

# How to Install StyleStix™ Decorative Grid Covers



## STYLESTIX™ INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

**CAUTION:** *Avoid storing StyleStix materials at temperatures above 125 degrees Fahrenheit.*

StyleStix Grid Covers work best when the grid meets the wall at a 90 degree angle.

StyleStix Grid Covers fit ceiling grid that measures 15/16" wide.

StyleStix Grid Covers are only to be used with 2' x 2' grid systems. A 2' x 4' grid system must first be converted to a 2' x 2' system with standard 2' cross tees.

### COMPONENTS

- One package of StyleStix 6' Wall Molding Covers consists of 5 pieces, each 6' long (Part A, Item No. 1311BX).
- One package of StyleStix 6' Grid Covers consists of 6 pieces, each 6' long (Part B, Item No. 1310BX).
- One package of StyleStix 2' Grid Covers consists of 12 pieces each 2' long (Part C, Item No. 1312BX). These covers have shaped (coped) ends on them to fit against the shaped sides of the 6' grid covers.

### ESTIMATING

See estimating chart for quantities of each component needed for your installation.

### INSTALLATION

Install the entire grid ceiling. The panels can be installed first or can be installed after the Grid Covers are in place. If the grid ceiling already exists, the panels can be left in place before installing the Grid Covers.

### HOW MUCH DO YOU NEED?

StyleStix installations require a quantity of each Part A, B and C. Review the estimating chart to determine how many of each you'll need to complete your room.

- Part A, Item No. 1311BX: 6' Wall Molding Cover
- Part B, Item No. 1310BX: 6' Grid Cover
- Part C, Item No. 1312BX: 2' Grid Cover

### FAQ'S

#### DO THEY FIT ALL GRID SYSTEMS?

- StyleStix is designed to fit grid measuring 15/16" wide. This is the standard grid measurement in most homes. We recommend you measure the face width of the grid.

#### WHAT IF MY CURRENT CEILING SYSTEM IS 2' x 4'?

- StyleStix is made for a 2' x 2' ceiling suspension system. You can easily convert your 2' x 4' system by purchasing and snapping 2' cross tees into place.

#### CAN I PAINT STYLESTIX?

- Yes, with latex paint.



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## DO STYLESTIX™ COME IN ANY OTHER COLORS?

- No, but it can be painted with latex paint.

## DO I HAVE TO REMOVE MY CEILING PANELS TO INSTALL STYLESTIX OVER MY GRID?

- No, StyleStix can be snapped into place while your ceiling panels remain in place.

## IS STYLESTIX MOISTURE RESISTANT?

- Yes, they are moisture, mold and mildew resistant. In fact, they are unaffected by humidity, and will not absorb water at all.

## CAN I MOUNT STYLESTIX DIRECTLY TO MY CEILING?

- No, StyleStix is designed to fit over standard metal grid systems.

## HOW DO I CUT STYLESTIX?

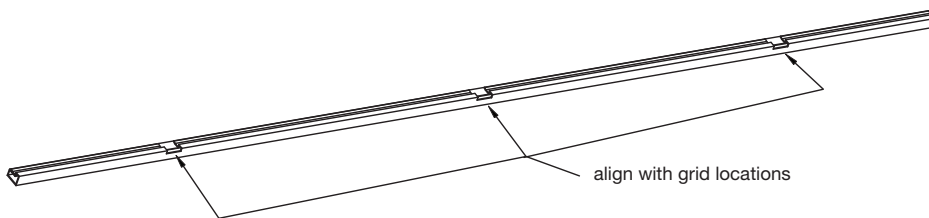
- Using a miter saw or hack saw.

## CAN THIS BE USED WITH CEILING PANELS HAVING A REVEAL (TEGULAR) EDGE DETAIL?

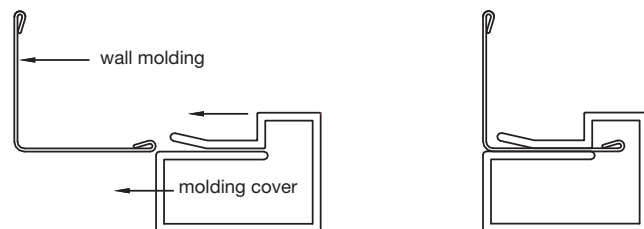
- Yes, StyleStix Grid Covers work with almost all types of ceiling panels that fit 15/16" metal grid.

## STEP 1: INSTALL 6' WALL MOLDING COVERS (PART A)

Line up the cutouts in the Molding Cover with the perimeter grid where the grid intersects the molding.



Slide a piece of molding cover over the wall molding.



As you get to the end of the wall, cut the last piece of Molding Cover with a hacksaw to reach the end wall. Cover all the wall molding before covering the grid.

