



## Connecting to Existing Gutters

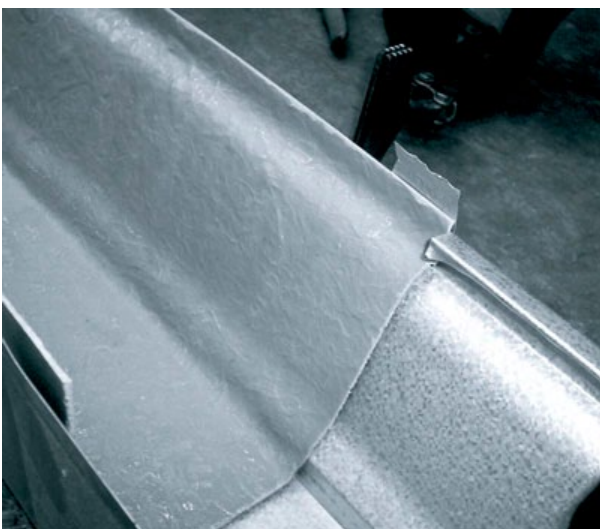
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1. First, prepare the existing gutter. From the end, measure in 1 1/2". At this mark use your metal snips and cut the front lip of the gutter (where the hidden hanger fits into), including the top.



2. With a pair of bending pliers, bend up the inch and a half flap, so the radius gutter can slide into the existing gutter.



3. In the 3rd photo, the radius gutter slides into the existing gutter up to the point where the flap was cut.



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4. With the bending pliers, fold the cut flap over the radius gutter and crimp down to hold tight.



5. Lastly, seal with a gutter sealant.

Note: If your slope is correct on both pieces, the seam will be almost unnoticeable.