

requirements of Safeguarding of Aerodromes Advice

PLANTING SCHEDULE

CARE SHOULD BE TAKEN TO ENSURE THAT ALL TREES ARE PLANTED A MINIMUM OF 1M AWAY FROM ALL FOOTPATHS AND SERVICE STRIPS.

These plants have been chosen taking into account the recommendations of the

RHS Plant Selector. Where possible, plants which are particularly attractive to bees

PROPOSED TREES

Alnus glutinosa (Common Alder) Betula pendula (Common Birch)

All of the above trees to be Standards size (8 to 10cm girth) double short-staked and root balled. Where trees are planted into turf, an area 1m dia, at the base of the tree, should be mounded and kept clear of weeds and grass and other deleterious material.

Quercus robur (Oak)

All of the above trees to be extra Heavy Standard size (16 to 18cm girth) double short-staked and root balled. Where trees are planted into turf, an area 1m dia, at the base of the tree, should be mounded and kept clear of weeds and grass and other deleterious material.

MIXED HEDGE (1195no)

25%	Carpinus betulus	80 to 100cm 1+1	299r
35%	Acer campestre	80 to 100cm 1+1	418n
25%	Fagus sylvatica	80 to 100cm 1+1	299r
15%	Crataegus monogyna	80 to 100cm 1+1	179n

Mixed Hedge is to be planted in staggered double rows at 3 per linear metre. **To be** trimmed immediately after planting to an even hedge line, 900mm high.

All hedges along the main roads are to be maintained at the height of 900mm and only trimmed outwith bird nesting season. PROPOSED SHRUBS

HAG HRE PI'OL'	Hebe 'Autumn Glory' Hebe 'Red Edge' Prunus laurocerasus	30 to 40cm 3L 30 to 40cm 3L	4/m² 4/m²	40no 74no
SjR (M) Vd	'Otto Luyken' Skimmia japonica 'Rubella' Viburnum davidii	40 to 60cm 3L 40 to 60cm 3L 30 to 40cm 3L	3/m² 3/m² 4/m²	40no 58no 74no

PROPOSED WILDFLOWER MIX

Mavisbank Meadow Mix available from: http://www.scotiaseeds.co.uk/shop/mavisbank-mix/

Urban Pollinator Mix available from:

http://www.scotiaseeds.co.uk/shop/urban-pollinator-mix/

PROPOSED AMENITY GRASS MIX Germinal A19 All Purpose Landscaping available from: Germinal www.germinal.com

GRASS MIX

NB. The planting specification sets out the preparation for each planting element and must be adhered to, as badly cultivated soil is the main reason for plant failures. Plants are living organisms and require basic needs to aid establishment and to ensure plant health and longevity. If site topsoil is to be used it must be suitable with the correct texture, structure and fertility. If this is not, it must be improved by adding organic material or imported topsoil used as an alternative.

1. The grassed area is to be carefully checked to ensure that the soil is appropriate and free from rubble, stones, weeds and other deleterious material. If not appropriate, it should be replaced with quality material or the Landscape Architect should be advised

(Note: It is the responsibility of the contractor to ensure that he is planting into the correct quality of material) 2. Where topsoil is to be added the subsoil should be fully broken up to ensure adequate drainage and a layer not less than 150mm deep applied.

3. The topsoil should be cultivated to a fine, even tilth with no undulations or bumps.

4. All grass areas are to be turfed or seeded in accordance with guide-lines set out in BS 4428: Code of Practice for general landscape operations: 1989. 5. Front gardens are to be turfed with approved, good quality turves (unless otherwise specified). The soil shall be of loam texture and free from stones over 15mm in any one direction. Open spaces are to be either turfed or seeded, as specified, with an approved proprietary mix applicable to the location.

1. The whole planting bed is to be carefully set out and the soil checked to ensure that it meets the standards set out in BS 3882: 2007. If it does not it should be replaced with the appropriate quality material or the Landscape Architect must be advised

(Note: It is the responsibility of the contractor to ensure that he is planting into the correct quality of material)

2. If new topsoil is required the subsoil base should be fully broken up to ensure adequate drainage 3. The bed should be inspected after the subsoil base is broken up and before topsoil cultivation for any signs of flooding. If there are signs and these cannot be

resolved the Landscape Architect should be advised. (Note: It is the responsibility of the contractor to ensure that he is not planting into a waterlogged bed)

4. Planting should not be undertaken below 2 degrees centigrade, or when the ground is snow covered or frozen.

5. The topsoil should be cultivated throughout the bed to a depth of 300mm. It should be left with a central ridge 150mm above the edges of the bed.

6. When the bed has been fully cultivated and formed, planting holes shall be dug 150mm wider than the root spread. Bare-root plants shall have the roots carefully teased out and pot-grown plants shall have the roots carefully loosened from the soil. 2 to 2.5litres, depending on the size of the plant, of Fison's Peat-Free Planting Compost, or similar approved, shall be worked into the backfill. The plants shall be planted so that the finished topsoil level is at the nursery level on the stem of the plant.

7. The plants shall be well firmed in and, after planting, a slow acting fertiliser shall be carefully worked into the top 50mm of soil round each plant taking care to avoid contact with the stem

8. Immediately after planting the whole bed shall be well watered in. 9. All work shall be carried out in accordance with best horticultural practice.

10. Following the inspection of the planting multi-purpose grade bark to be spread evenly over the shrub beds. Bark to be multi purpose grade bark, mixed conifer, UK Origin. 8-40mm particle size. To be applied at a depth of 75mm, taking care not to smother low growing plants or to pile up against stems of woody shrubs and trees. (Special care to be taken to ensure that there is no litter, weeds or other deleterious material below the mulch bed)

MEADOW AND WET MEADOW MIX

1. Area stripped of topsoil and graded as required and any weeds removed by hand.

2. The subsoil should be cultivated to a fine, even tilth with no undulations or bumps. 3. Mavisbank Meadow Mix, Urban Pollinator Mix (from Scotia Seeds (01356 626425) or similar approved should be sown over Meadow Mix areas.

4. Seeds should be sown at the supplier's recommended rate in either early March to June or Mid-August to late September. Yellow Rattle should be over sown at

5. All grass areas to be sown in accordance with the supplier's recommendations and the guide-lines set out in BS 4428: Code of Practice for general landscape

6. The seeds should be lightly raked into the ground after sowing and, where possible rolled in. Where this is not possible due to slopes they should be trampled in 7 Spring sown meadows should be cut twice in the first growing season to 10cm, after flowering. Autumn sown meadows should be cut in the following April or May. All cuttings should be removed. Thereafter they should be cut once a year in late September or early Spring. No fertilisers should be used.

