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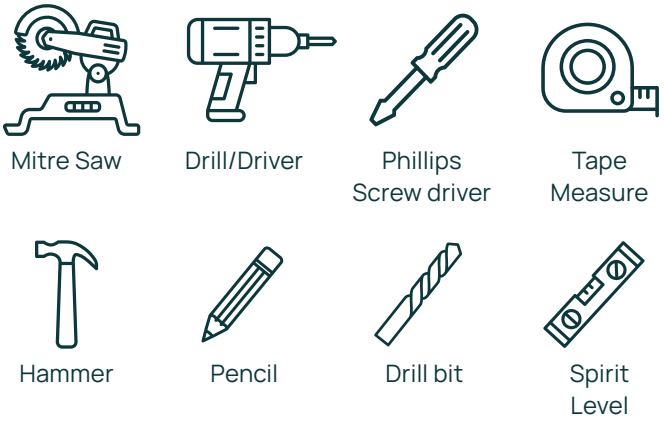
Tools & Safety Information

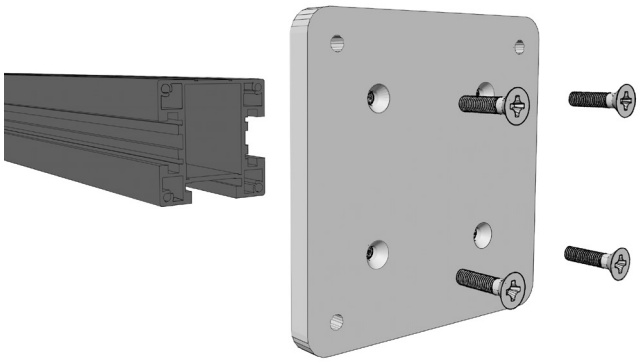
No specialist tools are required when working with Saige composite products. However for the best results, we recommend using carbide tipped blades when using a mitre saw, we recommend a 10”-12” saw blade with 30 teeth or less. Saw blades with fewer teeth stay cooler and last longer.

If using a power tool, we advise to adjust the tool so that the screws are not over tightened. Take normal safety precautions when working with timber products. Wear gloves to avoid splinters and a nose and mouth mask when cutting to avoid the inhalation of dust.

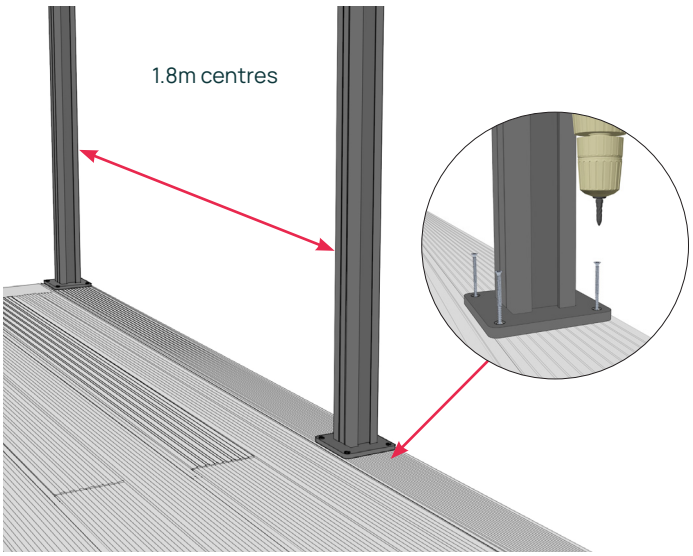
Always wear goggles (and ear protection) when using circular saws, drills or sanders and always use an RCD device when using any power tools outside.

Tools you may required:

