



Marquee/Tent Security & Safety Requirements

Reference should be made to the following table in calculating the appropriate weights to be used to hold down your marquee structure or other infrastructure at your site:

Marquee/Tent size	Up to 2.5m x 2.5m (6.25m ²) 4 hold down points.	Up to 3m x 3m (9.0m ²) 4 hold down points.	Up to 3.5m x 3.5m (12.25m ²) 4 hold down points.
Required weights *	12kg per hold down point Total 48kg	18kg per hold down point Total 72kg	23kg per hold down point Total 92kg

* May be achieved by combination of smaller weights.

The above table has been developed taking into account occupational health and safety, handling, and practicability considerations.

Long tethers of rope and/or chain for attaching weights to tented structures, umbrellas and clothes-racks are not permitted. Weights must be attached to tented structures, umbrellas, clothes-racks, or other infrastructure as low to the ground as possible.

Weights must not extend away from the uprights of tented structures, umbrellas, clothes-racks or other infrastructure in a manner that would represent a trip hazard.

ALL Exhibitors **must ensure** that all site infrastructure including structures, umbrellas, clothes-racks and stock is **adequately secured** to prevent injury to members of the public and fellow Exhibitors.

Power leads must be tagged and tested by an authorised person and maintained in good condition. Tagging and testing must be carried out every 12 months.

Exhibitors who operate sites where LPG (liquid petroleum gas) is used are reminded the storage, and installation of gas appliances should be in accordance with the Manufactures Instructions. Furthermore, installations are to comply with the requirements of the Dangerous Goods General Regulation 1998 and the Australian Standard 1595.

Information in respect to LPG (liquid petroleum gas) can be obtained from Workplace Standards Tasmania - Advisory Service, telephone number 1300 366 322.

Exhibitors operating food vans or food stalls where cooking and reheating is taking place must also meet Tasmanian Fire Service requirements, and are required to provide a 2kg chemical powder extinguisher with a 30B(E) rating plus a 1200 x 1800 fire blanket.