## Deer Fence Post/Fence Installation Instructions

Note: These instructions are UNIVERSAL. They are to aid in the installation of all styles of fence mesh and heights. If a tension system was purchased, please refer to the tensioning kit instructions BEFORE these instructions.

| HARDWARE PARTS |  |  |  |
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| A <br> QTY: 7 per 100 ft <br> 17 Gauge 1 5/8" Black Powder Coated Galvanized Pipe (Refer to packing slip for SKU \#) | QTY: 1 roll per 100 ft <br> Fencing Mesh <br> (Refer to packing slip for SKU \#) | C <br> QTY: 7 per 100 ft <br> Black Ground Sleeve for $15 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ Post | D <br> QTY: 1 per 21 Posts <br> Drive Cap for 1 5/8" Post Sleeve SKU: DE2812 |
| E QTY: $\mathbf{7}$ per 100 ft <br> 1 5/8" Black Vinyl Post Cap SKU: DE8089 | F <br> QTY: 1 pk per 100 ft <br> 8" High Strength Nylon SelfLocking Ties - 100pk <br> SKU: DE2854 | G <br> QTY: 1 <br> Cutter Puller Tool for Self-Locking Ties | H <br> QTY: 1 pk per 100 ft <br> Ground Stakes <br> (Refer to packing slip for SKU \#) |
| QTY: 1 pk per 100ft <br> White Warning Banner <br> SKU: DE2896 | If you selected Rodent Exclusion Barrier: <br> J <br> QTY: 1 roll per 100 ft <br> 2' x 100' Steel Hex Web Black PVC Coated Fence <br> SKU: SH20210011B | K <br> QTY: 1 <br> Magnetic Level | Recommended Tools (Not Included): <br> Power Drill with 5/16" Drill Bit <br> Tape Measure <br> Sledgehammer <br> Hammer <br> Earth Auger <br> Digging Bar (For rocky/hard ground) <br> String Line |

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1. Lay out the fence design and place all end/corner posts. If you did not purchase corners/ends for your system, place posts where the ends/corners would be. Pull a string between the corners to determine the fence line for post placement. Place GROUND SLEEVES (C) every 15 ' apart, but you can also space every 10 '$20^{\prime}$ apart to best fit your fence system.

Note: It is very important to determine the location of all posts before driving the sleeves into the ground. Posts will need to be placed at all changes in direction and steep changes in grade. On hard ground it may be necessary to use an
EARTH AUGER (Sold Separately; SKU: DE8189) or DIGGING BAR to make a hole before driving the ground sleeves in. Kits without corners, ends, or gates, will have to space posts evenly.
2. Using the provided DRIVE CAP (D) and a sledgehammer, drive the GROUND SLEEVES (C) into the ground, as flush to the ground as possible. Use the MAGNETIC LEVEL (K) to ensure the sleeve is as straight as possible.
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Ideal: $15^{\prime}$
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5. As you unroll the FENCE MESH (B), repeat STEP 4 as you go along the perimeter of the fence line until all sides are enclosed.

Note: For starting a new roll of fence, terminate the old roll at the nearest line post and start your new roll at the same post. Fencing will also terminate at end posts and gates.
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## Optional: Rodent Exclusion Barrier Instructions (Skip Step if Not Applicable)

1. Unroll the RODENT

BARRIER (J) overlapping the existing fence. You will want to allow approximately $1^{\prime}$ of overlap on your fencing. Attach the RODENT BARRIER (J) to the FENCE MESH (A) on the OUTSIDE of the fence line using a SELF-LOCKING ZIP TIE (G) every $1^{\prime}$. The remaining $1^{\prime}$ of the RODENT BARRIER (J) can either be flared at the bottom and tacked down using the GROUND STAKES (H) or trenched down into the ground to further prevent digging.

Note: There will be a gap where the barrier goes around the fence posts, this is normal. Depending on fence length, you may need to purchase extra SELF-LOCKING TIES (G)
to complete the Anti-Dig Barrier.
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## Important Notes:

Remember to install all line posts and gate posts before starting to set up the fence.
When unrolling the fence, tie it to the posts before making any cuts to ensure that the fence is well attached. During installation, take care to not overstretch any of the fence mesh. You want to ensure that the fence is taught but not stretched out.

