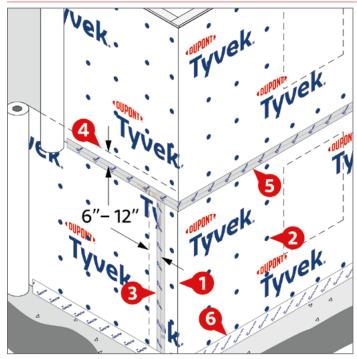
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#### Tyvek® WRB Installation for New Construction

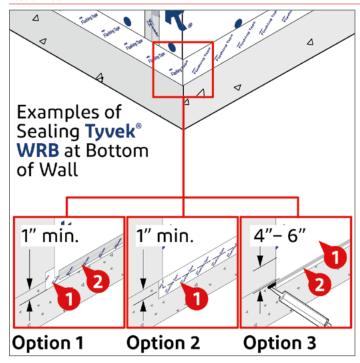


- Tyvek® WRB roll aligned at bottom corner of structure and unrolled starting at corner and directly over window/door rough openings. All vertical seams overlapped by 6"-12".
- 2. **Tyvek® WRB** secured to stud or nail-base material with recommended fasteners spaced 6"–18" on vertical stud lines. No fasteners within 6" of sills and jambs and 9" of the head of window/door rough openings.
- 3. Vertical seams of Tyvek® WRB taped with DuPont™ Tyvek® Tape.
- 4. Upper layer of  $Tyvek^{\otimes}$  WRB installed overlapping bottom layer by min. 6".
- Air Barrier Installations: All horizontal seams taped. (3" Tyvek® Tape required on horizontal and vertical seams when using DuPont™ Tyvek® StuccoWrap®, Tyvek® DrainWrap™ or Tyvek® CommercialWrap® D).
- Air Barrier Installations: All terminations of the Tyvek® WRB (including, but not limited to, top-of-wall/bottom-of-wall interfaces) taped or sealed with Tyvek® Tape or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Products.

# Recommended Fasteners (non-exhaustive list):

- DuPont™ Tyvek® Wrap Cap Nails, Screws, or Staples
- · Other cap staples for Stinger® Cap Stapler
- TRUFAST® Walls Grip-Deck® screws with Thermal-Grip FastCap™ washers (TRUFAST® Walls formerly Rodenhouse).

#### Base of Wall



#### Option 1

- Interface of sheathing and foundation sealed using DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Product.
- Tyvek® WRB overlapped onto DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Product min. 1" and terminated using Tyvek® Tape[1].

### Option 2

 Tyvek® WRB overlap foundation min. 1" and sealed with DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Product<sup>[1]</sup>.

# Option 3

- 1. Ensure Tyvek® WRB overlaps foundation min 1".
- Apply a liberal bead of Tower® Residential Sealant, or recommend sealant, along top edge of foundation.
- 3. Overlap Tyvek® WRB over foundation and into sealant to seal
- [1] DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Products with recommended adhesive/primer, or recommended primer as applicable when Tyvek® WRB sealed directly to gypsum sheathing, concrete, wood or other rough surfaces.

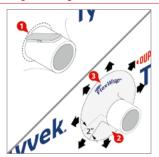
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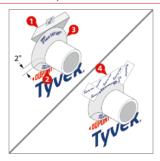


# Sealing Non-Flanged Penetrations with DuPont™ FlexWrap™



#### Method 1

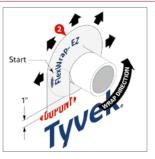
- 1. Tyvek® WRB cut around penetration.
- 2. **FlexWrap™** installed around bottom of penetration.
- FlexWrap™ installed around top of penetration, overlapping bottom layer of FlexWrap™ by 2" on either side.
- OPTIONAL: Piece of Tyvek® WRB taped over top of FlexWrap™ (not shown).



#### Method 2

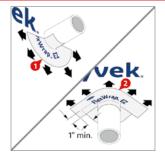
- 1. **Tyvek® WRB** cut around penetration with head flap cut above.
- 2. **FlexWrap™** installed around bottom of penetration.
- FlexWrap™ installed around top of penetration, overlapping bottom layer of FlexWrap™ by 2" on either side.
- Head flap sealed using Tyvek® Tape or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Products.

# Sealing Penetrations with DuPont™ FlexWrap™ EZ



# Outer Diameter GREATER than 2"

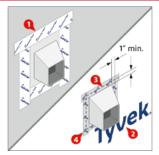
- FlexWrap™ EZ piece cut LONGER than the circumference of nonflanged product (ensure 1" overlap onto the Tyvek® WRB).
- FlexWrap™ EZ adhered around penetration, starting at the horizontal position on either side.



