

# The Green Products Company "Building A Greener Tomorrow!"

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## PermaTURF®, Inc. - FAQ

#### To request a delivered price quote:

Please provide the "Ship To' state and zip/postal code, approximate square feet of the project area and indicate if the order is shipping to a business or residence.

#### Where can I get Permaturf and how do I order?

Permaturf ships from our nearest distribution center. Call 800-708-0517 to order. All major credit cards are accepted.

#### Is Permaturf available in Canada or Europe?

Permaturf ships to Canada from our nearest US distribution center and ships to Europe via boat.

Is Permaturf available in retail stores? No.

#### What is the function of Permaturf?

Providing ground reinforcement, natural drainage and erosion control, the solid grid construction of Permaturf panels support vegetation growth while eradicating or reducing problems caused by traffic, ruts and storm water runoff.

#### What are the advantages of Permaturf compared to concrete blocks and other competitive products?

- The foremost benefit of Permaturf is the patented 4-sided interlocking design that insures stability of the panels, preventing horizontal and vertical movement.
- The interlocking design of the panels makes creating a curved area effortless without waste and cutting by simply offsetting
  the panels. Opting to cut panels, use a circular saw.
- 3. The lightweight and design of the panels translates into lower installation cost. (No anchor pegs/fasteners/snap-locks required)
- 4. The design of each panel, with 30 honeycomb shaped cells, *provides a wall-to-wall construction* that allows equal distribution of weight and guarantees the highest load-bearing magnitude, exceeding that of any flexible pavers.
- 5. Environmentally Safe. Ecologically Sound.

#### What natural ground materials can be used in conjunction with Permaturf?

Permaturf used in conjunction with Gravel, Pebbles or most small stones as well as Sod, Seeded Grass, Hydro-Seeding, Ground Vegetation, and Artificial Turf will achieve different landscape appearances.

#### What type of seed do you recommend for a grass area in conjunction with Permaturf applications?

Any grass with a deep roots system. I.e. Rye, Bermuda grass, school grass:

#### Do temperatures affect Permaturf?

No. Permaturf is an injection molded resin so weather related temperatures have no influence on the product.

Is there a problem snow plowing on a Permaturf area? No. However, the plow on a truck should be raised \( \frac{1}{4} \)"+.

#### Can underground sprinklers and irrigation systems work with Permaturf?

Yes. Choose a professional contractor who will design and install the sprinkler system, and will ensure the right components are used in conjunction with Permaturf.

#### What are the most prominent uses for Permaturf?

Parking areas, driveways & borders, fire lanes, access roads, patios, animal pens and dog runs, concession stand and sport dugout areas, golf cart paths, club and maintenance areas, campus routes, historical sites, perimeters of buildings, and more.

#### Who uses Permaturf?

The Professional Landscape Architecture Industry: Landscapers, Contractors, Planners, Developers, Engineers, Community & Environmental Activists, Nursery & Greenhouse Professionals and Homeowners.

Note: The PermaTURF area is only as good as the sub-base prepared. It is important to ensure that grading and soil porosity of the sub-base provides adequate surface drainage and that the sub-base is sufficient to support projected traffic use.

**NOTE:** Cells shaped in circles or squares are technically not as stable as *PermaTURF* cells because the panels have less, if not minimal, support, and are deficient in wall-to-wall construction. In addition, any panel exceeding 1-1/2" in depth does not guarantee a stronger load-bearing capacity or a better grass root system. The depth of a panel 1-1/2" is best to achieve a healthier and stronger root system as it allows the roots to grow faster into the ground in natural conditions beneath the panels. Any root system confined within cells deeper than 1-1/2" can cause dry out and root decay as the root development is restricted within the cell. This is especially important when using sod in conjunction with pavers.