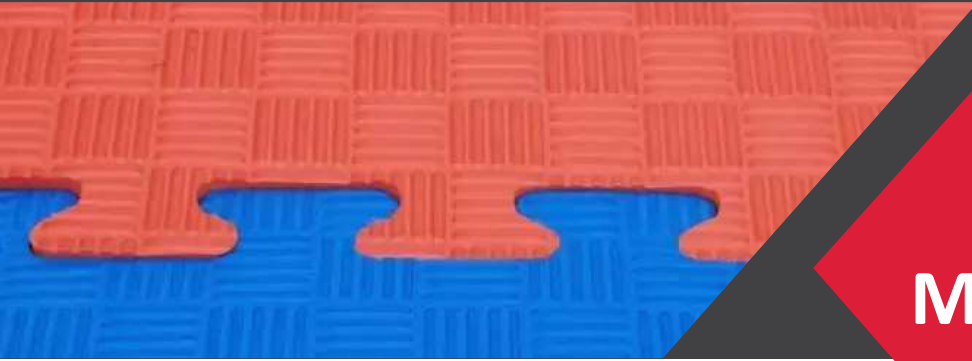


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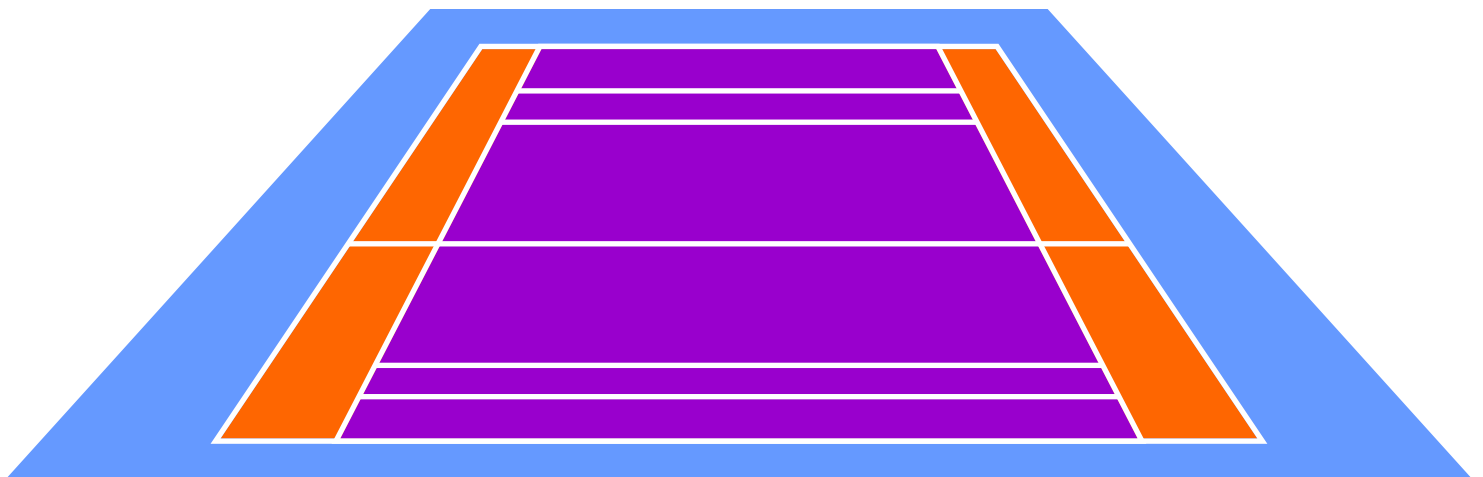
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INTERLOCKING MAT INSTALLATION GUIDE

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01 Introduction

Interlocking mats are widely used for various purposes such as flooring, exercise areas, outdoor patios, or playgrounds due to their durability, ease of installation, and versatility. This guide will walk you through the process of installing interlocking mats to ensure a smooth and secure setup.

