



# GLADIATOR™ GARAGEWORKS™

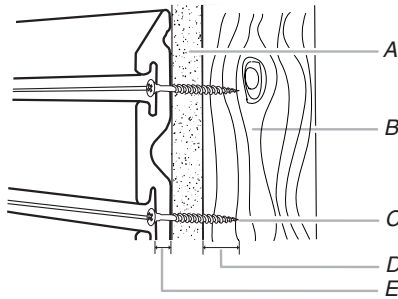
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## GEARTRACK™ CHANNEL (for use with Gladiator™ GarageWorks products only)

**IMPORTANT:** Use correct screw length for your wall type. See chart below.

Screw Length for Wall Type					
Screw Length*	Masonry Wall	Bare Wood Studs	Drywall over Wood Studs		
			½" (1.27 cm)	⅝" (1.59 cm)	¾" (1.91 cm)
#8 X 1 ¼" (3.18 cm)					
#8 X 2" (5.08 cm)					
⅜" X 1 ¾" (4.45 cm)					

For bare wood studs and covered walls, use an all weather flat head type deck screw.  
For concrete block and poured masonry, use a flat head type masonry screw.



- A. Drywall  
B. Wooden stud  
C. Flat-head screw in every slot at every stud  
D. 1" (2.54 cm) min. to 1 ¼" (3.18 cm) max. if near wiring  
E. ¼" (.635 cm)

## Tools and Parts

Assemble the required tools before starting installation.  
Read and follow the instructions provided with any tools listed here.

### Tools and Parts Needed:

- Level
- Tape measure
- Drill
- Saw
- Screws (galvanized or all weather)
- Stud finder
- AC finder
- Square
- Pencil
- GearTrack™ endcaps (optional)

### Additional Tools and Parts Needed for

#### Masonry Block/Poured Concrete Wall Installation:

- Hammer drill
- Caulk gun
- ⅜" x 1 ¾" (4.45 cm) Flat-head masonry screws (6 screws per channel)
- Construction adhesive
- ⅝" Masonry drill bit

**NOTE:** GearTrack™ channel can be cut and drilled with ordinary woodworking equipment. Additional tools may be needed.

## Use Requirements

- Maximum coverage per wall is 33% of the wall surface area.
- Maximum weight limit is 75 lbs (34 kg) per linear ft. (30.48 cm).
- GearTrack™ channel can be mounted directly to masonry wall, over drywall to wooden studs, or to bare wooden studs.
- Intended for use in a garage or basement.

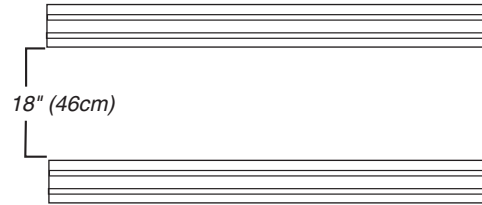
**NOTE:** Before installing GearTrack™ channels to masonry walls, you must waterproof the wall to prevent mildew or foundation damage.

Walls that appear dry may actually become damp when enclosed by paneling. Install the channel in accordance with all local codes and ordinances.

## Channel Spacing

If channels are to be used to support Gladiator™ Wall GearBoxes, they must be installed 18" (45.72 cm) apart.

**NOTE:** Wall GearBox model (GAWBOOLLG00) requires the channels to be spaced 21" (53.34 cm) apart.



## INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

### Install the GearTrack™ Channel

#### Masonry Block/Poured Concrete Wall

1. Use a level to position the GearTrack™ channel at the desired height on the wall.
2. Drill a hole through the GearTrack™ channel and into the wall surface.
3. Secure the GearTrack™ channel to the wall by placing ⅜" x 1 ¾" (4.45 cm) flat-head masonry screws every 24" (60.96 cm) in every slot.  
**NOTE:** For extra hold, you may put construction adhesive on the GearTrack™ channel before attaching it to the wall. Channels cut to shorter than 24" (60.96 cm) long should not be used.
4. Repeat this process for the next desired application area.
5. Check to make sure all screws are installed.

#### Drywall over Wooden Studs or Bare Wooden Studs

1. Locate all wooden studs and electrical wiring. Mark the wall(s).  
**IMPORTANT:** Compare screw length to electrical wire locations. Be sure the screw will not pierce electrical wiring.
2. GearTrack™ channels should be mounted to the wall so that they begin and end at wooden studs. Measure from the edge of the stud at the beginning of the desired coverage area to the center of the last wooden stud that is within 4 ft (1.22 m).
3. If necessary cut the first channel to this length, making sure the cut is square.  
**NOTE:** Channels shorter than 24" (60.96 cm) long should not be used.
4. Check that the GearTrack™ channel is level. Then place a screw in every slot at every stud location.  
**NOTE:** Drive the screws through the slot groove until they are flush.
5. Repeat this process for the next desired application area.
6. Check to make sure all screws are installed.

## WARRANTY

For GearTrack™ channel warranty information please visit our website at [www.GladiatorGW.com](http://www.GladiatorGW.com) or call 1-866-342-4089.



See complete markings on product.



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