

OASIS SLIDE COVER MODEL 980FL132.000B

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INSTALLATION & OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

MODEL
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SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

This manual has safety information and instructions to help users eliminate or reduce the risk of accidents and injuries.

RECOGNIZE SAFETY INFORMATION



This is the safety-alert symbol. When you see this symbol in this manual, be alert to the potential for personal injury.

Follow recommended precautions and safe operating instructions.

UNDERSTAND SIGNAL WORDS

A signal word, **WARNING** OR **CAUTION** is used with the safety-alert symbol. They give the level of risk for potential injury.

WARNING: Indicates a potential hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.

CAUTION: Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury.

CAUTION: Used without the safety alert symbol indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in property damage.

Read and follow all safety information and instructions.

Learn how to operate the awning properly.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Installer must furnish adequate mounting brackets to properly support the awning. See FIG. 1 & 2. Sufficient backing in the RV roof and sidewall must be provided to secure the mounting brackets.

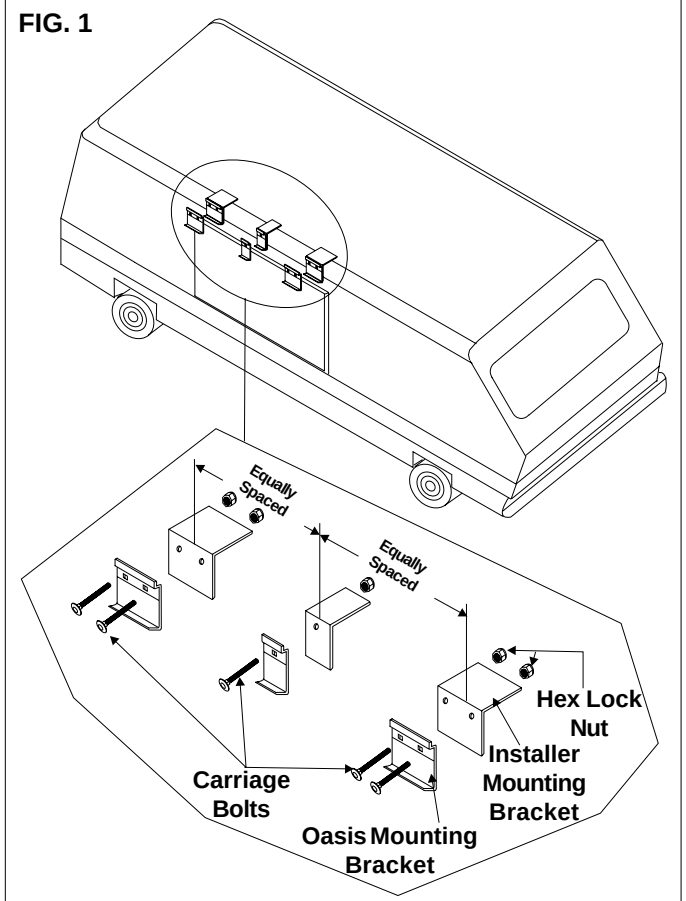
The A&E Oasis Slide Cover is designed to protect the top of an RV's slide-out-room from weather and large debris. It is not waterproof, some drips, condensation, or wind blown precipitation can be present under the canopy.

Do a visual inspection for debris on top of the Oasis Slide Cover before closing. If debris is present, remove before the awning is closed.

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

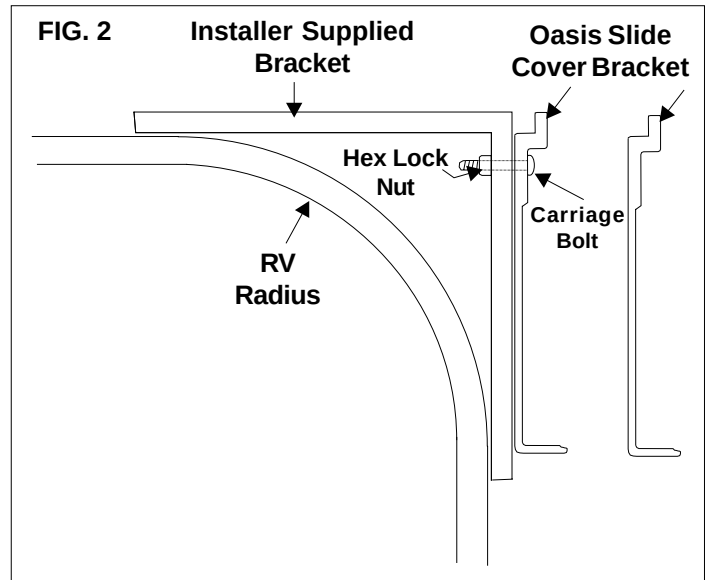
- A. The Oasis Slide Cover mounting brackets will be mounted to the installer mounting brackets on the RV. The center mounting bracket should be of equal distance between front and rear brackets. See FIG. 1 & 2.

