

TheGroundPounder™

WARNING: Use only for driving Ground Rods by hand, for which this product was specifically designed. When using this equipment, always wear safety gear including goggles or safety glasses, ear plugs or sound deafening headphones, and tight fitting gloves. Will conduct electricity.



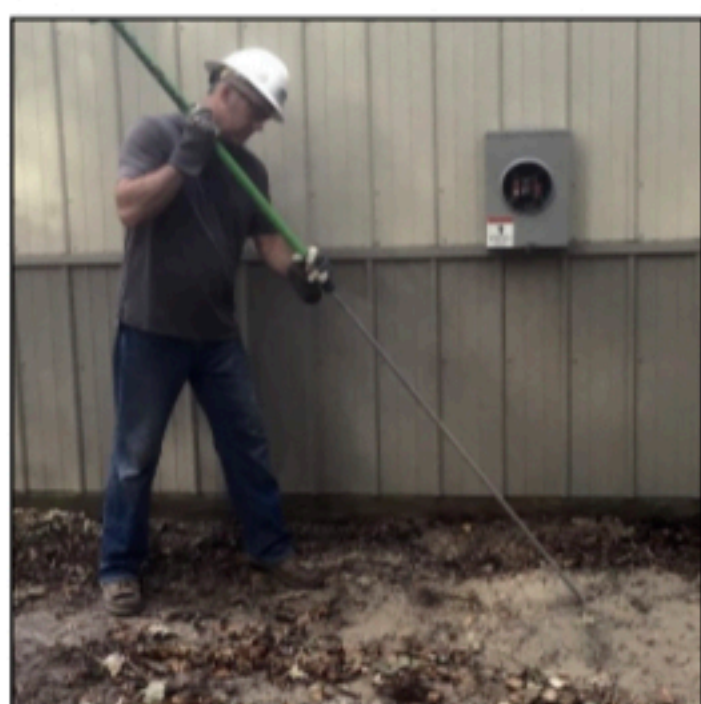
18 LB (8.165 KG)
MADE IN USA

Instructions For Use

1. Slide the GroundPounder onto the 1/2" or 5/8" ground rod.
2. Position the ground rod perpendicular to the ground and begin driving the ground rod with short and steady upward and downward motions, letting the weight of the GroundPounder do the work.
3. Continue installing the ground rod until the end of the GroundPounder touches the ground.
4. Slide the GroundPounder off the ground rod and use the flat striking surface to finish installing the ground rod using the same up and down motion.
5. Continue driving the ground rod until it is completely installed.
6. The GroundPounder was designed to easily install a ground rod while standing straight up with both feet securely on the ground from start to finish.



