

# Quiéta +

## Individual heavy duty freestall beds

### 1 Fixing elements

8 x 100 mm stainless steel knock-in screw with stainless steel washer.

### 2 Storage

If mats are not installed immediately, it is better to shelter them from light and bad weather. Before starting the installation, make sure that the temperature is between 8 °C and 30 °C.

### 3 Support

The support for the mats shall be rigid enough (concrete or asphalt). Concrete must be as smooth as possible (rough concrete could damage the mat) and as flat as possible (holes in concrete will be visible on the mat) so that the mat works properly. The surface will ideally have a slope of about 5% towards the back.

Before laying, clean up the support and let it dry.

### 4 Laying

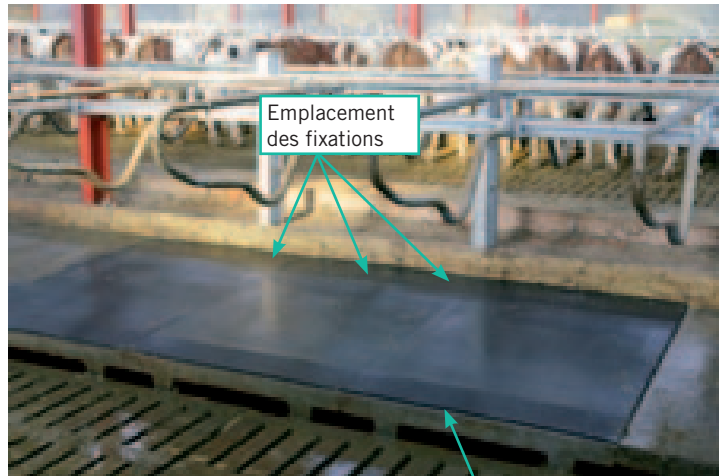
Mats must be laid so as to leave an empty space of 3 to 5 cm at the back of the freestall (it is advised to draw a line using a rule or a cordex).

Connect the mats with each other, not too tightly. Moisturise the sealing gasket that comes over the puzzles with soapy water, it will be easier to fit in. Use preferably a rubber mallet to insert progressively the sealing gasket from the front part of the mat to its back part.

Fixing is made on the upper part, on marked locations (3 screws at the front). Drill the support using the appropriate 8 mm drill bit, put the dowel then put the screw trying not to crush the mat too much.

### 5 Maintenance

In order to keep the freestall dry and to ensure the well-being of the animal, the use of a bedding (straw, drying powder) is highly recommended. Mats can be scraped using a hand scraper and cleaned with a water jet cleaner or a high-pressure cleaner (do not exceed 60 bars and 30 °C).



Distance from the back edge of the concrete: between 3 and 5 cm

