

**GUIDELINE FOR A  
VELCRO® INSTALLATION**



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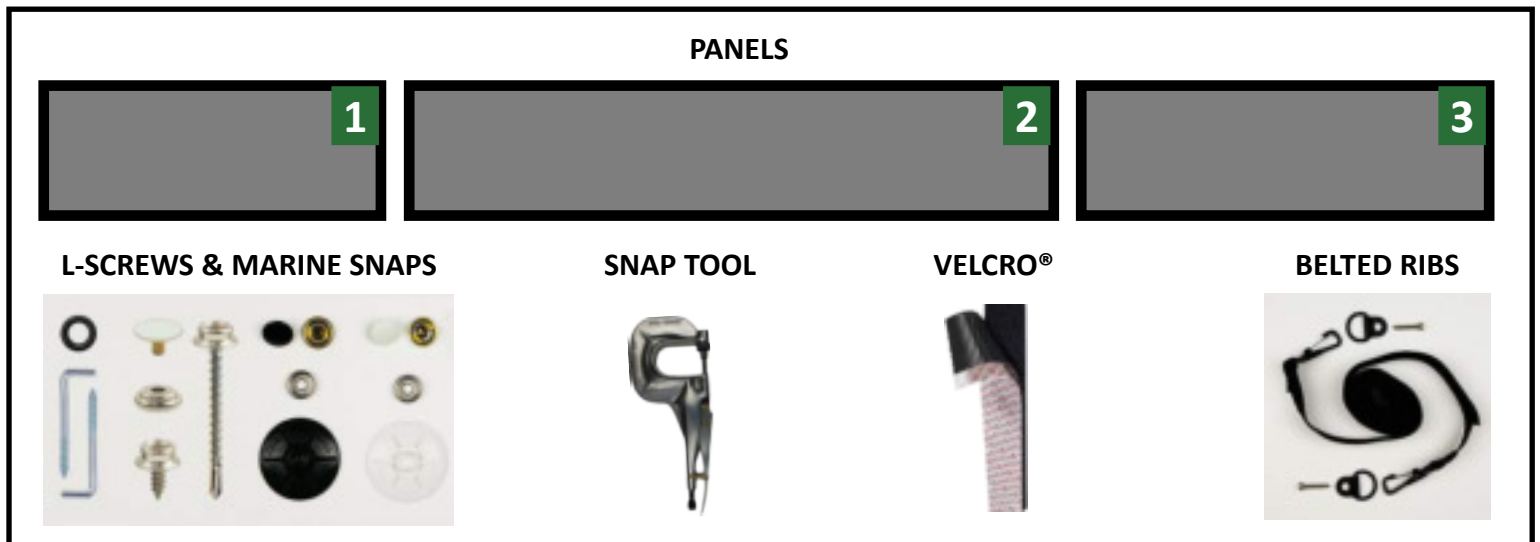
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# VELCRO INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

## INSPECT YOUR CURTAIN AND KIT

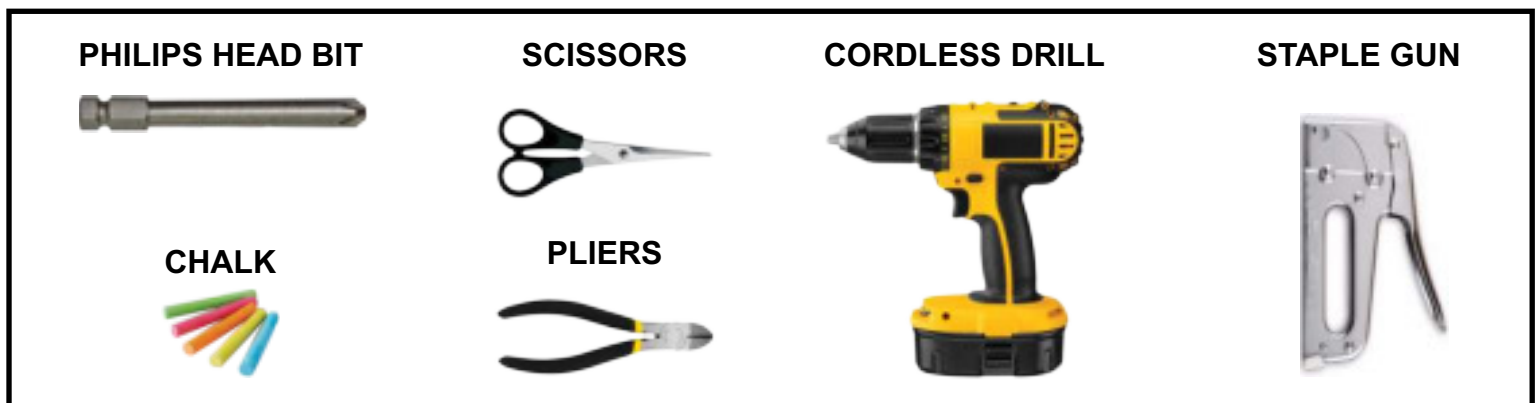
Thank you for your order! These instructions are a guideline for installation. Every application is different and you will have the flexibility to improvise for your particular conditions. Online videos will enable you to watch each step of the process.

