

Specification & Installation Guides LAST UPDATED MAY 2022

#### **SUITABLE SPECIES**

- SALAMANDERS
- NEWTS
- TOADS
- TORTOISES
- SNAKES
- TURTLES
- LIZARDS
- SMALL MAMMALS

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### **Basic Material Size & Features**

The length of each AMX 40 section will vary depending on the material choice.

AMX 40 dimensions based on Animex's optimal fencing materials.

**SCORED PLASTIC - PERFORATED & NON-PERFORATED** 

**Temporary Applications (AMX-T)** 

Thickness: 0.04in / 1mm Length: 75ft / 22m Weight: 50lbs / 23kg

Semi-Permanent Applications (AMX-SP)

Thickness: 0.08in / 2mm

Length: 35ft / 10m Weight: 48lbs / 22kg

PREFORMED METAL- PERFORATED & NON-PERFORATED

Permanent Applications (AMX-XP)

Thickness: 0.08in / 2mm

Length: 8ft / 2.4m Weight: 85lbs / 38kg

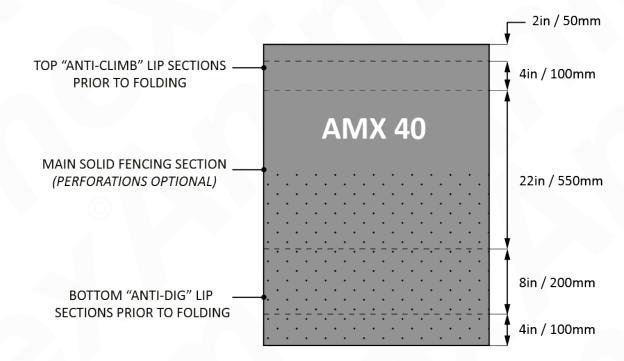
AMX 40 INSTALLED ABOVE GROUND HEIGHT: 22in / 550mm

#### Notes:

These dimensions are based on maximising the amount of material that can be shipped economically and manoeuvred on site in line with common health and safety guidelines.

Material may be shipped in sheets or rolls depending on their length.

Customised options for alternative **AMX40** barrier options are available from Animex® Fencing suppliers upon request. Other traditional and existing fencing materials including posts and wire etc can be obtained from local contractors.





### **Step-by-Step Installation**

- 1) Clear vegetation along the fence line and work area.
- 2) Mark out the Animex fence line.
- 3) Below Ground: Excavate trench. Ensure the trench is level and clear of large clumps or rocks. Above Ground: Clear Ground. Ensure the ground is level and clear of large clumps or rocks.
- **4) Free-Standing:** Lay out posts and roll out Animex barrier (Fold bottom lip if required). **Attached to exisiting fences:** Roll out Animex barrier along fence (Fold bottom lip if required).
- 5) Install posts at the back of the trench using manual or machine powered post driver (Install horizontal wire if required and secure to end braces).
- **6)** Place the Animex fence material into the trench with the lips facing towards the area that animals will encounter the fence.
- 7) Fasten the Animex to posts, straining wire or exisiting fence starting at the top and work down.
- **8)** When attaching rolls overlap them following details on installation drawing Pg7. A minimum of 4 ties should be used on any joins in the fence
- **9)** Back fill the trench. Ensure the backfill is compact to eliminate gaps for animals to crawl through. Do the same on the back side of the fence.
- **10)** Fasten the top lips and install any additional features such as one-way funnels or pitfall traps (if required).

#### **MATERIALS**

#### Required

- Animex Fencing
- Animex Washers
- UV Resistant Zip-ties or Fencing Wire
- Fence Posts

#### Optional

- 12 Gauge Straining Wire
- Fence end braces & wire strainers
- Gripple Wire Joiners (or similar)
- Fence Post Safety Caps

### **TOOLS & EQUIPMENT**

#### Required

- Weed wacker / Whipper
- String Line & Marker Pain
- Box Cutter / Stanley Knife
- Trencher / Excavator
- Spade / Trench / ShovelPost Diver / Sledge Hammer
- **Battery Powered Drill**
- Spade Drill Bit 3/4 (20mm)
- Cutting Pliers

#### **Optional**

- Shear Attachment For Drill (Trim Fence)
- Battery Powered reciprocating Saw (Trim Posts)
- Drill Bit For Drainage Holes 1/8in (3mm)
- Gripple Tensioning Tool







## Fixings & Fastening Scored Plastic HDPE

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### **AMX-T & AMX-SP**

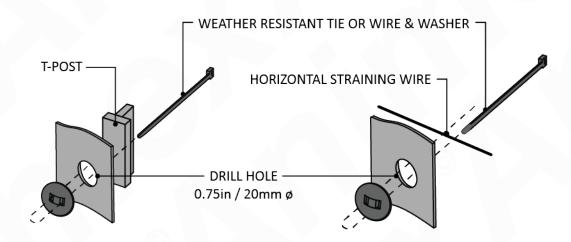
Pre-scored plastic (HDPE) sheets and rolls can expand in when installed inplaces where there are large flutucations in temperature. You should therfore avoid hard fixing this material as it can cause buckling and even open up gaps at overlapped or joining sections.