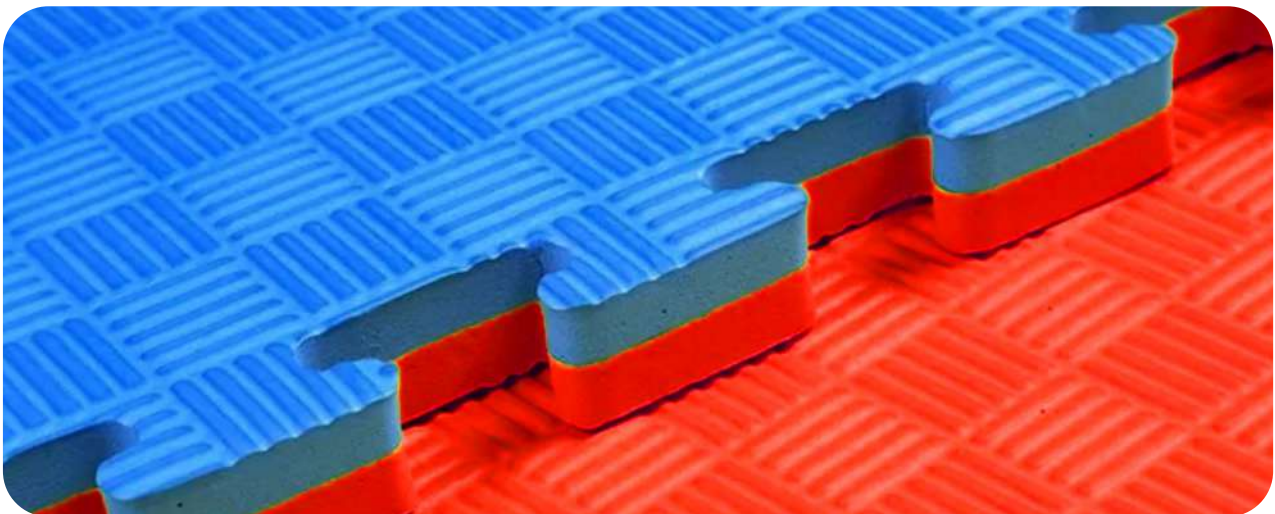
02 Tools And Materials Needed

- Interlocking Mats
- Rubber Mallet or Hammer (optional, for tight fits)
- Measuring Tape
- Scissors or Utility Knife (if trimming is required)
- Straight Edge or Ruler (for precise alignment)

03 Site Preparation

Before starting the installation, ensure that the area is clean and flat:

- Remove any debris, dirt, or old flooring.
- Ensure the surface is dry and level to allow the mats to interlock properly.
- Measure the area to determine how many mats you will need.



04 Installation Instructions

Step 1: Lay out the area

- Start by marking the boundaries where the mats will be installed.
- If necessary, use chalk or a string line to define a straight edge for alignment.

Step 2: Position the first mat

- Place the first mat in the corner or the starting point of the installation.
- Ensure the mat edges are aligned and positioned correctly.

Step 3: Interlock the mats

- Begin placing the next mat adjacent to the first one, interlocking the edges.
- Align the interlocking connectors properly and press them together. If the fit is tight, gently tap with a rubber mallet.

Step 4: Adjust and ensure even placement

- Continue adding mats in rows, adjusting each piece to ensure the surface remains even.
- If you encounter any gaps or misalignments, adjust the mats to correct them.

05 Post-Installation Care

- Check for any protruding edges or seams that may pose a tripping hazard.
- Sweep or vacuum the mat surface to remove dirt and debris.
- Periodically inspect the mats for any damage or wear, particularly if used in high-traffic areas.

06 Safety Tips

- Ensure the surface is dry before walking or placing heavy items on the mats.
- For outdoor installations, ensure the mats are secured to prevent movement.
- Wear gloves if handling mats with rough edges.

07 Troubleshooting

- **Problem:** Mats not interlocking properly.
o **Solution:** Check if the connectors are clean and clear of debris. Gently tap with a rubber mallet to secure the pieces.
- **Problem:** Mats are slipping.
o **Solution:** Use double-sided tape or adhesive (if the mats are designed for this purpose) to secure them.

05 Conclusion

Installing interlocking mats is a simple process that can significantly enhance the functionality and appearance of your space. With proper installation and care, your mats will last for many years.

