



GapCap Installation Instructions for Corners with Posts

Welcome to GapCap! Your solution for enhancing the appearance of your deck by seamlessly covering corner gaps. Here's how to install your GapCap, TopCap around corner posts.

Tools You'll Need:

- Handheld Jig Saw or a multi-tool

Installation Steps:

- 1. Prepare the TopCap:**
 - If your deck design includes a corner post, modify your TopCap to fit around it. Using a jig saw or a multi-tool, carefully cut the TopCap to accommodate the post.
- 2. Fit the TopCap:**
 - Align the TopCap with the corner of your deck. If there's no post, simply fit it over the corner as usual. If you've modified it around a post, ensure it wraps neatly around the post and aligns with the corner.
- 3. Account for Weather Conditions:**
 - Leave a 3/16" gap between the deck board and the underside channel of that TopCap to allow for expansion and contraction. Note: if using treated decking cut decking tight to GapCap.
- 4. Install the TopCap:**
 - Slide the TopCap into place. Make sure it fits and enhances the corner aesthetics of your deck.
 - Place a composite deck screw in the exposed hole of the TopCap once put in place.
- 5. Add Visual Interest:**
 - Consider using a contrasting color for the TopCap to create an accent. This can coordinate with features like railings. Black railings are popular and pairing them with a black TopCap can make for an attractive contrast.

Tips for Best Results:

- Ensure that all cuts are clean and measure accurately for the best fit.
- Plan for seasonal changes when cutting the seam for your GapCap, TopCap product.
- **Enjoy your beautifully enhanced deck with GapCap!**