

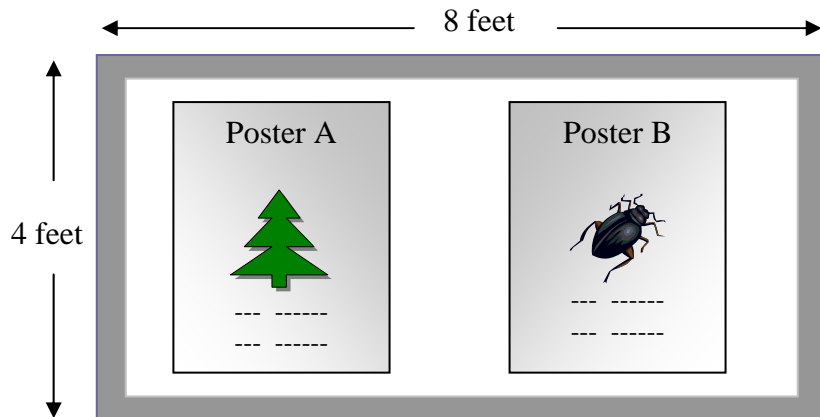
POSTER DISPLAY INFORMATION

Poster Dimensions

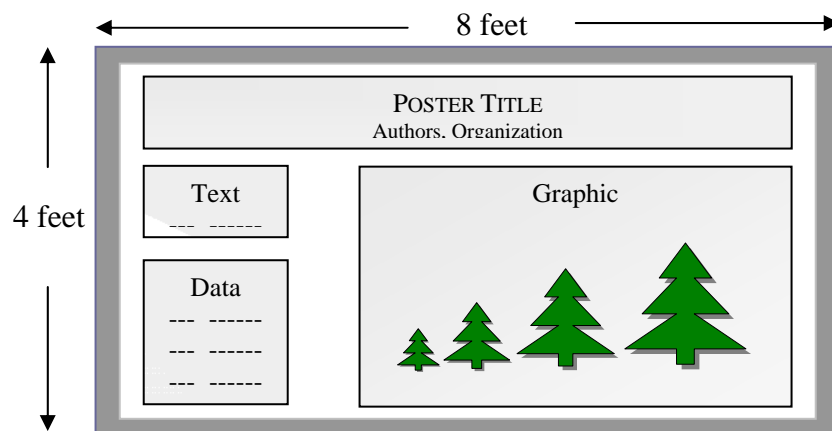
The poster boards are white in color and 8 feet wide by 4 feet tall on one side of a double-sided freestanding frame with a useable space of about 90 inches by 42 inches. The bottom of the backing-board will be about 2.5 feet from the floor.

There are two poster options:

- Unless more space is requested, two posters will be assigned per poster board. The useable space will be about 44 inches wide by 42 inches high.



- **If you require the full 4 foot x 8 foot board** to adequately display your poster and you did not request it when you submitted your abstract, please notify Terry Clark at clarkt@safnet.org to insure space is reserved for you.



<i>Poster Materials Provided</i>	Posters will be secured with Velcro or pins. We recommend that you bring your own fasteners.
<i>Poster Materials to Bring with You</i>	<p>Poster materials should be rolled and placed in a tube for carry-on air travel. Flat posters of the specified size must be stowed as cargo.</p> <p>We encourage you to bring enough copies of papers, abstracts, or reports relating to your poster to distribute to interested participants. If you plan to leave copies of the handouts with your unattended poster, you will need to provide a holder for them. A "partition hanger" that hangs over the top of the poster board works well. A box on the floor tends to be kicked around.</p>
<i>Space is Limited</i>	Poster space is limited. There is insufficient space or access for video display material or demonstrations.

TIPS ON POSTER DESIGN

<i>Concept</i>	<p>Decide on three or four key concepts you want to display. Generally, a poster consists of an introduction, objectives, methods, results, and conclusions and often includes very simple and precise photographs, artwork, captions, maps, graphs, and samples.</p>
<i>Display</i>	<p>Keep in mind that posters will be viewed from a distance of 6 to 10 feet. Keep the poster simple and the text legible. Avoid hand-lettered materials.</p> <p>Use the layout of the visual components of your poster to help you convey your story. Make sure that the three or four key concepts are clearly and simply transferred to readers. Some of the interesting details of the work can be conveyed in the one-on-one discussion time.</p> <p>Each poster should be titled, listing author and sponsoring organization at the top of the poster. Titles should be seven words or less with letters 2" - 3" in height. Subtitles should not exceed 10 words.</p> <p>Captions for photographs or graphs should not exceed 25 words.</p> <p>Keep blocks of text under 50 words.</p> <p>Use original artwork for developing clear photographs. Use simple, clean graphs.</p> <p>Consult with graphics experts in your organization for further suggestions. They may be able to make your poster for you if you can give them enough time.</p>