



INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS:
PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS PRIOR TO USE!

GENERAL INSTALLATION:

- 1: Layout **Snap-It™** components on surface to be installed and mark surface with spray paint or similar.
- 2: Apply a thin layer of bedding sand or similar into shallow trench (if required), to assist with leveling.
- 3: Lay **Snap-It™** into position and overlap ends of each component by approximately 10mm-20mm.
- 4: Ensure product is aligned as accurately as possible. A string line will assist with straight sections.
- 5: **IMPORTANT: Steel reinforcing is necessary!** Install reinforcing rods horizontally on top of the cross members to ensure maximum strength and overlap each length by 100mm minimum. Steel may need bending to fit curves etc.

NOTE: A minimum of 1 × 66mm rod is recommended and may be upgraded for heavy duty areas. 2 × rods in parallel may be used for heavy duty areas. “Lockpins” should be used to hold steel and plastic in place prior to pouring concrete. Simply install the pins over the steel rods and into the floor of the product.

- 6: Gently spade into **Snap-It™** concrete of your choice. (Concrete should be relatively wet to ensure that it flows completely into moldings.) Tap sides to settle.

Ideal concrete mix (Bulk) = 2 parts **10mm aggregate (no fines)**, 2 parts **sand** and 1 part **cement**) + water to mix.

For small jobs, 1 × 40KG bag of instant concrete will make approximately 2.1 metres of edging.

- 7: Wait for half an hour or so (to allow concrete to set slightly) and select your finish (troweled or imprinted) and after concrete has cured for approximately 5 days, “**detach**” sides away from concrete edging with a thin, flat spade, avoiding damage to new edging. Trim off remaining sidewalls with a craft knife and backfill with stones, grass, mulch, etc.

NOTE: Roller imprinted finish must be applied over cling film to prevent cement sticking to roller. **Snap-It™ quick edge** can also be used up against walls and fences for mowing strips. Simply cut away one of the top edges and place up against the wall etc.

Enjoy your new edging!

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