TREES

1. Trees shall be planted at the appropriate season depending on root-grown or bare-root. 2. Tree pits are to be dug not less than 1m cube and not smaller than 250mm larger than the overall root spread. Care is to be taken to ensure that all sides are neable and have not been "polished", and that all pits are free draining with 50mm of washed round pea gravel to the base of the tree pits

3. A pressure-treated timber stake 75 x 75mm shall be used. It shall extend 500mm above the finished soil level, with a proprietary tie set 100mm below the top of

4. One tie shall be used on standard and feathered trees up to 2m high. Two will be required for Heavy and Extra-Heavy Standard trees up to 18cm girth. Above

this three will be required unless an underground guying system is specified. 5. Backfill for the tree pits is to be 20% Peat-free Compost, Fison's or similar approved.

(Special care to be taken to ensure that there is no litter, weeds or other deleterious material below the mulch bed)

6. The backfill is to be a raised mound at the top with the centre 150mm above the edges. Care is to be taken to ensure that the finished backfill level is at the nursery level on the tree and that level is at the centre of the mound 150mm above the edges of the pit when the tree has been well firmed i

7. On completion of the planting the tree shall be well watered in with not less than 10gallons of water. Thereafter it should be watered as required, following periods of any more than three consecutive hot, dry days, until the tree is fully established.

8. Following the inspection of the planting multi-purpose grade bark to be spread evenly over the shrub beds. Bark to be multi purpose grade bark, UK Origin. 8-40mm particle size. To be applied at a depth of 75mm, taking care not to smother low growing plants or to pile up against stems of woody shrubs and trees. 4. Following the inspection of the planting multi-purpose grade bark to be spread evenly over the planting area. Bark to be multi purpose grade bark, UK Origin. 8-40mm particle size. To be applied at a depth of 75mm, taking care not to smother hedging plants or to pile up against stems of the plants. (Special care to be taken to ensure that there is no litter, weeds or other deleterious material below the mulch bed)

5. After planting the hedge should be trimmed back to an even line, to encourage growth, with the amount of trimming dependent on species. Trimming only to be carried out outwith bird nesting season.

To be multi purpose grade bark, UK Origin. 8-40mm particle size. To be applied at a depth of 75mm, taking care not to smother low growing plants or to pile up against ems of woody shrubs and trees. To be spread on to cultivated, moist soils clear of weed (including roots), litter rubble and any other deleterious materials. Top up mulch annually to required depth in late spring or autumn. Available from Scotbark or Rolawn or similar approved.

MAINTENANCE

The roundabout and all associated verges will be adopted three years from the Date of Practical Completion of the Landscape works, the following maintenance

Fine grass cut 14 times per year.

Grass/Wild flower areas cut once per year, after flowering or in spring with cuttings raked and removed from the site.

Gravel areas: Make sure no over spilled gravel on the grass prior to grass cutting.

Areas of Meadow are to be maintained as per supplier/seed merchant recommendations and guidelines, or:

• Early meadow cut in the first year ONLY if unwanted annual weeds appear and grow rapidly. Cut material should be removed. Cutting annual weeds may not be

necessary if there is little growth, few weed plants or the appearance is acceptable. Annual weeds should disappear once the meadow is established.

• Meadows should be cut and the cuttings removed once a year at the end of the growing season (normally September). This should be the only management

The objective is to provide a full even cover and prevent overcrowding. To that end the site should be inspected once per year by a suitably qualified horticulturalist

and the following regime followed: • The shrub beds shall be kept clear of weeds. Weeding must be prioritise non chemical means of weed control, with the exception of notifiable or invasive weeds.

or broken branches should be removed. In the first five years all dead and dying shrubs should be replaced by shrubs of similar size and species to those originally planted

Shrubs shall be pruned up to twice per year, in Spring and Autumn depending on the species, to maintain their natural shape and habit. Any damaged, diseased

• From the second year beds should be inspected and thinned out where appropriate. Where suitable, these shrubs can be used to fill gaps in the planting area. Otherwise gaps should be in-filled with appropriate new plants as for 'e' above.

After 10 years a systematic programme of replacement should be established.

Trees have been chosen for their appropriateness to their individual location. Pruning, other than for health and safety reasons, should not be necessary. They

should, however, be inspected by a suitably qualified arboriculturalist annually

 An area 1m diameter at the base of the trees shall be kept clear of weeds and top up mulch annually to required depth in late spring or autumn. Weeding must be prioritise non chemical means of weed control, with the exception of notifiable or invasive weeds Tree stakes and ties should be inspected 3 times per year (Autumn, Winter and Spring).

All dead and diseased branches, or those broken due to malicious action or wind damage should be cleanly removed and the scar cleaned up. In the first five years all trees which have been removed or which are found to be dying, severely diseased or damaged will be replaced by trees of similar size
and species to those originally planted. These should be replaced as soon as seasonal weather conditions allow.

The objective is to produce a thick, healthy, impenetrable hedge. Pruning should be undertaken where necessary to achieve a neat and compact finish

Mixed hedge is to be pruned back to an even hedge line to encourage thickening twice within the first growing season after planting and twice a year thereafter

An area at the base of the hedging plant shall be kept clear of weeds and top up mulch annually to required depth in late spring or autumn. Weeding must be prioritise non chemical means of weed control, with the exception of notifiable or invasive weeds. All hedges along the main roads are to be maintained at the height of 900mm trimming to avoid bird nesting season.

 Six visits per year to remove weeds from shrub beds and between paviours and within other hard standing areas. All weeds are to be removed from the site ding must be prioritise non chemical means of weed control, with the exception of notifiable or invasive weeds. Where herbicides are used extreme care should be taken to avoid damage to surrounding grass, avoiding spray drift. Removal of Litter and other Debris:

All plant stock including Grass species which have been removed or which are found to be dying, severely diseased or damaged will be replaced by similar size

16 visits a year to remove litter and other debris from hard standing, grass and shrub bed areas in communal space.

Watering in times of Drought:

 Once established, grass and shrub beds to be watered in times of extreme drought. Replacement of plant stock:

and species to those originally planted. These should be replaced as soon as appropriate weather conditions allow.

WATERING NEWLY PLANTED TREES, SHRUBS AND HEDGES

. New plants should be watered in when planted, and at the point of bud burst in the spring and should be continued throughout the spring and summer until the

Watering is advised for the first 2 summers after planting, further to this, the plants should be able to access water from the surrounding soil

During the height of summer, water should be applied at a rate of 2 domestic bucket fulls (or 20 litres of water) every other day. This figure is the aim to reach during the height of summer and can be gradually increased to this in the spring and decreased before ceasing watering in the autumn.

newly planted trees and shrubs do need watering, even if it has been raining! Rain is useful in slowing up the volume of water needed by a newly planted tree as it is often cooler during such periods, however it is the root-ball that needs watering and often rainfall will not fall this close to the base of the tree, due to the

Ensure that water is draining well away after 10 minutes of application of water.

NB. The choice of planting has been chosen for many reasons such as to minimise bird attraction, aspect, height and spread, increasing bio-diversity, nectar rich to name but a few. Any alternatives should be discussed with the landscape designer, and agreed prior to order. The size specified is to ensure impact from day 1, inferior sized stock should not be acceptable from the suppliers.

