

## Polar Star® eFinity Series

# Ceiling Ambient Light Rejecting EDGE FREE® Fixed Frame Screen

## **USER'S GUIDE**



## **Product Description:**

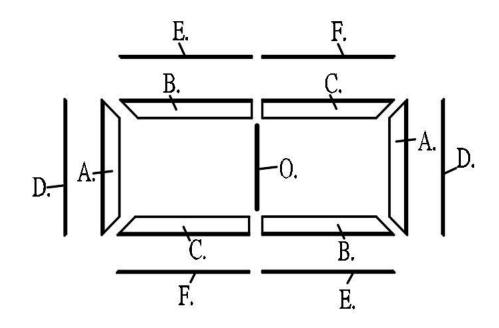
The **Polar Star® eFinity Series** is a fixed frame projection screen that uses Elite Prime Vision's (EPV) EDGE FREE® technology. The EDGE FREE® design resembles a flat panel TV display. The **eFinity** includes a micro-thin bezel trim to further enhance the frame appearance and absorb projector overshoot. An LED kit is also included for mood lighting.

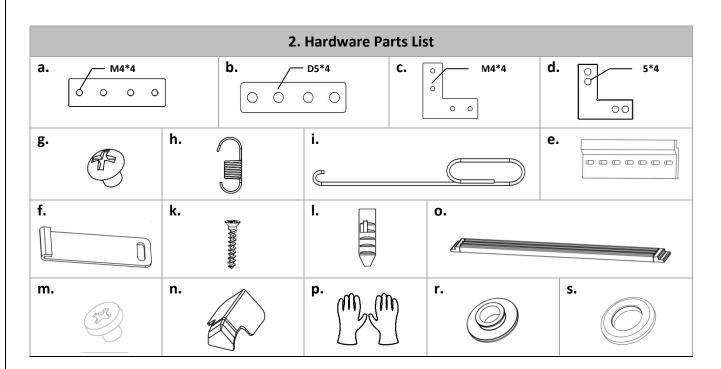
The screen material included is our *ISF certified* Polar Star®, which is a reference quality front projection material precisely formulated for environments with minimal control over room lighting. It was designed to enhance picture brightness, offer accurate color fidelity, and improve contrast levels. The Polar Star® is best for family rooms, educational facilities, conference rooms or any applications in which incident light is a factor.

In order for the Polar Star® to maintain its projection qualities and optimum performance, please refer to the list below for proper maintenance and cleaning.

- Use a dry microfiber cloth to remove dust from the screen's surface.
- When cleaning, use a damp microfiber cloth with warm water to remove any marks.
- Never rub or apply pressure when cleaning the surface.
- Never attempt to use any solutions, chemicals or abrasive cleaners on the screen surface.
- In order to avoid damaging the screen, avoid touching it directly with your fingers,
  pens/pencils or any other sharp or abrasive objects.

1. Frame and Edge Trim Parts List									
Qty item	2 pcs Main Frame Parts	Qty item	2 pcs Edge Trim Parts						
Part A.	vertical frame	Part D.							
Part B.	½ horizontal frame	Part E.							
Part C.	½ horizontal frame	Part F.							



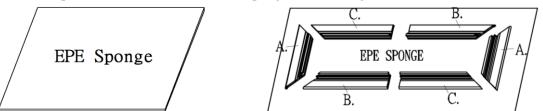


Item	Parts List	100"	110"	120"	135"	150"	165"	180"	200"
a.	Center Joints- M4 (bottom position)	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
b.	Center Joints-D5 (top position)	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
c.	Elbow Joints M4 (bottom position)	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
d.	Elbow Joints D5 (top position)	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
e.	Top wall brackets	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3
f.	Bottom wall brackets	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3
g.	M4x7 Screws	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32
h.	Spring	92	100	110	122	136	150	160	178
i.	Spring Hook	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
k.	Φ5x50 Wall Screws	6	6	6	6	6	9	9	9
l.	Hollow Wall anchors	6	6	6	6	6	9	9	9
m.	M4x4 Screws	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24
n.	Angle cover	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
0.	Center Support Bar	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2
p.	White gloves	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
r.	Bottom plastic eyelet	86	94	104	116	130	144	154	172
S.	Top plastic eyelet	86	94	104	116	130	144	154	172

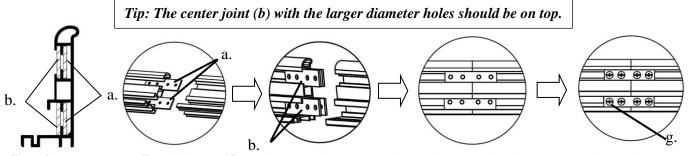
## **Frame Assembly**

**Step 1**: Place the included soft padded EPE sponge sheet on a clean area where the screen will be assembled.

Step 2: Position the pieces of the frame on the EPE sponge in the arrangement shown below.

