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A (deer; fallow deer)	- Genera <i>Axis</i> , <i>Capreolus</i> , <i>Dama</i> , <i>Hippocamelus</i> , <i>Hydropotes</i> , <i>Odocoileus</i> and <i>Ozotoceros</i> .  - <i>Cervus nippon</i>	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage. - Shift enclosure.	n/s	n/s	According to one of the following two possibilities: - flexible wire rope net at least 1.2 mm (3/64 in.); - other type of wire meshes at least 12½ gauge (2.5 mm).	Not mandatory	2.4 m	1.07 m	8 m	3 m	Not specified (n/s)	- Perimeter elements must be stretched tight near the ground so that no large cervidae may pass under it.

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B (deer, elks)	- Genera <i>Blastocercus</i> , <i>Elaphurus</i> , <i>Pizzevaiskium</i> , <i>Rucervus</i> and <i>Rusa</i>  <i>Cervus elaphus</i>	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage. - Shift enclosure.	n/s	n/s	Wire meshes at least 12½ gauge (2.5 mm).	Not mandatory	2.4 m	1.07 m	8 m	3 m	n/s	- Perimeter elements must be stretched tight near the ground so that no large cervidae may pass under it.

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C (wild boars)	- <i>Sus scrofa</i> .	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage. - Shift enclosure.	According to one of the following three possibilities: - to a minimum depth of 90 cm buried in a straight line or with a maximum 45° inward angle; - to a minimum depth of 30 cm if they continue perpendicularly toward the inside of the enclosure or cage over a minimum distance of 90 cm; - to a minimum depth of 45 cm if an electrical wire is present.	n/s	For wire meshes situated more than 0.9 m from ground level: - every type of wire mesh at least 12½ gauge (2.5 mm). For wire meshes situated below ground or situated at less than 0.9 m from ground level: - chain link meshes at least 10 gauge (3.42 mm) with wires not more than 10 cm apart; - other types of wire meshes at least 8 gauge (4.11 mm) not more than 10 cm apart.	Not mandatory	1.8 m	1.07 m	4 m	3 m	n/s	- Where an electrical wire is used, it must have a minimum voltage of 5000 volts, have a minimum size of 12½ gauge (2.5 mm) and be situated inside the facility at a distance of 25 cm to 35 cm from the perimeter and a height of 10 cm to 45 cm from the ground.
D (crocodilians)	- Order Crocodylia.	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage. - Shift enclosure.	To a minimum depth of 30 cm buried in a straight line or with a maximum 45° inward angle.	6.35 cm × 10.16 cm	According to one of the following two possibilities: - flexible wire rope net at least 2.38 mm (3/32 in.); - other type of wire meshes at least 11 gauge (3.06 mm).	Not mandatory	0.9 m	0.9 m	4 m	1 m	0.3 m	- The section of the site for keeping animals where there is an outdoor facility must be surrounded by a separate, independent perimeter fence having a minimum height of 1.8 m to prevent any unauthorized intrusion by the public on the site.

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E (large bears)	- <i>Ursus arctos</i> and <i>Ursus maritimus</i> .	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage. - Shift enclosure.	According to one of the following two possibilities: - to a minimum depth of 90 cm buried in a straight line or with a maximum 45° inward angle; - to a minimum depth of 30 cm if they continue perpendicularly toward the inside of the enclosure or cage over a minimum distance of 90 cm.	6,35 cm x 10,16 cm	According to one of the following two possibilities: - metal chain links at least 6 gauge (4.88 mm); - other types of wire meshes at least 5 gauge (5,25 mm).	Mandatory	4.5 m	1.07 m	3 m	3.6 m	1 m	- The section of the site for keeping animals where there is an outdoor facility must be surrounded by a separate, independent perimeter fence having a minimum height of 1.8 m to prevent any unauthorized intrusion by the public on the site. - Where an electrical wire is used to contain the animal, the wire must have a minimum voltage of 5000 volts and a minimum size of 12½ gauge (2.5 mm).
F (medium bears)	- <i>Ailuropoda melanoleuca</i> , <i>Helarctos malayanus</i> , <i>Melursus ursinus</i> , <i>Tremarctos ornatus</i> , <i>Ursus americanus</i> and <i>Ursus thibetanus</i> .	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage. - Shift enclosure.	According to one of the following two possibilities: - to a minimum depth of 90 cm buried in a straight line or with a maximum 45° inward angle; - to a minimum depth of 30 cm if they continue perpendicularly toward the inside of the enclosure or cage over a minimum distance of 90 cm.	6,35 cm x 10,16 cm	According to one of the following two possibilities: - metal chain links at least 9 gauge (3.76 mm); - other types of wire meshes at least 8 gauge (4.11 mm).	Mandatory	2.4 m	1.07 m	4 m	2.4 m	According to one of the following two possibilities: - 1 m; - 0.4 m in electrical wires.	- Where an electrical wire is used to contain the animal, the wire must have a minimum voltage of 5000 volts and a minimum size of 12½ gauge (2.5 mm).

