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Deer Fence Installation Instructions



1. First, determine the areas you wish to protect. Our product can be used to enclose your entire property, or selected areas (please note that the area should be **completely enclosed** for the best deer protection. In our experience, using the product along just one or two sides of the area could result in severe damage - it will allow the deer to enter from a particular direction, try to exit from another direction where the fencing has been installed, and damage your fence in their attempt to escape. Therefore, we recommend that you **completely enclose the area** you wish to protect, (enclose particular section(s) or your entire property). If you choose to enclose your entire property, we suggest using our Premier weight Perimeter fencing called Premium P-Flex. If you choose to enclose small gardens or landscaped areas, our standard C-Flex product is recommended. Since deer do not like jumping into small areas, you may be able to use a lower height fence for narrow beds/small gardens.

2. The fencing can be attached to your existing trees with U - nails. When doing so, we recommend that the trees are no more than 20' apart. If no treeline is present, or if trees are further than 20' apart, our tubular 1 3/8" pipe, rail steel or pressure treated 2" x 4"s or 4" x 4"s may be used and should be spaced no more than 15' apart. Start in a corner at ground level, unroll the fencing, and attach it to the tree using u-nails every 1 foot as you work your way up. For maximum strength, use as many nails as possible on top and bottom. **Leave some play** in the fencing as you install it.

3. Deer are notorious for trying to push under fence! In order to keep them from getting in, install the fence netting so that it touches the ground. Then secure it to the ground using 12" to 18" metal stakes every 8' - 10', or attach a wire running the length of the fence by securely fastening it to the bottom of the fence.

4. Attach 12" long white ribbon onto the fence every 10' at a height of 4'. This will allow the deer to see the newly installed barrier, and keep them from running into it. The ribbon should be left up for six to eight weeks. It is **most** important to place ribbon along areas of high deer traffic and/or time worn paths (**we also recommend using a double layer of fencing where frequently traveled paths exist**).