

GROVE



GROVE HAMMOCK POST - INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Tools & Materials Needed:

- Concrete mix
- Post hole digger or auger
- Level
- Tape measure
- Wrenches or socket set
- Anchoring hardware (if surface mounting)
- Protective gear (gloves, safety glasses)

*As a general rule, allow about 2 feet more than the length of the hammock when determining anchor point spacing. For example, a 12-foot hammock should have anchor points spaced at least 14 feet apart. Depending on the hammock style and desired amount of sag, longer hammocks may require additional distance for optimal comfort.

Installation Options:

The Grove Hammock Post is available in two mounting styles:

1. In-ground Mount
2. Surface Mount

In-ground Mount Installation:

1. Determine Placement:*
 - Posts should be spaced approximately 10–15 feet apart, depending on the size of the hammock and desired tension.
2. Excavate Footings:
 - Dig holes at least 24 inches deep and 10-12 inches in diameter.
 - Depth may vary based on local codes, soil type, and climate.
3. Set the Post:
 - Place each post in the center of the hole.
 - Use a level to ensure the post is perfectly vertical.
4. Pour Concrete:
 - Fill the hole with concrete to just below grade level.
 - Slope the top of the concrete slightly away from the post for water runoff.
5. Cure Time:
 - Allow concrete to cure for at least 24-48 hours before attaching a hammock.

Surface Mount Installation:

1. Determine Placement:*
 - Ensure the concrete or paved surface is structurally sound and at least 4" thick.
2. Mark and Drill Holes:
 - Use the post base as a template to mark anchor points.
 - Drill holes for the appropriate anchors (e.g., wedge anchors or sleeve anchors).
3. Secure the Post:
 - Align the base with the drilled holes.
 - Insert anchors and tighten securely.
4. Check for Stability:
 - Use a level to confirm the post is vertical and firmly secured.

Final Steps:

1. Attach Hammock:
 - Use carabiners, chains, or straps rated for outdoor use.
 - Ensure connections are secure and properly tensioned.
2. Test Load:
 - Before regular use, apply light pressure to test stability and anchor integrity.
3. Inspect Regularly:
 - Periodically check all hardware and connections for safety and wear.

