

Tools & Supplies

Downspout Straps - minimum 2 per downspout
Sheet Metal Screws 1-1/4 inch long - socket attachment
Drill or Screwdriver
Caulking Gun with silicone caulk

Step 1

Fasten the downspout to the gutter elbow with sheet metal screws.

Step 2

Place a downspout strap near the top where it meets the elbow. Secure one end of the strap against the wall with a sheet metal screw. Tighten the screw just enough that the back of the screw head is flush on the siding.

Step 3

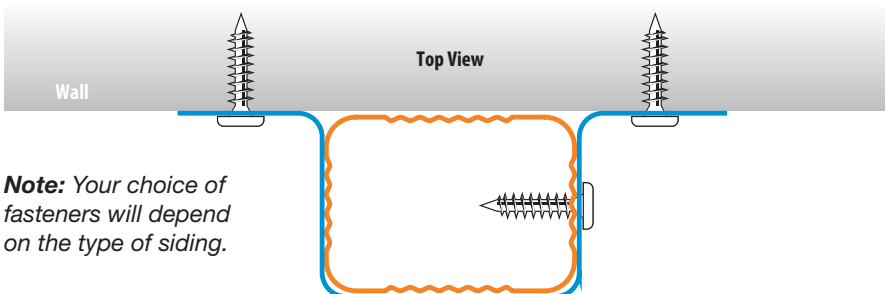
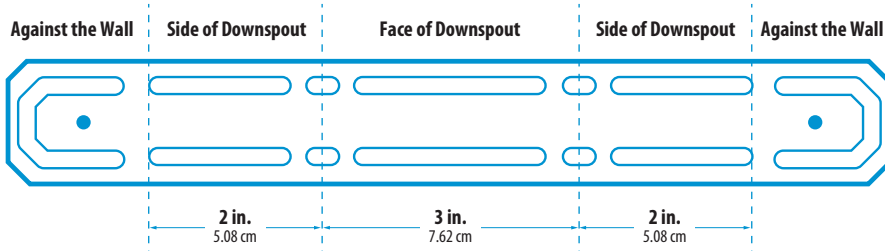
Bend the strap around the downspout and secure against the wall. Affix the Strap to the side of the downspout with a sheet metal screw.

Step 4

Repeat the process using another strap, 18 in. from the bottom of the downspout.

Step 5

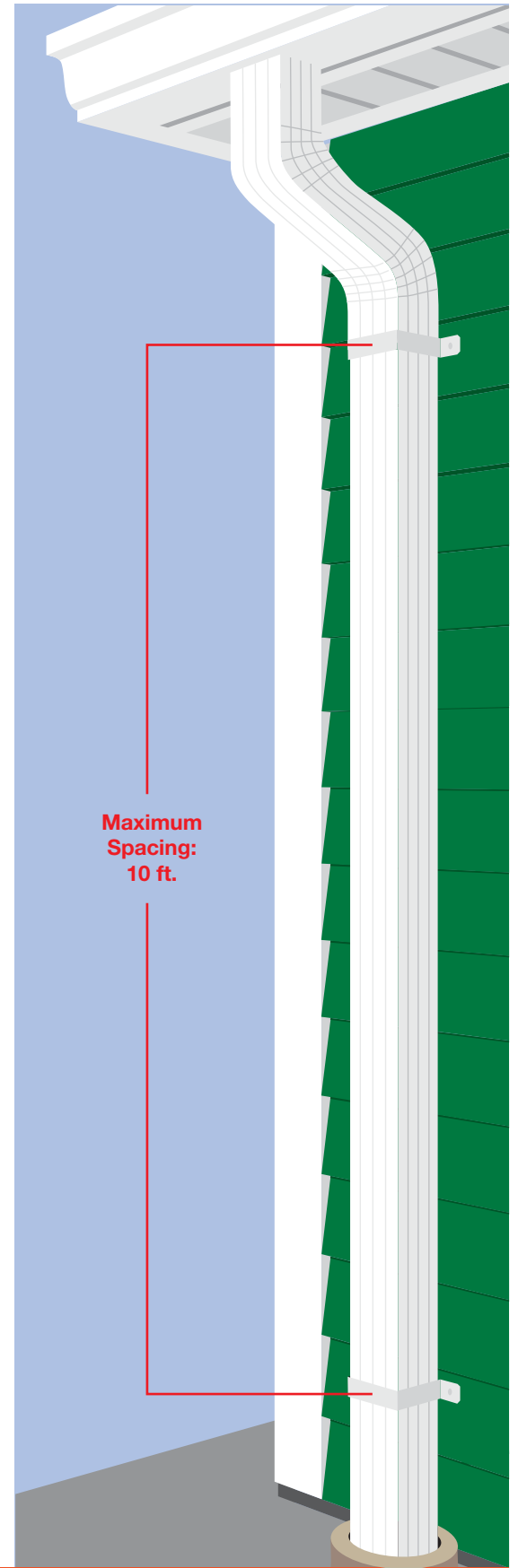
Apply a dab of silicone caulk to each screw head to prevent water from leaking into the siding around the screw. Apply touch-up paint to cover any scratches.



Note: Your choice of fasteners will depend on the type of siding.



CAUTION! Working above grade is inherently dangerous, be sure that proper fall protection measures are in place. When working with power tools, gloves and eye protection are absolutely required.



These installation guidelines are for use with typical or standard applications. It is always recommended to seek advice from a licensed professional, and to check with your local building inspector or building permit office for approvals and possible variations that may apply.