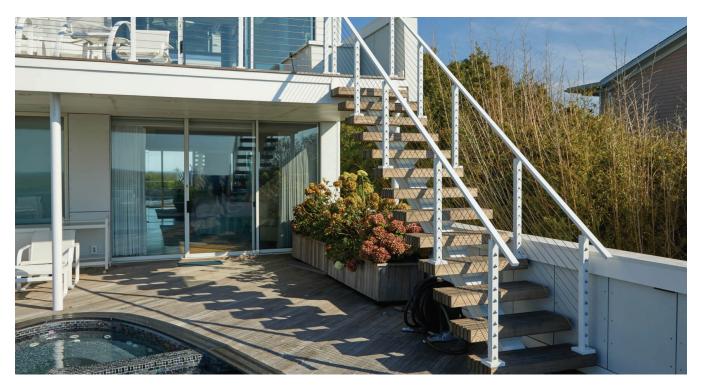
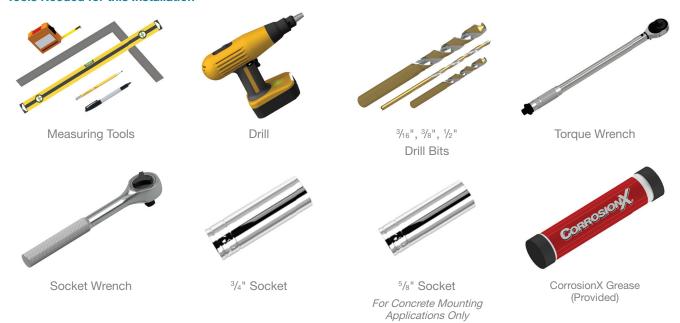




Exterior Flight Installation Guide



Tools Needed for this Installation



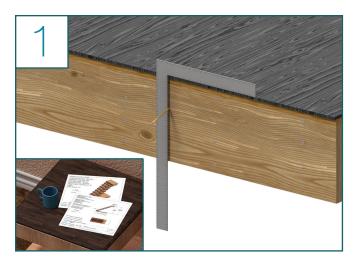
Things to Know Before You Get Started

• Read over the provided material prior to the start of your installation

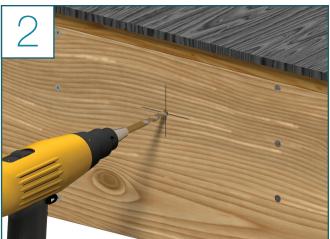




Exterior Flight Installation Steps



- Use the provided drawing(s) to mark the header plate dimensions
- At this point, mark a predrill location for the slotted hole in your header plate



• Predrill with a 3/8" drill bit



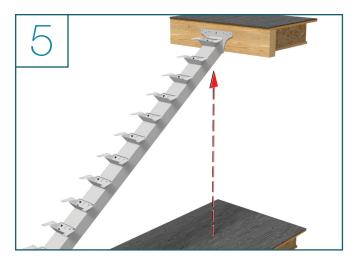
- Place all tread brackets on the stringer
- Insert locator pins to hold the tread brackets in place



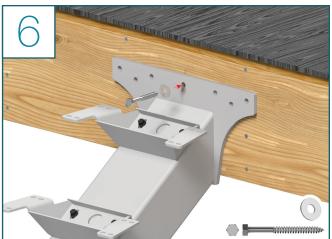
- Dip the threads of the ¹/₂" x 1" flange bolts into the supplied CorrosionX™ grease
- Thread the flange bolts through the tread bracket and into the stringer in the marked order, so they are finger tight
- Torque to 70 lb-ft



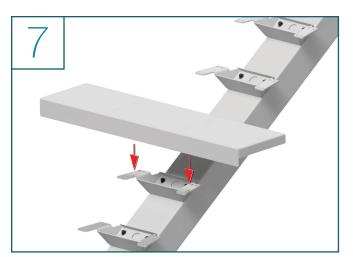
Exterior Flight Installation Steps (Continued)



