

## FABRIC COVERED VS CONVENTIONAL BUILDINGS

A building purchase is a significant investment. To help you make an informed decision, below are a few facts about fabric building vs conventional construction.

Feature	Fabric	Polebarn	Metal
Portable	✓		
Easy to decommission or relocate	✓		
Low maintenance	✓		
No painting or shingling required	✓		
Ability to insulate, add electrical & lighting, etc.	✓	✓	✓
Easy to access walls for changes or upgrades	✓		
Easy to reconfigure; change doors, add accesses, etc.	✓		
Easy to increase square footage	✓		
Translucent properties (natural light)	✓		
Meets site specific building codes	✓	✓	✓
Clear span design	✓	✓	✓
Easy to repair	✓		
Warm in winter/cool in summer	✓		
Easy to construct in remote locations	✓		
Quiet, hushed atmosphere	✓		
Multiple color options	✓	✓	✓
Naturally bright/free of shadows	✓		
Accommodates large overhead doors	✓	✓	✓
Accommodates eaves	✓	✓	✓

Types of Foundations	Fabric	Polebarn	Metal
Concrete Blocks	✓		
Concrete Footing	✓	✓	✓
Concrete Pilings	✓		✓
Concrete Slab	✓	✓	✓
Concrete Wall	✓		✓
Ground Anchors	✓		
Posts	✓	✓	
Screw piles	✓		✓
Shipping Containers	✓		

