

Installation Instructions

1. Always wear gloves when installing or handling chimney tops. If the cap is preassembled (not a knock-down top) proceed to point 4.
2. Assemble the base by inserting the two hinge pins. When assembling the base, the narrow lid mounting top strips *always face in*. The wide top strips *face in* on the 9"×9" model Y, 9"×13" model X, 17"×17" model B, 17"×29" model C, 17"×41" model D, and 17"×58" model E sizes. They *face out* on the 14"×14" model A size.
3. Attach the lid using either the cap screw or wing nut option. Simply position the lid on the base, and bolt the lid down or fasten with wing nuts.
4. Place the top on the crown, positioning the bottom strip or reversible mounting strips, as determined by the crown dimensions. Center and level the top.
5. Once you've determined the position of the top, mark a placement line around the top on the chimney crown using a grease pencil, chalk, etc.
6. Run beads of adhesive inside the placement line to equal ¼"–½" in width. Press the tabs down onto the adhesive, making sure the base stays aligned with your placement line.
7. Using a hole in the mounting tab as a template, drill a hole into the chimney crown using a 3/16" masonry drill bit for the first tapcon screw. The holes should be a minimum of 1½" deep. Install two masonry screws on two opposite sides or one on each of four sides. Repeat this process, installing tapcon screws until the top is secured. (Use a minimum of four screws. For larger sized tops, additional screws are supplied.)
8. If necessary, reattach the lid.

