



Installation Guide



U.S. Version



Hand Operated Tools & Materials Needed

- Cordless drill and 1/4" nut driver
- Tape measure
- Chalk line
- Hacksaw
- Tin snips
- Level
- 2 1/2" Hole saw
- Caulking gun & gutter sealant
- Appropriate protective gear including: gloves, footwear, eyewear, hardhat and clothing
- Security harness

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Initial Preparation

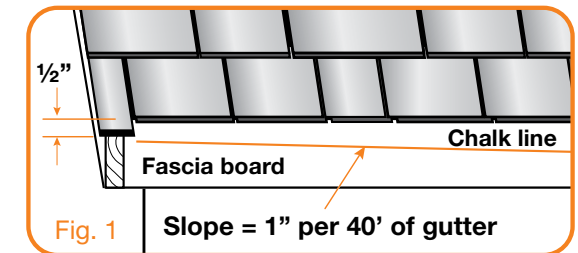
- Remove existing gutter. Examine fascia board for rotted sections and replace if necessary.
- Determine required number of gutter sections and accessories using the online PEAK® Gutter Designer at: designer.peakgutter.com
- Install downpipe for each 30' to 50' of gutter while considering such factors as the location of drain tiles, ground conditions and slope.

Gutter Installation

STEP 1 – Mark location and slope of gutter

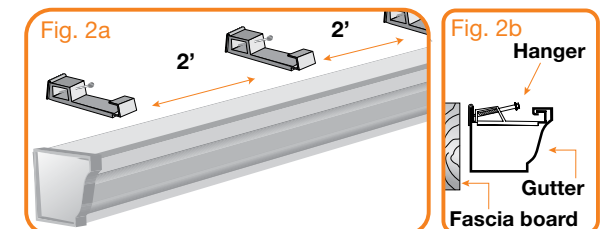
Starting from an end of a fascia board opposite from a downpipe location, attach the chalk line to the fascia board 1/2" below the shingles (Fig.1). Extend the chalk line along the fascia board towards the downpipe location, ensuring a slope of 1" per 40' of gutter.

Snap the chalk line to mark the location of the slope.



STEP 2 – Assemble and hang gutter sections

Attach and caulk an end cap to the first gutter section. For every 2' of gutter section, attach a gutter hanger (Fig. 2a) ensuring the hanger is completely seated in the gutter section (Fig. 2b). Following the marked chalk line, mount the first gutter section to the fascia board using the screws in the gutter hangers. Attach additional gutter sections along the marked chalk line as required. Proceed to step 3 to complete the last section of the gutter run.



Option A - Seamer Joint

Put one continuous bead of caulking along inside walls of gutter seamer. Slide section A and B of gutter into gutter seamer to form a joint (Fig. 2c). Fold rear tab of gutter seamer inwards to secure gutters in place (Fig. 2d).

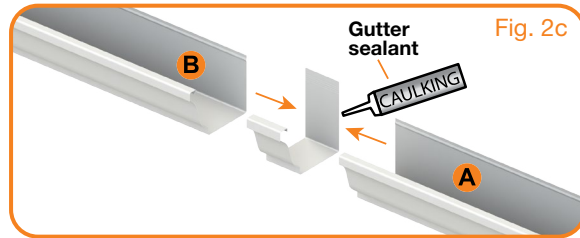


Fig. 2c

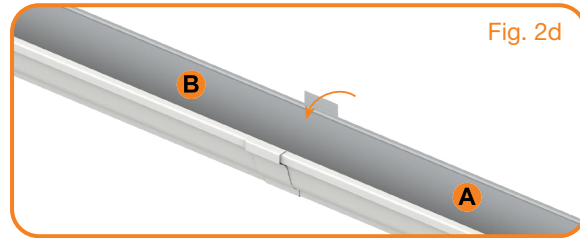
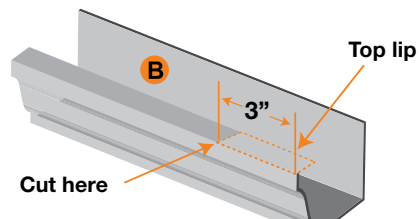


Fig. 2d

Option B - Overlap Joint

Cut and remove the top part of the profile side of the next gutter section by at least 3" (Fig. 2e). Put one continuous bead of caulking along inside walls of section A where gutters will lap. Slide section B into section A to form a lap joint. Attach an additional gutter hanger in the centre of the lap joint (Fig. 2f).

