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The Ultimate Garage Door Seal!

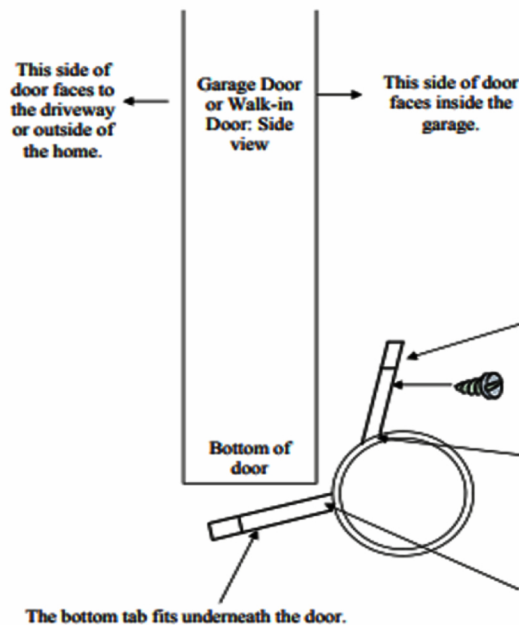
BottomSealer Installation instructions

Contents:

1 Snirt Stopper
1 Set of Screws

You will need:

Cordless drill with #02 Phillips head
1/8 Drill Bit



The top tab is secured to the inside of the door about an inch from the bottom of the door. This tab is screwed to the inside of the garage door using a #2 Phillips, self-tapping, 1/4 inch screw. These screws are placed 6 inches apart and secure the door seal to the inside of the door. There is a sticker on your Snirt Stopper indicating the top tab to remind you where to place the screws.

The seal is created on the inside of the door. The top tab can be adjusted based on its placement on the door to compensate for an uneven floor or a poorly closing door which helps to fill in any gaps.

Choking Hazard: This package contains small parts which may be a choking hazard to children under 3. Keep small parts away from children.

Sharp objects: This package contains screws, which may have sharp edges. Handle with care.

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- 1.** Begin by laying the SnirtStopper seal in a warm place such as in the sun for at least 1 hour to loosen the material and help release bends and folds acquired from the packaging process. As the material warms up, smooth out any folds by vigorously working the sealer back and forth through your hands and lightly tugging at the material.
- 2.** Raise the garage door to a comfortable working height. Most electric garage door openers can stop the door halfway between fully open and fully closed by pushing the open/close button twice at the desired height. Make sure to brace or lock the door so that it stays at a comfortable work position, and lay out the BottomSealer flat along the floor with the logo sticker on the left and the top tab facing up. It may be beneficial to have a helper at this point.
- 3.** Begin at one end of the door and hold the BottomSealer so that the edge is flush with the edge of the door. Note: Make sure you are attaching the Snirt Stopper to the inside of the door. The foam needs to remain inside the garage, not outside or underneath the door.
- 4.** Insert the first screw about 1 inch from the edge of the door (or next to the edge of the roller bracket). Some places on the door (usually the ends) may need to be pre-drilled with a 1/8 inch drill bit if there is extra metal in the area. Pull the BottomSealer tight (as tight as a violin string) and level to remove wrinkles caused by packaging. A second person may be needed to help pull the seal tight. Place the next screw 12 inches from the initial screw. Repeat process until you reach the edge of the door and install your final screw about 1 inch from the edge of the door (or just to the edge of the roller bracket).
- 5.** Lower the door and inspect the fit of the seal. The seal should touch the floor across its entire length at about the same time. At this time, if you are happy with the fit of the seal, lift the door to the desired working height and put in a screw at every 6 inch interval. When you are finished, your SnirtStopper should have screws holding it in place every 6 inches apart. You may also want to check the possible overlap of the seal with any electronic eye sensors on the garage door. Refer to your garage door opener owners manual should photo eyes need adjustment.
- 6.** The BottomSealer is flexible enough to adjust fitment on the bottom of the door to help with inconsistencies between the floor and door. If the door does not rest flush on the floor, fully close the door and look for gaps. Adjust the seal at any points where gaps are visible by backing out the screw(s) and slightly moving the BottomSealer lower or higher as needed and re-inserting the screw(s). If you are not able to get all of the small gaps out of the SnirtStopper at this time, that is okay. With time, the SnirtStopper will adjust and create a seal with your garage floor. Remember the "loop tab" is meant to go underneath the door.

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* Additional Notes for Commercial Door Installation

A. If installing on a Commercial Door with a roller track of at least 3 inches in width, you may want to trim a small corner away from the bottom flap of the seal to allow the thermal tube to overlap into the roller track. When trimming the corner, it is important NOT to cut into the stitching that holds the thermal tube in place.

B. Depending on how much room there is around the roller brackets on the door, you may also want to trim around the roller bracket and use the roller bracket screws over the top sealer flap for a smoother installation.



LIMITED WARRANTY

The manufacturer warrants this product to be free of defects in materials and workmanship for a period of 25 years after purchase and will repair or replace defective seals at the discretion of the manufacturer.

This warranty applies only to the original purchaser and does not extend to any person that acquires a Warranted Product on a used basis.

