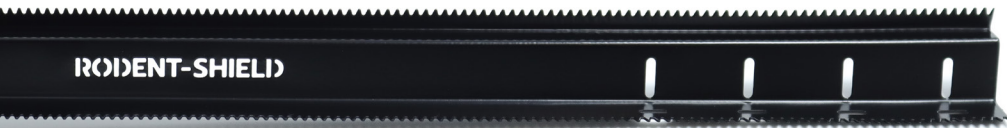


# XclusionPro®



# RODENT-SHIELD™

FOUNDATION AND SUB-SIDING GAP PROTECTION



#### EACH BOX INCLUDES:

- ✓ 175ft of RODENT-SHIELD™
- ✓ 200 Sub-Siding Fasteners

**CAUTION: SHARP EDGES**

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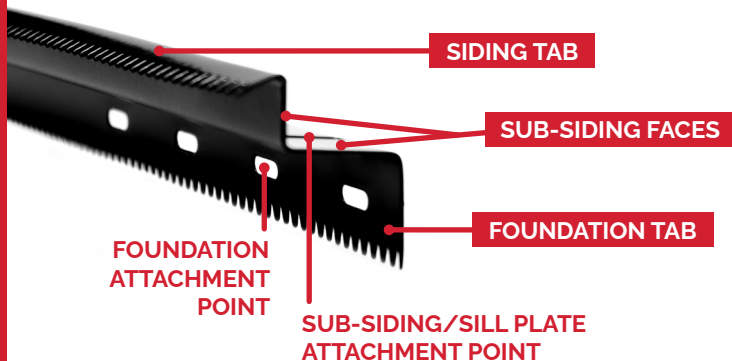
XclusionPro<sup>®</sup> RODENT-SHIELD<sup>™</sup> is an effective solution for sealing foundation gaps between the sub-siding and the bottom sill plate, which often serve as entry points for critters. Traditionally, these gaps are filled with materials like exclusion foam, bent metal, or caulk. RODENT-SHIELD<sup>™</sup> offers homeowners a professional and reliable product specifically engineered for this purpose.

RODENT-SHIELD<sup>™</sup> is designed to fit on most vinyl-sided homes and is made from 42 inch 16-gauge powder-coated steel. Pre-punched holes for attaching to the house double as weep holes for condensation drainage. RODENT-SHIELD<sup>™</sup> also features saw-tooth edges to help deter critters from bypassing the barrier.

## **1** Place RODENT-SHIELD<sup>™</sup> Strip



Depending on the house, the siding tab may either hook into or behind the siding, or it may rest against the bottom edge of the siding starter strip. You can then roll the piece back until you find an angle that works best with the house's construction.



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## Hold the Strip Tightly In Place

Apply pressure to the sub-siding faces so that the RODENT-SHIELD™ is tight against both the foundation and the subsiding.

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## Fasten Strip

Fasten to **SUB-SIDING, SILL PLATE, or FOUNDATION**. It is recommended to use 3+ screws per strip and a 1" overlap.



**SUB-SIDING INSTALL**

The quickest and easiest way to fasten RODENT-SHIELD™ is by using the included fasteners and screwing straight up in to the sub-siding.



**SILL PLATE INSTALL**

If the sub-siding is rotten or not close enough to secure into, you can fasten the strip to the sill plate by using 3" screws at an approximately 45 degree angle into the screw hole.



**FOUNDATION INSTALL**

If the sub-siding and sill plate are not feasible, you may install RODENT-SHIELD™ directly to the foundation by pre-drilling then using concrete fasteners.



For foundations that are lower to the ground and hard to get to, use a right angle drill bit extension.



Don't forget to use an inspection mirror to check for any remaining gaps after you've completed your install.



### INSTALLATION QUESTIONS?

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