

# Jaguar Garden and Deer Fence Installation Instructions

*Tools Needed: One 3 to 6 pound Hammer and One Cutter (heavy duty scissors or tin snips) shovel for the Supreme fence kits*

**CAUTION: Contact utility companies for location of underground lines before digging or driving stakes in ground. Always wear safety glasses when using a hammer.**

- 1 Check Contents** - Check contents using enclosed packing list. NOTE: For missing items or questions, do not return to the store. Call Jaguar Fence at 1-800-608-3315.
- 2 Layout –For the Standard Garden and Standard, Deluxe, and Supreme Deer fence kits**  
Measure and mark the corner stake/post locations of your garden. 50' kit (12'x12') corner posts should be no more than 12' apart. 100' kit (24'x24') corner posts should be no more than 24' apart with center posts in the middle of each side (12' max). For any larger fence kits spacing of the poles should follow this 12' approx. spacing guide line. **For the Deluxe and Supreme garden fence kits-** Spacing for the posts on the 50' kit is 6' between posts and for the 100' the spacing for the posts is at 8' max.
- 3 Easy Gate Installation** - . Next, determine the desired EZ- GATE location. (EZ-GATE must be installed next to a post.) Using the Easy Gate top clamp for an example of the spacing (approximately 3" from the main post) mark the location for the EZ-GATE entry post (short stake). Next measure and mark the position of the EZ-Gate fixed post about 3' (three feet) from the entry post. The EZ-Gate may be larger than 3' for the standard garden or deer kits. **Without the leveling guide** on the short stake pound the short stake into the ground in the position marked during measuring so only 1/2" to 1" is above ground.  
**Supreme EZ-Gate Installation with Gate Guard-** After installing the EZ-Gate stake with the correct spacing set the Black Diamond Gate Guard 1" from the EZ-Gate stake and at the other end of the gate guard position the EZ-Gate main post 1" from the end and install the long stake using the stake driving instructions below. Using a flat bladed shovel dig a trench approx. 4" deep between these posts. The depth should be such that the round portion of the **Black Diamond Gate Guard is just above the soil level and the metal strip with the pins should be facing outward from the garden.** Secure the Gate Guard by driving the metal stakes through the edge at the bottom at a 45 degree angle downward into the soil and put the soil you removed back into the trench and pack it down securely.
- 4 Driving Stakes** – Using the leveling guide and the stake driving tool, Install all the full sized stakes including those marked for the EZ-Gate. Position the stake upright over the marked locations and slide the leveling guide over the stake. Place the driving tool on top of the stake. Move the top of the stake until the both bubbles of the leveling guide are centered. Using a hammer (not supplied) begin pounding the driving tool to drive the stake into the ground. Check the leveling guide every few inches to make sure the stake is level. **Stop when the stake is about 2" to 3" inches above the top of the leveling guide.**
- 5 Post Installation** – Slide the post rest stops over the stakes, including the EZ-Gate stake, and secure at soil level or at desired level by tightening the set screw using the 1/8" allen wrench included with the kit. Now slide the posts over the stakes until they rest on the stop. Install all posts including the Easy Gate post and top clamp. It is recommended that you install the post caps prior to sliding the posts over the stakes for ease of installation.

- 6 Retaining Clips Installation** - Insert the fence retaining clips into one straight vertical row of the pre-drilled post holes. **For Deluxe and supreme Deer kits** that add the vinyl coated wire fence, insert additional clips in the bottom 4 holes of the adjacent row of pre-drilled holes to secure the wire fabric.
- 7 Plastic Fence Fabric Installation – Standard fence Kits and Deluxe and Supreme Deer kits** - Starting at the Main post that is 3” from the EZ-GATE post, line the fence fabric up and level with the post top. Wrap once around the post and secure with the retaining clips. **Move away from the short Easy Gate stake, not across it.** Next move from post to post around the garden, with a reasonable tension, drawing the fence fabric as smooth as possible and secure with retaining clips. After going around the garden, go all the way across the Easy Gate to the last post and clip it to the post. Cut off any excess. **The plastic fence material should be installed before the metal fence is attached.**
- 8 Vinyl Coated Wire Fence Fabric Installation – Deluxe version only-** Starting at the Main post that is 3” from the EZ-GATE post, line the **vinyl coated wire fence fabric fence fabric so the bottom of the metal fence is at soil level.** Secure the metal fence with the retaining clips. **Move away from the short Easy Gate stake, not across it.** Next move from post to post around the garden, drawing the fence fabric as smooth as possible and secure with retaining clips. After going around the garden, go all the way across the Easy Gate and wrap the fabric once around the Easy Gate short stake post. secure with the retaining clips and cut off any excess. Using the tensioning straps supplied secure everywhere you began and ended a wire fence by zip tying the metal fence to the post between every clip to ensure a secure enclosure.
- 9 Vinyl coated Wire Fence Fabric Installation- Supreme version Only** - Remove approximately 6” of soil all the way along the perimeter of the fence. This will enable you to bury the fence to prevent intrusion by even the most persistent burrowing pests. Starting at the Main post that is 3” from the EZ-GATE post, line the **vinyl coated wire fence fabric fence fabric** up so at least 6” (six inches) will be below ground and 3 ½’ will be above ground. Secure the metal fence with the retaining clips. **Move away from the short Easy Gate stake, not across it. We recommend that at every corner you cut the portion of the metal fence below the soil level at a 45 degree angle to the post. This will allow you to have a nice flat turn with the exposed metal fence.** Next move from post to post around the garden, drawing the fence fabric as smooth as possible and secure with retaining clips. After going around the garden, go all the way across the Easy Gate ending at the Easy Gate post. Secure with the retaining clips and cut off any excess. Using the tensioning straps supplied secure the metal fence everywhere you began and ended a wire fence by zip tying the metal fence to the post between every clip to ensure a secure enclosure. At the Gate Guard the metal fence material should be trimmed at the soil level and the metal retainer should be removed from the guard and the metal fence should be slipped over the exposed pins and the retainer should be re-attached. This will prevent the critters from entering your garden at the gate. When you want to enter just remove the metal retainer and slid the metal fence from the pins to open the gate.
- 10 Weaving the two fence materials together-** **For the Deluxe and Supreme Deer kits only-** using the 22 gauge weaving wire secure one end of the wire and then thread the wire at the top row of the metal fence sewing the metal fence to the plastic fence as you go along. We recommend that you cut manageable lengths of the wire to work with. At the end of each precut wire section just wind the end of the wire around the fence material to secure the end of the wire.
- 11 Secure Fence Bottom – for the Standard and Deluxe Fence kits** Use the metal ground stakes to secure the fence to the ground. About every 2’ slide one end of the ground stake over a bottom loop in the fence fabric and push into the ground. For the Supreme kit-fill in the soil over the buried metal fence back to the original grade.

**12 Fence Tensioning** – (If necessary) Use the fence tensioning straps to take out any excess slack in the fence material. Wrap the strap around a post and a few loops of fence fabric on each side. Insert the strap end into the locking head and pull to desired tightness. Cut off excess strap.

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