#### Outer Diameter LESS than 2"

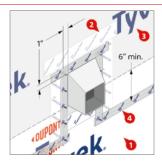
- FlexWrap™ EZ piece cut 1/2 the length of the circumference of the non-flanged product, adhered onto bottom section, and fanned out onto Tyvek® WRB.
- Second piece of FlexWrap™ EZ
  piece cut the length of the pipe
  circumference, adhered onto top
  section and fanned out onto face
  of wall with a min 1" overlap of the
  edges of the FlexWrap™ EZ below.

# Flanged Penetration BEFORE Tyvek® WRB



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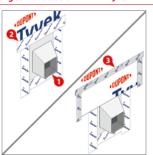
- DuPont™ Flashing Tape installed onto flanges extending onto sheathing by min. 2".
- 2. Tyvek  $^{\! @}$  WRB installed on wall.
- 3. **Tyvek® WRB** cut around penetration, ensuring min. 1" gap for adhesion.
- Edges of Tyvek® WRB sealed with DuPont™ Tyvek® Tape.



#### Method 2

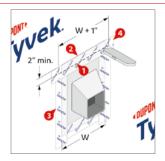
- Tyvek® WRB installed under bottom flange.
- DuPont™ Flashing Tape adhered onto sides and top flange.
- Next course of Tyvek® WRB installed with min. 6" overlap.
- Tyvek® WRB seams sealed with Tyvek® Tape.

# Flanged Penetration AFTER Tyvek® WRB



## Method 1

- 1. Integral flanged product installed.
- DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Product or Tyvek® Tape installed onto bottom, sides, and top flanges, extending onto Tyvek® WRB min. 2".
- OPTIONAL: Tyvek® WRB piece installed to overlap the top edge of the DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Product. Sides and top sealed with Tyvek® Tape.



#### Method 2

- Horizontal cut min. 1" wider than the flange.
- Top flange slid into slit with min. 2" overlap of Tyvek® WRB.
- DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Product (recommended best practice) or Tyvek® Tape adhered on bottom and side flanges, extending onto Tyvek® WRB by 2".
- DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing
   Product (recommended best practice) or Tyvek® Tape installed to top flange, extending BEYOND DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Product, or Tyvek® Tape, on side flanges.

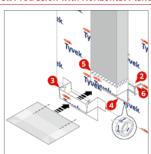
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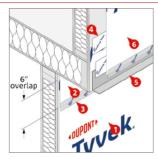


#### Wall Protrusion with Horizontal Plane



- Tyvek® WRB terminated below horizontal plane onto sheathing using DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Product (not shown). Termination optional for horizontal planes 12" or less.
- At outside edge of cantilever, flap cut min. 6" above bottom edge of horizontal plane.
- 3. **Tyvek® WRB** wrapped under horizontal plane and folded up the sides of wall protrusion min. 6".
- All Tyvek® WRB seams sealed with DuPont™ Tyvek® Tape.
- Top edge of Tyvek® WRB sealed to the sheathing using DuPont™ Flashing Tape.
- Flap at outside edges of horizontal plane folded down and sealed with Tyvek® Tape.
- Upper course of Tyvek® WRB installed overlapping bottom layer min 6" (not shown).

#### **Horizontal Plane Transition**



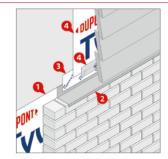
- Tyvek® WRB installed on wall below horizontal plane.
- 2. **Tyvek® WRB** installed on horizontal plane, overlapping the **Tyvek® WRB** below by 6", and extending min. 6" onto the vertical wall above.
- Tyvek® Tape applied to seal horizontal seam below.
- DuPont™ Flashing Tape applied to terminate Tyvek® WRB onto sheathing above horizontal plane.
- OPTIONAL: Install a kick-out flashing and terminate vertical leg with DuPont™ Flashing Tape.
- Tyvek® WRB installed on wall above horizontal plane and terminated onto kick-out flashing with Tyvek® Tape or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Product.

# Façade Transition



# Option 1 Metal Flashing Sealed to Tyvek® WRB

- No Tyvek® WRB fasteners where metal flashing or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing will be installed. "Z" or "L" metal flashing installed over lower façade and fastened onto Tyvek® WRB with mechanical fasteners.
- Vertical leg of metal flashing terminated to Tyvek® WRB with DuPont™ Flashing Tape or Tyvek® Tyvek Tape. When using DuPont™ Flashing Tape, ensure min. 2" adhesion to the WRB.