(Note: Landscape proposals prepared aiming for Bio-diversity Net Gain for the development. It is the responsibility of the contractor to fully coordinate with the project Ecologist and Local Authority Bio-diversity Officer on installation and maintenance of this project)

PER SAFEGUARDING OF AERODROMES ADVICE NOTE 3:

Blocks of planting ideally should be avoided, especially in sheltered areas and sites isolated from human disturbance e.g. traffic islands. Where planting is required, the following should be considered. • To minimise the potential attractiveness of the proposed site, planting density should be at 4m centres or greater. Thinning out

should be undertaken if necessary to ensure this is maintained. • If the proposed planting is intended to provide a screening function, staggered planting in rows may be required.

Although not guaranteed to prevent a rookery being established, stands of trees with the potential to grow in excess of 20m high should not be included in planting schemes within 3 km of an aerodrome.

Measures have been taken through material selection and spacing to minimise the probability of a rookery becoming

The species selection and planting patterns become more critical as planting is placed closer to the aerodrome. Berry-bearing species should not be included in planting schemes under approach paths or in the immediate vicinity of an aerodrome. • Large quantities of berry-bearing species have been avoided. Low numbers of berry-bearing plants have been dispersed amongst other species to reduce the total food supply for birds.

Proximity to an aerodrome affects the inclusion or treatment of open water in new development.

vertical lip or fence to prevent birds from walking in and out of the water.

 Wherever possible, open water should be eliminated from an aerodrome and its immediate surroundings Landscaping proposals on and in close vicinity to the aerodrome should avoid the inclusion of water features including 'wildlife

• The severity of the hazard created by a proposed water feature will vary with the size and nature of the water body, its location

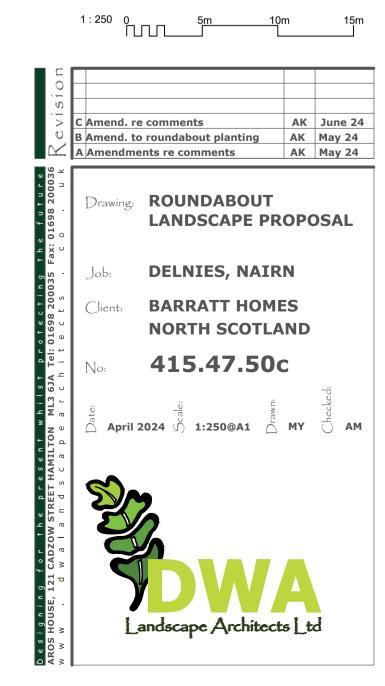
relative to the aerodrome, existing water areas and waterfowl feeding sites. The number of water features within a local area has a cumulative effect on the hazard posed.

 Where water features are absolutely necessary, measures to reduce the ecological diversity of water features and minimise their usefulness to waterfowl should be adopted and should include all of the following, where applicable: a. Depth: water should be as at least 4m deep with steeply shelving (preferably vertical) margins, to minimise or eliminate

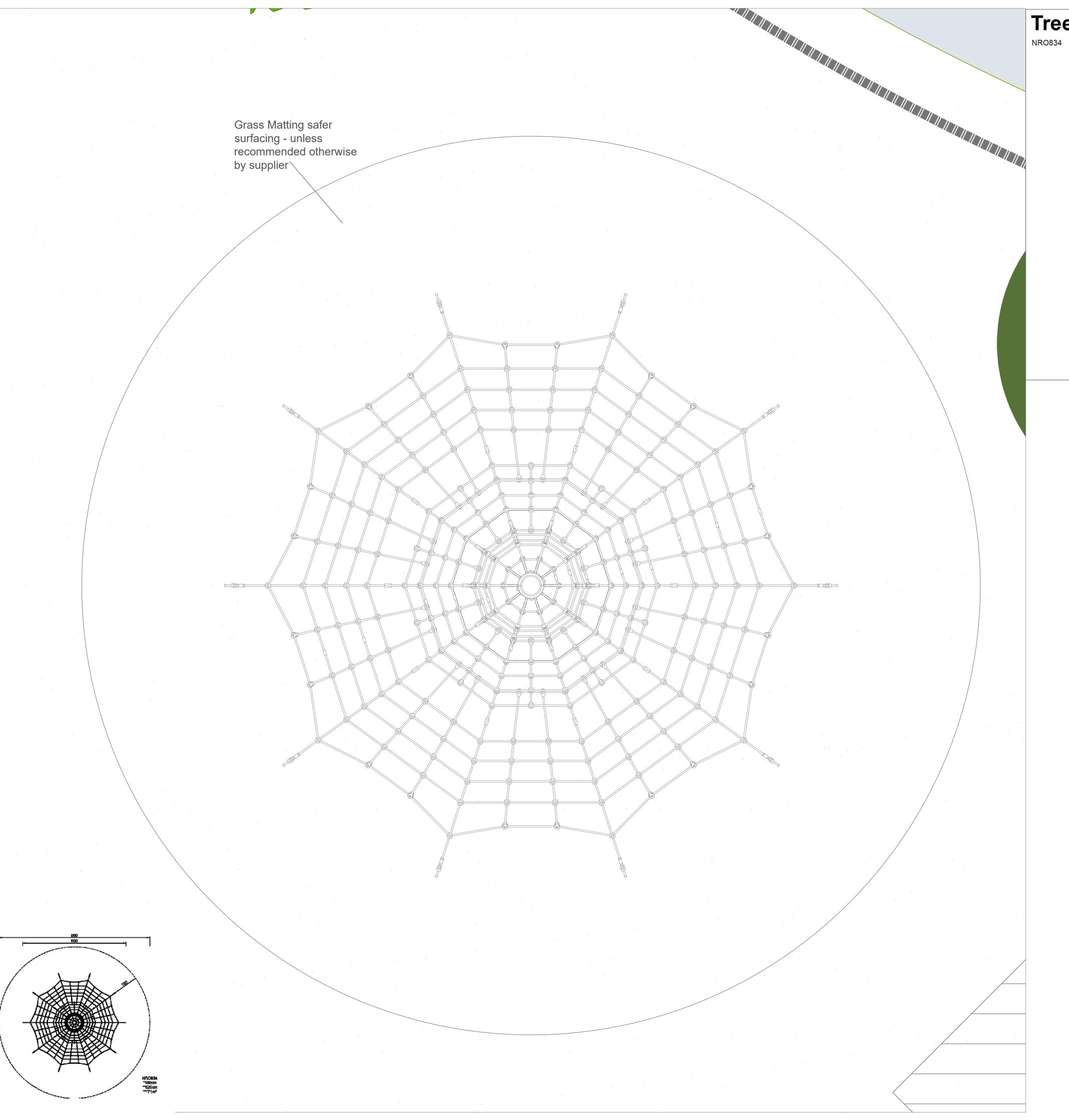
bottom-growing vegetation b. Perimeter: banks and edges are a source of ecological diversity and important for feeding, loafing and nesting. Their extent should be minimised by the shape being as close as possible to circular, without bays, promontories and islands. c. Banks: as in (b) above, banks should be steeply shelving with minimal vegetation and cover. If possible, there should be a

