







Micro Star™ Installation Instructions for RailEasy™ Systems

The Micro Star LED Light is the smallest self-contained LED on the market. These LED lights are available in 12v and each draws only .02 amps. Being completely waterproof and encased in a type 316 stainless steel housing, these lights are able to stand up to the most demanding environments. The Micro Star LED Light is both a functional and creative lighting alternative.

The following guide will take you step-by-step through the process of installing Micro Star LED lights on a RailEasy system.

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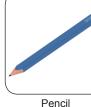
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Tools

Required & Recommended



Carpenter's Square







Safety Glasses







13/32" Drill Bit

Tape Measure

Tips for a Successful Installation

- Read the instructions completely before beginning the installation.
- Check carton(s) to determine part count is complete.



ALWAYS USE WORK GLOVES AND WEAR SAFETY GLASSES TO PROTECT YOUR HANDS AND EYES.

Micro Star Components



S0801-PC01 Micro Star LED Light with Push Connector (Male)



S0832-0001 Micro Star Transformer (1 amp)

S0825-TF160 Transformer (Screw Lugs) to Wiring Harness (1 amp)



S0832-0005 Micro Star Transformer (5 amps)

S0825-TW560 Transformer to Wiring Harness (5 amps)

S0825-JMPR-SC Micro Star Jumper (12")





S0985-0000 Micro Star LED Post Cap

Micro Star Transformer Calculator

You may use 1 or more 1 Amp or 5 Amp transformers in any combination as long as the total "mA" count is equal to or less than the maximum mA of the transformer(s) you choose. Do not exceed the maximum distance of the mA. If sections are spaced greater than 10 feet, it is recommended to install an additional transformer. When lighting will be a continuous string, use the least number of transformers. mA count determines which transformer to use. Generally 5 Amp is recommended.

1 Amp Transformer = Max 900 mA

5 Amp Transformer = Max 4000 mA

Micro Star Transformer Specifications						
PART NUMBER AMP(S)		MAX mA	MAX DISTANCE	MAX LED LIGHTS (SINGLE)	MAX LED POST CAPS	
S0832-0001	1	900	40 feet	30	15	
S0832-0005	5	4000	100 feet	100	50	

Micro Star Lighting Milliamps (mA)					
PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	# OF LIGHTS	mA EACH	* = "X" mA	
S0801-PC01*	Micro Star LED Light		30		
S0985-0000	Micro Star LED Post Cap		50		
			Total mA Needed:		

^{*} NOTE: Micro Star™ LED Light fits a maximum wall thickness of 3/32". Special grommets are required for thicker wall material.

Micro Star Transformer Milliamp Distance Adjustment (Increase)					
PART NUMBER	AMP(S)	NO ADJUSTMENT	DISTANCE ADJUSTMENT	TOTAL FEET	ma adjustment
S0832-0001	1	less than 20 feet	10% per additional 10 feet		
S0832-0005	5	less than 40 feet	10% per additional 20 feet		
				Adjusted mA:	

^{*} NOTE: When the mA and distance value both exceed 80% of maximum, you must add a transformer or increase to a larger size transformer.



REFER TO THE MICRO STAR PROJECT PLANNER FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

Installing Micro Star LED Lighting

Micro Star LED Lighting

The Atlantis Railing Micro Star LED light is the smallest self-contained LED on the market (See Figure A) and come pre-installed in the top rails.

Install the Transformer

Mount the Micro Star transformer near a 110v, power outlet but leave transformer unplugged until it is needed (*See Figure B*). Select the end post closest to the outlet in order to connect to the transformer. You will need to run the low voltage wire down this post so plan accordingly. You may need to drill an additional hole in the decking beneath this post to run the low-voltage wire to keep it hidden. The transformers are available in 1 amp and 5 amps models.



USE DC TRANSFORMER ONLY!

Find the Center of the Top Rail

Use a square and a tape measure to mark the vertical center of the first post. For 36" systems, measure 35" from the deck surface and mark a horizontal line on the post at this height. Measure 41" from the deck for 42" systems. The intersection of these lines is the center point for your top rail (See Figure C).

Drill Holes Through Posts for Wire

At the centers, drill a hole with a 13/32" drill bit 2/3 of the way through the post from both ends. It is important that these holes meet in the center of the post so care should be taken in locating the centers. Thread supplied jumpers (S0825-JMPR-SC) through posts and fittings.

Connect Rails with Jumpers

Beginning with the end post closest to the transformer, connect rails sequentially with the screw connectors male / female (See Figure D).