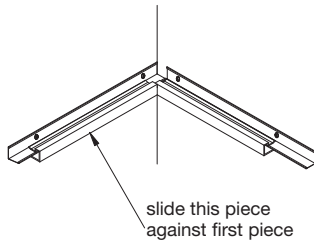
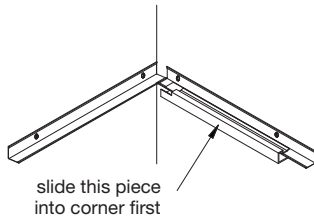
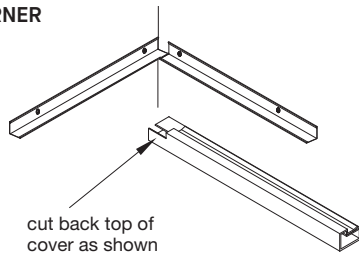


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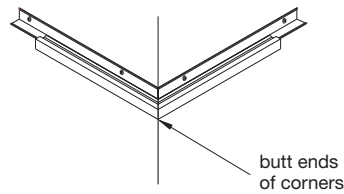
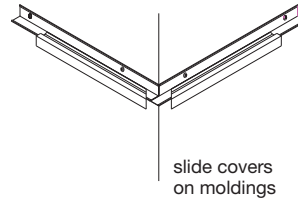
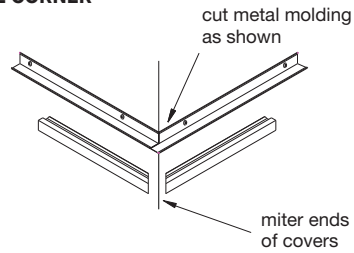


Here is a detail of how to make an inside corner with the Molding Cover. Cut back the top of the Molding Cover as shown below. If you have an outside corner, cut the Molding Cover as shown below.

## INSIDE CORNER



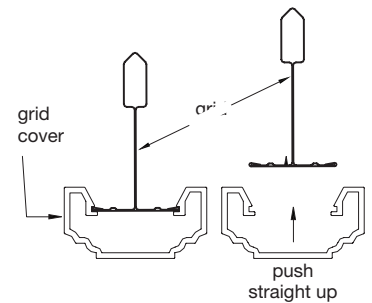
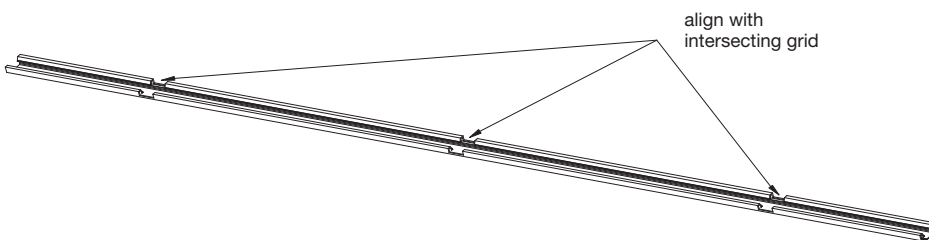
## OUTSIDE CORNER



## STEP 2: INSTALL 6' GRID COVERS (PART B)

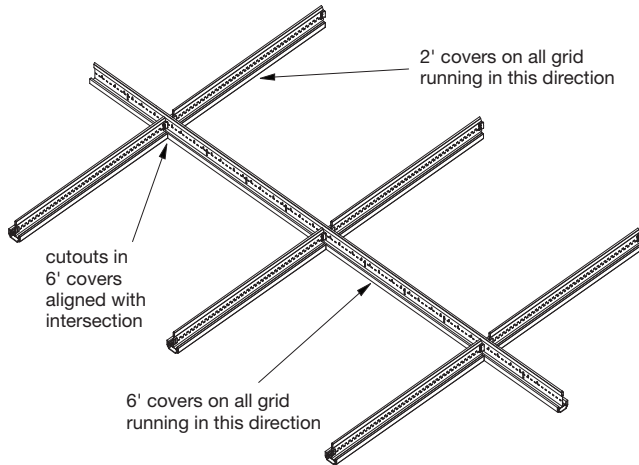
Snap a piece onto a grid member in the center of the ceiling, lining up the cutouts in the cover with the intersecting grid.

Butt other pieces against the first piece to continue to the ends of the grid.



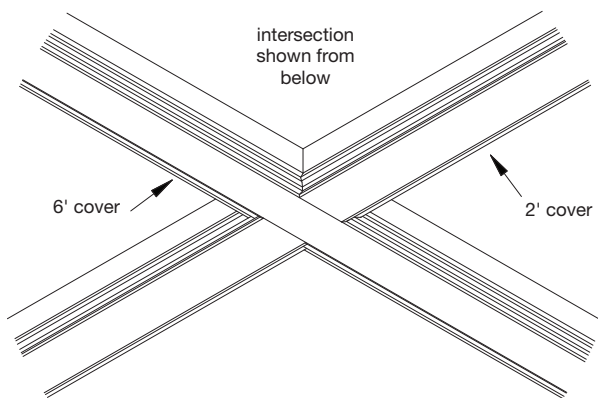
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Cut the last pieces of 6' StyleStix™ Grid Cover with a hacksaw to butt against the Molding Covers at each end of the run. Repeat the process for every row of grid that runs parallel to the one you just covered.