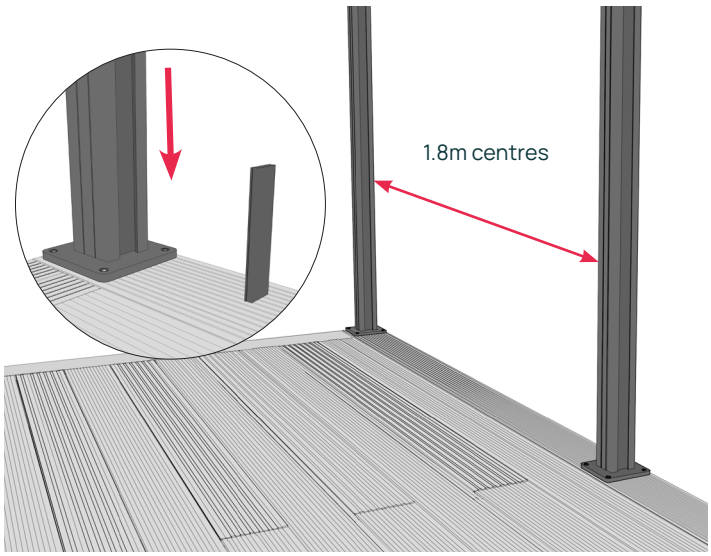




1. Attach base to post with M8x80mm fixing bolts (supplied separately).



2. All posts with base plates must be secured to solid surface 1.8m centres apart. Check width of bay using top rail as a guide to ensure correct width between post, then secure next post. Ideally this should be fixed through a solid decking board directly through the subframe. **Note:** If fixing into solid Saige Decking Boards pre drill all holes. Do not fix to or through hollow boards.



3. Slot the 55mm insert into each post. Finish by placing skirt over post to cover base plate.

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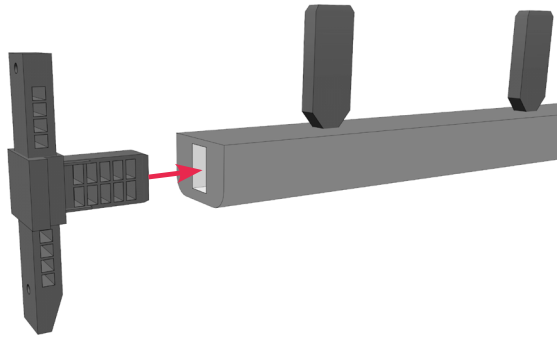
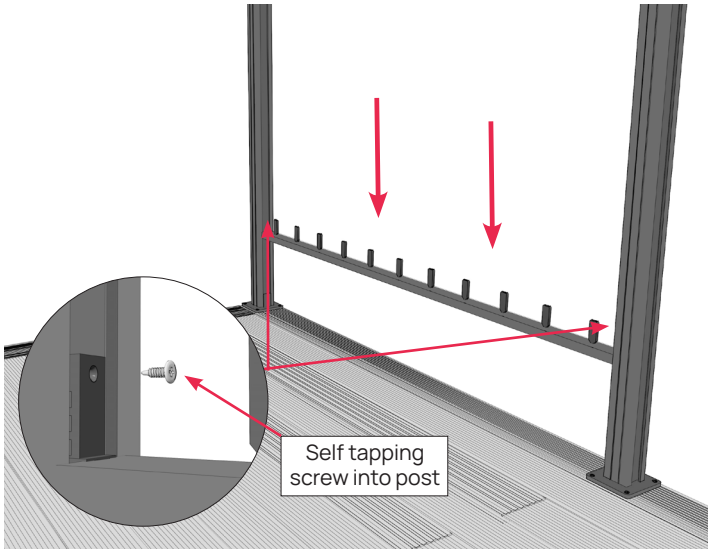
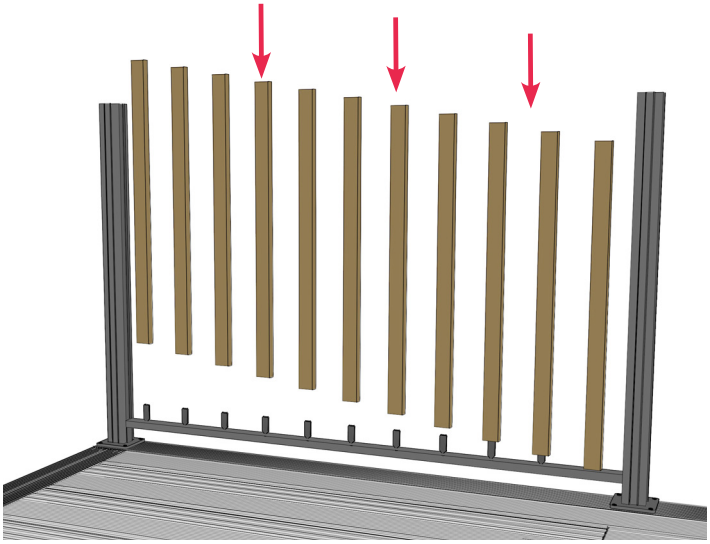


