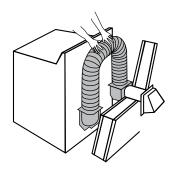
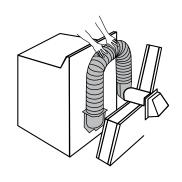
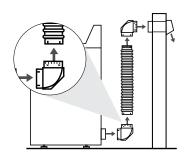
# Over-The-Top® Dryer Vent Kits

Original Over-The-Top® Dryer Vent Kit



Installer's Dryer Vent Kit





### Airflow

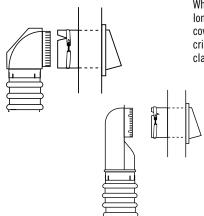
Connections are made by placing the smaller diameter fitting (crimped) into the larger diameter fitting (slotted) in the direction of the airflow. Continue this throughout the installation.



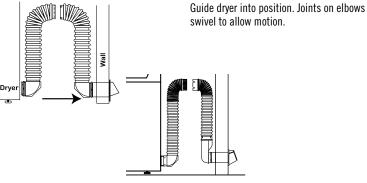
Stretch flexible duct gently with both hands to the desired length.



To connect the elbow to the dryer, position a clamp so that it covers the slot in the elbow. Slide the elbow over the dryer exhaust pipe. Tighten clamp.

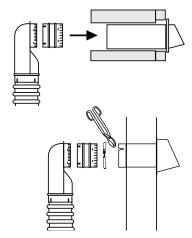


When connecting to a wall pipe, cut a 1" long slit in tailpipe. Position a clamp so it covers the slit in the vent tailpipe. Insert crimped fitting into tailpipe. Tighten clamp.



Check installation by inspecting airflow outside. Verify hood flapper is pushed fully open when the dryer is turned on.



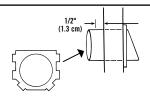


#### Installing an extension collar

Extension collar can be used when tailpipe is inaccessible or too short. Snap extension collar onto wall offset elbow.

Vent tailpipe is inaccessible -Insert crimped end of extension collar into vent tailpipe.

Vent tailpipe is too short -Cut a 1" slit into tailpipe and place clamp over vent tailpipe. Insert crimped end of extension collar into vent tailpipe. Position clamp so it covers the slit in the vent tailpipe and crimped end of extension collar. Tighten clamp.

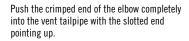


### Installing a Wall Plate:

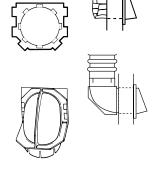
Cut vent tailpipe so it extends only 1/2" from the wall. Place wall plate over vent tailpipe.

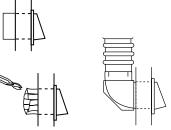
Cut slits every 1/2" around tailpipe.

Bend slits against the wall plate.



Bend wall plate tabs over elbow flange to secure elbow to wall. Complete installation.





For close clearance, cut vent tailpipe so it extends only 1/2" (1.3 cm) from the wall. Cut slits every 1/2" (1.3 cm) around the tailpipe.

Bend tabs flat against wall. Push the crimped fitting of elbow completely into vent tailpipe.



### WARNING! IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS • SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

- To reduce the risk of fire or injury to persons, follow basic precautions, including the following:

  1. For use with clothes dryers only, do not use for any other purposes.

  2. Keep area around the exhaust opening and adjacent areas free from the accumulation of lint, dust, and dirt.

  3. The interior of the exhaust duct should be cleaned periodically (at least once a year) by qualified service personnel.

  4. A gas dryer should always be vented outdoors.

  5. Regularly inspect the exhaust duct to be sure that it has not become crushed or otherwise restricted.

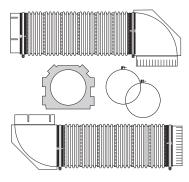
### RECOMMENDATIONS

Clothes dryer should not be exhausted into a chimney, a wall, a ceiling, or a concealed space of a building.

Local building codes shall be followed for installations.

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# Installation Instructions UL® Over-The-Top® Kit Model V450-TD-OTT



### **CONTENTS:**

Two 4' UL® flexible metal (semi-rigid) transition duct Two Close Elbows® preattached to the duct Two 4" steel screw clamps One wall plate

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### **SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS**

# **A WARNING**

To reduce the risk of fire or personal injury:

Before beginning the installation, turn off the circuit breaker(s) or remove the dryer's circuit fuse(s) at the electrical box. Be sure the dryer cord is unplugged from the wall.

### **BEFORE YOU BEGIN**

Read these instructions completely and carefully:

- **IMPORTANT** Save these instructions for local inspector's use. Observe all governing codes and ordinances.
- **Note to Installer** Be sure to leave these instructions with the consumer.
- **Note to Consumer** Keep these instructions with your owners manual for future reference.
- **Skill Level** Installation of this clothes dryer exhaust requires basic mechanical skills. Proper installation is the responsibility of the installer.
- **Completion Time** approximately 10-15 minutes. We recommend that you install your dryer before installing your washer. This will permit direct access for easier exhaust connection.

# **A** WARNING

To reduce the risk of fire or personal injury:

### **INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS**

- Do not terminate exhaust in a chimney, a wall, a ceiling, in a concealed space of the building, in a gas vent, under an enclosed floor (crawl space) or into an attic. This dryer must be exhausted to the outdoors.
- Screws which may catch lint shall not be used to secure duct parts together.
- Flexible ducts are to be extended for their full length, any excess duct is to be removed; keep duct as straight as possible.
- Follow local building codes.
- Maximum length of duct is 8 feet.
- Use only metal duct. We do not recommend plastic or other combustible easy-to-puncture ductwork.
- Provide an access for inspection and cleaning of the exhaust system, especially at turns. Inspect and clean at least once a year.
- Never terminate the exhaust into a common duct with a kitchen exhaust.
- Do not obstruct incoming or exhausted air.

# TOOLS YOU WLL NEED:

#2 Phillips-head screwdriver or 1/4" nut driver



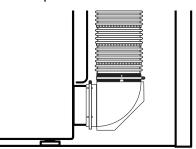
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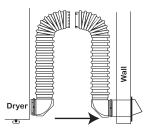
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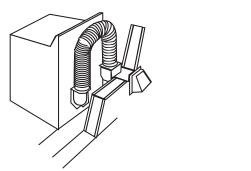
Tighten clamp.



Remove excess duct by compressing the duct to the shortest possible length. Guide dryer into position, being careful not to crush the duct. Joints on elbows swivel to allow motion.



Completed installation.

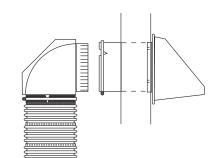




Determine the length from the center of the dryer pipe to the wall pipe. Gently stretch the flexible metal duct uniformly to the desired length.

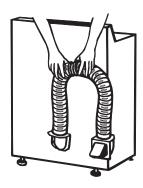


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a clamp so it covers the slit(s) in the vent tailpipe. Insert crimped fitting into tailpipe. Tighten clamp.

Reach Over-The-Top® to make the final connection.



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