## TRACK CURTAIN INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS



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## Curtain Installation Instructions – Straight Runs

- Layout Set the track and connectors on floor below the joist, beam, or ceiling that they will hang or mount to. Straight tracks (Dia. A) are joined by either Universal Mount which can perform mounts B-1, B-2, B-3, OR B-4, beam to chain, threaded rod, ceiling, wall, or beam flange <u>track splice connectors</u> (Dia. U-1, B-1, B-2, B-3, B-4, B-5, B-6)
- 2. The Universal Mount All Noise Control Universal Mount In-Line Connector attaches together with two screw and two washers. The top portion is attached after the lower portion plain inline connector is lined up with the track lengths in the front and back. Tip: When inserting the Track into a Splice Connector or Wall Mount End Stop, lightly clamp a pair of vice grips onto the Track about 4" from the end. This should narrow the Track allowing easier insertion. The bolt screw goes through the bottom of the track (A) and the bottom and top of the Universal Mount (U-1). Finally the two nuts tighten on the top to adhere the whole system. Next follow the instructions 2-6 based on if you are mounting the
- Universal Mount as a Wall, Ceiling or Suspended Mount type.
  For Wall and Ceiling Mounts If you are mounting against the back of a wall, (opposing wall mount) along side a wall, (Standard Wall Mount B-4 or U-1) or a ceiling, (Ceiling Mount B-3 or U-1) start with these mounts first. Be sure that the dimension from the *top of the straight track* to the floor is the same as the height of the curtain you ordered (i.e. 9', 10', 11', 12' high etc.). The identification tag at the top of the curtain contains these dimensions. The height order is manufac-tured 3" less in height to accounts for the track hardware and a 1" gap at the floor to the bottom of the curtain. Next fasten the mount directly (Dia. C) to the surface using the appropriate anchors or bolts. Then slide the end of the straight track (Dia A) into the end of the wall mount (B-4) making sure the holes are lined up. Next, insert and tighten the inset screw (Dia. D). Repeat step 2 for multiple ceiling or wall mounts.
- 4. For Suspended Mounts in the End of Track Runs If there are no end wall mounts in your system adhere the suspended track splice (B1, B2, or U-1) to the end of the track (Be sure to account for 3" less in height see step 2 for explanation) Be sure to slide the splice to a distance that is flush with the end of the straight track (unless you are provided a "shortened" mount) Line up the last hole in the splice with the hole in the track and insert the inset screw (Dia D). You will only use 1 inset screw in to attach the end splice.
- 5. For Suspended Mounts in the Middle of Track Runs Insert the first piece of track (Dia.A) into the wall end mount (if applicable, if not follow step 3). (Be sure to account for 3" less in height see step 2 for explanation) Slide a track splice connector (Dia. B-1 to B-6, or U-1) over the opposite end of the track length, lining up the hole on the top of the track with the first hole on the front of the track splice. Next, insert and tighten the inset screw. For beam to chain mount, or threaded rod mount attach the track splice to the threaded rod, chain, or cable that you have

hung from your overhead support (not included). Insert the next track section and repeat step 4. being sure to level track as you go.

- 6. **Connecting the Last Track Splice or Connector** Before attaching the last wall end mount or end stop, slip the 2-wheel roller hooks (Dia G) into the track, making sure that the hooks are hanging out through the bottom of the track as shown.
- 7. Hanging the Curtains You are now ready to hang your Steel Guard Curtains. Curtains need to reach room temperature before unfolding them. Be sure to keep the tags on the same side so all Velcro attachments line up. Slip Two-wheel roller hooks into grommet openings, making sure not to drag the curtain on the floor. As each hook is placed into a grommet opening it is a good idea to crimp the hook partially shut with a pair of pliers to insure that the grommet stays on the hook.

## **Curtain Installation Instructions - Curved Sections**

- 1. Follow Steps 1-4 Before Mounting the 90° Curved Sections
- 2. Curved Track Mounting Insert the end of straight track (Dia. A) Into the end of the curved track (Dia. H). Support the curve by securing threaded rod or chain from the ceiling or beam to the connector found in the middle of the curve in the same manner as with the suspended mount connectors. For Ceiling Mounted Curved Sections, simply fasten to ceiling through pre drilled holes in Ceiling Mounted Curved Sections. (Please note the curved track sections extend two feet in either direction).
- To complete your installation, follow steps 5 and 6 from the straight run instructions.

## **Curtain Installation Instructions - Floor Mount Systems**

- Layout all track pieces on the ground, in the desired configuration of the track system, also laying out curved track sections (if applicable).
- Connect Straight Track, Splices, and Curved Splices From one end start by connecting splice sections for the end, the middle, (SEE CONNECTING -STRAIGHT TRACK SECTIONS #3, #4) and then the Curved Track Sections, if applicable (SEE CONNECTING - CURVED TRACK SECTIONS #2).
- 3. Layout the Base Plates and Insert the Legs Lay a base plate in front of each corresponding splice laid out on the floor. Insert each column into the base plates enough to slide a base plate into place under the column so that the column slides onto the peg of the base plate.
- Raise the Track Sections (Make sure you have at least two people) Begin raising the connected track structure by inserting the connected track sections "peg" into the top of the standing column.
- to complete your installation, follow steps 6 and 7 from the straight run instructions.



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