

DrySnap[®] Installation Checklist

Please read all installation instructions prior to installing DrySnap.

Check the online instructions (www.drysnap.com) for possible updates over print versions.

Checklist for each section of the deck that DrySnap will be installed.

Installer to complete.

Homeowner will need to retain this in case there are any warranty issues.

Date of Install:

Homeowner:

Installer: (staple business card or write info):



A. Before Installing DrySnap

- Check pitch of deck by checking joists using a 4'-6' level
- Check for and correct any irregularities in joists
- Check maximum joist spacing does not exceed 16" o.c. (install 1"x4" furring strips if needed)
- Check two sides for support to fasten joist brackets to (may need to install 1"x4", 2"x4", or 2"x2")
- If installing ceiling fan(s) and/or lighting fixture(s), follow instructions available online

B. Installing Flashing (not included)

- Install 9-12" flashing to divert water away from house
- Install 9-12" flashing on sides (OPTIONAL)
- Install flashing above support beam (OPTIONAL)
- Install flashing on beam above where gutter will be hung (OPTIONAL)

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C. Installing DrySnap – Joist Brackets

- Install one section of joist brackets for each row (keystone should be protruding on starter strip side) and check for proper alignment and slope (correct if necessary)
- Run hose to verify system is working properly, check slope of panels with level
- Install first row of joist brackets 3-1/2” (o.c.) from ledger board (requires zero pitch spacers)
- Install last row of joist brackets 3-1/2” (o.c.) from outer beam (number of pitch spacers will vary)
- Install inner rows spaced maximum of 20” (o.c) from previous rows (add 1 additional pitch spacer / joist intersection-max 16” o.c. for every incremental row)
- If last joist bracket (side opposite starter strip) does not have locking feature at end of area, secure main row and add a secondary end section of joist bracket with locking feature
- Make sure all connections of joist brackets are secure and screw all connection points with a #8 zip screw

D. Installing DrySnap – Starter Strip, Panels, & Trim Cap

- Cut starter strip and panels 2-1/2” short of measurement to beam
- When installing starter strip and panel, cut 2-1/2” short of overall depth measurement for water drainage into gutter
- Install starter strip (usually at one side, but may be installed in middle of area if there are offsetting depths – in that case, apply against longer side for clean connection)
- Install each panel, making sure flexible flange is completely engaged
- Install trim cap and adjust panel using pry bar to make sure panel is fully positioned in trim cap
- If last panel is not a full panel, cut or rip panel to desired length removing the side with flexible flange – apply bead of caulk along full length of last panel



E. Areas To Apply Caulk

- If last panel required cutting the width of the panel and removing the flexible flange – apply bead of caulk along full length of last panel
- Apply bead of caulk for each panel connection channel at end of panel on gutter side
- Apply bead of caulk on finished side of panel ½” from cut end on gutter side (OPTIONAL)

F. Finishing DrySnap Installation

- Run hose to verify system is working properly
- Install gutter system (not included)
- Install side trim (not included)
- Enclose any open areas to minimize potential for birds or bees nesting (such as small cantilever areas)

G. Warranty Registration

- Give this checklist to homeowner so they can retain for their records in case of warranty claim
- Instruct homeowner register product warranty within 30 days of installation (mail in registration card or complete online)