

# Landscape Dripline System



The Faster, Smarter Way to Drip Irrigate!

# WHY The Landscape Dripline System is Better.

## **ADVANTAGES**



Waters each plant, not the surrounding soil.



Applies moisture directly to the root zone.



Proper watering promotes healthy plants.



Three easy steps to create your custom drip system.

## **Precise watering for healthy, beautiful landscaping**

Unlike soaker hoses, the Rain Bird<sup>®</sup> Landscape Dripline System is clog resistant and waters evenly from beginning to end over much longer distances — up to 300 feet! It connects easily to your faucet, garden hose, an existing underground sprinkler head or 1/2" riser.

This versatile system is simple to cut, connect and place without digging. It conforms to your landscaping and can be staked and covered with mulch. For plants that need extra water, you can insert Spot Watering Emitters, tapping off of the main 1/2" Tubing lines to reach trees, potted plants or other targeted areas.

## Works like soaker hose — only better!



1/2" Emitter Tubing

Spot Watering

# **WHAT** Is Your Water Source?

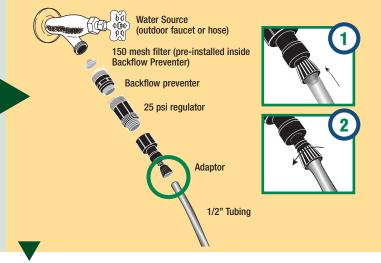
# If You Have...

### **Outdoor Faucet**



# You Need....

### FC-KIT Faucet Connection Kit



• Simplest connection method

• Multi-function kit ensures proper operation of your drip irrigation system

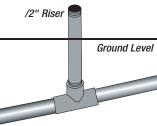
• Includes backflow preventer, 25 psi regulator and 150 mesh filter

# If You Have...

# You Need...

Existing Rain Bird 1800® spray head or any 1/2" riser





### **RC-KIT** Riser Connection Kit

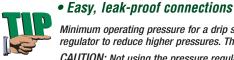


- Replace an underground irrigation spray head or mount on any riser
- Sized for easy conversion of a Rain Bird® 1806 pop-up spray head
- Also connects to other standard 1/2" irrigation fittings
- All-in-one unit includes filter, 30psi regulator and swivel tee



To ensure proper operation of your Landscape Dripline System, one of the above water supply connection kits must be used. Both kits include:

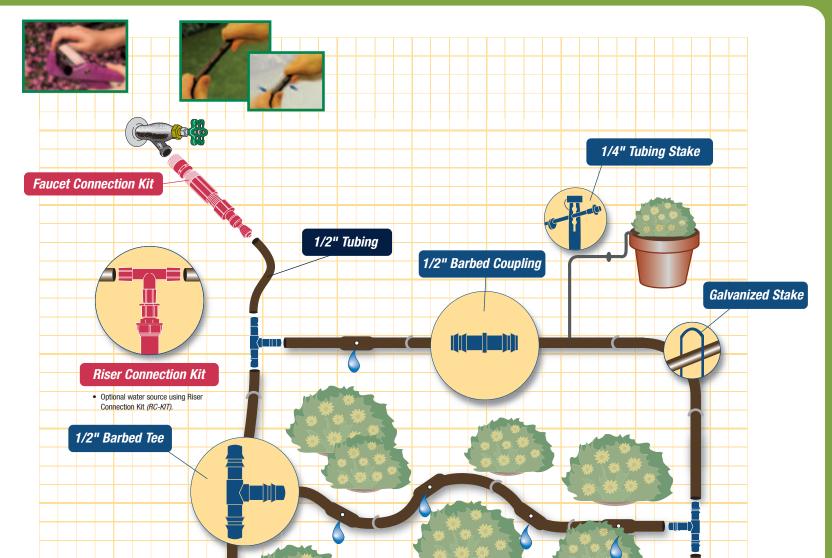
- Pressure regulator to avoid excess flow
- Back-flow preventer to stop water from flowing back into your home's system
- Filter to trap rust and sediment, helping to keep emitters flowing trouble-free



Minimum operating pressure for a drip system is 15psi, maximum is 25-30 psi. The FCKIT and RCKIT each contain a 25-30 psi regulator to reduce higher pressures. These connection kits also incorporate a 150-200 mesh filter to protect the tubing emitters.

CAUTION: Not using the pressure regulator and filter may damage your system.