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G (large canids and cheetahs)	- <i>Achonyx jubatus</i> , <i>Canis lupus</i> , <i>Canis simensis</i> , <i>Chrysocyon brachyurus</i> , <i>Cuon alpinus</i> and <i>Lycaon pictus</i> .	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage. - Shift enclosure.	According to one of the following two possibilities: - to a minimum depth of 90 cm buried in a straight line or with a maximum 45° inward angle; - to a minimum depth of 30 cm if they continue perpendicularly toward the inside of the enclosure or cage over a minimum distance of 90 cm.	6.35 cm x 10.16 cm	According to one of the following three possibilities: - metal chain links at least 9 gauge (3.76 mm); - flexible wire rope net at least 3.17 mm (1/8 in.); - other types of wire meshes at least 8 gauge (4.11 mm).	Not mandatory	2.4 m	1.07 m	4 m	3.6 m	0.4 m	- The section of the site for keeping animals where there is an outdoor facility must be surrounded by a separate, independent perimeter fence having a minimum height of 1.8 m to prevent any unauthorized intrusion by the public on the site. - Where an electrical wire is used to contain the animal, the wire must have a minimum voltage of 5000 volts and a minimum size of 12½ gauge (2.5 mm).
H (hyenas)	- <i>Crocuta crocuta</i> , <i>Hyaena brunnea</i> and <i>Hyaena hyaena</i> .	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage. - Shift enclosure.	According to one of the following two possibilities: - to a minimum depth of 90 cm buried in a straight line or with a maximum 45° inward angle; - to a minimum depth of 30 cm if they continue perpendicularly toward the inside of the enclosure or cage over a minimum distance of 90 cm.	6.35 cm x 10.16 cm	According to one of the following three possibilities: - metal chain links at least 9 gauge (3.76 mm); - flexible wire rope net at least 3.17 mm (1/8 in.); - other types of wire meshes at least 8 gauge (4.11 mm).	Mandatory	2.4 m	1.07 m	4 m	2.4 m	0.4 m	- The section of the site for keeping animals where there is an outdoor facility must be surrounded by a separate, independent perimeter fence having a minimum height of 1.8 m to prevent any unauthorized intrusion by the public on the site. - Where an electrical wire is used to contain the animal, the wire must have a minimum voltage of 5000 volts and a minimum size of 12½ gauge (2.5 mm).

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I (large felids)	- <i>Panthera leo</i> and <i>Panthera tigris</i> .	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage.	According to one of the following two possibilities: - to a minimum depth of 90 cm buried in a straight line or with a maximum 45° inward angle; - to a depth of 30 cm if they continue perpendicularly toward the inside of the enclosure or cage over a minimum distance of 90 cm.	6.35 cm x 10.16 cm	According to one of the following three possibilities: - metal chain links at least 9 gauge (3.76 mm); - flexible wire rope net at least 3.17 mm (1/8 in.); - other types of wire meshes at least 8 gauge (4.11 mm).	Mandatory	4.5 m	1.07 m	4 m	7.5 m	1 m	- The section of the site for keeping animals where there is an outdoor facility must be surrounded by a separate, independent perimeter fence having a minimum height of 1.8 m to prevent any unauthorized intrusion by the public on the site. - Where an electrical wire is used to contain the animal, the wire must have a minimum voltage of 5000 volts and a minimum size of 12½ gauge (2.5 mm).
J (medium felids)	- <i>Puma concolor</i> , <i>Neofelis nebulosa</i> , <i>Panthera onca</i> , <i>Panthera pardus</i> and <i>Uncia uncia</i> .	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage.	According to one of the following two possibilities: - to a minimum depth of 90 cm buried in a straight line or with a maximum 45° inward angle; - to a minimum depth of 30 cm if they continue perpendicularly toward the inside of the enclosure or cage over a minimum distance of 90 cm.	6.35 cm x 6.35 cm	According to one of the following three possibilities: - metal chain links at least 9 gauge (3.76 mm); - flexible wire rope net at least 2.38 mm (3/32 in.); - other types of wire meshes at least 8 gauge (4.11 mm).	Mandatory	5.4 m	1.07 m	4 m	12 m	According to one of the following two possibilities: - 1.4 m of a smooth material that does not allow the animal to grab hold of the overhang; - 1 m completely in electrical wires not more than 15 cm apart.	- The section of the site for keeping animals where there is an outdoor facility must be surrounded by a separate, independent perimeter fence having a minimum height of 1.8 m to prevent any unauthorized intrusion by the public on the site. - Where an electrical wire is used to contain the animal, the wire must have a minimum voltage of 5000 volts and a minimum size of 12½ gauge (2.5 mm).

