



# Martin<sup>®</sup> Self Adjusting Skirting



Martin® Self Adjusting Skirting provides an effective skirtboard seal that eliminates spillage and prevents the problems caused by fugitive material. It self-adjusts to eliminate skirtboard maintenance.

As it requires only 1.25 inches (32 mm) of free belt space outside the chute, Martin® Self Adjusting Skirting is the ideal sealing system for conveyors with chutes close to the belt edge. The rubber and clamp assembly can be installed in spaces as low as six inches (150 mm) above the belt.

#### **BENEFITS**

- "Self-Adjusts" to Maintain Effective Barrier.
- Installs Easily in Tight Clearances.
- Simple "No-Tool" Rubber Replacement.
- Prevents Regulatory Problems from Spillage.
- Minimizes Cleanup Labor and Expense.
- Preserves Conveyor Components from Fugitive Material.
- Keeps Cargo on Belt to Improve Conveyor Efficiency.

## **SPECIFICATIONS**

| Seal Strip  |               |                 |  |
|---|---------------|-----------------|--|
| Material  | EPDM Rubber   |                 |  |
| Thickness   | 0.75 in       | (19 mm)         |  |
| Wear Life   | 2 in.         | (51 mm)         |  |
| Durometer   | 70 Shore A    |                 |  |
| Temperature Range                                 | -20° to 250°F | (-29° to 121°C) |  |
| Maximum Belt Speed                                | 600 fpm       | (3.0 m/s)       |  |
| Clamp Assembly<br>(Wear Strip and Pressure Plate) |               |                 |  |
| Material  | Mild Steel    |                 |  |
| Length  | 48 in.        | (1219 mm)       |  |
| Installed Height                                  | 6 in.         | (152 mm)        |  |

Refer to Sealing System Selection Guide (Form No. L3636) for material specifications and application criteria.

#### **NOTES**

## • Maintains Seal Without Maintenance

System rides on belt, self-adjusting to maintain effective seal automatically as belt path fluctuates and sealing strip wears.

# Lowest Belt Edge Requirement

Fits on any belt; provides effective seal on conveyors where chute width leaves as little as 1.25 inches (32 mm) of free belt area for sealing.

## Compact System Fits Tight Places

Low-profile skirting assembly needs only six inches (152 mm) of clearance, allowing installation in small spaces.

# Quick and Easy to Install

Short 48-inch (1219-mm) clamp sections with built-in plug-weld guides simplify installation.

# • Long-Lasting Performance

Durable sealing strip provides 2-inch (51-mm) wear life. Zinc-plated moving parts will not seize or rust together.

## • "No-Tool" Rubber Replacement

Held in place with linchpins, replacement of the worn sealing strip is a quick, easy, no-tool operation.

# No Leaky Joints

No spillage at joints in sealing strip; rubber strip supplied in continuous lengths up to 100 feet (30.48 m).

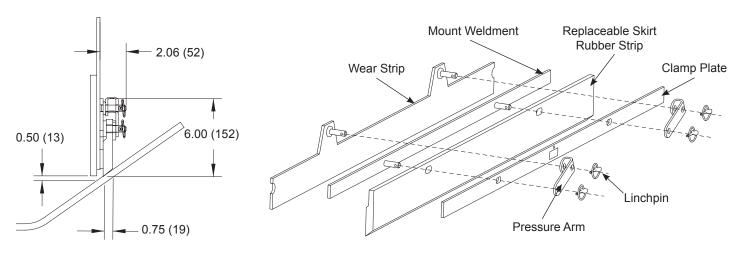
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# **DIMENSIONS -- in. (mm)**



#### ORDER INFORMATION

| Martin <sup>®</sup> Self Adjusting Skirting     | Length                         | Part Number                                |
|---|--------------------------------|--|
| Martin® Self Adjusting<br>Skirting Assembly     | 48 in. (1219 mm)               | 37911                                      |
| Martin® Self Adjusting<br>Skirting Rubber Strip | Maximum of<br>100 ft (30.48 m) | 37911-R<br>Specify length required in feet |

Order enough Clamp Assemblies to match installation requirements for both sides of conveyor.

Order Rubber Strip in one length and field cut it into two strips to cover both sides of your conveyor.

Order one Installation Kit per entire installation (includes installation spacing guides and instructions).

### **NOTES**

Martin® Self Adjusting Skirting is not suitable for installation on conveyors that reverse or roll back.

Failure to keep the belt tracking properly may result in spillage, premature failure of the skirt rubber, and damage to the belt or structure. Installation of Martin® Wear Liner is recommended to protect sealing system from pressure of material load.

Martin® Self Adjusting Skirting should begin at least 6 inches (152 mm) before the inlet side of the chute wall (closest to the tail pulley) and extend beyond the end of the chute. As Martin® Self Adjusting Skirting wears from new to completely worn, the system will move backward on the conveyor approximately 3 inches (76 mm).

