

To secure tarp sides, we recommend our 103599 Hay Tarp Anchor Kit, which includes 4 ratchet tie-downs and 4 corkscrew ground stakes. (Additional purchase required.) Contact your sales representative to purchase the 103599 kits.

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

⚠ WARNING: Take the necessary steps to verify whether underground cables, lines, or pipes are present *before* digging and installing ground augers.

1. Install the auger-style earth anchors by twisting the anchor clockwise into the ground until its eye is a few inches above ground level.

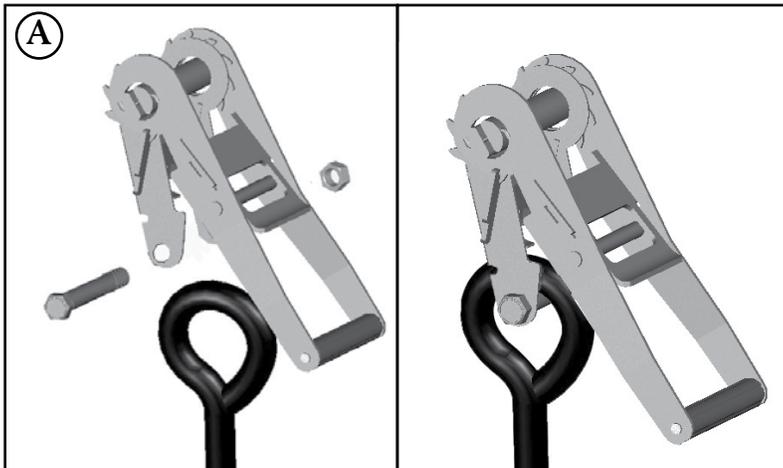
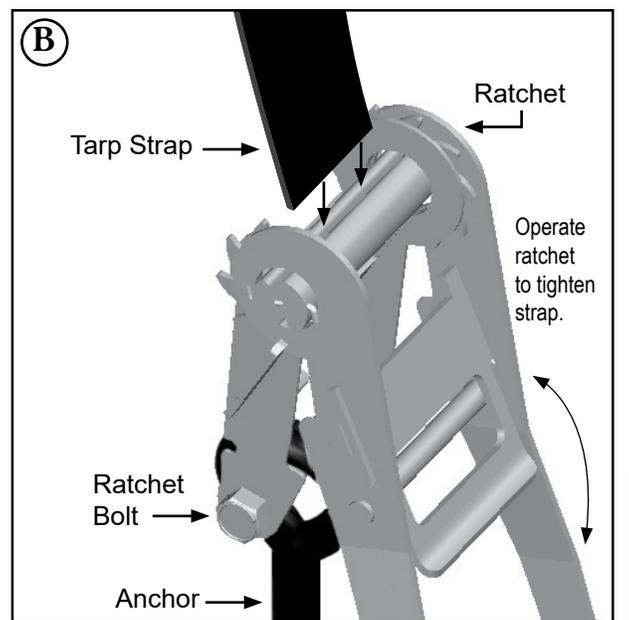
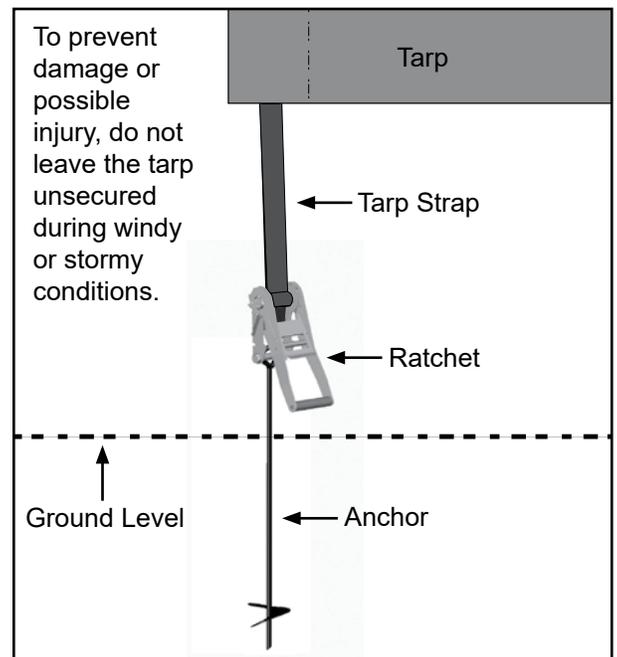
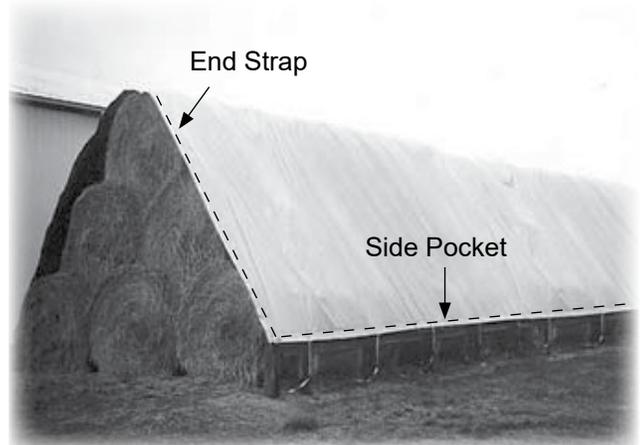
ATTENTION: Install the earth anchor in line with and as close to the hay as possible. Use the tarp end straps as guides when positioning the auger anchors.

2. Unfold the tarp on a clean, smooth surface near the hay stack. Locate the tarp end straps and align these with the front and back of the hay stack.

NOTE: When handling the tarp and setting it in position, *do not pull on the end straps*. They will pull out of the tarp.