Connect Micro Star LED Lights with Push Connectors

Atlantis Rail pre-installs Micro Star lights and wiring in the rails before shipping to a customer. If a connection comes undone reconnect the push connectors male / female (See Figure E).



ATLANTIS RAIL CHECKS EACH LIGHT IN OUR SHOP TO BE SURE THAT IT IS FUNCTIONING ACCORDING TO SPECIFICATIONS. HOWEVER, IT IS A GOOD IDEA TO CHECK THE LIGHTS ON-SITE TO BE SURE THAT NO WIRING CAME LOOSE IN TRANSIT.

Install rails as they are connected according to the applicable RailEasy system installation instructions.



DO NOT EXCEED 5 AMPS FOR A POWER SOURCE.
DO NOT USE AN AUTOMOTIVE, MARINE OR
MOWER BATTERY AS THIS MAY DAMAGE THE
WIRING. IF ANY ADDITIONAL WIRING AND
CONNECTIONS ARE REQUIRED, WIRE USING A
"PARALLEL" CIRCUIT. USING A "SERIES" CIRCUIT IS
NOT RECOMMENDED.



Figure A. Micro Star LED light with Push Connector (Male) .





Figure B. DC transformers are comprised of heavy-duty water resistant material.

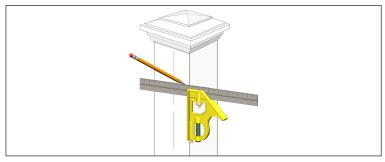


Figure C. Use a square and tape measure to mark the center of your posts.

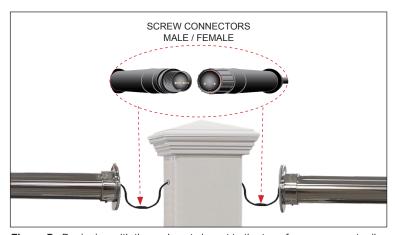


Figure D. Beginning with the end post closest to the transformer, connect rails sequentially with the male / female screw connectors.



Figure E. Atlantis Rail pre-installs Micro Star lights and wiring in the rails before shipping to a customer.



12 VOLT DC POWER SOURCE ONLY. MICRO STAR LED LIGHTS ARE USED WITH DIRECT CURRENT TRANSFORMERS ONLY. USING AN ALTERNATING CURRENT TRANSFORMER OR A TRANSFORMER OVER 12 VOLTS WILL CANCEL ALL WARRANTY CLAIMS AND CAUSE THE LIGHTS TO BURN OUT PREMATURELY.

Additional Components

Micro Star LED Post Cap - (S0985-0000)

The illuminated LED vinyl post cap includes 4 super bright white LED lights in each corner (See Figure F). It provides sufficient lighting for stairs and walkways. Cap fits over standard 4"x4" vinyl sleeves and is compatible with the RailEasy Sleeve and Micro Star transformers. Post cap arrives pre-wired for easy and quick installation. Fasteners included. Color: White.



Figure F. Micro Star LED Post Cap (S0985-0000).

Micro Star Specifications

The patented Micro Star series is a complete line of lighting options for railings, fencing, steps and many other indoor or outdoor applications. The Micro Star LED Lights are available in 12v and each draws only .02 amps.

Micro Star Product Specifications

Components

Product	Description	Dimensions	Fasteners	Notes
S0832-0001	Micro Star Transformer - 1 amp	100-240Vac - 50/60HZ		
S0832-0005	Micro Star Transformer - 5 amps	100-240Vac - 50/60HZ		
S0801-PC01	Micro Star LED Light with Push Connector	12 Volt DC	Push Connector (Male)	Color: White
S0985-0000	Micro Star LED Post Cap	4.03" x 5.75" x 2.13"	Fasteners included	White Vinyl
S0825-H048	Micro Star Wire Harness	4' Handrail	Screw Connectors (M/F)	Factory
			Push Connector (Female)	pre-installed
S0825-H060	Micro Star Wire Harness	5' Handrail	Screw Connectors (M/F)	Factory
			Push Connector (Female)	pre-installed
S0825-JMPR-SC	Micro Star Jumper	12"	Screw Connectors (M/F)	
S0825-TF160	Micro Star Transformer to Wiring Harness	66"	Screw Connector (Female)	1 amp
S0825-TW560	Micro Star Transformer to Wiring Harness	64"	Screw Connector (Female)	5 amps

IP61: Screw and Push Connectors are protected from total dust ingress and from condensation.