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Herd Management And Fencing Systems

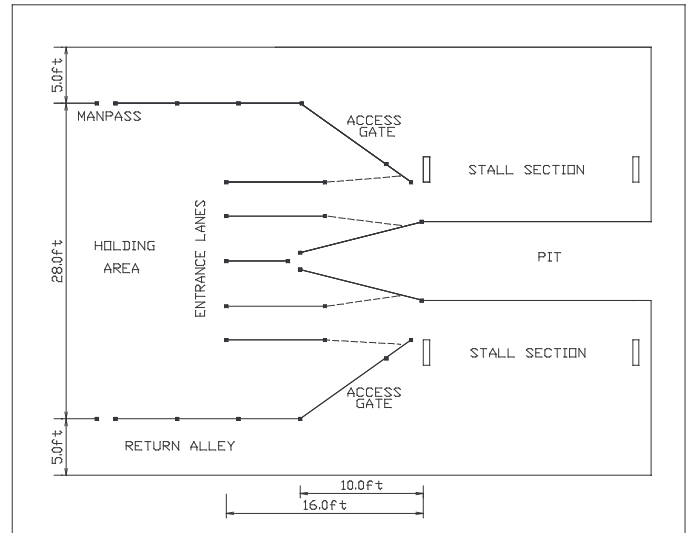


You can significantly improve overall parlor throughput as well as reduce installation costs by adding Holding Area Fencing, Parlor Entrance Lanes and Access Gates. The Holding Area Fencing includes the track for the crowd gate and is built in 20 foot sections with manpasses built right into the fence. Parlor Entrance Lanes are a proven and inexpensive way to load cows into the parlor with less waiting.

D. L. George & Sons Mfg. Gates and Fencing are made primarily of high tensile strength square galvanized tubing. Posts are generally made of 3" or 2 1/4" square tubing and rails are made of 2 1/4" square tubing. The square shape makes it easier to weld so you can expect excellent durability and the special finish provides better corrosion protection than galvanized pipe. On the Holding Area Fencing the top rail is the 5" channel that the crowd gate rides in. The fence posts on the panels are set in 6 1/2" from each end of the channel so that when two panels are put together they provide a 13" manpass. That is an idea that will save you time for the next 20 years.

The Entrance Lane Package includes fencing for the "V" in the holding area, 4 panels to create alleys for the cows as well as the swing gates on those panels and an extra extension from the middle of the "V" if necessary. The Entrance Lanes work by making sure that there are always 3 cows lined up to enter the parlor when you open the gate. That gives you a much better chance of having a "boss" cow at the front of the line who will lead the cows into the parlor quickly. As the "boss" cow moves into the parlor the swing gates block off the other alleys so that those cows wait their turn. Many dairymen have told us that Entrance Lanes offer the best return on investment available in improving parlor throughput.

Access Gates provide an easy way to get a skid loader into the parlor if a cow should ever go down and they also provide a way to recycle the cows from the parlor back into the holding area if necessary.



Gate hinges are made with stainless pins and UHMW bushings for long life and no requirement for lubrication.

3 types of gate latches are available: A spring loaded pin-type latch, a heavy duty 2-way gravity latch and chain latch with the catch built right into the gate.

Order D. L. George & Sons Mfg. Herd Management Systems along with your parlor and crowd gate...you will save on freight, installation time and expense. Plus you will be able to milk your cows faster.

