

How Many Mound Bricks Do You Need?

Measure area you want to work and figure how many mound bricks or slabs you need. Laying flat one mound brick (8" x 4") equals 32 square inches x 2-3/8" deep; one mound slab (24" x 8") equals 192 square inches x 4" deep.

As a guide for doing the full size areas below (less can be used if doing only wear spots) one layer deep, laying flat:

For regulation mounds:

180 mound bricks or 30 mound slabs - for a 34" x 60" mound top platform (63 bricks or 10 slabs), 32" x 36" stride area (36 bricks or 6 slabs), and 3' x 6' landing area (81 bricks or 14 slabs).

For two regulation batter's boxes and one catcher's box:

308 mound bricks or 51 mound slabs—for each 4' x 6' batter's box (108 bricks or 18 slabs), for a 43" x 68" catcher's box (92 bricks or 15 slabs).

For little league mounds:

74 mound bricks or 13 mound slabs—for a 20" x 40" mound top platform (23 bricks or 4 slabs), 24" x 28" stride area (21 bricks or 4 slabs), and 20" x 48" landing area (30 bricks or 5 slabs).

For two little league batter's boxes and one catcher's box:

216 mound bricks or 36 mound slabs—for each 3' x 6' batter's box (81 bricks or 13-2 slabs), for a 36" x 48" catcher's box (54 bricks or 9 slabs).

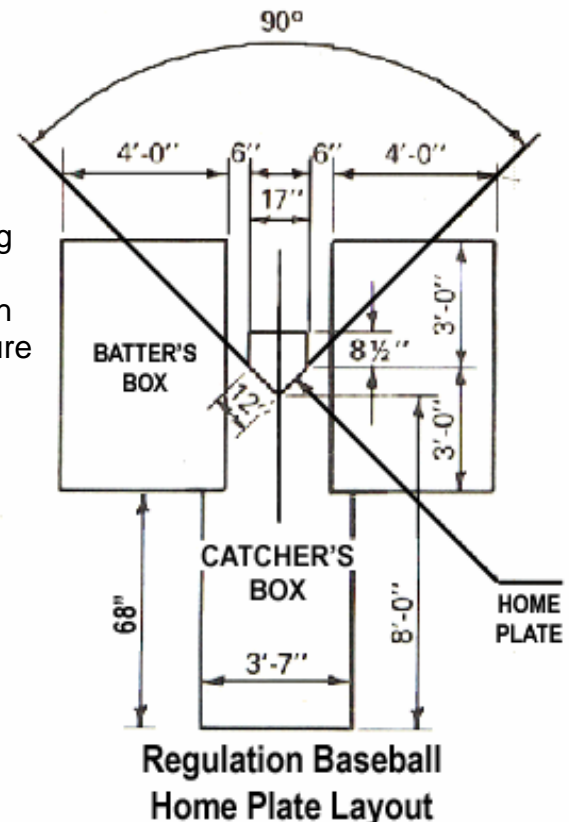
For two ASA softball batter's boxes and one catcher's box:

569 mound bricks or 95 mound slabs—for each 3' x 7' batter's box (95 bricks or 16 slabs), for a 8'5" x 10' catcher's box (379 bricks or 63 slabs).

DIRECTIONS: Dig down 3-4", install mound bricks, water (letting water soak in), tamp, cover with infield mix, re-place as needed. Cover with a rain tarp when not in use. If not possible, cover with a light coating of [Mound Top Dressing](#) to maintain correct moisture level.

CAUTION: 14 Mound Bricks = approximate volume of one 50 lb. bag of mound clay compacted. Mound bricks are easier and cleaner to use than bags; but, remember you are paying to ship water. 300 bricks = 36-42 (50 lb.) bags by weight but only 21.4 bags by volume.

Another option is using **PERMA-MOUND™** [Permanent Pitcher's Mound Pads](#) and **SAFE "T" MATT SYSTEM™** [Batter's & Catcher's Box Pads](#) which bury 2" below surface and give the feel of properly maintained clay.



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