

PRODUCT MANUAL & FITTING GUIDE



TAILORED CARAVAN COVER

ACCESSORIES INCLUDED

One metre of caravan cover fabric

This is to be used for repairs if required in conjunction with a contact adhesive. The fabric should be attached to the inside and outside to create a water tight patch.

One metre of bubble wrap

To cover any sharp edges which may protrude from your caravan.

One pack of Foamex insert protectors

To be inserted into the awning channels to lift the cover away from any sharp rail edges.

Pair of extendable poles

To be inserted into the rear caravan cover corner pockets.









BEFORE FITTING YOUR COVER PLEASE NOTE

First of all, familiarise yourself with the cover and its components before attempting to fit over your caravan.

- Check you have the bag of securing straps. Enclosed are webbing straps with male clips attached. The female buckles are sewn in to the hem of the cover.
- The Foamex inserts are to protect your cover from sharp edges around the awning rail and gutter end. We advise using these Foamex pieces for added protection.
 Please slide these up into the awning rail on both sides of the caravan and position them where needed.
 There are 8 pieces of Foamex enclosed but these not always necessary on newer caravan models.
- We strongly recommend that your caravan is clean. It is not imperative that the caravan is completely dry as any moisture will evaporate through the breathable fabric.
- Due to the nature of the product, to simplify the task, two people are recommended for fitting the cover over the caravan and in mild to moderate weather conditions.
- Your cover comes complete with a pair of extendable poles.
 These are to assist you with lifting the cover up and over the roof.
 The poles should not be over extended; only the middle section should be extended.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Whilst the fabric used to manufacture your cover does not tear easily, any sharp objects may cause damage and it is important that any sharp edges such as gutter ends (top and bottom of van) are protected.

Some makes of caravan have metal strips along the roof with screw-caps/rivets which stand proud. Please check before fitting the cover. As a guide, anything which feels sharp to the hand must be protected (bubblewrap enclosed). If your caravan is fitted with a status aerial the centre spike must be removed before fitting.



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FITTING INSTRUCTIONS

STEP 1

Lay the cover out, be careful the inner does not come in contact with the ground and collect dirt and grit. Establish front from rear, label denotes front of cover.

STEP 3

Place A-frame cover over tow hitch to prevent grease soiling both you and the caravan cover.

STEP 5

Insert a pole into each of the elasticated corners at the rear of the cover. Start from the hitch end lifting the poles high and walking down each side of the van until the cover falls into place. If possible make sure the cover does not snag on the tow hitch.

STEP 7

Once the cover is over the caravan we recommend that you either tilt the caravan with its steadies or place a non abrasive object on the roof of the caravan under the cover (e.g. blow up ball). This will allow water to run off from the roof as many new caravans have shoulders along the sides holding the water in a pool. This water will not go through the material but will slow down the drying and evaporation process.

For futher information visit our website showing a step by step video fitting guide.

NB - PLEASE NOTE WHEN FASTENING BUCKLES DO NOT

STEP 2

Insert Foamex pieces into the awning rails and cover any sharp edges with bubble wrap (if required).

STEP 4

Slightly open the access door on the cover, this will make the fitting easier and should be fully opened when you are half way down the side of the caravan.

STEP 6

Take care when lifting the cover over the chimney, roof vents, and aerial base (if applicable).

STEP8

Next, the securing straps. Shorter straps go around legs/steadies, longer straps go from side to side under the van. To attach webbing straps, connect at one end and then throw the strapping under the van through to the opposite side. Connect ends and take up the slack.

Cover can be washed on the caravan. Sponge with warm water Hose off to rinse. Don't use power hose.



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WATER BENEATH THE COVER? IT'S NORMAL TO GET DEW

The cover isn't leaking and this is perfectly normal. The water underneath is dew. This is water vapour that condenses to form droplets as the temperature falls. Later, when the sun warms the air, the dew evaporates. Overnight, anything exposed to the open air will become wet as, by then, the air is saturated with water. It's a normal, though not always welcome, phenomenon.

Most covers are designed to protect against rain, dirt and abrasion, but if they are not breathable and don't let moisture escape through the fabric, water droplets remain trapped between the cover and the bodywork and over time this could become a problem.

Our caravan cover TorrentTM fabric is made with a special Moisture Vapour Permeable (MVP) membrane that, together with the other layers, protects your caravan from rain, dirt and abrasion. Micropores in the fabric allow the cover to 'breathe' and water vapour to escape. Your caravan may not always be dry in the morning, but it will dry throughout the day as the moisture evaporates through the micropores in the fabric.

EXTRA PEACE OF MIND YOUR THREE YEAR FABRIC GUARANTEE

The cover you have purchased has a three year fabric guarantee. This guarantee is in any event subject to the following conditions.

There shall be no liability in respect of any defect arising from wilful damage, negligence, abnormal weather conditions, failure to follow manufacturer's instructions, whether oral or in writing, misuse or alterations or repairs to the goods without the manufacturer's approval.

It is the CUSTOMERS RESPONSIBILITY to ensure that all sharp edges are adequately protected with sponges, bubble wrap or similar. We would particularly advise customers with boat roof caravans such as Lunar, Coachman etc to check the roof from protruding screw heads or rivets. It's important to closely follow the fitting instructions supplied with each cover. Please note, we do not accept responsibility for any damage to the cover in respect of tears caused by sharp objects, e.g. gutter rails, screw heads etc. The fabric we use is non-abrasive and will not damage the paintwork of your caravan, however we must stress that before the cover is fitted, the caravan MUST BE CLEAN and preferably wax-polished, as any grit and dirt on the caravan body may cause friction marks. Care must also be taken that the inside of the cover does not come into contact with the floor when removing the cover.

If you require any further information please don't hesitate in contacting our sales team as they'll be able to advise you on all matters regarding product care.