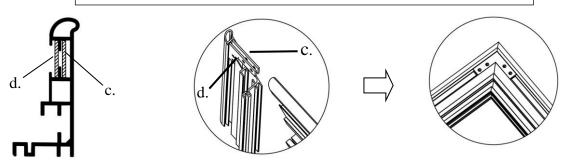


Step 3: Insert *center joint* (a/b) connectors into *one-half of the horizontal frame* (B/C) and secure with the M4x7 screws (M) as shown in the illustration below.

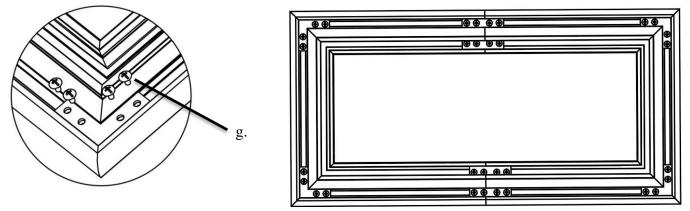


**Step 4:** Connect the *elbow joints* (*c*/*d*) to the top and bottom sections of the vertical frame. Once inserted, connect the vertical sections to the horizontal frame sections. Make sure all holes are in alignment and the frame pieces are flush (no gaps). They should form perfect right angles.

## Tip: The elbow joint (d) with the larger diameter holes should be on top.



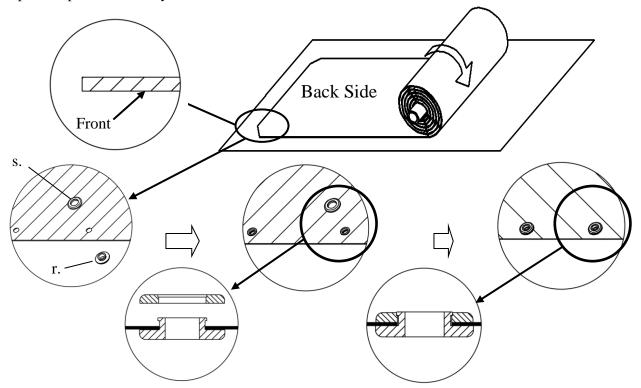
Step 5: Secure the elbow joints by fastening them with M4x7 screws (g), 4 at each corner.



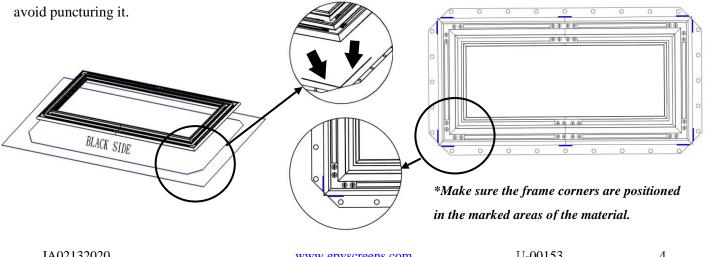
#### **Screen Material**

Step 6: Put on the white gloves (p) and carefully unroll the screen material on a clean surface from the roller to the other side as shown below. The back side of the screen material should be placed upwards.

Then place a **bottom grommet** (r) on the screen material's eyelet and snap in the **top grommet** (s) as shown below. Repeat the process for all eyelets.

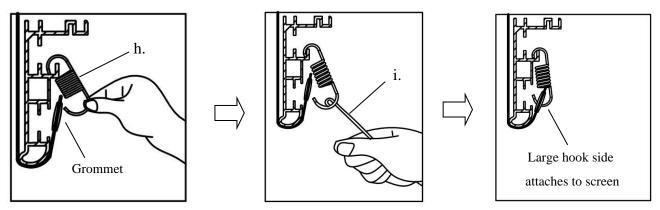


Step 7: Carefully and gently place the assembled frame on top of the screen material in the marked areas as shown below. Make sure to not allow the angle edge of the frame to come in direct contact with the screen material to



