

RV-10 Rear Air Vent

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What's included:

The carbon fiber center arm rest console is included. No mounting hardware is included.

What you need to supply:

Nutplates, screws, and rivets are not included because they may vary with each builder's installation and preferences. We will provide suggestions in the instructions, but each builder will need to determine the appropriate hardware for their installation per AC 43.13.



Installation Instructions

<u>Step #1</u>

Once you have the panels fit, it is time to cut the vent cover holes. On the back side of the panel you will see the cut out line. Cut these holes out to the inside of the lines. You want to make these holes fit the vent as snug as possible. The vent covers have tabs that will hold these in place and if the hole has too much cut away they will not snap in place as needed and then will need to be glued in permanently. See tabs in the photo to the right. There are 2 sets of tabs at different levels. The second level is for material thickness if you decided to cover your panels with leather or some other material.



<u>Step #2</u>

Install the vent slider arms. There is a right and left arm so make sure you install the correct one for its appropriate side. We will give the instructions for the left side/pilot side vent.

You will need to close the vent tight and tighten the nut up to make the vent stay closed.

Next align slider arm as in the below picture and drill thru the pre-drilled holes in the arm thru the vent arms.

NOTE: In the below picture we show a measurement of 2 1/8" distance but we recommend 2".

The drilled holes should be a tight clearance hole for a 4-40 screw.





The photo below is how it should look from the bottom side of the slider vent lever.



<u>Step #3</u>

Cut a hole in the air deflector tube as shown in the picture below. Once again this is the left side deflector tube we are showing. The right side is a mirror of the left. This hole in the deflector tube is to clear the 10-32 screw and aircraft nut highlighted by the arrow in the previous picture.





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<u>Step #4</u>



Test fit the panels with the vents installed. Carefully install the vent cover into your side panel and snap the panel edge over the snaps on the vent cover. Once complete carefully push the deflector tube over the vent cover. This is a tight fit so please be patient. You may need to sand the deflector tube a little bit to get the fit. Try to keep the deflector tube square to the vent cover when trying to fit everything together.

Install the panel in the airplane. You will need to angle the panel a little bit as shown in the photo to the right. Be patient here again and you will see how it works into place. You need to fit the vent area up into its place with the slider arm in its slot. Move the panel around and push the back into place.

Once in place make sure that the deflector tube does not try and push the vent out. It might be a little proud and putting some pressure on the vent cover and creating a slight bulge





If this happens you will need to trim the vent covers a little at a time to adjust for your aircraft.

Do not trim the deflector tube; trim the vent as shown to the right.

If you have any questions about your installation, please give us a call or send an email.