FIG. 1



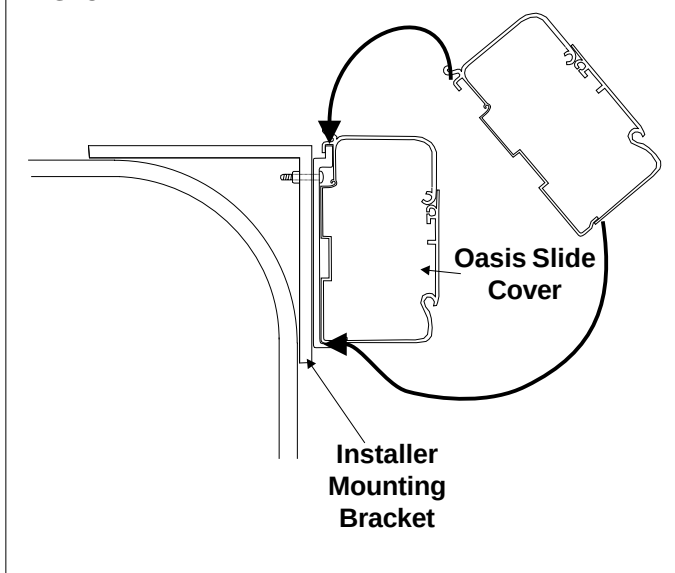
- B. Align top of Oasis Slide Cover mounting bracket with top edge of the installer mounting bracket and secure the two (2) outside brackets with two (2) 1/4"-20 x 2" carriage bolts and two (2) 1/4"-20 hex lock nuts. See FIG. 2. The center bracket takes one (1) carriage bolt and one (1) hex lock nut.

FIG. 2



C. Set the awning on mounting brackets. See FIG. 3

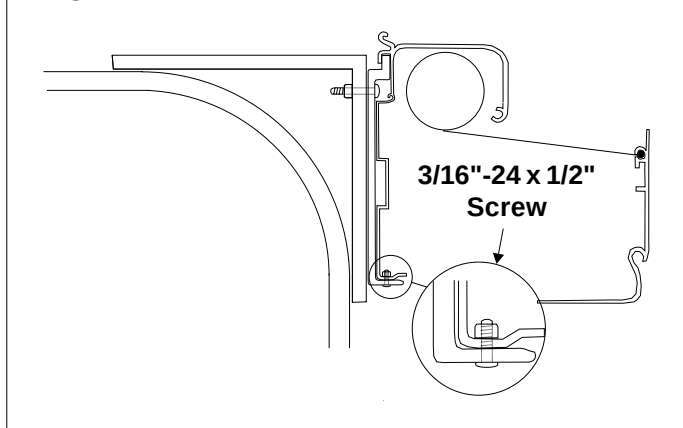
FIG. 3



D. Extend Slide Cover approximately 1 foot. See Operating Instructions below.

E. Using hole in bottom mounting leg of mounting bracket, drill a 3/16" dia. hole into bottom of awning case. Install a 3/16"-24 x 1/2" pan head machine screw and hex lock nut in each bracket as shown in FIG. 4.