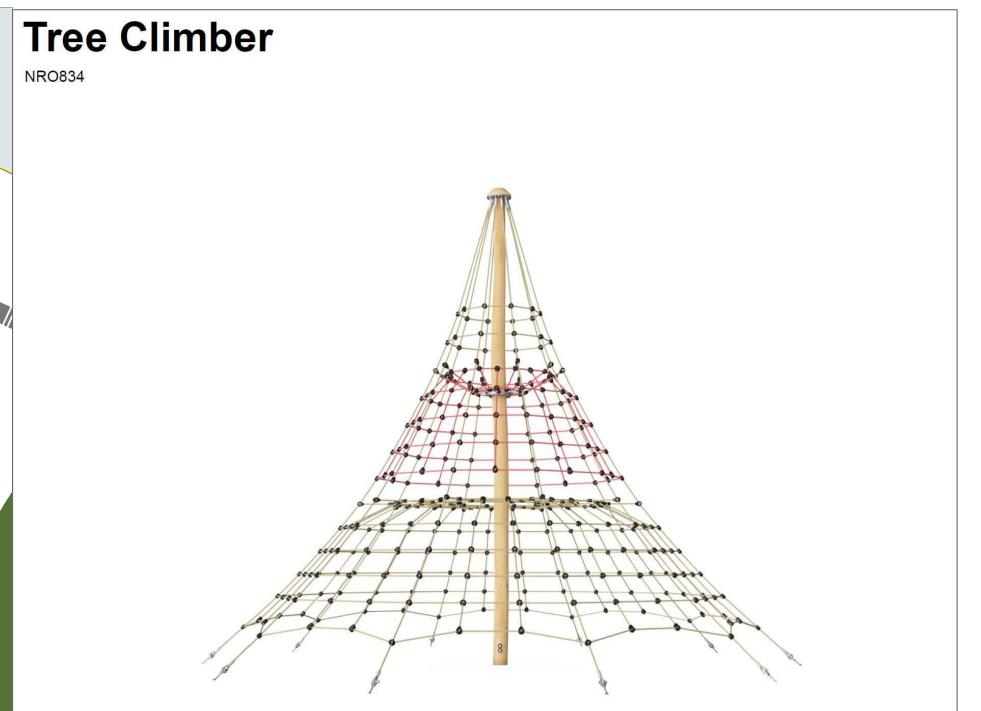
Fish: the water should not be stocked with fish, which attract fish-eating birds; nor should angling be permitted because of the food incidentally provided in the form of ground bait, discarded sandwiches, etc. e. Netting: it may be possible to enclose smaller ponds with netting to exclude birds. In this way, small but ecologically diverse ponds designed for educational purposes may be acceptable.

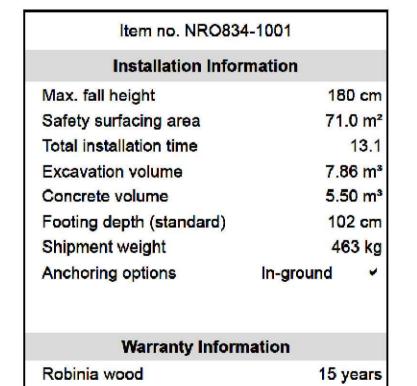
Surroundings: dense vegetation provides nesting cover and short grass is grazed by wildfowl. Paving or a long grass regime (c200mm) similar to that developed for aerodromes would be more acceptable. The grass could be managed as a meadow for wildflowers and butterflies However, a wet meadow would attract feeding ducks and nesting waders, and should be avoided. Further guidance on bird hazards associated with landscaping and their mitigation is contained in Civil Aviation Publication CAP 680 Aerodrome Bird Control. (www.caa.co.uk)