Most kits come with a panel diagram. When your curtain panels arrive, each panel is labeled on the curtain tag to reveal the layout of your panels for your application. When everything has arrived, ensure that your kit includes what you need for your installation. This is just a sampling of what may be included with your order, and will vary according to your project. In most cases, you will be set for the installation upon arrival, but in some instances, you will realize you need additional materials based on your specific situation. If you have any issues, call and we will help you. With tens of thousands of orders completed, we've been stumped only 3 times and we're as friendly as your grandmother.



## ADDITIONAL TOOLS

In addition to what comes in your kit, you may use a few other tools found commonly around the house. Having these on hand will make your installation much easier.



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## **PREPARE MOUNTING SURFACE**

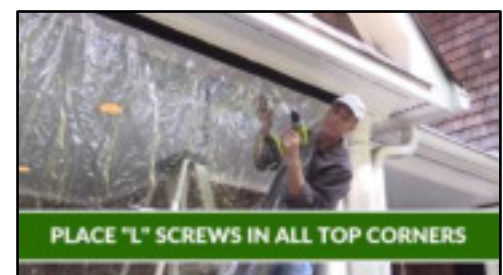
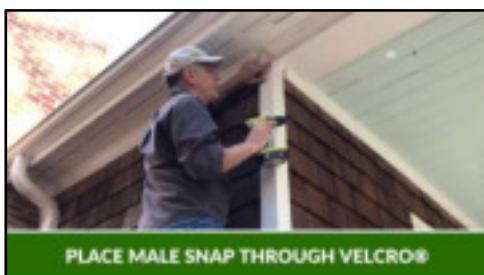
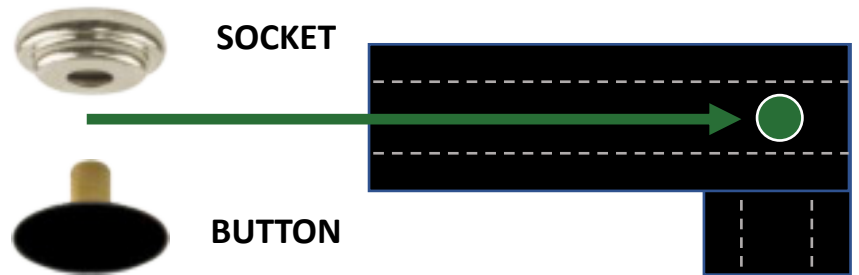
**STEP 1)** Mount the Velcro®. Clean surface with a damp cloth. Begin mounting by wrapping around some surface. Peel and stick the provided adhesive-backed hook-sided Velcro® tape to your surface. At corners, cut 3" long and wrap around corner. Repeat on other side, overlapping the Velcro®. Reinforce using a staple gun every 12 inches.



## **MOUNTING YOUR CURTAINS**

**STEP 1)** You will place female snaps in the tops of all panels. Place a male snap through the Velcro® on surface where panel will begin. Snap first corner into position about 6" in from the corner. You will have a grommet in the corner for an L-screw as well. With the curtain in place, screw an L-screw in the corner of each panel.

Place snap on tool. Swiftly drive button post into socket between the double stitching.