- Lift the stringer into place, lining up the hole
- We recommend using either a pulley system or a Come Along Winch and brace material to hold the stringer in place while fastening



• Fasten the 1/2" x 31/2" Hex Lag through the middle slotted hole in the header plate to hold the stringer in place



- Place a single tread on to one of the tread brackets about half-way up the stringer
- Secure the tread with the provided hardware Hardware will vary based on the types of treads purchased



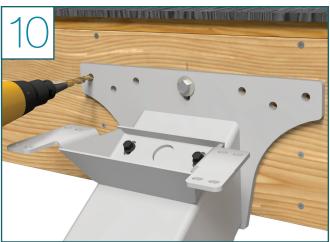
 Ensure the tread is level on the tread bracket both front to back and left to right



Exterior Flight Installation Steps (Continued)



- If not level left to right, shim the header plate to adjust
- . If not level front to back, shim the footer plate to adjust
- Cut the excess shim away



• At this point you can predrill all your header plate holes

Through Bolt

• Predrill utilizing a 1/2" drill bit

Lag Bolt

• Predrill utilizing a 3/8" drill bit



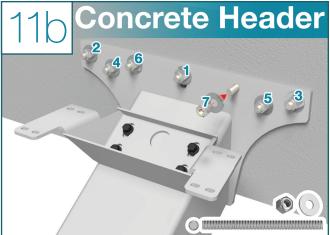
Upper Stringer Header Mount (2 mounting styles)

Lag Bolt

Thread the ¹/₂" x 5" head lags into place

Through Bolt

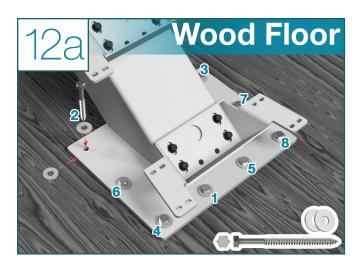
- Thread the $^{1}/_{2}$ " x 8" hex head bolts into place, so they are finger tight
- Torque to 70 lb-ft



Upper Stringer Header Mount

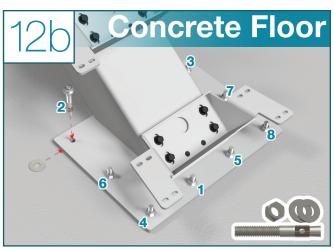
- Refer to the recommendation of the brand of epoxy you are using and predrill the correct sized holes for these ¹/₂ threaded studs
- Apply concrete epoxy in to the holes
- Insert the threaded studs into each hole
- Tighten to the manufacture's specs of the fasteners being use

Exterior Flight Installation Steps (Continued)



Lower Stringer Floor Mount

- Predrill your footer plate holes with a 3/8" drill bit
- Thread the ½" x 5" lags through the first washer, through the footer, through the second washer and into the wooden mounting materials
- The washers under the foot plate will help water draining



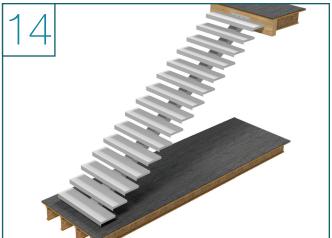
Lower Stringer Floor Mount

- Drill 1/2" holes for the concrete wedge anchors
- Thread the wedge anchor through the first washer, through the footer, through the second washer and into the wooden mounting materials
- The washers under the foot plate will help water draining
- Tighten to the manufacture's specs of the fasteners being use



Powder Coated Stringer - Optional Step

- If necessary, mask off any potential over spray areas
- Use the provided touch-up paint to coat the stringer and footer plate hardware so that it matches the powder coat color of your stringer



- Install all treads. Refer to your specific tread installation instructions in your installation binder
- Secure the treads with the provided hardware -Hardware will vary based on the types of treads purchased
- Now it is time to move on to the railing installation

Congratulations! You're done with this section.

We'd love to see your work! Snap a few pics with your phone and send them to pictures@viewrail.com. Thanks for choosing Viewrail. Enjoy your new installation!