# **CUT & CONNECT**



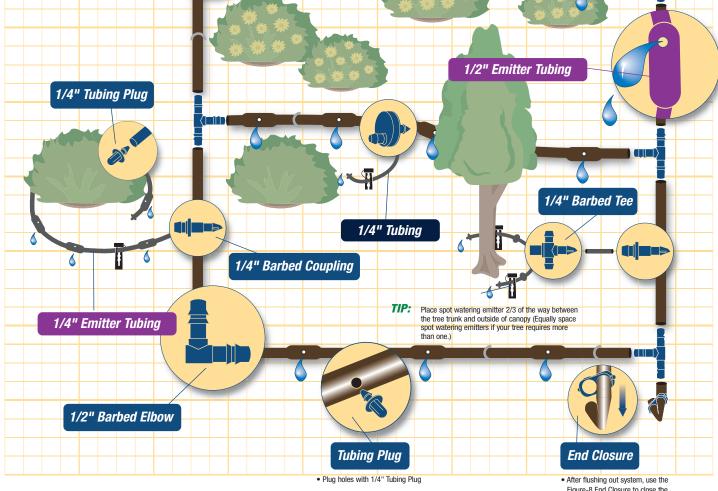


Figure-8 End Closure to close the end of line.

# **CUT & CONNECT**

## Using Spot Watering Emitters & 1/4" Tubing Stakes

Tap off of 1/2" Tubing with Spot Watering Emitters and 1/4" Tubing. Black Spot Watering Emitters provide controlled flow of 1.0 GPH. Red Spot Watering Emitters are rated for 2.0 GPH. The tubing can be held in place with 1/4" Tubing Stakes. Place bug guard (attatched to 1/4" Tubing Stake) at end to prevent bugs and debris from clogging tubing.

#### Ideal for:

- Extending irrigation to widely spaced plants or trees
- Increasing flow to selected plants as needed anywhere in your landscaping

Spot V	latering Emitter	Gallons Per Hour	Best For
	SW10-10PK (black)	1.0 GPH	Loamy Soils
<b>(</b> )	SW20-10PK (red)	2.0 GPH	Sandy Soils

#### 1/4" Tubing Runs Less Than 5 Feet



### Extended Runs Greater Than 5 Feet





For trees, place Spot Watering Emitter 2/3 of the way between tree trunk and outside of canopy. Larger trees require more than one emitter, equally spaced around trunk.

## Landscape Dripline System Tools

### Emitter Tool ET-1PK

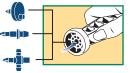
The easy way to add or remove Spot Watering Emitters, 1/4" barbed fittings and plugs.





**Opposite End** 

#### Insert Spot Watering Emitters and 1/4" Barbed Fittings.



Place the fitting on end of tool. (Use with Spot Watering Emitters, 1/4" Barbed Tees and 1/4" Barbed Couplings.)

**Remove Spot Watering Emitters and barbed fittings** from the side of 1/2" Tubing.



Press barbed point into side wall of 1/2" tubing.

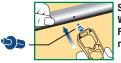


Pull tool away, leaving the fitting embedded in tubing.



Push 1/4" Tubing onto the fitting.

#### Insert 1/4" Tubing Plugs.



Seal holes made by Spot Watering Emitters and Fittings you have removed.



Use side of tool.

#### **Tubing Cutter TC-1PK** Cut tubing cleanly and conveniently for fast installation.



Stainless steel blade

**Ergonomic handle** 

# Project Planning Checklist

### Water Connections



#### **Faucet Connection Kit** FCKIT-1PK

Connect system to any outdoor faucet



1/2" Emitter Tubing - 100 ft. ET63918-100 Place in planting areas



#### **Riser Connection Kit** RCKIT-1PK Convert an 1800<sup>™</sup> spray head or a riser to a drip zone



1/4" Emitter Tubing - 50 ft. ET25512-50 Extend water to narrow planting areas or potted plants

### Tubing



1/2" Tubing - 100 ft. T63-100 Run water to 1/2" Emitter Tubing



### **Fittings and Tools** 1/2" Barbed Couplings

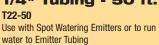
Emitter Tubing

BC50-4PK Connect 2 pieces of 1/2" tubing



#### 1/2" Barbed Tees **BT50-4PK** Connect 3 pieces of 1/2" tubing in a "T" shape





### Fittings and Tools



Galvanized Stakes GS50-10PK Secures 1/2" Tubing to the ground



#### 1/2" Barbed Elbows BE50-4PK Connect 2 pieces of 1/2" tubing in an "L" shape



1/2" End Closure EC50-2PK Use with 1/2" tubing to allow easy flushing and draining of the system



#### 1/4" Barbed Couplings BC25-10PK

Connect 2 pieces of 1/4" Tubing or tap into the side of 1/2" Tubing



Spot Watering Emitters 1.0 GPH SW10-10PK Add supplemental watering to individual plants



#### 1/4" Barbed Tees BT25-10PK

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#### **1/4" Tubing Plugs** TP25-10PK Use as an end closure for 1/4" Tubing or as a side

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### 1/4" Tubing Stakes with Bug Guard

Stake 1/4" tubing at desired locations or secure Spot Watering Emitters



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Emitter Tool ET-1PK Multi-function tool simplifies adding or removing Spot Watering Emitters and Plugs



Tubing Cutter TC-1PK Stainless steel blade cuts drip tubing cleanly and conveniently