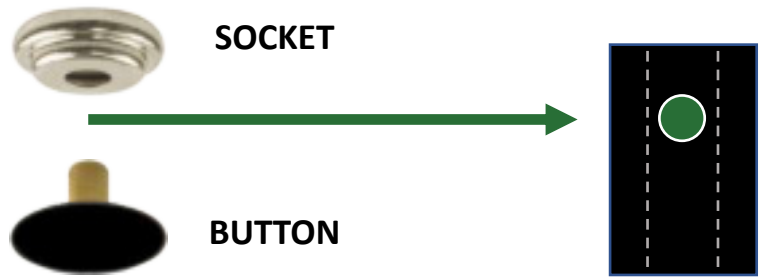
**STEP 2)** Hang your curtain by firmly pressing the loop-sided Velcro® strip sewn to the top binding to the hook-sided strip adhered to your surface. If you have surface gaps, you can under mount a wood strip. Place L-screws & marine snaps in the corners of all zipper doorways.



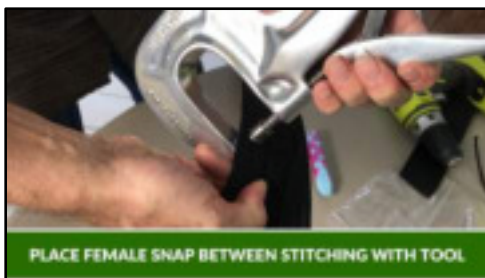
**STEP 3)** Attach the sides of your curtain panels with marine snaps. Begin by sealing all zipper doorways. Pull panels to edges and decide how much overlap you want on your sealing surfaces. The edge of the panel will extend slightly beyond the edge of your surface.



Now you will place your marine snaps. If you are using the industrial marine snap tool, you can place the the female snap first and then the male snap or vice versa. Both options work because the snap tool can place snaps in mid-air. If you are not using the industrial snap tool, it is best to place the female snaps while the panels are on the ground, then place male snaps on your surface to match the female snaps.



Place a female snap on your panel. Use chalk to mark snap and press against surface. Place male snap in chalk mark on surface.



5 is a good number of marine snaps to place for applications under 8' tall. Place snaps every 12-18" depending on your wind conditions. Equally space snaps top to bottom. Snap each snap into place from the top and pull down to create vertical tension as you go. This vertical tension makes the webbing lay flat and creates a nice seal against the surface.



## SEALING THE BASE

**STEP 1)** Place belted ribs in free corners. Begin by placing D-Rings on the ceiling and at the base. Attach hooks to top and bottom D-Ring. Pull to tighten. Your curtain now has something to go around. This helps to create the side to side tension we are looking for.



**STEP 2)** Strategically place L-screws and marine snaps. To seal the base of your curtain, you will create side to side tension at the base. The two main methods for sealing the base are strategically placing marine snaps in the bottom corners and placing belted ribs in free corners. Begin by placing L-screws in the corners to create tension.



## CARING FOR YOUR CURTAIN

We want you to get maximum life out of your curtains, so please read carefully. DO NOT leave curtains up during the winter. Squirrels love to nest in tied back curtains to keep warm and every season we get calls from those that wouldn't believe us. Curtains love to be rinsed either with a hose or by soaking them in the bath tub and LINE DRYING them (not in mechanical dryer). "Street crud" is what will ultimately degrade your curtains. Remove end cap and curtains slide out. Fold and store in a cool, dry place.

## FINAL NOTES AND TIPS



**MARINE SNAPS:** Depending on your application, you may be using a special type of male snap to go into/onto stucco, brick, metal, vinyl, or other material. The concepts all still apply, you will just be using a different type of male snap for your application.

**GOING INTO MASONRY:** If you are going into concrete, you will need a masonry drill bit and concrete anchors to install.



**MARINE SNAP TOOL IS FULLY REFUNDABLE:** If you ordered this tool, you can ship it back to us for a full refund. If you didn't and wish you had, give us a call and we'll be happy to get one out to you as soon as possible.

**WE ARE HERE TO HELP:** If you need assistance with anything or have any issues whatsoever, don't hesitate to give us a call at **866-622-0916!** Thank you for reading. We hope you enjoy your new mosquito curtains!