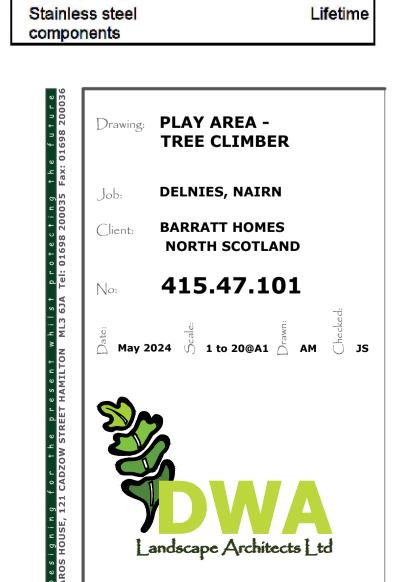


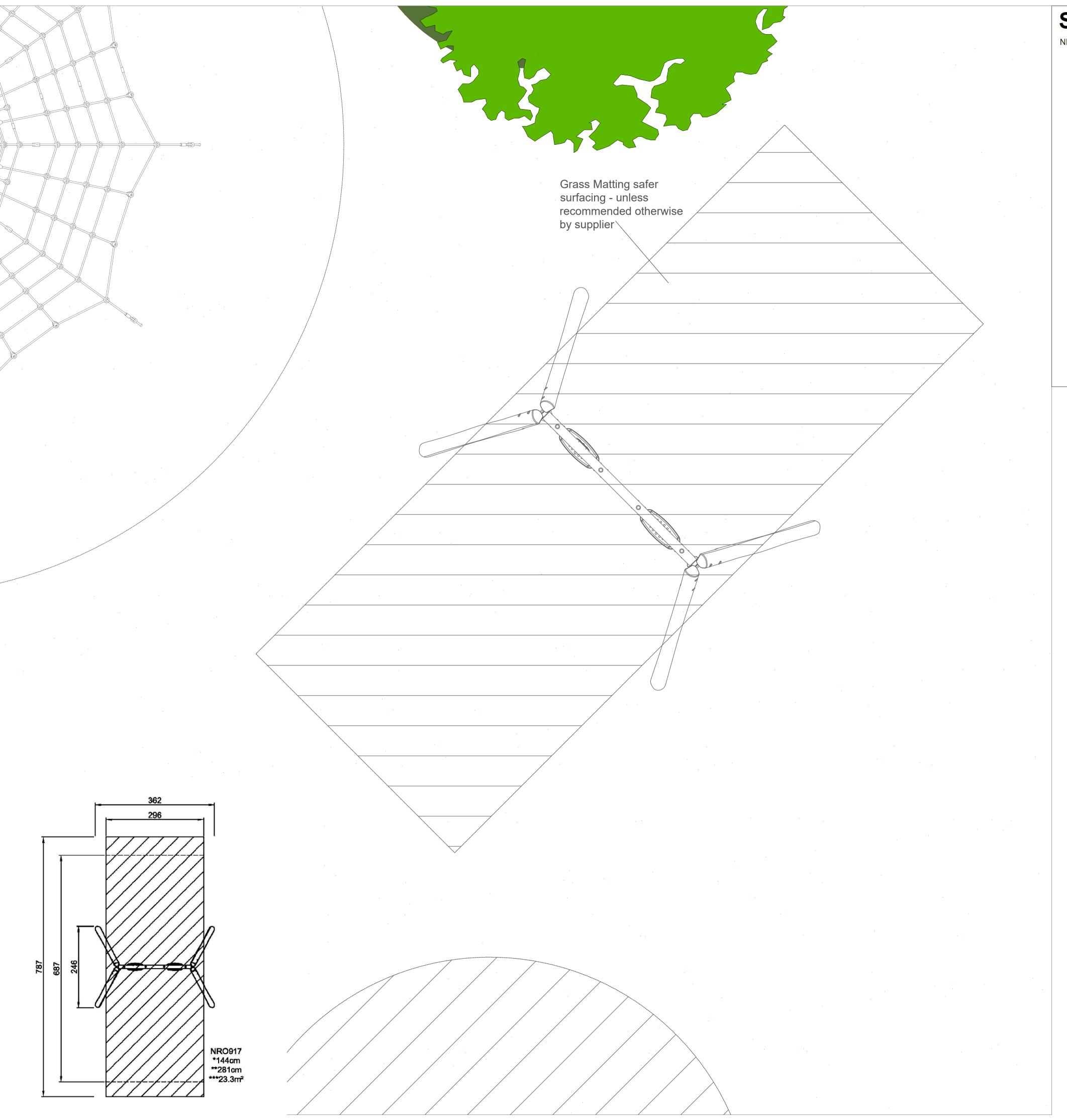
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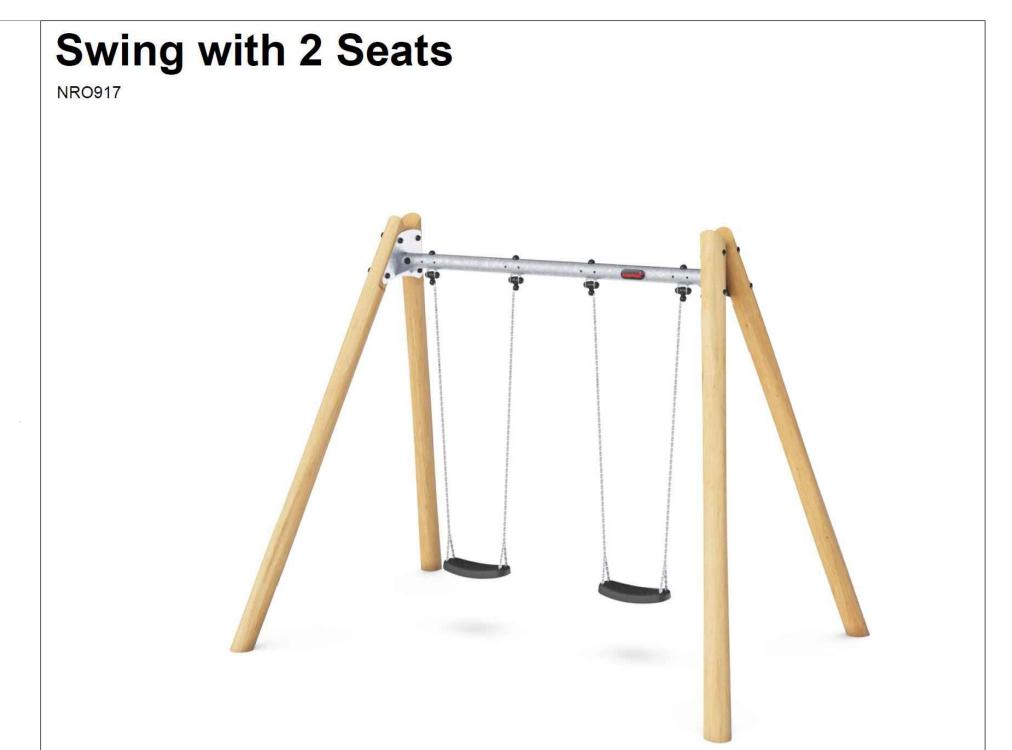
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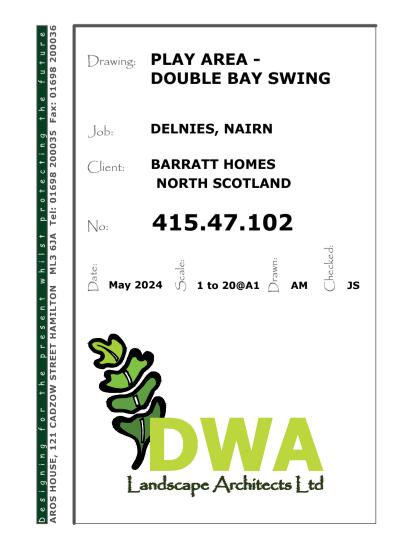
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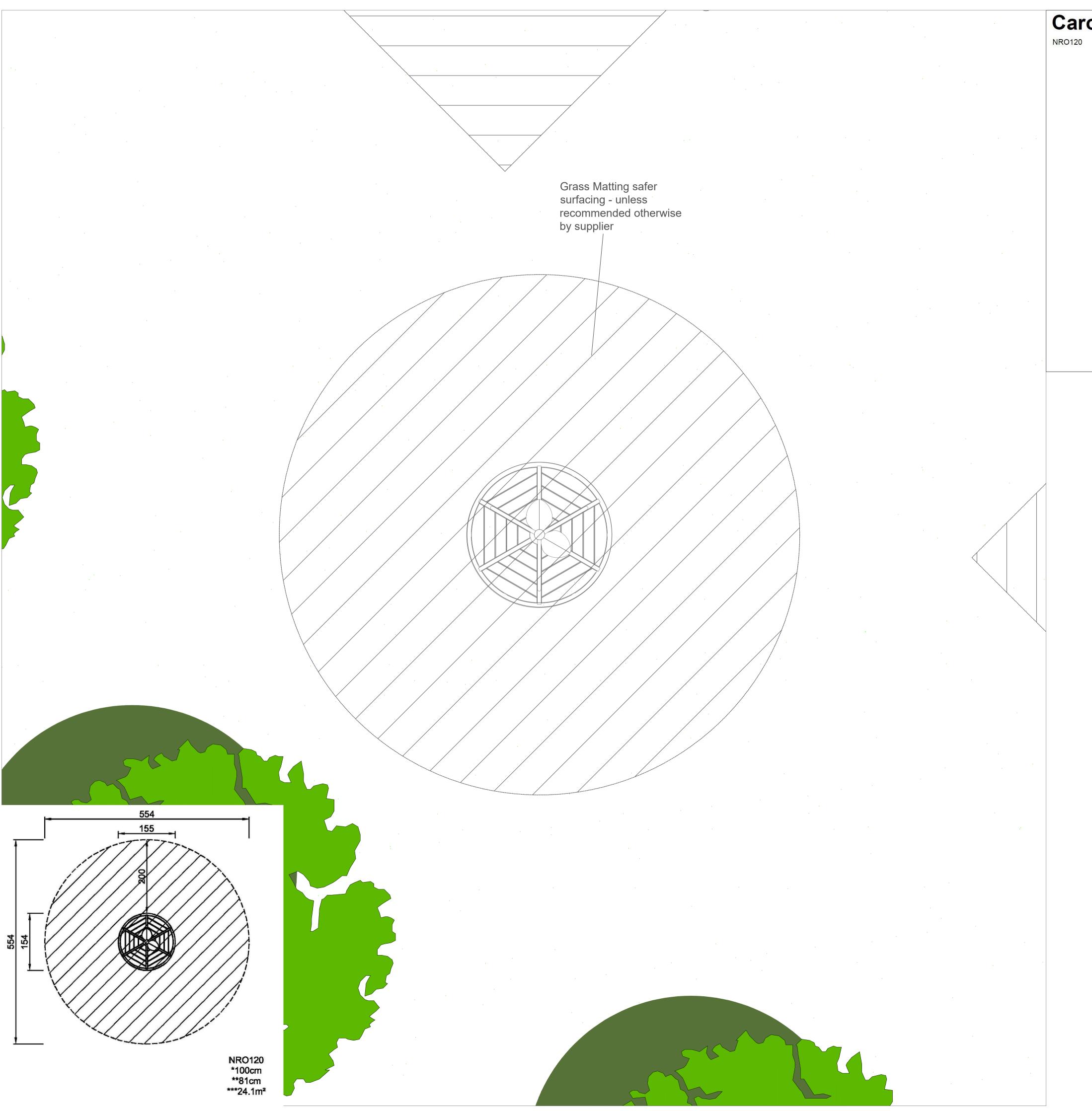


