



# INSTRUCTION MANUAL DIRTBALL™ TARP 1000

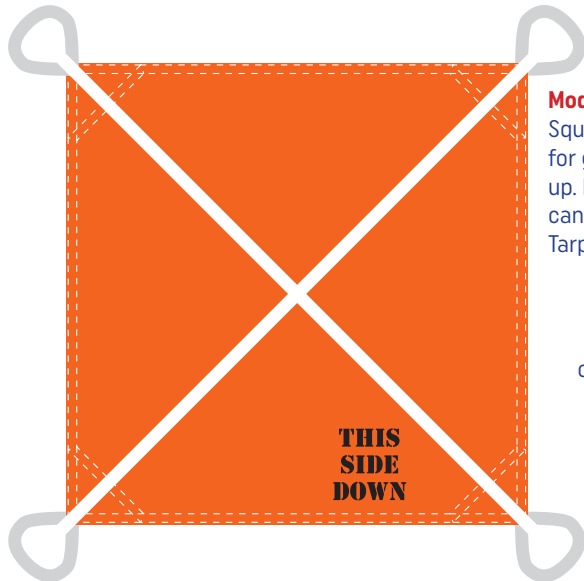
## RDB & RDB-V 1000 lbs. WL

The popular Rowdy's DirtBall™ Tarp is a jobsite debris tarp that is designed for heavy loads up to 1,000 lbs.



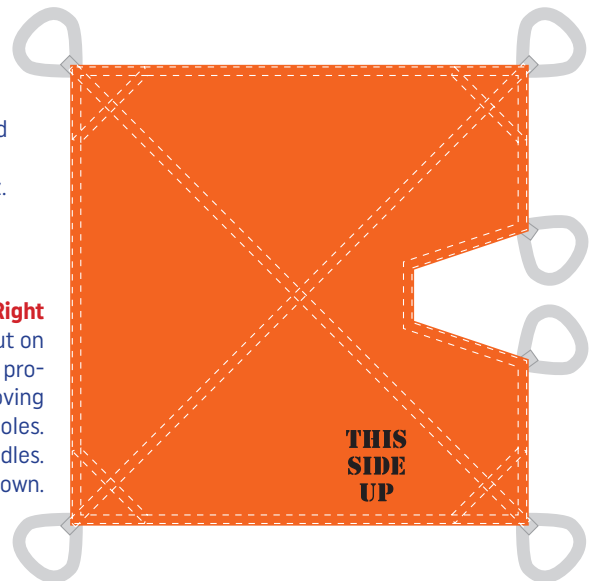
### 1,000 lbs. WL

Both DirtBall™ Tarp models of **RDB** and **RDB-V**, provide a **Work Load of 1,000 lbs.** The tarps are made of 18 or 22 oz. **Heavy-Duty** vinyl coated nylon canvas and based on the model, are equipped with 4 or 6 lifting handles.



#### Model RDB on Left

Square profile that is used for general jobsite clean-up. It comes in 18 or 22 oz. canvas. 4 Lifting Handles. Tarp's Down Side Shown.



#### Model RDB-V on Right

Has a V notch cut out on one side of the square profile. Popular for removing and installing utility poles. Has 6 Lifting Handles. Tarp's Up Side Shown.

| Part No.      | Size     | WL Lbs. | Canvas | V-Notch |
|---------------|----------|---------|--------|---------|
| RDB-6X6-18    | 6'x 6'   | 1,000   | 18 oz. | -       |
| RDB-7X7-18    | 7'x 7'   | 1,000   | 18 oz. | -       |
| RDB-8X8-18    | 8'x 8'   | 1,000   | 18 oz. | -       |
| RDB-10X10-18  | 10'x 10' | 1,000   | 18 oz. | -       |
| RDB-6X6-18V   | 6'x 6'   | 1,000   | 18 oz. | Yes     |
| RDB-7X7-18V   | 7'x 7'   | 1,000   | 18 oz. | Yes     |
| RDB-8X8-18V   | 8'x 8'   | 1,000   | 18 oz. | Yes     |
| RDB-10X10-18V | 10'x 10' | 1,000   | 18 oz. | Yes     |
| RDB-6X6-22    | 6'x 6'   | 1,000   | 22 oz. | -       |
| RDB-7X7-22    | 7'x 7'   | 1,000   | 22 oz. | -       |
| RDB-8X8-22    | 8'x 8'   | 1,000   | 22 oz. | -       |
| RDB-10X10-22  | 10'x 10' | 1,000   | 22 oz. | -       |
| RDB-6X6-22V   | 6'x 6'   | 1,000   | 22 oz. | Yes     |
| RDB-7X7-22V   | 7'x 7'   | 1,000   | 22 oz. | Yes     |
| RDB-8X8-22V   | 8'x 8'   | 1,000   | 22 oz. | Yes     |
| RDB-10X10-22V | 10'x 10' | 1,000   | 22 oz. | Yes     |



The tough nylon webbing handles are used to lift the tarp mechanically using a crane or other similar devices. Model **RDB** shown.



ALTERATION OR IMPROPER USE OF THIS JOBSITE TARP CAN RESULT IN SEVERE BODILY HARM OR EVEN DEATH.



**RDB Typical Use & Operation** — following steps show a typical jobsite use of the RDB DirtBall tarp using a bucket loader tractor for lifting and moving the tarp.



**Step 1** — Lay the tarp down flat with **"THIS SIDE UP"** showing. The white support cross straps should be underside touching the ground.



**Step 2** — Load the tarp with any suitable material or debris up to it's work load or physical volume capacity. In this photo, grass & dirt is used as an example.



**Step 3** — Once loaded, hook the tarp's 4 corner handles on a hook or teeth of a bucket loader to form a basket ready to be lifted.



**Step 4** — Lift the tarp. Make sure not to drag the tarp. Keep all personnel clear of the lifting operation.



**Step 5** — Easily move the tarp or load in to a vehicle to take to the desired location.



**Step 6** — To unload, lift the tarp by the two adjacent handles to dump the content.

**RDB-V Typical Use & Operation** — following steps show a typical jobsite use of the RDB-V DirtBall tarp utilizing the notch feature in order to place the tarp closer to the pole for easier control of dirt replacement and tamping.



**Step 1** — Lay the RDB-V tarp down with **"THIS SIDE UP"** showing. The V-Notch should be around the hole that is being dug up for placing the utility pole.



**Step 2** — Dump the dirt on the tarp. Continue the operation and keep collecting the dirt on the tarp.



**Step 3** — Once the pole is placed, use a truck's crane to lift the two adjacent handles as shown to start back filling and tamping around the pole.

- » Read this instruction manual for complete information on how to use, inspect and maintain this product. Failure to comply could lead to injury or even death.
- » **Falling Objects / Drop Hazard** — Do not allow personnel or equipment beneath this tarp at anytime. Stay clear when transporting a loaded tarp.
- » Do Not exceed the working load of this product.
- » Do not alter, cut, or modify this tarp in any way.
- » Carefully inspect the straps and material before each use for any signs of wear.
- » If the tarp shows rips or tears in the canvas or strapping, or torn seams, remove from service immediately.
- » An excessive build up of dirt may degrade the webbing so such tarp should be removed from service.
- » Do not expose this tarp to any heat source. **This tarp is not fire proof.**
- » Do not use this tarp as an electrical insulation or mat device. **This tarp is not a rubber insulating blanket.**
- » If you do not understand how to properly use this tarp, ask your supervisor, read the instruction manual, or contact Lewis Mfg. Co.