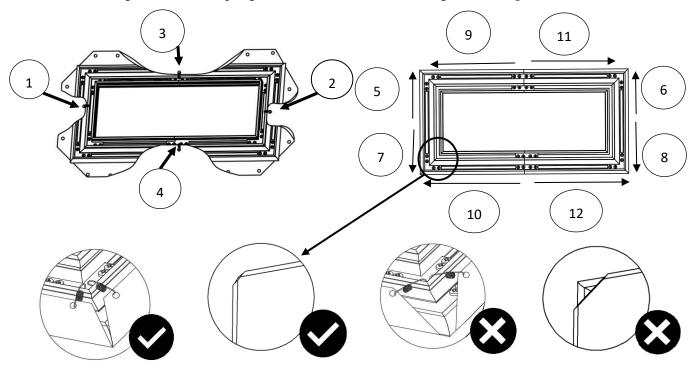
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**Step 8:** Hook one end of the (small) spring and secure inside the groove of the frame, use the *spring hook* (h) to attach the (large) spring to the grommet hole located on the screen material's outer edge in the following order.



Begin by first attaching the center points on both vertical (left/right) sides, *steps 1-2*. Then the center points on both horizontal (top/bottom) sides, *steps 3-4*. Once all center points have been secured, make sure the screen material is still within the marked areas before proceeding to attach the next springs.

Continue attaching the rest of the springs to the material in the following order in *steps 5-12*.



To avoid ripples forming in the material it is imperative that all of the corners are properly wrapped around the edges as illustrated in the check mark diagrams.

#### Note (after all springs have been attached):

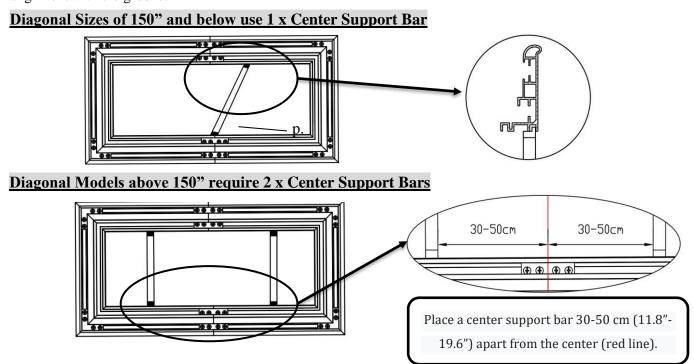
**Correct material installation** —Corners of the screen material are properly wrapped around the corner edges of the frame and material is evenly tensioned and flat, creating a nicely taut surface.

**Incorrect material installation** –The corners of the screen material are not properly wrapped along the edge of the frame leaving the material with unbalanced tension and an uneven finish. To correct, detach springs from material at the corner(s) where material does not lie flat along the edge of the frame, reposition the material so that it lies flat and wraps along the edge of the frame, and reattach springs to the material.

**Note:** Please make note of the yellow label and spring in the center of the frame. This is an indicator to start the screen material installation process from the middle area of the frame.

#### **Center Support Bar**

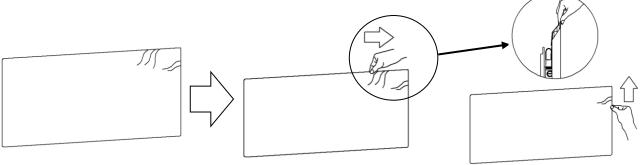
**Step 9:** Insert the *Center Support Bar* (*o*) into the upper top groove on the back of the frame with the bottom end near the approximate center point of the frame and rotate it in at an angle so that both ends of the bar are in alignment with the groove.



Attention: Do not proceed with the Edge Trim installation until making sure there are no ripples in the material.

## How to avoid getting ripples on the screen's material surface

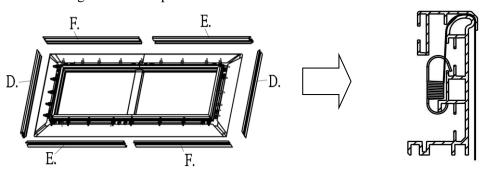
**Solution:** Pull and smooth out the material using your hand from the center to the corners, creating a nicely taut surface as shown below.