Fig. 2e



Top lip

Cut here

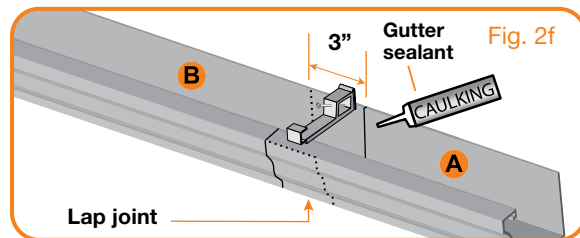


Fig. 2f

Lap joint

STEP 3 – Complete gutter run and install outlet

Option A - For DROP Outlets:

Position the drop outlet so it is centered on the downpipe location. Install the gutter so it overlaps the drop outlet by 3". To join a drop outlet to a gutter section, cut and remove the top part of the profile side of the gutter section by at least 3" (Fig. 3a).

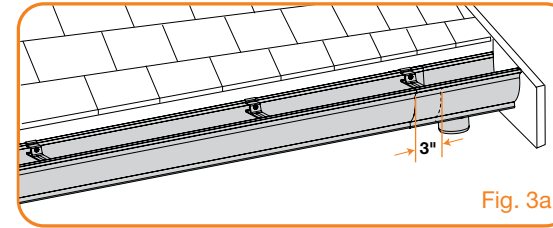


Fig. 3a

Option B - For ROUND Outlets:

Measure the distance along the fascia board from the second to last gutter section to the end of gutter run ensuring the last gutter section overlaps the second to last gutter section by at least 3" (Fig. 3b). Temporarily attach the last gutter section to the run and mark the outlet location on the last gutter section based upon the downpipe location.

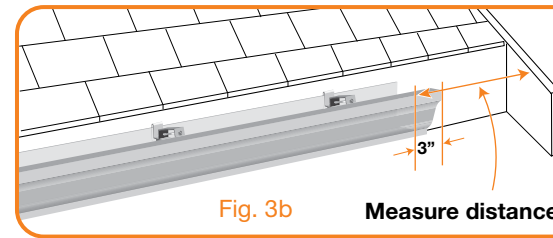


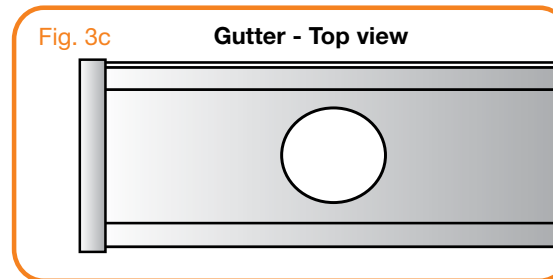
Fig. 3b

Measure distance

Remove the last gutter section and on the ground, use a hole saw to cut the outlet hole at the marked location (Fig. 3c). Apply caulking around the outlet hole in the last gutter section and insert the outlet.

Fig. 3c

Gutter - Top view



Attach an elbow to the outlet on the underside of the gutter using screws (Fig. 3d).

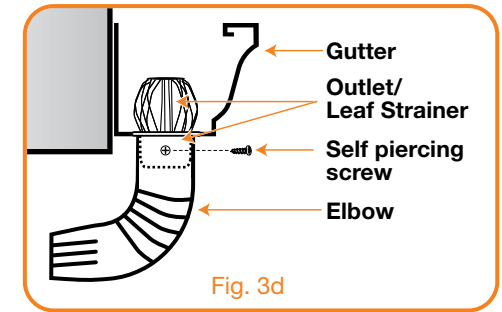


Fig. 3d

Attach and caulk an end cap to the last gutter section or drop outlet, and attach last gutter section or drop outlet to remaining run (Fig. 2d). Apply caulking sealant to connections.

