Installation Instructions



Single-wall interior stovepipe for connecting wood stoves to manufactued chimney



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NOTE:

Read through all of these instructions before beginning your installation. Failure to install as described in this instruction will void the manufacturer's warranty, and may have an effect on your homeowner's insurance. Keep these instructions for future reference.

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Dear Customer, Installer, or End User: I welcome any comments regarding matters pertaining to our Simpson Dura-Vent products. I welcome any ideas, input or complaints and I'll make sure that someone responds directly back to you.

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Sincererly, Steve Eberhard, President and CEO Simpson Dura-Vent Co., Inc.

IMPORTANT

DuraBlack must be installed with at least an 18" Clearance to Combustibles.

Read all instructions carefully before starting the installation. The Simpson Dura-Vent warranty will be voided, and serious fire, health, or other safety hazards may result from any of the following actions:

- Installation of any damaged Dura-Black component.
- Unauthorized modification of any Dura-Black component
- Installation of any component part not manufactured or approved by Simpson Dura-Vent.
- Installation other than as instructed by Simpson Dura-Vent and the appliance manufacturer. Consult your local building codes before beginning the installation.

INSTALLATION PROCEDURE

Step 1. Insert the Slip Connector section of pipe into the previously installed Ceiling Support Box. Position it so the seams are facing the wall, and the smooth side is facing the room. Push it in firmly, until the locking notches engage the top of the rim of the hole in the support box. It is extremely important that the Support Box be positioned so that the single wall pipe is at least 18" from the combustible wall, and also that the support box protrudes at least 2" below the ceiling. Reposition the Support Box if necessary, to meet these two requirements.

Step 2. If you are installing the optional Trim Collar, slide the Trim Collar upwards over the Slip Connector, until it is next to the bead. Using the two, pre-punched holes in the Trim Collar as a guide, drill two 1/8" diameter holes in the Support Box. Screw the Trim Collar to the Support Box, using the two sheet metal screws provided with the kit.

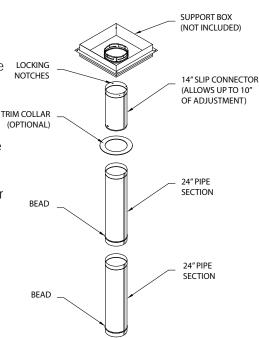
Step 3. Slide the first Pipe Section upwards over the Slip Connector. Rotate it so the seam is facing the wall. Push the Pipe Section upwards about 1 inch, so it will be held in place by the Slip Connector. The Slip Connector slides inside the pipe.

Step 4. Install the second Pipe Section (with seam facing the wall) on the stove collar or the appliance adapter (whichever is appropriate for your installation). Note that the bottom of the Pipe Section goes inside the stove collar or appliance adapter.

Step 5. You are now ready to connect the top and bottom Pipe Sections. Align the pipe system vertically so the Pipe Sections align together. Adjust the pipe assembly for height by pushing upwards against the top Pipe Section. The top Pipe Section will slide up the outside of the Slip Connector (up to approximately 10" of adjustment). Drop the top Pipe Section down into the lower Pipe Section. No cutting is required. If possible, fasten the pipe assembly to the appliance with screws. Should the stove not readily accommodate the pipe system, the Simpson Dura-Vent Catalog has a variety of adaptors.

Step 6. To insure the safety of the installation and to increase the rigidity of the system, use 3 sheet metal screws equally spaced around each joint. Drill three 1/8" holes around the circumference of each joint, and screw in the sheet metal screws. This is especially important if there are any elbows in the system.

Note: If 90 degree elbows are used in the system, no drip-free representation may be made. Single wall elbows inherently have a certain amount of spacing at the joints, which



may in some cases permit creosote leakage. If the ceiling is higher than 8 feet, obtain Pipe Sections from your dealer to accommodate the additional height. Pipe Sections are available in 1',2' and 4' lengths. (l0" diameter pipe available in 1' and 2' lengths only)

Note: Dura-Black pipe will exhibit a moderate paint-like odor during the first few uses. This is normal curing of the finish and will disappear after a few uses of the appliance.

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