#### **Edge Trim Installation**

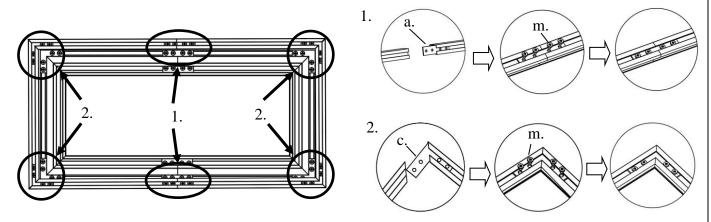
ATTENTION: THE TOP EDGE TRIM PIECE WITH THE LOGO SHOULD BE INSTALLED ON THE TOP.

**Step 10**: Place the edge trim frame pieces over each end of the frame.

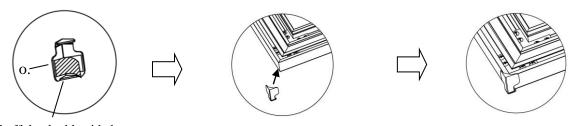


Connect edge trim frames (e/f) together using the Center Joints- M4(a) and secure with four of the M4x4 Screws (m) as shown in Step 1. Repeat for other side.

Once both top and bottom edge trim frames have been connected, attach the vertical (left/right) sides edge trim frames (d) using the Elbow Joints M4(c) and secure with four M4x4 screws (m) on all corners, Step 2.

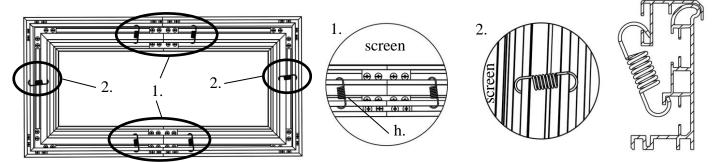


**Step 11**: Install the *angle cover* (n) on each corner of the frame as show in the illustration below.



Peel off the double-sided tape.

Step 12: Install the springs(q) in each middle area to secure the bezel trim edge frame.



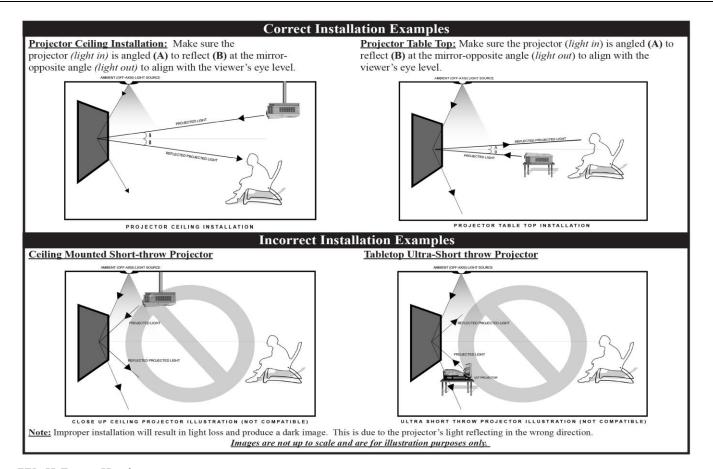
#### **Notice to Installer:**

Please use the following installation instructions to obtain superior optical performance from the Polar Star® Angular Reflective ALR (Ambient Light Rejecting) Screen.

- Angular-Reflective material is not compatible with ultra/short-throw projectors
- Minimum lens throw ratio 1.5x image width
- Ambient light must not come from the same direction as the projector

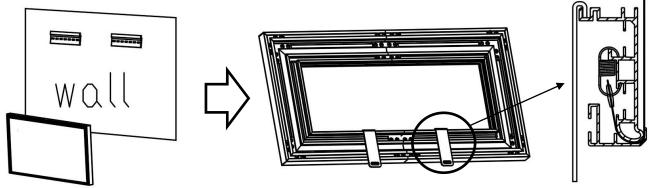
Since angular-reflective means that the projected image will reflect at the mirror-opposite angle, it is important to position the projector so that the viewer will get the best possible image.

- Step 1: Establish the general "eye level" of the viewers
- Step 2: Set the appropriate projection level
- Step 3: Adjust the screen height level and projection angle
- Input Angle (A) = Output Angle (B) aligns with the viewer's angle



#### Wall Installation

**Step 13:** Measure the overall length and height of the frame and drill holes for the top brackets. Line up the wall brackets with the drilled holes on the installation location and screw them in using a Phillips screwdriver. If not installing into a structural wood stud, use a hollow wall anchor then screw in the M5x50 wood screws with a screwdriver. Make sure the brackets are leveled.



**Step 14**: Position the fixed frame screen onto the top wall brackets as shown below and push down at the center of the top of the frame to secure.

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