STEP 4 – Attach connecting downpipe

Place an elbow against the wall of the building in-line with the elbow from the last gutter section. Measure the distance between the elbows (Fig. 4) and cut a connecting section of downpipe or downpipe extension to span the distance between the elbows, ensuring an overlap of at least 2" at each end. Attach connecting section to elbows using self-piercing screws as illustrated in Fig. 3b.

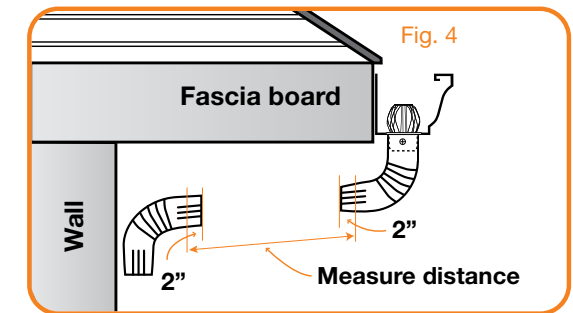
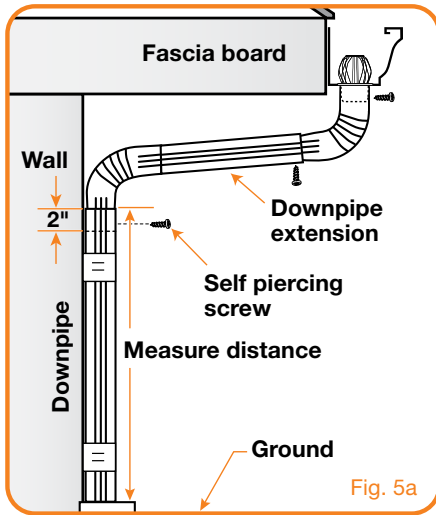


Fig. 4

Measure distance

STEP 5 – Attach downpipe

Determine the entire length of the downpipe by measuring from the downpipe termination point (the ground or inside the drain tile) up to the elbow adjacent the wall of the building, ensuring the downpipe sections overlap one-another and the elbow by at least 2" (Fig. 5a).



On the ground, cut or add downpipe sections together as required. To join downpipe sections together screw as illustrated.

Attach entire downpipe length to the elbow adjacent the wall of the building with screws as illustrated and ensure tapered ends of downpipe sections are pointing downwards.

Ensure this is vertical using a level. Use two straps for every 10' of downpipe to secure the entire length of the downpipe to the wall of the building.

Note: place a tile cover over the drain tile if the downpipe terminates into a drain tile. If the downpipe does not terminate into a drain tile, attach an elbow to the downpipe to direct water away from the foundation of the building. If necessary, place a splash block underneath the water outlet to prevent erosion of the foundation (Fig 5b) or attach a downpipe extension to the elbow to direct water away from the foundation (Fig 5c).

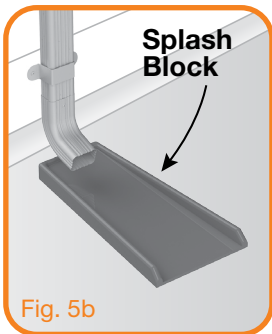


Fig. 5b

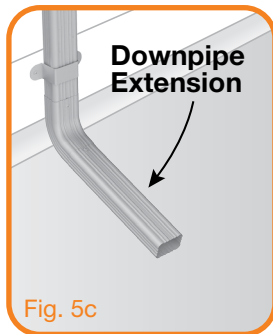


Fig. 5c

STEP 6 - Attach Mitres

For turning corners, attach mitres to the gutter sections. Apply a continuous bead of gutter sealant along inside of each end of the mitre where the gutter will lap with mitre. Slide gutter section at least 2" into mitre. Install a gutter hanger over the connection and screw into the fascia board (Fig. 6a).

