



GUIDELINES FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF AN EMPTY PESTICIDE CONTAINER STORAGE CAGE

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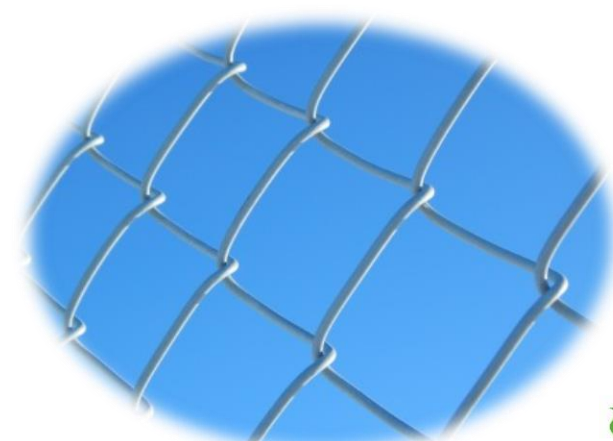
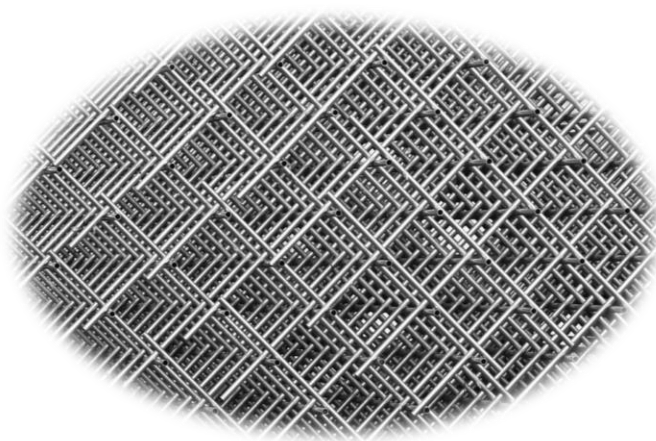


Model of a sturdy storage cage



Recommended materials

- **FRAME:** Construct the frame using 50mm X 50mm X 2mm galvanized angle iron
- **SIDES, ROOF and FLOOR:** Use 75mm X 75mm X 2mm galvanized wire mesh or 100mm X 100mm X 2mm galvanized welded mesh
- **DOOR:** Use the same wire or welded mesh as above to make the door with a sturdy frame, hackle and staple to lock it securely with a code 4 padlock
- **FRAME FOR THE FLOOR:** If the wire storage cage is constructed on bare soil, construct a solid frame to support the floor with the same angle iron used for the frame; if the cage is constructed on a concrete floor there is no need for additional support



Recommended size

The size of the cage is dependent on the available area and also the expected volume of containers that will be collected on a monthly basis

IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED TO CUT 20 LITER CONTAINERS INTO QUARTERS WITH AN ANGLE GRINDER OR BANDSAW TO REDUCE STORAGE VOLUME

Recommended sizes for storage cages

3m X 3m X 3m height = 27 m³ large enough for 600 stacked or 900 quartered 20 liter containers

3m X 5m X 3m height = 45 m³ large enough for 1,000 stacked or 1,500 quartered 20 liter containers

3m X 7m X 3m height = 63 m³ large enough for 1,500 stacked or 3,000 quartered 20 liter containers

