



# Tiger Mulch

The Original Rubber Bound Mulch



The natural look  
**safety surface**

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 Surfacing & Outdoor Play Solutions



## The natural look Safety Surface

PlaySmart only believe in delivering the best, that's why we decided to add TigerMulch® to our ever growing range of safety surfacing products. This unique and versatile product is a unitary surface that looks like a natural covering. It has been developed to take out costly groundworks associated with wetpour and also make good use of our unwanted tyres - fantastic!



## TigerMulch® – the surface that's

**neat but natural looking.** TigerMulch® is a durable, solid and permeable safety surface made from shredded recycled tyres. It is a cost effective alternative to traditional pathways and surfaces such as loose fill and is more durable with less maintenance required. It is designed to look like natural loose mulch material and is colour coated in natural colours.



## Accident Smart

The criss-cross nature of TigerMulch® surfacing means that it provides excellent slip resistance (to BS 7188). It also provides peace of mind when used in areas with a Critical Fall Height (CFH) requirement (to BS EN 1177) - single layers of 45mm and 55mm provide Critical Fall Heights of 1.5m and 1.8m respectively whereas an 80mm twin layer can provide a 2.2m CFH.

## Environmentally Smart

Unlike some surfaces, TigerMulch® is manufactured from recycled materials as standard. It provides an all weather surface which allows no weed growth but which accommodates tree and plant growth. It can be used for pathways in areas such as adventure parks, nature reserves and golf courses, recreation areas such as play areas, trim trails and tyre trails, erosion control areas such as under park benches and tree surrounds, weed control in landscape planting areas and mowing strips along fence lines, walls and around posts.



## Installation Smart

TigerMulch® is quick to install with minimal disruption to the ground and site. No sub-base is required on most soil types saving time and money and often all that is required is to remove existing turf to a depth of 25mm and then lay a weed suppressing membrane. However, in slow draining areas, some ground works may be needed (please ask if in doubt). It is laid in the same way as traditional wetpour safety surfacing. Also, no perimeter edging is required for existing grass areas.

## Access Smart

TigerMulch® can be fitted without the need for raised surfaces so, when moving from external areas on to the safety surface, there will be no noticeable change in height levels and no trip edges. This has two major benefits: it gives easy access to both wheelchair and pushchair users and, of course, it also means you can mow right over it. Being slip and fall resistant is also a bonus when it comes to users with wheels!



Before installation



After installation

## Maintenance Smart

Unlike loose fill surfaces, TigerMulch® stays in place as the rubber forms a solid surface. It is vandal resistant and can be swept regularly to remove any debris. When TigerMulch is installed adjacent to a grass surface, the grass can be allowed to grow over the edge of the surfacing which will further help to lock the surfacing into place meaning there are no shrinkage issues when installed into grass.

## Value Smart

Not only does TigerMulch® score on safety and aesthetics, it offers great value too. It is a cost effective alternative to surfaces such as loose fill and traditional pathways and, as it is durable and low maintenance, costs for replacement and ongoing upkeep are also low.



**As a result, specifying TigerMulch® leaves a greater proportion of project budgets available for spending other items.**



## Product Details:

### Uses

- Safer Surface
- Paths
- Erosion control such as under park benches
- Tree surrounds
- Weed control in landscape planting areas
- Mowing strip along fence lines, walls and around posts

### Features

- Recycled SBR rubber means it is very durable
- Colour coated in natural colours
- No sub-base required on most soil types
- No edging required for existing grass areas

### Benefits

- Lower costs than a surface that requires a base
- Low maintenance-swept regularly to remove debris
- Quick to install & minimal disruption to the ground and site
- Provides an all weather surface
- Excellent slip resistance
- No shrinkage issues when installed into grass
- No weed growth
- Accommodates tree and plant growth
- Stays where it is put, the particles are bound together
- Vandal resistant

### Installation

- Excavate the area to the required depth
- Lay geotextile membrane
- Lay the TigerMulch®
- Ready for use the next day

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