3. Pull the tarp over the hay stack and center it front-to-back and side-to-side. *Do not leave the tarp unsecured!*
4. Locate a ratchet, remove the ratchet bolt, and attach ratchet to the eye of the earth anchor (Diagram A). Tighten the bolt.
5. Thread the end of the tarp end strap into the ratchet and slightly tighten (Diagram B).
6. Repeat the steps at the remaining corners of the tarp.
7. Using additional help (if needed), return to each ratchet and tighten the straps to secure tarp.

NOTE: If the strap builds up in the ratchet, loosen the ratchet, remove some of the strap, and retighten.

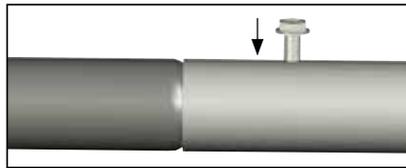


Use Anchor Kit 103599 to anchor the sides of your tarp.
Anchor kit and 1.315" OD pipe are sold separately.

All items shown on this page regarding the 103599 Anchor Kit require an additional purchase. They are not included with the purchase of any premium hay tarp.

1. Locate all sections of pipe needed to assemble the tarp conduits. Tarp conduit assemblies consists of 1.315" swaged pipes. Quantity of pipe is determined by length of the tarp.
2. Insert the swaged end of each pipe into the plain end of another pipe until the conduit is assembled. Secure each pipe joint with a Tek screw.

NOTE: Use duct tape to tape the Tek screws to prevent damage to tarp.



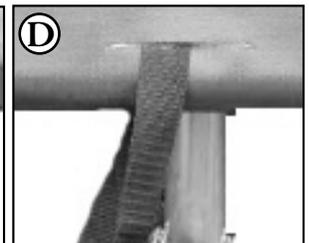
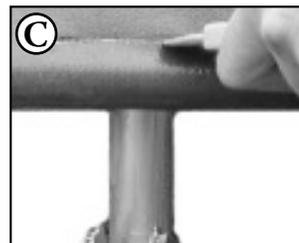
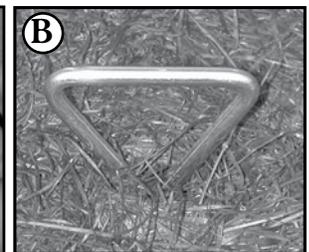
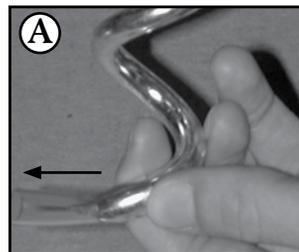
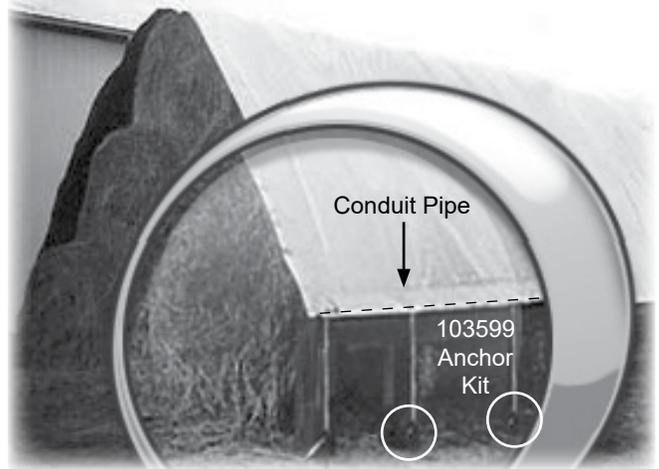
3. Insert one (1) conduit assembly into each side pocket.
4. Remove the protective plastic sleeve from each ground stake (A), measure 6"-12" from the hay and twist a ground stake into the ground. Twist stake clockwise until triangular top touches the ground (B). Adjust ground stake location as needed.
5. Install the remaining ground stakes along both sides of the tarp.

ATTENTION: Installing ground stakes every 6'-8' on-center along each side of the tarp is strongly recommended.

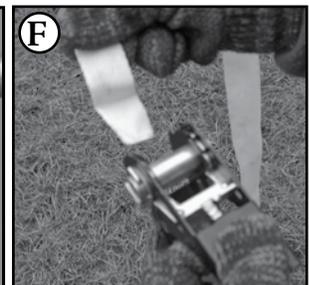
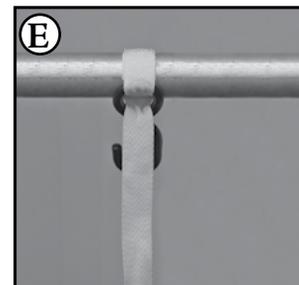
6. Cut a slit in the tarp side pocket (C) at each ground stake position. Do not cut through the tarp. Cut through the side pocket only.
7. Remove the long strap from the ratchet tie-down and insert the free end through the slit (D), around the conduit, and back into the eye of the S-hook (E) to secure the strap to the conduit.
8. Insert the loose end of long strap into the ratchet (F) and tighten slightly to keep strap in place (G).

NOTE: If the strap builds up in the ratchet, loosen the ratchet, remove some of the strap, and slightly tighten.

9. Hook the remaining S-hook through the triangular top of the ground stake (H) and slightly tighten the ratchet.
10. Repeat Steps 6-9 for remaining ground stakes. Do not overtighten ratchets.
11. With one assistant at a side ratchet and another assistant at the opposite side ratchet, tighten the ratchets. Tightening the ratchets at the same time in line with ground stakes helps keep the tarp centered and results in a more uniform appearance.
12. Repeat the steps to tighten all side ratchets attached to ground stakes. Do not overtighten.



Photos show a different shelter, procedure is the same.



Tarp not shown for clarity.

