

CRITTER CONTROL’S GARDEN EXCLUSION GUIDE

The best way to protect your garden from pest animals is to block their access to it. Follow our expert guide on how to construct garden exclusions for typical pests.

Animal	Material	Dimensions
Woodchuck	1-inch hardware cloth	4 feet tall with a 1 foot overhang Buried 2 inches Extending 12 inches horizontally
Pocket Gophers	Hardware cloth (1/4 or 1/2 inch)	12 inches tall Buried 24 inches with 6 inches bent 90° away from plants
Moles	Sheet metal or hardware cloth	Buried 12 inches deep bent 90°
Chipmunk	Hardware cloth (1/4 inch)	2.5 to 3 feet tall Buried 6-12 inches deep
Rabbit	Hardware cloth 1 inch	2 feet tall Buried 4 inches
Deer	Wood or Metal	8 Feet Tall Two Electrical Strands at 1 foot and 4 feet (suggested)
Raccoon	Hardware cloth 1 inch	4 feet tall Electrical Strand 6-8 from the top Buried 2 inches extending underground at least 12 inches at 90°

Having trouble protecting your garden, yard, or house from nuisance wildlife?
Call 1-800-Critter or visit www.crittercontrol.com for nuisance wildlife removal.