



# Watering Your Foundation Could Save You \$\$\$\$\$

For some soils, especially clays and similar expansive soils, even a slight change in moisture content can lead to soil movement, which might affect your home's foundation. This is why extended periods of unusually dry weather can lead to structural movement in homes. The moisture content of the soil is changing and, as a result, the soil itself under and around your foundation changes.

Soaker hoses around slab foundations can help you control these changes. Watering 10-15 minutes, once or twice a week (depending on conditions), should be sufficient. It is very important that an attempt be made to maintain even moisture around your foundation.

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