Option 2
Metal Flashing Sealed to Sheathing

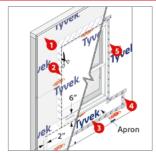
- First course of Tyvek® WRB installed with min. 2" extending BEYOND where top edge of the lower facade will be located.
- "Z" or "L" metal flashing applied over lower façade, even with top edge of Tyvek® WRB, and fastened with mechanical fasteners.
- Vertical leg of metal flashing terminated to sheathing with DuPont™ Flashing Tape with min. 2" adhesion onto sheathing.
- Next course of Tyvek® WRB installed with min. 2" overlap onto DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Product. WRB terminated to self-adhered flashing using DuPont™ Tyvek® Tape.

### **Beam Penetration**



- Tyvek® WRB installed across wall with top edge of WRB at bottom of beam.
- Two pieces of Tyvek® WRB installed on either side of beam and sealed with Tyvek® Tape. The two pieces extend min. 7" above top of beam and overlap lower WRB course min. 6"
- First piece of DuPont™ FlexWrap™ installed around bottom of penetration before second piece installed around top of penetration, overlapping bottom layer by 2".
- Tyvek® WRB installed above beam, overlapping lower courses with 1" gap above beam. All horizontal and vertical seams taped with Tyvek® Tape.

# Integrating Tyvek® WRB for Windows/ Doors Installed **BEFORE** Tyvek® WRB



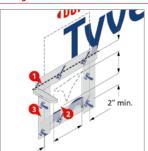
- Tyvek® WRB installed over window/ door. No fasteners within 4" of frame of window at jambs/head and within 12" at sill.
- Perimeter marked 1"- 2" from window at jambs/head and 6" below window at sill. Cut along marking to expose window. Slits cut at lower corners 1" - 2" BEYOND Tyvek® WRB apron underneath.
- Tyvek® WRB apron brought to the front through the cut/slits and lapped over top layer of Tyvek® WRB.
- 4. **Tyvek**® **WRB** apron sealed around perimeter with **Tyvek**® **Tape**.
- Tyvek® WRB terminated around window with Tyvek® Tape or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing.

### **Handling Tears**



 Tears covered with Tyvek® Tape or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Products.

### **Handling Holes**



- 1. Slit in **Tyvek® WRB** cut 2" above hole and extending 2" on each side of hole.
- Piece of Tyvek® WRB tucked into the slit to maintain proper shingling.
- Seams around Tyvek® WRB taped, working from bottom to top.

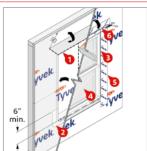
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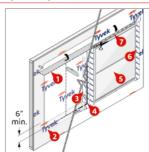
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# **Integral Flanged Window**



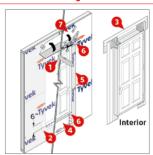
- "I-Cut" in Tyvek® WRB at rough openings. 45° cuts at window head extending min. 8" from outer corners. Flaps at jambs folded into the opening and secured. Head flap flipped up and secured.
- 2. **DuPont™ FlexWrap™** installed at the sill and min. 6" up jambs.
- Sealant applied to three sides of the window opening at jambs and head. OPTIONAL: Skip sealing at the sill for drainage.
- Window installed per manufacturer's specifications.
- 5. **DuPont™ Flashing Tape** applied over flanges at jambs and head.
- Head flap trimmed 1"- 2" and secured overhead flashing with DuPont™ Tyvek® Tape or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Product.
- 7. Full interior perimeter seal applied (not shown).

#### Integral Flanged Adjacent Windows



- "I-Cut" in Tyvek® WRB at rough openings. 45° cuts at window head extending min. 8" from outer corners. Flaps at jambs folded into the opening and secured. Head flap flipped up and secured.
- 2. **FlexWrap™** installed at each sill extending min. 6" up jambs.
- 9" DuPont™ Flashing Tape installed onto shared vertical framing; bottom edge aligned with sill, top edge aligned with head.
  - **NOTE**: For option using **Tyvek® WRB** at shared framing see full Single-Family Install Guides.
- Sealant applied to three sides of the window opening at jambs and head. OPTIONAL: Skip sealing at the sill for drainage.
- 5. Window installed per manufacturer's specifications.
- DuPont™ Flashing Tape applied over flanges at jambs and head.
- Head flap trimmed 1"- 2" and secured over head flashing with Tyvek® Tape or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Products.
- 8. Full interior perimeter seal applied to both windows (not shown).

