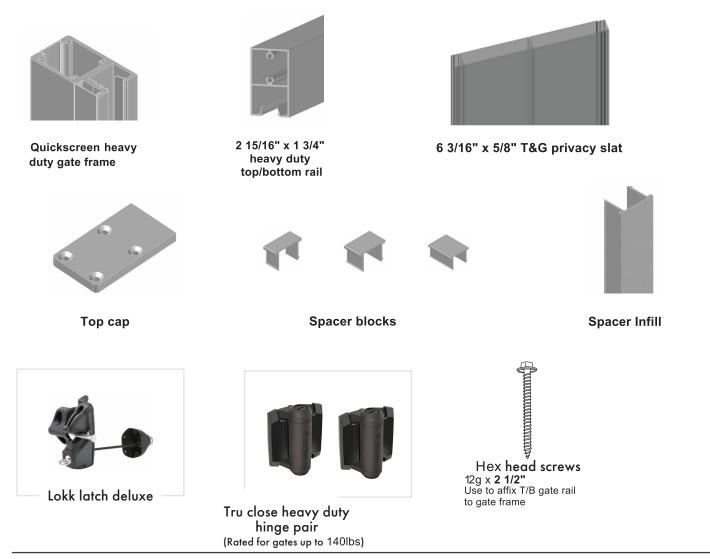


Vertical, privacy, slat screen hinged gate fabrication guide

Vertical slat heavy duty hinged pedestrian gate components



DEDUCTIONS FOR MAKING VARYING SIZES OF VERTICAL SLAT PEDESTRIAN GATES

LENGTH OF TOP AND BOTTOM RAIL = WIDTH OF GATE - 6 9/32"

SLAT LENGTH = HEIGHT OF GATE - 4 1/2"

STEP 1

end caps.

STEP 2

In order to maintain fully privacy, it is important to make sure that the slats are contained within the cavity of the slat side of the gate side frames (see adjacent illustration).

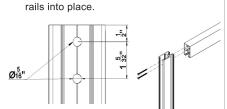
Consequently, actual gate widths must be confined to multiples of full slat dimensions. (see below)

No. Slats	Rail Length		
	Max	Min	
11	64 25/32"	63 13/32"	
10	59"	57 5/8"	
9	53 7/32"	51 27/32"	
8	47 7/16"	46 1/16"	
7	41 21/32"	40 9/32"	
6	35 7/8"	34 1/2"	

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NOTE:

The slats can project, into each gate frame, up to 15/16" each side.



Once height is established, cut side

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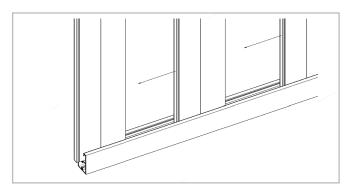
On both ends of the heavy duty gate frames, mark the hole positions, as shown below, and pre-drill 2 x 5/16" holes. These holes are for the Hex Head Screws, that hold the top and bottom

frames to length, using a saw suitable for

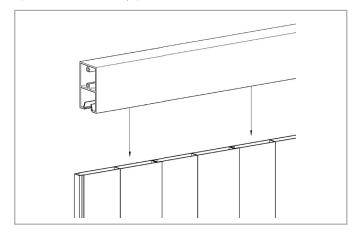
height, allow an extra 1/2" for the frame



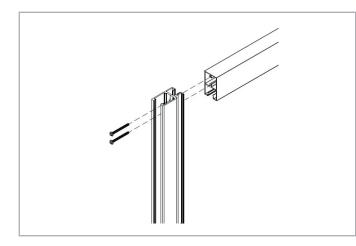
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STEP 3 On a soft surface, place 1 rail. Insert 1st slat and tap into place. Next to the first slat, insert the 2nd slat as shown, and then tap the edge of the slat until the tongue and grove is of both slats is fully engaged. Using the same procedure, install the balance of the slats. Tap one side of the slats to evenly space the 1st and last slat from the ends of the rail.



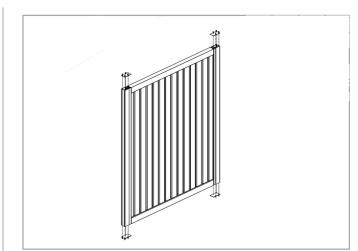
STEP 4 Place the 2nd rail into place, making sure that all slats are engaged in the rail. With a soft mallet, tap the top of the rail, until all slats are firmly engaged by the gripping legs.



STEP5

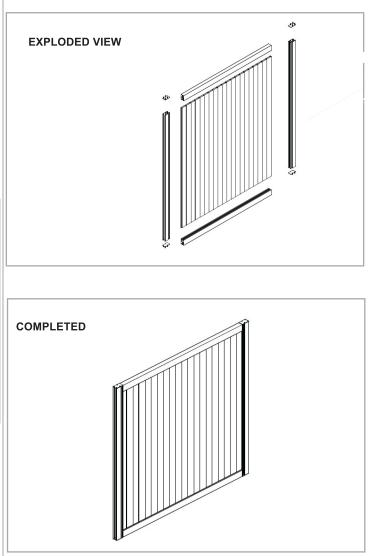
Butt one gate side frame up to the top and bottom rails. On the top of the frame, line up the pre-drilled holes with the screw flutes in the top rail and insert the 2 Hex Head screws, being careful not to over tighten the screws. Adjust the position of the bottom rail to line up with the screw holes and affix the bottom rail.

Attach the 2nd gate side frame to the opposite side, using the same procedure.



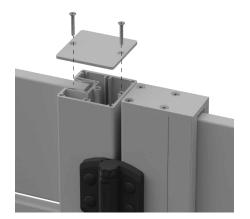
STEP 6

Attach caps to top and bottom of the gate side frame.

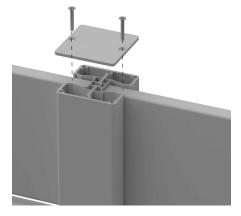




APPENDIX HIGH WIND SITUATIONS



If using 1 or 2 way posts, orient top cap with 2 holes over the slats and screw off top cap into slats.





If using 3 way post, ensure there is sufficient space at top of post. Prior to attaching top cap, attach a slat clip to top of top slat.