We have prepared some illustarions to demonstrate the best ways to connect and fasten HDPE rolls and sheets.

This technique helps to reduce the chances of gaps opening up at the joins and allows the fencing to expand and contract freely.

Ensuring the trench is backfilled correctly and the earth is compacted tightly against both sides of the fence is also essential to ensure there are no gaps at ground level where animals will be encountering the fence.

Joins should be made between posts and onto horizontal wire or horizontal parts of exitising fences where possible.



ATTACH TO POSTS

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ATTACH TO WIRE

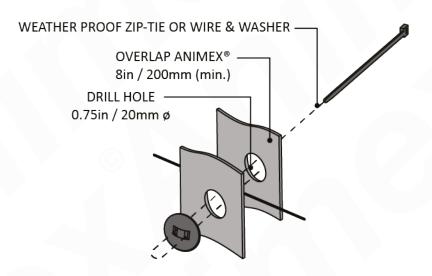
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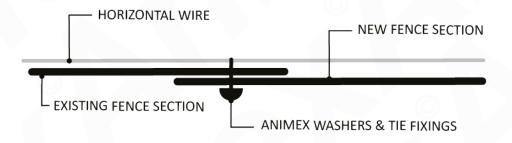
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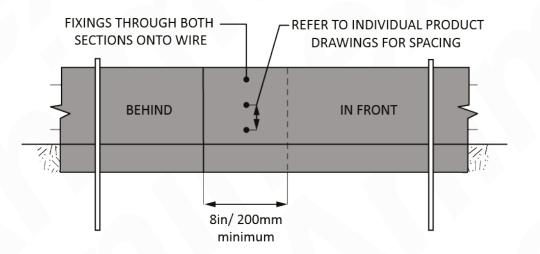
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# JOINING & OVERLAPPING SECTIONS **NOT TO SCALE**







# Fixing & Fastening

### Fixings & Fastening Preformed Metal

### **AMX-XP**

Preformed metal fencing is supplied in sections that are often custom made for your project.

Each section slots inside the other and is then fastened by drilling holes through the overlapping sections and securing with bolt, nuts and washers.

End sections and turn-arounds will also be custom made per project and fitted on site.

Panels can be supplied with a power coating but this will increase costs and may need touch ups after installation.

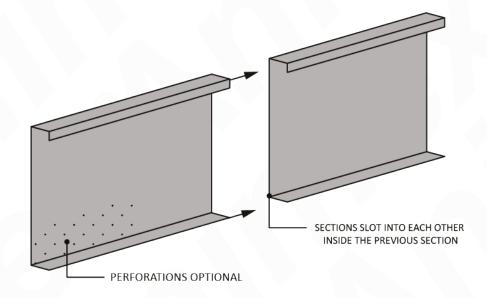
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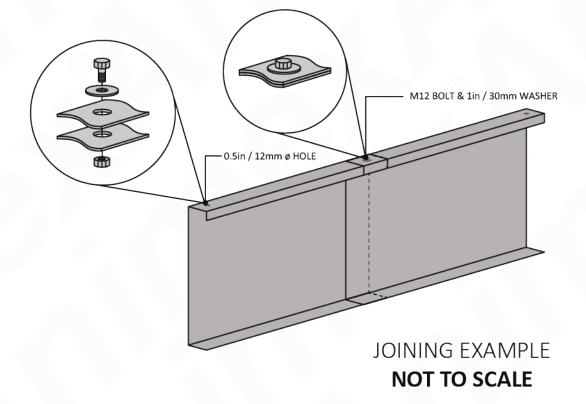
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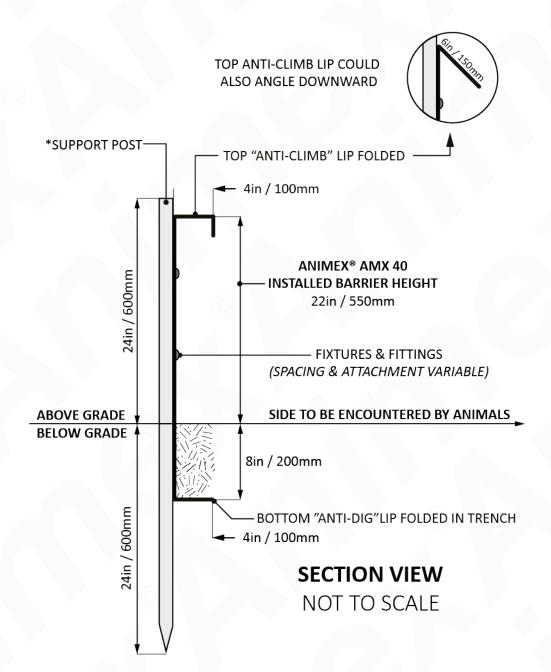
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### Free-standing Below Ground



