

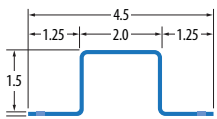
POSTMASTER[®] FENCE SYSTEM

PostMaster[®] Plus is the Wood Fence Total Solution!

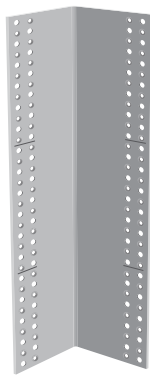
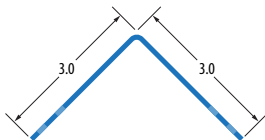
Lattice Top Fence Installation Guidelines



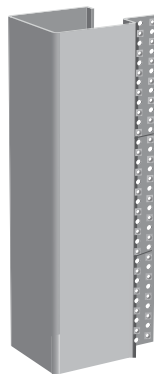
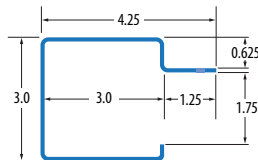
Line Post



Corner Post



Gate Post

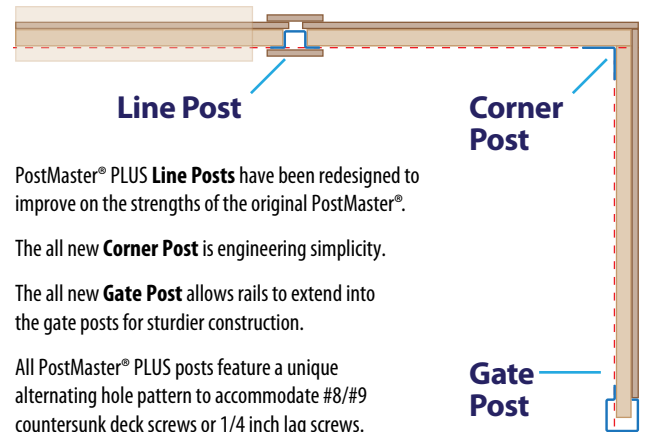


THREE POSTS ARE BETTER THAN ONE!

PostMaster[®] PLUS steel fence posts are built with purpose.

Like the original PostMaster[®], this system is designed to be used with standard 2x4 or 2x6 rails. The PostMaster[®] PLUS fastening flanges of all three post types line up precisely.

LATTICE TOP LAYOUT EXAMPLE



PostMaster[®] PLUS **Line Posts** have been redesigned to improve on the strengths of the original PostMaster[®].

The all new **Corner Post** is engineering simplicity.

The all new **Gate Post** allows rails to extend into the gate posts for sturdier construction.

All PostMaster[®] PLUS posts feature a unique alternating hole pattern to accommodate #8/#9 countersunk deck screws or 1/4 inch lag screws.

Alternating hole pattern for # 8 / #9 countersunk deck screws or 1/4 in. lag screws. #8/9 countersunk deck screws are recommended for flush installation to the post. All posts available in: 7'6", 8', 9', 10', & 12' lengths.



*Quality Products,
Exceptional Service,
Outstanding People*

BEFORE YOU BEGIN

Ensure that fence footings **do not exceed legally established property lines and set-backs**. If uncertain, refer to your real estate line plot or consult a professional surveyor. Check local codes for specifications regarding frontage locations, allowable fence heights, etc. A permit may be required. Consult with local utility companies for locations of underground cables or pipelines.



**Know what's below
Call before you dig.**

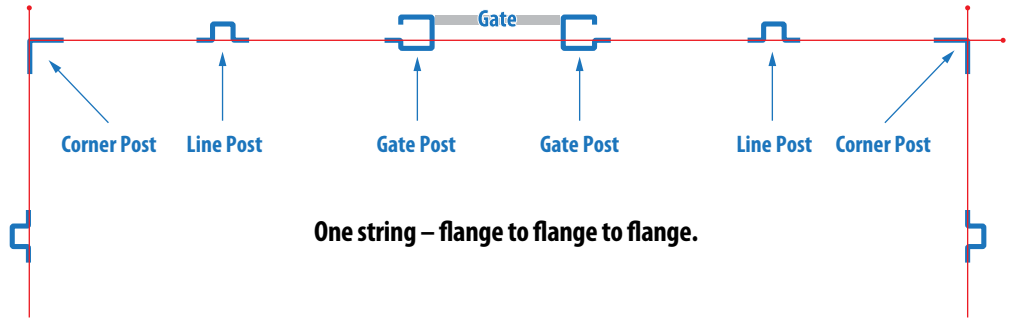
1 Plan, Layout & Mark

Locate your property's boundary lines. Precisely marking the fence layout is the critical first step in a quality installation.

Stake the locations of each **Corner Post** and **Gate Post**.

Line Posts should be spaced the length of your rail + 2", on center. The exact spacing may be modified depending on rails used, fence height and ground slope.

Place shorter sections at the corners or near gates or buildings to make the fence fit the length of the layout.