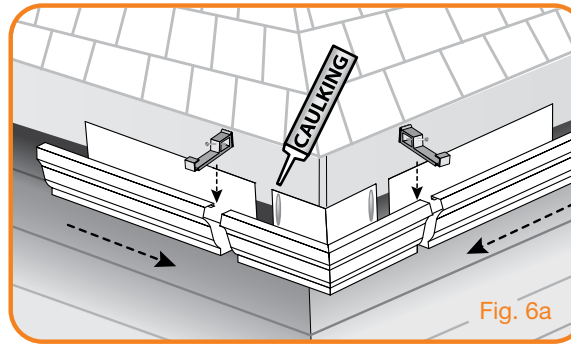


Fig. 6a

Add gutter sealant to seams of box mitre to ensure it is water tight (Fig. 6b)

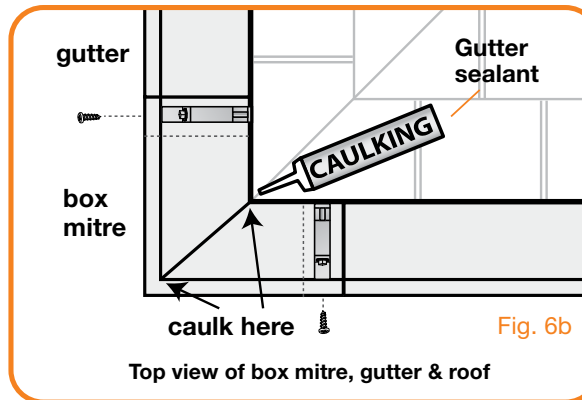


Fig. 6b

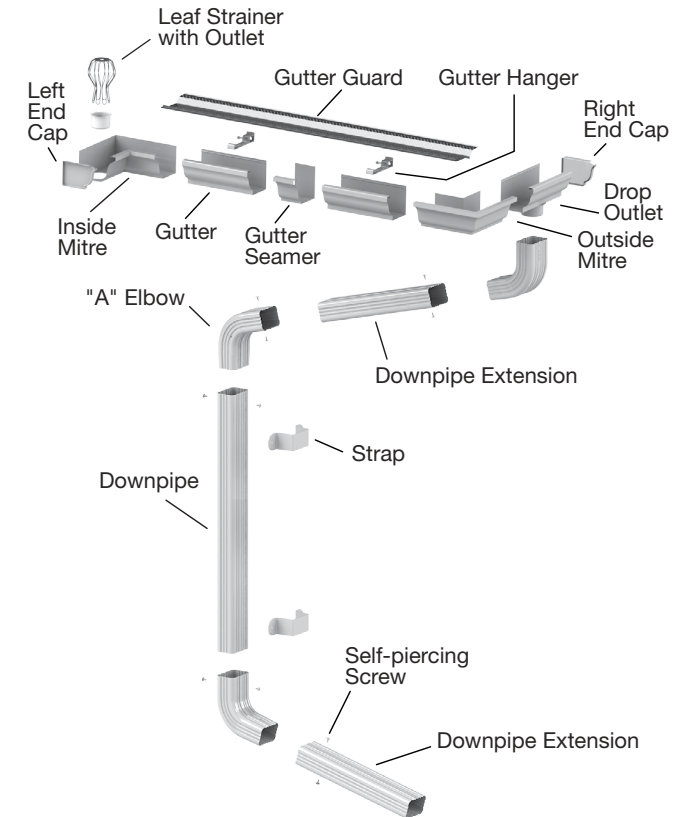
Top view of box mitre, gutter & roof

Pro tip: Installation of leaf strainers and gutter guards will help prevent debris from accumulating in the gutters and downpipes.

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