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K (elephants)	- Family <i>Elephantidae</i> .	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage. - Shift enclosure.	n/s	n/s	n/s	Mandatory	2.4 m	1.07 m	4 m	2.4 m	n/s	- The section of the site for keeping animals where there is an outdoor facility must be surrounded by a separate, independent perimeter fence having a minimum height of 1.8 m to prevent any unauthorized intrusion by the public on the site.  - Where an electrical wire is used to contain the animal, the wire must have a minimum voltage of 5000 volts and a minimum size of 15 mm.
L (hippotami and rhinoceroses)	- Families <i>Hippopotamidae</i> and <i>Rhinocerotidae</i> .	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage. - Shift enclosure.	n/s	n/s	n/s	Not mandatory	1.5 m	1.07 m	3 m	1 m	n/s	- The section of the site for keeping animals where there is an outdoor facility must be surrounded by a separate, independent perimeter fence having a minimum height of 1.8 m to prevent any unauthorized intrusion by the public on the site.  - Where an electrical wire is used to contain the animal, the wire must have a minimum voltage of 5000 volts and a minimum size of 15 mm.

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M (gorillas and orangutans)	- Genera <i>Gorilla</i> and <i>Pongo</i> .	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage.	According to one of the following two possibilities: - to a minimum depth of 60 cm buried in a straight line or with a maximum 45° inward angle; - to a depth of 30 cm if they continue perpendicularly toward the inside of the enclosure or cage over a minimum distance of 60 cm.	6,35 cm x 6,35 cm	According to one of the following two possibilities: - metal chain links at least 6 gauge (4.88 mm); - other types of wire meshes at least 3 gauge (6.19 mm).	Mandatory	4 m	1.07 m	4 m	3.65 m	According to one of the following two possibilities: - 3 m of a smooth material that does not allow the animal to grab hold of the overhang; - 1 m completely in electrical wires not more than 15 cm apart.	- A body of water 3.65 m wide, free of vegetation and 1.8 m deep may replace the 4 m perimeter element and its overhang. In that case, the body of water may be considered as being part of the clearance zone. - The section of the site for keeping animals where there is an outdoor facility must be surrounded by a separate, independent perimeter fence having a minimum height of 1.8 m to prevent any unauthorized intrusion by the public on the site. - Where an electrical wire is used to contain the animal, the wire must have a minimum voltage of 5000 volts and a minimum size of 12½ gauge (2.5 mm).



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N (chimpanzees and bonobos)	- Genus <i>Pan</i> .	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage.	According to one of the following two possibilities: - to a minimum depth of 60 cm buried in a straight line or with a maximum 45° inward angle; - to a minimum depth of 30 cm if they continue perpendicularly toward the inside of the enclosure or cage over a minimum distance of 60 cm.	6.35 cm x 6.35 cm	According to one of the following two possibilities: - metal chain links at least 6 gauge (4.88 mm); - other types of wire meshes at least 3 gauge (6.19 mm).	Mandatory	4 m	1.07 m	4 m	7 m	According to one of the following two possibilities: - 3 m of a smooth material that does not allow the animal to grab hold of the overhang; - 1 m completely in electrical wires not more than 15 cm apart.	- A body of water 6 m wide, free of vegetation and 1.8 m wide may replace the 4 m perimeter element and its overhang. In that case, the body of water may be considered as being part of the clearance zone. - The section of the site for keeping animals where there is an outdoor facility must be surrounded by a separate, independent perimeter fence having a minimum height of 1.8 m to prevent any unauthorized intrusion by the public on the site. - Where an electrical wire is used to contain the animal, the wire must have a minimum voltage of 5000 volts and a minimum size of 12½ gauge (2.5 mm).
O (medium primates)	- Genera <i>Mandrillus</i> , <i>Papio</i> , and <i>Theropithecus</i> .	- Cage. - Enclosure. - Shift cage.	To a minimum depth of 30 cm buried in a straight line or with a maximum angle of 45° toward the inside.	2.54 cm x 5.08 cm	According to one of the following three possibilities: - metal chain links at least 11 gauge (3.06 mm); - flexible wire rope net with metal wires at least 2.38 mm (3/32 in.); - other types of wire meshes at least 10½ gauge (3.24 mm).	Mandatory	3.65 m	1.07 m	4 m	3.65 m	According to one of the following two possibilities: - 1.2 m of a smooth material that does not allow the animal to grab hold of the overhang; - 50 cm completely in electrical wires not more than 10 cm apart.	- The section of the site for keeping animals where there is an outdoor facility must be surrounded by a separate, independent perimeter fence having a minimum height of 1.8 m to prevent any unauthorized intrusion by the public on the site. - Where an electrical wire is used to contain the animal, the wire must have a minimum voltage of 5000 volts and a minimum size of 12½ gauge (2.5 mm).