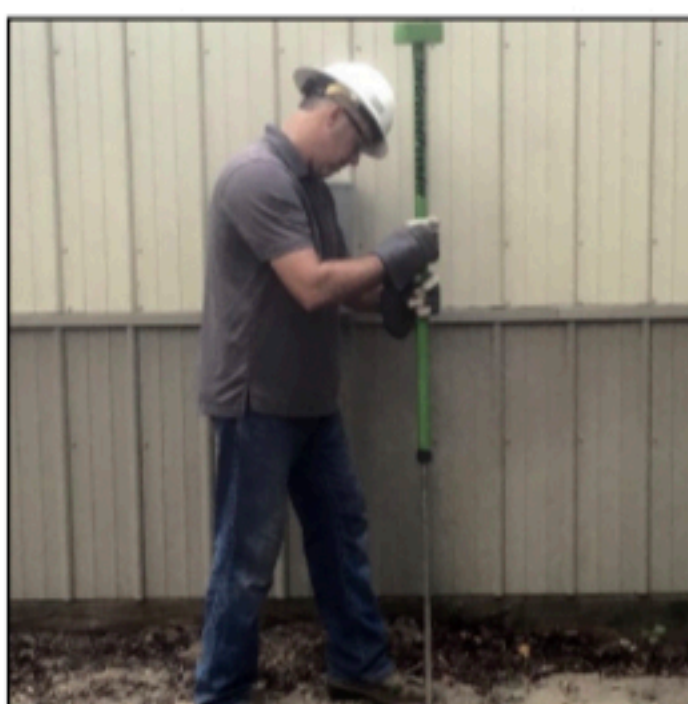
TIPS FOR INSTALLATION



STEP 1

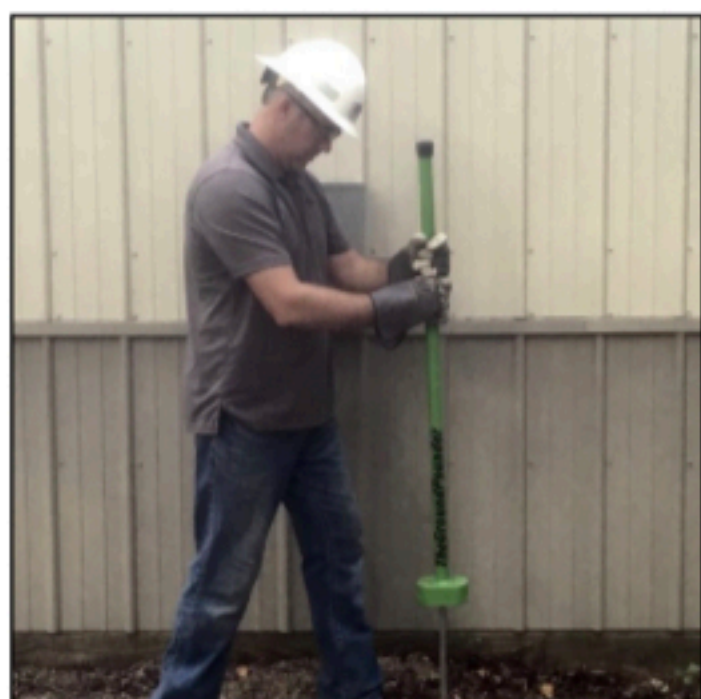
Insert ground rod into end of GroundPounder and position it perpendicular to the ground.

TIP: Always use short and steady strokes in an upward and downward motion.



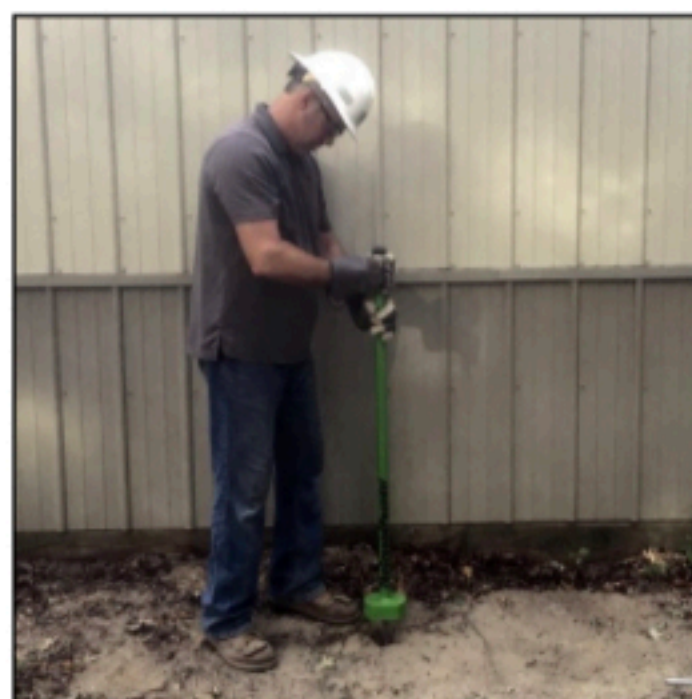
STEP 2

Continue with upward and downward striking motion until the end of the GroundPounder touches the ground.



STEP 3

Remove the GroundPounder and invert so that you begin using the flat striking surface on the top of the GroundPounder.



STEP 4

Continue using the top of the GroundPounder until you have driven the ground rod to the required depth.

SAFETY GUIDELINES:

1. This tool is specifically designed to install ground rods only..
2. Always wear safety gear, including safety glasses, ear plugs or sound deafening headphones, and tight fitting gloves.
3. Do not use this tool around live electrical equipment or energized lines.
4. Before installing any ground rods, locate all underground utilities and call **Miss Utility** or **811**.



STEP 5 WRONG!

The GroundPounder is not a sledgehammer. It was not designed to drive ground rods using any sides of the GroundPounder head, only the top.

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