IMPORTANT
Surface Preparation

Prior to installing Leaf Free Gutter Guard™ (all types **except Fibreglass mesh**) on to any metal surface - gutter edge, corrugated iron, Colorbond® or Trimdeck roofing - the following steps must be taken to optimise results and ensure warranty remains valid.



#1 CLEANING

Thoroughly clean roof sheeting & bead of gutter where bonding will take place.

Wipe surface with Step 1 cleaner obtainable from plumbing suppliers or from us.



#2 PREPARATION

Primer must be used in temperatures below 15 degrees celsius.

Do not fit the mesh in temperatures below 8 degrees celsius.



#3 TEMPERATURE

Leaf Free Gutter Guard™ has to be fitted in a clean and dry environment, so in lower temperatures ensure condensation is removed from the surface.



#4 FITTING

Follow instructions in this brochure. With correct fitting, the high bond adhesive vulcanizes to the surface, creating a long term, reliable fixing system.

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Leaf Free - Hassle Free and guaranteed.

At Leaf Free we're so confident in the quality and durability of our product - we'll guarantee it!

Manufacturer's Product guarantee* covers the Leaf Free Gutter Guard™ products and is limited to replacement of the product should any one of the components fail.

- Stainless steel mesh
  - Guaranteed for 20 years from date of installation
- Coated aluminium mesh
  - Guaranteed for 15 years from date of installation
- Leaf Free Plus Fibreglass Mesh
  - Guaranteed for 5 years from date of installation

*Note: 1. Product guarantee applies when fitted by a Certified Installer. 2. Manufacturer's fitting instructions must be strictly adhered to. 3. This guarantee does not include the installation of any replacement of the product. 4. Receipt from installer is proof of purchase/installation date, 5. Product guarantee excludes dust, dirt or particles smaller than 2mm. 6. Product guarantee inhibits pine needles but does not completely exclude them. 7. Product guarantee excludes damage or defective consequences through insufficient regular maintenance.

A variety of Colorbond® colours available

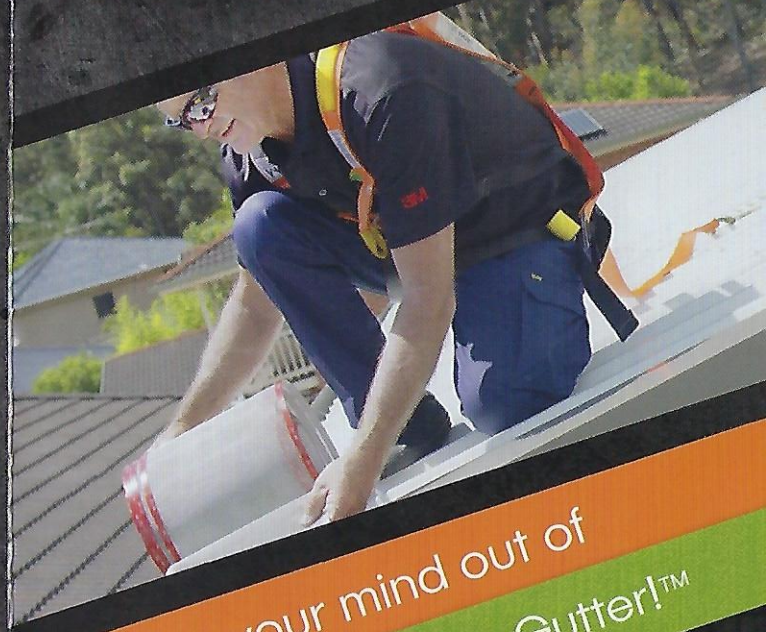


*Colorbond colours may vary slightly from colours shown

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Leaf Free™ GUTTER GUARD



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PREPARATION, FITTING & INSTALLATION GUIDE
for Tile and Metal Roofing

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Tile

Tile Roofing

1. Remove all debris from gutter and downpipes.
2. Contact surfaces must be clean, dry and in good condition. Clean with Step 1 Cleaner. Never install in damp conditions.
3. Remove backing liner from mesh.
4. Press adhesive firmly on to top bead of the gutter.
5. Allow the mesh to sag a little - do not fix under tension.
6. Make a cut in the mesh at the centre of each tile. The cut runs vertically from the point where the mesh will go under the second row of tile through to the top edge of mesh. This creates short panels of mesh.
7. Tuck the flaps of mesh under the second row of tiles. The tiles will now "bed down" on the mesh.
8. Where the second row of tiles cannot be lifted, (end of run, hips, etc.) cut the mesh to the bottom of the second row of tiles.
9. Trim mesh to fit neatly around ridge of capping.
10. A coloured roof and gutter silicone will hold the mesh in place on seams of mesh.


Metal


Corrugated

Metal Roofing

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2. Contact surfaces must be clean, dry and in good condition. Clean with Step 1 Cleaner. Never install in damp conditions.
3. Remove backing liner from mesh.
4. Press adhesive firmly on to top bead of the gutter.

Corrugated Roofing

Note: On metal roof fitting make sure that the adhesive makes first contact with the bottom of the profile, then mould adhesive up each side.

After following steps 1-4:

5. Make a cut of approx. 30mm down through the tape and the mesh over each rib.
6. Press the adhesive tape firmly into the bottom & up the sides of the corrugation. The cut will expand at the top of the corrugation.

Metal Deck (Trimdeck) Roofing

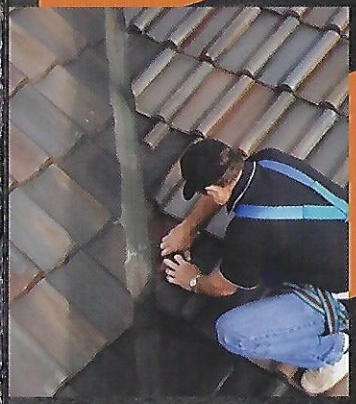
After following steps 1-4:

5. Slice the mesh sufficiently to permit the ribs to protrude through.
6. Press the adhesive tape firmly into the bottom & up the sides of the ribs.

Tile Valley Fitting



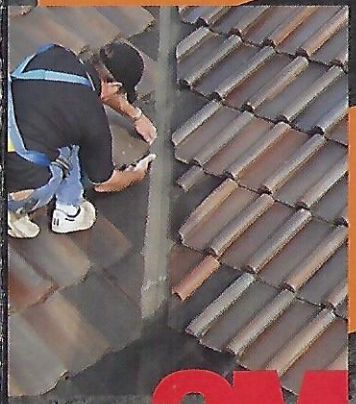
1. Cut along the ridge of the tile. The mesh will sit on the top of the tile against the ridge of the tile.



2. Tuck the flap of mesh underneath the tile beside.



3. Continue this method on the other side of the valley.



4. This will leave a fishbone or sawtooth effect up the valley.

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