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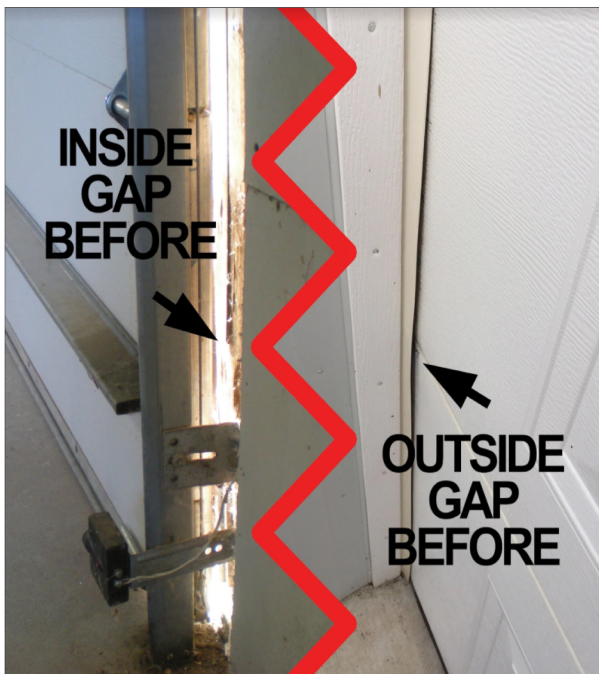
General Installation Instructions

Always start at the top of the door.

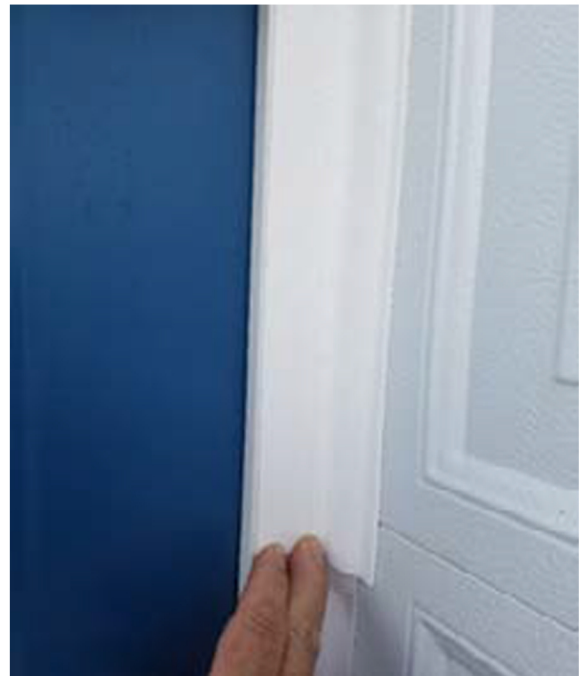
To install, fold the SnirtStopper seal in half, placing the part with the foam against the door and the non-foamed side against the door casing.

Place a screw every 9 inches. There is no need to remove existing weatherstripping if it is intact and smooth against the building. Using the seam in the center of the seal as a guide, push the seam into the corner to help align the seal straight and tight to the door.

See Page 2 for detailed installation instructions.



Before: Old seal without SnirtStopper



After: SnirtStopper installed over old seal

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Detailed Installation Instructions

Snirt SideSealer/TopSealer has two halves. The half with the white foam thermal insulator is installed against the garage door. The half without the foam is fastened to the garage door casing/frame. Note: There is no need to remove the existing weatherstripping as long as it is intact and smooth against the building.

Prepping the Snirt SideSealer/TopSealer for installation

Begin by laying the seal in a warm place such as in the sun for at least 1 hour to loosen the material and help release bends and folds acquired from the packaging process. As the material warms up, smooth out any folds by vigorously working the sealer back and forth through your hands and lightly tugging at the material.

Lay the SideSealer/TopSealer strip on a flat, clean surface, making sure the side facing up is the same side that will be facing away from the door when installed. The half with the foam thermal insulator will rest against the garage door. Put a mark about an inch from the end of the seal on the half without the foam. This will mark where the first screw will be placed. Since you want to start at the top, be sure to place this mark so you can install it as the top screw on the SideSealers. Starting at this mark, continue placing marks every 9 inches.

Installing the Snirt SideSealer/TopSealer

TopSealer Start by installing the TopSealer first. Use the seam in the center of the seal as a guide, pushing the seam into the corner to help align the seal as you install it. Every door is different. Adjust the seal so more or less is pressed against the door as needed. Hold the TopSealer so it is tight against the side of the garage door casing/frame while you place the first screw. The first screw should be where you made the first mark on the seal. Pull the Snirt strip tight (as tight as a violin string) as you install each of the following screws every 9 inches to create a good seal. Before installing the last screw, trim the seal so that it is tight against the side of the garage door casing/frame. A second person may be needed to help pull the seal tight.

SideSealer After installing the TopSealer, install the two SideSealers. Again, use the seam in the center of the seal as a guide, pushing the seam into the corner to help align the seal. Every door is different. Adjust the seal so more or less is pressed against the door as needed. Hold the SideSealer so it is tight against the top of the garage door casing/frame and overlap the TopSealer slightly as you install the first screw. The first screw should be where you made the first mark on the seal. Pull the Snirt strip tight (as tight as a violin string) as you install each of the following screws every 9 inches to create a good seal. Before installing the last screw, trim the seal so that it is flush with the garage floor but still able to move freely. Repeat this for the other SideSealer. A second person may be needed to help pull the seal tight.

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