



Posts & Chains

Posts

If you are measuring up for the installation of our upvc posts then you may be wondering what the ideal spacing is between each post. The honest answer is there is no right or wrong measurement and a lot depends on the area that you have to work with and the effect you want to achieve although there are some measurements that you can use as a guide.

If you are using our Temporary posts then we would recommend a spacing of 1meter - 1.75meters and if you are using our Premier posts then a spacing of 1.75meter - 2.5meters with the ideal spacing being around 2meters between posts. To achieve a great visual effect, it is recommended that you aim for an even spacing between all posts were possible although if the fencing is following a curve at some point along the run then you will need to install the posts closer together so that the chain follows the curve rather than cuts across the path/lawn etc.

If you are using our Verge markers then there is no recommended spacing, these can be installed at whatever interval you like but most customers space them at such a distance so that vehicles can't park between the posts.

Chain

If you are measuring up for the installation of our posts and chain or simply buying chain to add to some existing posts and are wondering how much chain you require then there is a simple formula for this. We recommend that you measure from the 1st post to the last post and then add 10% to this measurement to allow for the droop between each post, so for example if you had a run of fencing covering 20 meters then you would require 22 meters of plastic chain.

Diamonds

If you would like to use diamonds on your 8mm chain and you are wondering about the spacing, then again, this a personal choice with no right or wrong spacing. However, as a guide we like to recommend 7 diamonds per meter of chain which gives a great effect in our opinion and works out at approx. 5 empty links of chain between each diamond.