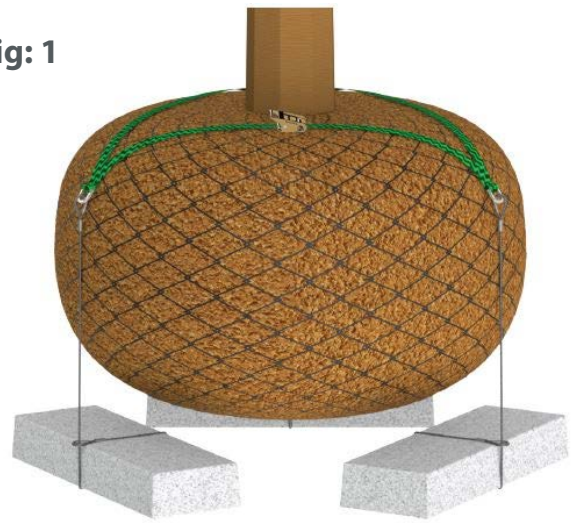


Fig: 2



Fig: 3



Code	Description	Tree Height / Circumference	Installation Tools Required			
			Drive Rods	Installation	Rod Removers	Load Locking
GT Contract 5 Deadman Strap Kit	3 x wire slings, 4m of 25mm webbing, 1 x ratchet tensioner	2.5m - 4.5m / 12cm - 25cm	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
GT Contract 10 Deadman Strap Kit	3 x wire slings, 5m of 25mm webbing, 1 x ratchet tensioner	4.5m - 7.5m / 25cm - 45cm	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
GT Contract 20 Deadman Strap Kit	3 x wire slings, 8m of 35mm webbing, 1 x ratchet tensioner	7.5m - 12m / 45cm - 75cm	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A