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### AMX 40 Free-standing Below Ground



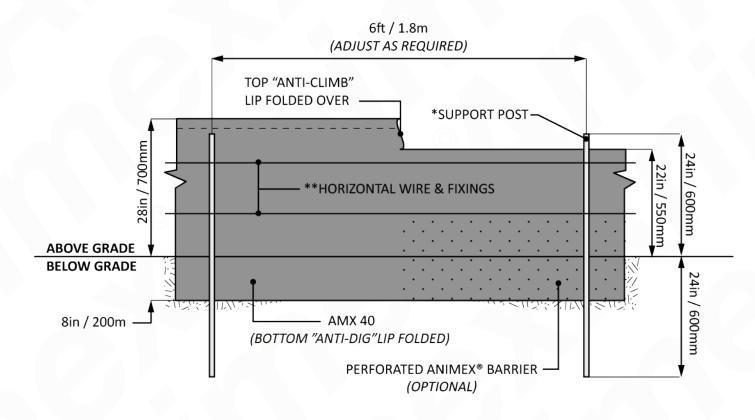
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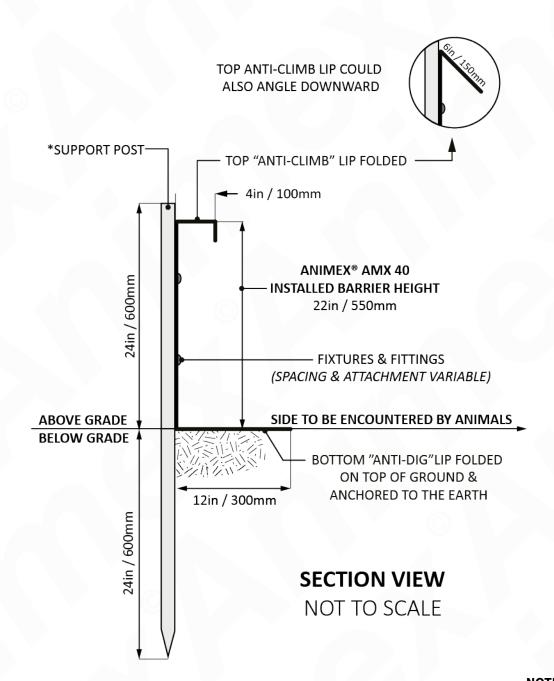
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### **ELEVATION VIEW**



### Free-standing Above Ground



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### AMX 40 Free-standing Above Ground



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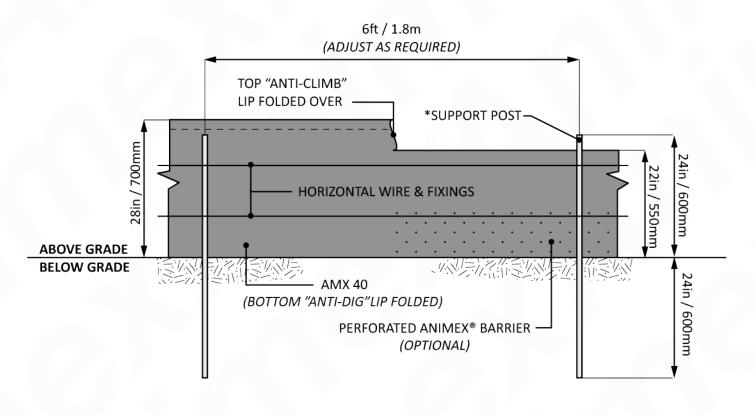
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### AMX 40 Free-standing Above Ground

