

Installation instructions

Please read these instructions thoroughly **before** beginning installation and retain for future reference.

INCLUDED

- compost bin body (A)
- compost bin lid (B)
- harvest door (C)
- ground pegs (D)

REQUIRED

- (optional) hammer or mallet
- (optional) fine wire mesh
- (optional) shovel or spade

Step 1 Locate

Choose a location for the compost bin on garden or lawn with good drainage, close enough to the house for frequent convenient access. As the top opening can be accessed from all sides, you may wish to consider allowing for convenient walking space around the entire bin.

For optimal composting results, prepare the earth under the chosen location by using a shovel or spade to remove sod and turn the soil. Fine wire mesh can be placed on the ground as a preventative against burrowing vermin if desired.

Step 2 Attach Harvest Door

If not already attached, attach the harvest door (C) by aligning the grooves in the door with the slots on the edges of the harvest opening and slide the door vertically down into place.

Step 3 Place and Secure

Place the compost bin on the chosen location with the harvest door facing towards an open working space (i.e. large enough to accommodate shoveling, a wheelbarrow, etc.).

Secure the compost bin in place by driving the supplied pegs through the holes (D) into the ground as shown. A hammer or mallet may be required.

Step 4 Lid Access and Locking

To attach the lid, align the arrows on the handles of the lid with the arrows labeled "OPEN" (E) on the shoulders of the compost bin body. Once attached, the lid can be rotated to align the arrows with "LOCK" and "VENT" as necessary.

Step 5 Harvest Door Access

The harvest door slides vertically to allow access to completed compost with a shovel. The door can be (but does not need to be) fully removed for unfettered access to finished compost settled at the bottom of the compost bin.