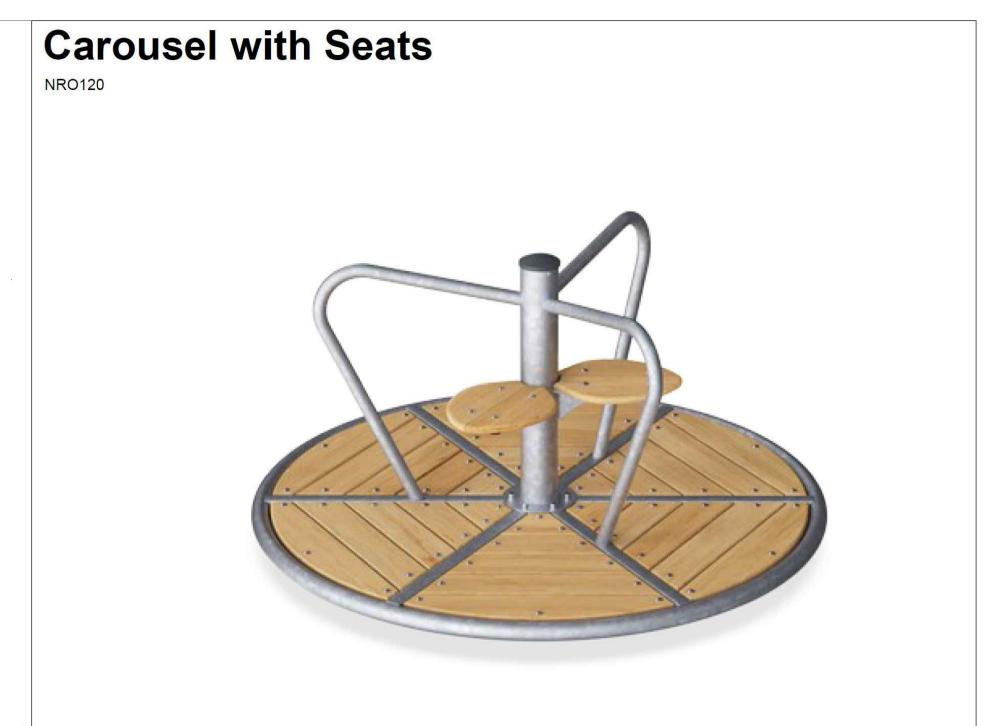




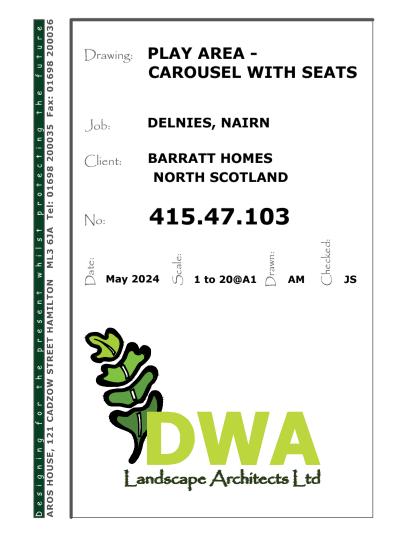
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Excavation volume	1.35 m³		
Concrete volume	0.3	35 m ³	
Footing depth (standard)	10	0 cm	
Shipment weight	36	39 kg	
Anchoring options	In-ground	•	
	Surface	•	
Warranty Information			
Chains 10 years			
Hot dip galvanised steel	Life	Lifetime	
Movable parts	2)	/ears	
Robinia wood	15 years		
Spare parts guaranteed	10 years		