# APPLY THIS ABOVE GROUND METHOD WHEN ATTACHING TO EXISITING FENCE TYPES AS WELL

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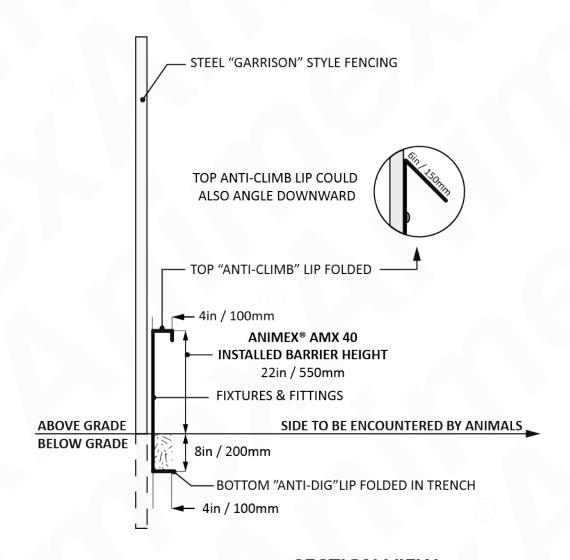
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### **ELEVATION VIEW**



### **Attached** Garrison



### **SECTION VIEW**

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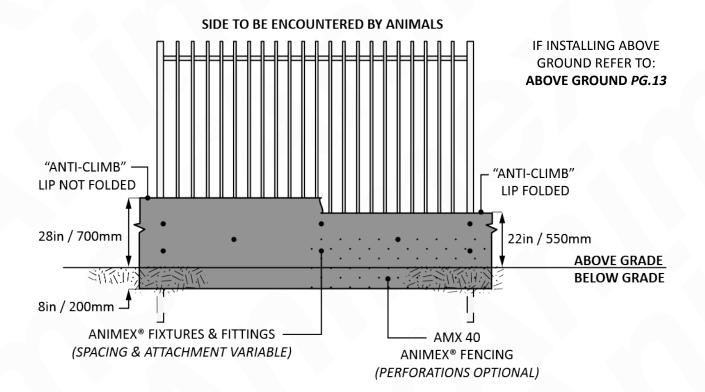


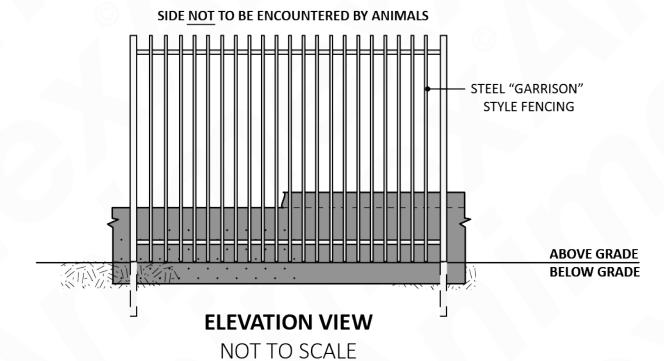


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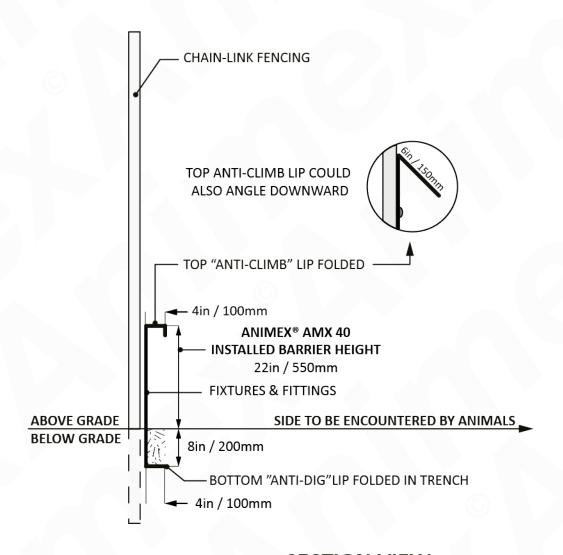








### **Attached** Chain-link



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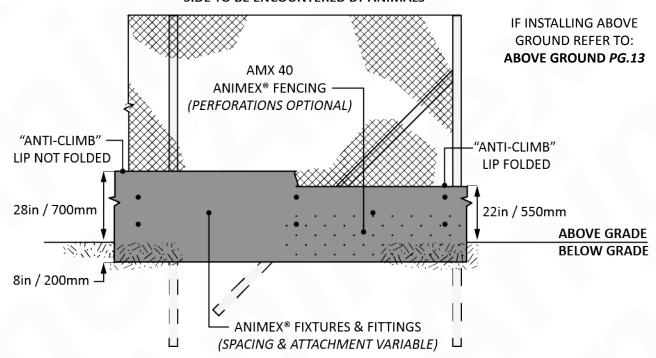


