

# Sila-Cover 300 Instructions for use

Thank you for choosing Sila-Cover 300 as a protective cover for your silage clamp. To ensure a long and effective life please follow the guidelines below.

Note. In the majority of cases Sila-Cover 300 is supplied in lengths to match the width of the clamp with extra length to accommodate over fill and provide “tuck in”. The Sila-Bags should be filled to 60% with clean pea gravel, allowing the bag to flex and be most effective.

**DO NOT USE SAND OR SHARP OBJECTS.**

1. Before placing Sila-Cover 300 in position, the silage should be heaped in the middle of the clamp with the polythene sheets in position creating a good seal.
2. Sila-Cover 300 should be placed with the loops facing upwards.
3. Start at the back of the silage clamp, working forward overlapping 50cm at each join. (Fig 1)
4. Place Sila-Bags in a continuous run around all outer edges and over joins, ensuring the Sila-Cover is taut in each direction.
5. Place additional intermediate Sila-Bags as required.
6. Sila-Bags placed on the sloping sections can be secured to the loops using the plastic hooks provided (10 supplied with every 50 bags) to prevent slipping
7. When feeding silage, Sila-Cover 300 can be folded back for access and afterwards returned to protect against birds.
8. Individual covers should be folded and stored immediately upon removal from the silage clamp.

Following these practical guidelines will ensure many seasons use.