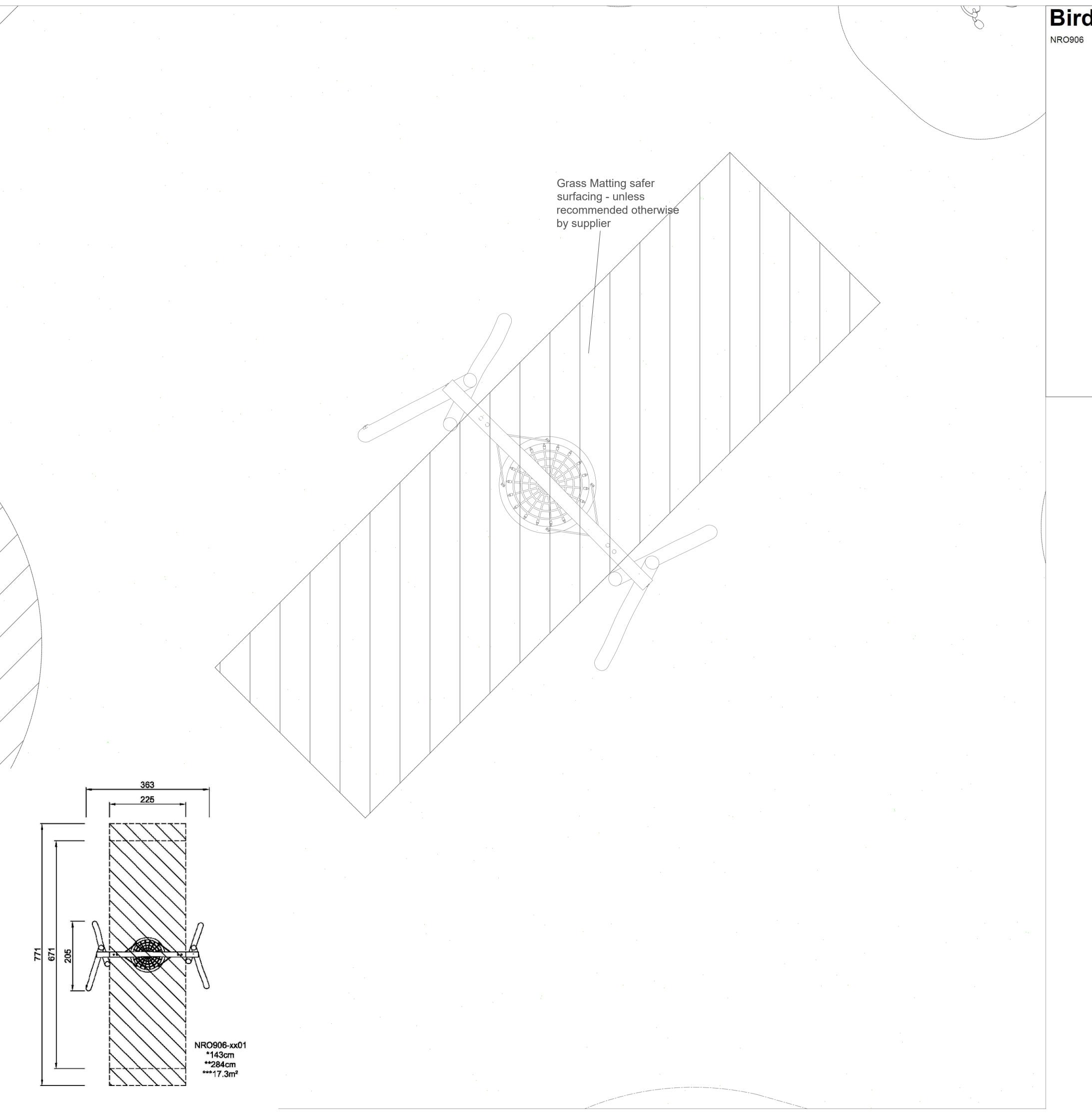




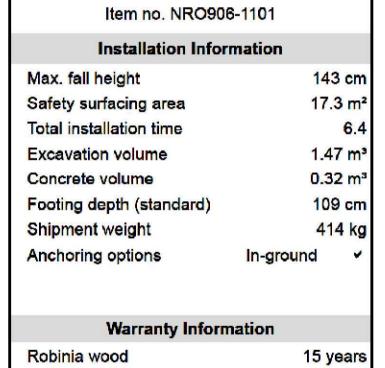


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Max. fall height	10	0 cm	
Safety surfacing area	24.	24.1 m ²	
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Excavation volume 0.44		4 m³	
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Footing depth (standard)) 100 cm		
Shipment weight	17	3 kg	
Anchoring options	In-ground	•	
Warranty Inform	nation		
Bearing construction	5 y	5 years	
Hot dip galvanised steel Lifetin		time	
Robinia wood	15 y	15 years	
Spare parts guaranteed	ts guaranteed 10 years		

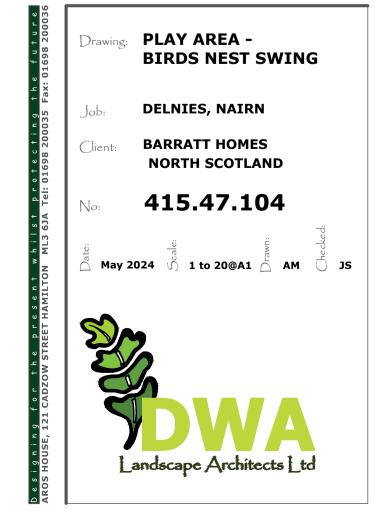


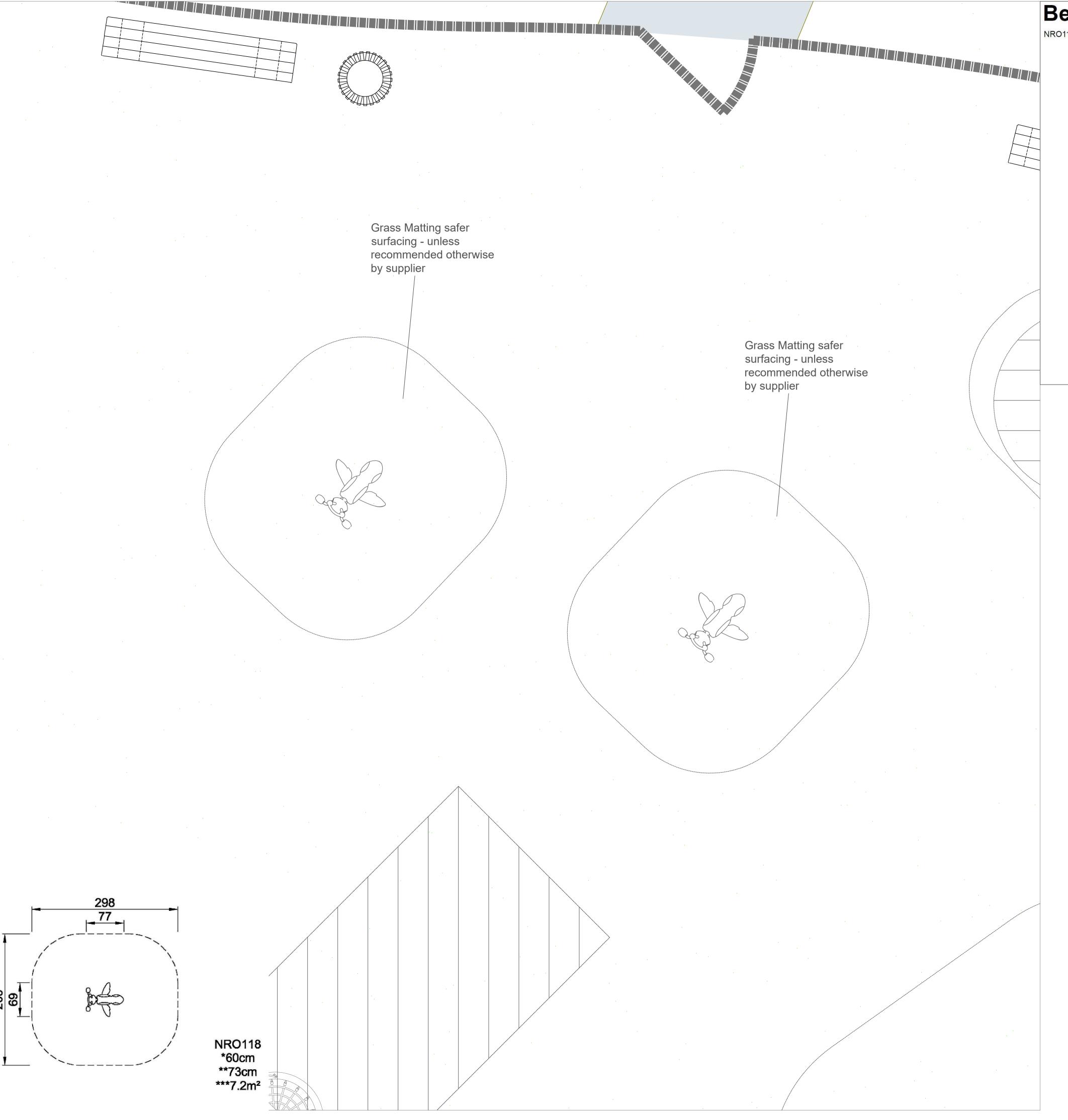






Robinia wood 15 years
Ropes & nets 10 years
Spare parts guaranteed 10 years
Swing hangers 5 years
Swing seat 10 years