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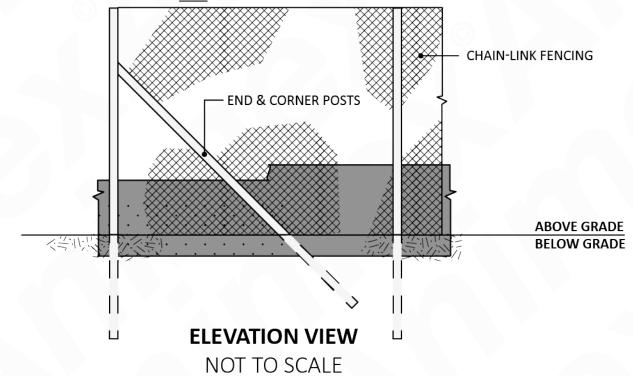
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### AMX 40 Attached Chain-link

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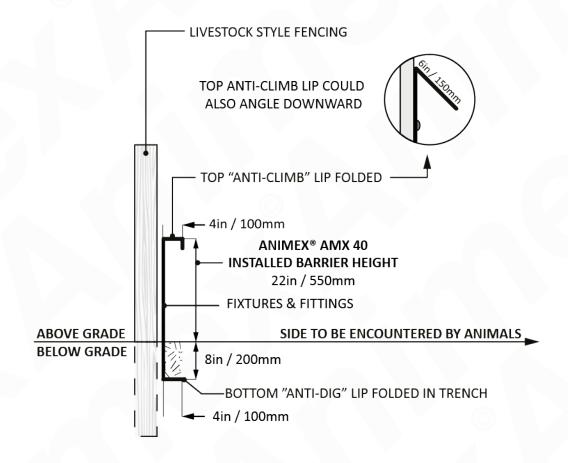


#### SIDE NOT TO BE ENCOUNTERED BY ANIMALS





### **Attached** Livestock



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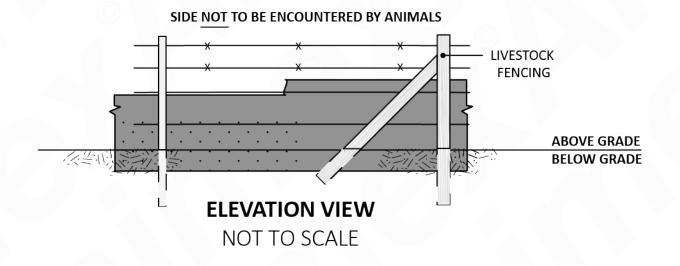
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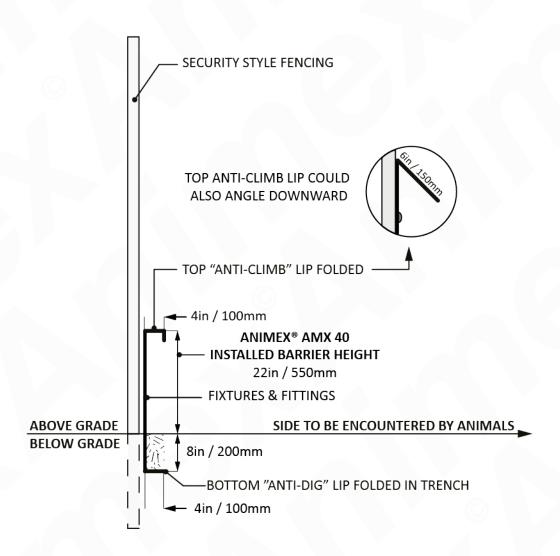
IF INSTALLING ABOVE GROUND REFER TO: ABOVE GROUND PG.13

#### SIDE TO BE ENCOUNTERED BY ANIMALS "ANTI-CLIMB" "ANTI-CLIMB" LIP NOT FOLDED LIP FOLDED 28in / 700mm 22in / 550mm **ABOVE GRADE BELOW GRADE** 1/11/17 8in / 200mm - AMX 40 ANIMEX® FIXTURES & FITTINGS ANIMEX® FENCING (SPACING & ATTACHMENT VARIABLE) (PERFORATIONS OPTONAL)





