

PART #174 1955-57 2-Door Sedan Window Fur Channel Kit

Instruction Sheet Master



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Getting Ready for Installation of Fur Strips and Channels

1. Remove old fur strips, cut old staples and then start by twisting up end of fur and cutting off. Remove the flexible channels above the door glass and channels around rear quarter glass. After removal clean out slot with mineral spirits and a small wire brush if necessary. If the original fur is no longer present, look for the remains of old staple holes for more accurate location of fur strips.

Installation of Fur Strips (3/8" Flat Dusters)

1. On the interior and exterior sides of the front doors note the fur strip has a straight end and a curved end, the straight end will be up by the Division Bar (See "C" in the diagram below). Use the original staple holes to help you locate correct positioning of fur strips.

2. On the interior body and exterior garnish moulding of the rear quarter, align the fur to the body shape (See "D" in diagram below). Use the original staple holes to help you locate correct positioning of fur strips.

3. Hold fur and drill a 5/64" (.078") hole at one end, and progress towards the other end. Space holes about 6" apart. Using screws supplied in kit to attach the fur strip.

CAUTION: DO NOT start at each end and work towards the center. Drill each hole one at a time and install screw. This ensures more accurate alignment.

4. Twist heads of screws with screwdriver to sink it in fur pile. The head of the screw should draw into the pile enough so it becomes invisible.

Installation of Division Bar (Non-Flexible U-Channel)

1. The complete vent window assembly must be removed from the door. This is also a good time to replace the vent window seal, part #565A.

2. Drill out four rivets holding the original fur channel. This will allow the top part of the assembly to come apart. Install the new Division Bar using hardware included in the screw kit.

Installation of Flexible U-Channel

1. Before you start to install the flexible channel make sure the stainless beads will slide back and forth. This will allow the channel to bend without kinking. You can make small templates of the rounded corners of the glass out of a piece of thin plywood of similar thickness.

2. On the doors, slide the channel into window opening. Now start in the corner by the division bar, slide flexible channel in drill through channel and into door frame, install screw. This will help hold it. Brush adhesive in the body channel and sides of flexible channel. Slide the channel up into the back corner (use template if you made one)

3. On the rear quarter glass slide the flexible channel in the glass opening. Make sure the channel is positioned correctly, see Diagram below for example. Do the same process as the doors to attach to body. For positive mounting, use small screws in corners. See diagram below.

Kit Includes:

- 2 - Division Bar Channels, 32" (A)
- 4 - Flexible Channel, 60" (B)
- 4 - 3/8" x 26-1/2" Front Fur Strips (C)
- 4 - 3/8" x 37 Rear Fur Strips (D)
- 1 - Screw Kit

