

# **Installing Sunbursts**

## Step 1

Choose the location of your Sunburst Base. If it's being installed above a window with J-Channel, the tabs on the bottom of the Sunburst Base will provide proper spacing between the window and Sunburst. If the Sunburst Base is being installed in a location where the tabs are not needed (above a window with no J-Channel, in a gable, or a surface application), remove the tabs by cutting through the groove on the back of each tab. See figure below. Mark the wall with a vertical line at the center of the window.



### Step 2

Remove the Trim Ring from the base.

# Step 3

Using the vertical line, center the Sunburst over the window and place the tabs in the J-Channel. See figure below. If there is no J-Channel, place the base without the tabs directly over the window. Fasten the base to the wall using siding nails or other suitable fasteners.



# Step 4

For Siding Installation: Install siding per manufacturers installation instructions.

# Step 5

Lock on the Trim Ring into one of the six positive locking positions for the perfect finishing touch.



# **Measuring Windows**

#### **Steps to Measure and Select a Window Look**

- Step 1Measure the Width and Length of your<br/>Window Opening to get the Exterior<br/>Window Opening dimensions (fig.1).<br/>Remember to include the window frame in<br/>your measurement.
- **Step 2** Choose Shutter Style: Louver, Raised Panel, Louver-Panel, or Board & Batten.
- Step 3Choose Shutter Type: Standard or Custom.Note: Not all shutter styles are availableStandard and Custom. See Pricing Manual.
- Step 4 Determine Shutter Width. Note: See charts in Pricing Manual for available widths of Standard or Custom shutters.
- Step 5 Determine Shutter Length.\* Note: This number should be the same number as the window length determined in Step 1.
- **Step 6 Choose a "TOP"**: Header, Sunburst Kit, Sunburst, Elliptical Sunburst, Quarter Round Arch Top or Elliptical Arch Top.

#### \*A note about shutter length.

Shutters are decorative and do not open and close. Because they are decorative, they don't have to match the window length exactly. They can be up to an inch short or long and will still look fine on a window.



### **Header Options**

(**Note:** Header width is measured along the base width of the header for windows and doors)

# Determine the header width (2 options)

#### **Option 1**

Use window opening width measurement from step 1 on page 1.

#### Option 2

Use window opening width measurement from step 1 on page 1. Take shutter width from step 4 and double it. Add these two measurements together to get header width.

#### **Sunburst Options**

**Note:** Use of half round or elliptical sunburst in a look is limited by the width of window opening and shutter width.

#### **Determine Sunburst Size**

Use window opening width measurement determined in step 1 on page 1.

**Note:** Sunburst should be the same width as the window opening width.

#### **Determine Elliptical Sunburst Size**

The elliptical sunburst is available in 73 5/8" and 65 5/8" widths only. To see if this look will fit on your window, take the window width from step 1 on page 1 and subtract it from the sunburst widths. Take that number and divide by two. The final number would be your shutter width.

# Determine Sunburst Kit Size

The Sunburst Kit is available in size ranges. The Header part can be cut to fit the desired width. Use the window width determined in Step 1 on page 1. Add the shutter width determined in step 4 on page 1 two times. Order the Sunburst Kit that fits that size.







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