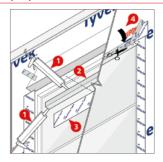
# Non-Flanged Door using DuPont™ VersaFlange™



Method also applies to Non-flanged window, non-integral flanged window/door, and brick mold window/door.

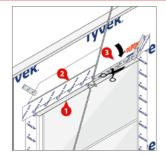
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- FlexWrap™ installed at sill extending min. 6" up jambs. Integrated back dam as applicable.
- VersaFlange<sup>™</sup> applied to door frame along jambs and head (head piece installed first). FlexWrap<sup>™</sup> pieces applied at corners.
- 4. **OPTIONAL**: For higher performance, high-pressure skirt installed to door frame prior to door installation.
- Release paper removed from VersaFlange™ and door installed per manufacturer's instructions.
- OPTIONAL: Exposed butyl covered with Tyvek® Tape or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Products.
- Head flap flipped down, trimmed 1"- 2", and sealed with Tyvek® Tape or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Products.
- 8. Full interior perimeter seal applied (not shown).

# Drip Cap Installation for Windows and Doors



# Option 1 Drip Cap Under Head Flap, Single Piece of Flashing — Requires Drip Cap Leg NOT Taller than Window Flange

- Sealant applied to both sides of drip cap.
- 2. Drip cap installed tight against window head flange.
- 3. **DuPont™ Flashing Tape** installed over drip cap and head flange.
- Head flap flipped down, trimmed 1" - 2", and sealed with Tyvek® Tape or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Products.



#### Option 2 Drip Cap Under Head Flap, Over Window Head Flashing

- 1. Drip cap installed tight against window head flange.
- DuPont™ Flashing Tape installed over drip cap top edge.
- Head flap flipped down, trimmed 1" - 2", and sealed with Tyvek® Tape or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Products



Option 3 Drip Cap Over Head Flap

- Drip cap installed tight against window head flange.
- DuPont™ Flashing Tape installed over drip cap top edge.

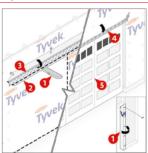
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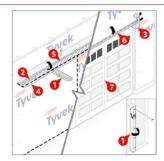
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#### **Garage Doors**



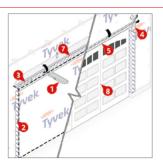
# Option 1 Standard I-Cut with Drip Cap Sealed to Sheathing

- "I-Cut" in Tyvek® WRB at rough openings. 45° cuts at head of garage door frame extending min. 8" from outer corners. Flaps at jambs folded into the opening and secured. Head flap flipped up and secured.
- 2. Metal or vinyl drip cap installed.
- Head flange and top edge of the drip cap covered with a piece of DuPont™ Flashing Tape or DuPont™ StraightFlash™.
- Head flap trimmed 1"- 2" and secured overhead flashing with DuPont™ Tyvek® Tape or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Products.
- Garage door installed per manufacturer's installation instructions.



# Option 2 I-Cut and Three-Piece Head Detail with Drip Cap Sealed Over Flashing

- "I-Cut" in Tyvek® WRB at rough openings. 45° cuts at head of garage door frame extending min. 8" from outer corners. Flaps at jambs folded into the opening and secured. Head flap flipped up and secured.
- DuPont™ Flashing Tape or StraightFlash™ installed first onto flat part of the head, then onto the sheathing on the face of the wall above.
- DuPont™ FlexWrap™ installed at the corners with at least 6" down the jamb and 6" onto the DuPont™ Flashing Tape along the head.
- 4. Metal or vinyl drip cap installed.
- Head flange and top edge of the drip cap covered with a piece of DuPont™ Flashing Tape or StraightFlash™.
- Head flap trimmed 1"- 2" and secured overhead flashing with Tyvek® Tape or DuPont Self-Adhered Flashing Products.
- Garage door installed per manufacturer's installation instructions.



# Option 3 Flush Cut (O-Cut) and "Wrap the Cavity" Flashing Method with Drip Cap Sealed Over Flashing

- Tyvek® WRB cut using a square cut around the perimeter of the rough opening (not shown) and 45° at corners to create head flap.
- DuPont™ Flashing Tape DuPont™ or StraightFlash™ installed along the iambs.
- DuPont™ Flashing Tape or StraightFlash™ installed first onto flat part of the head, then onto the sheathing on the face of the wall above
- FlexWrap™ installed at the corners with at least 6" down the jamb and 6" onto the DuPont™ Flashing Tape along the head.
- 5. Metal or vinyl drip cap installed.
- Head flange and top edge of the drip cap covered with a piece of DuPont™ Flashing Tape or StraightFlash™.
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