

PERSPECTIVES™

INSTALLATION GUIDE

Soffit | Ceiling Accent

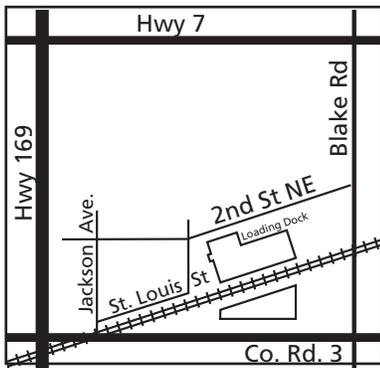


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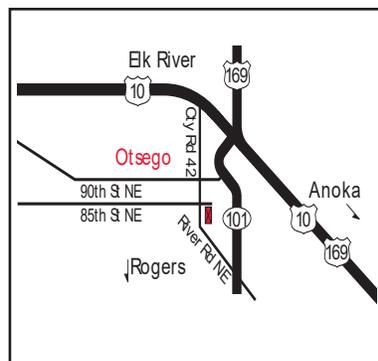
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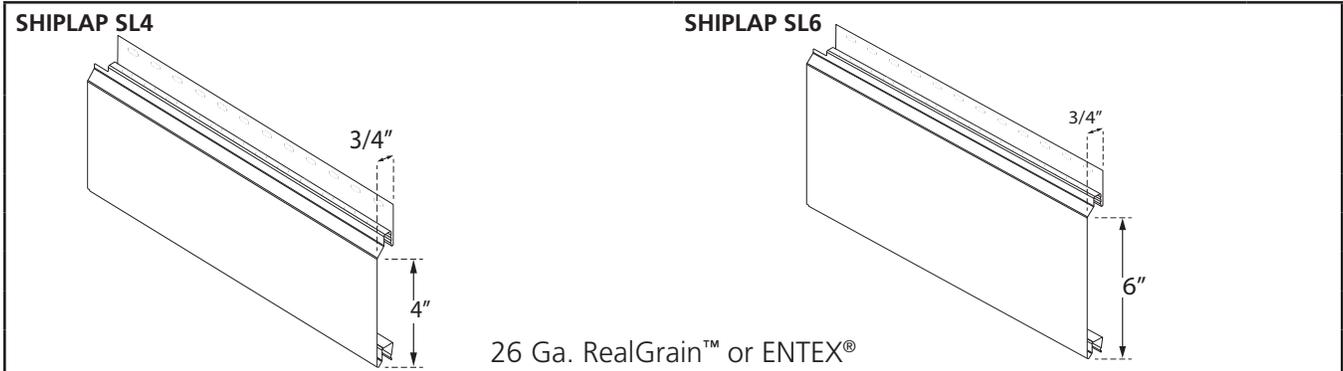
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PROFILES, ACCESSORIES, & EQUIPMENT



PERSPECTIVES PROFILES



ACCESSORIES NEEDED

Accessory Name	Soffit: Perpendicular or Parallel
7/8" J-Channel	•
7/8" 2-PC J-Channel	•
Undersill Trim	•
1/2" x 1" Furring Strips	•
Galvanized Nails, Staples, and/or Screws	•
Touch-Up Paint Pens	•

RECOMMENDED TOOLS & EQUIPMENT LIST

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Metal cutting tools, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Power Saw with ferrous metal cutting blade ○ Snips (Aviation or Duckbill) ○ Power Shear ○ Hack Saw with fine-tooth blade • Portable Metal Bending Brake • Ladders and Ladder Jacks • Scaffolding • Planking • Hammer (Claw or Framing) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level, 24" minimum length • Chalkline or Dryline (100') • Tape Measure (25') • Caulking Gun • Scratch Awl • Sawhorses or Cutting Table • Framing and/or Speed Square • Handsaw or Multi-Tool for cutting back boards • Hand Brake • Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
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INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

SOFFIT OR CEILING ACCENT APPLICATION



1. Understanding Perspectives' Achievable Net Free Area

- Perspectives can be installed as a soffit or ceiling accent in either orientation: perpendicular or parallel to the wall.
- Perspectives can be used as a hidden-vent soffit with the following Net Free (NFA) achievable based on gap selection:
 - Tight/Flush Gap: 1.20 sq. in./linear ft.
 - Nickel/Spaced Gap: 1.40 sq. in./linear ft.
- How does this compare to traditional EDCO 16" Center Vent Quad Soffit? Let's calculate the number of square inches of ventilation in soffit on a home with 100 linear feet of soffit with a 1-foot overhang:
 - 16" Center Vent Quad Soffit, NFA: 6.48 sq. in./linear ft.
 - 100 ft / 16" product width = 75 pieces cut at 1-foot length
 - 75 pieces x 1-foot length x 6.48 sq. in./linear ft. = 486 sq. in. of ventilation in soffit
 - 4" Shiplap, Nickel Gap, NFA: 1.40 sq. in./linear ft.
 - 100 ft. / 4" product width = 300 pieces cut at 1-foot length
 - 300 pieces x 1-foot length x 1.40 sq. in./linear ft. = 420 sq. in. of hidden ventilation in soffit

2. Installation Instructions

NOTE: When installed as soffit or ceiling accent, Perspectives planks must be installed spanning no more than 24" between fasteners.