## STEP 3: INSTALL 2' GRID COVERS (PART C)

Snap the 2' Grid Covers onto the grid that is perpendicular to the first row you covered, butting the shaped (coped) ends against the sides of the 6' StyleStix Covers. Cut 2' Covers with a hacksaw when butting against the Molding Covers on the perimeter.



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## ESTIMATING GUIDE

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Find room size on left and read across to determine the **NUMBER OF INDIVIDUAL PIECES** required of each type to finish a room. Purchase appropriate number of cartons based on total pieces required.

Room Size	6' Wall Molding	6' Grid Cover	2' Grid Cover	Room Size	6' Wall Molding	6' Grid Cover	2' Grid Cover	Room Size	6' Wall Molding	6' Grid Cover	2' Grid Cover	Room Size	6' Wall Molding	6' Grid Cover	2' Grid Cover
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6 x 6	4	2	6	12 x 18	10	15	48	18 x 48	22	64	207	28 x 46	25	100	308
6 x 8	5	3	9	12 x 20	11	17	54	18 x 50	23	67	216	28 x 48	26	104	322
6 x 10	6	4	12	12 x 22	12	19	60	20 x 20	14	30	90	28 x 50	26	109	336
6 x 12	7	5	15	12 x 24	12	20	66	20 x 22	14	33	100	30 x 30	20	70	210
6 x 14	7	5	18	12 x 26	13	22	72	20 x 24	15	36	110	30 x 32	21	75	225
6 x 16	8	6	21	12 x 28	14	24	78	20 x 26	16	39	120	30 x 34	22	80	240
6 x 18	8	6	24	12 x 30	14	25	84	20 x 28	16	42	130	30 x 36	22	84	255
6 x 20	9	7	27	12 x 32	15	27	90	20 x 30	17	45	140	30 x 38	23	89	270
6 x 22	10	8	30	12 x 34	16	29	96	20 x 32	18	48	150	30 x 40	24	94	285
6 x 24	11	9	33	12 x 36	16	30	102	20 x 34	18	51	160	30 x 42	24	98	300
6 x 26	11	9	36	12 x 38	17	32	108	20 x 36	19	54	170	30 x 44	25	103	315
6 x 28	12	10	39	12 x 40	18	34	114	20 x 38	20	57	180	30 x 46	26	108	330
6 x 30	12	10	42	12 x 42	18	35	120	20 x 40	20	60	190	30 x 48	26	111	345
6 x 32	13	11	45	12 x 44	19	37	126	20 x 42	21	63	200	30 x 50	27	117	360
6 x 34	14	12	48	12 x 46	20	39	132	20 x 44	22	66	210	32 x 32	22	80	240
6 x 36	14	12	51	12 x 48	20	40	138	20 x 46	22	69	220	32 x 34	22	85	256
6 x 38	15	13	54	12 x 50	21	42	144	20 x 48	23	72	230	32 x 36	23	90	272
6 x 40	16	14	57	14 x 14	10	14	42	20 x 50	24	75	240	32 x 38	24	95	288
6 x 42	16	14	60	14 x 16	10	16	49	22 x 22	15	37	110	32 x 40	24	100	304
6 x 44	17	15	63	14 x 18	11	18	56	22 x 24	16	40	121	32 x 42	25	105	320
6 x 46	18	16	66	14 x 20	12	20	63	22 x 26	16	44	132	32 x 44	26	110	336
6 x 48	18	16	69	14 x 22	12	22	70	22 x 28	17	47	143	32 x 46	26	115	352
6 x 50	17	17	72	14 x 24	13	24	77	22 x 30	18	50	154	32 x 48	26	120	368
8 x 8	5	6	12	14 x 26	14	26	84	22 x 32	18	54	165	32 x 50	28	125	384
8 x 10	6	6	16	14 x 28	14	28	91	22 x 34	19	57	176	34 x 34	23	91	272
8 x 12	6	7	20	14 x 30	15	30	98	22 x 36	20	60	187	34 x 36	24	96	289
8 x 14	8	7	24	14 x 32	16	32	105	22 x 38	20	64	198	34 x 38	24	102	306
8 x 16	8	8	28	14 x 34	16	34	112	22 x 40	21	67	209	34 x 40	25	107	323
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8 x 34	14	17	64	16 x 16	11	19	56	24 x 30	18	55	168	36 x 42	26	119	360
8 x 36	15	18	68	16 x 18	12	21	64	24 x 32	19	59	180	36 x 44	27	125	378
8 x 38	16	19	72	16 x 20	12	24	72	24 x 34	20	63	192	36 x 46	28	131	396
8 x 40	16	20	76	16 x 22	13	26	80	24 x 36	20	66	204	36 x 48	28	136	414
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Note: Estimates shown based on 6' Grid Covers parallel to the room's long dimension.

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