

DUAL SPIGOT RAIN BARREL

Assembly Instructions

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BEFORE BEGINNING:

Read these instructions to properly and safely assemble and install your new Dual Spigot Rain Barrel Lay the barrel on its flat back to avoid stripping the threads of the spigot hole.



SPIGOT INSTALLATION:



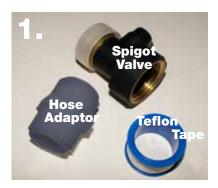
With the barrel laying on its flat back:

- 1. Line the spigot (end with hexagon feature) up for straight entry into the pre-threaded hole located mid-way up the barrel.
- 2. Thread the spigot turning clockwise until the hexagon face touches the barrel. Do not over tighten.
- 3. Adjust the spigot until it is vertical relative to the ground.

Thin Threads

ape into Barrel

SPIGOT VALVE ASSEMBLY:



Gather the parts for the bottom Spigot Valve: Valve, Threaded Hose Adaptor, and Teflon Tape.



Wrap the "Thin Thread" end of the Hose Adaptor with Teflon Tape, covering each thread. Press firmly and wrap to the end to avoid tape unravelling during installation. NOTE: One side of the Hose Adaptor has thick threads, this side goes into to Spigot Valve. The other side has thinner threads and goes into the Barrel.



Screw the non-taped end of the Hose Adaptor into the Spigot Valve.

The final Spigot Valve assembly should look like this.



With the Barrel laying on its flat back, thread the taped end of the assembled Spigot Valve into the pre-threaded hole at the bottom of the Barrel.

Thick

Threads

Turn the Spigot Valve as far as it will go to get a tight fit. You should not have exposed threads.



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SCREEN PLACEMENT:





Face the side of the screen with the black rubber barrier down and place the screen into the rectangular recess at the top of the Rain Barrel.

BARREL PLACEMENT & SET UP:



Position the Barrel on a flat, level surface, or use an RTS Rain Barrel Stand.



Situate the Barrel so that the downspout of the gutter empties into the mesh screen.

NOTE:

The RTS Dual Spigot Rain Barrel is designed with a flat back to sit against a wall.

Take note, that as the barrel fills, it may experience some swelling, so please situate the barrel to allow for some expansion.

STORAGE & WINTERIZING:

Winterize your Dual Spigot Rain Barrel as follows:

- 1. Drain the Rain Barrel
- 2. Remove the screen and place inside the barrel
- 3. Turn the barrel upside down and set in a desired location, preferably in a garage or basement.

Failure to comply with these winterization instructions may result in a void warranty.



Remove the Protective Cap, turn the Valve to the closed position (90 degrees), and attach your hose.

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