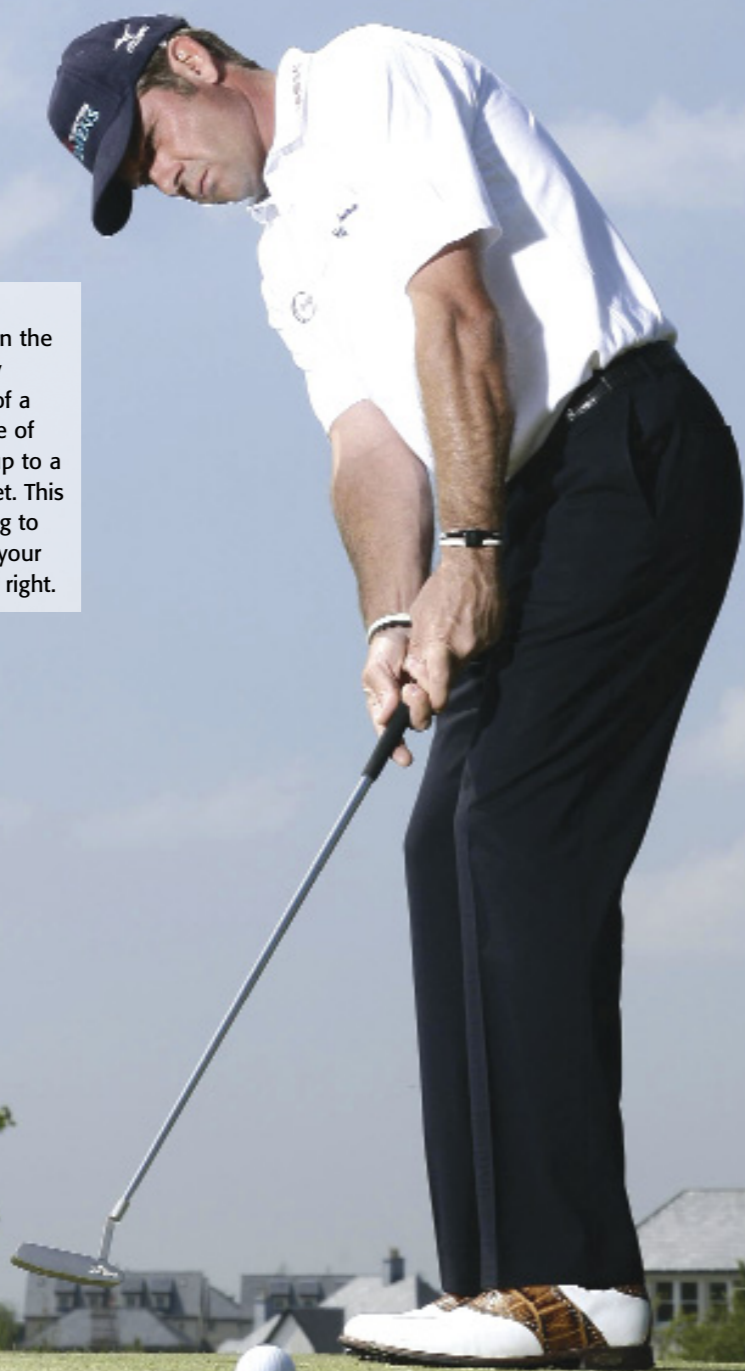


# Line and length

European Tour pro Sven Struver on how to make the most of your time on the practice putting green

## TIME FOR TEE

Making the most of your time on the practice putting green can really bolster your confidence ahead of a round. Find a relatively flat piece of ground and instead of putting up to a hole use a tee peg as your target. This takes away the pressure of trying to hole the putt and concentrates your mind solely on getting the pace right.



## GET TO THE POINT

Now move in to the four-foot range. If you can repeatedly hit the peg then you will find no problem in holing out during your round. It should also encourage you to make a confident stroke and not just try to trickle it in.

Similarly, when you are out on the course, focus on a specific point of the hole as this will allow for more room for error. Any further out than four or five feet and you will find it difficult to hit your target.



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