

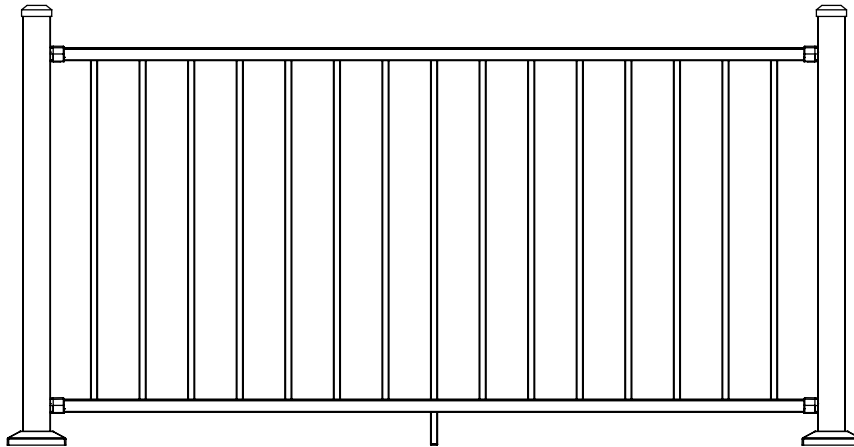


## DECKORATORS RAPID RAIL INSTRUCTIONS

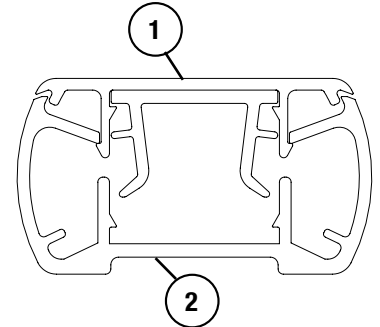
### RAPID RAIL LINE RAIL KIT



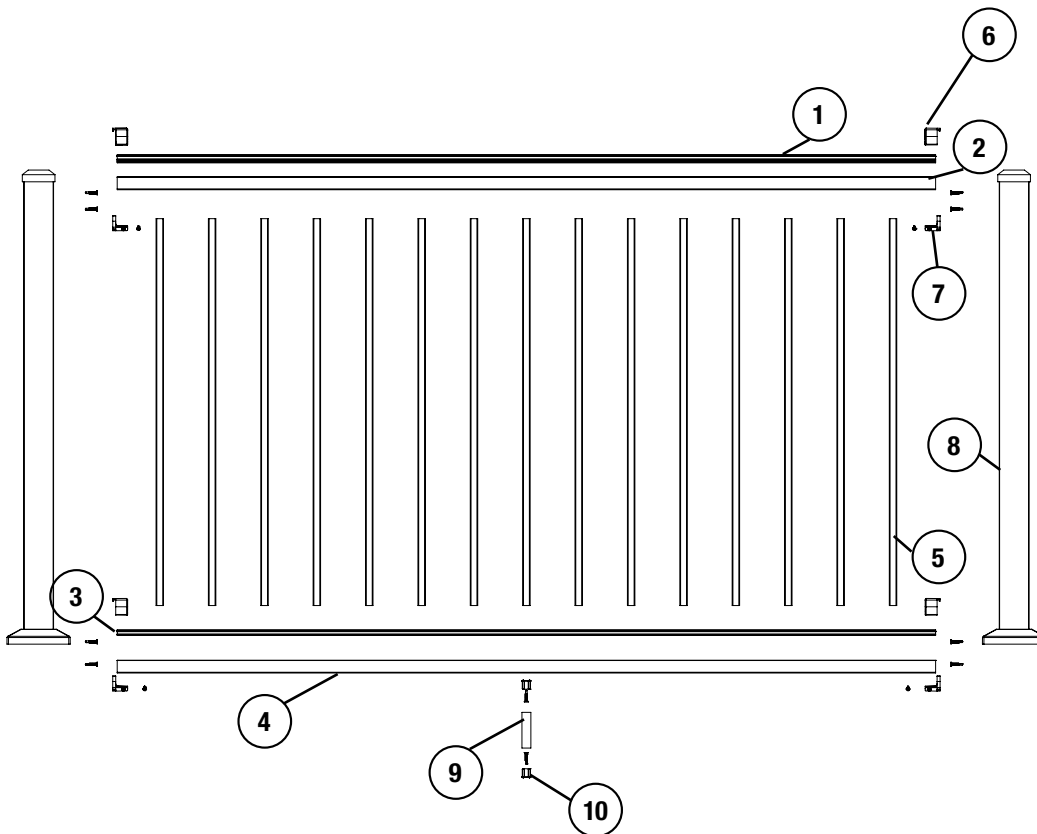
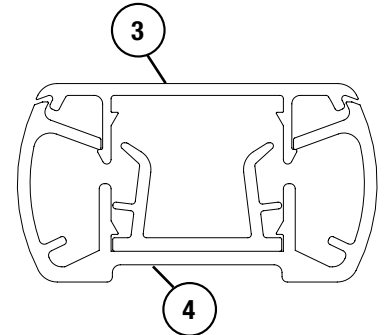
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Top Rail Profile



Bottom Rail Profile



#### Component List

1. Top Rail Cap
2. Top Rail Base
3. Bottom Rail Cap
4. Bottom Rail Base
5. 5/8" Square Baluster
6. Bracket Cap
7. Bracket Base
8. Post Assembly (Sold Separately)
9. Crush Block (Support Block)
10. Crush Block (Support Block) Connector

\*All hardware included

(10) 1/2" #8 Screws

(10) 1" #10 Screws

#### Prior to construction:

Check with your local regulatory agency for special code requirements in your area. Common railing height is 36" or 42". Read instructions completely to get an understanding of how the product goes together and how each piece affects the others.

