## How to install a protective liner

Installing a liner provides a damp-proof barrier between WoodBlocX timber and soil.

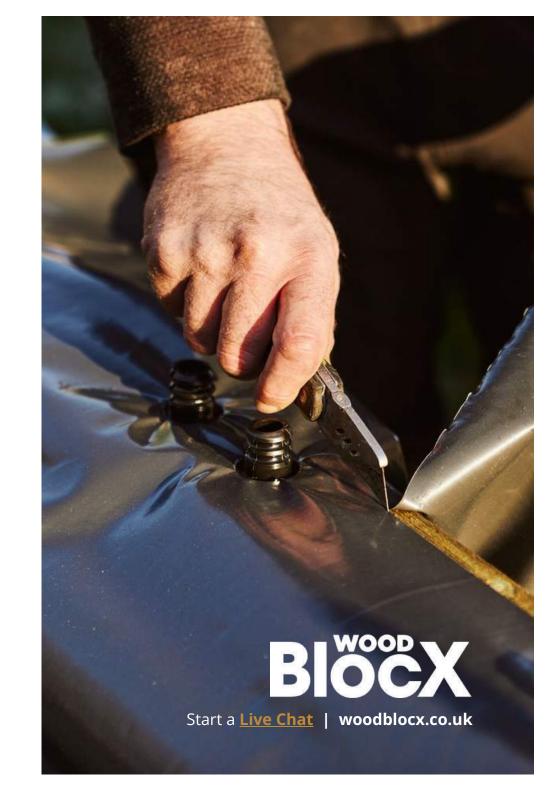
We strongly recommend that you add a liner to maximise the lifespan of your WoodBlocX structure - this includes protecting all supporting buttresses within your design.

You can choose to include a protective liner with your order. We offer a high-quality 4 x 5 metre (20m2) recycled plastic liner which is suitable for most WoodBlocX structures.

Protective liner should be installed before adding your finishing capping layer. If you forget, you can also staple, nail or screw your protective liner to the inside of your structure.

Contact us if you have any questions or require support.



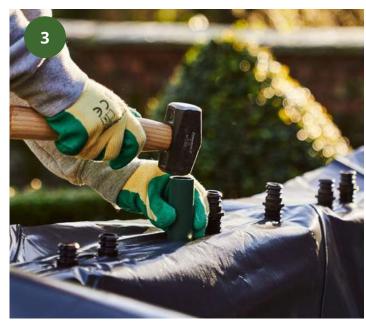




**Pre-cut final layer dowels** - before adding liner or the finishing capping layer, get your dowels ready!



**Get your liner into position** - make small incisions for the final layer dowels to push through the liner.



**Trap your liner with dowels** - hammer through your final layer dowels to secure the liner to the structure.



**Trim excess liner with a sharp knife** - using a retractable blade carefully cut away overhanging liner.



**Install your angle corner plates** - use your dowel protector to hammer these plates firmly into place.



**Knock on your capping layer** - use a spare BlocX to protect the wood when hammering. **JOB DONE!** 

## Building WoodBlocX on soft ground

We recommend lining the **sides and buttresses** of your WoodBlocX structure to protect the wood.

You can also line the base if you wish, but remember to use a breathable / permeable liner to allow water to drain through.

## Building WoodBlocX on hard ground

We recommend fully lining the **sides**, **base and buttresses** of your WoodBlocX structure to protect the wood.

Lining the sides and base will create an area suitable for holding soil. To help with excess drainage on hard surfaces, you can make a few small holes at the bottom of your liner.