### **Attached** Security



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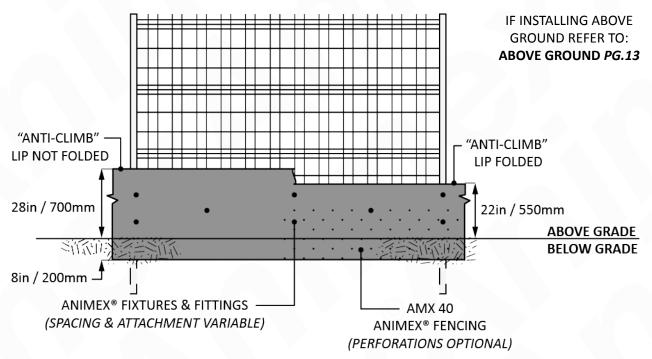


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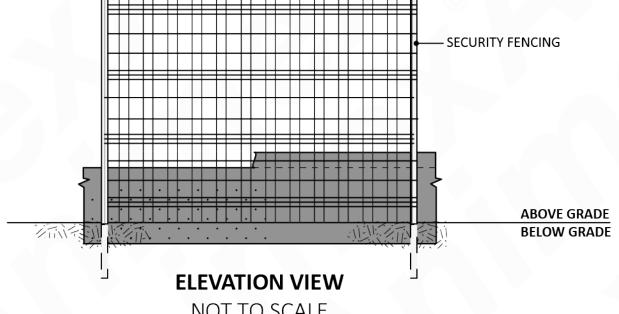
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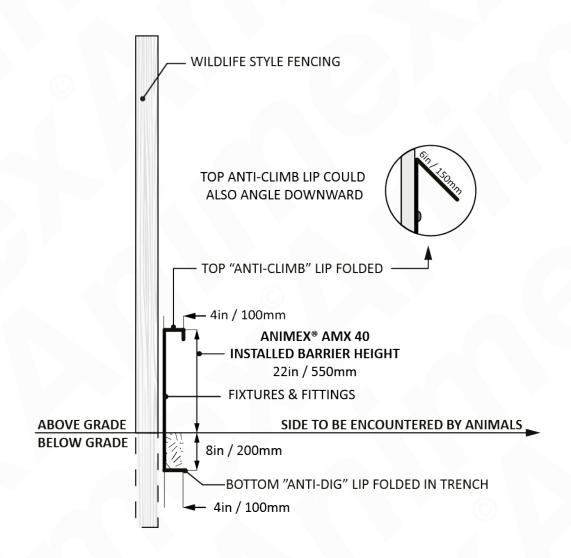
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### **Attached** Large Wildlife



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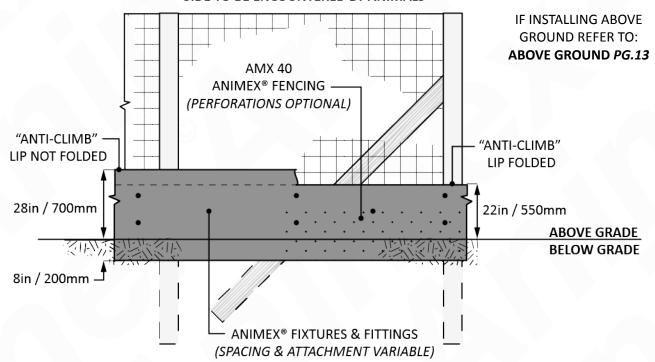


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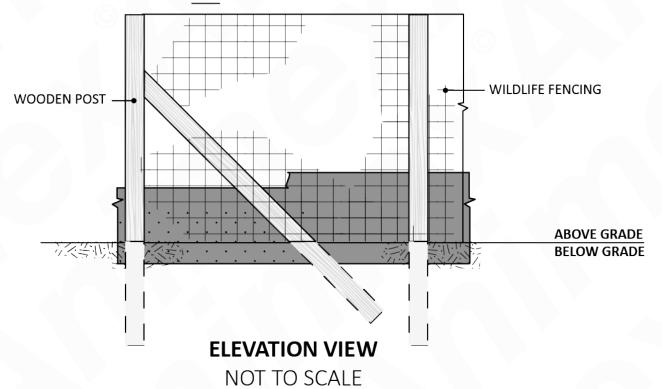
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### AMX 40 Attached Wildlife