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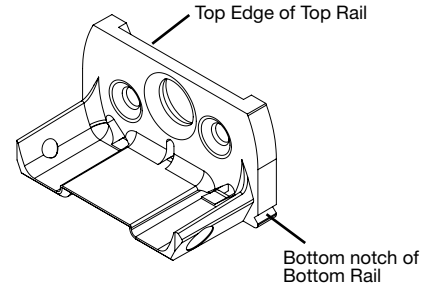
## REQUIRED TOOLS

- Power Drill
- 1/8" Drill Bit
- T20 Torx Bit
- Rubber Mallet
- Miter Saw
- Pencil
- Speed Square
- Tape Measure
- Bar Clamp

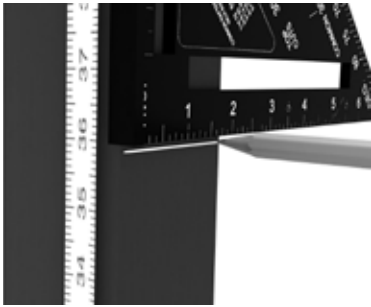
## IMPORTANT NOTES

- The 6ft kit is designed for a span of 69-1/2" between posts and the 8ft spans 93-1/2" between posts.
- Rails should be 3/4" shorter than the span between posts.
- Gap between deck surface and bottom rail = 3"
- Height of top rail = 36" (or 42" for the 42" Rail Kit)
- Horizontal angle (22-45 degree) and compound angle swivel brackets sold separately.

## USE THESE FEATURES FOR RAIL HEIGHT MEASUREMENT



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### Measure and mark rail heights

- Measure up 36" (42") from the deck surface and make a mark on the post.
- Make a mark at 3" from deck surface for the bottom rail.

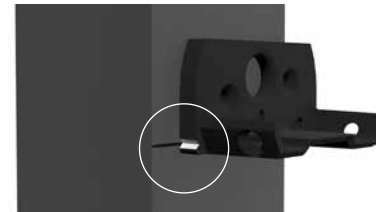
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### Install top brackets

- Align the top surface of the top bracket base with the 36" (42") mark.
- Use a 1/8" drill bit to drill pilot holes using the bracket base as a guide.
- Attach using (2) provided 1" long screws.

3.



### Install bottom brackets

- Align the lower notch of the bottom bracket base with the 3" mark.
- Use a 1/8" drill bit to drill pilot holes using the bracket base as a guide.
- Attach using (2) provided 1" long screws.

4.



### Install Crush Block Connectors

- Attach one crush block connector under the center of the bottom rail using the supplied screw. *\*8 ft kits require two equally spaced crush blocks under the rail.*
- Attach the other crush block connector to the deck surface, directly below the other connector(s), using the supplied screw.

5.



### Install top and bottom rail bases

- Lower rail bases into brackets. Make sure to install the crush block into the connectors attached in the previous step.
- Use a 1/8" drill bit to drill pilot holes in the rail base. Use the bracket base as a guide.
- Attach using (4) provided 1/2" screws.
- Use a bar clamp to help attach the rail to the bracket.

*NOTE: Refer to diagrams above to identify the proper rails.*

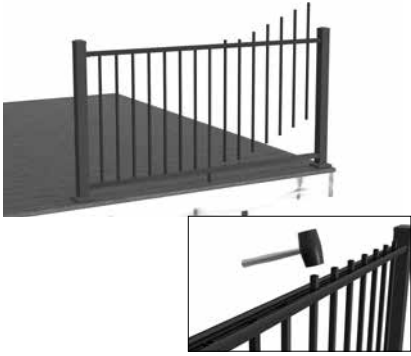
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### Install bottom rail cap

- The bottom cap rail has baluster cutouts.
- Press cap rail into base rail using rubber mallet if necessary.
- Start at one end and work down the rail for an easier install.

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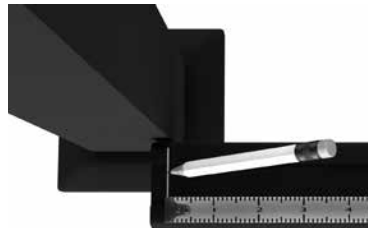
#### Install balusters

- Insert the balusters through the top rail and through the square holes of the bottom rail cap.
- Press the balusters down firmly into the baluster compressor inside the bottom rail.
- Use a rubber mallet to fully seat the balusters into the compressor strip.

#### Install top rail cap and bracket caps

- Press the cap rail into the top base rail - use a rubber mallet if necessary.
- Press the bracket caps into place on the bracket bases - use a rubber mallet if necessary.
- Start at one end and work down the rail for an easier install.

## CUSTOM LENGTH MODIFICATION INSTRUCTIONS



#### Place rail centered between posts

- Ensure the baluster holes have equal spacing to the posts on both sides.
- **IMPORTANT:** If the gap to the first baluster hole is less than 2", you must shift the rail to one side until the gaps are equal and greater than 2".

#### Measure 3/8" in from the post and mark the rail on both ends

- This gap is for the bracket clearance.

#### Transfer marks to all rails and cut

- Use a miter saw equipped to cut aluminum and cut all rails to the same dimensions.

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