

NT RADIANT BARRIER (On Attic Floor Joists)

INSTALLATION APPLICATION

- QUICK, SAFE AND EASY TO INSTALL
- REDUCES HEAT LOSS AND HEAT GAIN ALL YEAR ROUND
- WILL BLOCK UP TO 96% OF RADIANT HEAT TRANSFER

INSTALLATION METHOD: (Cold Climate Application)

1. This application involves the installation of a radiant barrier directly on the attic floor (on top of existing mass insulation).
2. As shown in Figure 1 and 2, the radiant barrier material should be installed perpendicular to the floor joists.
3. Affix the radiant barrier to the joists using regular staples, 6" apart. Be sure to leave a 6" gap around the perimeter of the attic floor, so as not to interfere with any ventilation mechanisms.

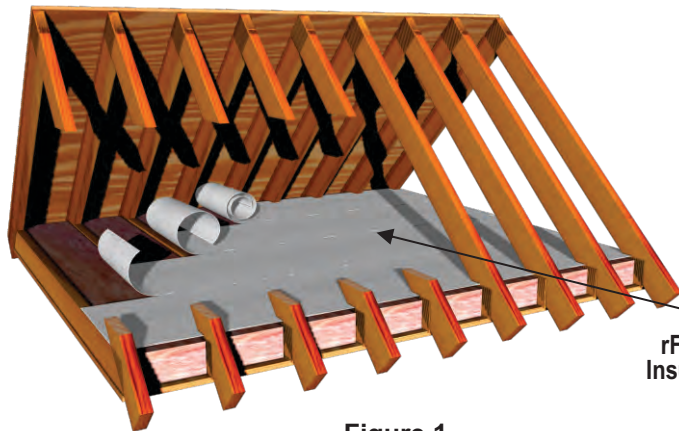


Figure 1
(With existing insulation on the attic floor)

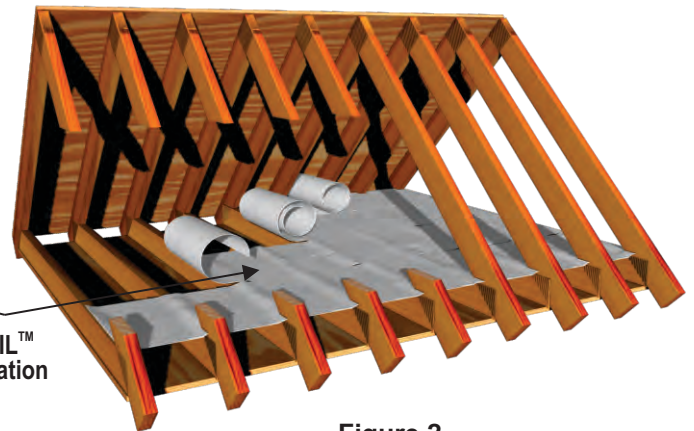


Figure 2
(With NO insulation on the attic floor)

Note on Attic Ventilation:

A vented attic with a radiant barrier is a very different system from an un-vented attic with the same radiant barrier. Common types of attic ventilation are: -Soffit to Ridge -Soffit to Gable -Soffit to Soffit -Gable to Gable

Most codes require at least a 1 to 300 ventilation rate. What this means is that for every 300 square feet of floor space, there should be one square foot of free vent area. Reflective Insulation Manufacturer's Association (RIMA)

SUGGESTED PRODUCTS FOR THIS APPLICATION:

rFOIL™ INSULATION PRODUCT	4800P Series (Perforated)
rFOIL™ TAPE	Not Required (Product to be Stapled)

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