BIDRIDGE QUICK REFERENCE

Deck & Fence Designer

Decks, stairs, railing and fences, with a permit set and lists

GET STARTED

1. Under What are you building? pick a sample, or Start blank
2. Pick Deck and tap the corners, or type a length and press Enter
3. Under Drawing set pick Permit set, Preview sheets, then Save PDF

MAIN TOOLS

Deck	Outlines a deck: tap the corners or drag a rectangle
Inlay	Draws an inlay inside a deck with its own border
Stairs	Tap a deck edge where the stairs come down
Railing	Tap along the deck edge, then Finish
Fence	Tap along the fence line, then Finish; add gates
Framing	Shows the joists, beams, posts and blocking

KEYBOARD SHORTCUTS

Ctrl+Z	Undo (Cmd+Z on a Mac)
Ctrl+Y	Redo
Enter	Use the typed length, or finish
Tab or @	Type the angle after the length
Shift (hold)	Keep the line at 0, 45 or 90 deg
Esc	Cancel the drawing, then the tool
Delete	Delete what is selected
?	Open the shortcuts panel

WHAT GOES TO BIDRIDGE

- Each deck: size, height, pattern, border, framing, footings
- Stairs, railing, and fence runs with their gates
- Joists, blocking, board footage, miters and inlays
- Client, site address, notes, Selections (boards, rail, fence)
- Files: drawing set PDF, cut list and buy list CSV

WHAT IT PRINTS

Drawing set PDF (permit set or your sheets), cut list and buy list CSV, plan SVG

BEFORE YOU PRINT

- Checks follow IRC deck guidelines. Verify with your building department.
- Set your own prices under Products & prices before you send a quote.