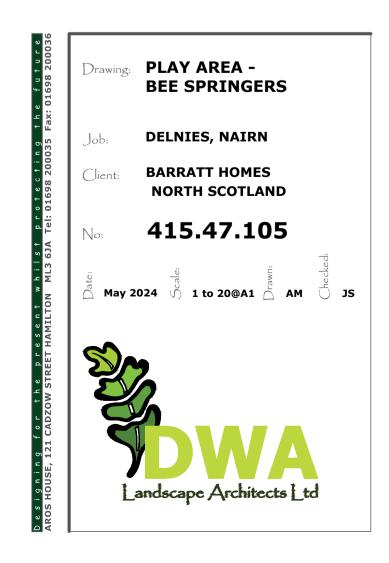




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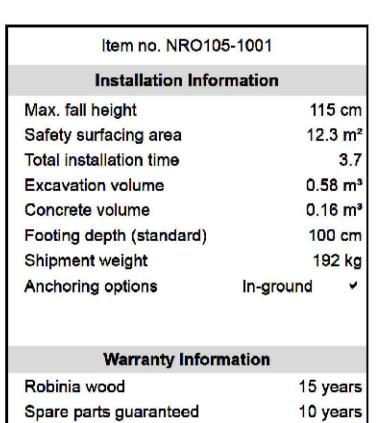


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Max. fall height	6	0 cm		
Safety surfacing area 7.2		2 m²		
Total installation time		1.9		
Excavation volume 0.17 m		7 m ³		
Concrete volume	e volume 0.00 m³			
Footing depth (standard)	4	2 cm		
Shipment weight	4	2 kg		
Anchoring options	In-ground	~		
	Surface	•		
Warranty Information				
Membrane	2 y	ears		
Robinia wood	15 y	15 years		
Spare parts guaranteed	10 y	10 years		
Springs	5 y	5 years		
Stainless steel components	Life	Lifetime		





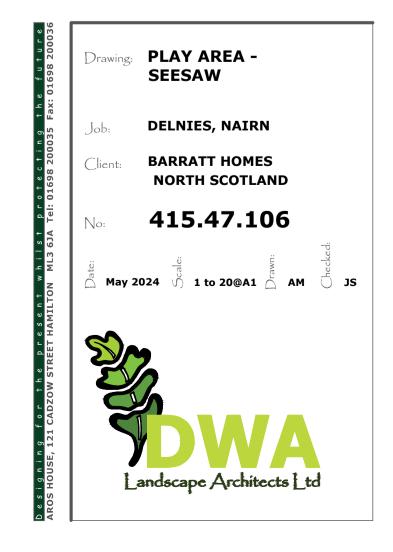


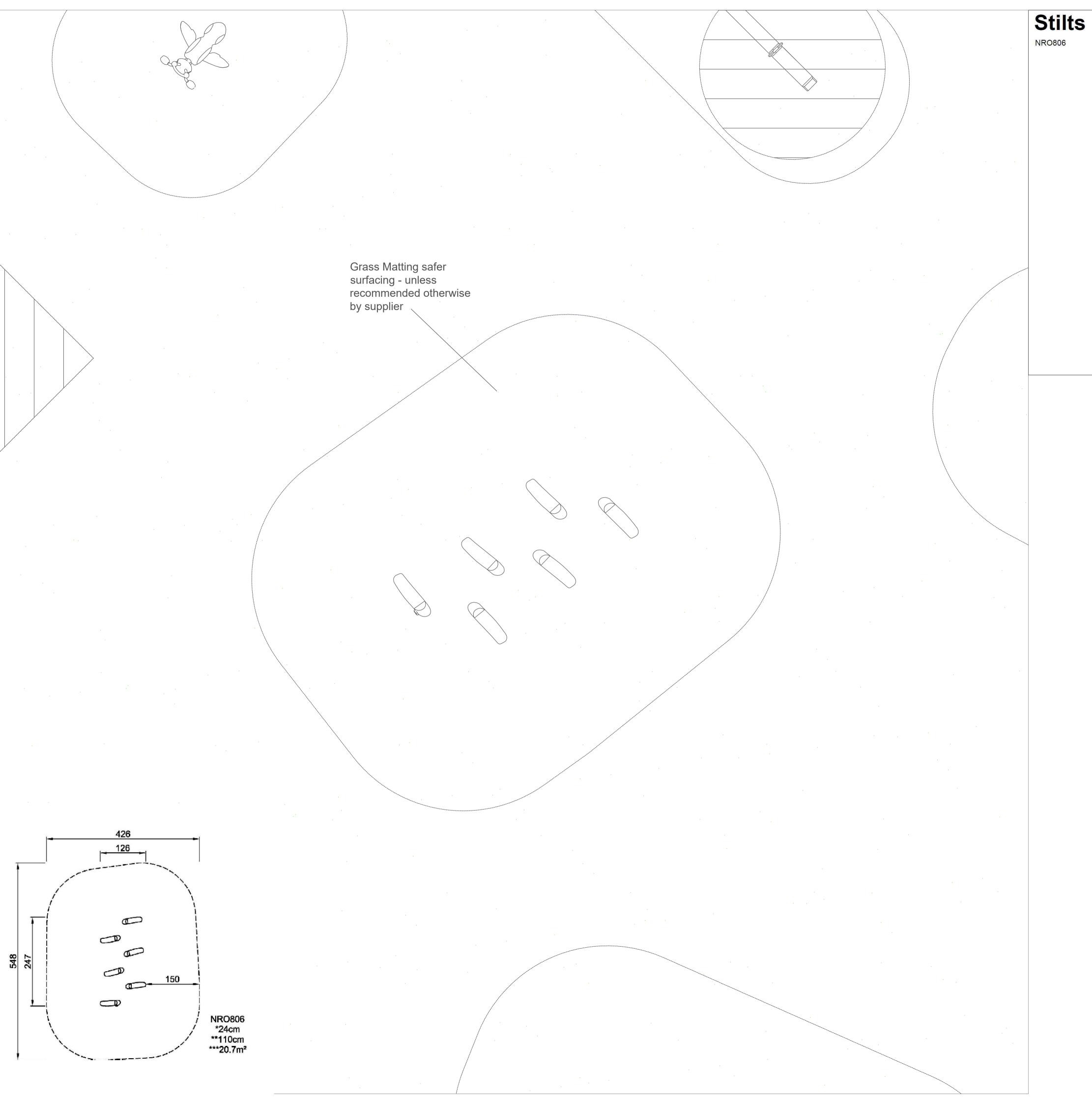


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> 15 years 10 years

Robinia wood

Spare parts guaranteed