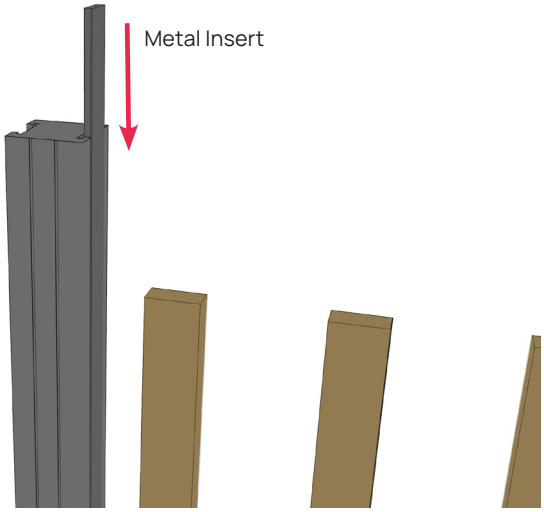
4. Insert T bracket into each end of the bottom rail then slide down secured posts to sit on the inserts.



5. Secure the T bracket with self tapping screws into post (supplied)



6. Slot the spindles into place onto the T brackets along the bottom rail.



7. Then slot the 983mm insert into both posts facing the spindles to hide the fixings.

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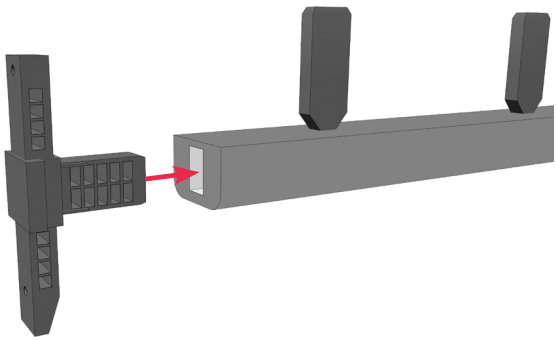
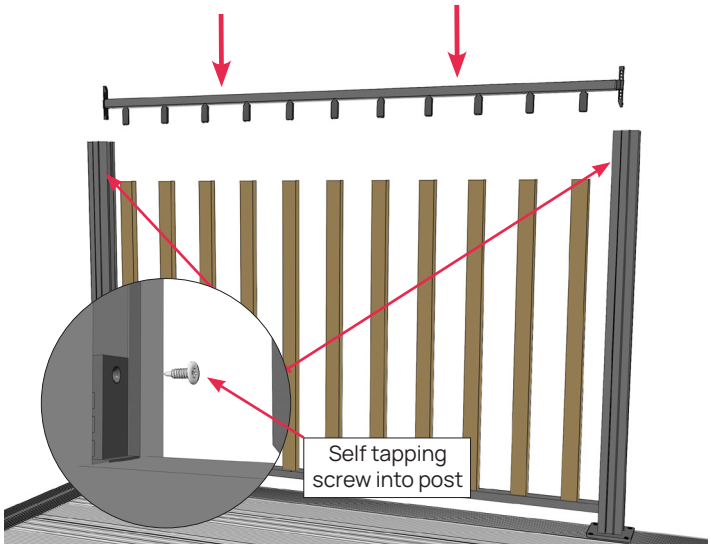
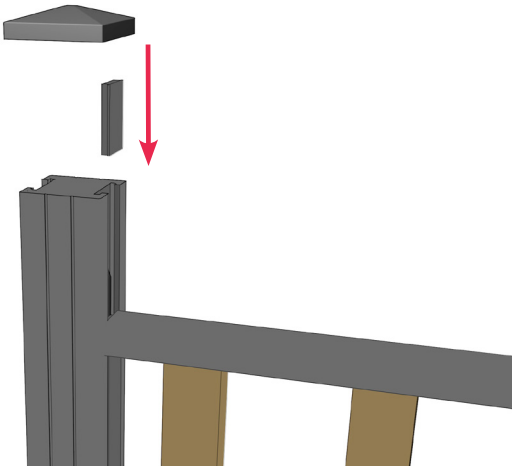


8. Insert T bracket into both ends of the Top rail



9. Slide handrail into top of posts to sit on the inserts. Secure the T bracket with self tapping screws into post (supplied)



10. Fit 55mm of insert into each post facing the spindles, then add post caps to finish.

11. Repeat process until all balustrades are installed.
Note: Add finishing insert into end post to finish the run.

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