

How to Fix a Post in Concrete with Westbuild Kwikset™



Ideal for

- Pergola – timber and steel posts
- Fencing – pool, boundary and dividing fence

How much is required

- 1 x 20kg bag = 0.01 m³
- 55 x 20kg bags = 0.5 m³
- 110 x 20kg bags = 1.0 m³

Tools you will require

- Bucket + clean water
- Shovel
- Westbuild Metal Pak
- Spirit level
- Rod (for mixing concrete in the hole)



Step 1 - Prepare

- Measure and plan where the posts are to be placed prior to any works
- Mark out the ground where the posts is to be placed following your plans

Step 2 – Dig the hole/s

- Dig the appropriate size hole for the post. The ideal size is twice as wide as the diameter of the post and deep enough to allow minimum $\frac{1}{4}$ of the post to be in the ground



Step 3 – Install post and concrete

- Thoroughly soak the hole to ensure the soil will not soak up the water required to set Kwikset concrete
- Place 6 inches of Westbuild Metal Pak at the bottom of the hole and then place the post
- Place the required amount of water in the hole
- Open the bag of Kwikset and slowly pour contents around the post



Step 4 – Setting the concrete

- Work the water into the dry mix with a 'rodding' action and ensure the Kwikset is evenly dispersed
- Ensure the post is straight and brace in position whilst the Kwikset or concrete is allowed to set



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