#### SIDE TO BE ENCOUNTERED BY ANIMALS



#### SIDE NOT TO BE ENCOUNTERED BY ANIMALS





### Specialized Fencing Specifications Roadside Embankment

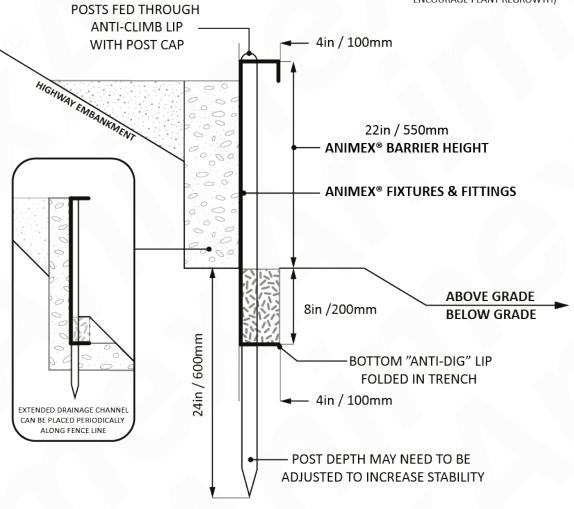
### **Specialized Fencing Specifications**

### **Roadside Embankment**

EMBANKMENT SOIL USED TO BACK FILL SHALLOW TRENCH

CLEAR STONE BEHIND FENCE TO PROVIDE DRAINAGE

TOP SOIL TO LEVEL EMBANKMENT (EMBED LOCAL SEED MIX TO ENCOURAGE PLANT REGROWTH)



**SECTION VIEW** 

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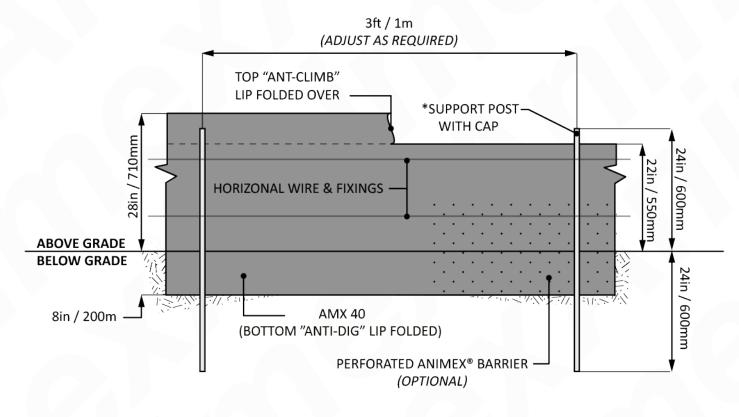
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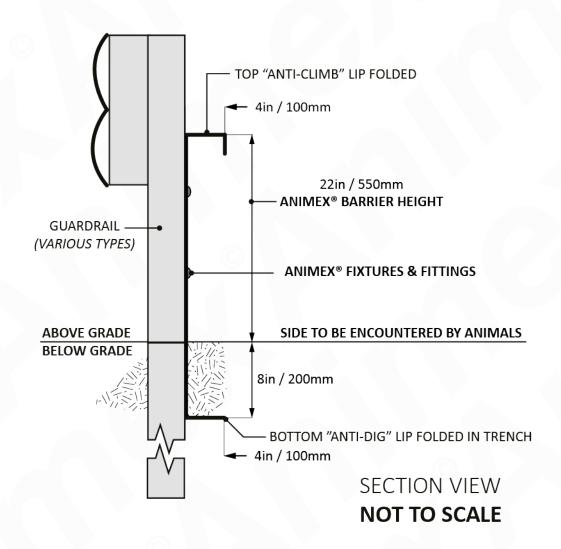
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### **ELEVATION VIEW**

### **Specialized Fencing Specifications**

### **Roadside Guardrail**



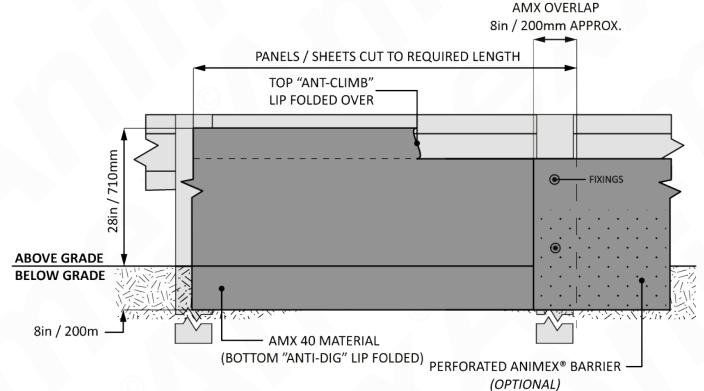
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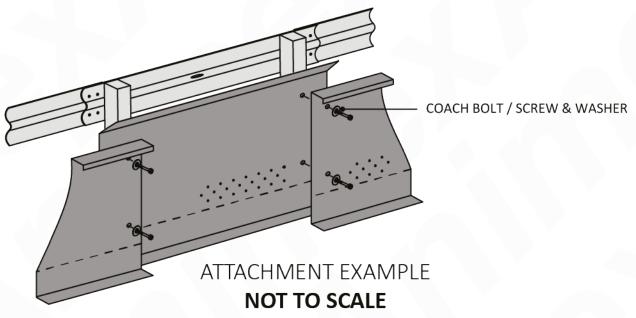
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#### ADJUSTMENTS CAN BE MADE TO FIT ALL ROADSIDE GUARDRAILS VARIATIONS