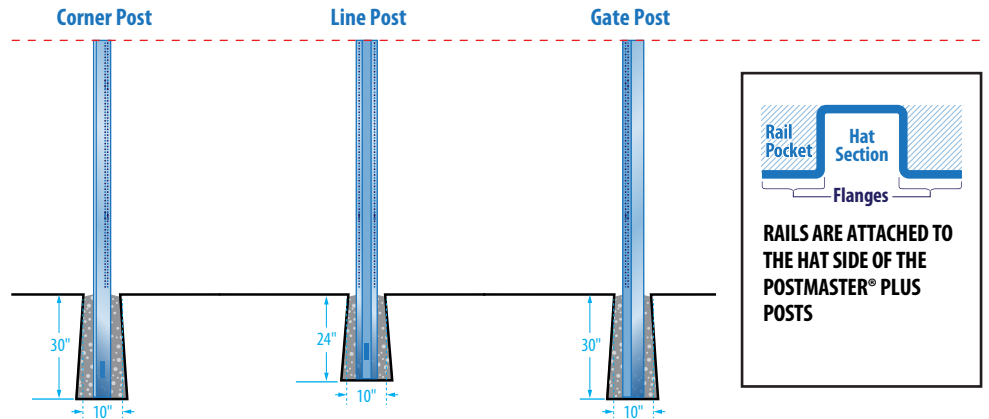


2 Locate & Set Posts

Dig the post holes 6 - 10 in. diameter. **Corner** and **Gate Posts** should be 30 in. deep, while **Line Posts** can be 24 in. deep. The exact diameter and depth will be determined by local conditions.

Center the terminal posts in the holes. Make sure the posts are plumb, square to the fence line and set to the correct height. Block and support the post to preserve post position as installation continues.

Fill the hole with concrete in a continuous pour, mounding the top to direct water away from the post. When the concrete has hardened in the **corner** and **gate** posts, stretch a string between them to help set the line posts at the correct height.



3 Install Rails & Pickets

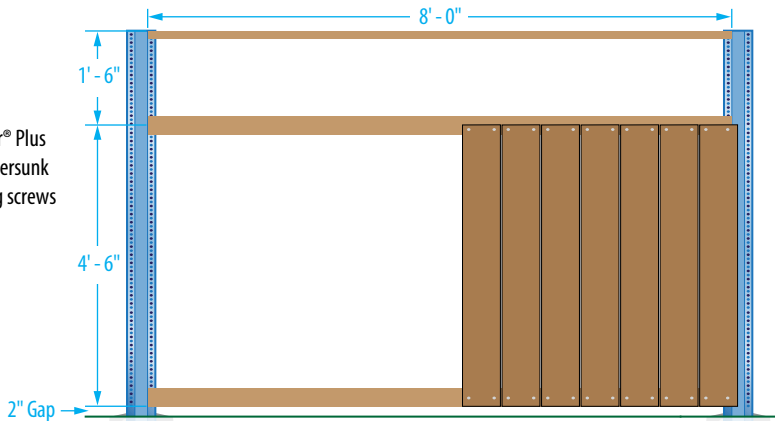
Top Rail: 1-1/2" x 1-1/2"

Mid Rail: 1-1/2" x 3-1/2"

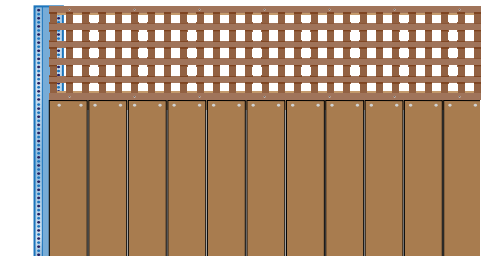
Bottom Rail: 1-1/2" x 3-1/2"

Attach Rails to PostMaster® Plus posts with # 8 or #9 countersunk deck screws, or 1/4 in. lag screws

Attach 4" - 6" pickets with 1-1/4" or 1-5/8" fasteners



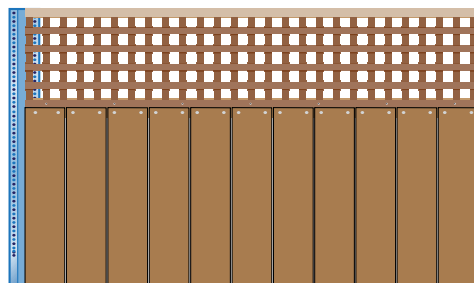
4 Prepare Lattice



Position lattice flush & level to top rail. Attach the lattice with 1-1/4" or 1-5/8" fasteners.

5 Trim Lattice

Install 3/4" x 1-1/2" trim pieces on the front of the lattice.



6 Finishing Touches

Cap Rail: 1-1/2" x 3-1/2" or 5-1/2"

Cover Boards: 3/4" x 4 or 6"

Fascia Board: 3/4" x 3-1/2" or 4"

- Install **Cap Rail** on top of the lattice trim piece
- Attach **Cover Boards** over PostMaster® Plus posts. Front and Back.
- Install **Fascia Board** to cover the top of fence picket and bottom of the lattice