FIG. 4

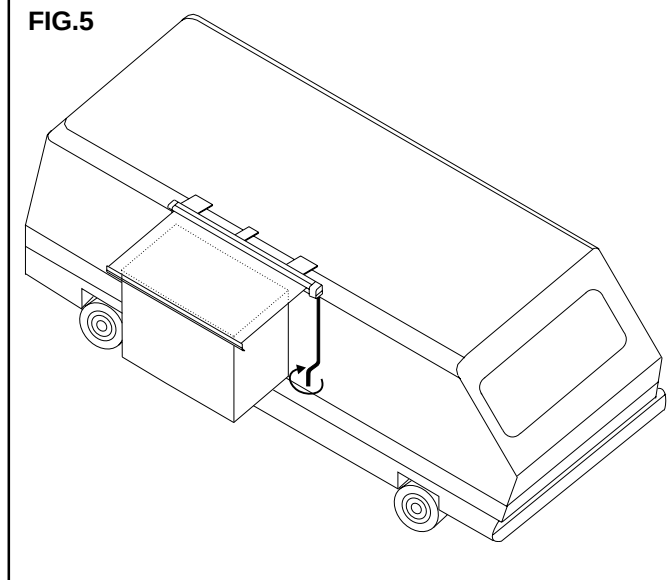


OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

A. To Open Slide Cover

1. Place the hook of the crank into the eye of the gear and turn gear counter-clockwise to completely unroll the Slide Cover. See FIG. 5. The awning will be fully extended when fabric starts to sag. After this occurs, roll awning back 1/4 turn to reach maximum tension.

FIG. 5



B. To Close Slide Cover

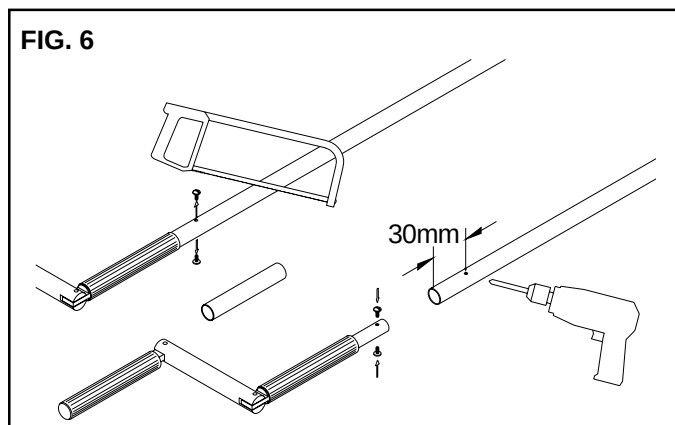
1. Do a visual inspection for debris on top of the Oasis Slide Cover before closing. If debris is present remove before the awning is closed.
2. Place the hook of the crank into the eye of the gear and turn gear clockwise to roll Slide Cover up. Case is self-locking.

Important: Fabric must roll around roller tube from bottom of roller tube. Make sure the awning is correctly closed by observing the red indicators at either end of the awning.

C. Other Operation Notes

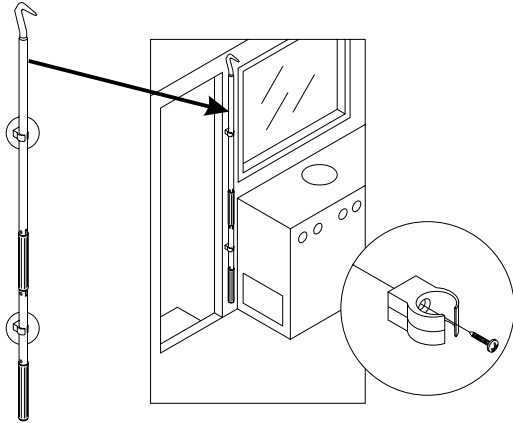
1. If heavy wind conditions exist, retract awning and place in storage position.
2. Crank assembly can be shortened as shown in FIG. 6.

FIG. 6



3. A storage bracket is supplied for crank assembly storage. See Page 4, FIG. 7.

FIG. 7



HELPFUL HINTS FOR AWNING CARE

1. Lubricate the rafter arms and support arms using paraffin wax or silicone spray.
2. If the awning is wet when rolled up, as soon as conditions allow, roll it out and let it dry before rolling it up again. This will help prevent mildew and staining.
3. Mildew does not form on the fabric itself, but on the accumulated dust, dirt and grime. Periodically clean vinyl or woven acrylic fabric using a mixture of **1/4 cup of dish soap and 1/4 cup of bleach mixed with 5 gallons of warm water**. Liberally slosh the mixture on the top of the fabric and roll the awning up for 5 minutes. This will apply the mixture to the bottom as well. Roll it back out and hose off with fresh water. Repeat if necessary. Allow to dry before rolling up. The slide-out-room should be in the retract position when cleaning the awning.
4. **WHEN TO GET MORE HELP:** If malfunctions occur that cannot be corrected by reviewing this installation and operating instructions manual, contact a Dometic Service Center or qualified service technician for assistance. For Service Center Assistance Call 800-544-4881.