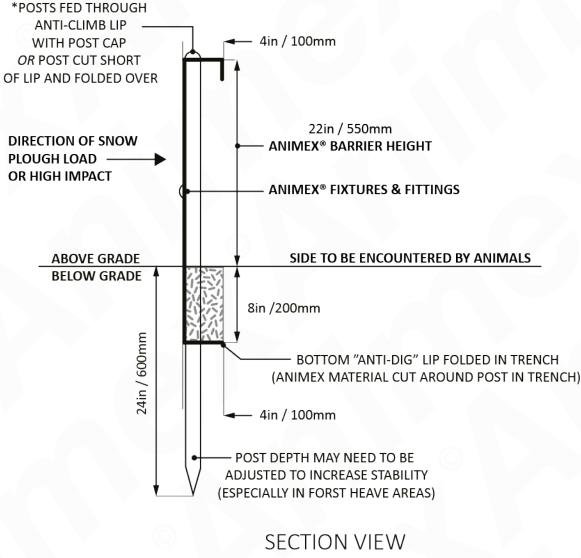


**ELEVATION VIEW- ANIMAL SIDE** 





### **Snow Load / High Impact**



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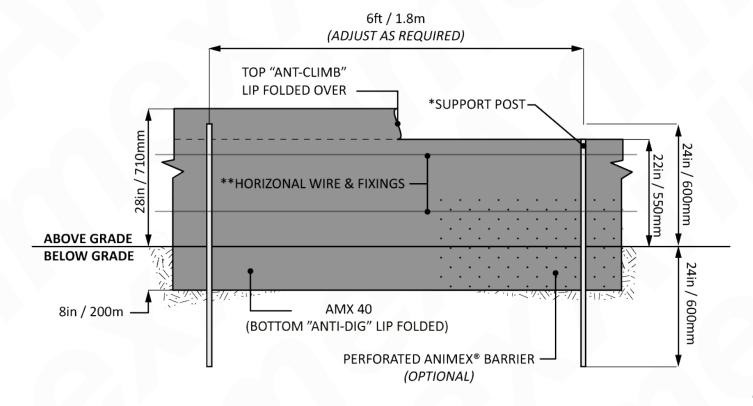
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### **ELEVATION VIEW**

### Tender Document Descriptions

### AMX-T / AMX-SP

#### **General Description:**

Specifically designed solid Animex wildlife fencing barrier to protect, exclude or guide wildlife.

#### **Common Applications:**

Roads

Construction sites

Scientific research

Conservation zones

Species re-introduction

#### **Material Height:**

1015mm (40in)

1070mm (42in)

1220mm (48in)

1550mm (60in)

Custom options available

#### **Material Thickness:**

AMX-T (Temporary): 1mm

AMX-SP (Semi-Permanent): 2mm

#### **Material Properties:**

Solid barrier - no mesh, matrix or geo-textile material

Made from High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) in North America

Grooves or scoreline 100mm (4in) from the top and bottom edge to create fold-able lips

Glossy surface on one side

Perforations to allow water flow (if required)

Supplied in sheets or rolls

Maximum weight per item 25kg (55lbs)

#### Installation:

See relevant drawings and guides displayed in this document between pages 6 and 29

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1550mm (60in)

Custom options available

#### **Material Thickness:**

AMX-XP - (Permanent): 2mm

#### **Material Properties:**

Solid metal barrier - no mesh, matrix or geo-textile material

Made from weather resistant metals

Pre-formed with top and bottom lips (as detailed in drawing pg9)

Perforations to allow water flow (if required)

Supplied in sheets

Maximum weight per item 40kg (88lbs)

#### Installation:

See relevant drawings and guides displayed in this document on pages 8 and 9







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