2.1 Install J-Channel against the wall to receive the ends of the Perspectives planks.

2.2 Install 2-piece J-Channel at course terminations or when transitioning to another wall's soffit.

2.3 Based on orientation of your Perspectives pieces, complete the following steps:

- Perpendicular to the Wall:
 - i. Measure the soffit overhang and cut Perspectives pieces $\frac{1}{4}$ " short to allow for thermal expansion.
 - ii. Install Perspectives either left to right or right to left for the desired aesthetic reveal. Use a speed square to ensure panels are perpendicular to the wall.
- Parallel to the Wall:
 - i. Install Perspectives from left to right, from the wall outward to the Fascia board.

2.4 If the final Perspectives plank is a partial, install a $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 1" Furring Strip and Understill Trim into the J-Channel (Figure 2.4.1). Apply a small amount of caulking on the Furring Strip face, and install the Perspectives panel between the Furring Strip and J-Channel to help secure it in place.

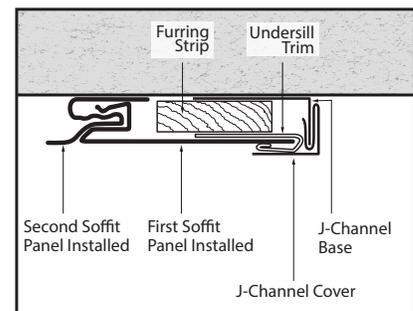


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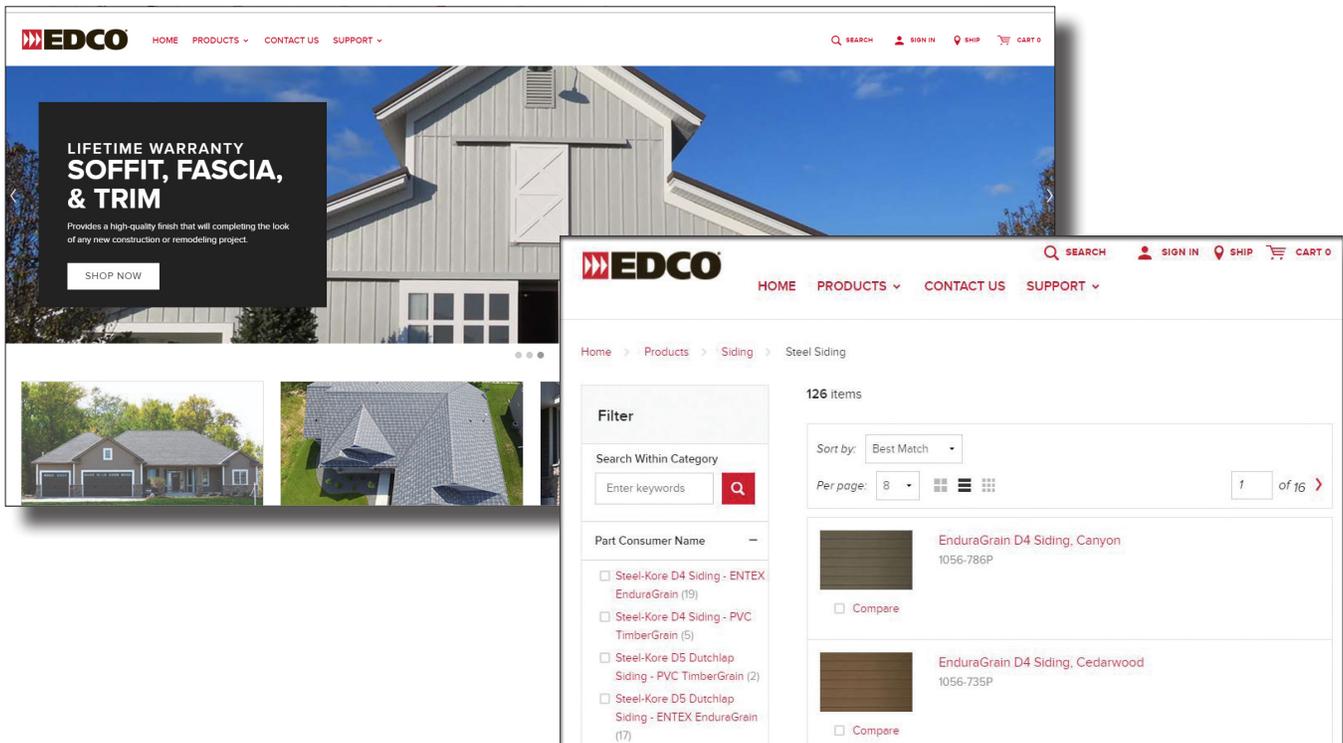
2.5 Install the Fascia panel to cover the Fascia board and Perspectives plank ends/outmost panel.

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