

MEDICUS FALL LINE INDICATOR INSTRUCTIONS

The Medicus Fall Line Indicator is easy to use by following these three simple steps. Its main application is for putts in the range of four to five feet where there is a single slope. This is the critical area around the hole where speed and break are the biggest factors. This is also the area where disappointment and frustration are greatest when reading the break incorrectly.

NOTE: On longer putts outside of five feet there may be more than one slope as in the case of a double breaker. The Fall Line Indicator can be used for both breaks; however, as the golf ball slows down it is the slope nearest the hole that is the most important to read.

STEP 1:

The Medicus Fall Line Indicator contains 8 Hash Lines. The top Hash line is at the 12 O'clock position and is directly "below" the top (upright) Medicus Logo. The bottom Hash Line is at the 6 O'clock position and is directly "above" the bottom (upside down) Medicus Logo. These are the two main indicators for reading the break of the slope.

The Medicus Fall Line Indicator should be positioned between the hole and the golf ball for reading the break of the slope. The 6 O'clock Hash Line should face the golf ball and the 12 O'clock Hash Line should face the hole. The ball will either be to the left or right of the "12 to 6 straight line", unless the golf ball is exactly on the fall line to the hole. If the golf ball is "exactly on the fall line" to the hole, then the ball will be "centered" and will follow the "12 to 6 straight line".

STEP 2:

When the golf ball is NOT centered (and does not fall on the exact "12 to 6 straight line"), then "rotate" the Medicus Fall Line Indicator until the ball is centered over the "12 to 6 straight line". This now represents the Fall Line or the true downward direction of the slope through the hole.

STEP 3:

When mapping the green for various hole locations, draw a small arrow on your green map to represent the Fall Line. The degree of slope can be marked next to the arrow.

When merely practicing putting, mark the high side of the hole with a golf ball marker and the low side of the hole with another. It helps to use different colored golf ball markers.