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RED DOT 1 Gang Large While-In-Use Weatherproof Extra Duty Clear Receptacle Cover

User Manual

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the RED DOT 1 Gang Large While-In-Use Weatherproof Extra Duty Clear Receptacle Cover. This manual provides essential information for the safe and proper installation, operation, and maintenance of your new receptacle cover. Please read it thoroughly before beginning installation.

SAFETY INFORMATION

Always follow basic safety precautions when installing electrical devices. Failure to do so may result in fire, electric shock, or serious injury.

- Turn off power at the circuit breaker or fuse box before installation.
- Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) such as safety glasses and insulated gloves.
- If you are unsure about any part of the installation, consult a qualified electrician.
- Ensure all connections are secure and comply with local electrical codes.
- This product is designed for outdoor use and provides protection against weather elements when properly installed.

PACKAGE CONTENTS

- 1 x RED DOT 1 Gang Large While-In-Use Weatherproof Extra Duty Clear Receptacle Cover
- Mounting Hardware (screws, gaskets)



Image: The RED DOT 1 Gang Large While-In-Use Weatherproof Extra Duty Clear Receptacle Cover. It features a clear, durable plastic cover designed to protect electrical outlets from weather elements while in use. The cover is hinged at the top and has a gray base plate.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

This cover is designed for use with duplex, GFI, switch, and single receptacles.

1. **Turn Off Power:** Locate the circuit breaker or fuse controlling the outlet you intend to cover and turn off the power. Verify power is off using a voltage tester.
2. **Remove Existing Cover:** Carefully remove the screws holding the existing receptacle cover plate and remove the plate.
3. **Prepare Wiring (if necessary):** Ensure the receptacle is properly wired and securely mounted to the electrical box.
4. **Position New Cover:** Place the RED DOT weatherproof cover's base plate over the receptacle, aligning the mounting holes with those on the electrical box. Ensure any included gaskets are properly seated between the cover and the mounting surface for a watertight seal.
5. **Secure Cover:** Insert the provided mounting screws through the cover's base plate and into the electrical box. Tighten screws firmly but do not overtighten, as this can crack the plastic.
6. **Test Operation:** Once the cover is securely mounted, restore power at the circuit breaker. Test the receptacle to ensure it functions correctly.
7. **Close Cover:** Ensure the clear cover is securely latched when not in use to maintain weatherproof protection. When a cord is plugged in, the cover is designed to close around it, providing "while-in-use" protection.

OPERATION

The RED DOT weatherproof cover is designed for continuous protection of outdoor receptacles. When an electrical cord is plugged into the outlet, the clear cover can be closed over the plug and cord, maintaining a weatherproof seal. This allows for safe use of outdoor appliances and tools even during inclement weather.

- To use the outlet, unlatch and open the clear cover.

- Plug in your device.
- Close the clear cover, ensuring the cord exits through the designated opening at the bottom, and the cover latches securely.
- When not in use, keep the cover fully closed and latched to prevent moisture and debris from entering the outlet.

MAINTENANCE

This receptacle cover requires minimal maintenance.

- Periodically inspect the cover for any signs of damage, cracks, or wear.
- Ensure the hinges and latches operate smoothly and securely.
- Clean the clear cover with a soft, damp cloth and mild soap if necessary. Avoid abrasive cleaners that could scratch the surface.
- Check the seal around the cover and mounting surface to ensure it remains watertight.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Cover does not close securely.	Obstruction, damaged latch, or improper installation.	Check for debris. Inspect latch for damage. Re-install, ensuring proper alignment.
Water inside cover.	Improper seal, damaged gasket, or cover not fully latched.	Ensure cover is fully latched. Check gasket for damage and proper seating. Re-seal if necessary.
Cracked or broken cover.	Physical impact or overtightening during installation.	The cover is damaged and needs replacement.

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Product Type:** 1 Gang While-In-Use Weatherproof Receptacle Cover
- **Brand:** RED DOT
- **Material:** Polycarbonate (PC)
- **Color:** White (Base), Clear (Cover)
- **Internal Depth:** 2-7/8 inches
- **Compatibility:** Duplex, GFI, Switch, and Single Receptacles
- **Features:** Non-metallic, with ground screw, Extra Duty

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

RED DOT products are manufactured to high-quality standards. For specific warranty information or technical support, please refer to the manufacturer's official website or contact their customer service department. Keep your purchase receipt for warranty claims.

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